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Chapter 1151: A Careless Mistake

"In my heart, you are the most beautiful woman!" Ye Xiao panicked. "Stop talking. Just take some rest. Spirit up. We have plenty of time to stay together..."

"No..." Jun Yinglian weakly said, "I have so many words. I have to ask you... If I don't... I... Cough... Cough... I don't want to die with all the questions in my heart..."

"Fine... Fine..." Ye Xiao was sweating. "Go ahead. Just cut the unimportant ones. Let me lead your energy flow first... Your situation..."

"Am I... really... beautiful?" Jun Yinglian looked worse and worse.

"Yes!"

"Why... Why do you like me?"

"I... You... It's..." Ye Xiao stammered, "Do... Do I need a reason to like you?"

"Do you love me?" Jun Yinglian looked pushing in the eyes.

"Well..." Ye Xiao felt it difficult to say the word. It was difficult to f a man to say love.

"Don't push yourself. You don't love me..." Jun Yinglian sadly spoke, "You just pity me... Cough cough cough... Cough cough..."

That was another series of a powerless cough.

"I love you! I love you so much!" Ye Xiao hurriedly fixed it up, "I love you so so so so so much..."

"Then you..."

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Jun Yinglian had been so weak as if she would pass away at any second. However, she just kept hanging on the edge between life and death, weakly asking questions for three hours.

In the three hours, Ye Xiao had spoken all the sweet words in the world!

More than once!

He had made lots of promises, whether he could fulfill them or not. He decided to make her feel satisfied first.

He was like cutting out his heart to her... Under such circumstance, he had entirely given up the male privilege, the dignity of a man along the powerless coughs... He totally forgot about it in the end...

That was how a lot of unfair deals were made between them.

"In fact, I have been waiting for you to find me... I have been waiting for so long... too long..." Tears flowed down from Jun Yinglian's eyes, "I have been waiting for you... to say you like me, you love me, that you will marry me..."

"I keep waiting until just now..." Jun Yinglian looked at the sky, "How many years? Ye Xiao?"

"Well..." Ye Xiao was wordless.

Three hours endearment marathon was breaking him down.

He was a rookie in the game of love after all.

'Do you love me?' 'How much do you love me?' 'How much do you like me?' 'Do you...'

Questions that were similar to these had been asked and answered again and again... for countless times...

In the end...

Jun Yinglian seemed to pass out again, and it was finally ended.

Ye Xiao had just taken a breath of relief. When he was going to check on Jun Yinglian again and see if it was possible to cure her, he suddenly lost sight and passed out...

Ye Xiao was merely a cultivator who had just reached level one of Dao Origin Stage. He had been pouring out the energy of East-rising Purple Qi. The long-lasting output of his energy had consumed too much of himself. He had been forcing himself to do it because he was afraid Jun Yinglian would die if he didn't. During the process, he had to answer all those stupid love questions. It indeed had consumed his heart, body, cultivation, patience, endurance... Anyway, it used him all up. When he tried to relieve, he naturally passed out. It was lucky he was still alive!

Jun Yinglian was terrified. She hurriedly held Ye Xiao's body and tapped on his wrist to check his pulse. She kept condemning herself in her mind. [He is no longer Xiao Monarch after all. He is merely in level one of Dao Origin Stage. After pouring out his own energy to support me for such a long time, he might die if he didn't hold a breath of power to maintain his breath. He must be exhausted at the moment. That's why he passed out. Luckily, it is not severe damage. He will be fine after resting for some time.]

Jun Yinglian made sure everything was fine with Ye Xiao, and then she was suddenly lost. She didn't know what to do next...

She had played such a fictitious scene just to hear the true words of Ye Xiao's heart but turned out to exhaust him so bad. Luckily he was fine. If he died because of this, her heart would be torn into pieces. As she thought of such a possibility, she was utterly anxious and embarrassed.

Hurriedly, she continued the treatment on Ye Xiao...

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After a long time, Ye Xiao slowly woke up from unconsciousness.

When he was sober, he found that he was holding nothing.

That was such a fright! He thrust up immediately!

"Lian Lian!"

Ye Xiao shouted.

There was no response. It was silent. Jun Yinglian had long gone, leaving no trace behind.

[Where is Lian Lian?]

Thinking about how weak and powerless Jun Yinglian was, he felt heartbroken. [Why couldn't I hang on for a longer time? How could I pass out? How could I not set her well first? What happened after that? She is not in danger, is she?]

He jumped up to a tree and shouted, "Lian Lian... Lian Lian..."

No response. Only the sound of the wind blowing the trees howled. There was no sign of the lady.

He was anxious.

He felt something wrong about it, but he couldn't tell what it was. He jumped off the tree sullenly.

He had never lost the heart of a peak level Dao Origin Stage cultivator. He understood anxiety wouldn't help, so he tried to concentrate.

He was merely level one of Dao Origin Stage, but deep in his heart, he was still Xiao Monarch. He calmed down and started to think of all the details. After a while, he figured out what was wrong.

If Jun Yinglian truly had her energy flows spread in chaos, she should have been gone after no longer than one or two hours. However, she had stayed in the dying status for over four hours. During the several hours of the love quiz, she seemed weak and powerless when breathing, but it was quite a long breath of hers. Usually, a person with disordered energy flows could never do that.

Moreover, he had used some supreme dan beads and East-rising Purple Qi on her at the same time. Even though it wouldn't completely cure her, it should at least make her feel better. How come she didn't feel anything?

The only explanation was that Jun Yinglian had been fooling him around by faking a dying status. As he thought about it now, he realized only as powerful as Jun Yinglian, one could make every act look so real. Even Ye Xiao, an expert disguiser was tricked. Although Ye Xiao was panicking at that moment, Jun Yinglian had done a great job in the play after all!

Ye Xiao had figured out the truth, so he stopped worrying that Jun Yinglian might die. The only thing he cared about now was where she went. He looked around and found that there were writings on the floor... in the position where he held Jun Yinglian.

Ye Xiao was moved. He hurriedly went over and read it. As he was reading it, he started to smile bitterly. He made a big sigh and said, "Oh woman... Typical woman!"

He shook the head, couldn't stop sighing. He almost died because of regret and remorse.

[That was such a careless mistake.]

This was the only thought in his head.

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Chapter 1152: Don't Mess With Women!

Apparently, it was Jun Yinglian's writing.

'Is this a coincidence or have you finally understood? Humph! You keep me crying for all these years. You didn't even tell me when you are reborn. You kept the truth from me for so many years... Take this as a little punishment. It is not enough to vent my anger though.'

Ye Xiao smiled bitterly when he read this.

'Don't think that after a few sweet words from your mouth I will just forgive you. Think about what you will get in the future. Humph!'

'You have made lots of promises today. Remember them. If you dare to break any one of them... Humph!'

The next part seemed to be modified. Jun Yinglian must have finished it, but rewrote it because she wasn't satisfied.

What came next was more formally written.

'I am incredibly pleased to know that you are back to life. I feel grateful for your return. I appreciate your caring. I am overjoyed. It is a great pleasure to marry you and spend the rest of my life with you. Finally, after all the years I have been waiting, here you are. However, my heart is filled with complicated thoughts. I think I should stay away for some days to adjust myself to face the truth. Please, don't worry.'

