#### Firmament 1791

### **Realms In The Firmament**

Chapter 1791: Change; Rise!

The City of Chaos was different.

Not everything had changed. The Great Ye Clan occupied ninety percent of the city, and the Monarch's Hall occupied the rest. That wasn't changed. However, there was no Great Ye Army anymore, only the Great Ye Clan. In fact, everybody accepted that the City of Chaos belonged to the Great Ye Clan!

The Monarch's Hall still got ten percent of the city because the two organizations were in a good relationship. They didn't announce alliance, but they were exactly like allies!

Ye Xiao was right about the Young Master Yunduan, who turned out to be truly a wise and talented man. Ye Yunduan had recruited many capable men. Within half a year, the City of Chaos was already back to order.

The Heaven's Leaf was rising, steadily moving into a bright future.

The Young Master Yunduan and the seven clans were getting well along with each other. Whenever the young man saw the seven old masters, he always acted humbly and talk politely. He was such a nice person.

The seven old masters were supporting the young master, but deep down, they didn't really like it.

Young Master Yunduan was a brilliant leader, and he was doing his best for the interests of the Great Ye Clan. Nobody could deny his capabilities.

He was driving the Great Ye Clan toward a great future.

The seven old masters saw it with their own eyes, so they wouldn't misjudge the young master.

Within only half a year, Young Master Yunduan had gathered a force that was even stronger than the Great Ye Army used to be... However, Ye Changqing's Great Ye Army was fake. It was a group of spies and moles. Nobody was loyal to the leader.

Young Master Yunduan's people were much more honorable.

Ye Yunduan had made quite a lot of effort for building the army. Everybody saw how hard he had been working.

The men who joined the Great Ye Clan were all superior. Ye Yunduan was also a superior leader.

However, the seven old masters just didn't feel very happy.

It was simple... Comparison told everything.

Ye Xiao was too good. No matter how Ye Yunduan was, Ye Xiao was better. He was always better!

It wasn't fair to compare. In fact, the old masters shouldn't make the comparison... In the history of the Human Realm Upon Heavens, Ye Xiao was the only one who built everything from nothing at such a young age!

Even the five Sky Kings, the Great Master Ye, even the Supremacy of the Human Realm Upon Heavens weren't as good as him.

Ye Yunduan was doing a good job, but still, he couldn't compare to Ye Xiao.

Nobody cared about a rock when there was a jade. Maybe it wasn't just a rock, but compared to a fine jade, it didn't make a difference whether it was or not an ordinary rock!

There was a bright future following Ye Xiao. They weren't sure if it was going to be the same if they followed Ye Yunduan... It wasn't bad to follow Ye Yunduan, but it was definitely worse than to follow Ye Xiao!

The name of the young lord was something that troubled the old masters.

When the old men thought of the name of the Young Master Yunduan, they felt like they were being choked by a fly.

Ye Changging called himself Ye Yunduan when he arrived at the City of Chaos.

He was posing as the Young Master Yunduan.

For the seven old masters, they were still following the Young Master Yunduan.

Besides, Ye Changqing was also a member of the Great Ye Clan.

Even though they were two totally different men, the seven old masters still couldn't feel happy facing Ye Yunduan. They felt like they were still facing the fake Ye Yunduan, and they felt like any moment now, he would lead them to some disaster...

They couldn't get over it.

The old masters and Ye Yunduan were all upset about it, but there was nothing they could do. Nobody knew how to solve the problem.

Ye Changqing had left an unsolvable problem to them...

Every time when they called Young Master Yunduan, they felt weird in their hearts...

However, the Great Ye Clan was rising in the city. People kept coming from the Great Ye Clan too. The Great Ye Clan was rising fast.

It was a great thing for the Seven Golden Lotuses and the Heaven's Leaf.

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The new Great Ye Army developed well. The Monarch's Hall had basically left the City of Chaos. The headquarters was still there, which was known as the fortress of trees. All the other activities were outside the city in the Limitless Ocean.

The appearance of the Monarch's Hall stirred a huge disturbance in the Limitless Ocean!

The entire Human Realm Upon Heavens was shocked!

The Great Executor of the Monarch's Hall appeared in the Limitless Ocean one day with a sword in his hand. Bu Xiangfeng challenged Cheng Zihao, the guardian of one of the nineteen passes in the Limitless Ocean. Within three sword moves, Bu Xiangfeng killed Cheng Zihao, yet he was left unharmed. The Farewell Sword shocked the world.

Cheng Zihao had reached the Immortality Stage for many years. He was almost as powerful as Chihuo. However, he couldn't last three moves from the Great Executor of the Monarch's Hall!

It was world-shocking news.

Qiu Luo held the Blade of Protection and killed the eight Great Thieves of the Limitless Ocean. He had destroyed the entire Grey Parasol Sword Sect on his own. Great elders, elders, prime master, and all the other members of the Grey Parasol Sword Sect were dead!

It shocked the Limitless Ocean too.

The entire world knew what was going on between Qiu Luo and the Grey Parasol Sword Sect. Qiu Luo did what he could to get revenge, and it was reasonable. He wasn't the most brutal man in the world anyway. Whoever had the bigger fist represented the law. Nobody cared how merciless he was. What shocked the world was the incredible martial art of Qiu Luo!

People knew that Qiu Luo used to be tortured by the prime master of the Grey Parasol Sword Sect in the old days. He used to be wasted, a man with no power. However, after less than three years, the powerless old man, Qiu Luo, became an Immortality Stage cultivator, one of the most powerful men in the world. He casually moved inside the Grey Parasol Sword Sect and killed everybody he wanted to kill. Nobody could stop him. After killing everybody in the Grey Parasol Sword Sect, he left a poem behind.

'Thousands of days, I gritted my teeth. My feet step on the soil of the evil land.'

'One move, all monsters are gone. One move, no blood splashed!'

'I am a monarch from the Monarch's Hall, with my Blade of Protection.'

'Who dares to offend should think carefully of the dead souls here!'

The news about the poem spread to the martial world. It expressed Qiu Luo's voice in his heart. It expressed his hate to the Grey Parasol Sword Sect and his loyalty to the Monarch's Hall.

'Who dares to mess with the Monarch's Sword will end up dead just like the Grey Parasol Sword Sect!'

He was such a killing god who made a declaration of blood!

After that, Qiu Luo's name shocked the world. He became one of the famous killing gods in the world!

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# **Chapter 1792: Chaotic Limitless Ocean!**

The Dark Evil Spirit and Bai Long were two powerful members of the Monarch's Hall. They made a good team fighting their way of thirty-eight thousand miles in the Limitless Ocean. People were scared of them.

The great name of the Dark and White Killers of the Monarch's Hall became the second most terrifying name in the Limitless Ocean. The first was the One Meter Higher Sky!

