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Chapter 791: DragonPhoenix Physique

Roar!

A dragon roar and phoenix cry that seemed to have originated from the primordial times resounded from far away, penetrating through space as they rang out in Mu Chen's mind. Under the dragon roar and phoenix cry, the blood in his body started to boil.

A dazzling golden light spread out from the centre of Mu Chen's brows. In just an instant, it had spread throughout every single corner of Mu Chen's body. As the golden light was fusing with his blood and flesh, an intense burning pain immediately spread out.

That intense pain had directly caused Mu Chen's face to distort. His body was constantly trembling as traces of blood oozed from his pores.

That small drip of dark-gold blood essence was extremely overbearing. It was trying to incinerate all the blood in Mu Chen's body.

However, that scene was clearly not what Mu Chen wanted to see, he wanted to fuse them and not incinerate one of them. Because if his blood was truly incinerated, it would give him a heavy injury. At that time, when the blood essence of the dragon and phoenix becomes the main instead of a sub, his body might be destroyed.

"Since you've entered my body, I don't care what you are, but behave!" Mu Chen clenched his teeth as his heart tensed up. The Spiritual Energy in his body revolved. It was so much so that even the flow of blood in his body had accelerated.

He knew that he absolutely could not cower at this moment. No matter how overbearing the blood essence of the dragon and phoenix was, he couldn't allow them to incinerate his blood.

Traces of golden light shone in his blood and flesh, dying them gold. But under Mu Chen's control, the blood in his body had retaliated under the help of his Spiritual Energy, suppressing that golden light.

The two started to fight in his body. Every single clash would cause his body to tremble, along with intense pain. It nearly made Mu Chen unable to bear it any longer and almost howled out. That's because the pain was comparable to slicing his flesh. It was extremely unbearable.

But he already could not retreat at this moment.

If he wanted to form the Dragon-Phoenix Physique, he naturally had to face great danger as well.

Looking from outside Mu Chen's body, one would notice that his body was emitting blood-red and golden colours. The two colours constantly came into contact as they attempted to devour the other party. Under the two lights, Mu Chen's distorted face was especially sinister at this moment.

Although the blood essence of the dragon and phoenix was overbearing, it was weak by itself alone. Hence, this fight lasted for a long while, before the golden light retreated. Just as Mu Chen silently felt

relieved, the Dragon-Phoenix Wheel above him started to shine with golden light and another drop of dragon-phoenix blood essence dropped onto the centre of his brows.

“Bastard!”

Mu Chen only had the time to curse in his heart, before he was covered with intense pain that surged over. He could only guard his mind and not allow his conscious to scatter by the intense pain.

Therefore, Mu Chen had a wonderful taste of living death. Under his senses, his entire body was cut open from the fight. That feeling was as if his body was sliced with blades over and over again.

He did not know how long the fight lasted, he only knew that he had lost his senses in the end and only had a trace of will that guarded his mind so that his consciousness wouldn't be destroyed.

However, just when Mu Chen's consciousness was in a blurry state, he did not know that along with every single fight in his body, there would be dark-golden blood traces that could be found throughout his body, outside his bones. A terrifying vitality was emitted as they wiggled.

On the surface of Mu Chen's skin, there was a dark-gold lustre moving about. Faintly, there seem to be densely packed dark-golden scales appearing on his skin.

There was a drastic change throughout his body at this moment.

The water level of this super Dragon-Phoenix Pool was constantly lowering. The initially dazzling golden light had become much darker. Clearly, it was caused by having a large amount of dragon and phoenix's blood essences being absorbed by Mu Chen.

Cai Xiao stood outside the Dragon-Phoenix Pool, looking at the water level that was constantly descending. Vaguely, Mu Chen's figure, which sat at the bottom of it, could be seen.

However, judging from the looks of it, it seemed like it had yet to end.

“The blood essences in this Dragon-Phoenix Pool can't support the birth of the Dragon-Phoenix Physique.” Cai Xiao murmured to herself as she lightly frowned. She briefly pondered, before she grasped her hand and a Dragon-Phoenix Fruit with a dragon and phoenix intertwining on it appeared with a flash. A dazzling golden light burst out from it, like a small sun, filled with energy that could make others drool.

