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The meeting lasted for quite some time as Wang Wei had many things to review before everyone was dismissed. However, one person remained behind to have a private conversation with Wang Wei: it was Empress Dong Lifen.

Wang Wei moved his head to his side and looked at her still sitting in her Phoenix Throne and asked, "Do you have anything else to say to me?"

Dong Lifen then stood up, bowed properly and said, "I would like to thank your majesty for keeping his words and treating the people as well as you do."

Wang Wei waved his hand and replied, "Rise. There is no need to thank me. As I said before, this is just a trial to me and doing so will benefit me greatly."

"That may be true, your majesty," answered Dong Lifen, still in the bowing posture. "However, I have seen the information about the other kingdoms and dynasties. None of your peers spent so much time and effort on the livelihood of the people."

"Although the lives of the common people have improved dramatically, compared to the changes in our kingdom... And all of this is due to your majesty's divine vision."

Wang Wei smiled and held her up.

"You can rise now, and I will accept your praise." After setting her down in her throne, he suddenly asked.

"I've been wondering, why are you still in the Body Refining Realm 11th Layer? With your talent and cultivation resources you have access to, you should have long entered the Divine Sea Realm."

Dong Lifen--who was in the process of brewing tea for Wang Wei--suddenly paused and a stiff smile was stuck on her face. Then she continued as if nothing ever happened.

"I'm just making sure that my foundation is very solid in each realm, that's all."

However, the observant Wang Wei still caught on to her actions and seemed to have thought something.

"You are quite ambitious. Not satisfied with having a Supreme Foundation and wanting to have a Dao Foundation instead."

Dong Lifan immediately lowered her head after hearing Wang Wei's words. Without looking him in the eyes, she rapidly served the tea, almost spilling on him.

Suddenly, an idea appeared in Wang Wei's mind. As such, he reassured her.

"You do not need to be afraid or anxious. There is nothing wrong with being ambitious. Unfortunately, the secret to having a Dao Foundation is the highest one of my sect. And even with my status, I would be in a great deal of trouble if I revealed it to you, and even this world might be implicated if news were to spread out that I leaked one of the sect's highest secrets."

After hearing this, Dong Lifan's head was further lowered, and she even secretly sighed to herself.

"Although I cannot tell you how to make a breakthrough," continued Wang Wei. "I can still provide you with some help."

Dong Lifan raised her head with a swift motion, then her dreamy eyes looked at Wang Wei with an unknown twinkle on them. Right in this moment, she unknowingly exuded a fleeting and ethereal beauty.

"The answer to your problem is actually right in front of you: luck. The dynasty's luck or fortune has many magical and unimaginable means. If you study it thoroughly, you may find a way to elevate your foundation to the level of Dao."

"But your majesty, the luck of the dynasty can only be controlled by you alone."

"Since I have mentioned it, that means I have a way around this. When I'm not busy, you can come find me and I will use the Imperial Seal to allow you control over the dynasty's luck. I'll even provide you with my experience in breaking through the Body Refining 12th Layer."

Dong Lifen wanted to immediately object. Control of a dynasty's luck is one the symbol of an Emperor, it is proof of their status and power. How could she use such a thing?

Even if she wanted to, the ministers of the court would never allow it. They would instantly accuse her of having the idea of revolt and asked that she be deposed of her status immediately.

Maybe even worse, they might ask that she be executed for treason. Dong Lifen was well aware that many ministers of the court did not like her or approved of her--especially given the fact that she was the remains of the last dynasty.

Many people have already complained and asked his majesty to reduce her status to consorts. Fortunately for her, his majesty did not care about these people and always ignored him, otherwise her status would be greatly affected.

Dong Lifen looked at the calm Wang Wei and realized that he was different from other Emperors and he had secretly been protecting her. She blushed slightly, and with a look of determination, bowed once again and said, "Then, I will gladly accept your majesty's favor and grace."

Afterwards, the two of them chatted over tea before Dong Lifen left towards her own palace with steady strides and a wide smile.

Wang Wei watched the empress leaving and a gleam of light flashed deep into his jeweled grey eyes.

"It seemed that there was no need for me to find a way for her to be interested in studying luck. After all, there is no greater motivation than the desire for self-improvement," muttered Wang Wei with a cunning smile on his face, then he headed to his cultivation room.

Meanwhile, after the meeting, both Li Jun and Yan Liling exited the palace together. They looked at the moonlight enveloping the entire capital. Unfortunately, the brightness of the moon was overshadowed by the beautifully lit city.

As Li Jun walked and chatted with Yan Liling, he observed how many houses had lamps that illuminate the night.

However, the lamps did not have fire burning in them, but exuded powerful lights that can be seen from far distances.

Suddenly, Li Jun looked at Yan Liling and said, "I suddenly had the urge to visit Rainbow City."

"So late at night?"

"Well, it won't take long anyway."

"Okay. Let's go."

After the two of them agreed, they walked to a corner of a lighted street and waved their hands.

Soon, a carriage came and stopped in front of them and the driver said, "Young Master and Miss, did you call for a Flying Horse Carriage?"

The two of them nodded and entered the carriage and said to the driver through a glass window, "Drop us at the Dragon Launch Station."

"No problem," responded the driver. Then, he pressed a button.

Immediately afterwards, countless runes lit up on the carriage, the driver placed both hands on a circular wooden barrel top and steered the carriage.

The carriage--who was in fact driven by a wooden horse that had four wheels for legs--started to move forward rapidly on a street large enough for more than 10 carriages to pass through.

Despite this though, each carriage followed a single line and ran behind each other without trying to surpass each other.

A few minutes on the road, the driver suddenly said to the both of them, "I cannot believe that your majesty created such a magical carriage for the common people. Now, traveling has become so easy."

"It is indeed a brilliant invention," responded Li Jun.

"I heard the original name was a ca..car. I wonder if it's true?"

"It's true, however, the officials of the court argue that the people would be intimidated by the new and unrecognizable name and it is better to use something more familiar. As such the name Flying Horse Carriage was used."

"Well personally, I think the current name is quite pleasing." The driver seemed not surprised that these two passengers had access to sensitive information such as this.

The reason for that is the fact that the driver had already guessed that these two people had a powerful background based on the clothes they were wearing.

As a person who has been driving a carriage for quite some time now, he has learned to identify customers with prestigious and noble backgrounds based on their clothes and demeanor.

Seeing that these customers were actually quite amiable, the driver continued to chat with them.

"I have been living in the capital for many years and have experienced many things in my life. But, I have never seen a place change as much as the capital did in the past 2 years."

"You cannot find any dirt or filth in the entire city, there are no beggars lying everywhere, everyone has proper clothes to wear."

"And more importantly are those new immortal lamps that can light up by themselves without fire. I can tell you my wife was the happiest when our family bought our first immortal lamp."

"I only had to save for a month to be able to afford it. You can imagine my surprise when I heard that such a heavenly thing actually cost so little. At first, I thought this was some kind of scam."

"However, when my neighbor bought his first immortal lamp and told me that the price was actually real, I was so happy that I went to buy a statue of your majesty to pray for blessing for him."

The driver sighed and looked a little distracted for a brief moment before regaining his bearing.

"I know that the law of the dynasty does not allow people to pray to his majesty, but I couldn't help myself."

"And after I bought the immortal lamp, my son was also very happy. He no longer had to squint in the candle light when studying."

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Both Wang Wei and Yan Liling looked at the driver that seemed to want to release himself by talking to someone and they sighed.

This realized how much of an impact their big brother has on this world and the amount of changes he brought to the people. This driver is just among the billions of people whose lives that their big brother has changed over the past two years.

After a brief pause of reminiscing, the driver did not stopped talking and continued on:

"Don't get me started on the Sage Book that the school provided to my son. Not only was the school free to attend, they even provided the student with an immortal artifact like this."

"I heard my son say that his teacher was talking to him directly through the book. So, how does this thing work anyway?"

"It's not actually talking to him, but placing him in an illusion."

"Illusion?"

"Yes," answered Yan Liling. "The Sage Book has an illusion array carved on it that places the students into a powerful illusion where they can review their teacher's lecture and knowledge."

"With this illusion, the students can have knowledge directly placed inside their minds, thus skipping the process of memorizing things. They can also have access to every teachers' lecture anywhere and anytime."

"Big brother... I mean his majesty created this method to be able to quickly train officials for the dynasty."

Of course Yan Liling only briefly summarized the purpose of this book and did not mention many of the revolutionary ideas in them.

For example, while in the illusion, the people will enter a state of deep focus in which their spirits will be enhanced to the extreme, thus dramatically increasing the learning abilities of each student.

In order not to be affected, each school is required to properly feed each student as thus intense focus can have a negative effect on the body.

In order to create this origin artifact, her big brother had to study illusion with Su Ai for months. As a person knowledgeable in ruins, Yan Liling had to marvel at such innovative use of runes and refining.

The driver listened attentively and nodded.

"Although I don't understand what you are saying," said the driver. "I'm still happy that his majesty created such an immortal artifact."

Suddenly, Yan Liling frowned and asked. "Shouldn't you know some of these things? According to the law, each driver of the Flying Horse Carriage needs to be illiterate and pass a test to be able to publicly steer one."

The driver smiled with embarrassment and hurriedly answered, "I did not go to school to learn, but my son taught me how to read and I passed the test. This is my permit."

After saying this, the driver took out a paper from his steering department and showed it to Yan Liling through the glass window that separated them.

After checking the permit, Yan Liling nodded and said, "It seemed to be a legal one. You must be very intelligent to be able to learn reading on your own."

The driver blushed a little after hearing the compliment and responded, "At that time, I was still working hard with a normal chariot to save enough money to buy the Horse Flying One. I could tell at one glance that this new carriage was going to be the standard from now on, so I wanted to be one of the first people to get one."

"However, I would have wasted a lot of time if I had to go to school everyday to learn, so I just asked my son to teach me in person. Thanks to Heaven, no, thanks to his majesty's blessing, I was able to pass the test and get my license."

