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Chapter 3371 Rewards received (1)

In fact, the meaning of the storage ring was very different between Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue. If Ling Qingxue gave song Qiming a storage ring, Song Wei would definitely be grateful, and their relationship would be more harmonious.

Song Qiming would also have a better impression of Ling Qingxue. Who knew when she could play an unexpected role in the future?

If it was Xia ruofei, song Qiming and Song Wei would be grateful, but the effect would not be as good as Ling Qingxue 's.

Ling Qingxue was also a successful career woman who had been working hard in the business world for many years. She was just like a little woman in front of Xia ruofei, but in reality, she had a high EQ, so she naturally saw through it. However, she did not say anything more. She just stood on her tiptoes and kissed Xia ruofei gently on the lips, then said softly, "Ruofei, thank you!"

"Silly girl! "You're still so polite with me ..." Xia ruofei said happily. Then, he put his arm around Ling Qingxue's slender waist and said, "there are still two rewards that haven't been claimed! Let's go take a look!"

Xia ruofei held Ling Qingxue and walked towards the third stone pillar.

He saw that on top of the stone pillar, there were 500 yellow jade essence kasayas neatly stacked. This was the regular reward for completing the trial tower's fourth level quest.

Xia ruofei deduced that if it was an ordinary golden core cultivator, they would need to collect about 200 to 250 pieces of Topaz essence on the fourth level of the trial Pagoda. The reason why he needed to collect 500 pieces was because he was teleported to the same trial space as Ling Qingxue. The difficulty of the task was based on his cultivation level, and it would double on that.

In other words, as long as an ordinary golden core stage cultivator could successfully complete the task on the fourth level of the trial tower, figure out the use of the yellow jade essence, and dare to try to absorb it directly during the process of the task, they would get about 700 to 800 yellow jade essence, including the usual task rewards.

This was already a considerable number. For an ordinary Aurous core stage cultivator, absorbing this much yellow jade essence would already be able to improve their mental power by a large margin.

This time, Xia ruofei had completely relied on the cheating device, the perceptual mirror, to collect more than 2000 pieces of Topaz. In addition to the 500 pieces of Topaz as a reward for this regular mission, it could be said that he had earned a lot.

Although the mission prompt did not mention it, Xia ruofei knew that these 500 pieces of Topaz essence could not be taken out of the trial Pagoda. They had to be absorbed here.

It would be great if he could bring them out. Of course, Xia ruofei would not use them to exchange for spiritual stones. Any cultivator who was not stupid would not do such a stupid thing. However, he could give them to his family and friends, such as Song Wei, Li Yifu, song Qiming, and his disciple Tang Haoran.

Since he couldn't bring it out, Xia ruofei didn't have anything to consider. He pointed at the yellow jade Spirit and smiled."Qingxue, come! You're welcome, absorb them all!"

Ling Qingxue thought for a moment and said,"you should absorb it yourself!" You need to improve your spiritual power more than I do! Besides ... My spiritual force has already increased so much. If I continue to absorb it, won't it be as bad as going too far?"

Xia ruofei laughed and said,"nonsense!" The stronger the spiritual power, the better it was. If one's cultivation of true Qi improved faster than the cultivation of mental power, then one should pay attention to it. If one's mental power was not strong enough, it was easy to cause problems in the control of true Qi, or even Qi deviation. But now it was the opposite, so what was there to worry about? I don't know how many cultivators would wish for you to be in such a state!"

Ling Qingxue stuck out her tongue and smiled in embarrassment.""Oh! I know ... But it's more important to improve your strength! You've already absorbed so much yellow jade essence for me on the fourth floor of the trial Pagoda. You should keep it for yourself!"

Xia ruofei waved his hand and said,"I'm still far from breaking through my spiritual power!" These yellow jade spirits are like a cup of water on a burning cart of firewood to me. They won't be of much help to me, but it's different for you. Every bit of progress you make will be of great benefit to your cultivation! Believe me, if you absorb the yellow jade essence, it will definitely be more valuable than me absorbing it myself!"

"Oh ... Alright then ..." Ling Qingxue said."It'll be great if we can bring this yellow jade essence out. Then we can let Wei Wei absorb some of it ... RUO Fei, why don't we try to see if there's any way?"

Xia ruofei said seriously,"don't even think about it. The person who set up this secret realm and the trial Pagoda is definitely a mighty figure. Moreover, it's someone with a cultivation level that I can't even imagine. We have to follow the rules set by him. It's impossible for us to take advantage of the loopholes. We can't be too smart and end up with nothing."

"Oh ..."

"Be good and absorb the yellow jade essence directly!" Xia ruofei said,"the mission on the trial tower's fifth level is a chain mission. We've just completed the first round and destroyed the star Fern thorn ring belt. Perhaps the second round's mission will arrive soon! Make the best use of your time!"

"I know!" Ling Qingxue obediently moved the yellow jade spirits down and sat cross - legged on the ground.

Just as Ling Qingxue was about to start absorbing the Topaz essence, Xia ruofei happened to glance at the last stone pillar. He could not help but be slightly stunned when he saw it. Then, he smiled and said,""Qingxue! Wait a minute!"

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Ling Qingxue did not know what was going on. She raised her head and looked at Xia ruofei in confusion.

Xia ruofei laughed and said, "I didn't expect to have such a surprise!" Forget it, one herd of sheep is a rush, two herds of sheep are also a rush. You'll be implicated and absorbed together!"

With that, Xia ruofei waved his hand. On top of the last stone pillar, there was a neatly arranged pile of Topaz essence. There were at least 500 of them. With the help of Xia ruofei's spiritual power, they flew over steadily and landed beside Ling Qingxue.

Ling Qingxue couldn't help but widen her eyes and ask, "What's going on? Didn't you say that the mission reward was 500 Topaz essence? Why is there so much more?"

Xia ruofei laughed, "I don't know!" But I'm guessing that this is your quest reward!"

"Me? I collected a yellow jade essence on the fourth floor of the trial Pagoda!" Ling Qingxue couldn't help but blush.

This was quite embarrassing!

Xia ruofei had collected more than 2000 of them, while Ling Qingxue had only collected one. It was not even a fraction of Xia ruofei's ...

Xia ruofei smiled and said, "Qingxue, don't forget that we're forming a team to complete the mission!" The number of missions is also doubled. Since we have completed the mission together, you should naturally have a reward! Speaking of which, you didn't even get a reward for breaking the record, so it's a bit unfair!"

Ling Qingxue blushed and said, "stop it!" I've only found one yellow jade essence, and you want the reward for breaking the record?"

Xia ruofei said, "it's probably based on contribution. The reward for breaking the record can only be given to one person." However, this expert who designed the mission is quite generous. At least he gave you the regular mission reward. It's better than nothing!"

Ling Qingxue looked at Xia ruofei's expression as if he was barely able to accept it. She couldn't help but burst into laughter and said, "You! You just know how to speak without thinking! If the higher being who set up the Tower of Trials saw this, he would definitely punish you!"

Xia ruofei laughed and said, "I'm telling the truth!" It was clearly two people who completed the mission together, so why didn't they give you a record – breaking reward? However, the rules were not up to him, so he could only accept it reluctantly! "Fortunately, it's not like we didn't get anything. Qingxue, hurry up and absorb all the Topaz essence!" I'll set up a time formation around you, it can save some time."

"Mm! I got it!" Ling Qingxue nodded.

Although she felt that a thousand pieces of Topaz essence was too much, she knew that even if she wanted to give it to Xia ruofei, he would never agree. So, she decided not to say anything and just listened to Xia ruofei's arrangements.