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The Seven Stars Warriors of the Monarch's Hall also did a great job in the Limitless Ocean.

Eight of the Twelve Units, including the Rat Unit, the Dragon Unit, the Horse Unit, the Ox Unit, the Goat Unit, the Tiger Unit, the Monkey Unit, and the Dog Unit went to eight different directions in the Limitless Ocean and won all the way down.

Gui Wuya, the head of the Rat Unit was the toughest leader among the others. He fought his way out and conquered many places. Nobody expected the Rat Unit to be the toughest unit...

The eight units built their own stations all around the Limitless Ocean, which shocked the world.

Somebody got the information showing that each of the leaders of the eight units was an Immortality Stage cultivator!

Further information showed that the Monarch's Hall had twelve units in total. Four of them were still hiding, remaining a mystery to the world. As the eight units became more and more famous, the other four units became more and more frightening.

"You are out of date. The Monarch's Hall does not only have the Twelve Units. The Twelve Units are unimportant. The units are ruled by the Department of Battle! The Department of Battle had some elders, guardians, and a great leader..."

"What? The twelve units are already so powerful... The four mysterious units must be horribly powerful... What should we think of the Department of Battle? Come on... The leaders of the twelve units are Immortality Stage cultivators... How about the leader of the Department of Battle?"

"Hiss..."

"This is big, but not the most shocking. The Monarch's Hall has an Enforcement Department. The Farewell Sword, Bu Xiangfeng, who killed Cheng Zihao with three casual sword moves, was the Great Executor of the Enforcement Department. He must have a lot of superior cultivators in his group too. I think the Enforcement Department must be even stronger than the Department of Battle!"

"Hiss..."

"People said that the Monarch's Hall had a Guardian Hall... It is still a mystery. Nobody knows how powerful it is..."

"Holy hell..."

"Well, the Monarch's Hall has many other departments that nobody knows... I heard that they had a Service Hall..."

"Ah, f\*ck!"

"Under the Prime Master, over the One Saber, Seven Stars, and leaders of the Twelve Units, there are the Five Kings! Those five are the really powerful ones..."

"..." People didn't know what to say about it.

"I heard... The Monarch's Hall has a lot of allies. The Heaven's Leaf has returned to the City of Chaos, but only the Monarch's Hall still stays inside the city. They must have become allies..."

"Other than that..."

"Wait... You haven't told me who the prime master of the Monarch's Hall is!"

"Why are you so stupid? Don't you know? Lord Monarch! The owner of the Monarch's Hall!"

"The Xiao Monarch? Isn't he the One Meter Higher Sky?"

"That's right! So you know him! Look... The Xiao Monarch is known to be an unbelievably powerful cultivator... He is invincible..."

"Really?"

"Come on! Why is he the One Meter Higher Sky? Don't you think? It is said that he used to challenge the five Sky Kings in the past. However, because he didn't want the fame, he decided to keep the result of the battle a secret..."

"What... For real?"

"Come on! The Xiao Monarch doesn't want fame. He only focuses on his own cultivation. It must be true. Think about it. Why doesn't anybody say that you used to challenge the five Sky Kings?"

"That's right... I think this is real..."

All in all, the Limitless Ocean was in chaos. The Human Realm Upon Heavens was in a mess.

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The Monarch's Hall had strongly marched to the world. The other forces definitely couldn't show weakness. The Hall of Returning Nature had done a lot of things to raise their prestige. The two ladies, Wan and Xiu of the House of Chaotic Storms actually showed themselves in the Limitless Ocean together... That was rare...

The Brotherhood Alliance didn't do anything. They were quiet. However, nobody dared to underestimate them. People were guessing that the Great Ye Army was defeated by the Brotherhood Alliance! It was scary!

Nobody mentioned Ye Changqing.

Master Changqing was living in hell.

He was in trouble every single day. No matter where he went, people always found him, beat him, and humiliated him. When he drank, people hit his cup. When he ate, people spat on his food.

Every night when he was asleep, people came to disturb him.

He was living in fear.

Within half a year, Ye Changqing already became worse than a beggar!

Whenever he tried to return to the Great Ye Clan's hidden homeland, people stopped him. He was beaten up so hard!

There was no way he could make it back home!

He just had to stay where he was and accept the torture and humiliation.

He starved every day. When he was dying, some dirty steamed buns would appear on the floor. He would have to eat them if he wanted to live.

Well, if he lived, he had to bear the humiliation!

Ye Changging didn't hate anybody anymore. He regretted it! He regretted everything he used to do...

'Why couldn't I just collect the information and go home?'

'That was something important for the clan too...'

He lived in regret. That was suffering...

He didn't hate anybody...

Even when a rat ran over him, he would be scared. He would shiver as if he was going to be tortured again...

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The Xie League was also a powerful organization in the Limitless Ocean, which was an ally to the House of Chaotic Storms. Ling Wuxie was the prime leader. In half a year, the Xie League had a big fight against the Hall of Returning Nature. It truly had shaken the entire world. Over a dozen mountains were cracked into pieces in the battle. People on both sides died.

In the end, the Xie League had to leave the Limitless Ocean because it lost. The Hall of Returning Nature didn't get anything good though. After the big fight, the House of Chaotic Storms kicked the Hall of Returning Nature out of the Limitless Ocean! They had to go to the west!

The Limitless Ocean was a huge battlefield!

The House of Chaotic Storms and the Hall of Returning Nature had a fight. Soon after that, the Xie League fought the Hall of Returning Nature. After that, the Monarch's Hall fought the House of Chaotic Storms. What followed after that was the fight between the Monarch's Hall and the Hall of Returning Nature... It was at war.

All in all...

The Limitless Ocean was in a mess. Battles were everywhere.

People fought each other day after day...

As the war went on, everybody was muddled. Nobody knew what was going to happen next.

People in the powerful forces were muddle-headed. They didn't know what they were fighting for anymore!

Ye Xiao used to give an explanation about an enemy's enemy being a friend. Well, none of the theories applied to the situation in the Limitless Ocean at the moment.

In the Limitless Ocean, there were only enemies!

People fought for themselves!

Friends were still friends, but the others were always just enemies. The House of Chaotic Storms and the Xie League never had a fight. They were forever allies!

One day, a letter for battle was sent to the Monarch's Hall. Somebody sent it out through the biggest intelligence organization in the Limitless Ocean, Stop Booth.

"To the Dragon Unit of the Monarch's Hall, fight me if you dare! Iron Kong of the Hall of Returning Nature."

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### Chapter 1793: A Famous Battle

The challenge for war was from the Hall of Returning Nature!

It was a challenge for war against the Dragon Unit of the twelve units of the Monarch's Hall.