Both Li Jun and Yan Liling nodded and continued chatting throughout the rest of the journey. A few minutes later, the two of them arrived at their destination, paid the driver and secretly gave him a very handsome red envelope.

After the two of them left, the driver muttered to himself, "My wife would never believe that such a fairy-like sister actually commented on how smart I am. That old woman never appreciated my wisdom."

"Hey, I should have listened to my son and bought one of those magical flutes that put other people's voices on them. What was it called again... Right, Voice Storing Flute. However, these things are too expensive."

After saying that, the driver got in his carriage and drove out, searching for his next passenger.

Meanwhile, Li Jun and Yan Liling arrived at their destination: the Dragon Launch Station.

Then, they went to buy their boarding permits. After showing their identification card, the woman responsible for providing the permit was immediately flustered for a moment and said,

"Your excellencies, as high ranking officials, boarding permits are actually free. You do not need to pay."

However, both Li Jun and Yan Liling shook their heads and still paid for their permits. Then, they waited for a few minutes.

Soon, they heard a melodious voice echoing throughout the station:

"The Crawling Dragon Construct has arrived. All passengers prepared to board and stay away from the doors."

After the announcement, Li Jun and Yan Liling saw a wooden construct in the shape of a dragon traveling rapidly on a pre-established track before stopping. Then, many scales on the dragon construct opened up horizontally.

Following which, countless people exited the construct and left in different directions. Afterwards, both Li Jun and Yan Liling entered the construct.

They searched for a while before finding a private carriage with a few people on them.

"I cannot believe that Puppets could be used in such a way!" marveled Li Jun and with stars twinkling in his eyes.

"That's true," responded Yan Liling after sitting down. "Big brother Wang Wei has been complaining that the transportation methods of this world were so slow and tiring. So, he found a way to improve it."

"Yeah. What is more impressive was that he did not just use such marvelous origin artifacts only for cultivators, but found ways to commercialize it by making sure it can be controlled by mortals."

"However, many of the cultivators in the court object to making cultivating objects accessible to mortals. All of them have such low vision," replied Yan Liling with a sneer on her face."

Li Jun looked at his companion with a wry smile on his face. "There is no need to criticize them. Even in our world, the cultivators would react the same way they did. In fact, if we were not influenced by big brother, can you guarantee that we would not respond the same way?"

Yan Liling did not answer his question. After a few seconds, she said, "What a weird word 'commercialize'."

"Big brother always has a bunch of weird names. Didn't he want to call the Crawling Dragon Construct a 'train'. I heard my mother say that all geniuses have weird habits."

"So, my little genius, what is your weird habit?" asked Yan Liling with charming eyes that could mesmerize most men.

Li Jun then whispered in her ears: "How about I show you my weirdness tonight, when we are alone?"

Yan Liling immediately blushed and pushed Li Jun away and said, "Not here in public."

Li Jun smirked a little and moved his head away, looking at the window in order not to further embarrass his wife.

After a few minutes, Yan Liling had regained her composure and asked, "What are you thinking so deeply about?"

"I'm thinking whether the Human Emperor was as good as big brother Wang Wei?"

After hearing this, Yan Liling also had a pensive look on her face.

"Who is the Human Emperor you are talking about?" said a sudden melodious voice while the two of them were thinking.

They both turned their voice in the direction of the voice. There, they saw a beautiful young girl looking at them.

The beautiful girl was dressed with a refined hanfu, she had a very calm temperament and eyes full of vicissitudes that contradicted her youthful face.

Yan Liling took a good look at her before saying, "Are you the Empress' master, Yu Siyu?"

The beautiful girl then sat next to the two of them after an invitation.

"Looking at your face, you must have broken through the Divine Altar Realm," said Yan Liling with a smile.

Yu Siyu bowed and said, "Thank You, Miss Yan Liling for the pills you provided."

"No problem. As long as you work hard for the big brother, you will always be rewarded. So, what are you doing here?"

After hearing Yan Liling's question, Yu Siyu sighed and answered, "After my breakthrough about a month ago, I exited my seclusion to find the capital, no, the entire kingdom has changed dramatically."

"So, I decided to travel around to get acquainted with the changes that have occurred. Today, I decided to spend the whole day traveling to different parts of the dynasty through the Crawling Dragon Construct, when I overheard your conversations just now."

"So, that's how it is."

"I'm still very curious about your world, especially this Human Emperor you just mentioned. If you don't mind, could you please tell me about him."

Both Li Jun and Yan Liling looked at each other for a brief moment, Noticing this, Yu Siyu quickly said, "If this is some sort of secret, you do not have to say anything."

"No, it's not like that," answered Li Jun. "We were just a little surprised by the sudden question."

"As for the Human Emperor, he was a legendary character from our world."

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After taking a brief moment of recollection, Yan Liling began to explain the origin and story of the Human Emperor.

"You should have learned about the differences of worlds from the Empress, right?" asked Yan Liling.

"Yes, Fen'er has explained to me the differences between Lower Thousands World and Greater Thousands Worlds. She even mentioned the fact that the world you guys came from is a Heaven Will World--which is a world that can give birth to a Great Emperor," answered Yu Siyu with a look of envy and yearning in her eyes.

"Well, as one of the highest levels of worlds in the Endless Void, you can imagine how long its history stood," continued Yan Liling.

"In order to properly study it, the cultivators in our world have divided our history into different eras: nine to be precise."

"First there was the Chaotic Era. However, we do not know much about this era except for the fact that our world was just born and as such, completely inhabitable by any living creatures--both living and nonliving."

"After that came the Primordial Era. In that time, Heavenly Dao was completed and living beings came to our world. In current time, all we know is the fact that this era was inhabited by many fierce Innate life forms such as Primordial Gods, Dragons and Phoenixes."

"There are rumors that the name of our world's current five continents was named after these Innate beings."

After saying this, Yan Liling paused for a moment and realized that her explanation might take some time and it was inappropriate to be constantly talking the whole time.

As such, she secretly elbowed Li Jun, who immediately understood her meaning. As such, he took a few minutes to brew tea for the three of them.

After serving the tea, he said, "This is some of the Longxue tea that I have secretly stolen from big brother Wang Wei."

Yu Siyu smiled happily after hearing this, then drank her tea with a smile on her face. Just having the opportunity to drink this tea again was worth her trip today.

"I never understood big brother Wang Wei's love for Longxue tea. Although it is one of the best teas in our world, there are still many that are as good as it, if not better," commented Yan Liling.

"That's because you never tasted it when big brother used his secret brewing method. I don't know what ingredient he used, but the taste of the tea was magically transformed into something beyond wonders," answered Li Jun with a reminiscent look on his face.

"I remember the first time that I tasted it. The taste was simply heavenly. Afterward, I spent more than a year pestering him to give me the recipe, but he refused."

"What's even worse was the fact that he even refused to brew it for me with his special recipe afterwards. If I did not complain to Uncle Wang Tian, he probably would never have brewed the tea for me again."

Yan Liling then realized why both Li Jun and Wang Wei were so in love with this tea; it seemed that both of them had their own secret recipe that they shared together.

She secretly clenched her teeth and complained about how these guys are leaving her out. She vowed to get her revenge.

Li Jun suddenly felt that his companion changed somehow and looked at her, but he did not find anything, so he believed that he must be thinking too much.

After taking a sip of her tea, Yan Liling continued her explanation towards Yu Siyu--who was happily drinking her tea.

"Where was I again in my explanation?"

"You mentioned your world's different Eras in history. Especially the Primordial Era."

"Yes, the Primordial Era. After that era came the Beginning Emperor Era. We do not know much about this era except for the fact that a human by the name of Long Guo was the first person to prove the Dao and took the name of the Heaven Opening Emperor."

"Then came the Void or Null Era. In fact, in our current era, nothing is actually known about this era, hence the name. However, after years of study, many cultivators believed that a terrifying catastrophe enveloped our world."

"As a result, all the Primordial Gods and Innate Life forms like Dragon, Phoenixes, and Qilin became extinct in our world. No, to be precise, they were gone."

"What's even worse was that after the Null Era, the cultivation civilization in our world was completely destroyed or cut off. There were no cultivation techniques, no formation or pill inheritance left. Everything had to start over."

Yu Siyu almost choked on her tea after hearing this. Based on the information that her disciples had told her, she knew how powerful the world of these people is.

However, she just learned that something as severe as inheritance being cut off actually happened to them.

Immediately afterwards, cold sweat started falling from Yu Siyu's back. If even such a powerful world can suffer such tragedy, then, doesn't that mean her Little Thousand World could be destroyed at any moment from threats from above?

'The Endless Void is really a place of constant danger where anything could happen,' thought Yu Siyu to herself.

Meanwhile, Yan Liling continued her story.

"After the Null Era, many genius cultivators sought to rebuild the civilization of our world and succeeded. The first of which was the founder of our sect, Wang Qishan, also referred to as Emperor Qiyuan."

"After creating the Origin Path Cultivating System and spreading it out, he proved the Dao and became a Great Emperor. Emperor Qiyuan then successfully started the Ancient Emperor Era,"

"Foun...Founder!"

"Yes, the founder of our sect."

"Are you saying that the founder of the sect you guys came from created the cultivating method that we are currently using in this world?"

"That's exactly right." answered Yan Liling with a little pride on her face.

Meanwhile, a great turmoil was going on inside Yu Siyu's mind. Although she guessed that these young people had extraordinary status, she did not think that their status was so noble.

Especially when it comes to his majesty Wang Wei. She noticed how he was the leader of the group. Additionally, given the fact that he shared the same surname as Emperor Qiyuan, there is a high chance that he is his direct descendant.

After taking a mouthful of tea to calm herself down, she asked, "What about the Human Emperor you mentioned before?"

"Yes, the Human Emperor was also an Ancient Emperor. In fact, he was the last Great Emperor of that era. To be precise, he ended that era."

"Near the end of the Ancient Emperor Era, our world faced another disaster. The first Great Emperor from the Demon race was born."