The amount of dragon and phoenix blood essences required for the forming of the Dragon-Phoenix Physique had exceeded Cai Xiao's expectations. If this continued, Mu Chen might not reach the most perfect state. Because the moment the blood essences of the dragon and phoenix run out, his cultivation would come to a stop. If he lost this chance, it wouldn't be easy for him to reach that step anymore.

Therefore, Cai Xiao had decisively taken out a Dragon-Phoenix Fruit.

“That fellow is actually benefiting so cheaply.”

Cai Xiao cast a glance at Mu Chen, who sat at the bottom of the pool, then lightly flung her lips. She flicked her finger and the Dragon-Phoenix Fruit instantly turned into a golden beam of light as it shot into the Dragon-Phoenix Wheel that was above Mu Chen.

The moment the Dragon-Phoenix Fruit entered the Dragon-Phoenix Wheel, a dazzling golden light shot out in every direction. A golden pillar of light that was roughly a hundred feet in size soared, it could be clearly seen from anywhere within a thousand miles.

Roar!

An ancient draconic roar and phoenix cry rang out from the huge pillar of light that resonated between the heavens and earth. It was as if there was a True Dragon and Phoenix contained in that pillar of light.

The source of the golden pillar of light was Mu Chen, who was quietly seated. The dark-gold dragon and phoenix blood essence poured down like a small stream as it enveloped his entire body.

Sizzle! Sizzle!

As the Dragon-Phoenix blood essences poured down, Mu Chen's skin looked like it was burning as an ear-piercing sizzling sound was being emitted. That feeling was as if the Blood Essences of the Dragon-Phoenix weren't blood essences but magma that would soon melt metal...

The surface of Mu Chen's body violently trembled under the envelopment of the Dragon-Phoenix's Blood Essences, enduring that endless pain with a deep roar. His fists violently smashed on the ground, which caused cracks to appear at the bottom of this Dragon-Phoenix Pool.

Cai Xiao closely looked at that trembling figure and couldn't help clenching her fists. She was prepared to forcefully drag Mu Chen out from that cultivation state.

Because if this situation continued, the instant Mu Chen couldn't endure it anymore, then there was a high possibility that his body would be melted by the Dragon-Phoenix Blood Essences.

They had all underestimated how tyrannical the blood essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix.

"Endure it." Cai Xiao spoke with a low voice. If she forcefully dragged Mu Chen out from his cultivation state, then all of his effort from earlier would have been in vain, they would have even wasted a Dragon-Phoenix Fruit.

This disadvantageous plan could only be used if there was an absolute need.

The golden pillar of light soared into the clouds and the dazzling golden light lasted for a few hours, but there still wasn't any sign of it weakening. However, as time passed, the violent smashing noise had also stopped. Mu Chen's body, which was violently trembling, was gradually calming down.

Seeing no movements from Mu Chen, Cai Xiao couldn't help having a change in her expression. Because she sensed that, at this moment, Mu Chen's aura was swiftly weakening.

"Failed?"

Cai Xiao's gaze changed as she clenched her teeth, then tapped her foot. She had directly appeared at the bottom of the pool and was about to pull Mu Chen out from the golden light.

"N...o...don't..."

However, just when Cai Xiao was about to bring Mu Chen out from the golden light, an extremely hoarse voice faintly resounded from within.

Cai Xiao's hand froze in the air, her gaze fixed on the dazzling golden pillar of light. In the end, she could only gently stomp her foot and retract her hand. Mu Chen's tenacity had far exceeded her expectations.

The golden light was still dazzling, but as time passed, it finally started to weaken. The hundred-foot light pillar had also shrunk down, bit by bit, turning into a fine ray of light as it disappeared.

When the light disappeared, the situation at the bottom of the pool became clear. Directing her gaze over, Cai Xiao saw a human figure covered in golden crystals. That figure was like a fly in amber, his body was frozen, along with his distorted facial expression. The vitality had completely disappeared.

Cai Xiao fixed her gaze on the figure in the layer of golden crystals. Even she couldn't sense Mu Chen's aura at this moment. Therefore, she couldn't tell if Mu Chen had succeeded or failed...

Crack!

However, just when Cai Xiao couldn't endure the unease in her heart anymore and was about to break the layer of crystals, a crack suddenly appeared on the surface of the crystal, which swiftly spread out. In a few breaths' time, the crack had covered the whole surface of the crystal...