Ling Qingxue grabbed a piece of yellow jade essence and started to use her spiritual power to absorb the pure spiritual energy inside.

Xia ruofei took out array flags from the spirit map space and skillfully set up a time array around Ling Qingxue.

Then, he took out the energy storage Pearl and walked towards the first stone pillar.

Xia ruofei took a deep breath and placed the energy storage Pearl into the groove at the top of the stone pillar.

With a “ka da” sound, the energy storage Pearl was stuck in the groove. Then, the entire stone pillar began to sink slowly. Finally, it sank into the ground and completely disappeared, as if it had never existed.

Xia ruofei said to himself, “this thing can’t swallow cards, right?” If you don’t give me the demerit elemental storage Pearl, who should I go to?”

As Xia ruofei spoke, he used his foot to rub against the ground where the stone pillar had disappeared.

The ground here was no different from the surroundings. There was not a single crack or trace. Even when Xia ruofei used his spiritual power to investigate, he did not find anything unusual. It was as if it was one with the entire wilderness.

In a space filled with purple spirit Qi, there was a towering Hall. An old man with white hair and a white beard in a green Daoist robe had a huge mirror in front of him.

If Xia ruofei was here, he would be shocked.

That was because the mirror was like a monitor. On it was the fifth level of the Tower of Trials, and the image of Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue in the small space. Xia ruofei was in the middle of the image.

The green – robed old man’s face was full of wrinkles, and his seemingly turbid eyes revealed a trace of wisdom. He didn’t have any aura of cultivation, but he gave people a feeling of being as majestic as a mountain, making people feel a strong sense of respect and even have the urge to kneel on the ground.

When the old man heard Xia ruofei’s conversation with Ling Qingxue, saw him mumbling to himself after putting the energy storage Pearl in, and saw his childish action of rubbing his feet on the ground, he couldn’t help but feel angry and amused.

“This little guy is really frivolous!” The green – robed elder scolded jokingly.

Following that, the old man’s face revealed a trace of worry as he muttered to himself, “He broke all the records and passed all four stages. His array Dao is also good, but his cultivation is too low. Is he the person we are looking for? This little guy’s conditions are not bad. In time, he will become a great person, but what we lack the most now is time! Does he still have a chance to grow?”

After saying this, the green – robed elder looked at Xia ruofei in the mirror and

sighed, “The greatest sorrow of a genius is being born at the wrong time. I hope this kid can break through the shackles of fate ...”

With that, the elder in the green Daoist robe waved his hand, and the image on the mirror disappeared.

Naturally, Xia ruofei didn't realize that with Tao Wu's current cultivation level, he couldn't possibly sense the spying of an Almighty who was many levels higher than him.

He was bored to death as he strolled around the area. Ling Qingxue was absorbing the yellow jade essence in the formation. Although there was a time difference of nearly 90 times, it was not easy to absorb 1000 pieces of yellow jade essence, so it would still take some time.

The energy storage Pearl was also swallowed by the stone pillar. He did not know how long it would take for him to level up. Now, Xia ruofei had nothing to do other than to keep an eye on his surroundings.

After about half an hour, which was about two days in the array, Ling Qingxue had finally finished absorbing the yellow jade essence.

She impatiently stepped out of the array and said happily, "Ruofei, I think I've made another breakthrough in my spiritual power. I've reached the intermediate stage of the spirit gathering realm!"

Xia ruofei was stunned at first, then he immediately looked surprised and said, "Spirit gathering intermediate stage? It was equivalent to the psyche of an intermediate gold core cultivator! Not bad, Qingxue! You can definitely sweep away those in the refinement stage now! I'll teach you a few more ways to use your mental power. Even if you're facing an early Aurous core stage cultivator, you might be able to make them suffer a big loss if they're caught off guard!"

Ling Qingxue was a little embarrassed as she asked, "Is he really that powerful?"

Xia ruofei said, "Why would I lie to you?" My spiritual power cultivation is only at the late – Stage of spirit gathering realm! There was still a long way to go before he could reach the spirit transformation realm! You've already reached the intermediate stage of the spirit gathering stage, which means that you're only one stage away from me! Looks like I'll have to work hard when I get back. Otherwise, if my wife's spiritual power cultivation is going to surpass mine, where will I put my face?"

Ling Qingxue saw Xia ruofei's pretense and couldn't help but burst out laughing. "Alright! Stop pretending! Who didn't know that it was more difficult to improve one's cultivation as one advanced? I don't even know when I'll be able to break through to the late stage of spirit gathering realm! Moreover, you're only at the late – Stage of the spirit gathering realm, so you shouldn't be far from the spirit transformation realm! You only know how to trick me..."

Xia ruofei chuckled. "I may have exaggerated a little, but I'm not wrong about one thing. Your spiritual power has already reached the middle stage of the spirit gathering realm. It's very impressive. I can't say if there are any successors, but I'm pretty sure that there has never been anyone like you before!"

Then, Xia ruofei said seriously, "Qingxue, spiritual power is very important. Now that you have such a good foundation, you must practice hard to be worthy of such a good opportunity!"

Ling Qingxue said solemnly, "I will!" Don't worry! From now on, I'll take out at least two hours every day to train, I won't let your efforts go to waste!"

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Xia ruofei nodded. At this time, the stone pillar that had just been hidden underground slowly rose up again with the clicking sound of the spring.

Xia ruofei quickly walked over and saw that the energy storage Pearl was still in the groove at the top of the stone pillar. It did not seem to have changed.

Xia ruofei reached out and picked up the energy storage Pearl. After sensing it for a while, he revealed a trace of joy. Although the appearance of the energy storage Pearl did not change, the amount of energy stored in it had increased by a few times.

Xia ruofei knew that the elemental storage Pearl had been successfully upgraded. If it was filled with elemental energy, it would be able to store almost all the elemental energy of an early stage nascent soul cultivator.

This time's trial Pagoda's fourth level mission was really worth it. Not only did he obtain more than 2000 pieces of yellow jade essence, but his spiritual power had also doubled. Even Ling Qingxue's spiritual power had improved by leaps and bounds, and she had even broken through a major realm. Furthermore, Xia ruofei had also obtained an additional upgrade to the energy storage Pearl and a thousand elemental crystals as a reward. He had definitely earned a lot.

Xia ruofei checked the energy storage Pearl after it had been upgraded and realized that the energy he had stored was still there.

Previously, the energy storage bead was full, but after the upgrade, the capacity had increased several times, so the energy stored inside seemed empty.

Xia ruofei muttered to himself, then said to Ling Qingxue, ""Qingxue, I'm going to take advantage of the time now to fill the elemental storage Pearl with elemental energy. Wait for me at the side. If anything happens, call me immediately!"

Ling Qingxue had already understood the function of the elemental storage Pearl, so when she heard Xia ruofei's words, she immediately nodded and said, ""No problem! I'll help you guard!"

Xia ruofei laughed and rubbed Ling Qingxue's head. ""Sure! Even The Guardian knows about it!"

Ling Qingxue playfully hit Xia ruofei and said, ""You're touching my head again, my hair is all messed up!"

Xia ruofei laughed and said, "you should have a mirror in your storage ring, right?" Take it out and see how you look now. It doesn't matter if your hair is messy, right? Anyway, it's just a broken pot..."

Ling Qingxue immediately covered her ears and said, ""! won't listen, 1 won't listen! You stinky scoundrel, you've touched on my sore spot!"

Ling Qingxue's journey had been tough, especially after running for more than 10 hours in the dusty wilderness. She was extremely dirty. Girls were most concerned about their image, so how could they listen to Xia ruofei's teasing?

"Qingxue, don't you think that it would be the happiest thing if you could take a bath?" Xia ruofei asked after some thought.