"Demon Race?"

"Oh right, I forgot that your world does not have a Demon Race. You should be aware of demonic beasts?"

Yu Siyu then nodded. Their world does have demonic beasts living in mountains, ocean, and mainly forests. The majority of these beasts are way more powerful than ordinary cultivators.

"After a demonic beast enters Tier 4 or the Supernatural Realm, most of them will go through Heavenly Tribulation to turn into humans. However, some demonic beasts with powerful bloodlines can turn into human shape the moment they are born."

"However, these demonic beasts are quite arrogant and refuse to acknowledge that they are the same as the other demonic beasts with lower intelligence and bloodlines. As such, they referred to themselves as the Demon Race instead."

Yu Siyu understood her meaning as similar things happened in this world. There is a group of humans who swallowed the blood of demonic beasts and survived the process.

This method granted them extraordinary abilities that normal humans or cultivators do not have. As such, these groups of people refused to acknowledge themselves as just human and called themselves the Blood Human Race.

After a brief explanation, Yan Liling continued her story.

"After the demon race gave birth to their first Great Emperor, he did not behave morally upright like the other human Emperors."

"He started to conquer the entire world, while killing all the humans. Wherever he went, he would either kill all the people or enslaved them in servitude of the Demon Race."

"Many powerful Emperor Lineage fought against the Golden Ape Great Emperor with either their Emperor Artifacts or formations. However, it was of no use."

Yan Liling paused for a moment to take a sip of tea. Meanwhile, Yu Siyu wondered how she could remain so calm about this.

"The Golden Ape Great Emperor, as the most powerful cultivator of the world at that time, was simply unstoppable. Any people who attacked him would either be killed or suppressed."

"All the cultivators of our world were desperate and thought that the end of the human race was coming."

"That was until the Human Emperor appeared. His origins were unknown and mysterious. However, he came up with a brilliant idea."

"The idea was to create a Fortune Dynasty and gather the luck of the entire human race to be able to fight the Golden Ape Emperor."

Yu Siyu had a weird look on her face. She could not understand how this was a great idea as fortune dynasties existed all over this world."

"You might think that this is just a common idea," explained Yan Liling with a smile on her face.

"However, you have to understand that Fortune Dynasties did not exist back then in our world. This was not just an act of creating a country, but the Human Emperor essentially created or passed down a brand new Dao to our world."

"Of course many cultivators today have debated that there might have been methods to create Fortune Dynasties before the Null Era. However, there is no evidence to prove such a claim."

It was then that Yu Siyu understood the meaning behind the Human Emperor's action. To her now, the fortune dynasty might be a common thing that she is used to seeing.

However, back then, this method was actually quite revolutionary and extraordinary. Not just anyone could actually think of something as brilliant as this--especially given the dire situation the Human Emperor was at that time.

Not to mention that given the connection her world has to the Myriad Emperor Word, there is a high chance that the method of creating a fortune dynasty also originated from there.

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Yan Liling looked at Yu Siyu and realized that she understood the significance of the Human Emperor's plan back then. She nodded and continued her explanation of their world's history.

"After the Human Emperor came up with this idea, many powerful cultivators and sects agreed with him. They worked together to create the first and only unified dynasty of our world: The Great Qin Dynasty."

"The Human Emperor was voted as the ruler of such a powerful dynasty after many negotiations among the cultivators of the world."

"With the power of luck of the entire human race, the Human Emperor was able to fight head on with the Golden Ape Great Emperor despite being in the Supreme Realm. Or at the very least, he could keep him from interfering in ordinary people's battle."

"This Human Emperor sounded like a great cultivator. So what happened with the war between the two races?" asked Yu Siyu with intrigued.

"Without the Golden Ape Emperor's intervention, the human army fought a harsh and terrible war with the Demon Race. After countless millennia, the human race was victorious."

"The territory of the human race covered the entire Myriad Emperor World; all five continents were then conquered. This was an unprecedented feat never done before, even to this day."

This time Yu Siyu nodded calmly. However, she was not that impressed given the fact that their entire world was conquered many times by powerful dynasties. Although these dynasties did not last long, they still accomplished a great deed that left their names engraved in the annals of history.

Yan Liling noticed Yu Siyu's lack of awe at such an amazing feat and could guess the reason.

"It seems you do not understand the meaning of such a thing, so let me further explain. Do you think that your world is big?"

Yu Siyu then nodded. She knew how big her world was. With her previous cultivation level, it would take her years to travel all over it. Even with her current realm, she would have to spend months traveling non-stop at full speed to be able to travel throughout the entire world.

After saying her nods her head, Yan Liling then continued:

"Well, I can honestly tell you that your entire world is probably the size of about 5-10 Domains in our world. And each of the 5 continents have 3000 Domains."

"And some Domains are actually huge in size. For example, the Heavenspan Domain that our Dao Opening Sect is located in is probably a few times larger than this world."

Yu Siyu looked at Yan Liling with her mouth wide open. She could not fathom how vast their world actually was. Not to mention the fact their world was actually one of the many Heaven Will World existing in the Endless Void.

Yu Siyu sighed and realized how insignificant she was in the grand scheme of the universe.

She sighed and realized that only by following and cultivating her own Dao or Path that she can find inner peace and fulfillment in her life.

After coming to this realization, Yu Siyu's state of mind was sublimated, her foundation was stabilized and her cultivation that had just breakthrough was further loosened.

Both Li Jun and Yan Liling noticed this change and were not surprised. Sometimes, low vision can be an obstacle for cultivators in their path of pursuing the Dao.

Of course, they also secretly praised Yu Siyu. Not all cultivators can accept it when their world views are shattered and rebuilt. Just the fact that she was able to accept such things so quickly and rebuild her views so quickly proceeded that she is a person with extraordinary willpower.

Li Jun cupped his hands together and said, "Congratulations Fellow Daoist Yu Siyu for being able to break through the shackles of the state of mind."

Then Yan Liling did the same thing as well.

Yu Siyu happily accepted their blessing with a smile on her face. After taking a brief moment to calm down, she continued to ask about the Human Emperor.

"After the Great Qin Dynasty conquered the world, the Human Emperor had enough luck to be able to fight equally against the Golden Ape Emperor--instead of just barely defending."

"However, immediately afterwards, the cultivators of that time faced a problem. Despite the fact the Human Emperor was equal to a Great Emperor in battle strength, he was still a Supreme Realm cultivator."

"After a few millions of years, his lifespan would eventually come to an end. Meanwhile, the Golden Ape Great Emperor was actually immortal, he could wait for the death of the Human Emperor before counter-attacking against the human race."

"Additionally, internal disputes started to happen inside the Great Qin Dynasty. The only reason that the cultivators banded together was to fight against the Golden Ape Emperor. As such, they refused for him to choose a successor from his children to inherit the throne."

"Not to mention the fact that it was debatable whether one of his descendants could bear the power of such tremendous amounts of luck. However, even if one could, what about their character?"

"The reason that the Human Emperor was chosen as the ruler of the Great Qin Dynasty was due to his strength, charisma, and noble character."

"Nonetheless, the other cultivators feared that the Human Emperor's descendants would be corrupted by power and became a tyrant that abused said power."

"At that time, some people suggested choosing the next Emperor based on other powerful cultivators in the world. However, no candidate could actually be chosen."

"Before the war with the Demon race, many of the sects and factions had enmity with each other, so they refused to let their enemies or competitors become more powerful than them."

Yan Liling then took a sip of tea to moisturize her throat. Then, she looked at Li Jun who seemed to be distracted thinking about something.

"During that time, the Great Qin Dynasty came close to destruction due to internal politics. However, the Human Emperor came up with another brilliant solution to the problem."

"He noticed that Heavenly Dao disliked the Golden Ape Emperor. Many of his methods were harmful to the world. As such, he suffered from countless Divine Punishment. However, the Golden Ape Emperor was too strong and simply ignored the punishment."

"Based on this fact, the Human Emperor decided to use the entire human's Qi luck as a medium to sacrifice to Heavenly Dao to create a Heaven Will. This was a crazy idea as all the cultivators in the world were aware of the fact that only one Heaven Will will appear in one generation, and the Golden Ape Emperor had already acquired it."

"To everyone's surprise, this method actually worked. A second Heaven Will appeared in one generation."

"Soon afterward, the Human Emperor proved the Dao and became a Great Emperor. In fact, even the title of Human Emperor was granted to him by Heavenly Dao itself."

Both Yan Liling and Yu Siyu sighed. Hearing this story felt like listening to a mythical story written solely for the purpose of entertainment. The Human Emperor sounded like the protagonist of a legendary tale.

"What happened after that? What happened to the Golden Ape Emperor and the Demon Race?" asked Yu Siyu.

"According to records, the Human Emperor had a fierce battle with the Golden Emperor after proving the Dao. In the end, he managed to kill the Golden Ape Emperor."

After hearing this, Yu Siyu gasped out loud as her world view was once again shattered. She just learned that the most powerful and noblest of beings--a Great Emperor--was actually killed.

Yu Siyu and all the cultivators of the world always pursued being a Great Emperor. Although all of them did not even know what a Great Emperor was--including Yu Siyu--until the Extraterrestrial Demon came to this world, they still imagined it as this being powerful beyond measure, beyond comprehension, beyond imagination.

And the way they described and imagined a Great Emperor was even proven to be true by these foreign cultivators. No, it was proven to be more than they believed.

However, Yu Siyu just learned that these powerful beings could actually be killed. How could she not be shocked?

However, after taking a few minutes to think about the situation, she realized that it made sense. Only a powerful cultivator on the same level could actually accomplish such a feat.

After taking a few minutes to calm down, she asked, "What happened to the Demon Race afterwards?"

"After the fall of the Golden Ape Emperor, the majority of human cultivators wanted to exterminate the Demon Race to prevent such tragedy from happening again."