The Dragon Unit had been expanding extremely fast. After some significant fights, the Hall of Returning Nature almost lost all its territories in the southeast. The Hall of Returning Nature arranged some counterattacks but failed to take back those places.

The Dragon Unit was going to control the new territories. The Hall of Returning Nature felt it more and more difficult to take those places back. In the last fight, the Iron Kong, one of the four Kong Warriors of the Hall of Returning Nature, had lost his wife. She died in Long Tiansheng's hands, who was the leader of the Dragon Unit.

Iron Kong was furious. He swore that he would avenge his beloved wife, so he sent the challenge to Long Tiansheng!

The news shocked the entire Limitless Ocean.

The Stop Booth was the biggest information collecting organization in the Limitless Ocean. It wasn't a booth, but all the deals were made in a small booth. Countless small booths like this were everywhere in the Limitless Ocean.

Anybody got into the small booth and paid enough money. He could definitely get the information he needed or send out the information he wanted to send. The Stop Booth soon became the biggest intelligence organization in the Limitless Ocean. People always sent their challenge for war in the Stop Booth. The entire world heard it, and the Stop Booth would make sure the targeted person heard it!

As the message was sent, Long Tiansheng made his response. "One month later, let's have a death match on top of the Dragon Howl Mountain!"

The Iron Kong responded, "One month!"

That fight was unavoidable now.

Long Tiansheng led the best men he had to the Hall of Life and Death. He was improving fast outside, but the best place to improve himself was the Hall of Life and Death. The spiritual qi in the fortress of trees was dozens of times richer than any other place.

In order to prepare well for the fight, Long Tiansheng decided to stay in the Hall of Life and Death for one month.

The Lord Monarch of the Monarch's Hall had already given him the order. "Come back and stay for one month. Kill the enemies!"

The Lord Monarch got Long Tiansheng's back, so he came back to the Hall of Life and Death immediately.

After one month of training, with the support of Meng Youjiang, Long Tiansheng had been through hell...

One month was short.

On top of the Dragon Howl Mountain, the Iron Kong had arrived early.

He was quite confident. He didn't even ask for backup from the headquarters of the Hall of Returning Nature.

Long Tiansheng was known to be an Immortality Stage but was weaker than the Iron Kong.

The Iron Kong was sure he could kill Long Tiansheng with one attack.

He didn't want to inform the Hall of Returning Nature because he didn't want things to be complicated... After all, the Hall of Returning Nature was fighting the House of Chaotic Storms. He didn't want the Hall of Returning Nature to come to fight against the Monarch's Hall at the same time.

The fight was ought to be a personal fight between the two men.

He only wanted to avenge his wife, not for his organization.

The Iron Kong hoped that Long Tiansheng would bring as many people as he could. When Long Tiansheng was killed, the men of the Dragon Unit would approach to save their leader. That gave the Iron King a good reason to kill some of the Monarch's Hall's people. The Monarch's Hall wouldn't get a reason to blame him since it was just a personal fight.

In a personal fight, if Long Tiansheng's men got into the fight, the Iron Kong had the right to kill them!

After the Iron Kong waited for a long time, Long Tiansheng finally arrived with all the members of the Dragon Unit!

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However, the result of the fight was a surprise to all!

After the fight, Long Tiansheng and the Dragon Unit people left. Somebody climbed up to check the battlefield, and they found many dead bodies, including the Iron Kong!

Before the fight, nobody, except the Monarch's Hall, believed in Long Tiansheng.

The Dragon Unit was powerful. It had defeated many enemies in six months.

However, the Four Kong Warriors of the Hall of Returning Nature were powerful cultivators in the Human Realm Upon Heavens, known to the world!

The Dragon Unit always lost its fights against the Four Kong Warriors.

Nobody had ever thought that the Dragon Unit would win!

The Iron Kong was dead. One thousand and three hundred good men of the Hall of Returning Nature died as well.

Blood covered the top of the Dragon Howl Mountain.

Iron Kong had a great plan, but he was proved wrong! He underestimated the enemy!

In a personal fight, the Iron Kong lost! His men saw him losing the fight, so they approached to join the battle. That was how it became a gang fight!

In the end, Iron Kong died with his grudge. His men all died in the fight!

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Tens of thousands of miles away.

In a small penthouse.

A young master in white clothes suddenly stood up. His eyes were full of killing intent. "The Monarch's Hall!

"Dig it out!

"Find out everything about the Monarch's Hall!

"An ant actually dares to offend the sky!

"Send the Golden Phoenix. Destroy this stupid organization as soon as possible!"

An order was made by this elegant young lord.

"Yes!"

"No matter who they are, I want everybody in my way to die!" The young lord walked away and disappeared.

After a while, a snow mountain collapsed somewhere far away.

The mountain actually disappeared.

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In the House of Chaotic Storms.

"Master, I have confirmed that the leader of the Monarch's Hall is the person we have been waiting for!" Wan'er was sitting on a chair, softly talking to her beloved master.

"I really didn't know he would make it. He came so early, and he developed so fast!" Xiu'er said.

The two ladies gently looked at Master Bai.

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### Chapter 1794: He's Here

Master Bai looked casual as usual. He was the wise man who always looked relaxed. It seemed the world was in his heart.

"I know." Master Bai blandly smiled and casually said, "A half year ago, even earlier than that, I knew he was here."

Xiu'er in a cyan dress was surprised. "Master, did you really know he was here? Then... Why?"

"No reason." Master Bai looked in the distance and blandly said, "He was too weak. I didn't want to meet him too early. I didn't want to lose a good opponent. I told myself that I should wait. I gave him two years to grow.

"He is recognized to be my opponent. All I need to do is to give him a bit of time. I don't want to crush a man who is born a lot weaker than me. That must be boring..."

"As a matter of fact, as I expected, he is not an ordinary person!" Master Bai smiled. "There is still time before the two years are done. He has already grown strong!"

He looked casual and said in a low voice, "Ye Xiao, the man in my fate... You came."

Master Bai looked relieved and pleased.

"Master, when did you... When did you know Ye Xiao was here?" Wan'er was curious.

"Do you remember the message we received from the City of Chaos? Didn't it tell us there was a Hall of Life and Death?" Master Bai said, "It saves lives from death."

"We do." Wan'er blinked and said, "I thought it was just bragging. After all, there are countless incurable diseases in the world. People always brag about curing all diseases. Nobody could ever do it!"

"Nothing is certain. Most people are bragging, but this one may not." Master Bai said, "I didn't know whether it could truly bring all lives from death. I didn't know what treatments they used. However, I had a feeling that it could be Ye Xiao."

"What?" Wan'er was surprised. She then lost in thoughts. "Master... You actually knew he was here so early?"