'You are now a member of Ye Clan. I don't think it is appropriate for me to get involved in your clan affairs. After all, we have plenty of time from now on.'

This was why she had to leave for now.

'Many chaoses in the martial world happened because of your death. I will go home and wait for the day when you point at the three factions with your sword. I will always stay by your side, life or death.'

'Xiao Monarch of the chaotic world; Jun Yinglian of the broad realm. A deal is made under this tree; The mundane world is full of warmth from now on.'

Then it was the ending words.

'I will wait till you conquer the world.'

He finally finished.

He had a complicated emotion deep in his heart.

[I honestly didn't expect this...]

He felt relieved, but then made a sigh.

Jun Yinglian did care about her position beside Ye Xiao. It didn't make a significant impact on her true heart, but it at least had small effects.

It was normal that she felt annoyed about the current situation...

Before Ye Nantian's son was born, Jun Yinglian had helped their entire family. If she didn't help them, Ye Xiao might not have the fortune to be born... Now she was going to marry the boy...

That was... no matter what... a ridiculous thing. It was improper.

Jun Yinglian couldn't do it. In fact, even Ye Xiao couldn't accept it, after thinking deeply about it.

That was... shameless and disgraced!

That meant the two of them were still unable to be together, no matter how they loved each other.

At least it was impossible that they could get married in Qing-Yun Realm.

They would have to make it a clandestine love affair...

That would be a big scandal if somebody saw them together!

Ye Xiao was freaking out when he thought of the possibility.

[I was unable to be with her even if I wanted to. Now I am free. I can do what needed to be done with her, yet I still can't! Damn it! Heavens! Stop fckng playing me around!]

What made him feel helpless was.. the nature of women! [Women, oh women!]

He kept sighing and repeating the three words in his mind for countless times on his way back home.

He finally admitted that he had never truly understood Jun Yinglian.

He had never truly understood any woman...

He could never know that what nearly broke his heart was faked!

It was a play by Jun Yinglian.

He was an expert on putting on a show to fool others, but this time, the old smart hawk got played by a dull little chicken!

Jun Yinglian just walked away after all the unfair deals he made to her... waved her hand, not taking away even a piece of cloud...

That totally changed the image of Jun Yinglian in his heart... He was lucky not to go crazy...

In his memory, Jun Yinglian was always... delicate and touching... weak... powerless... sentimental... soft...

He couldn't believe that she would put on such a big show to play him around!

He couldn't forget how she pretended not to recognize him and beat him up really hard...

He trembled...

[She is... showing no mercy to me.]

[That was so violent...]

He always remembered her as a wonderful, gorgeous, beautiful, elegant, and soft woman!

Now, as he thought of her... he couldn't help imagining... when they were sleeping together in the future someday... while he was just about to sleep well... he got beaten up hard!

[Oh... Heavens...] He exclaimed. [That is very possible to happen... No... Not just possible... That is definitely going to happen...]

He kept imagining all kinds of twisted scenes, showing a pale face... In the end, he even thought about something genuinely unacceptable... which was Jun Yinglian grabbing his penis... and swinging him round and round...

"Horrible!" Ye Xiao kept shaking his head, shedding cold sweat... [Holy hell... That creeps me out... Too much...]

If Jun Yinglian knew what he was thinking right now, she would definitely turn furious. Even though she would feel bashful, but she might make his stupid imagination come true...

[Much great imagination of yours huh?]

[How about I make it truly happen?]

Jun Yinglian didn't mention anything about concubines in the words she left for him. That made him feel anxious and confused.

[Women, oh women...] Ye Xiao shook his head, looked upset. He said, "Hawky, do you know what the most horrible and dangerous animal is in the world?"

The hawk who was flying in the sky cooed.

"Women!" Ye Xiao seriously said, "Remember, it will be fine no matter what sinful and unforgivable thing you do, but never... ever... ever... piss off a woman! Do not even touch them! That is an extremely horrible animal! Horrible!"

"Coo Coo..." The hawk raised up its head. It looked spirited.

[You fear for women. I don't... What I am afraid of... is having no female hawk as a company to me...]

[Wait, did you say it will be fine no matter what I do?]

[That sounds wonderful! I will keep that in mind!]

The hawk kept thinking about it in its head. It decided not to forget this useful lesson for the rest of its life!

With the shiny golden lights, they were fleeing back.

Ye Xiao could never imagine what he had accidentally planted in the Golden Hawk's heart. It seeded out and grew up high when it was in Human Realm Upon Heavens...

Ye Xiao would have to pay a big price for what he said just now... by cleaning up the mess after what the hawk did every time...

If Ye Xiao and Jun Yinglian was a team of troublemakers, this golden bird just be a great troublemaker!

Whatever trouble it made... it was tremendous...

It was not just exaggerated! It was true!

Besides... there was the cat... who was another expert troublemaker!

Well... anyway, he was going to pay the price for what he said!

[Lian Lian is waiting for me... Li Wuliang, Han Bingxue are both waiting for me...] Ye Xiao thought, [What can I do to boost my cultivation level?]

[It can't wait anymore...]

He kept thinking hard but figured out nothing helpful.

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Chapter 1153: A Problem About His Cultivation Level

Ye Xiao knew that he had been improving unbelievably fast already. Maybe he was not the best in improvement in the history of Qing-Yun Realm, but he was definitely the best in the current era. In the latest hundred thousand years, nobody improved faster than him in cultivation. He had been cultivating for less than three years, and he was already in Dao Origin Stage. That was sick!

However, he wasn't satisfied with it. He wanted to be faster!

That was why he was being such a prick! He really should feel contented!

The hawk was flying fast. They were back to the Town of Ye in a short time.

Yue Shuang and Yue Han had been waiting for him for such a long time. They took the hawk as an excuse to take Ye Xiao away from Ye Nantian before Ye Nantian had time to ask Ye Xiao about what happened.

When they were back to the room, the two ladies looked quite excited.

"Was it Jun Yinglian?"

"Is she our sister-in-law?"

"Where is she?"

"She must be beautiful, isn't she?"

"She must be! Otherwise, she won't be a match for our brother!"

"Did you see her?"

"What on earth is going on with you two?"

"What did you say after such a long time?"

"Did you hold each other and shed tears? Did you tell each other how much you missed each other?"

"Come on! Come on, say it..."

Ye Xiao was embarrassed. He wanted to say something but he couldn't.

Suddenly, the two ladies found something wrong.

"Wait! Brother, what happened to you? Why do you look like a pighead? Who beat you?"

"Oh no! Isn't it vicious... Your entire face is swollen... So are your eyes... your nose... your ears..."

"Your mouth and your hands too... Oh my heavens... Your butt is unbelievably swollen..."

"Who was it?"

"We will catch him!"

Then the two ladies stopped at the same time.

They looked at Ye Xiao and started to murmur.

"It couldn't be... Jun Yinglian... could it?" Yue Shuang said.

"Brother, did you... do anything indecent to her..." Yue Han said.

"No way. How would brother do anything indecent to his wife? Besides, even if he did, it shouldn't be indecent!" Yue Shuang twisted her mouth.