"However, the Human Emperor disagreed. He argued that humans should not be the sole race in the world, that we need powerful competitors to keep us vigilant, otherwise, we will become prideful and arrogant, thus stop making progress. And the Demon Race was the perfect opponent for the human race."

"As such, instead of killing all of them, the Human Emperor banished the Demon Race into the weakest continent of the world, while leaving the other continents for humanity."

"However, the Human Emperor also did not want his race to face a similar situation in the future, so he took preventive measures. He sacrificed the entire luck of the Great Qin Dynasty--who at that time embodied the luck of the entire human race--and created a powerful formation."

"This formation known as the [Human Preservation Array] encircled the entire Myriad Emperor World and served only one purpose: to protect humans from powerful alien races in times of need."

"After the Human Emperor disappeared, each Emperor after him would further strengthen this formation, ensuring the protection of the human race. Of course that was until the Devil Era, but that's a completely different story."

Yu Siyu sighed as she pondered how vast and brilliant the world these people live in. Then, she remembered the promise that his majesty made to her disciple and was quite excited for the future.

After chatting with the two for a while, Yu Siyu arrived at her destination and left the Crawling Dragon Construct with a delightful smile on her face.

Chapter 115: Transcendent Dao Foundation

Yan Liling took notice of Li Jun's distraction midway through her narration, so, after Yu Siyu left, she asked him what he was thinking about so deeply that he was being so rude to a guess.

"Oh, I just suddenly remember the time me and big brother Wang Wei had to learn about the Human Emperor when we were young!"

"Did something interesting happen?" asked Yan Liling with an intriguing look on her face.

"Yes. At that time, our teacher asked us to write a paper about our understanding of the Human Emperor. All the kids in the class wrote about the glory and greatness of the Human Emperor--including me, however, big brother Wang Wei was not so flattering."

"I still remember the angry look on the teacher's face after hearing big brother Wang Wei's paper."

"Hahaha, he was so angry and wanted to reprimanded him, but he did not dare do so due to big brother Wang Wei' status."

"So, what did big brother Wang Wei write on his paper?" asked Yan Liling hurriedly.

"According to big brother Wang Wei, the Human Emperor was not as morally upright as people of later generation make him out to be. In his paper, he argued that the only reason that the Human Emperor created the [Human Preservation Array] was due to karma."

"Karma?"

"Yes. According to the big brother Wang Wei, although most Great Emperors should not be greatly affected by karma, things were different for the Human Emperor."

"As a person who only managed to prove the Dao by sacrificing the Luck of the entire human race, he was indefinitely bound to the human race and to the Myriad Emperor World through Karma."

"If the Human Emperor did not pay the karma he owed to the Myriad Emperor World, he would be stuck all his life as the protector or guardian of the world for all of his life."

"You mean similar to the Devil Emperors?" suddenly asked Yan Liling with a shocked look on her face.

"Exactly," said Li Jun before continuing.

"Big brother Wang Wei said that the Human Emperor used the [Human Preservation Array] to remove the binding that humanity's Qi Luck had on him and repay the karma he owed to our race and to the world."

"He even went as far as arguing that the reason that the Human Emperor did not want to exterminate the Demon Race was not because of the reason he argued, or at least, not the main reason."

"The real reason was that he needed a good reason to use humanity's Qi Luck to create the [Human Preservation Array]."

Yan Liling was more surprised by the article written by Wang Wei. However, the more she thought about it, the more reasonable she found it. After pondering for a while, she asked:

"It made sense given the fact that even his title was granted to him by Heavenly Dao itself. He is the only Great Emperor to have such an honor. However, why did big brother Wang Wei dislike the Human Emperor so much?"

"It's not that he disliked him, more like he was wary of him for some reasons. I remember that big brother was somewhat shocked when he learned that the Human Emperor chose the name "Qin" for the first Dynasty."

"During that time, he was obsessed with finding out the origin of the Human Emperor. He spent a lot of time in the sect's Tibetan Scripture Pavilion searching for information about the Human Emperor."

Yan Liling nodded and did not think too much about it. She knew that Wang Wei sometimes behaves weirdly. And just like Li Jun, she also knew that some geniuses have weird quirks compared to other people.

Suddenly, she asked, "Wait, from what I know, big brother Wang Wei was proven to be a genius at a very young age, so why was he in the same class as other children of the sect? Shouldn't he be studying by himself, or, asking a tutor to teach him personally?"

"Oh, that was because Aunt Yu Yan did not want big brother to become cold and arrogant. As such, he forced him to attend the sect's lessons together with the other children of different branches."

Yan Liling nodded, then the two of them started talking about different topics, then, they suddenly heard a voice.

"Attention to all passengers, the next stop 'Rainbow City' will arrive in about 30 breaths. Please prepare to descend the Crawling Dragon Construct."

After the voice repeated itself three times, it stopped. Immediately afterward, both Li Jun and Yan Liling got up and walked to the closest scale of the construct and waited.

Meanwhile, they overheard a conversation between a couple next to them.

"Why didn't you buy a permit for the Soaring Phoenix Construct instead?" asked the woman.

"Honey, competition has been fierce these days at work and I could not afford a Noble permit for the Soaring Phoenix Construct," responded the man.

"What about the Merchant permit?"

"I tried to buy one, but all the seats were already bought. And I knew that you did not like to travel in the Common aisle, so I could only do the next best thing and travel through land in the Crawling Dragon Construct."

After hearing her husband's explanation, the woman snorted at him and decided to ignore him for a while. Meanwhile, the man smiled wryly while scratching the back of his head.

After a few breaths, the construct stopped and the designated scales opened. Both Li Jun and Yan Liling smiled at the couple's conversation and descended while holding arms with each other.

After leaving the launching station, Li Jun looked at the brightly lit city in front of him and at the station behind him, he sighed and said:

"I'm going to miss all these new inventions when we return home."

"Well, you don't have to worry about transportation since we have teleportation formations back in our world. You can go anywhere instantly," replied Yan Liling.

"Do you think it is the same experience riding a Crawling Dragon Construct and teleporting instantly?"

Yan Liling did not say a word.

"Furthermore, you should understand that our daily life has been fundamentally changed and improved by big brother. It is not the same thing back in our world."

After being silent for a brief moment, Yan Liling then answered:

"Didn't big brother Wang Wei promise to bring back all these changes to the Domains controlled by our sect."

"Yes, that's true. But. I have a feeling that things will simply not be the same."

"You do not need to worry too much about such a thing," replied Yan Liling. "After all, we are cultivators. Only by being in-tune with nature, with Heaven and Earth, with the Dao can we walk further in our path."

Li Jun pondered her words, then nodded in agreement. Afterwards, the two of them went on a date throughout this beautiful city known for its wonderful sceneries.

Meanwhile, back in the palace, after the meeting, Wang Wei entered his cultivation room and activated all the formations.

He sat cross-legged and started cultivating.

On his Divine Altar, 365 Divine Veins could be seen perfectly carved; this means that Wang Wei had reached the peak of the Divine Altar Realm and was only one step from breaking into the Supernatural Realm.

Wang Wei looked at the divine veins on his altar and started thinking. As a person who cultivated an Emperor's Scripture, he cultivated a Dao Foundation.

To be precise, with the help of the [Origin Path Scripture], he cultivated the perfect Dao Foundation. From the information he has read back in the sect, all the other techniques that cultivated the Dao Foundation are not perfect.

After carving the 365th Divine Vein, a crack will appear on the cultivators' Divine Altar.

Many Emperor Lineage will have ways to fix that crack, but even after fixing it, it will still leave some marks--no matter how small it may be.

This symbolized the fact that nothing under Heaven and Earth is perfect--except maybe Heaven itself.

The only people that can achieve perfection are the ones blessed by Heavenly Dao, hence the reason that the [Origin Path Scripture] allowed cultivators to achieve perfection.

This was a reward by Heavenly Dao to Emperor Qiyuan when he spread the method of cultivation to the world; this was one of the merits granted to him.

Despite this, not all cultivators can actually achieve a perfect Dao Foundation after cultivating the [Origin Oath Scripture]. Certain talents are needed for that.

According to what Wang Wei knows, in the past few generations, only him, his father and Great Elder Yan Mei managed to cultivate a perfect Dao Foundation. Even his grandfather failed to accomplish such a thing.

As for Wang Wei, he was not satisfied with just having a perfect Dao Foundation and wanted something more, something better.

And he succeeded when he broke through the 13th Layer of the Body Refining Realm and had an ever-expanding Divine Sea.

As such, he called his foundation Transcendent Perfection or Transcendent Dao Foundation.

Now that he had entered the peak of the Divine Altar Realm, he began to ponder how to achieve such transcendence. Since he did not have a precedent to follow, Wang Wei had to create his own way.

After many years of contemplating, he found a method and decided to try it now. More importantly, he had a hunch that he would succeed.

Chapter 116: Soul

After contemplating for many years, Wang Wei decided to engrave Divine Veins not just into his Divine Altar, but also into his soul. If he succeeded, his control over spiritual qi would reach an unimaginable level and he could also guess that there would be further benefit when he entered the Primordial Spirit Realm.

However, there was still a problem that needed to be solved: How to gain access to the soul.

Only cultivators who have opened their Niwan Aperture and have their own Sea of Consciousness can have easy access to their souls. And only in the Supernatural Realm did cultivators open up their Niwan Aperture.

However, this problem was not so difficult for Wang Wei. As a person who knows how it feels like to live solely in the form of the soul, he has a great deal of understanding about it.

As such, Wang Wei closed his eyes and concentrated. He imagined himself before he was reincarnated back on Earth, when his body was destroyed and he was left with only a soul floating in the vast and limitless space.

After an unknown amount of time, Wang Wei found himself in a small and dark space. In the middle of the space was a cloud-like fluffy thing floating there.

Instinctively, he knew that this was his soul.

After close examination, he discovered to his surprise that his soul was actually purple with a few grey outlines around the edges. According to the information he learned, souls are usually white as a symbol that all beings are innately pure and good.

A soul can also change color. For example a red and dark soul represents that a person has committed countless sins and is heavily entangled by Karma.