"That's right. When the next message about the Hall of Life and Death was received, which told us the Hall of Life and Death was using the special treatment to recruit more men for the Monarch's Hall... Xiu'er, do you remember that night? I asked you to prepare dinner, and the three of us had some drinks under the moon."

Xiu'er blushed. The Xiu of the Heavens was actually bashful.

"Yes, Master. I won't forget that night."

Xiu'er talked in a low voice, but it sounded happy and shy.

Wan'er remembered that night as well. She blushed too. When she looked at Master Bai, her eyes were full of love.

The two ladies remembered what Master Bai said, "It is the night of ours."

The ladies were confused. "What night?"

Master Bai said, "The three of us manipulated the rise and fall of the lower realms. However, we never did anything about our marriage. Today is a good day, and I think we should do something for ourselves."

Wan'er and Xiu'er knew what he was talking about, so they blushed and lowered their heads.

Master Bai used to say, "The three of us stirred the chaotic storms in the Land of Han-Yang, the Qing-Yun Realm, even in the Human Realm Upon Heavens. We went everywhere, but we never had a good time in bed."

Master Bai looked emotional. He said, "Wan'er, Xiu'er, when I built the House of Chaotic Storms, I made a decision. One day, when I sit on the chair of supremacy, I will marry you both in the House of Chaotic Storms! I will make love with the two women I love in the House of Chaotic Storms!"

The two ladies were too bashful to speak, but they surely were overjoyed.

"Master, you are annoying!" Xiu'er said and reached out one hand to touch him. The two ladies remembered what the young master used to tell them. They wouldn't forget. It made them feel happy.

"Heh heh..." Master Bai smiled and said, "I have changed my mind. Why don't we just do it now? I want to marry you now."

"Tonight, you and me, the three of us, making love on the bed!" Master Bai laughed and said the words that he usually would never say. The two ladies were shy.

That night, Wan'er and Xiu'er officially became Master Bai's women.

"Please forgive me for doing this in a rush." Master Bai was so thoughtful, and the two ladies were so touched.

It was in a rush, and it showed disrespect to the ladies. However, Master Bai was the chosen one, son of a Sky King. In fact, he was appointed to marry somebody when he was born, just like all the children in a royal family.

Wan'er and Xiu'er were never accepted by the East Sky Royal Family!

The two of them should disappear after a few days.

They might have to die.

The Sky King and the Sky Queen didn't need to give the order. People would do it for them. Nobody would allow the maids to stain the blood of the royal family. As a matter of fact, they weren't even accepted to warm the young lord's bed!

Wan'er and Xiu'er were ready to be abandoned.

They loved Master Bai. They would give up their lives for Master Bai. They knew they were just maids, and they were never going to be Master Bai's women. However, they never regretted it. Sometimes, when they thought of the day when they had to leave Master Bai, they felt distressed.

Because they loved Master Bai so much, they always did their best to serve him. Only death could stop them.

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### **Chapter 1795: Two Important Things: Power and Women**

'As long as our master wants it, we will fight for it.'

'If he wants to be a saint, we will be his maids. If he wants to be a demon, we will be his servants. If he wants to bring disaster to the world, we will kill innocent people for him!'

Master Bai had given them promises, but Wan'er and Xiu'er both knew what the situation was in the royal court.

It seemed Master Bai was being disrespectful regarding a hurried start of the marriage, but in fact, he was taking all the distress from the royal clan. 'I will take my maids as my women!'

'I couldn't control myself!'

'Blame me if you want!'

'My maids can never turn me down, can they?'

'I am a powerful man. Everybody knows it is impossible for them to enchant me!'

'This is it. It is done. Nothing is going to change!'

Wan and Xiu had become Master Bai's women. They were his ladies now. Master Bai would stand up to face any accusation against the two ladies. They would be safe hiding under his wings.

After all, killing the prince's wife or concubine was a serious crime. Nobody dared to do it.

Therefore, the wedding night was rough, lack of respect to the ladies, but it solved a big problem for the ladies.

The pressure was on Master Bai alone now.

"I will protect my own women."

Wan'er and Xiu'er both remembered the softness in Master Bai's eyes. He was full of love.

Their passionate lovemaking connected them.

Master Bai asked about that night now.

Wan'er and Xiu'er both felt bashful. They finally knew why Master Bai looked so happy that night.

He kept telling them there was good news.

However, the two ladies only cared for one thing... It was such a sweet surprise for them...

It was the most important day for the two of them. Master Bai never told them what the good news was, so they didn't know what it was until this moment!

He finally told them.

That day, Master Bai confirmed that his best opponent had finally arrived in the Human Realm Upon Heavens! They were finally under the same blue sky!

He believed it wouldn't be long before he and Ye Xiao met again as enemies!

"I see," Wan'er said. Her face was still red. "Master, you knew it then, but you never told us."

Master Bai blandly smiled and said, "Well, after that, some of our men got the treatments in the Hall of Life and Death. The Hall of Life and Death provided supreme dan beads to cure our men. I was sure it was Ye Xiao."

Wan'er and Xiu'er both thought of the dan beads Ye Xiao used to give them in the Land of Han-Yang.

After the heavenly tribulation in the Human Realm Upon Heavens, supreme dan became extremely rare. However, for the Xiao Monarch, supreme dan beads were like cabbages in the field. He always got as many as he wanted. With all those supreme dan beads, how was he not going to rise in the world?

"Master, you knew he was running the Hall of Life and Death. Why didn't you do anything about it? We knew Ye Xiao. He is a clever man who keeps a steady pace. He is a talented man with profound views. His weak power is his only shortage. If you give him space to improve, I am afraid he is going to be a huge threat to us..." Xiu'er said.

Master Bai smiled and said, "Xiu'er, you are right. However, do you know what is most important for a man?"

"What is it?"

Master Bai looked at the window. A flower was on the branch of the tree outside the window.

"There are three things that really matter in a man's life.

"There are two things that everybody knows." Master Bai smiled and said, "Power and beauty!

"A man is always after the extreme power in the world, which allows him to conquer the world, to decide life and death! That is power!

"Man has to fight for power!"

Master Bai's profound eyes were flaming.

"Yes, Master. You are born a king in the world, and you are going to be one!" Xiu'er said with admiration. She had faith in him.

"That aside, it was the company of beauties!" Master Bai said, "Man with power is always lonely. It is difficult for men like me to have friends who can always catch up with me... It is impossible.

"The higher the position I obtain, the easier for me to be alone. The top of the world is too narrow to hold more than one person. Nobody is going to stand side by side with me on top of the world. When I am the supremacy of the world, the world is under me. What fills the hollow in my heart will only be the women I love!

"It is never a great success without the company of the beloved ladies on top of the world. Only the women I deeply love can share my joy! It won't be perfect without the ladies."

Master Bai said, "No matter how powerful a man is, he won't be great if he can't even have his beloved ones on his side!