"It sure could be indecent too! Look at him! If he did that thing to her, it was indecent!" Yue Han said, but she was not so sure.

"I told you that whatever our brother do to his wife, it is not indecent!" Yue Shuang stared at her.

"What is it then?" Yue Han said.

"Well... It is... Do not lay your hands on adults' business, you little girl!" Yue Shuang said.

"I just want to know what indecent thing brother has done to her..." Yue Han looked upset. "Nobody knows who is the elder one. You can't call me little girl!"

"I can! I just did! You are the younger one!" Yue Shuang humphed and then fell into thoughts. "Actually, I also want to know what brother did to make himself beaten up like this..."

"That's strange..."

"Let's both think about it carefully..."

"Hmm... That's right. This is... Hahahahaha..."

Then the two ladies put their hands under their jaws while rolling their eyes and thinking about it. However, what they were trying to figure out at the moment was entirely a different matter with what they were asking about in the first place.

That was entirely a different matter now...

Ye Xiao stood on a side, with his mouth twisted and eyes rolled aside...

[What is more horrible than a woman...] Ye Xiao thought, [Three women...]

He literally couldn't stand it anymore. [I can't take it... Jun Yinglian, who has always been a lovely little girl, suddenly changed... I... I...]

He must be sobbing in his heart. He felt that his future was dim.

When a man had an aggressive woman in his family, he was usually exhausted. However... Ye Xiao had at least three...

[Oh my god!]

[Is this still life?]

After a long time.

They started to discuss the question Ye Xiao asked.

"How to improve my cultivation fast?" When Ye Xiao put forward the question, it all turned to silence.

The three of them were all dominant figures in Qing-Yun Realm.

When they thought about this question, they all thought of one place.

They thought of the same place at the same time!

However, none of them wanted to say it!

Heaven's Terrace!

An opportunity was always accompanied by danger! This place was a perfect example!

Ye Xiao was doing incredibly good in cultivation already, but he needed to get to the peak of cultivation in this realm soon. As more and more people showed up around him, he had to make some big adjustments to the plan of revenge. When he was in the Land of Han-Yang, he had made a huge plan against the three factions to take revenge! It was a vast and thorough plan!

He didn't care if he was too weak himself. He didn't have to use his own power to defeat his enemy. All he needed was a right scheme at the right time, such as using a third power to destroy the enemy for him... He could just stir up the wave and push it. When he was in Cold Moon Palace, he had a perfect opportunity to make the three factions fight against each other. At least one of the three factions would be wiped out when the battle was brought up to the table!

However, no matter how thorough the plan was, things always changed too fast!

How did Cold Moon Palace treat Ye Xiao?

Ye Xiao could never say they were bad. He couldn't let Cold Moon Palace fight against the other two sects because Cold Moon Palace would collapse. That was also an unacceptable result for Ye Xiao!

Cold Moon Palace was just like Ye Clan. It was an essential part of his new life. It was where his masters served!

He could never put his masters in danger just to hurt his enemies!

However, things were entirely different on his side now. Even though he was still too weak to fight against the three factions, the people who would stay with him made a dominant team together. If these people were all in different places, he could ask them to attack the three factions from time to time when there was an opportunity. However, most of them were with him at the moment. With these people's capabilities, he could even go start a war against the three factions and maybe he could even win it! What these people wanted now was just one thing.

When they realized Xiao Monarch was still alive, they only hoped for one thing.

The return of the Xiao Monarch! They were waiting for Xiao Monarch to stand up high and start the fight against the three factions!

People would follow him to the center of the chaos!

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Chapter 1154: How Much Do You Know About Heaven's Terrace?

The current problem was that Ye Xiao was too weak. He could only hinder the others in the fight. He totally couldn't make any positive contribution. What was most likely to happen was that somebody would have to stay around and protect him because he was too weak. That would not be a good thing for the future.

One more thing, with or without Shuang and Han, Ye Xiao's people were still not strong enough to destroy the three factions.

The three factions had dozens of thousand years of history. There were countless superior cultivators in the three sects. Every one of the three factions had tens of cultivators at the top of level nine of Dao Origin Stage.

That was after the war against Xiao Monarch and Fierce Blade. There would be much more if they didn't lose a lot of men in the fights.

Each of the three factions had thousands of Dao Origin Stage cultivators. After all, they were thousands of years old sects. Ye Xiao and Li Wuliang were just two unaided individuals!

The three factions could at least exhaust them to death by sending out their top-class cultivators one by one.

It was undoubtedly a practical battle scheme. People who fought Xiao Monarch and Fierce Blade in the wars were mostly level five or level six of Dao Origin Stage. They didn't send lots of dominant figures to the battle.

However, they could surely defeat the dominant figures like Xiao Monarch and Fierce Blade as long as they send a group of top-class cultivators to lead a massive amount of ordinary disciples to fight.

After all, they had a long history to learn from!

One or two talented men's gifted power was never enough to catch up with it!

Now that Ye Xiao had Shuang and Han, the two dominant figures, if he could make Cold Moon Palace his ally, which was very possible, it would be more promising. However, before everything began, the first thing he needed to do was to improve himself soon. That would bring a much bigger chance to win the war.

At least he couldn't be the weakest part of the team!

The only way to improve himself fast was to go to that place!

Nothing except that place could help him. Not even his supreme dan beads.

It was too slow to raise his cultivation level by taking supreme dan beads!

It had to be that place, Heaven's Terrace!

The three of them looked at each other. They all thought of it, but none of them wanted to say it.

"I guess you two are also thinking about the same idea as me. Heaven's Terrace!" Ye Xiao blandly said.

"No! You can't go there!" The two ladies strongly opposed to it. They kept shaking their heads and said, "It is too dangerous!"

"What else do you have, except going to Heaven's Terrace, to boost my cultivation?" Ye Xiao calmly said, "Things will definitely go wrong if I keep wasting time. I guess it won't be too long before my true identity gets exposed."

The two ladies frowned and shook their heads. "No way! Even if you are going to be exposed, you can't go to that place knowing how dangerous it will be. You have the two of us here protecting you. You get exposed, so what?"

"It may be difficult to defeat you both at the same time. However, it won't be too difficult to defeat you one after the other," Ye Xiao spoke in a deep voice.

"No! It is not a positive situation. I get it. But we still have a chance to win. Do you understand what it means to go to Heaven's Terrace? It is a place where most of the cultivators died when they were seeking for enhancement!" Yue Shuang kept shaking her head, with her hair waving like water. "There are too few people who have succeeded in that place!"

"But... there is no other place in Qing-Yun Realm that can bring me up to my prime in a short time!"

Ye Xiao blandly said, "Do you... Do you want me to take revenge after I spend hundreds of years to restore my power?"

Hundreds of years?

Yue Shuang and Yue Han lowered their heads, twisted their mouth, and grumbled.

He had reach level one of Dao Origin Stage after only a few years. That was incredibly fast. However, if he wanted to reach the top of level nine of Dao Origin Stage, it would take him several hundred more years!

That seemed to be unacceptably long.

It was long enough for a man to forget many things.

It was a struggle for the two ladies.