In the crystal, at this moment, Mu Chen's tightly shut eyes lightly trembled, before gradually opening them under Cai Xiao's rejoicing gaze.

Boom!

A dazzling golden light shot out from Mu Chen's eyes as he opened them. With a boom, the layers of golden crystal exploded, turning into golden light and shot out in every direction.

As the golden light burst out, a figure had also soared into the sky as he howled towards the heavens. His howl actually contained a dragon roar and phoenix cry resounding along with it. As the golden light spread out, a huge dragon and phoenix figure formed behind him that was faintly visible. A terrifying oppressive pressure had also spread out in this region.

That golden figure stood on the sky, while being accompanied by a dragon and phoenix. He looked like a deity, looking peerlessly domineering.

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Chapter 792: Eight DragonPhoenix Pools

A dazzling golden light was spreading out in the sky, even the clouds were dyed and looked like they were made of gold. It was a vast grandeur.

In the sky, a figure stood in the air as the golden light burst out in every direction. Behind him was an image of a dragon and phoenix that brought along an earth-shaking draconic roar and phoenix cry, before entering his body and disappeared.

Mu Chen lowered his head. His hands were slowly clenched together as the energy in his body whistled like tidal waves. That extreme sense of power felt like the sky could collapse and the earth would crack the moment it exploded.

This powerful power of a physique was something that Mu Chen had never experienced before. Even the Lightning God's Physique wasn't strong to this degree. He could sense an immense change in his body compared to before. The strong vitality was unprecedented.

At least, the immense pain that he had suffered was completely worth it.

Mu Chen grinned as his figure moved and appeared before the super Dragon-Phoenix Pool. He looked at Cai Xiao and sincerely said, "Thanks."

Although he was submerged in a deep cultivation state, he also sensed that the Dragon-Phoenix's Blood Essences had suddenly become more vigorous. It wasn't from the Dragon-Phoenix Pool but the extremely precious Dragon-Phoenix Fruit.

If it wasn't for this Dragon-Phoenix Fruit, his cultivation would definitely come to an end. If that was the case, then not only would he not be able to successfully form the Dragon-Phoenix Physique, he would have even wasted so many treasures and suffered a huge loss.

Thus, he was somewhat touched by Cai Xiao's actions. After all, he had benefited quite a bit from their cooperation.

Cai Xiao faintly smiled without minding, before looking at Mu Chen with interest and gently pinched Mu Chen's arm as she chuckled, "Indeed worthy of being the Dragon-Phoenix Physique. There's indeed something worth seeing about it."

She had a vast experience, thus having a keen eye. Naturally, she could sense the stunning vitality contained within Mu Chen's body. With this vitality, as long as Mu Chen didn't suffer a devastating injury, he would be able to swiftly recover.

Mu Chen nodded his head as well. He was also extremely satisfied with how powerful the Dragon-Phoenix Physique was. If he were to encounter Liu Yan again, the outcome would probably be clear.

With his current strength at Third Grade Sovereign, with the Great Solar Undying Body and the Dragon-Phoenix Physique that he had just acquired, there might not be anyone beneath Fifth Grade Sovereign that could confront him.

"Looks like this physique of yours is pretty good." Cai Xiao praised. If it was someone ordinary, even with the Dragon-Phoenix Fruit, it wouldn't be possible for them to form the Dragon-Phoenix Physique. Since she could tell that the Dragon-Phoenix Physique was extremely overbearing, those whose physiques were slightly weaker wouldn't be able to bear the power of the Dragon-Phoenix's Blood Essences. At that time, not only would their blood be incinerated, even their body wouldn't be able to take it.

Mu Chen smiled. Although right now, the Lightning God's Physique that he had cultivated might not be the most powerful Body Refining Technique out there, it had something that other techniques did not. The Lightning God's Physique could thoroughly refine the body, in and out. It couldn't bestow the cultivator an incredibly powerful physique, but it granted the cultivator a good physique. This way, when they cultivate other Body Refining Techniques in the future, the efficacy would be greatly increased.

"Although you have formed the Dragon-Phoenix Physique, you will not be able to bring out its full power through ordinary means." Cai Xiao pondered for a brief moment before saying.

“Oh?” Mu Chen was stunned.

“You’re human, after all, and do not know the potential contained within this Dragon-Phoenix Physique. If you want to cultivate it to the fullest potential, you will need to rely on the cultivation techniques of the True Dragon and Phoenix.” said Cai Xiao.