Ling Qingxue pouted and said, "nonsense!" Of course..."

“Leave this to me!” Xia ruofei said, “I’ll help you think of a way, but you have to bear with it for a while longer. Let me fill up the energy storage Pearl first!”

Ling Qingxue looked around and frowned. “What can we do here?”

“You don’t have to worry about that, just help me guard!” Xia ruofei said with a smile.

“Oh!” Ling Qingxue naturally knew that it was important. “Got it!”

Xia ruofei then took out the time array flag from the spirit map space and set up the time array in the blink of an eye. Then, he set up a few alarm and protection arrays on the outside before stepping into the array and taking out a crystal from the space.

He first used his spiritual sense to give Xia Qing a few instructions in the spirit map space, then sat cross-legged on the ground, absorbing the energy of the yuan crystals and pouring Yuan Qi into the yuan storage Pearl.

Xia ruofei did not know how difficult the next task would be. Since the energy storage Pearl had been upgraded and could contain all the vital Qi of an early stage nascent soul cultivator, he had to fill it up as soon as possible. The more vital Qi the better. Who knew when it would save his life?

Since Ling Qingxue was here, it was not convenient for Xia ruofei to enter the spirit map space. Hence, he could only use the time array flag to set up the array and directly inject the energy storage Pearl from the outside world. This would save him some time.

Of course, although the spiritual Qi on the fifth floor of the trial Pagoda was much denser than that on earth, it was still far from the spirit map space. If Xia ruofei were to absorb the spiritual Qi here to cultivate, the efficiency would be much lower. Hence, he took out origin crystals at the same time.

Of course, it would be a waste, but in order to save time, Xia ruofei could not care less.

What’s more, he had just obtained a thousand origin crystals, and they were filled with all the yuan Qi of an early stage nascent soul cultivator. One or two origin crystals were enough. In addition, he could also absorb the spiritual energy in the fifth floor of the trial Pagoda, so the consumption was even less. He estimated that at most one and a half origin crystals would solve the problem.

Naturally, Xia ruofei would not care about such a small consumption.

He immediately sat cross-legged on the ground and continuously poured the yuan Qi in his body into the elemental storage Pearl.

At the same time, he continuously circulated the “great Dao Arts” technique, extracting energy from the fifth level of the trial Pagoda and the origin crystals in his hand to maintain his cultivation.

Now, Xia ruofei’s spiritual power had doubled again. He had tried it just now and found that it was no problem to do two things at the same time. He could even spare some attention to pay attention to his surroundings.

Ling Qingxue stood outside the time formation, dutifully guarding the side. At the same time, she constantly scanned the surroundings, vigilantly watching the situation..

Time passed by.

Finally, after Xia ruofei poured the last bit of vital Qi into the elemental storage Pearl, he realized that the elemental storage Pearl was already in a saturated state and could no longer be filled with vital Qi.

Xia ruofei heaved a sigh of relief. He could barely remember how many rounds of vital Qi He had changed in his dantian. The crystals were just as he had expected. One and a half crystals were enough for Xia ruofei to cultivate many times in the past. Today, he had used one and a half crystals in one go. One could see how much energy he had absorbed.

Xia ruofei even took a few breaks along the way. After all, he was not made of steel. Cultivating and injecting energy non – stop was a huge drain on his energy.

Although it was very tiring, he had finally filled up the elemental storage Pearl that had been upgraded.

Xia ruofei weighed the energy storage Pearl in his hand and felt a sense of security that he had never felt before.

With his current consumption, the energy within the energy storage Pearl was enough to support him for a few hours. If he was running for his life, having this energy storage Pearl filled with energy would be more useful than anything else.

Xia ruofei put the unused crystal into the spirit map space, then stood up and walked out of the time formation.

Ling Qingxue quickly came forward and asked, ""Ruofei, is it all done?"

Xia ruofei laughed as he threw the energy storage Pearl up and caught it in his hand. He laughed and said, ""Yup! I've finally fed this gluttonous fellow to his fill!"

Ling Qingxue rolled her eyes at Xia ruofei and said, "Then why don't you quickly put it away? You actually dare to throw it around in your hands... This thing can save your life at a critical moment!"

Xia ruofei laughed and kept the energy storage Pearl. He then grabbed Ling Qingxue's hand and said, ""Now that the problem of the elemental storage bead has been solved, it's time to solve your problem!"

"How do I solve my problem?" Ling Qingxue asked with a smile, "can you make a bathroom for me? Don't tell me you want me to take a bath in the open air! Even if no one was here, I wouldn't dare to!"

Xia ruofei laughed. "You're really smart. You guessed it right!"

Ling Qingxue panicked when she heard that, "you really want me to take a bath in the open?" No, no, no! I'm not doing that..."

Xia ruofei smiled. "I'm talking about making a bathroom for you. Didn't you guess it right?"

"How is that possible?" Ling Qingxue didn't believe him.

“What would you say if I can do it?” Xia ruofei smiled and said, “and let me tell you, there’s not only a bathroom but also hot water!”

“I don’t believe it...” Ling Qingxue was very clever. “If you can do it, then at most... I’ll admit that you’re good!”

“You’re not sincere!” Xia ruofei pursed his lips and said, “forget it, forget it. I can’t bear to see you become a dirty girl...”

With that, Xia ruofei’s mind moved slightly, and a small iron House appeared in front of them.

This Iron House was indeed very small, about three meters by three meters. The area was less than ten square meters, and the height was only two meters.

However, even though it was small, it had all the essentials. This small iron House also had a door, a roof, and two frosted glass windows.

Ling Qingxue was startled by the sudden appearance of the metal house. She subconsciously took a step back and pointed at the house. “This ... This ...”

“Qingxue, let’s go in and take a look!” Xia ruofei said with a smile.

Ling Qingxue regained her senses and nodded. “There can’t be monsters hiding inside, right? Come with me...”

Xia ruofei didn’t know whether to laugh or cry, “you’re overthinking it!” Alright, alright, alright, I’ll go with you!”

Ling Qingxue held Xia ruofei’s hand and the two of them pushed open the door of the iron House.

The moment she entered, Ling Qingxue was stunned.

The small iron House was filled with steam. In the middle of the room was a large Cypress bathtub filled with hot water. There were even rose petals on the water. The hot water must have been mixed with perfume or essential oil. The room was filled with a faint fragrance.

Ling Qingxue was dumbfounded. After a while, she asked, “RUO Fei, you... How did you do that?”

Xia ruofei laughed and said, “how is it?” Are you satisfied with this bathroom?”

“I’m satisfied! I’m satisfied!” Ling Qingxue said.

Before Ling Qingxue saw these things, she could still bear with it. But now, she couldn’t wait a second longer. She wanted to jump in and take a good bath.

As Ling Qingxue pushed Xia ruofei out, she pouted and said, “I’m going to take a bath, hurry up and get out! Hurry up and get out!”

Xia ruofei laughed as he retreated. “Qingxue, this bathtub is actually quite big, and... I’m not very clean either...”

Ling Qingxue blushed and said, “no!” Hurry up and get out! I beg you...”

Xia ruofei was pushed to the door by Ling Qingxue. He smiled bitterly and said, "I'll walk on my own, don't push me ... By the way, you have bath supplies and clean clothes in your storage ring, right? Do you want me to get you some?"

"There are both! You can just leave!" Ling Qingxue said impatiently.

Xia ruofei was pushed out of the door by her, and Ling Qingxue closed the door in a hurry.

Xia ruofei shouted from outside. "Open the windows on both sides. Don't suffocate!"