Heaven's Terrace was too dangerous after all.

"I insist on going to Heaven's Terrace because I have two powerful aids. With the two supports, I am sure I can reach Heaven's Terrace and come back safely, whether I can succeed or not," Ye Xiao slowly said.

"What are the two aids?" Yue Shuang and Yue Han were surprised.

"A hawk and a cat," Ye Xiao calmly said.

The two ladies were awkwardly speechless instead of surprised.

They had seen the golden hawk.

[That hawk is definitely the best ride to get away from a battle. That cat is fast too, but we don't know what else it is capable of. Since brother spoke of the two animals at the same time, the cat must be equally capable. It does give him a bigger chance to return to safety!]

[Well... it should be...]

[But it is still dangerous!]

[Every one of the countless cultivators who got themselves killed in Heaven's Terrace in the history was fully prepared. They were all so confident before they went there, weren't they?]

[People only understand the horror after they are going to go through it! There is no perfect preparation!]

[One mistake, and there comes the death!]

The ladies sighed.

They both regret that they didn't raise themselves to the same height as Wu Fa and Xuan Bing in cultivation. If each of them could be powerful enough to dominate the world, their brother might not have to go to Heaven's Terrace and take that risk!

Yue Shuang thought for a while and said, "Brother, you know how dangerous it is in that place, but you insist on going. I can't stop you. I just want to ask, how much do you really know about Heaven's Terrace?"

Ye Xiao smiled bitterly and touched his jaw. "Well, you got me. What I know is that there is a unique fruit, Yin Yang Fruit. Whoever in Dao Origin Stage could be boosted to the peak of level nine instantly when he or she eats the fruit. It is a purely positive effect. There will be no side effects. It won't leave

any hidden threat inside one's body. Aside from this, I know as much as everybody does about that place."

The two ladies held their foreheads... They were awkwardly speechless indeed.

"According to the record of our sect, Heaven's Terrace first appeared over ten thousand years ago. When it first appeared, countless people died because of it... Countless..."

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Chapter 1155: Divine Yin Yang Fruits!

Yue Shuang thoughtfully said, "The highest moment in Qing-Yun Realm in the old days, Severing Sky Peak, suddenly broke in the middle. It shook the world. The whole Qing-Yun Realm felt the shake. However, the real astonishment came after that. Countless streams of lights shot out from the peak and lit up the entire world."

"Such a miracle, such a beautiful scene, made all cultivators in the realm turn crazy. People who thought that there must be countless treasures in that place. News spread fast. People kept going to the mountain."

"Many of them started to kill each other on the way to the mountain because they wanted fewer people to go get the treasures. So many superior cultivators in Qing-Yun Realm died, for something uncertain, a conjecture."

"One month after that, it was returning to peace, because somebody sent back messages from the collapsed mountain. There was one treasure there, Divine Yin Yang Fruits."

"Divine Yin Yang Fruits was named with Yin and Yang for a reason. There are always two fruits together growing in the same strain. One is black while the other is red. Yin and Yang, live together, opposing each other. Divine, means whoever eats the fruits will become invincible!"

"Immediately!" Yue Shuang emphasized it.

"However, there was no such thing as free lunch. The fruits showed up from the void, suspending by a string of dark light. The dark string tied up the two fruits together. When people began to reach the fruits, they realized that the fruits were two baits. The dark light was the fishing line with the fishhook."

"It was not difficult to see through it. There must be somebody in the upper realm or some other more intelligent level, who have created such a game to have fun. People like us are merely toys to those people. We are like fish for them to enjoy the fun!"

"When one was hooked, his or her physical body will become a pile of flesh and blood. The bones will break into pieces when they fell from the sky. The person's soul and spiritual qi will become a black ball. It would just disappear. Nobody knows where the soul goes. Anyway, that person is never going to be given a second chance!"

"How horribly dangerous!"

"After many people died on the hooks, almost all the people started to give up on it. Nobody knew what the fruits could do by then so nobody would like to put their lives in danger for the two fruits that they didn't know what they were. At that time, people call Divine Yin Yang Fruits, the Nether Fruits, because it pulls people to death!"

"However, decades after that, something happened, and the fruits were back to the public's sight!"

"In those years, the West Hall of the two great halls was merely an average-size sect. The best cultivator in their sect was only in level two of Dao Origin Stage, who was named Zong Yuankai!"

"Zong Yuankai was chased by his enemies. He was lost while he was anxious, and it turned out he went to where Heaven's Terrace was located. His enemies were still chasing him. He was going to get killed."

"That day, when lots of people were surrounding him, he held his breath and dashed to the Never Fruits around him. Maybe he wanted to end his life, or maybe he was hoping the fruits could save his life. In the end, he got the fruits in his hand."

"In fact, when he got the fruit, he had already been stabbed several times. One of his legs had been chopped off. He was bleeding really hard. When he grabbed the fruits, before he touched the floor, he swallowed the fruits immediately. That was when the miracle happened!"

"When the enemies, countless of superior cultivators were watching, Zong Yuenkai was instantly refreshed. Even a new leg grew out from where they cut him. The old leg was still bleeding on the floor."

"The next moment, the clouds started to roll drastically in the sky. The spiritual qi in the air around that place all started to rush to Zong Yuankai's body. Within one second, the amount of spiritual qi was so huge that it should be able to explode any cultivator in the world. However, Zong Yuankai was totally fine. He just took it all!"

"When he got down to the floor, a strange light shined upon his head and then became nine flowers. There is a saying; One who has nine cloudy flowers blossom on the head will be invincible in Qing-Yun Realm! Zong Yuankai actually reached the peak of level nine of Dao Origin Stage!"

"He has the power of a dominant cultivator, but his mindset was weaker than it. However, that was still some true power he had. He killed the enemies easily and then keeled and kowtowed to that hook before he left."

"He just went straight back and slaughtered along the road. He wiped out all the sects that were against him. After that, he named the sect of his, One Step West. What a fortune! The sect of his became a super force in Qing-Yun Realm after a thousand years. He had never stopped fighting against strong opponents. In the end, he fought against the East Hall and killed their Prime Master!"

"After that, he changed the sect's name to... West Hall of Qing-Yun Realm!"

"And it was in a higher position than East Hall!"

"It straightly became the No.1 sect in Qing-Yun Realm!"

"All cultivators bowed to West Hall! He was invincible!"

"The Nether Fruits naturally became the precious Divine Yin Yang Fruits!"

"That is the miracle of Divine Yin Yang Fruits!"

Yue Shuang felt thirsty after giving such a long speech. She grabbed the teacup and started to drink. When she drank up the tea, she raised up a hand to wipe the mouth with her sleeve. That didn't look like a lady. In the end, she took a long breath.

The two girls used to drink like this in front of their brother. They did everything that made them comfortable when they were with their brother. They would even burp.

That was good. That was life!

Ye Xiao looked at her and said, "What you said is mostly a story from the old days. I have heard pieces of it, just not as detailed as yours."

Yue Shuang said, "History is always written by the winner. However, people who participated in it have the right to tell the truth. Qiong-Hua Palace did. West Hall climbed up to the peak on Qiong-Hua Palace's shoulder. We have a detailed record of what happened."