“Cultivation techniques of the True Dragon and Phoenix?” Mu Chen frowned his brows. The True Dragon and Phoenix clans were apex existences in the world. Their cultivation techniques were the pinnacle, even amongst their clans, so there weren’t that many experts and forces in the Great Thousand World that would dare go to the two powerful clans to steal their cultivation techniques.

“Why steal, isn’t there one in the Dragon-Phoenix Haven?” Cai Xiao rolled her eyes at Mu Chen.

Hearing her words, Mu Chen instantly understood. “You’re talking about the inheritance left behind by the True Dragon and Phoenix?”

As he spoke, he helplessly smiled. The Dragon-Phoenix Haven had opened so many times over the years, but there wasn’t anyone that managed to obtain the inheritance of the True Dragon and Phoenix. Thus, the difficulty went without saying.

Although he was confident, he did not dare to guarantee that he could obtain those inheritances. Furthermore, there were many outstanding talents gathered in this Dragon-Phoenix Haven. Everyone had their eyes on the inheritance left behind by the True Dragon and Phoenix, including elites like Fang Yi, Netherworld Prince, Su Biyue, etc... The two former possessed terrifying strength that could even confront Cai Xiao. Therefore, it was clearly not an easy task to stand out amongst them.

“What, you’re scared?” Cai Xiao smiled.

“Not to the point of feeling scared, just that there’s a little difficulty.” Mu Chen smiled as he looked into the distance. A fighting intent was ablaze within his black pupils.

“However... I do want to personally experience how powerful the elites of the Northern Region’s younger generation are.”

Cai Xiao looked at the youth before her. From her pupils, she saw ambition, a powerful ambition of seeking the height in the path of Dao. Furthermore, that ambition didn’t seem to be baseless.

It was so much so that she couldn’t help believing a little. Perhaps in the distant future, this youth before her would tower the summit of the heavens and earth and overlook this land.

“Let’s go, it will all be clear if I’m boasting when we go to the Dragon-Phoenix Stage.”

That made Cai Xiao dazed for a brief moment, before she smiled. She did not say anything, but inwardly muttered in her heart, “What an interesting fellow.”

He had already finished enjoying the Dragon-Phoenix Fruit and Pool, so the two of them did not have a reason to stay here any further. After slightly tidying up, they had directly left this place.

Counting the time, it had been over a day since they entered the Dragon-Phoenix Haven. However, there wasn’t an indication of day and night in this Dragon-Phoenix Haven. Therefore, the time had unconsciously passed by.

It wasn't a short time, and according to Mu Chen's guesses, the five Dragon-Phoenix Pools had probably been divided up at this moment. Only that he didn't know who the other four that obtained the four other Dragon-Phoenix Pools were.

But now that the Dragon-Phoenix Pools were divided up, many geniuses must've been making their way towards the important Dragon-Phoenix Stage... As it was rumoured to contain the inheritance of the dragon and phoenix.

Likewise, their target was there as well.

So both of them did not stop in their journey. After determining the direction, they had pushed their speeds to the limits and had completely left this desolated land in just four-to-six hours.

Along the way, Mu Chen encountered many experts grouped together. However, those people did not make their way towards the Dragon-Phoenix Pool, they had joined together as they robbed those who travelled alone.

An extremely low number of those experts could obtain a Dragon-Phoenix Pool in this Dragon-Phoenix Haven. However, there were many natural treasures in this domain, thus being those fellow's targets.

But when they placed their greed on Mu Chen and Cai Xiao, they had clearly gone out of luck. Thus, Mu Chen managed to obtain lots of information that happened in that one day in the Dragon-Phoenix Haven.

Undoubtedly, that news had left Mu Chen greatly shocked.

Because in the Dragon-Phoenix Haven this time, aside from that Dragon-Phoenix Pool that he had obtained, there were actually eight Dragon-Phoenix Pools that had appeared!

Furthermore, the initial information was just the discovery of five, that meant that in one day, there were lucky fellows that managed to discover three hidden Dragon-Phoenix Pools!

In addition, the ownership of those eight Dragon-Phoenix Pools left Mu Chen a little shocked. Amongst the eight, he had obtained one of them. Su Biyue of the Myriad Saints Mountain, Demon's Gate's Hong Yu and Spiritual Giant Clan's Ding Xuan had each obtained a Dragon-Phoenix Pool.

