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"Mm hmm, the courtyard is very big and very beautiful as well. But, Brother, leaving such a huge place for me, wouldn't it be very wasted if I don't stay here?" Feng Residence and the Guan Mansion were so close by, there wasn't much a difference staying here or there. It would be a real waste if she didn't come by and stay.

"No problem, anyway it's just me living here, leaving it doesn't matter." He waved his hand, without paying it any heed.

Hearing this, she laughed out and said: "In the future when you meet the person of your heart, and you'll have a few kids. It won't be just you alone then."

"Ha ha ha, that'll be a long time away! Not to mention, I don't have such thoughts at the moment." He chortled as he placed his two hands on his hips and he looked at his mansion with pride. "I've always wanted to build a place that belongs to me, a Guan Manor that has me in it. I finally have a home, when I find my parents next time, I can bring them home."

Feng Jiu looked at him and when she saw that his face had on a deep longing and filled with expectations, she could not help but say: "Brother will be sure to find them!" That was his wish and the one thing that he had most wanted to do. She believed that as long as he had this unwavering will, there was nothing that could not be done!

It's like how he had personally built a new home for himself, there was no one to help him and he had achieved everything by himself, all while relying on his own strong will!

Guan Xi Lin was stood there was all smiles. Suddenly, he thought of something and hurriedly said to her: "Oh yeah, Little Jiu, I still need to find Grandfather to discuss some things about moving in three days later, there are still a lot of things and procedures that I do not know. Whom do I need to invite to move in and more, I still need to discuss all these with him."

"Let's go then! Grandfather is now in my father's courtyard." She laughed and went with him as they made their way to her father's courtyard.

With the assistance from Old Man Feng, he had a guest list, on it were mainly various family clans and influential people. This was necessary for him to get recognised by all the various powers so that he could establish a foothold for himself for his own Guan Clan. It was to declare that from now onwards, he would be part of the Cloudy Moon City and become one of them.

Even if this was just a small family clan, however, with his own strength, there would be no doubt that it would be one that was not to be trifled with!

On this day, Guan Xi Lin had his men send those invitations to the various family clans and forces in the city to celebrate with him, the official moving in to his new residence and there would be a banquet prepared for them.

It could be said then when those people who received his invitations, each of their reactions were different. Each of them had their own thoughts, but one thing that did not differ was certain; Having received the invitation of Guan Xi Lin, should they attend? Or should they not?

This Guan Xi Lin could be considered quite a person, it was incredible for someone so young to be able to establish a clan that was his own. It could be said that his growth in the past year had been nothing short but amazing, hence his development was extremely valued.

If they could build some good relations with him, it could be quite a harvest, it's just....

They all knew that Guan Xi Lin was the adopted son of Feng Xiao. If Feng Xiao had sent the invitations before that incident, they would have accepted the invitation in a heartbeat and prepare for the celebration lavishly. However, now that things have progressed to such a stage, the status of Feng Residence has also turned and it was now in a precarious situation with the news of Feng Xiao. They were truly in a dilemma now that they've received this invitation and were still apprehensive as they wrecked their brains.

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Facing this problem was not just one or two families who were hesitant. One of Cloudy Moon City's mid sized family clan was in the midst of a meeting with their elders as they were discussing this matter. When they heard that they had been invited, the several elders had their eyebrows furrowed.

The family head held the invite in his hands and looked at an old man seated to his left and asked: "Great Elder, what do you think of this matter? Should we attend this? Or should we not?"

That old man stroked his long white beard and glanced at the red invitation and said: "This Guan Xi Lin is establishing a clan, however it is but a small one. It cannot be compared to the various powers that have their roots here in Cloudy Moon City, so even if we do not attend, it shouldn't pose much of a problem...but...."

His voice paused momentarily and continued: "This Guan Xi Lin is a very promising young man that has a lot of prospects, he hasn't been very conspicuous but we can't say that for the long run. Even if we take away his own strength, and just look at it based on his close relationship with the Feng Family. This is already sufficient to have his Guan Family gain a firm foothold in this city, that is why, Family Head, I'd advise you to find out from the other family clans on their plans before coming to a conclusion. It wouldn't be too late to decide then!"

"Mmn, Great Elder's words are justified." The family head nodded in agreement and beckoned to ask his subordinates to enquire around.