"There are two important things for a man, power and women!"

Master Bai said.

"To hold the power in my hand and to hold the beauties in my arms!

"That is the life I am chasing for.

"I would fight the entire world to have you on my side. I will protect our love at all costs! It is my responsibility. It is the responsibility of your man!"

Wan'er and Xiu'er were dumbfounded. They looked at the man and said, "Master..."

They almost shed tears.

"The third important thing for a man was the most important one..." Master Bai said slowly, "An opponent. A proper opponent who matches my capability!

"It doesn't always have to be an enemy. We don't have to kill each other. However, he must keep bringing me the biggest pressure!

"An opponent like that is the biggest dream of a man in his life!

"Why is an opponent so important? Because an opponent who is strong enough to bring threats to me can keep me alert all the time because that pressure will keep driving me up."

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### **Chapter 1796: Opponents**

"I believe you both know about Ji and Ce, the Supremacy Masters of the world. However, do you know why they could become Supremacy of the world? How did they become even greater than the five Sky Kings? They were great opponents to each other for a lifetime. Neither of them could defeat the other, so they kept forcing each other to improve.

"They had to keep improving themselves to try to defeat each other! That was why they were the Supremacy of the world!

"The South Supremacy Master and the North Supreme Master were both powerful. If anyone of them was weaker, there wouldn't be two Supreme Masters!

"I want an opponent like that. That's the most important thing in my life!"

"Ye Xiao is the man." Master Bai blandly said, "He managed to ascend to the Human Realm Upon Heavens in such a short time. I should give him the opportunity to improve. Why would I oppress him when he was so weak? It wouldn't be fair, and it is not what I want.

"However, I won't help him. If he rises with my support, he is no longer my opponent. He has to grow on his own. He must chase me. He must surpass me. That is the opponent I want.

"He didn't let me down. In fact, he impressed me. I am lucky to have him as my opponent!"

Master Bai laughed gladly.

Wan'er and Xiu'er were both in shock.

Women always find it difficult to understand men's thoughts. How did Ye Xiao become Master Bai's most important opponent in life?

After a while, Wan'er said, "Master... Is there... Is there anybody else in the Human Realm Upon Heavens who can be your opponent?"

Master Bai stopped smiling. He didn't say anything.

Xiu'er took a breath and said, "Master... Master Meng of the Hall of Returning Nature... The Brotherhood Alliance... The sons of the other Sky Kings... Lord Phoenix Eye of the Glaze Sky... Lord Yu of the South Sky... Lord Han... These people... They are..."

"They are what?" Master Bai raised his eyebrows and said, "They are only a bunch of young lords who depend on their powerful parents. Who are they to be my opponents? They don't deserve it!"

Wan'er and Xiu'er were both speechless.

'What is this? Is Meng Wuzhen the biggest enemy to us? Why would Master go to the lower realms for nearly ten thousand years? We were worried because Meng Wuzhen was rising, weren't we? We are rising up fast, the House of Chaotic Storms... We always take the Hall of Returning Nature as our biggest threat. We never stopped fighting the Hall of Returning Nature... All the schemes... The battles...'

'How come... How come the Hall of Returning Nature, Meng Wuzhen, isn't our opponent now?'

"I know. I was wrong about Meng Wuzhen." Master Bai said, "When Wuxie gave me the message, I was misled. I thought Meng Wuzhen got the Heavenly Mystery. If he did, he was the perfect opponent for me. I felt that I would lose the opportunity to compare him... It was just a feeling."

"Isn't that real?" Xiu'er said.

'When we are back to the Human Realm Upon Heavens, Master has done a lot of searching, and it is confirmed Meng Wuzhen did obtain the Heavenly Mystery. Master told us about it... How come it changed?'

"Meng Wuzhen got something. It is the truth. Otherwise, he wouldn't remove the restraint on himself. He did improve extremely fast." Master Bai said.

"Well..." Wan'er and Xiu'er were lost.

"However, Meng Wuzhen has never been smarter than he used to be." Master Bai blandly said, "The Heavenly Mystery is incredible. When it gets into the owner, it changes the owner's mindset. A cautious man becomes even more cautious. A careless man becomes careful. It changes the man little by little.

"That is the power of the Heavenly Mystery.

"Even the owner wouldn't notice the changes.

"The change is real. It sticks with the owner for a lifetime. He will be stronger and stronger day by day."

"However, Meng Wuzhen... He got the Heavenly Mystery, but he didn't change a bit." Master Bai blandly said, "Maybe the changes are insignificant, so insignificant that I can't notice them. However, if I can't notice it, that is not any useful change.

"Meng Wuzhen is more powerful than before, but only in cultivation. He hasn't improved fully.

"In other words, Meng Wuzhen is still the young and useless lord of the West Sky!" Master Bai said, "A man like that is never a threat to me. He is just stronger. Nothing more. I can easily get him killed by playing some simple schemes!

"I haven't thought of killing him because the five Sky Kings made a promise. Besides, his existence is still pushing me up a little. However, it is getting weaker and weaker!"

Master Bai smiled and said, "When I decided to go to the lower realms, I lowered down my cultivation power. I was in the Divinity Origin Stage, at least one level higher than Meng Wuzhen. I am talking about ten thousand years ago.

"Meng Wuzhen got something, so he freed himself from the cultivation restraint. He did rise to the top of the Saint Origin Stage. Whatever he got, it must have become a part of him. He was improving fast. Now, he is at the seventh level of the Undead Stage, which means he is stronger than many famous cultivators in the world. I think he is still improving incredibly fast.

"The Heavenly Mystery he found gives him such power.

"However, maybe he did it wrong. Young lords in a royal family like us have been supported by lots of dan beads and powerful tutors since we were born. We started cultivating since the first day of our lives. Improving fast isn't what we need. In fact, it takes only about one hundred years to reach the Immortality Stage. However, we won't do that because we need a strong foundation in cultivation and a powerful mindset. We always suppress our power and keep improving slowly. We restrained ourselves to cultivate ourselves in the low levels as long as possible. When our spiritual energy becomes pure, we set the power free and reach the next level. It brings us a strong accumulation. The later we set our power free, the higher we will reach in cultivation. Our mind power will be at a much higher level than our strength."

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### Chapter 1797: Stop the Restraint to Reach the Undead Stage

"This is why the five sky kingdoms were more powerful than itinerant cultivators. Meng Wuzhen was too keen on success, so he unleashed all his power to improve himself. In fact, for now, he isn't really that powerful."

Master Bai blandly smiled and said, "When we were on our adventures in the lower realms, we observed the rise and fall so many times. Our mind power has improved to a high level, and we have collected a lot of fortune energy. When we were back to the Human Realm Upon Heavens, we reached the Saint Origin Stage easily!