"I know! I know!" Ling Qingxue said, "help me keep watch outside! Also, don't peek!"

Xia ruofei didn't know whether to laugh or cry, "okay! By the way, I'll set up a time array around you so you can take a bath slowly. Also, if you don't have enough hot water, just call!"

"I know!" Ling Qingxue said.

Xia ruofei's hearing was very sharp. He heard the sound of Ling Qingxue undressing in the room. He could not help but feel an itch in his heart. However, he also knew that in such an environment, it was definitely not suitable for him to do such erotic things.

He was still very clear about the priority of the matter.

Hence, Xia ruofei took a deep breath to calm his agitated emotions. Then, he took out the time array flag from the spirit map space and skillfully set it up around the small iron House.

This way, Ling Qingxue's Iron House was more than 80 times slower than the outside world. She could take a bath in peace and comfort.

Xia ruofei paced around the perimeter while looking at the metal house that Ling Qingxue was in. His heart was filled with a sense of achievement.

All of this was naturally what he had instructed Xia Qing to prepare.

The iron House was made of the remaining materials from the free labor dormitory last time.

There were many laborers in the interspace, and many of them used to be top – notch assassins. They had good physical qualities and had gone through a long period of "reform through labor". The materials and tools were readily available, so it was naturally easy to build a small iron House.

The bathtub was one of Xia ruofei's previous items.

When he obtained the spirit map space and earned some money, he liked to buy all kinds of things and keep them in the space. This was the same as when Ling Qingxue, Song Wei, and the others first obtained their storage rings.

Hence, Xia ruofei had bought many things that he had no use for, including this bathtub.

Since the space was huge and the items did not take up much space, Xia ruofei just let them be in the corner.

Including the flower petals that were sprinkled in the hot water, Xia ruofei had also bought them casually from the supermarket during his shopping spree. If Ling Qingxue had not suddenly needed to

take a shower this time, she would probably never have used them and would have been left in the corner of the space.

As for the hot water, it was naturally the free labor that Xia Qing had organized to boil it.

Right now, they were all boiling hot water in the medium, so that they could take it out whenever Ling Qingxue needed to refill the water.

This time, Ling Qingxue was really scared of being dirty. Even with the time formation, she still took a few minutes to come out of the shower. Counting the time inside the formation, it should have been two or three hours.

She did ask for hot water a few times and Xia ruofei provided it to her in time.

Finally, Ling Qingxue was done with her bath, freshened up, and dressed up. She walked out of the small metal house looking as if she had been reborn.

Xia ruofei's eyes lit up when he saw Ling Qingxue..

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The beauty came out of the bath like a lotus out of the water.

Ling Qingxue's face was still blushing because she had been in the hot bath for a long time. Her hair was still wet, and it hung down beside her face, making her look even more attractive.

She had changed into a light purple Han Chinese clothing, and a belt with complicated and beautiful patterns was tied around her slender waist. A section of her white and tender forearm, which was like a lotus root, was exposed from the wide sleeves. As she walked, her robe fluttered gently, and she was as moving as a fairy.

Xia ruofei could not help but stare at Ling Qingxue in a daze. He mumbled, ""Graceful like a startled Swan, graceful like a Wandering Dragon. The autumn chrysanthemums of glory and the spring pine. The misty Xi is like the closed moon in the light clouds, the drifting Xi is like the snow returning to the wind ..."

Ling Qingxue's face turned even redder. She rolled her eyes at Xia ruofei and said, ""You're talking nonsense again! I can't compare to luoshen..."

"Qingxue, I don't think even luoshen is as good as you!" Xia ruofei said with a serious face.

"You have a glib tongue..." Ling Qingxue said in a low voice, but her heart was filled with joy.

Xia ruofei smiled and asked, "do you feel comfortable now?"

Ling Qingxue held Xia ruofei's arm and leaned her face on his shoulder. ""Thank you, ruofei! You're so good to me!"

Xia ruofei reached out and touched Ling Qingxue's face. He smiled and said, ""Isn't this what I should do? If I don't treat you well, who will?"

“Since you’re done here, we should go on with our mission!” Xia ruofei continued.

In fact, when Ling Qingxue was taking a shower, Xia ruofei had already seen the second part of the chain mission through the perceptual mirror.

The mission was simple. Collect ten star Fern thorn soul essences.

This time, it was not bad. Besides the mission content, it also provided information about the star Fern thorn soul essence.

The so – called star Fern thorn’s soul essence was naturally the soul essence extracted from a plant like the star Fern thorn. In reality, as long as the star Fern thorn died, there was a possibility of the star Fern thorn’s soul essence appearing. However, the probability was rather low. As for how low it was, Xia ruofei did not know because the mission prompt on the perception mirror did not explain in detail.

However, judging from the fact that the mission only required him to obtain ten star Fern soul essences, the probability of this happening was probably so low that it would make one’s hair stand on end.

Ling Qingxue couldn’t help but say anxiously, “Ah? You’ve already received the second part of the mission? Why didn’t you call me? It’s a waste of time to take a bath!”

Xia ruofei caressed Ling Qingxue’s face lovingly and smiled. “We have the time formation! No matter how long you shower, it’s only a few minutes. It’s not a big deal! It’s not easy for you to take a hot bath, so of course you have to enjoy it. How could I bear to interrupt you?”

In fact, this mission did have a time limit. It had to be completed within ten hours, or else it would be considered a failure.

This segment did not mention the quest record, so naturally, there was no reward for breaking the record.

Xia ruofei did some analysis and knew that this mission was more or less a test of luck. If he was lucky, he might be able to get the soul essence by destroying the first Star Fern thorn. If he was unlucky, he might not be able to get a star Fern thorn soul essence even after destroying hundreds or thousands of star Fern thorns.

Hence, Xia ruofei did not think that it was a big deal for Ling Qingxue to waste a few minutes in the shower.

Ling Qingxue felt a little guilty as she said, “it’s all my fault!” RUO Fei, let’s hurry up and complete the mission! What was the second part of the mission? Forget it, let’s talk while we walk!”

Xia ruofei laughed and waved his hand. “No rush! No rush!”

With that, Xia ruofei put away the array flags, array techniques, and the temporary bathroom. Then, he brought Ling Qingxue to the star Fern thorny ring belt, which had been burnt to ashes, on the bent Frost Flying sword.

Seeing that Xia ruofei had stopped, Ling Qingxue could not help but ask in confusion, “Ruofei, why did you stop again? We should hurry up!”

Xia ruofei said,"the second part of the mission is to collect the star Fern thorn soul essence. The star Fern thorn soul essence is formed after the star Fern thorn dies. I'm thinking that since we've burned so many star Fern thorns, will we be able to leave behind a few soul essences?" If we can find the star Fern thorn's soul essence directly, wouldn't it be faster than us looking for the star Fern thorn?"

Ling Qingxue was dumbfounded and asked,"that works?" Is it against the rules?"

Xia ruofei said nonchalantly,"there's nothing against the law. It's not stated in the rules. We're not breaking it!" Let's try it first! If it doesn't work, we'll talk later!"

Xia ruofei's perceptual mirror could tell the mission's completion status at the first moment, so whether this method was feasible or not, he would know once he tried it.

It was fine if he could not find the star Fern thorn soul essence in the ashes of the star Fern thorn ring. If he could find it, he could check if there were any changes to the mission progress and everything would be clear.

Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue rode on the qushuang flying sword and flew past the ashes of the star Fern thorn belt. His spiritual power constantly swept across the ashes.

The ring had a radius of one kilometer and a depth of about 50 meters. There were many star Fern thorns scattered around, and the ashes had also formed a thick ring.