On the other side, when they heard that Guan Xi Lin had a new manor built and he was going to establish a new Guan Family clan three days later, everyone in the Guan Family all had on an ugly expression on their faces. At this time, the entire atmosphere in the Guan Manor was extremely gloomy and stifling.

"I didn't expect that brash and stupid boy actually grew so fast, how long has it been only? He actually has the ability to build an entire manor!" One middle-aged man grumbled sullenly, obviously feeling jealous over Guan Xi Lin's achievement and at the same time, there was also a hint of envy in his heart.

"Bah! He has already cut of ties with us and has acknowledged Feng Xiao as his Foster Father, tell me, how would the Feng Residence not help him?"

The head of the family sat on the main seat with a sullen expression, after he heard these words, he spoke up after deliberating for a long time: "I'm not sure if Feng Family has helped him in anyway but he does have some skill, or else he wouldn't be able to hold the title of the first in the black market's yellow ranking list."

Thinking back on all the ugly past that they had with him, this person even took the initiative to cut of all ties with them. Initially, they still thought that he would run back like a beaten dog and beg them to take him back in. Who knew, he had actually recognized Feng Xiao as his Foster Father and now, he's even going to establish his own Guan Clan.

Regardless whether the clan is big or small, to be able to achieve such a feat at such a young age was indeed remarkable.

"Elderly Family Patriarch is here!"

The steward's voice resounded and everyone glanced at each other and quickly stood up to greet him.

When the elderly man walked in with his walking stick, everyone's gaze rested on him as he returned their gazes with a sharp look and eventually fell onto the Family Head.

Guan Family Head came forward to support him and led his to his seat and asked: "Father, why have you come?"

"Let me ask you, did Xi Lin send an invitation over?"

When they heard his words, everyone in the hall looked at each other and lowered their heads.

"No." Guan Family Head's voice sounded a little strained. It seemed like he had not expected his Father to care about this matter.

When he heard that the invitation had not arrived, old Guan Family Patriarch furrowed his brows and kept quiet for a moment before he said: "Even if there isn't any, when you attend his celebration of his new manor, you better prepare a proper gift!"

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"Father, he didn't even send us any invitations. Moreover, he treats us even worse than strangers, why should we still attend it?" Guan Family Head was unhappy and said sulkily, his unwillingness to follow his father's words were written all over his face.

His father looked at him in disappointment and said, "I said to send then just send it! If you aren't going to send anything, then I'll arrange it on my own!" He snapped and with a darkened expression as he turned and left.

Towards Guan Xi Lin, he had always felt remorse. If it wasn't for the initial prejudice, their Guan Family wouldn't have lost such a good seed. Now that things have come to this, even if he wants to make up, it was all too late. The only thing he could do was only these little actions of affection.

Seeing that the two father and son had argued over this, everyone in the hall did not dare speak but just glanced at each other helplessly.

Three days passed in the blink of an eye.

A burst of firecrackers broke the silence of the morning and ushered in joy and the new day. For Guan Xi Lin, this day was undoubtedly exciting and unforgettable.

Before the break of dawn, he had already woken up and arranged everything. There wasn't many people working in his mansion that was why Feng Jiu had sent a few people to help him. As for the banquet, they had directly booked with the capital's largest restaurant and they would be in charge of all aspects in this matter. This way, there would be much less of a hassle.

"Big Brother, you can stop being so busy already, now that everything has been arranged properly, all that you need to do is to just greet the guests outside."

Feng Jiu smiled and came to his side. Today, she was dressed similarly in a white dress, her long black hair was tied up, leaving two tendrils of hair to accentuate her beautiful face, adding more feminine charm to her already stunning countenance.

"The auspicious hour is almost here, Little Jiu, you can help me entertain the guests in the manor, I'll head outside to welcome the guests in." He said with a smile, after which, he strode to the main gate.

The first person to arrive at the main gate was Manager Yan of the black market. He was accompanied by two people who followed behind him closely with the gift in hand, before he entered, he cupped both hands and congratulated him.

"Ha ha ha, Xi Lin, congratulations!"

"Thank you for taking time from your busy schedule to come by, please come in." Guan Xi Lin cupped his hands in response and was all smiles as he welcomed him in.

"This Li congratulates Young Master Guan on your new home!" A Family Head brought two other youths as they similarly held the gifts in their hands.