Ye Xiao nodded. "I see."

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Chapter 1156: It Gives Invincibility

"When Zong Yuankai got the fruits and became an invincible cultivator in the world, he was in the top of the highest level of Dao Origin Stage. Thousands of people saw it."

"The thousands of high-level cultivators of the realm witnessed it... It means the entire Qing-Yun Realm knew it!"

"The world was stirred up in an uproar all of a sudden."

"Everybody was talking about two things. First, the fruits made a person invincible! Second, Zong Yuankai had been slaughtering his way to the last of his enemies! He was invincible!"

"As he rose up step by step, Divine Ying Yang Fruits became something everybody would dream for!"

"Brother, think about it. Two small fruits literally built the most powerful sect in those years! How attractive! Who on earth could refuse such marvelous power?" Yue Shuang took a breath with a sigh.

Ye Xiao nodded slowly. He looked solemn.

"The entire Qing-Yun Realm was boiling. Cultivators were all crazy."

Yue Shuang took a deep breath and licked her lips, looking at Yue Han.

It was obvious. [It's your turn to talk.]

Yue Han took a heavy breath and started to talk slowly, "Since then, the fruit became the most popular topic in the entire realm! Only topic!"

"Too many cultivators went to get the fruits, but one by one, they got hooked. Their soul became something unknown and pulled up to whoever was pulling the strings."

"Each day, there were hundreds of cultivators got killed!"

"However, people just kept going to it. They just couldn't be stopped."

"Their eyes were red. Even though they knew it would kill them, they still kept rushing to the fruits. Tens of thousand Dao Origin Stage cultivators died in Heaven's Terrace in that year!"

"Even though so many people had died, Qing-Yun Realm was still boiling!"

"There were barely people who could turn away from the opportunity to become invincible in the realm!"

Yue Han paused and made a sigh.

Ye Xiao smiled bitterly. It had been ten thousand years, but when he heard the story, he was boiling excited. That explained why those cultivators would be so crazy about it.

Who could truly stay calm when talking about something that could make anybody invincible?

Even though it was a big risk to take, people still wanted to try their lucks. Everybody wanted to be the lucky man. Everybody wanted to be the second Zong Yuankai, wanted to be invincible in the world!

"After that, one sect rose up. It was one of the eight great sects, Ling Xiao Sect. It was even more powerful than West Hall, which was under Zong Yuankai's control. Li Xiao Sect became the most powerful sect in the world, so it occupied the Heaven's Terrace. Nobody else was allowed to get near the place. Ling Xiao Sect was so dominant that the other seven sects didn't dare to offend, let alone those individual cultivators. However, it only lasted for one month. Lin Xiao Sect had tried lots of methods, sacrificed lots of good men, but failed to get even one fruit."

"At that moment, the people who put the baits must have noticed something... The fruits that appeared after that was strongly poisonous. It was emitting poison gas. Ling Xiao Sect's people all died in the valley. Even their level nine Dao Origin Stage disciples couldn't survive the poison!"

"Whoever smelled that fruit were all dead!"

"A few of them were lucky. They started to run away when they just noticed there was poison in the air. When they returned to their sect, they were dying. All they could do was to tell others about what happened. Ling Xiao Sect didn't even have time to do anything before the dead bodies of the several men who came back from the valley started to emit poison gas too. The poison spread in their sect. Within one night, within three thousand miles, every living thing was dead! Over two hundred thousand people of Ling Xiao Sect died out! Not even a mouse could survive that tragedy!"

Yue Han looked at Ye Xiao and spoke word by word, "I guess you have heard of the place, Toxic Area, haven't you? The entire Qing-Yun Realm trembled for it. Brother, you know what, that used to be where Ling Xiao Sect based on. The eight great sects became seven after that!"

"That is how the Toxic Area was made! For thousands of years, nobody dares to step into that area!" Ye Xiao took a cold breath.

[What was that poison? How overwhelming! It was not only overwhelming but also infectious! It just never ended! It was such an incredible, unbelievable, and unimaginable poison.]

[The poison I used in Land of Han-Yang is entirely nothing comparing to this incredible poison!]

"The poison in the Toxic Area was not the strongest. The source of the poison in Heaven's Terrace must be even more frightening. People in Qing-Yun Realm had given up on chasing after the fruits because of the poison. However, a few days later, it returned to usual. There was no poison in the air at all. Some cultivators were overjoyed when they knew it. They hurriedly entered the place and confirmed it was clean!"

"After that, people all understood there was something not allowed in Heaven's Terrace. Maybe it is the rule that is made by the fishers upon us. Nobody dared to forcibly occupy the entire Heaven's Terrace ever since! It became the most peaceful place in Qing-Yun Realm, but also the most deadly one."

Yue Han looked at Ye Xiao and slowly said.

Ye Xiao made a sigh.

"It had been a thousand years, and nobody had been lucky enough to get the fruits when people started to give up on it. They started to believe Zong Yuankai was just a lucky man and such luck wouldn't get on a second man. Less and fewer people went to Heaven's Terrace year after year. One day, somebody was lucky enough to get the fruits again!"

"What? Who was it?" Ye Xiao was surprised.

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Chapter 1157: I Have Been There Before!

"The man didn't leave his name to us. All we know is that he once did it. Maybe he used up his good luck right after he grabbed the fruits. Maybe he was too excited, or maybe he couldn't believe what happened to him. He was stunned for a moment. He was only able to put one of the fruits, Yang Fruit into his mouth."

"The other fruit, the Yin Fruit was hit away by somebody else. After some tough fights, another person ate the Yin Fruit. However, neither of the fruits changed the two men in any way. Soon, the two of them got beaten to death."

"After that, people finally understood the fruits should be eaten together."

"Only after eating both of the two fruits should a person become invincible!"

"The miracle didn't bring the man to invincibility, but it was a great inspiration that somebody successfully took the fruits again. People's greediness was aroused again."

"After that, Heaven's Terrace became popular for other hundreds of years. Many cultivators went there for invincibility, but ended up dead!"

"Thousands year later, it was cooling down again. Suddenly, one man took the fruits again. However, it was a man in a mask on his face. Nobody knew who he was... After he took the fruits, he left. It would be quite ordinary if he just masked his face. Lots of people would do that. Nobody wanted to be noticed when getting approach to the fruits. However, what was astonishing was that nobody was able to catch

up with that man, even though there were so many powerful cultivators chasing after him! Besides, that man didn't eat the fruits when he got them!"

"That was another stimulation. The entire realm fell into madness again. People kept going to risk their lives for it again. Opportunity only favors the few. Nobody ever succeeded after that. Countless Dao Origin Stage cultivators died in that place. Unexpectedly, another lucky man showed up not long after that... One mother later, another man in mask got the fruits!"

"The second masked guy made his attempt just like the others did. He jumped up and reached his hand to the fruits, risking his life. However, unlike the others, he easily grabbed the two fruits and swallowed it fast. That wonderful scene happened in Qing-Yun Realm again. That man became another invincible figure in Qing-Yun Realm, just as the story told!"

"When everything was done, and the marvelous scene was gone, that man laughed loudly, ignored the others, and left."