"Our improvement doesn't seem to be less than Meng Wuzhen, but not very much. You two are talented but far less talented than Meng Wuzhen. However, you have reached the third level of the Undead Stage, and you are still improving fast. Nobody has ever improved as fast as you did! It is a miracle!"

The ladies looked at each other and smiled with pride. They should be proud. It was definitely a miracle that two ladies like them actually reached the Undead Stage in such a short time!

However, Master Bai made a sigh and said, "But... Wan'er, Xiu'er, you know what? I am not satisfied!"

"What?" The ladies were surprised.

'Didn't he just say our improvement was a miracle? Why does he say he isn't satisfied? Doesn't it contradict himself?'

"You don't understand, do you? Do you remember what I told you before? I told you that our experience in the lower realms meant nothing. Do you remember?" Master Bai said.

Wan and Xiu both nodded. "Of course, but you didn't tell us why..."

Master Bai bitterly smiled and said, "I wanted to tell you. However, it was difficult to convince you. I didn't know how to argue. Besides, we were back already, so I didn't want to disturb your minds. However, you are already in a good state. I think it is time to tell you now!"

The ladies looked serious. They bowed and said, "Please, Master!"

Master Bai smiled and said, "Don't be so serious. It is a simple fact. Do you know why Ye Xiao could improve so fast? In just a year, he has reached the Immortality Stage."

The ladies looked at each other in confusion. Wan'er said, "We don't know. However, he is an expert in dan. He makes the best dan beads in the world. I guess his supreme dan must have helped him a lot!"

Master Bai shook his head and said, "You are wrong. Let me ask you. If he didn't have a strong accumulation of mind power, could he handle such a sudden improvement? The supreme dan must have helped him, but it wasn't the key!"

Xiu'er was shocked. She said, "Does Ye Xiao have any treasures that can help him improve his mind power? Did it help him improve in the lower realm?"

Master Bai shook his head again. "I don't know if he has such a great treasure or not. However, I don't think his mind power comes from any treasures. He must have strengthened his mind power from his cultivation experience!"

The ladies couldn't believe it, but they didn't say anything and just waited for Master Bai to tell them more. Master Bai said, "You have underestimated people in the lower realms... In fact, you are born in a high realm, so you are used to looking at them from a high position. You are powerful enough to defeat

everything in the lower realms, so you think less of them... However... They have their own advantages. They have something we need but we don't have!

"The biggest difference between two realms at different levels was in the density of the spiritual energy. The density of the spiritual energy decided the cultivator's improvement limitation. However, when a cultivator ascends to a higher level, he always improved fast in the beginning because of the rich spiritual energy in the new world. It wasn't hard to understand. However, have you ever thought about it? How does a man from the lower cultivator handle a quick improvement so well?

"In fact, it isn't difficult to understand either. Whoever ascends from the lower realm has strong will power. Their minds are always stronger than the natives. People from the Land of Han-Yang and Qing-Yun Realm are vivid evidence. Take Ye Xiao as an example, he improves fast in a proper situation!

"You are the same. When you were in the Land of Han-Yang, you didn't try to strengthen your mind power, but you have experienced so much. It automatically strengthened you... When you unleashed the restraint, you are boosted. That is why you can reach the third level of the Undead Stage so easily. You will reach the fourth level very soon. However, after that, you will stop for quite some time because the accumulation has run out!"

The two ladies were enlightened. They said, "We truly haven't gotten enough from the lower realms... If we knew it earlier, perhaps..."

Master Bai laughed and said, "Silly girls. You have already reached a level that most people could only dream of. Don't be silly. You are better than this!"

Master Bai teased them. The two ladies blushed. Wan'er kept her head low, while Xiu'er was still looking at Master Bai and said, "Master, you knew it. That is why you didn't free yourself when you are back here. Are you still accumulating it? Are you waiting for the right moment?"

Master Bai smiled and didn't answer the question. Wan'er suddenly thought of something, so she said, "Master, if you set the power free now, will you reach the Infinity Stage?"

Xiu'er was surprised. "How is that possible? It... It is impossible, isn't it?"

The Infinity Stage was the stage only top-level cultivators in the Human Realm Upon Heavens could reach. Only a few men in the Human Realm Upon Heavens had reached this stage. What Wan'er said truly surprised Xiu'er!

Master Bai smiled and said, "If I release it now, maybe I can rise to the Infinity Stage. I don't know. However, I know I can at least reach the top of the Undead Stage!"

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Chapter 1798: Where is the Mystery?

Wan and Xiu both cheered and congratulated Master Bai.

Master Bai smiled and said, "Do you believe me now? Meng Wuzhen must have obtained the Heavenly Mystery, and he has unleashed all the power he has to reach the seventh level of the Undead Stage. It is fast, but not fast enough to impress me.

"At least, the Heavenly Mystery he got was less useful than my fortune power.

"There will be a day soon when we can surpass Meng Wuzhen easily."

Master Bai said with a sneer in his eyes, "So, Meng Wuzhen doesn't mean a thing, does he? Even though he got the Heavenly Mystery, he is still no match for me!"

Wan and Xiu were both shocked.

'Master is right. If we can improve this fast, Meng Wuzhen isn't really so powerful, is he?'

'The Heavenly Mystery seems to be less useful than we thought.'

Xiu'er thought for a while and said, "In fact, if we found the Heavenly Mystery instead..."

It was just an assumption, but it brought Master Bai into deep thought. It seemed like he was enlightened.

"Hmm... If I got the Heavenly Mystery, supported by the fortune power, the spiritual qi from the souls of billions, and the power of my accumulation... I would be able to reach the Infinity Stage... In fact, I probably will reach the position of my father and stand at the peak of the world!"

Wan and Xiu were shocked.

'The Heavenly Mystery can actually help Master reach the position of the East Sky King!'

'That is horrible!'

"However, it doesn't feel right..." Master Bai frowned. "When I did the destiny test... It told me the Heavenly Mystery should be much more powerful... I should be able to reach the top of the Infinity Stage if I have the Heavenly Mystery... Why?"

He thought for a while and then suddenly stood up. He said, "Was my calculations wrong? Maybe Meng Wuzhen didn't get the Heavenly Mystery that we were chasing after! The Heavenly Mystery fell down after we shook the stars with the power of blood! Did Meng Wuzhen get another piece of Heavenly Mystery? I thought he got it, so I gave up! Whatever Meng Wuzhen has obtained, it is not what I have been chasing after!"

Master Bai's handsome face looked pale.

Wan and Xiu were both shocked. They stared at Master Bai and didn't know what to say.

Master Bai stood up. He paced around and murmured to himself. After a long while, he stopped to look at the sky. He then lowered his head and got lost in his thoughts again.

"That's right... No, that's wrong!"