"Thank you, thank you. Li Family Head, this way please." After cupping his hands in return, he walked them through the gate and had the steward lead them to the main hall where Feng Jiu was.

As the time passed, streams of people came bearing gifts and well wishes and the entire Guan Manor was hustling and bustling with activity. The voices of the guests were accompanied by boisterous laughter which filled the entire Guan Manor with a lively and festive atmosphere.

"Big Brother, almost all are here already?" Feng Jiu walked to his side and asked.

Guan Xi Lin turned to look at her and chortled, "Mmn, it seems like everyone is here already, come, let's go then! Let's head in."

"Alright." She laughed and just as she was about to turn back, a familiar voice reached her ears.

"Young Master Guan, congratulations on your new home. I came here uninvited to seek a cup of wine."

Murong Yi Xuan who was wearing a white robe came over as he walked with an air of elegance. There was a servant following close behind carrying a gift. Although he had said this to Guan Xi Lin, his eyes fell on Feng Jiu. The moment he saw her, his eyes trembled with a tinge of excitement.

When he saw him, Guan Xi Lin was slightly taken aback. He turned to look at Feng Jiu and turned back to look at Murong Yi Xuan. After being stunned for a moment, he quickly regained his senses and replied: "Whoever visits is a guest, Third Prince, this way please."

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"Please." Feng Jiu turned back as she gave Murong Yi Xuan a quick glance before she made a gesture to invite him in.

Murong Yi Xuan smiled slightly and he then stepped in.

Just as Guan Xi Lin was about to step in, from the corner of his eyes, he saw a carriage stopping in front of the gate. When the carriage door opened and the person stepped out, the original smile on his face disappeared entirely.

The person who alighted from the carriage was old Guan Family Patriarch, which was his grandfather. But the moment he had stepped out of that place, he no longer had any ties with him.

For this housewarming celebration, he hadn't sent any invite over. In his opinion, they were ruthless to him so he no longer needed to be cordial with them.

"Xi Lin, I am here to present you with a gift, congratulations on your new home." Old Guan Family Patriarch came over with a walking stick an elderly man who followed closely behind him stepped up to present the gift.

"There's no need."

His voice was chilly and he looked at the old man without any expression on his face as he said: "This is such a tiny and humble abode, I do not dare to accept your gift." He said curtly as he cupped his hands together and without sparing them another look, he turned and walked in with big strides.

Seeing this, old Guan Family Patriarch sighed heavily as he lamented: "It's all my fault! It's all my fault!"

The elderly man who was holding onto the gift saw this and advised: "Elderly Guan Family Patriarch, let's go back." It was an expected outcome, but he still wanted to personally verify it. Perhaps, the heart of the old man was unwilling to recognise this fact that Guan Xi Lin no longer had anything to do with the Guan Family anymore.

"Let's go." He let out another sorrowful sigh as took one long look at the gates before him. His heart was filled with emotions and he could only leave with regret as he sat in the carriage dejected.

No one saw that at the corner of the street, a woman was looking from a distance, staring at the gates in stupor. She wasn't just anyone, she was Ke Xin Ya who had broken off the engagement with Guan Xi Lin.

The man whom she had belittled had established a clan all by himself with his own hands, so what if it was a small clan? No matter what, to achieve such a feat at such a young age was remarkable.

Her heart was bitter, if she knew that there would be such a day, why did she do such a thing then?

If she had not annulled their engagement, the man who became so outstanding, such a mature and remarkable man would have been hers. And this Guan Family, half of it would also be hers, but now....

The more she thought about it in her heart, the more uncomfortable she felt, however, there was nothing that she could do and could only turn to leave.

The atmosphere in Guan Manor was lively and bustling with activities. Because Guan Xi Lin was holding a cup of wine in his hands and going from table to table to toast with the guests, everyone was laughing and making merry. It was boisterous and filled with laughter. It was at this moment when the steward rushed in, his face was flushed with unconcealed excitement and surprise.

"Master, Ghost Doctor has sent gifts!"

The moment his words were said out, the entire banquet became silent and on everyone's face was a look of disbelief. After coming back to their senses, they then turned to look at Guan Xi Lin. The look they gave him now was different than before, at this moment, countless thoughts crossed the minds of these people.

This Guan Xi Lin has relations with Ghost Doctor?

Ghost Doctor would actually send people to specially deliver gifts to Guan Xi Lin to congratulate him?