There are soul cultivating methods that also turn the soul into a different color. However, the color is usually golden.

As for a purple colored soul, he has never heard of it. He guessed that the grey outlines had to do with his Fate Puppeteer Physique or the Fragment of Fate Law, but he was clueless for the purple color.

Suddenly, Wang Wei remembered how the clone of the Battle Maniac Emperor once said that his soul had the quality of Paragon. Maybe that is the reason for his soul being purple.

After scanning his memory again, Wang Wei realized that his soul started to change color when he absorbed all the blue lights that were floating in the endless void when he was swallowed by the space crack back on Earth.

At that time he was so focused on reaching the next blue spot that he did not really pay attention to this detail.

Wang Wei secretly blamed himself for how much of an idiot he was for not realizing that these blue spots were extraordinary and that his soul was probably more mysterious and enigmatic than he previously thought.

According to knowledge he knows about the soul, an ordinary mortal's soul cannot last long after leaving the body. The soul is yin in nature, while the sun is yang in nature. If a soul were to touch the yang sun, it would be obliterated immediately.

Not to mention the fact that the soul needs energy or nutrients to sustain itself, which the body provides.

Only cultivators' souls in the Primordial Spirit Realm can sustain themselves without the need of a body. And that is only because at that time, the soul has transformed into a Primordial Spirit.

However, even then, the soul or primordial spirit can only last a few months before fading away, unless other measures are taken.

Only cultivators in the Saint Realm can actually abandon their bodies and survive only as a soul entity.

As for Wang Wei, he could tell that he spent a very long time floating in space or void after being swallowed by that space crack.

It was only after reviewing his memory that Wang Wei realized that he might have spent eons floating in that endless void. And only his will and desire for survival that made him ignore the passage of time, otherwise, he might have been driven crazy before he reached his destination.

And those blue spots not only provided Wang Wei's soul with a terrible amount of lifespan, but also strength to be able to exist in such a terrible environment for such an extended period of time.

And it seems that the blue spots also provided his soul with an incomparable quantity and quality,

After pondering these things, Wang Wei suddenly stopped as he noticed something odd or different about his soul.

So, he went back to his memories again and checked right before he entered the bright light, right before he reincarnated in the Myriad Emperor World.

He realized that his cloud-like soul was actually massive in size--especially when compared to the current size of his soul now. It was almost like comparing planet Earth with the size of the Milky Way Galaxy.

After frowning for a while, he guessed that most of his soul had probably decreased in quantity after going through the process of reincarnation. Or even better, this might be the reason that he kept the memories from his past life.

Wang Wei theorized that he himself might have decided to sacrifice the quantity of his soul in order to retain the memories from his past life. Unfortunately, he could not remember anything after entering the bright light.

'Well, luckily, my soul's quality still remained,' thought Wang Wei after sighing for a while at his tremendous luck.

In fact, Wang Wei was not that sad about this loss despite what he said. There is a clear correlation between the soul and the body. As strong as one is, the other has to be strong enough to bear the other.

If Wang Wei was born with such a powerful soul, his body would not be able to bear it and cause him a great deal of trouble. Of course, his soul would slowly strengthen his body until he can actually carry it, just like a strong body will strengthen the soul.

However, in the process, Wang Wei would probably be quite miserable. With such a powerful soul, his body and mind would not be able to function properly and he would be labeled as intellectually disable.

And with how strong his soul was, it would have taken thousands upon thousands of years to strengthen his body to the level that he could function properly. And that's just a mild estimate.

After taking a deep breath to calm himself down, Wang Wei began the process he needed to do in the first place.

With a sudden thought, he began to engraved Divine Veins on his soul, just like he did on his Divine Altar.

Of course he did not inscribe random veins on his soul. No, as he was aware of the fact that Divine Veins will in fact be combined together into Origin Pattern on the Ancient Lamps in the Supernatural Realm, he organized his Soul Divine Veins to perfectly fit or connect with the ones in his Divine Altar.

After engraving another 355 Veins on his soul, Wang Wei stopped as he realized that any further one served no benefit to him and would be just a waste of time.

Any more veins would affect the creation of his Origin Pattern and also provide no further increase in strength.

After finishing his engraving, both the Divine Veins in his soul and his Divine Altar shined together, and a profound connection was formed between them.

Wang Wei opened his eyes and he saw the world completely different from before. For one thing, he could physically see spiritual qi floating and dancing in the air with his eyes.

The spiritual qi seemed to be alive and noticed Wang Wei's presence and flew towards him and entered his body without him even asking.

He felt that he had a tremendous affinity with spiritual qi. And with this affinity came a terrifying control.

In order to test his theory, Wang Wei secretly left the palace to an inhabited mountain. He activated all his 720 Divine Veins and controlled the spiritual qi around him.

Instantly, Wang Wei flew straight into the sky with steadiness and without pause. And his speed was actually quite fast.

Although he could not actually reach Mach 1 like Supernatural Realm cultivators, he could still fight properly in the air. Furthermore, compared to how he almost fell from the air due to low spiritual qi when he first tried to fly in this world, the process was too easy this time.

Without hesitation, Wang Wei flew straight through the sky, almost reaching the stratosphere, then he looked at the world under his feet.

At this height, Wang Wei could see the entire world, from one end to another. He could see how this world was actually a piece of land surrounded by ocean that defies the fundamental laws of gravity.

And unlike the Myriad Emperor World, this world did not have a barrier to protect it, but Wang Wei could see a powerful formation at the end of the world that cut off the world from the Endless Void.

After sighing for a while at how mysterious the world of cultivation works, Wang Wei returned to the palace. He wanted to know how long his seclusion took and deal with future plans.

Chapter 117: The Big Threes Response

While Wang Wei was in retreat to create his Transcendent Dao Foundation, many of the other Heaven Chosen of this trial took notice when a new fortune dynasty was created.

Great Zhou Dynasty, Royal Palace.

Ji Song wore a yellow dragon robe with a crown on his head. His muscular body and hard face emanate a powerful and bloody aura.

He was sitting on a chair carved with dragons when he suddenly felt a change occurred in the Eastern Region. He connected to the luck of his dynasty and watched how the Great Xia Dynasty was founded with tremendous amounts of luck.

He clenched his teeth so hard that the dragon throne he sat on was deformed, and through gritted teeth, he said, "Wang Wei!!"

Immediately afterward, a terrible killing intent enveloped the entire meeting room. Many officials thought they had done something wrong and immediately knelt in the ground asking for forgiveness.

All of them except one: First Prince Ji Su. Or in this case, Prime Minister Ji Su.

After seeing his younger brother's reaction, he guessed what happened and said out loud:

"Your majesty, calm down."

His voice contained a little bit of his spiritual power and Ji Song immediately came back to his senses, thus removing his killing intent. However, this was just on the surface.

Deep in his eyes, the killing intent was so intense that it wanted to devour not just his enemy, but himself as well.

Ji Su also noticed this and he frowned. He could tell that his brother's situation right now was not ideal. If he continues like this, he most likely will develop Heart Demon towards Wang Wei.

After seeing his younger brother calm down, Ji Su then said, "Are you calm now?"

Ji Song just nodded.

"Then we can prepare for our next expedition: the Great Wu Dynasty."

"Why not attack the Great Xia Dynasty? They have just become a dynasty and are still weak. It is the perfect time to attack and destroy them!" responded Ji Song with boundless blood lust in his eyes.

"Song'er," responded Ji Su in an informal manner. "This is not the time to make decisions based on your personal vendetta."

"The Great Xia Dynasty is located all the way east from the three central dynasties. Do you know how many kingdoms and dynasties are between us and them?"

"How long do you think it will take to reach there with our armies? Can you guarantee that the other dynasties will not take advantage of us marching eastward to sneak attacks in the back? You need to set your priority straight and remember the main reason that we came here."

"As for Sacred Son Wang Wei, you will have your opportunity for revenge. Now, focus on our attack against the Great Wu Dynasty."

After hearing his brother's words, Ji Song took a deep breath to relax and nodded in agreement. Meanwhile, all the ministers on the floor secretly sighed in relief.

Although his majesty is often both brave and wise militaristically and politically, sometimes, he can become rash and stubborn to an abnormal level--especially when it comes to things related to the former Eastern Rain Kingdom.

During those times, it is up to the Prime Minister to talk some reason to his majesty, otherwise, no one can stop him from acting the way he wants.

After seeing his brother regain his bearing, Ji Su secretly sighed in relief. In fact, he lied to his brother. Or to be exact, he did not tell him the whole truth.

The reason that he did not want his brother to attack the Great Xia Dynasty was due to the fact he feared that his brother might lose again. As such, he wanted his brother to conquer the easier Great Wu Dynasty.

With the vast territory of both dynasties, he can absorb enough luck for him to reach purple-gold. After that, even if his brother lost against Sacred Son Wang Wei, he will not fail this trial.

Although it would be ideal if his brother could absorb luck after conquering the entire world, thus resulting in his Qi Luck reaching peak Purple-Gold. However, he is just fine with just his luck breaking through purple-gold from peak purple.

With the foundation of their Great Zhou Imperial Dynasty, they can still help his brother further increase his luck by sacrificing a certain price.

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Great Shu Dynasty, a Taoist Temple.

Many ministers of the dynasty were reporting to a young handsome man named Feng Heng, who was wearing a Taoist robe with a yin-yang symbol all over it.

"National Teacher, over the past decade, more than 300 hundred temples have been created all over our territory."

"We have also taught the people on how to read and recite scriptures, and to go to the temples and seek enlightenment."

"However, the people seemed determined to pray and offer incense despite the law we passed down."

After hearing this, Feng Heng frowned and started thinking deeply. The sect has strict regulation for not accepting incense and faith. Anyone who breaks this rule will be severely disciplined. Then, he suddenly remember that his teacher told him that it was alright, he said:

"As long as they do not interfere with the operation of the temples, just leave them be."

After that, a brief meeting about the situation of the dynasty took place before all the ministers left the temple.