"Brother, you know who he is, don't you?" Yue Han looked at Ye Xiao.

Ye Xiao was lost in the story, so he automatically answered, "Who?"

He wanted to slap himself because of being stupid.

He knew who he was.

"Wu Fa!" Yue Han smiled, "The man who has been enjoying the fame as the No.1 cultivator in the realm, Wu Fa!"

The three of them stayed silent all of a sudden.

"Wu Fa is indeed powerful, but he is, after all, a normal cultivator, unlike the man who took the fruits before him. Nobody knew anything about that man. Nobody knew whether he had eaten the fruits. It seems he has never shown up in Qing-Yun Realm ever after... He has been traceless and silent."

"The first and the last, two invincible cultivators were created by the fruits! Qing-Yun Realm was in ultimate chaos because of it!"

"After Wu Fa, people kept going to Heaven's Terrace for the fruits. Even though nobody has ever gotten it in the thousands of years."

"Heaven's terrace..." Ye Xiao made a long sigh, "It takes only one second for a man to become a legend... Who could turn away from such attraction?"

"That's true. Cultivators are all crazy for it. If there is no restriction of cultivation levels, it will be crowded every minute by cultivators below Dao Origin Stage!"

Yue Shuang sighed.

"It has been thousands of years since Wu Fa got the fruits. All sects forbid their disciples to go to Heaven's Terrace! It is a daydream to reach the heaven by one step! Only to spend time and sweats step by step is the best way toward invincibility!"

"What a shame... Such warnings don't work. Every day, cultivators, many of who were raised by the sects with great efforts, will go to Heaven's Terrace when they reached Dao Origin Stage. Many people just cultivate around Heaven's Terrace! Somebody lived there for decades, even hundreds of years!"

"Heaven's Terrace! Heaven's Terrace! What price invincibility takes? Mountains of bones below the terrace; blood flew into rivers! Rotten bones fly up in the wind, which belong to all those geniuses!"

Yue Han put an end to the narrative with doggerel.

Ye Xiao made a sigh and said, "Rotten bones fly up in the wind, which belong to all those geniuses!"

Yue Shuang stroke when the iron was hot. "Brother, you know the horror in it. Otherwise, you would have gone to Heaven's Terrace in the previous life! Don't tell me you never think about taking the fruits. I know you are cautious, but I don't think you haven't even thought about it!"

"What we are talking here may be old sayings, but... we truly don't want you to go there!" Yue Han said. He looked at Ye Xiao in the eyes. She uncommonly looked solemn in front of her elder brother.

"Heaven's Terrace... I did more than just thinking about it... In fact, I have been there before!" Ye Xiao took a long breath and said, "However, I... I saw seven people, who were all stronger than me, get killed by that string... losing their souls... I was frightened. It enlightened me that I should give up on it. So I quit. After that, I kept working hard in cultivation, and decided to forget about everything about Heaven's Terrace!"

The two ladies looked at him at the same time with softness and surprise.

[Brother has been there? And you successfully resisted the temptation?]

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Chapter 1158: Evil!

"It's a shame. Since then, I always feel there is something wrong in my true heart." Ye Xiao smiled bitterly, "I did improve fast, but every time when I broke through to a new level, I felt choked. The feeling comes from deep inside my true heart."

"Every time when I felt it, understood that when I quit attempting the fruits, I didn't feel enlightened..."

"I felt fear."

"I just felt the pure horror in Heaven's Terrace that day!"

"That is the reason why I stopped at the top of level nine. I couldn't get any progress after that. I never had the chance to enter the Tittle Phase!"

Ye Xiao took a long breath and said, "For so many years, that fear has always been hiding inside my heart!"

"Even though I have experienced death, even though I have gained greater opportunity in this life, even though I may go further and higher than what I achieved in the previous life, the fear... will always be a flaw of me!"

Ye Xiao looked casual, spoke peacefully, but showed a little bitterness in his eyes.

Yue Shuang and Yue Han looked at each other. They were both wordless.

They were all experts in cultivation. They all had reached the same level. The feeling that Ye Xiao was telling them wasn't strange to them!

That fear... The stagnation of cultivation... It was evil in the heart!

Once the evil appeared, it would always stay!

If they couldn't defeat the evil, they would stop progressing, just as Ye Xiao said. If things went worse, they might get reverse impact by the evilness and degenerate... It could even put their lives at risk!

The only way to keep away from the impact was to defeat the evil!

Ye Xiao's evil was from Heaven's Terrace, the dangerous area, the restricted place in Qing-Yun Realm!

Could he be that lucky?

"I am not a sole case after all. Heaven's Terrace has given almost everyone a dream, but one thing was undeniable." Ye Xiao sullenly said, "Whoever have been to Heaven's Terrace, whether dead or alive, have eternally lost their chance to reach the peak of cultivation once they failed to get the fruits!"

"We all have the same evil in the heart!"

"Not just me. Li Wuliang is the same. Wuliang and I both had reached the top of level nine of Dao Origin Stage, yet we were still unable to rival Xuan Bing or Wu Fa. Why?"

"I am an individual cultivator. I don't have the support of a great sect. I barely know anything about the phases beyond level nine! But this is not the main reason!" Ye Xiao said, "The main reason is that... I have been to Heaven's Terrace!"

"Wu Fa went to Heaven's Terrace too, but he got the fruits! Xuan Bing has never been to that place. She has been concentrated in Ling Xiao Ice Art of Misty Cloud Place! She believes she can make it to the peak of Dao Origin Stage by herself, without the power from Heaven's Terrace!"

"For me, Xuan Bing will sooner or later become the most powerful cultivator in Qing-Yun Realm!"

"Wu Fa became the best with the help of the fruits. That was luck after all! That luck from Heaven's Terrace will always be his evil in the heart!"

Ye Xiao spoke word by word, "Li Wuliang, Han Bingxue, Jun Yinglian, and I... We all have been to Heaven's Terrace!"

"If I can't defeat the evil, then even if we finally took revenge and killed the three factions, we will be still under the suppression of Xuan Bing, Wu Fa and others!"

"We will never have our opportunity to rise up to the top!"

"Not only me, but all you two, Lian Lian, Li Wuliang, Han Bingxue... We all will be suppressed and restrained."

"We may be some legendary figures in ordinary cultivators' eyes in Qing-Yun Realm, but we know it ourselves, that we are far lower than Wu Fa and Xuan Bing, even though people keep saying we are in the same league. It is like a difference between sky and earth!"

"In fact, even if we fight together against Xuan Bing or Wu Fa, we may still lose!"

Ye Xiao wasn't peaceful and calm anymore. He looked fierce. He gritted his teeth and said, "I don't want to live like that anymore!"

"I, Ye Xiao, have to laugh out loud upon all other heroes in this world! I must see the worlds casually! If I can't..." Ye Xiao sullenly said, "What is the point even if I am fully recovered?"

"As long as there are people suppressing you, staying upon you, you will never truly be free to travel the martial world!"

His eyes were in heat. At this moment, there seemed to be a flame burning inside his eyes.

He suddenly recollected those scenes.

The sword was tearing apart the firmament! The saber was overwhelming the world!