What made Mu Chen most startled was the owners for the four remaining Dragon-Phoenix Pools. Amongst the four, the Netherworld Prince had obtained two. Fang Yi, who had snatched a Dragon-Phoenix Fruit from their hands, had obtained one, whereas the last was actually taken by Liu Yan...

"That fellow is truly formidable. Looks like the six of them have all formed the Ersatz Dragon Physique or the Ersatz Phoenix Physique. I wonder how many runes they have achieved."

Upon receiving that news, Mu Chen couldn't help sighing. Truly, those that could participate in the Dragon-Phoenix Haven were all elites of the elites.

"Amongst them, I'm afraid that Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince are most difficult to deal with," said Cai Xiao.

Mu Chen nodded his head. Although Fang Yi had only obtained a Dragon-Phoenix Pool, he had a Dragon-Phoenix Fruit. Even if it wasn't ripe, but if he could successfully refine it, the Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix in it would far exceed an ordinary Dragon-Phoenix Pool.

Whereas the Netherworld Prince had obtained two Dragon-Phoenix Pools, so the Ersatz Dragon Physique or Ersatz Phoenix Physique wouldn't be weak.

"Looks like it'll be lively in the Dragon-Phoenix Stage."

Cai Xiao smiled with interest. "In the Dragon-Phoenix Haven, there are many treasures that contained the Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix. Therefore, there might be some with pretty good luck that managed to obtain them and also formed the Ersatz Dragon Physique or Ersatz Phoenix Physique. They too, are qualified to ascend the Dragon-Phoenix Stage."

Mu Chen nodded his head as he shortly inhaled a deep breath and looked towards the distance. In the void that his sight could not reach, he seemed to have caught sight of a majestic and vast ancient stage.

In this Dragon-Phoenix Haven, all of the elites would ultimately gather around them and conduct the final contest.

A scale of battle that made his blood boil with high fighting intent.

Be it the Ersatz Dragon Physique or Ersatz Phoenix Physique, they would all lose their lustre under his Dragon-Phoenix Physique.

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Chapter 793: Gathering of Powerhouses

The Dragon-Phoenix City was located in the centre of the Dragon-Phoenix Haven. At the same time, it was the most significant place as the rumoured Dragon-Phoenix Stage that possessed the inheritance of the True Dragon and Phoenix was in that location.

The situation in that region was also unlike the others, which were filled with beasts. In that place, there weren't any beasts because it was the death place of the True Dragon and Phoenix back then.

Even after tens of thousands of years, the remnant pressure still made those beasts that had absorbed the Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix not daring to approach.

Therefore, this region was normally deathly quiet. It was so much so that even the wind had no sound in this region. It was like a dead land.

But the deathly quietness no longer existed here, since it was replaced with commotion. In the sky, which was emitting an ancient aura, countless figures flew over from every direction like locusts as they filled the sky. The commotion had wiped the deathly silence in this place.

Those light figures were naturally the elites that were adventuring the Dragon-Phoenix Haven. Although they had encountered dangers, they naturally had harvests as well. Everyone gathered here all understood that there would be a shocking contest that would erupt here.

As time passed, the number of people gathered here was increasing at a stunning speed. The noises gathered together and soared into the horizon like a sound wave, causing the heavily layered clouds to be stirred.

Rustle!

Just as the number of figures in this region had reached a shocking amount, a powerful Spiritual Energy fluctuation suddenly burst out in the horizon far away. Thereafter, a figure streaked across the horizon like a meteorite and landed on a lone mountain under the countless startled gazes.

Boom!

The figure landed on the peak and huge cracks spread out beneath his feet. In a few breaths' time, it had actually covered the peak, causing it to be tottering on the verge of collapse.

Light dispersed on the peak and a huge figure that was roughly five-to-six feet in height stood towering. He was covered in heavy armour and wielded a huge axe as his robust aura swept out. He was like an ancient barbarian giant, extremely valiant.

Boom!

"It's Ding Xuan of the Spiritual Giant Clan!"

When his appearance was revealed, it immediately attracted a commotion. He wasn't a nameless character, but one that had a decent reputation in the Northern Region.