Fortunately, Xia ruofei's spiritual power had improved by leaps and bounds. He was able to search through the complicated ash zone in a short time.

Xia ruofei brought Ling Qingxue and flew through almost half of the ashes before they suddenly stopped..

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"RUO Fei, did you find anything?" Ling Qingxue asked quickly.

Xia ruofei smiled.'T'm not sure. Let's see how it goes."

After saying that, he waved his hand and the White ashes below scattered, revealing a black oval bead.

Xia ruofei reached out and grabbed the Black Pearl.

Xia ruofei held the Black Pearl in his hand and immediately felt a faint energy flow. It was obvious that this was not an ordinary Pearl.

He was overjoyed and focused his attention on the mission progress bar above the perceptual mirror.

At this moment, the mission progress changed from 0/10 to 1/10.

The method was effective!

Xia ruofei's face lit up and he said to Ling Qingxue,""Success! Qingxue, this is the star Fern thorn soul essence. The mission requires us to search for ten star Fern thorn soul essences. When I got this oval bead, the progress showed that I had already found one, and now I have nine left!"

Ling Qingxue couldn't help but be speechless. After a while, she said, not knowing whether to laugh or cry, "It can actually be operated like this ... Only someone like you who doesn't play by the rules can think of this!"

Xia ruofei laughed and said, "who cares!" It doesn't matter if it's a black cat or a white cat, as long as it can catch a mouse, it's a good cat. It's fine as long as it can complete the mission!"

"En!" Ling Qingxue nodded her head and said, "then let's continue! If this star Fern thorny ring can produce ten soul essences, then we don't even need to do anything and the mission will be completed?"

Xia ruofei laughed. Continue, continue!"

He tried it out of habit and realized that the star Fern thorn soul essence still couldn't be stored in the spirit map space. This was expected, but he didn't mind. He put the star Fern thorn soul essence into his pocket and continued to search with Ling Qingxue.

As it turned out, the drop rate of the star Fern thorn soul essence was indeed very low. The two of them searched the entire star Fern thorn belt and finally found another one just as they were about to end their search. Their mission progress had also been refreshed to 2/10.

Although he had completed one – fifth of the task without much effort, Xia ruofei's expression became even more serious.

The reason was simple. The production rate of the star Fern thorn soul essence was simply too low.

There were at least thousands of star Fern thorns in the ring with a diameter of one kilometer and a depth of 50 meters. However, only two star Fern thorns were burned to death and formed into soul essences.

Based on this probability, Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue would need to destroy at least four times the number of star Fern thorn soul essences in order to collect the remaining eight star Fern thorn souls.

The problem was that in this wasteland, the star Fern thorn was very scattered. Often, there would only be one or two in a large area. It was impossible to use an array to burn such a large area like how they had dealt with the star Fern thorn ring.

Therefore, it was not easy to find ten star Fern thorn soul essence within the time limit of the mission.

The star Fern thorns were not just for show. They had strong offensive power and strong physical defense. Although Xia ruofei had found the star Fern thorns' weakness and used fire to increase the efficiency, it was more suitable for Xia ruofei to use fire to deal with a large number of star Fern thorns. If he used a fire attack formation on a single star Fern thorn and then used origin crystals to burn it, not only would it cost a lot of money, but the efficiency would also be very low.

Ten hours was far from enough.

Xia ruofei felt that there must be another way. Otherwise, no one could complete this mission.

However, it was useless to think about it here. He had to give it a try.

Ling Qingxue had obviously thought of the difficulties involved. She asked with a worried expression, "RUO Fei, do we not have enough time?"

Xia ruofei nodded. 'The drop rate of this soul essence is too low. We still have more than nine hours. If we're unlucky, we might not be able to complete the mission...'

"Yup! There are so many star Fern thorns, but only two soul essences. The probability is too low." Ling Qingxue furrowed her brows.

"The rules can't be changed. We can only do our best to complete them!" Xia ruofei said decisively, "let's find the star Fern thorn first! Try it and you'll know!"

"En!"

Xia ruofei used his spiritual power to scan the entire Ash area of the star Fern thorn ring belt to make sure that no one had escaped. Then, he took Ling Qingxue and left on the bent Frost Flying sword.

In reality, there were many star Fern thorns in this wasteland. When Xia ruofei brought Ling Qingxue over, they had to deliberately avoid certain areas to avoid being attacked by the star Fern thorns.

However, the distribution of these star Fern thorns was truly too scattered.

Even though Xia ruofei's fire array could cover a radius of more than a kilometer, it could not cover many star Fern thorns and it consumed a lot of energy.

However, Xia ruofei had no other choice. He could only try this.

After flying on his sword for a while with Ling Qingxue, he found an area with relatively dense star Fern thorns and prepared to set up an array.

Of course, this was only slightly more concentrated in other areas. Compared to the star Fern thorn ring belt, which was completely airtight, it was still a world of difference.

Xia ruofei roughly estimated that there were only about a hundred star Fern thorns within a one – kilometer radius.

Xia ruofei carefully avoided the star Fern thorn's attack range and spent ten minutes setting up the fire array. Then, without hesitation, he embedded an origin crystal in the core of the array and activated it with a hand seal.

The flames immediately started burning and spread inwards at an extremely fast speed, turning the area within a one – kilometer radius into a sea of fire.

Of course, the speed of consumption was also extremely fast. The energy of the origin crystals was quickly lost.

The star Fern thorns within the array's range were the same. They began to attack the array in a frenzy, but all their efforts were in vain. They were quickly distorted under the burning of the flames, and finally turned into a pile of ashes.

Xia ruofei immediately stopped the formation and turned around. His heart was aching for the crystals that he had used up.

Without waiting for the temperature in the formation to drop, Xia ruofei told Ling Qingxue to wait at the same spot. Then, he flew into the formation on his flying sword and used his vital Qi to isolate the burning aura outside. He then started to search the area quickly.

There were only a hundred or so star Fern thorns in the entire area, so Xia ruofei quickly searched through the area.

The result was disappointing. There was no star Fern thorn soul essence at all.

Of course, in terms of probability, this was very normal.

Xia ruofei returned to Ling Qingxue's side with a frown.

Ling Qingxue looked at Xia ruofei's expression and knew that the result was not good. She was smart and did not ask questions at this time. She just held Xia ruofei's arm and said softly, "Ruofei, it's alright. Next time, luck might be on our side!"

Xia ruofei said thoughtfully, "we can't count on luck!" We still have to change our method, or else we'll waste too much time and the efficiency will be too low!"

"Change the method?" Ling Qingxue asked in confusion, "attacking with fire is already the most effective method! You've also tried those star Fern thorns. Ordinary attacks can't do anything to them!"

Xia ruofei nodded and said, "I know that fire is the most effective, but this kind of wide – range fire attack is not suitable. On one hand, it consumes too much energy. On the other hand, it takes too long to set up the formation. At this speed, we might not be able to find even one more star Fern thorn soul essence even after ten hours of the mission time is used up!"

At this point, Xia ruofei mumbled to himself, "I still have to start with fire attacks and formations, but I'll have to change the formations! Area of effect attacks are no longer suitable!"

After finding some ideas, Xia ruofei's mind was much more active. He said, "Qingxue! I'm going to study a new formation with the help of the time formation flag.. I'll go into the time formation to study it and you help me!"

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After Xia ruofei finished speaking, he immediately took out the time array flag and quickly set up the time array. Then, he set up a warning array and a defensive array.

Ling Qingxue stood outside the time formation to help Xia ruofei.

After Xia ruofei entered the time formation, he sat on the ground and started to think and choose the most suitable formation.