Immediately afterwards, Feng Heng noticed something in the east and used the luck of the Great Shu Dynasty to observe.

"Great Xia Dynasty," he muttered with a pensive look on his face.

Meanwhile, after leaving, some of the higher officials started talking to themselves.

"Ever since National Teacher Feng Heng arrived, our workload has decreased dramatically. As long as we do the bare minimum and ensure the safety and livelihood of the common people, everything else is fine."

"You are totally right. Not just us have changed, even his majesty has greatly changed. He is no longer so ruthless, brutal and cold."

"Hey, during those times, I woke up not knowing whether I would return home to see my family again."

"I remember that Xia Zhan was whipped to death for objecting to his majesty for wanting to increase his harem by another 10,000 concubines."

"Shh, do not talk about his majesty behind his back like this."

"You do not need to worry. His majesty has entered seclusion in order to fully become a taoist monk. He has not attended an official meeting for more than 5 years now."

"Hopefully, things remained this way forever."

After that person said this, all the other officials laughed out loud, then secretly looked around them to see if anyone was watching them before hurrying to go home.

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Great Wu Dynasty, Imperial Palace.

Sun Wen was sitting on his dragon throne with a look of pride and arrogance, like everything and everyone was under his control.

Sun Wen, with a majestic voice, asked, "What was the result?"

One official stepped up and answered, "The nobles have accepted your majesty's bargaining. They will each choose a beautiful daughter from their main branch and send them to the palace."

"However...They demanded that his majesty sign a Soul Contract before they could fulfill their end of the deal."

Sun Wen frowned after hearing this, then waved his hand. Immediately afterward, someone handed the contract to him.

After taking more than one hour reviewing every inch of the contract, he smiled happily and signed it with his blood.

After that, the court meeting was over and all the officials left the room, leaving only one person: Third Prince Su Jiaolong--who is currently known as the Legion Commander of the Great Wu Dynasty.

"Big brother, why do you have to play with these nobles like this?" asked Sun Jiaolong. "We have already determined that the previous monarch killed all the Supernatural Realm cultivators of the noble family. We could have just killed all of them."

"My little brother, you do not understand the intricacies of politics. Look with just a few minor promises, the nobles of the dynasty have handed over to me all the military and political power in their hands," replied Sun Wen with a cunning look in his face.

"What's more, I did all of this without shedding a single drop of blood or wasting any resources for military deployment. This is a great achievement."

"But big brother, aren't you worried that the nobles will betray you in the future?"

"Of course not. I have already sent people to secretly infiltrate these noble families and spy on them. Additionally, as long as the political power of the dynasty enters my hand, it will only be a matter of time before I have total and absolute control over the entire dynasty."

Looking at the prideful look on his big brother's face, Sun Jiaolong secretly shook his head. From experience, he knew how these nobles thought. Without placing the fear of Heaven on them, they will do absolutely anything for power.

The so-called 'handing of power' is probably nothing but doing so in public, while secretly controlling the dynasty under his big brother's nose.

Even if his big brother replaced all the high levels of the dynasty, how does he know the people he replaced them with are actually loyal to him?

In the past 10 years or more, instead of cultivating loyal subordinates for himself, his big brother has just been promising people with benefits from their worlds in order to rally people to support him.

In fact, this method should be fine, but, knowing his big brother, Sun Jiaolong realized that there is a high chance that these are just empty promises.

And, couldn't these old foxes of this world--that spent their entire life in the court--tell what kind of person his big brother was?

It seemed to Sun Jiaolong that his big brother had gravely underestimated the wisdom of the people of this world. Just because they are weak does not mean that they are not intelligent.

After sighing for a while, Sun Jiaolong then asked, "Then, big brother, are you ready to fight the Heaven Chosen of the other factions? Now that the Great Xia Dynasty has been established, all the major players should be ready to fight on the big stage?"

After hearing his little brother's words, Sun Wen looked at him with weird eyes, then shook his head.

"Little brother, this is the reason that I say you are not tactically minded. Why should I fight with them personally?"

"Big brother, what do you mean?"

"Before coming to this trial, I have secretly contacted the Death Order Palace and formed an alliance with them," responded Sun Wen with a devilish smile on his face.

However, Sun Jiaolong on the other end, was frowning after hearing this. As such, he asked. "Doesn't that violate the unwritten rule of not secretly assassinating each other's Heaven Chosen?"

"If the person doing the assassination belong to the younger generation, then, of course it does not violate the unwritten rule," replied Sun Wen with a smirk look on his face.

After this, Sun Jiaolong sighed and left the courtroom heading back to his own Manor.

Afterward, Sun Jiaolong sat cross-legged and started pondering the situation of the Great Wu Imperial Dynasty.

As a matter of fact, their dynasty is currently in dire straits.

Their imperial dynasty has cultivated four Great Emperors, but one of the biggest hidden secrets of the dynasty is the fact that only the founding emperor of their dynasty was actually a True Great Emperor.

All the other three were in fact Pseudo-Emperors. Which means that despite having acquired the Heaven Will, their Dao Hearts were not strong enough to bear it.

As such, these Pseudo-Emperors are even weaker than the weakest of True Emperors. As a matter of fact, even the Emperor Scripture that they created is in fact incomplete.

So, technically speaking, the Great Wu Imperial Dynasty only has one Emperor Scripture.

Sun Jiaolong knew that the reason for this situation is due to the fact their dynasty places too much emphasis on using schemes and plots.

In any situation, the first instinct of their people is to use schemes to kill their enemies. And if that does not work, then they will fight. And if the enemy proved to be more powerful than them, then they would run away or strategically retreat.

Many of the people of the dynasty noticed this problem and ought to change; they believed that in the future, the people of the dynasty should behave more bravely and upfront, just like the Martial Great Emperor, the first emperor of their dynasty.

However, the majority of people disagreed. They argued based on the fact that their own way has produced more than 3 Great Emperors. Additionally, according to these people, a Pseudo-Emperor is still an Emperor.

Due to different ideologies, two different factions have thus formed inside the Great Wu Imperial Dynasty, constantly fighting and competing with each other.

After thinking about these things, Sun Jiaolong sighed and took out a sword from his space ring.

The sword looked dull and rusted, like it would be broken or fall apart the next moment.

On the sword, the character for "Human" was inscribed vividly on it. After looking at the character, a fierce light flashed across Sun Jiaolong's eyes as he had just made a very important decision.

"I'm sorry, but, this is all for the future of the Great Wu Dynasty." muttered Sun Jiaolong under his breath.

Chapter 118: Preparations

When Wang Wei returned back to the palace, he was happy and relieved to discover that only half a month had passed during his retreat. As such, he immediately called a court meeting.

Inside the meeting hall, all the ministers looked at Wang Wei sitting on the dragon throne. All of them had awe on their faces as they could feel that his majesty was even more powerful than half a month ago.

All of them wondered when cultivation became so easy. Of course these people did not know that the reason that Wang Wei took so little time for his breakthrough was first due to his powerful soul.

Second, it was because his cultivation room was the center or "eye" of the Dragon Vein that ran throughout the entire dynasty's capital.

The Dragon Vein is actually a special kind of spiritual qi vein necessary for creating a fortune dynasty, while other spiritual veins are mainly used for places of cultivation. The more spiritual veins a place has, the more spiritual qi that said place contains.

On the other end, without a place with a dragon vein, it is impossible to create a fortunate dynasty. This is one reason that Wang Wei had to wait until he conquered the capital before establishing his own dynasty.

Meanwhile, during the court meeting, Wang Wei took a while to review all that happened during his retreat. After a few minutes, he said, "So, we are ready to start expanding our territories?"

"Absolutely," answered Grand Commandant Li Jun. "Your Majesty, you can just give the order and our army will respond immediately."

Wang Wei nodded and looked at one of his ministers, "What about the officials needed to take over different cities and states after our conquest? Is there enough people available?"

The official--who was part of the cabinet as the Minister of Education--stepped forward and said, "Yes, according to your orders, we have trained copious amounts of scholars that are knowledgeable in government politics and management. However, your majesty, the majority of them do not have any actual experience."

"Hmph, what do you mean not enough experience! Didn't you send them to different small villages around our territory to learn and experience proper management?" answered another member of the cabinet, the Minister of Finance.

"How can a few villages compare to governing a city, county or even state," retorted the Minister of Education.

"Well, all I know is that you people in the Education Department are responsible for a quarter of the entire dynasty's spending in the last two years. I do not know what kind of plan you have, all I can say is that we do not have any money for it."

After saying that, the Minister of Finance snorted coldly, while the Minister of Education looked at him like he was the enemy that killed his family. If it was outside, there is a high chance that these two people would fight with each other.

Upon seeing the tense atmosphere of these two people, someone finally said something: it was the Empress, Dong Lifan.

"Minister of Finance, there is no need to worry about the treasury of the dynasty. With the rapid expansion of our territories, there will be countless wealth coming our way."

"As for you, Minister of Education, after our territories expand, you can send the reserved officials to their post immediately, however, after a few months, a reviewer can be sent to examine how well they are doing their jobs."

"The one who did a good job can stay at their post, while the ones who fail can have their salary decreased and given a warning. After three warnings, these people can be sent back to the Academy as teachers."

After hearing this, both ministers snorted at each other while nodding to the Empress. Although they do not like her, they have to admit that she is quite politically savvy.

Many people did not like it when his majesty broke convention two years ago and allowed the Empress to hold power in the court.

Although there have been many female rulers in this world, the idea that only male can be Emperor has been ingrained on the bones and soul of the majority of people of this world--especially scholars.

However, seeing that Wang Wei did not care about their rejection, and Dong Lifan had proven numerous times that she is capable, they still showed her some modicum of respect.

After seeing that the problem had been resolved without his interference, Wang Wei smiled and said, "The Empress' decision is correct. The next few years, Great Xia will be in a state of constant war and conquest. There will be no time to allow people to slowly adapt."