Master Bai was deep in his thoughts.

"Yes... I missed something... Something important. We left the Human Realm Upon Heavens for tens of thousands of years!"

Master Bai clapped his own head.

He had thought of every detail but still failed to notice something that should be easy to find. He made a mistake! His heart started beating heavily as he thought of the mistake now.

His heart was beating so hard that he felt like it stopped.

After a while, he made a bitter smile.

"Meng Wuzhen spent ten thousand years, even less, to reach the seventh level of the Undead Stage. However, we didn't spend thousands of years to shake the stars and make the Heavenly Mystery fall. Whatever Meng Wuzhen found, it wasn't what we wanted...

"It was so obvious!

"It was just so simple!"

Master Bai regretted it so much.

"But... Why? Why did the signal stop? The Heavenly Mystery was still there! It should be there!

"That's right... We have collapsed the world nine times. We have stirred up the chaotic storms and got billions of people killed... All those spiritual qi and spiritual energy... If I got the Heavenly Mystery, with my restrained power, supported by the fortune power... I will rise to the top of the Infinity Stage!

"I deceived the Heavenly Dao and got the incredible power from the rise and fall, life and death, from the death of billions of lives... I did everything for the Heavenly Dao... Yet what I eventually got was only half of what I was after...

"The other half, the Heavenly Mystery that I wanted, where is it? Who found it?"

Master Bai slowly paced around.

"Could it be..." He suddenly started shaking. His eyes lit up in glittering lights, looking through the window to the distance.

Wan and Xiu were both shocked.

'Master is looking at the Limitless Ocean!'

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Master Bai spent the whole night thinking about it.

"The Hall of Returning Nature is fighting the Monarch's Hall. Will it destroy the Monarch's Hall? Perhaps, I should wait for the result of this battle. Is he the destined opponent in my life? I guess I won't know the answer unless this battle is finished!"

Master Bai's eyes were bloodshot, which was rare. His bloodshot eyes meant something was going to happen.

After that, he didn't say anything more. Silence filled the room for a long time.

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In the Hall of Life and Death, Limitless Ocean.

Ye Xiao was cultivating, trying to improve. Suddenly, he shivered...

"Atishoo! Atishoo!" He sneezed twice.

He rubbed his nose and murmured, "Who is cursing me?"

Apparently, he had killed more men than he saved, so he believed somebody must be cursing him!

His mindset had already improved and continued cultivating wouldn't be efficient at the moment, so he stood up and looked out the window. Outside the window, it was snowing, as if the world, the entire universe had turned snowy white.

The ground was silver-white.

It felt like feathers were falling in the sky and piling up on the floor, blocking the view.

Ye Xiao walked out the door and looked at the snow. He felt like he was in a dream, so he said, "Oh, it is snowing..."

His mind was with the Sky Ice Palace.

The Sky Ice Palace in the Qing-Yun Realm.

The Sky Ice Palace was always snowy all year round.

There was a lady in white clothes, who loved him so deeply.

Jun Yinglian.

"Lian Lian, where are you now?"

Snow dropped on his face, and he felt the cold, but he felt softness and love from the chill.

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Chapter 1799: Dragon and Phoenix Out; Purple Qi Rise!

The snow was chilling but soft.

Ye Xiao's deep longing in his heart seemed to arouse some special power inside him.

- Boom! -

A power flow burst. Within a thousand miles, the snowflakes in the air started to rush back up to the sky!

Because of the strong power flow, the snow around Ye Xiao disappeared.

On the floor, some green buds were growing up and waving in the wind, full of vitality.

After just a few seconds, the buds started to grow tall, leaves dancing in the air. Soon, on the branches, many flower buds appeared and then blossomed.

The beautiful flowers covered the entire area within a thousand feet.

It became an ocean of flowers on the land of snow!

The flying snowflakes and the howling wind from the north indicated that it was a cold winter.

However, on the floor, there was a sea of flowers around Ye Xiao.

The contradiction made it a sad but beautiful picture.

Ye Xiao quietly stood there, facing the sky but closing his eyes.

He didn't move.

He felt a strange power flow burst inside of him. Something that had restrained him for years had suddenly broken through!

The East-rising Purple Qi!

It finally got upgraded again!

Ye Xiao had been improving crazily fast for a long time. One level after another, he kept rising up. He was now at the second level of the Immortality Stage.

He did improve quickly, but the East-rising Purple Qi was still at the same level.

The power was still quietly running in his Jing and Mai. There was no sign of its breakthrough. As time went by, Ye Xiao had gotten used to it.

Sometimes, it was terrible to get used to something. Ye Xiao knew that his East-rising Purple Qi was too weak, and he would sigh about it after some difficult fights. The Extreme Purple Sword was powerful, but he couldn't make full use of it. He kept saying that he should get the East-rising Purple Qi to reach the fourth level as soon as he could, but he always stopped trying. A slow improvement made sure he wouldn't get a reverse impact, but it seemed he was too far away from the fourth-level East-rising Purple Qi. He didn't know what to do!

However, at the moment, when he was so deeply emotional, something happened inside him, and the East-rising Purple Qi suddenly reached the next level.

Finally, unexpectedly, the East-rising Purple Qi reached the fourth level!

As he finally got the fourth-level East-rising Purple Qi, some purple and golden lights kept shooting into his body from the sky through the flying snowflakes.

Ye Xiao couldn't be more conscious at the moment.

He could feel the light streams entering his body, his Jing and Mai, his dantian. He could feel the energy running inside his body...

Some words in purple color flashed in his sight.

'Who rules the time? What is the river of stars? The monarch comes from chaos. The purple qi rise against the will of heavens!'

'The level-four East-rising Purple Qi-Purple Qi against the Sky!'

The purple and golden words appeared in Ye Xiao's sight, moving around and disappeared in his head.

'The level-four East-rising Purple Qi is all about love!'

'Heroes always can't live without his beloved ones. It is not about destiny, but about the purple qi.'

Ye Xiao closed his eyes, and he didn't move. He wanted to learn every word.

It was still snowing, and the flowers on the floor were still there. Some flowers were blossoming, but some were withering. Seeds touched the soil, and more bud grew up...

Ye Xiao stood there for three months and didn't move even a bit.

He became like a sculpture. It felt like his soul was in another world...

It was his body, the soulless flesh, that stayed behind him in the mortal world.

If not for the lively qi still running in his body, people might believe he was dead.

A man standing somewhere for three months without moving a bit, it was abnormal. However, for cultivators, sitting in meditation for even a hundred years was normal. Chihuo knew that Ye Xiao was in the middle of an important meditation, so he gave the order to keep everybody away from Ye Xiao!

Chihuo didn't really know what was going on though. Ye Xiao was not in meditation. He was breaking the barrier!