The flowers were covering the entire universe!

[That is the height I want to reach!] Ye Xiao talked to himself.

Yue Shuang and Yue Han both stayed quiet. They were both true superior cultivators. How could they not understand how Ye Xiao felt?

They knew that Ye Xiao was being honest with them.

He meant every word he said.

Yue Han clicked her tongue and weakly said, "But... For me... As long as we stay together... safe and happy... I will be satisfied without being invincible in the world..."

Yue Shuang quickly nodded, "That's right! Brother, what do you say? It could also be a great achievement that we stay together forever!"

Ye Xiao looked at the two girls with his sentimental and soft eyes. He made a sigh slowly and said, "That's different, silly girl."

The two ladies lowered their heads sorrowfully but pouted.

"It's decided." Ye Xiao indisputably made an end to the conversation. "Tomorrow morning, you two take my father to Qiong-Hua Palace and take my mother home."

He looked at the two ladies and said, "I believe you can do it for me, can't you?"

The two girls didn't answer, just biting their lips.

"If you can't, or you don't want to, I won't bother you, elders of Qiong-Hua Palace. I will go by myself." Ye Xiao humphed and for the first time, he talked to them coldly.

The two girls were frightened. "Brother, please... Don't do this. We can do it! We definitely can!"

Their eyes were filled with tears. They said, "But we want to go to Heaven's Terrace with you... It is too dangerous..."

Ye Xiao glared at them and said, "Don't you dare! You have never been to that place. You haven't even thought of going, have you? You have your own paths to go into the world of cultivation, sisters. You will be some dominant figures that are powerful enough to rival Xuan Bing and Wu Fa! You don't need the fruits. No matter what reason you think you have, don't go... Don't be pessimistic about it. I am living my second life. I have experienced the wonderfulness of living. I won't just give up on my life."

He looked into the distance and spoke gently, "Don't worry. If I am not certain, I will rather let the evil stay in my heart... I promise I will come back to you."

"Is it real?" The two ladies lip up their eyes.

"Absolutely!" Ye Xiao casually smiled, looking at the two ladies, who were still two silly little girls for him.

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Chapter 1159: Set Out

Maybe the two ladies still remembered that their brother always went against his promises in the old days. The two of them immediately did one thing at the same time—ask for a pinky promise! The two ladies reached out their little fingers.

Two little fingers were pointing at Ye Xiao's nose at the same time.

"Hmm. Alright. Pinky swear." Ye Xiao reached out his two little fingers too.

Four little figures entwined each other.

After a while, Yue Shuang turned her back to Ye Xiao and sobbed, "Brother... If you die again... We will kill our way to the three factions and die fighting against them. We are not fortunate enough to be reborn on the same date, but we can die on the same date. If there is a god, it apparently doesn't want us to miss the chance, so it gave you a second life. We are not going to miss it again, are we?"

Ye Xiao was touched.

He realized the two girls didn't actually believe the promise he made. They just wanted to set his mind at rest. However, they made a promise that they would die along with him, that death could never split them apart!

Yue Shuang turned around to him and pretended to smile casually. "Relax, brother. We will accompany Uncle Ye to Qiong-Hua Palace and take your mom back home. It will be such a great disgrace if we fail to do such a small thing after staying in Qiong-Hua Palace for so many years."

Yue Han wiped her eyes and made a casual smile too. "It truly is just a piece of cake for the two of us. Don't worry, brother. When you come home, you will have a complete family!"

Ye Xiao warmly smiled and said, "Certainly! I never doubt it. I trust my sisters with all my heart."

The two ladies' eyes turned red. They softly got into his arms and held him. Yue Shuang murmured, "Brother... We have been expecting an opportunity to do something for you... This will be the first thing we do for you..."

Ye Xiao was touched and wordless.

Yue Han smiled with tears. "After all these years... We finally get to do something for you... I don't want this to be the last thing we do for you at the same time... We want to do more... a thousand, ten thousand..."

Then she started to sob and couldn't go on talking.

Ye Xiao tapped the two girls' backs and sighed. "Silly girls, don't worry..."

Don't worry?

The two ladies or Ye Xiao, none of them could truly stop worrying!

At the moment, they felt like they were back to the days when they were in that broken cottage when it was a snowy night with howling wind, and all they had was each other... It seemed like yesterday to them but also like centuries earlier.

Warmth rose up in their hearts.

They just kept holding each other quietly.

Time passed silently.

In the midnight, it suddenly snowed.

After a while, the world was covered by the silver snow.

Yue Shuang and Yue Han sensed the snow hitting the floor, so they left Ye Xiao's arms, walked to the window and slowly opened it.

As expected, the snowflakes were flying in the air. The howling wind blew some snowflakes into the room through the window.

It hit the two ladies' faces.

They were two powerful cultivators. Their automatic energy shield should block the snowflakes. However, they just quietly stood there and let the snowflakes hit themselves. The tears came out of the eyes and flew down the cheeks, clearing away the snow on their faces and leaving two lines of water stains.

The howling wind and the heavy snow were from their deeply buried memory, where they felt joy and happiness.

Ye Xiao slowly walked over to them, reached out his arms and held the two slim girls into his arms in the snow.

The heavy snow continued in the howling wind, blowing into the room just like the old days when the little beggar held his two sisters tight in his arms to keep them warm from the snow.

It was a night of silence!

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The next morning.

Yue Shuang and Yue Han had gone to get Ye Nantian.

"We should go. We will keep our promise, take you to Qiong-Hua Palace and make your family reunite."

For Ye Nantian, that was the most beautiful thing somebody ever said to him. He was thrilled.

He was excited not only because he was about to see his beloved wife, but also the two ladies were finally going to leave Ye Clan. Unlike Ye Xiao, he didn't know that the two ladies were friendly. After all, there were too many influential figures already. Ye Nantian had never stopped worrying that the two ladies would start a fight to kill Zhan Yunfei and Zhu Jiutian for their dead brother!

Zhan Yunfei and Zhu Jiutian were such honorable cultivators. They would never escape...

That was not the point though. What bothered him most was that he couldn't choose a side. Zhan and Zhu were his son's brother disciples, and they had been fully supporting Ye Clan against Qiong-Hua Palace. They were both Ye Clan's true friends!

The two ladies were, however, the elders of Qiong-Hua Palace. Basically, Ye Clan should stay against them!

However, the two ladies were Xiao Monarch's sworn sisters at the same time. The reason the two ladies would start a fight against Zhan and Zhu, even Cold Moon Palace, was that they wanted to take revenge for their brother, Xiao Monarch. Xiao Monarch was a savior to Ye Nantian's entire family! Xiao Monarch's name even kept the two ladies from attacking Ye Clan! If Ye Nantian stood on Cold Moon Palace's side to fight against the two ladies, he would be as despicable as animals!

Ye Nantian could never do that!

Therefore, he honestly didn't know which side to choose if the two ladies started the battle!

That was why when he heard that the two ladies were leaving, he was so glad. After optionally packing up some stuff, he gave a few words to the elders in the clan and set out with the two ladies.