After saying this, he looked at the Minister of Agriculture and asked, "Do we have enough grains for our military exploit?"

"Yes, your majesty. There is enough grain for more than five years of constant fighting without affecting the lives of the people. Moreover, we have enough reserve to feed the entire dynasty for 2 years in case an emergency were to happen."

After that, Wang Wei looked at Chancellor Yan Liling, who also reported her preparation.

"There are plenty of pills refined by the Alchemy Hall. However, the pills are not enough for all the soldiers to use, only the officers with a certain rank. Furthermore, with constant refining over the past two years, the majority of spiritual medicine is almost all used."

"As you know, it takes a long time for spiritual medicines to grow, unlike normal ones. However, the shortage should also be relieved after we conquer a few more kingdoms."

Wang Wei secretly nodded as he could always count on his team when it comes to doing things properly. The next person he looked at was the Head of the Refiner Hall.

After seeing the gaze that locked him in, the Head of the Refiner Hall smiled wryly and said:

"Your majesty, our situation in the Refiner Hall is actually more dire than the Alchemy Hall. Due to the fact that we publicized puppet constructs and origins artifacts during the past two years, the entire dynasty is in great need of all kinds of spiritual materials."

"Whether it is woods, metals, or rocks. We overused most of the spiritual ores that we had available in construction. I hope that when the Grand Commandant conquers the first kingdom that he placed more emphasis on these materials first and sent it back to us in order to relieve our pressure in the Refiner Hall."

Li Jun nodded after hearing this, which made the Head of the Refiner Hall quite happy to the ire and envy of the other officials. However, both Li Jun and Wang Wei ignored these people.

Afterwards, Wang Wei asked Grand Censorate Wang Ju, "Did Su Ai manage to infiltrate the Great Shu Dynasty?"

"Yes, Miss Su Ai did succeed in her infiltration," replied Wang Ju calmly. "However, things seemed more complex than previously anticipated."

"Oh, how so?"

"His majesty, according to the information we received, taoism has greatly developed throughout the entire Great Shu Dynasty. As taoism focused on being pure and indifferent, not a lot of people are in fact interested in attending brothels."

"As such, our source of information is greatly reduced. What's even worse is the fact that the Emperor of the Great Shu Dynasty has denounced worldly affairs and entered seclusion to become a taoist monk."

"From then on, all the court meetings took place in a Taoist Temple habited by one of your majesty's peers. Our agents dare not enter the temple."

"Furthermore, the officials of the Great Shu Dynasty have a great deal of respect for him, so, they do not easily speak about him in public or in private. However, we did get some information."

"His name is Feng Heng and he is the Dao Child of the Taiyi Profound Gate."

Wang Wei looked pensive after hearing this news. He was not surprised by the fact that this person was from the Taiyi Profound Gate as he had already guessed such.

The Taiyi Profound Gate is a pure taoist sect in the Myriad Emperor World who has cultivated 7 Great Emperors. Their founder, the Absolute Beginning Great Emperor is considered one of the greatest Emperors ever cultivated in the Myriad Emperor World.

However, the reason he paid so much attention to this Heaven Chosen was not because of his background, but because he always felt there was something wrong with this guy.

Despite only meeting once through the Luck Dragon of the Great Shu Dynasty, he always had a weird feeling towards this guy.

After pondering for a few seconds, Wang Wei then asked, "Anything else?"

"Yes," answered Wang Ju before continuing. "A few days ago, we received news that a delegate from the Great Zhou Dynasty was heading towards the Great Shu Dynasty."

"However, we currently do not know the reason for such a visit. Many of my subordinates theorized that Crown Prince Ji Song wanted to form an alliance, however, given the arrogance of each Heaven Chosen, this is very unlikely."

Wang Wei nodded in agreement with Wang Ju. With the pride of these people, even if they decided to form an alliance, they will first fight for who is the leader of said alliance.

After Wang Ju finished her report, it was Li Jun's turn next. He waved his hand and a military map appeared in the middle of the court room; it was similar to a 3D Hologram.

Then, he started to explain his marching strategy.

Chapter 119: Outward Expansion

After Li Jun projected the map of the entire world, he waved his hand to zoom on the Eastern Borders where the Great Xia Dynasty is located. Then, he started to explain his deployment tactic.

"Our first goal of attack is going to be the territory of the Black Moon Sect. As the territory does not have an actual army protecting it, I plan to take an elite group of soldiers to directly attack their sect's mountain. Then, it will be easy for us to occupy their territory."

After that, Li Jun controlled the map to show the territories of the Iron Fist Kingdom, and he said:

"When it comes to this kingdom, the plan is to invite the king of this kingdom to a one-on-one duel. The winner will be granted access to the other's territory. Given the madness of the Iron Fist King, there is a high chance that he will accept our invitation."

"As for the Barbarian Wolf Kingdom, we will attack from their northern border through boats. Then move south until we reach their capital."

Wang Wei nodded after hearing the plan as he had the utmost trust in Li Jun, but he still had to ask, "What if the Iron Fist King refused your invitation?"

Li Jun smiled and answered, "Then, we will use a three-pronged attack to conquer them. As you can see, the Iron Fist Kingdom is sandwiched between four nations."

"Northward is the Barbarian Wolf Kingdom, Southward is the Black Moon Sect's territory, and Eastward is our Great Xia Dynasty."

"If he refuses our invitation, I will just wait until our legions conquer both the Black Moon Sect and the Barbarian Wolf Kingdom, then we will attack them from all three sides."

All the ministers in the room nodded in agreement to the Grand Commandant's plan. Suddenly, Wang Wei said, "If the Iron Fist King accepts the invitation, after his defeat, do not immediately kill him and ask him if he wants to surrender to me."

Li Jun was a little surprised by the request, then he understood the reason. The Iron Fist King is actually a very charismatic person. As a king, he persuaded his entire kingdom to be as mad as him and indulge in the act of war as a form of pleasure.

Although the Iron Fist King is actually a terrible ruler, he would make a terrifying general if leading an army of his own. Especially if he is provided with the resources of the Dao Opening Sect.

Li Jun became excited after thinking about this possibility. At first, he was going to let one of his Number Generals to fight the Iron Fist King because they had already broken through the Divine Altar Realm, but now, he changed his mind.

Li Jun then nodded in excitement, then finished his military briefing. Soon afterward, the official court meeting was over and everyone left--with the exception of Empress Dong Lifen.

Wang Wei did not waste time and took out the Conferred God List and the Imperial Seal, placing the seal over the Empress Title, thus handing over the control of the dynasty's Qi Luck Dragon to Dong Lifen.

Under the help of Wang Wei, Dong Lifen's orange Qi Dragon blended with the dynasty's luck and started studying it.

In fact, Wang Wei was not surprised that Dong Lifen had an orange Dragon for luck given her talent. As a matter of fact, if she was born in the Myriad Emperor World, her luck would have probably rival his and all the other Heaven Chosen fit to fight for the Heaven Mandate.

Wang Wei guessed that if Dong Lifen returned to the Myriad Emperor World with him, the Eternal Dream Sect will offer the Dao Opening Sect a bunch of rare resources in order to acquire her.

That's how valuable her Dream Manifestation Soul talent was.

While Dong Lifen was engrossed by the power of luck, a grey light flashed through Wang Wei's eyes, then his soul secretly connected with Dong Lifen. Then, he started to experience how she connected, controlled, and understood the Dynasty's Luck.

Dong Lifen suddenly felt something weird, however, after checking and not finding anything, she left the doubt in the back of her mind.

She finally found a way to establish a Dao Foundation, she did not want to waste time on meaningless things.

After a few hours of studying, Dong Lifen's spirit was worn out and Wang Wei removed her connection to the dynasty's luck.

With a smile on her face, the Empress bowed to Wang Wei, then returned to her palace with a smile on her face.

Meanwhile, Wang Wei closed his eyes on the throne for a few hours after Don Lifan left. When he opened his eyes, he checked his own Qi Dragon.

The dragon was still black, however, under its neck, a few scales had turned back to purple. Wang Wei had a wide smile on his face.

It seemed that his plan was working better than he imagined. Of course, most of the credits should be given to how talented Dong Lifan actually is.

Meanwhile, Li Jun only took a few horse to travel from the capital all the way to the borders.

After arriving, he met with General 3, who was waiting for him. He directly asked, "Is everything ready for deployment?"

"Yes, Grand Commandant."

Li Jun nodded, then headed outside the barracks. There, he saw a gigantic wooden phoenix construct waiting for him. This was a Soaring Phoenix Construct especially built for the military.

Many soldiers carried their armors and weapons, then boarded inside the puppet construct. After all the soldiers boarded, Li Jun then entered.

Soon afterward, one of the soldiers located in the beak of the phoenix bit his tongue to drop his blood on a formation, then he poured his origin qi in another place, then countless runes and patterns enveloped the construct.

Unlike constructs used for civilians that operate on origin stone for energy to function, the ones in the military used origin qi instead.

After the soldier finished pouring his origin qi, the phoenix construct flapped its wings and flew into the air. After checking that everything was working normally, Li Jun yelled, "Activate the Invisible Array."

After hearing the order, the soldier located at the beak also poured his origin qi into another formation.

Following which, countless divine runes further appeared all over the Soaring Phoenix Construct, then it disappeared from the air. No, to be precise, it became invisible to the naked eyes.

Then the Soaring Phoenix Construct rushed in a certain direction.

In fact, it was not just Li Jun that was ordered to be dispatched.

A legion composed of General 2, 4 and 5 took many boats heading to the northern side of the Barbarian Wolf Kingdom. Their mission was to use the fastest speed possible to conquer this kingdom.

Meanwhile, after traveling for a few hours, the construct reached the mountain where the Black Moon Sect was located. Li Jun then ordered his man to surround the entire sect, not leaving any opening for people to escape.

Then, Li Jun mobilized his origin qi and shouted, "The people of the Black Moon Sect, you are surrounded by the elite army of the Great Xia Dynasty. If you lay down your weapons, and allow your cultivation to be sealed, then you will be spared and treated as normal citizens of the dynasty."