In the Boundless Space...

Erhuo looked outside with concerns. It laid down on the floor quietly, and it was confused.

He was confused about Ye Xiao and something else.

The dragon egg and the phoenix egg seemed to be moving anxiously. The shell was a little transparent, and Erhuo could see the two babies trying to break the shell out.

Erhuo rubbed its whiskers and then held the eggs with its paws. Suddenly, some dense purple qi started to cover the eggs up.

As the purple qi covered them up, the shell became tough like iron steel. The babies calmed down inside the eggs.

It wasn't the first time. In fact, Erhuo had done it nine times.

The first few times, Erhuo did it on purpose. It wanted the dragon baby and phoenix baby to stay in the eggs for a longer time, so they could absorb more pure spiritual qi. Erhuo just wanted to do a great job to impress everybody.

However, the last few times, when Ye Xiao was breaking the barrier in cultivation, things have changed.

The two babies were already strengthened a few times, so they were already over a hundred times more potent than before!

It was enough. Even Erhuo couldn't say differently. All it needed to do was to let Ye Xiao check the eggs before they hatched. Ye Xiao needed to be there when the babies came out because he was going to

make a blood bonding to the two little things once they were out, so he could become the two little things' master.

However, Ye Xiao's East-rising Purple Qi was upgrading when the eggs were about to hatch!

It truly was unexpected!

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## **Chapter 1800: Trapped in Love**

The most important thing for Ye Xiao was to upgrade the East-rising Purple Qi, nothing else. Erhuo kept suppressing the dragon egg and the phoenix egg to wait for Ye Xiao.

"Meow..." Erhuo was confused.

'I know the East-rising Purple Qi. How come I didn't notice anything? How come Ye Xiao suddenly improved so much in the East-rising Purple Qi? It suddenly reached the fourth level, which was unbelievable. The trap of love with purple qi should be an extremely difficult barrier!'

Erhuo didn't understand.

It didn't know what it was that helped Ye Xiao on the improvement. In fact, what made him rise in the East-rising Purple Qi was the same thing that he went out for.

When he went out in the name of the One Meter Higher Sky, killing so many people in the Limitless Ocean, making a noise in the world, he did it only for one purpose. He wanted his name to spread in the world, so everybody knew where he was, and his brother, families, subordinates, and beloved women could come and find him.

He took such a great risk to fight all the way but didn't really get what he wanted. He wasn't satisfied.

There was still somebody he didn't find.

Li Wuliang and his wife had come. Shuang and Han came. Xuan Bing came. He was glad but not satisfied.

Jun Yinglian was still missing.

Su Yeyue didn't show up, but Ye Xiao knew she wouldn't. Why was Jun Yinglian still missing?

He had stirred up a disturbance that was known to the world. The Stop Booth would definitely spread the news about him.

In other words, Jun Yinglian must have gotten the message.

Since she knew, she would definitely come to find Ye Xiao.

However, Ye Xiao had connected many areas in the Limitless Ocean to the headquarters of the Monarch's Hall.

Why was Jun Yinglian still missing?

Where was she?

It had been quite some days since Ye Xiao made it back to the Monarch's Hall. Jun Yinglian hadn't shown up. She should have reached at least the fourth level of the Divinity Origin Stage.

It should take her no more than half a year to come to the Monarch's Hall.

However, she didn't come.

Ye Xiao was anxious and worried.

Not only Jun Yinglian but also Ning Biluo, Liu Changjun, and Zhao Pingtian were missing.

Ye Xiao kept telling himself that no news about them meant nothing bad happened to them. Perhaps, they were all in isolated cultivation. Not everybody could improve as fast and as well as he did. Not everybody had all the support he had. However, he just couldn't stop worrying.

When it started to snow, Ye Xiao couldn't stop the deep longings for Jun Yinglian. It reminded him of everything Jun Yinglian had done for him. He remembered the days in the Qing-Yun Realm with Jun Yinglian. He remembered everything.

At that moment, the emotion in his heart aroused the love in his heart. It was the love in his heart that triggered the bursting power of the East-rising Purple Qi, so it reached the fourth level. At the same time, he was trapped.

He was lost in love.

Ye Xiao had to break the trap to truly stay firmly at the fourth level of the East-rising Purple Qi. If he couldn't break the trap of love, he would never be able to improve his East-rising Purple Qi anymore!

How was he going to break the trap of love?

Everybody fell into the trap of love. However, most people couldn't break out. Some of them did, but it didn't end up well. Breaking the trap of love was the most difficult thing for a cultivator. It was even more difficult to break it in the right way!

Could Ye Xiao break the trap in the right way?

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The Flower King stood in front of the Hall of Life and Death, looking at Ye Xiao. He was watching the flowers around Ye Xiao. They kept growing and dying. Looking at them was like looking at the miserable life of human beings. The Flower King was jealous.

On the fifth day since Ye Xiao was back to the Hall of Life and Death, the Flower King came. He was in a perfect state when he came back. Apparently, he was more powerful than before. Ye Xiao took a breath of relief when he saw the Flower King. With the Flower King and Chihuo, the Hall of Life and Death was safe.

That was why Ye Xiao decided to spend the days on cultivating to improve himself. However, he didn't expect the snow or the trap of love that was unexpectedly triggered.

The Flower King looked at the growing and dying flowers around Ye Xiao. It reminded him of his own martial arts. After a while, he made a long sigh.

No matter how he tried, he just couldn't do as well as Ye Xiao. It was impossible for him to stay still for three months and let the flowers repeat growing and dying...

He just couldn't.

The Flower King dreamed of what Ye Xiao had at the moment.

If the Flower King was at this level, he should already be more powerful than he could imagine.

The Flower King was deeply connected to flowers. Wherever he stayed, he could always get energy from the flowers around him. If he could keep the flowers growing around him as Ye Xiao did, he was invincible. The life energy from the flowers would give him strength, and the withering of the flowers would give him the power to defend. He could live between the life and death of the flowers, which would make him invincible.

However, he couldn't. Maybe he would never be able to. That was why he made a long sigh. "How fate plays me!"

"Master Flower King, the Hall of Returning Nature attacked again. The battle between the Department of Battle and the Hall of Returning Nature is unavoidable." Somebody reported to him.

The Flower King frowned.

When Ye Xiao was in the breaking process, things outside never stopped changing.

Things happened fast.

The Dragon Unit of the Monarch's Hall destroyed the Iron Kong, one of the Four Kong Warriors of the Hall of Returning Nature. The leaders of the Hall of Returning Nature was enraged.

After that, fights never stopped.

The rest of the Four Kong Warriors and the eight Sky Masters kept marching to the Monarch's Hall. Long Tiansheng couldn't stop them, so he asked the headquarters of the Monarch's Hall for support.