In fact, Xia ruofei had mastered quite a few small – scale offensive arrays. He also had a few small – scale fire attack arrays. However, it was not easy to use them all. First of all, there were many kinds of flames. What Xia ruofei wanted the most was to use the flames of the previous large – scale array, which was actually the flame of the trap and kill array.

And to transfer the flames to another formation, it would still take some effort.

Hence, after Xia ruofei picked out a few small arrays, he started to analyze and practice them in his mind. He even took out a pen and paper and deduced some uncertain parts on the paper.

This was supposed to take a lot of effort, but Xia ruofei had an advantage. All the formations he knew came from the Jade talisman of inheritance. In addition, he had a good understanding of the theories of formations. Therefore, he had a better understanding of the principles of these formations. It was naturally much easier to modify them on this basis.

Even so, it still took him more than three hours to finalize the modification plan for a small area array.

The next step was to put it into practice.

Xia ruofei didn't hesitate and took out the materials for the formation from the spirit map space. He started to carve the formation lines according to the formation diagram that he had deduced several times. In a short while, the materials for a set of formation were ready.

Xia ruofei kept the formation materials, stood up, and stepped out of the formation.

Because of the time formation, only three or four minutes had passed in the outside world. When Ling Qingxue saw Xia ruofei come out, she immediately asked, "Ruofei, you've finished your research so quickly?"

Xia ruofei smiled and said, "it's not that fast. If it wasn't for the time formation, the mission would have taken half the time!" Qingxue, I've come up with a formation, let's go and try it out!"

"En!" Ling Qingxue nodded with anticipation.

She had always had blind trust in Xia ruofei. In her opinion, nothing could stump Xia ruofei.

Although she felt that the mission this time was very difficult, she felt that as long as Xia ruofei was serious, there would not be any problems.

Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue rode on the qushuang flying sword and flew towards a star Fern thorn not far away.

All the star Fern thorns within a kilometer had been burned away, and the rest of the star Fern thorns were even more scattered. The area around the star Fern thorn was bare, without any vegetation at all.

If he were to use a large – scale array formation like just now, it would waste origin crystals on one hand, but more importantly, it would waste a lot of time. It was rather complicated to set up such a large – scale array formation. If he had to set up a large – scale fire array formation every time he dealt with a star Fern thorn, it would be impossible to complete the task within ten hours, given the low probability of the star Fern thorn dropping the star Fern thorn soul essence.

Unless one's luck was heaven – defying.

Xia ruofei stopped the qushuang flying sword at a safe distance. He jumped down with Ling Qingxue and stood on the ground of the wilderness.

He didn't continue to advance, but directly raised his hand, and the many formation materials all flew out, accurately landing in their positions.

The attack range of this kind of formation was only a few meters, so the scale of the formation was very small, and the corresponding complexity was also much lower.

Moreover, Xia ruofei had designed and made the array himself. Hence, he did not need to practice much when he was setting up the array. He could complete it with great familiarity.

Basically, in just two or three breaths 'time, a miniature version of the fire array had been set up, and it just happened to surround the star Fern thorn.

Perhaps it was because the array materials did not have any life aura, but the star Fern thorn did not react to the array materials around it. It was still lying on the ground listlessly.

However, Xia ruofei knew that once someone stepped into its attack range, it would change its appearance.

From a distance of ten to twenty meters, Xia ruofei inserted a crystal into the core of the formation. The energy source of the formation could still be chosen, and the power would naturally be the greatest if it was a crystal. Of course, because the attack range was small, the energy required was also much less. This one origin crystal was enough for the array to launch hundreds of attacks. Compared to the previous large area array, the consumption was really so low that it could be ignored.

Xia ruofei looked at the star Fern thorn and committed some of its physical characteristics to memory. This was also in preparation for the next task. He felt that a star Fern thorn that could produce a soul essence must be different from ordinary star Fern thorns. When he was dealing with the star Fern thorn ring, Xia ruofei did not know about the existence of the star Fern thorn soul essence, so he did not deliberately observe the characteristics of each star Fern thorn.

In fact, there were thousands of star Fern thorns in the star Fern thorn ring. Even though his mental power had improved a lot, it was impossible for him to remember the details and characteristics of every star Fern thorn clearly without deliberately memorizing them..

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Therefore, even though he had obtained two star Fern thorn soul essences from the star Fern thorn ring belt, he did not gain anything else. He also did not have any information that could be used for future reference.

Now that Xia ruofei was going to continue with his mission, he naturally had to memorize the situation of each star Fern thorn and make some comparisons with a large amount of data. This way, he could have a better aim when he completed his mission.

After Xia ruofei memorized the characteristics of this star Fern thorn, he formed a hand seal and activated the array without hesitation.

The moment the array was activated, the star fern spike sensed danger. It curled up like a Porcupine in danger and then began to shoot out its dense spikes.

Fortunately, Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue were standing outside the attack range of the star Fern thorns, and the target of the array materials was very small. Even if a few thorns hit them, they did not suffer much damage. Moreover, once the array was activated, there was no way to stop it. Even if the materials of the array were destroyed, the flames that had already been born would not disappear.

The range of the array itself was not large, and it was only a few meters away from the star Fern thorn. As soon as the array was activated, the raging flames almost devoured the star Fern thorn in the blink of an eye.

The star Fern frantically shot out its thorns, but unfortunately, it was all in vain.

The flames from the confinement killing array were extremely powerful. In about a minute or two, the star Fern thorn had completely lost its vitality and was burned into a pile of powder.

Xia ruofei waved his hand gently and the powder flew into the air. However, there was no star Fern thorn soul essence under the powder.

Considering the low drop rate of the soul essence, Xia ruofei was not surprised at all. He kept the materials and checked them. He was relieved when he found that there was almost no damage.

Xia ruofei muttered to himself, then said to Ling Qingxue, ""Qingxue, it seems that this array is quite useful. I'll make a few more sets then. This should also improve our efficiency!"

Ling Qingxue nodded and said, "yes!" I agree! Go and prepare the materials for the formation! I'll still protect you!"

Xia ruofei nodded and took out the time formation flag and the materials for the alarm formation and protection formation from the spirit map space. He set up the formation as fast as he could.

Then, he went into the time array and took out a large amount of array materials from the spirit map space. He began to prepare the materials according to the improved version of the small – Area fire array.

This process was very boring but Xia ruofei had always been patient. He maintained a high degree of accuracy from the beginning to the end.

He spent about an hour to prepare another four sets of identical formations.

In this way, Xia ruofei had five small – range fire formations to use.

He put the formation materials into the spirit map space, then stepped out of the time formation and put away the formation flags and other formation materials.

"I'm ready!" Xia ruofei smiled at Ling Qingxue and said, "let's go! Let's go test our luck!"

"Hahaha! I've always had a good character!" Ling Qingxue said with a smile.

"My great aunt, please don't raise any flags!" Xia ruofei quickly said, "I don't want to be in a state of no harvest for the next ten hours!"

Ling Qingxue giggled and said, "don't worry!" I believe in your luck!"

Xia ruofei shrugged his shoulders and pulled Ling Qingxue onto the curved Frost Flying sword. Then, he flew towards another star Fern thorn not far away.

Xia ruofei threw out the materials for the array and memorized the characteristics of the star Fern thorn. Then, he activated the array with a hand seal.

After activating the formation, Xia ruofei did not stop. He brought Ling Qingxue and rushed to another star Fern thorn. Then, he did the same thing again. He did not set up the formation, recorded the characteristics, activated the formation, and left...

Xia ruofei had five sets of formations at his disposal. In this situation where the star Fern thorns were scattered, he could exert as much speed as possible to increase his efficiency.