The only thing that upset him was that his son, Ye Xiao, made a big mistake at the critical moment. He seemed to be breaking through in cultivation. Ye Nantian took a look at him in his room and found that there was smoke rising up behind his head. Apparently, he was in the middle of something vital. It was going to take a long time for him to finish.

Besides, after he successfully broke it, he still needed time to strengthen it, which meant he couldn't go to Qiong-Hua Palace with them.

Ye Xiao couldn't go, yet Yue Shuang and Yue Han wouldn't wait. Ye Nantian had to go with them alone.

The golden hawk flew up and left in advance.

After Ye Nantian and the two ladies were gone, Zhan Yunfei and Zhu Jiutian couldn't endure staying for any longer. They told Ye Clan's people and then took a leave in a hurry.

However, one day after they all left, Ye Xiao set up a spiritual power array in his room and then left secretly. He went along the wind quietly out of Ye Clan's house and reached a place fifty miles away.

He made a shout and then a white shadow started to approach from a distance.

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Chapter 1160: Golden Hawk's Nerves

Han Bingxue showed up, wearing his white clothes which were as white as snow. He looked casual and confident, but his face didn't look the same. He seemed to be upset about something.

He said with a bitter face, "It was killing me these days..."

Ye Xiao frowned and responded, "Cut the bullsh*t! Come on! Let's get on the serious matter!"

Then he turned over and left.

Han Bingxue was stunned by Ye Xiao's reaction. After a while, he started to feel angry. "Holy hell! You put me in the corner of nothing for all these days, yet you didn't even say a word to comfort me? Aren't you going too far? I know you are on some serious matters, but I am a serious matter too!"

Ye Xiao's voice sounded in the darkness of the night, "How the hell am I going too far? Listen to you! Stop talking like you are a little concubine to me! We are brothers. Restrain yourself. I am not interested in guys. And I am impossible to get bent. So just give up. How can you call yourself a serious matter when you are having such an idea to me?"

He kept talking and talking, giving no time for Han Bingxue to respond. Han Bingxue was numb. When he realized what Ye Xiao was exactly talking about, he felt so gross that he nearly puked out. - Pah! - He spat and cursed, and then ran ahead to catch up with Ye Xiao, who had been gone far.

After moving for a hundred miles, Ye Xiao made a shout to the sky again.

A small dot of golden light was fleeting in the night sky. After a while, a huge beast was descending from the sky. It was exactly the golden hawk.

When Shuang and Han left the other day, it flew away to cover its identity. It had been hiding somewhere. After all, in ordinary people's recognition, a marvelous beast like it could only belong to some influential figures like the two ladies! It shouldn't belong to somebody like Ye Xiao after all!

That was why it didn't show up until Ye Xiao told it to.

Ye Xiao smiled and casually climbed up on the hawk's back.

"Holy heavens! Do you own this good golden hawk, boss? I thought it belonged to Shuang and Huang the two ladies... Hahaha..." Han Bingxue laughed excitedly, "This is going to be great. I haven't ridden a bird before in my entire life. Look at this. I am going to do it now..."

Then he quickly rode on the hawk.

"Ouch! Holy hell!" then he exclaimed and fell off the back of the golden hawk, holding his butt with his hands.

It turned out the hawk was pissed off by what he said. It didn't want him to ride on its back. - Puff! - It even stabbed Han Bingxue's butt with its beak and made a bloody hole in it.

Han Bingxue would never expect the hawk would attack him! After all, it looked so nice and gentle when Ye Xiao rode on it. The hawk was really fast. He didn't realize he got stabbed on the butt. When he felt sore and touched the blood, he finally realized it.

Han Bingxue's butt was bleeding, and that made him both angry and bashful. He started to swear, and his face was entirely red like a big piece of red paper!

Ye Xiao was delighted. He said, "Oh, Little Han, is it hemorrhoid in your ass torturing you?"

Han Bingxue was furious, "What a filthy feather animal... How dare you mess with me! That was a sneak attack... I have to punish you for that..."

Before he finished, a beam of golden light shined in his sight. It was the hawk overwhelmingly fleeing over to him in the air.

Han Bingxue didn't step back a bit. He drew out the long sword and fiercely cut the hawk's wing! He wouldn't do it in full power because of Ye Xiao. He just wanted to give the bird a lesson, so he swung the sword in thirty percent power.

- Puff! -

The hawk looked disdainful. It cooed and then crashed on the sword directly like a huge mountain.

When two things crashed, the stronger one won. Han Bingxue was restraining himself while the hawk was doing it in full power. That decided the result. Han Bingxue's long sword didn't hurt the hawk a bit. Instead, the sword was hit back. The hawk didn't slow down when it hit the sword but continued to crash on Han Bingxue.

Even though he was a level nine Dao Origin Stage cultivator, he still got hit away when the hawk crashed on him. At this moment, he finally made an exclaim with surprise.

The hawk didn't stop after making a good strike. It actually started to move in its utmost speed and cracked a dark hole in the air. The next moment, it disappeared in that hole and appeared over Han Bingxue's head! Its beak accurately held Han Bingxue's hair up. It made a jolly hawk shout, rapidly swung its wings, and suddenly the golden light flashed.

It shot up to the sky like a shooting arrow with Han Bingxue in its mouth.

It carried Han Bingxue up to the sky and reached beyond the clouds, yet it didn't stop. It just kept going higher and faster!

Han Bingxue was terrified like his soul was going to leave his body!

He couldn't even dream of being into such a dangerous situation just because of something he boldly said.

They were tens of thousand meters away from the floor at the moment. When he looked down, all he could see were clouds and mist, nothing else!

It was fine if that was all he was experiencing. He was a top-class cultivator in the world after all. He was powerful enough to stay high in the sky. However, the problem was that he was in a weird position, being held by the hawk on his hair as if he was a kite flying in the sky...

The wind flows were so strong that he couldn't keep his eyes open. He was almost like a frozen ice stick.

He didn't dare to do anything reckless at the moment.

Maybe the hawk would just throw him off if he did anything that could surprise the hawk!

They were moving so fast and so high. If the hawk loosened its beak, he would fall out like an arrow leaving the bow!

He couldn't hold anything or do anything else to control his body while falling in the air. If there were a mountain in front of him, he would probably hit on it...

He felt extremely upset about what was happening to him, but there was nothing he could do.

"Boss..."

He forcibly opened his mouth trying to say something to Ye Xiao but was only able to say one word before his mouth was filled by the wind. All that came out from his mouth was babble.

Ye Xiao, who was sitting on the back of the hawk, didn't gloat or did anything mean. He certainly understood there was no time for playing. He had talked to the hawk through mind connection and said nice words about Han Bingxue.

However, the golden hawk just wouldn't listen...

Ye Xiao was helpless about it.

Han Bingxue had gotten on its nerves at the beginning.

'I haven't ridden a bird...'

That was such a humiliation to the hawk.

[Have you ever seen a bird that could possibly be as handsome, strong, beautiful, and imposing as I?]

[What the hell do you mean riding me? I am such a majestic and powerful golden hawk! Do you think you can ride me like I am a horse or something?]

The hawk had a lot of anger burning in its chest. It couldn't kill Han Bingxue since he was apparently a friend of Ye Xiao, so it decided to let him experience something different in the sky!

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