"It's said that Ding Xuan has gotten a Dragon-Phoenix Pool and formed the Ersatz Dragon Physique. The physiques of the Spiritual Giant Clan are experts in physical battle, to begin with. Now that he has the Ersatz Dragon Physique, it's like giving wings to a tiger. I'm afraid that his ranking on the Dragon-Phoenix Record will rise."

Whoosh! Whoosh!

Just as a commotion rose because of Ding Xuan's appearance, two wind whistling sounds rang out in the sky from far away. As those whistling wind noises resounded, they were followed with shocking Spiritual Energy fluctuations.

Rustle!

Two figures, a front and back, flew over from the distance. Shortly after, they intertwined in the sky as powerful Spiritual Energy forces swept out, clashing together.

As the Spiritual Energy burst out, wreaking havoc, two figures burst in retreat as they landed on a mountain peak each.

"Keke, Big Sister Su has improved by quite a bit, making this Little Sister envious." As the light dissipated, Hong Yu, who was dressed in a brightly-coloured red dress, appeared, smiling with her lips pursed. Her smile was charming and alluring, which made countless gazes in this region blankly stare at her.

"Little Sister Hong Yu is not bad yourself. You've already cultivated your Demon God Art to a great success, right?" On another peak, the light figure had also revealed herself. It was a beauty donned in a

white dress and was emitting a holy aura from her body. She was Su Biyue of the Myriad Saints Mountain.

The moment the two girls revealed themselves, the atmosphere in this region instantly reached a climax with countless gazes directed at them. Amongst the younger generations of the Northern Region, perhaps the strength of those two girls weren't the strongest. But their charm was something that not even the first on the Dragon-Phoenix Record, Fang Yi of the Divine Palace, could compete against.

"I'm curious if Big Sister Su has successfully formed your Ersatz Phoenix Physique." Hong Yu covered her lips as she smiled. Her alluring laughter stirred the evil flames in others.

Su Biyue noncommittally smiled. "Does Little Sister Hong Yue want to give it a try?"

"I'm considering it. But if we fight now, I'm afraid that it might benefit others. I'm fine with it, however, I'm just afraid that Big Sister's name of Undeclared Goddess will be broken." Hong Yu chuckled.

The two girls were peerless beauties, but the two of them clearly did not have a good relationship. Although they addressed each other so closely as sisters, they clearly had deep wariness for each other.

Hearing her words, Su Biyue lightly shook her head, since she knew how difficult Hong Yu was, and did not speak any further. Her gaze swept out and briefly paused on the previously appeared Ding Xuan before shifting out.

After the appearance of the two beauties, Hong Yu and Su Biyue, the atmosphere in this region had clearly become much more heated. As time passed, there were many experts with powerful Spiritual Energy fluctuations around them that had arrived here. Vaguely, there was a pressure emitted from their bodies, originating from the absorption of the True Dragon and Phoenix's Blood Essences.

Clearly, those experts had, more or less, gotten natural treasures that contained the Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix, thus being qualified to ascend the Dragon-Phoenix Stage as well.

And amongst those experts, Liu Yan had attracted the most attention. When he appeared here, his face was dark as he stood on a peak with a vast Spiritual Energy whistling around him, along with a dreadful killing intent that was spreading out, striking fear in the others.

However, his appearance had attracted the whispering discussions of others.

"It's said that Liu Yan was defeated by Mu Chen after competing for a Dragon-Phoenix Pool... and that Dragon-Phoenix Pool was seized by Mu Chen."

"Mu Chen? That Third Grade Sovereign brat?"

"It's him, don't think that his true strength is that of a Third Grade Sovereign. I was present when Mu Chen and Liu Yan fought. That brat is definitely not normal, even Liu Yan could not defeat him after executing his Sovereign Ability."

"Truly, you can't judge a book by its cover. No wonder the Great Havenlaw Domain would send him out."

"....."

Hearing those whispers, Liu Yan's face couldn't help twitching and it becomes even darker, the killing intent around him also grew denser.

Su Biyue and Hong Yu couldn't help taking a glance at the dark-faced Liu Yan. They had naturally heard of this news, but they were initially in disbelief. After all, Liu Yan's reputation was too great compared to Mu Chen's, who was practically a nameless character. So if the two were to fight, the outcome was evident.