When Xia ruofei finished setting up the fifth formation and activated it, the star Fern thorn had already been burned into a pile of ashes in the first formation.

Xia ruofei stepped on the qushuang flying sword and came to the side of the array. He waved his hand and pushed the ashes away. There was still nothing inside.

Xia ruofei didn't think too much about it. He kept the formation materials and ran to a star Fern thorn nearby.

Just like that, Xia ruofei used the five sets of formations to increase his efficiency. In the next hour or so, he had burned more than 300 star Fern thorns.

However, he still did not find a single star Fern thorn soul essence.

Compared to the probability of the star Fern thorn belt producing soul essences, it was normal for the 300 star Fern thorns to not produce a single soul essence.

However, Xia ruofei was a little depressed. It seemed that his luck was not very good!

However, Xia ruofei did not stop. Instead, he continued to use the five sets of formations and continued to advance.

Even though Xia ruofei knew that at this speed, it was impossible to gather all ten star Fern soul essence before the time limit, he would not give up so easily as long as there was one second left.

Just like that, another two hours passed in a tight schedule. Xia ruofei only had six hours left to complete the mission.

Xia ruofei had set up that small fire array countless times and was very familiar with it. He could set it up with his eyes closed and he could form the array in a breath's time by throwing out the materials.

However, the few seconds of time saved by the increase in proficiency was nothing compared to the extremely low drop rate of the star Fern thorn soul essence.

For three hours, Xia ruofei had been setting up the formation, recording the characteristics, and putting away the formation. It was a great test of his mental and physical strength.

Ling Qingxue's heart ached when she saw this. She couldn't help but say, ""RUO Fei, let's rest for a while!"

Xia ruofei grinned and said, "sure!" After all the star Fern thorns in these formations are burned to death, I will rest for a few minutes!"

He had just put away one set of array techniques and there were still four sets of array techniques in operation. Initially, Xia ruofei was about to fly to the other star Fern thorn and set up the array technique that he had just retrieved. However, since he was going to rest, he naturally would not set up another array technique.

Xia ruofei brought Ling Qingxue directly to one of the arrays. After waiting for a while, the star Fern thorn in the array had already been burned to death.

As usual, Xia ruofei withdrew the formation and swept the ashes away with a wave of his hand.

It was empty.

There was still no sign of the star Fern thorn soul essence.

Xia ruofei was already used to not getting anything. He smiled bitterly and rode his sword to the next formation.

Just like that, Xia ruofei kept three formations and arrived near the last one.

Similarly, Xia ruofei kept the formation materials into the spirit map space with great familiarity. Then, he swept away the ashes left by the star Fern thorn with a wave of his hand.

Then, Xia ruofei scanned through it as if he was doing his job. His eyes immediately froze.

A star Fern thorn soul essence was lying quietly on the ground.

Happiness came so suddenly that Xia ruofei was caught off guard. He rubbed his eyes and confirmed that he had obtained another star Fern thorn soul essence before he shouted excitedly, "Qingxue, I've found the third star Fern thorn soul essence!"

The formation in front of them was not far from the one that Xia ruofei had just kept. That was why Xia ruofei did not bring Ling Qingxue along with him.

Ling Qingxue heard him and quickly ran over.

At that moment, Xia ruofei had already retrieved the star Fern thorn soul essence and was grinning as he showed it to Ling Qingxue. In the field of view of his sensory mirror, the mission progress had finally been updated to 3/10.

Xia ruofei kept the star Fern thorn's soul essence in his pocket and his expression turned serious. He tried his best to recall the characteristics of this star Fern thorn.. This would be of great significance to him in his search for the star Fern thorn's soul essence!

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Xia ruofei still did not believe that the star Fern thorn soul essence would appear randomly. Hence, every time he used the formation to burn the star Fern thorn, he would remember the appearance and

characteristics of the star Fern thorn. Once the star Fern thorn soul essence appeared, he could immediately compare it with the other.

These star Fern thorns were spread out like camel's thorns. If one did not look carefully, every one of them was almost the same. There were hundreds to thousands of star Fern thorns. To remember every detail and characteristic was an impossible task for ordinary people. Even the most powerful brain could not do it.

However, for a cultivator, especially one with strong spiritual power like Xia ruofei, it was just a matter of spending a little more energy. It was not a particularly difficult thing.

When this star Fern thorn dropped its soul essence, Xia ruofei's first thought was not that he had advanced another step in his mission progress, but that he immediately began to recall the details and characteristics of this star Fern thorn and compared it with all the star Fern thorns he had just memorized.

Although there were not many samples, Xia ruofei believed that he could still find out what was so special about this star Fern thorn.

Once he found this unique characteristic, Xia ruofei could follow the map and head straight for the star Fern thorn. He did not need to use an array to burn every star Fern thorn he encountered to know if it could produce the star Fern thorn soul essence.

This way, time would be saved and efficiency would be greatly improved.

Xia ruofei felt that this was the only way to complete the mission within the stipulated time. Otherwise, based on the probability, it would take a few hours to harvest one star Fern thorn soul essence. It would take at least dozens of hours to search without sleep and rest before it was possible to find all ten star Fern thorn soul essences.

And since the Almighty had set up this mission, it definitely couldn't be an impossible mission.

Xia ruofei had also considered whether there was a formation with a larger area or a faster attack method that could increase the attack efficiency. This way, he could kill as many of the star Fern thorn's targets as possible in a set time.

However, Xia ruofei was confident that he had more tricks up his sleeve compared to the other golden core cultivators. Even the large – scale fire array that he had developed to deal with the star Fern thorn ring was the limit of a golden core cultivator. It would be difficult to control it if it was any bigger.

Hence, Xia ruofei did not think that it was possible.

He was more inclined to believe that the star Fern thorn that could drop soul essence should have some remarkable or inconspicuous characteristics that were different from the ordinary star Fern thorn. This was the only way to speed up the screening process.

Hence, before Xia ruofei used the formation to burn the star Fern thorn, he would rather waste a few seconds to memorize the characteristics of the star Fern thorn before activating the formation.

Now, Xia ruofei's seemingly time – wasting methods came in handy.

This was the last Burning Star Fern thorn that Xia ruofei had used an array to surround before he went to rest. Hence, this was the moment when he had the deepest impression of it. As long as he tried to recall, all the details and characteristics of this star Fern thorn would appear before his eyes.

Then, Xia ruofei compared every detail with the star Fern thorn that had caused him to lose his harvest.

With this comparison, Xia ruofei really found a few differences.

This star Fern thorn that had dropped a soul essence seemed to have a darker color, especially the thorns growing on the root. The tip of the thorns was almost pure black, while the rest of the star Fern thorns were light gray.

This was the most obvious difference.

There were also some minor differences, such as the color of the leaves and the size and shape of the thorns. However, these were not very obvious and Xia ruofei remembered them all.

He didn't know if this was the real difference between the two star Fern thorns or if it was a normal deviation. After all, the number of samples was not particularly large, and the conclusion he had drawn could only be used as a reference.

However, with this as a reference, Xia ruofei had already gained a lot.

He quickly memorized all the characteristics he had observed, and then said to Ling Qingxue, ""Qingxue! Let's keep up the good work!"

Ling Qingxue was also very excited. She nodded and said, "Mm! Good luck! We are one step closer to completing the mission!"

Ling Qingxue knew very well that at this rate, it was impossible to complete the mission. However, she had full confidence in Xia ruofei. This blind confidence made her feel no despair and helplessness at the moment of failure. Instead, it filled her with motivation.

Xia ruofei was eager to verify the differences he had observed and see if they were the key points to distinguish between the two star Fern thorns. Thus, he did not stop there and immediately rode on the qushuang flying sword, bringing Ling Qingxue with him to another star Fern thorn nearby.