Guan Xi Lin put the cup of wine down after a short moment and looked at the two elderly men who came bearing the gifts. He had recognised at first glance that they were people from the black market.

"How are you here?" Manager Yan from the black market stood up in surprise.

The two of them just nodded their heads in acknowledgement to Manager Yan before they cupped their hands together towards Guan Xi Lin and said: "Young Master Guan, we have been given the task of sending you gifts on behalf of Ghost Doctor."

The moment they finished speaking, two exquisite boxes were placed before him. It had aroused everybody's curiosity towards the contents of the boxes.

What did Ghost Doctor send?!

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For a moment, everybody's curious glances landed on Guan Xi Lin's body. Since Ghost Doctor is skilled in alchemy, the gifts that he sent should be some elixirs and the like?

However, Guan Xi Lin did not want everyone to know what was inside as he ordered his people to receive the gifts and take them away. He then greeted and invited the two elderly men to take a seat and personally poured them each a cup of wine in respect. After all, these two men were not easy to meet in the black market. If not for his relationship with Ghost Doctor, there would be no way that he could personally meet such grand characters, not to even mention for them to personally deliver gifts.

Following his greetings, everybody around laughed and raised their cups and continued to drink once again. However, in everyone's heart, they all had a single thought: Coming here today was the correct choice!

To be able to know someone related to Ghost Doctor would not be bad for them.

During the banquet, everyone tried to deepen their relationship with Guan Xi Lin, there were also some who tried to enquire on the situation of Feng Xiao from Feng Jiu. And as for Murong Yi Xuan who was seated at the same table as Feng Jiu, he looked at her from time to time, trying to find an opportunity to talk to her.

It was at this moment when Feng Jiu stood up and excused herself from the table and Murong Yi Xuan similarly got up and followed after her....

When Feng Jiu was walking back, he was seated at the pavilion next to the rock garden and when she saw this, she only took one glance at him and withdrew her gaze as she made her way forward. However, after a few steps, she was blocked by him.

"Is there something?" She had a frown on as she looked at him standing in her way.

"Qing Ge, the marriage that my Imperial Father bestowed you, I'm sure you know about it by now?" His eyes fell on her beautiful face, it was the same familiar face, however, the expression shown were totally different. However, he could not deny that it still attracted his gaze.

"Marriage?" She raised her brows and sneered, "Did I agree to it?"

Hearing this, his heart felt a weight lifted off as a sense of relief washed over him. "I will try my best to persuade my Imperial Father to rescind back this decree, you shouldn't need to worry too much about it."

In his opinion, even if she hadn't agreed, and if his Imperial Father refused to rescind back his decree, he was afraid this marriage would not be able to proceed. After all, Green Gallop Country was a sixth ranked country and it was something that their Sun Glory Country could not be compared to in all regards. Sometimes, the harsh reality was that they didn't have many rights and this was precisely the difference in strength.

In this world, no matter where one was, only the strength could represent everything. For her, a beautiful woman that could bring nations down, if she didn't have the Feng Residence behind her, she wouldn't have been able to live so freely with her appearance.

Feng Jiu smiled and replied curtly: "My matters have nothing to do with you. It's best you don't interfere." She walked forward and halted just as she passed him and said: "As for my marriage, except myself, no one else can make the decision for me."

Murong Yi Xuan was stunned momentarily and turned his head to look and only saw that she had already walked much further ahead and could only look at her departing silhouette.

Each step she took was so composed, so elegant and very leisure. It was as if she had not even put that matter in her eyes....

Seeing that she was full of confidence and unperturbed, he felt very lost then. He did not know when it had started, that gentle person in his memories was gone, and the person that stood before him felt unfamiliar. It was as if they could no longer return to the past and could never be together again. On the contrary, the distance between the two of them seemed to have grown farther and farther...

"Qing Ge, what should I do with you?"

He whispered in a low voice, with pain and helplessness in his eyes. He was trying his best to let go, but he could not....

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After a whole day of celebration, only when all the guests had left and the servants started to pack up did Guan Xi Lin send Feng Jiu back to the Feng Residence. The few of them sat together and started to discuss about matters of the day.