"If you resist, then your sect will be annihilated without hesitation. I can swear in the name of His Majesty the Wise Sage, Wang Wei."

Li Jun's voice travelled throughout the entire mountain range, scaring all the disciples and elders of the sect.

In fact, Li Jun wanted to directly attract and use force to make these people surrender. However, he could feel that this mountain was separated by a formation that would activate as soon as intruders reached a certain range.

However, he was not to hurry as he had already prepared for such a scenario.

Meanwhile, the people of the Black Moon Sect were freaking out after hearing Li Jun's voice. As such, a meeting of the sect's upper echelon took place.

The Sect Lord and Elders were discussing whether to fight with their lives or just surrender like the people of the Great Xia demanded.

One elder directly asked, "How did the Great Xia Dynasty's army arrive in our territory without us even noticing them?"

"It must be one of the flying constructs that they have invented in the past two years!"

"It is such a waste to use such powerful origin artifacts for ordinary mortals."

"Well, it seems that these constructs can also be used for the army. If only our spies could have gotten the manuals for these constructs, our Black Moon Sect would soon become one of the most powerful sects in the world."

"All of you are focusing on the wrong thing! What should we do now? Should we fight back, or surrender?"

"If we surrender, can anyone guarantee that the people of the Great Xia Dynasty will keep their promise?" asked one elder.

Immediately afterward, the room became quiet, until someone else's responded:

"Given the information we have gathered on the Wise Sage Emperor, he will most likely keep his words."

"In that case, let's just surrender."

"I agree."

"Me too."

Then, the majority of the elders decided to surrender. However, the Sect Lord was not willing to give up so easily.

"There is still hope for us, so there is no need to surrender so soon."

All the elders then looked at the sect lord with a puzzled look on their faces. They did not know where the so-called hope came from. They did not believe for one second that their sect's formation would be able to stop the people of Great Xia.

"We can wake up the Ancestor," responded the Sect Lord to the surprise of everyone in the room. To their knowledge, the Ancestor has long passed away.

However, it seemed that things were not as simple as they were led to believe. Immediately afterwards, an intense excitement flashed from these elder's eyes.

Maybe, there is still hope for their Black Moon Sect.

Chapter 120: Modern War

A few minutes after Li Jun's warning, the sect's array was activated by someone in the inside, following which, a woman flew from the depth of the sect. In just a few seconds, he appeared above the elite army of the Great Xia Dynasty.

However, Li Jun was not that surprised by the fact that a Supernatural Realm cultivator existed among the Black Moon Sect.

As soon as he saw someone flying over his head, he gave an order to his men. Then, each of the 10,000 elite soldiers that he brought with him moved in different directions.

They all mobilized both their blood qi and origin qi, the countless runes and patterns flew from them and connected together. An array was then instantly formed by all the soldiers.

Immediately afterwards, the Ancestor of the Black Moon Sect discovered to her horror that she lost the ability to fly, and fell to the ground. Luckily for her, she was quite powerful and landed safely.

Seeing the situation she was in, the Black Moon Ancestor immediately waved her hand and an ancient lamp appeared in front of her that had a two-colored fire burning on top of it.

As for Li Jun, he smiled after seeing that the formation worked. The Great Xia Dynasty has used numerous resources in order to create this formation that prevents Supernatural Realm cultivators from flying.

Now, it was finally placed into use by the military. After grounding the enemy, Li Jun took his spear and readied himself for battle.

Meanwhile, back in the Barbarian Wolf Kingdom, General 2, 4 and 5 had already landed after traveling a few hours by boat. After taking time for the soldiers to rest, they headed to the nearest city and attacked.

General 2 took out 5 constructs from a space ring gifted to him by the Grand Commandant just for this invasion: these constructs were Soaring Phoenix Constructs.

Under the guidance of all three Generals, each phoenix construct was occupied by more than 20,000 soldiers. After entering invisible mode, the Soaring Phoenix Constructs flew to the closest city.

After arriving at the city, the army waited for night to arrive. Then, under the order of General 2, a special team of soldiers jumped down from one of the constructs.

This team was wearing a very special armor that allows them to blend into Heaven and Earth and remain invisible. After landing inside the city, the special team of soldiers divided themselves into two groups.

One group headed to the city's wall, while the other headed straight for the City Lord's Mansion. As the Fate's Shadow under Grand Censorate Wang Ju had already acquired a map of all the major cities in the Barbarian Wolf Kingdom, this special team had detailed information about the entire city.

After one group reached the city walls, they attacked and killed all the guards there. Then, they opened the door for the rest of General 2's army.

As for the other group, they also infiltrated the City Lord's Mansion and started killing all the guards.

City Lord Qiu Jing woke up to the sound of screaming. Without waiting for him to properly dress himself, he rushed to his study room while ignoring his wife.

Immediately, he tried to activate a hidden formation that would allow him to communicate to the capital and asked for help. Unfortunately for him, there seemed to be something blocking his use of the Flying Pigeon Hex.

Qiu Jing sighed after seeing this, then he sat on a chair waiting for something.

After a few minutes, the noise outside of his Mansion stopped, then he saw a young man leading a group of soldiers wearing deep dark armors. These armors seemed to be the same as the darkness, making it hard for the City Lord to distinguish whether there were even other people beyond the young man.

General 4 looked at City Lord Qiu Jing and waved for one of his men to capture him and his family. Afterwards, he sat on the chair and waited for his companions to finish their jobs.

And Just like that, in just a few hours, this entire city was occupied as swiftly as possible.

After the Great Xia Army entered the city, they arrested all the available soldiers capable of fighting and imprisoned them, then they took over the entire city.

General 2 ordered that a few soldiers remain in the city in order to wait for the people from the Great Xia Dynasty.

There were countless scholars and government officials located in the boat that were on their way to come govern the city they had occupied.

After that, all three generals boarded their Soaring Phoenix Construct and headed for the next city to conquer. For this legion, the night will be very long.

As a matter of fact, the reason that this conquest seemed so easy was due to the fact that Wang Wei essentially modernized war in his dynasty.

He used refining and formations to create modern inventions such as cars, trains, and planes-- although they had different names.

Then, he applied these things to the military. With the Soaring Phoenix Construct--or plane-- his army can travel anywhere as fast as possible.

After that, he took inspiration from the special ops and created armors that have the ability to enter stealth mode. Then, he trained a group of elite soldiers in the art of infiltration.

That way, his army can be fast and efficient when taking down cities, and they can sacrifice less lives.

In fact, Wang Wei wanted to actually invent guns as well. And he did not need to use gunpowder to do so. All he needed to do was install an array in a gun shaped barrel that can shoot projectiles.

These guns would then use blood or origin qi as energy to activate. Unfortunately, he failed. No, to be precise, he was prevented.

When he was going to put his plan into action, Wang Wei suddenly felt an intense rejection from the world; he felt an intense will wanting to eject him out of this world.

As such, he knew that Heavenly Dao was warning him not to so intensely change the way that war was waged in this world.

Although Wang Wei was not very happy that someone prevented him from doing the things he liked, he still bore with it as he was not yet powerful enough to ignore Heavenly Dao.

What's more, if he was exiled out of this world, he would be the one to lose greatly in the end. As such, he forbore for now.

While General 2 led his legion to conquer many cities in the Barbarian Wolf Kingdom, his boss, Li Jun, had just finished a fierce battle.

Li Jun looked at the woman on the ground that had a hole in her throat with a calm face. Afterwards, he checked his own injury.

His armor was mostly burned along with a few patches of his skin. Otherwise, he was perfectly fine.

"This person was way weaker than the one's big brother fought two years ago at the capital," muttered Li Jun.

However, despite his victory, he was not too prideful. He knew that the reason that the fight went so easy was due to the fact that the Dynasty's array prevented his opponent from using her advantage of flying in the air.

Of course Li Jun will not sell himself short. He was confident that if he had the ability to fly, he could easily challenge cultivators in the Supernatural Realm. And if he used all of his cards, he can still fight ordinary cultivators in the Divine Body Realm.

After pondering for a while, Li Jun raised his head and looked at the man that walked out of the Black Moon Sect's guardian formation.

"You must be Sect Lord Ren Liu," asked Li Jun with a smile on his face.

Meanwhile, Sect Lord Ren Liu looked at the surrounding environment that was completely destroyed by these two people's fight.

There were burned marks everywhere. Many holes could be seen all over the ground caused by spear piercing. A terrible slaughter intent was still lingering around, making him--who was in the Divine Altar Realm--very uncomfortable.

Ren Liu sighed and cupped his hand to Li Jun and bowed, "Slaughter God Li Jun, I would like to represent the Black Moon Sect and surrender to the Great Xia Dynasty!"

However Li Jun just looked at him with a ferocious smile on his face.

"Do you think that your sect can surrender so easily after sending such a powerful cultivator to attack us?"

Sect lord Ren Liu did not immediately answer, then after a few seconds of silence, he opened his mouth and said:

"Your Excellency, our sect..."

"Do not mention to me the guardian array of your sect. You should be aware that it is only a matter of time before our army breaks it."

After sighing for a second time, Sect Lord Ren Liu asked, "What do you want me to do in order to spare my Black Moon Sect?"

"Simple," replied Li Jun with a calm look on his face. "Open the formation, then kill yourself."

After hearing this, Sect Master Ren Liu was extremely calm. Then, he took out a token, injected his origin qi inside, thus deactivating the guardian array of the sect.

Immediately afterwards, he took out a sword from his space ring and inserted it straight into his heart, vomiting a big mouthful of blood.

He did not pause or hesitate in his actions. Following which Sect Lord Ren Liu fell to the ground with his eyes closed.

Meanwhile, Li Jun watched all of this with a calm look on his face, then he ordered:

"Someone go bury the Sect Lord properly, then enter the Black Moon Sect. All of you need to do is seal the cultivation of the people inside."

"If someone resists...Just knock them down unconscious."