After a quick observation, Xia ruofei realized that this star Fern thorn was the same as most of the other star Fern thorns he had burned. It was plain and unremarkable. He had found a few differences, but none of them matched.

Hence, Xia ruofei avoided this star Fern thorn and ran towards another star Fern thorn that was further away.

It was the first time Ling Qingxue had seen Xia ruofei not attack when he encountered the star Fern. Instead, he took a detour to avoid it.

Time was of the essence, so he should be burning as many star Fern thorns as possible.. Even if the probability was low, he still needed ordinary star Fern thorns to contribute to the denominator!

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Ling Qingxue thought about it for a moment, then her eyes lit up. She couldn't help but ask, "RUO Fei, don't tell me that you're already able to distinguish what land of star Fern thorn can drop soul essence?"

Xia ruofei was stunned for a moment, then he laughed and said, "My wife's brain works very fast!"

"Really!" Ling Qingxue was overjoyed. "Aren't you too amazing? I think these star Fern thorns all look the same!"

Xia ruofei was flying on his sword as he smiled and said, "I only have some ideas and discoveries, but I haven't verified them yet. However, that star Fern thorn just now definitely doesn't have a soul essence if I'm not mistaken, because it looks just like an ordinary star Fern thorn. There's nothing special about it!"

"Then let's keep looking. We'll find the star Fern thorn that you think is special. Won't that verify your discovery?" Ling Qingxue said.

"Qingxue knows me well!" Xia ruofei gave him a thumbs up. "That's what I think!"

Following that, Xia ruofei hardly made any moves. He just rode on the flying sword of the qushuang and flew across the wilderness with Ling Qingxue. When they passed by every star Fern thorn, Xia ruofei would stop and use a little time to observe it.

Most of the time, Xia ruofei would shake his head in disappointment and then continue to fly on his sword.

There were a few times when Xia ruofei's eyes revealed a glimmer of hope. He quickly set up the formation and activated it. Then, he waited at a safe distance outside the range of the formation with Ling Qingxue.

However, the results of these few attempts were not satisfactory. The star Fern thorn was quickly burned to ashes without any suspense, but after it was burned, only ashes were left, and there was no soul essence left.

Even so, Xia ruofei's expression remained calm.

This was because the star Fern thorn that he had stopped for a few times only matched the not-so-obvious characteristics that he had found. Xia ruofei was not sure if these characteristics were unique to the star Fern thorn that could drop soul essence. After a few rounds of verification, he could finally confirm that these characteristics were not unique but could appear in All Star Fern thorns.

The biggest difference he had noticed was the color of the roots, especially the thorns. The same roots and thorns of the same color as the star Fern's thorns had not appeared yet, so Xia ruofei still had high hopes.

The rarer it was, the more likely it was because the drop rate of the star Fern thorn soul essence was also very low. This meant that the star Fern thorn that could produce soul essence was also very rare.

The less obvious features had been eliminated after a few rounds of verification, which made Xia ruofei more specific.

Even though Xia ruofei did not explain anything, Ling Qingxue just followed him quietly and did not ask any questions.

Anyway, no matter what Xia ruofei did, whether he stopped setting up the formation to attack the star Fern thorn or just swept past it, it would all make sense. Even after using the formation to attack for a few minutes and still finding nothing in the ashes, Ling Qingxue's confidence in Xia ruofei had never diminished.

Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue continued to fly close to the ground on their flying swords, searching for the Black Star Fern thorn at the tip of the thorn.

It had to be said that this kind of star Fern thorn was indeed very rare. They had found hundreds or thousands of star Fern thorns, but so far, they had not found a single star Fern thorn with a black tip. The color of the stem was not as deep as the one that had dropped a soul essence.

Even though Xia ruofei's flying sword was very fast, he was not slow in identifying the star Fern thorn. He could basically determine the root with just a glance. In most cases, he would just go around to the next one. Even so, he still spent half an hour and identified more than 1500 star Fern thorns. Finally, his hard work paid off. He found a star Fern thorn with a darker root and a Jet – Black tip!

Xia ruofei's spirit was lifted!

He didn't even have time to explain to Ling Qingxue before jumping off the qushuang flying sword with her. Then, he immediately threw out the formation materials from twenty meters away.

Xia ruofei had set up this formation more than a thousand times and was extremely familiar with it. The formation took shape almost instantly.

Originally, the star Fern thorn would not have any defensive reaction to inanimate objects like array materials. Xia ruofei's movements were also extremely fast. Almost at the moment the array was formed, an origin crystal with more than half of its energy left had accurately embedded itself into the position of the core of the array. Immediately after, a spell was cast into the core of the array and the flame array was activated.

Even though the star Fern thrust had reacted when he had set up the array, it was already too late. It had only taken two to three seconds before the raging flames had already started burning.

At this moment, the star Fern suddenly reacted and began to frantically release its thorns.

But it was too late.

The flames within the array spread out and completely engulfed the star Fern thorn in a few breaths.

All that was left was to wait. Xia ruofei was filled with anticipation, but at the same time, he was a little nervous.

After all, this so – called characteristic was something he had concluded from a limited number of samples. Whether it was really unique to the star Fern thorn that could drop soul essence was still unknown.

If his judgment was correct, it would be fine. If he still did not get a soul essence this time, it would mean that all his previous efforts had been in vain. Next, he could only burn the star Fern thorns one by one and bet on the probability.

In order to find this star Fern thorn, he had wasted nearly an hour. Now, there were only about five hours left for the mission. No matter what, there was no possibility of completing the mission.

The formation was still very powerful, so Xia ruofei did not have to wait for too long. In about one or two minutes, the star Fern thorn in the formation had lost all signs of life. Xia ruofei waited for a little while more before the star Fern thorn was completely burnt to ashes.

Xia ruofei walked forward impatiently. He stopped the formation and put all the materials back into the spirit map space. At the same time, he waved his palm and the White ashes were blown away by the wind.

A Black Star Fern thorn soul essence was exposed before Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue's eyes.

Ling Qingxue immediately cheered, "RUO Fei!" I've really found the right person this time!"

Xia ruofei's anxious heart was finally at ease. Even though two star Fern thorn soul essences could not guarantee that his judgment was correct, the probability was very high.

He didn't even collect the star Fern thorn soul essence. He hugged Ling Qingxue, who was beside him, and gave her a big kiss on the cheek. He said excitedly, "Qingxue! There's hope for us to complete the mission!"

Ling Qingxue's face reddened and she pouted. "Hurry up and take that star Fern thorn soul essence! We're still short of six! We have to hurry!"

Xia ruofei immediately came back to his senses and quickly said, "Yes, yes, yes! Your reminder is right! Time was still very tight! We have to hurry!"

Xia ruofei let go of Ling Qingxue and reached out his hand to grab the air. He then took the star Fern thorn soul essence.

When the star Fern thorn soul essence entered his palm, he saw that the mission bar in his perceptual mirror had been updated. The mission progress had become 4/10.

"Let's go! Continue searching!" Xia ruofei said decisively.

He and Ling Qingxue jumped onto the qushuang flying sword floating at the side and flew at high speed towards another star Fern thorn not far away.

After that, it was another long search. Every time, Xia ruofei would stop the qushuang flying sword with hope. After a moment of observation, he would fly away with a disappointed expression.

After a long time, Xia ruofei finally found another star Fern thorn with distinctive features. After a round of array attacks, he obtained another star Fern thorn soul essence without any suspense.

The mission progress has been updated to 5/10.

There were only slightly more than four hours left for the mission..