"Not bad, the turnout proves that they value you very much. Even if some were from small family clans, to have the family clan heads of the city to attend personally already speaks volumes. This shows that your worth is pretty good, they've given you quite a bit of face." Old Man Feng stroked his long beard and said in glee as he looked at Guan Xi Lin with appreciation.

"If not for Grandfather's help, today would have been total chaos." He gushed as he continued on, "There's also Little Jiu, using Ghost Doctor's name to send a gift through black market. I saw the dumbfounded expressions of all those present once they heard that the gifts were from Ghost Doctor."

"Hahaha, who is Ghost Doctor? Ghost Doctor's reputation is stellar and in our Sun Glory Country, even all the large clans want to have a relation with Ghost Doctor." Old Man Feng retorted in a doting tone as he looked at Feng Jiu, full of pride.

No one would ever have thought that the infamous Ghost Doctor would actually be his Granddaughter!

"Grandfather, now that Big Brother has settled down in his new home, should we start to deal with the matters of our Feng Residence?" Feng Jiu asked as she looked at her Grandfather who was all smiles.

"Are you referring to the matter of relinquishing our authority?" Old Man Feng's froze momentarily before he said, "Well, Grandfather has already prepared everything. Tomorrow morning, I will go into the palace. We will no longer be the protector of this country and no one would dare to move against us. We can just enjoy our lives peacefully, living our days freely and happily."

"Mmn, if that's that's the case, would you like me to accompany you tomorrow?"

He waved his hand and said, "There's no need, no need at all. You can just stay in the residence, just leave this matter to me."

Seeing this, Feng Jiu nodded her head and turned her attention to Guan Xi Lin: "Big Brother, you've been busy the entire day. It's time for you to go back and have a good rest in your new home!"

"Alright then, I shall head back first. If there's anything you need, just come and look for me." He replied with a smile with a tinge of excitement in his eyes as he said his farewell before turning to leave.

"Grandfather, I'm going to have a look at Old White."

"Go then." He laughed as he watched her leave.

The matter of Old White saving Feng Xiao was a matter known only to the few of them. Because of this, they were very surprised when they found out that Old White could contend against two martial cultivators. However, no matter how they looked at it, they could not see what ranked spirit beast it was.

After all, it was a variant spirit beast and usually other than being lazy, gouging itself with food or leering at others, it not for such an incident, it was really inconspicuous.

It was not locked up and it could move around the Feng Residence freely. It usually spends its days with that little pet Ball Ball unimpeded in the Feng Residence. However, their favourite place in the entire manor was the rock garden; because that was where the maids walked by the most, hence that perverted horse would usually stake there.

Sure enough, as it approached the rock garden, it could hear the tinkling laughter of the maids and the closer it got, Old White's bum started to sway as the two maids walked past. The two maids held their skirts down as they took small quick steps and fled.

"Neigh!"

Old White's mouth opened and neighed as it turned its head to look and when it saw Feng Jiu, it ran to her with joy.

"Old White, your lascivious ways still hasn't changed one bit. Sooner or later, it will get you into trouble." She patted its head and said with a smile. Seeing that it seemed to have gained a few pounds, she laughed out, "You've been lazy again, haven't you? Look, your belly has grown again!"

"Snort!"

With a snort, it shook its tail and walked to her side.

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"Let's go! Come, let's go for a round." She patted its head lightly and led it to the stables and saddled up. Just as she was about to bring Old White out, she saw Ball Ball who was initially perched at the top of the rock at the Rock Garden stood up immediately and leapt right into her embrace.

"You want to go out as well?" Feng Jiu raised her eyebrows and looked at the little fluff ball in her embrace.

"Alright then! But there are some rules, when we are out, you aren't allowed to run about on your own." She ruffled Ball Ball's fur with one hand before she held the reins and led Old White out the gates. She jumped onto Old White's back, leaned forward and valiantly galloped out into the suburbs.

As it was close to the evening, Feng Jiu did not stay out too long. After a round, she returned and took a bath before she entered her space and cultivated all through the night until the first break of dawn.

After she washed up, she headed to her father's courtyard and when she entered it, she took a quick glance around the surroundings. When she saw that the several Feng Guards were all there, she

revealed a satisfied smile and spoke a few words to Leng Shuang who stood behind her before heading into the room.

"Mistress." Leng Hua immediately stood up and greeted her when he saw her enter.

"Mm."

She responded and walked in to the bedside with a huge smile pasted on her face: "Father, how are you feeling today?"

"Everything is fine, just that my chest still hurts whenever I take into deep breath." After this incident, Feng Xiao had lost a lot of weight.

"Let me have a look."

She sat by the bed and opened his top to check his wounds around his chest. She then took his pulse and only after long while did she speak. "The wounds on the chest are the most serious, although you've taken medication, however a full recovery still requires a longer time. Wait till grandfather's back, I will then make a trip out to the Nine Entrapment Woods to find a few herbs to make an appointment for you to apply. This will speed up the recovery process."

"Nine Entrapment Woods?"

Feng Xiao was stunned and shook his head fervently: "No, you can't. That place is too dangerous, how can a girl go to such a place? If there is a need for any herbs, we can just buy them. There is no need to take such a risk."

"Don't worry, nothing will happen. I've been there before and am rather familiar with it. Moreover, most of herbs can be purchased except for one." Perhaps to others, Nine Entrapment Woods was a place fraught with danger, but to her, the place was simply a treasure trove.

That was the place where Little Phoenix was picked up from, that was where she first met her Big Brother and also that Uncle...

Thinking back on how that Uncle was actually the sullen Hell's Lord, she pursed her lips.

When the two of them had accidentally touched each other's lips, he fainted immediately. When they were in Green Gallop Country, his strange behaviour... And he even wanted to kiss her?

When she thought of this, her whole expression changed suddenly and a strange feeling flashed by her heart.

Looking at his daughter who had been lost in her own thoughts, Feng Xiao smiled and without saying a word, he quietly watched her with his heart full of pride.

This was his daughter, she had always been spectacular... Just that... he did not know what kind of man would be able to match up to her?

Although he hoped that she would be able to marry well, but just the thought of his own daughter who had grown up by side all through the years becoming someone else's family... as a father, his heart was bubbling with sourness. Mmn, thinking that the engagement between Murong Yi Xuan and her had been

annulled, it could be considered as a blessing in disguise. This way, she could spend a few more years by his side.

However, the Ruler's edict on that marriage to that Green Gallop Country's Crown Prince had been on hold for a long time. Although they had expressed their dissatisfaction, he really did not know how things would unfold. This thought made his heart fraught with worry.

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Feng Jiu accompanied her Father the whole morning and only as it was approaching noon did she see her grandfather come back.

"Little Feng, Grandfather has already dealt with everything." Old Man Feng walked in with a smile on his face, and he came to the table and poured himself a cup of water before he walked to the bed. Seeing that Feng Xiao was seated up against the bed in good spirits, he walked to the chair and sat down with relief.

"Grandfather, did the Ruler make things difficult for you?" Feng Jiu looked at him with apprehension. Although the command token had been handed over, however, the power that their Feng Residence held was still not to be underestimated. Most probably the Ruler would still not leave them alone entirely.

"No, he didn't. After handing over the command token, he looked pretty happy. Why would he make things difficult for an old block like me? It's only some of the old ones kept asking me to stay, and kept persuading me to change my mind. They belong to the first generation so they know how loyal our Feng Residence is to Sun Glory... it's just... sigh!" Old Man Feng let out a huge sigh, it could be seen how disappointed he was towards Murong Bo.

They had spent more than half their lives guarding Sun Glory Country for him and yet what was the end result? He actually wanted to kill his son and even wanted to marry off his granddaughter to be someone's side concubine.

Side concubine? The title granted may have been one rank higher than other concubines and it still sounded pretty nice, but it couldn't change the fact that it was still a concubine.

His Feng Residence's precious pearl was to be someone else's concubine? No matter what position she was bequeathed, not any man could match his precious pearl!

"Well, since we've already handed over our command token, let's not care about their matters anymore. Grandfather, I've got something to tell you. I would like to go to the Nine Entrapment Woods to find a few herbs for Father. I will leave the matters of the Residence to you." After she had handed over the matters over, she thought for a bit and did some calculations in her head and counted the time needed and felt that half a month would be sufficient.

"Nine Entrapment Woods?!" Old Man Feng furrowed his brows and rebuked: "That place isn't safe for a lone girl to travel to! Can you just buy whatever herbs you want instead of going by yourself?"

Seeing that he had spoken the exact same words as her Father, she could not help but laugh out. "No, it can't be bought, because it is in the deepest recesses of medicinal soil and even the black market don't have it. Moreover, only I know where to find it, that's why I have to personally make this trip."

"But not to worry, I'm very familiar with the Nine Entrapment Woods, there won't be any danger at all. I've already made my calculations, the longest I'll take would be half a month. If any faster, it could take about ten days and I'll be back."

Hearing her words, Old Man Feng gave it some thought and finally relented. "If that's the case, then bring a few of the Feng Guards along. With them around, at least we'll be more assured."

She shook her head and replied, "There's no need. I, alone am enough. I'll be faster on my own and not to mention, Father is still injured. We can't afford to take away any manpower. Let the few of them guard the residence, lest something unexpected happens."

"Well then, at least ask Xi Lin to accompany you."

"Grandfather, I'm no longer a child. I've already said that I won't be in any danger so there won't be. As for Big Brother, I still need to have him take care of you all for me. Or else, I wouldn't rest assured if I'm not around!"

"But..." Old Man Feng still wanted to continue but he was interrupted.

"No more buts already, Grandfather, you have to trust me."

She smiled wryly and without giving them a chance to say anything more, she quickly said: "I'm going to tell my Big Brother about it now, I'll go prepare and once everything is ready, I'll depart."

"This lass...!" Old Man Feng shook his head helplessly and did not say anything anymore.

"Forget it, just leave it to her! Since she said that there wouldn't be any problem, then there wouldn't be any. But it's best if she brings Old White along, no matter what, Old White is after all a spirit beast and its battle prowess rivals peak martial cultivators. With Old White around, if something happens, it'll at least be able to help her."

"Mmn, you're right. Take a rest first and I'll go talk to her about it." Old Man Feng quickly got up to find her.

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It's just that, in just such a short moment, he could no longer find a trace of her in the Residence. When he finally saw Leng Shuang walking in from outside, he called out to her hurriedly and asked, "Leng Shuang, where's Little Feng?"

"Old Patriarch, Mistress has already left. She brought Luo Yu along together."

"That lass, she only brought Luo Yu one person along? What if they encounter any danger along the way? No, I have to make sure the others follow along as well to protect her well!" Old Man Feng muttered to himself worriedly and immediately turned back to look for the others.

Leng Shuang wanted to advise him but she stopped herself. Before she left, her Mistress had already left strict instructions to the other Feng Guards to protect the Feng Residence well. If they were to follow old Master's command instead of her Mistress, then these Feng Guards would no longer be able to stay.

When Old Man Feng found the seven other people, they were seated in the pavilion. They had been called first but they were all given different tasks and thinking about how Miss had only brought Luo Yu along, they all had on a baffled expression.

"Hey, why do you think she brought only Luo Yu along?"

"In terms of strength, he is only in the middle rank amongst us, why would she bring him instead?"

Fan Lin smiled and said, "Among us, only Luo Yu acknowledges her as the Mistress, if she doesn't bring him, tell me, who should she bring?"

"But we did not say that we do not acknowledge her ah!"

"Well, it seems that we are still being tested." Another person laughed and shook his head as he said: "It doesn't matter, since we've been entrusted to guard the Residence, let's do a good job in guarding then."

"Old Patriarch is here." One of them said and everyone stood up.

"Greetings to Old Patriarch." Seven of them greeted him respectfully.

Old Man Feng waved his hand in dismissal and said, "The few of you get ready and hurry to catch up. That lass only brought Luo Yu to the Nine Entrapment Woods. I can't put my heart at ease with just the two of them!"

"Nine Entrapment Woods?"

The seven of them each other in bewilderment. They only knew that Miss had brought Luo Yu out, however did not know that the destination was the Nine Entrapment Woods! That place was so dangerous, what did she go there for?

However, they could only keep their heads lowered and did not respond to his order and replied in an apologetic tone: "Old Patriarch, I'm sorry but we can't follow orders."

Old Man Feng was stunned momentarily and asked: "Why is that so?"

"Before Miss left, she had given us strict orders to stay and guard the Feng Residence to protect Patriarch and Old Patriarch well. That is why before Miss returns, we cannot leave on our own accord."

Upon hearing this, Old Man Feng glanced at them without saying a word. At this moment, he also knows her purpose. She obviously wanted to see how well these Feng Guards would listen to her orders and to what degree.

Seeing this, he could only let out a sigh and said, "Forget about it then!" His mind was filled with various thoughts, should he send others to follow instead?

The few Feng Guards seem to have read what was on his mind and looked at each other before Fan Lin spoke out.

"Old Patriarch."

He cupped his hands together and said, "Actually, Old Patriarch do not need to worry about Miss' safety, from our understanding of her over the period of time, she isn't someone who does something that she isn't sure of. Since she only brought Luo Yu along, that means that there wouldn't be much danger. Moreover, the thing that she worries about most is the safety of the Residence."

Old Man Feng looked at a few of them and suddenly showed a smile. "The few of you are the most outstanding amongst the Feng Guards, to be able to follow her is your greatest blessing."

Seeing that they were filled with doubts and query, he chortled and said heartily: "As for this, you will know what I mean later." He waved his hand and turned to leave.

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On the inside, Luo Yu was bitterly looking at Feng Jiu who was walking leisurely in front of him: "Mistress, we are only going out for a bit, but why are we dressed like... beggars?"

He pulled at the old and tattered clothes he had on as he wriggled a finger through a hole. He was wondering which servant in the residence did these rags belong to. He looked at his hair to have been wrangled to a huge mess, it looked like a bird's nest, those who don't know him would think that he hadn't washed his hair for ages!

There is also his suave and handsome face which had been smeared grey by his Mistress, it couldn't be any uglier. He looked down and saw his shoes, with also no idea where it was picked up from, with a wriggle of his toes, a few stuck out.

In this sorry state, he looked even more pitiful than all the beggars in Cloudy Moon City.

He looked at his Mistress who was in front of him, similarly dressed in rags. The only bit that was better than him, was that her hair was not so messy. However, her face was also covered with soot but her eyes were sparkling and were rather eye-catching.

Seeing that she had quickened the pace, yet she could still hum a tune from time to time, the corner of his lips could not help but twitch. He really never expected that there was such a side to his Mistress.

Usually when one goes one, they would dress themselves up nice and presentable! Only his wonderful Mistress is the complete opposite.

"This is the only way to not arouse any attention, and to not draw any trouble." She turned back and smiled at him with her crescent eyes. This expression coupled with the pearly white teeth, no matter how one looked, did not seem to belong to a beggar.

Seeing this, he let out a sigh and said, "Mistress, you are peerless and unmatched, no matter how you disguise, you don't look like a beggar."

"That's why, I only changed the clothes a little and didn't dress as a beggar!" She smiled and said, "Walk faster! Let's not tarry in the city any longer!"

"Yes." He replied helplessly and quickened his pace to follow her.

However, after a while, he noticed that something was wrong.

Looking at the person in front who was leading didn't seem to be panting at all, not even a drop of perspiration on the face! But they weren't even out of Cloudy Moon City and he was already panting and gasping for air, his entire back was drenched in sweat!

How was she walking? How did it look like she was so close yet he could never catch up to her?

"Huuu! Mistress! Mistress...wait for me!" He raised his hand to wipe off the sweat on his forehead as he called out to her in a low voice.

Feng Jiu who was in front stopped in her tracks as she turned back and saw that he was out of breath. She couldn't help but raise her eyebrows and asked: "What? You're tired already? It looks like your physical strength and stamina is only so-so."

Hearing these words, Luo Yu blinked momentarily and wanted to shout out loud: It's not my physical strength that I'm lacking but it's you that's way too perverse!

But in the end, he took in a few deep breaths slowly and said: "Mistress, why don't we hire a carriage? Wouldn't that way be more efficient? That would be faster than walking? At this speed, we won't know when we will ever reach."

From here to the Nine Entrapment Woods would take around three days, if they were to really rely on their legs and go by foot, it would take an even longer time. Wouldn't going to and fro take up a huge chunk of their time?

However, Feng Jiu just smiled when she heard him. She glanced at him and simply said: "You only need to just follow." The moment she finished speaking, she continued on walking.

Luo Yu could only follow behind her helplessly, he really did not know what she was up to.

Until the two of them left Cloudy Moon City and at a remote place where there was no one else around, Feng Jiu flipped her hand and a small craft appeared on her palm. She threw it out in front and it grew in size before the two of them. Luo Yu who was panting heavily while gasping for air just looked at the entire scene with wide eyes, he was so shocked that he didn't even scream out.... He just watched on incredulously with pure shock and awe... in silence.