But, in the end, reality betrayed their imaginations. Liu Yan, who should be winning. had lost in a contest over a Dragon-Phoenix Pool...

"That Mu Chen was so formidable?" The two girls had no change to their expressions, but their hearts were shaken. Back then, in the Dragon-Phoenix Pavilion, they were just a little startled by the courage Mu Chen had displayed. But who could have thought that a youth who looked to be a Third Grade Sovereign on the surface would not only have the courage, he even had the strength to back it up as well.

Hong Yu and Su Biyue shifted their glances, before they abruptly narrowed them. Their gazes were suddenly directed at the two mountain peaks far away. On those two mountain peaks, space seemed to distort and two figures appeared shortly after.

The appearance of those two figures was extremely sudden, without any signs. They had quietly appeared without any disturbance, which made countless experts here tremble in their hearts.

"That's..."

Countless gazes were directed over as a low cry of surprise uncontrollably rang out. The faces of those figures who were emitting the aura of the True Dragon and Phoenix's Blood Essences had their faces changed with dense fear in their eyes.

"That's... the second ranker, the Netherworld Prince, and first ranker, Divine Palace's Fang Yi of the Dragon-Phoenix Record!"

"They finally appeared!"

The appearance of those two figures followed with countless cries of shock as they exchanged looks with each other. Those two figures were real heavy-weighted figures.

Under countless gazes, those two figures stood on the peak with their hands behind their backs. The black and white figures seemed to be the most dazzling colour in this region and anyone would become dull under their lustre.

Amongst the younger generations of the Northern Region, those two were practically like monuments and no geniuses could exceed them.

The entire region became quiet because of those two figure's appearances. That feeling was as if they were enveloped by their oppressive pressure.

Whoosh!

However, the freezing oppressive sensation did not last too long. It was broken apart by a sudden whistling of wind and two figures were streaking across the horizon under countless gazes.

The two figures had yet to arrive and yet, there was a cold and clear voice amongst them that resounded and rippled across this sky.

“You sneaky bastard actually dared to show yourself, did you think that I can’t deal with you?”

When that clear voice resounded, that figure seemed to have formed seals and pointed her finger out. In an instant, space was torn apart as a seven-coloured beam streaked across the horizon like a bolt of lightning.

Looking at the direction at the other end of the seven-coloured light beam, everyone inhaled a mouthful of chilled aura. That’s because they realised that the other end of the seven-coloured light beam was actually the first ranker of the Dragon-Phoenix Record, Fang Yi of the Divine Palace!

Just who was it that was actually so ferocious and actually dared to attack the strongest Fang Yi upon appearing?!

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Chapter 794: Emergence of the DragonPhoenix Stage

Boom!

Under the countless shocked gazes, the seven-coloured light beam streaked across the horizon, flying towards the peak that Fang Yi was at like a bolt of lightning.

The sudden attack had clearly attracted everyone’s attention, even those like Su Biyue, Hong Yu and the rest were a little startled. Clearly, they did not know who was so daring to actually launch an attack at Fang Yi.

He was the first ranker, the super powerhouse on the Dragon-Phoenix Record!

Countless people had had their eyes flickering with doubts. However, just when everyone wished to know who was that ignorant fool, Fang Yi, who was on the peak, stared at the beam of seven-coloured light that was shooting towards his directed with his brows lightly frowned. Shortly after, he made an action that left everyone dumbfounded. He did not show any signs of attack; on the contrary, his figure moved with afterimages left behind and avoided that attack on his will.

Boom!

The seven-coloured light beam bombarded the peak, instantly crumbling it. As countless stones fell, the entire peak was instantly levelled to the ground.

That scene made the eyelids of many to twitch.

Up in the sky, two streaks of light stood on the air. When the lights dissipated, the two figures were revealed under countless gazes.

When those two were revealed, they instantly caused an uproar.

“That’s... Mu Chen of the Great Havenlaw Domain?!”

“They’re truly daring to actually attack Fang Yi, are they courting death?!”

“Enraging Fang Yi, I’m afraid that it would be hard for them to even want to die!”

“.....”

There were some that exclaimed in shock as they looked at Mu Chen with an extremely weird gaze. Although Mu Chen had seized a Dragon-Phoenix Pool from the hands of Liu Yan, thus having a soaring reputation, he would be stupid to believe that he could fight Fang Yi.

Although Liu Yan was formidable, he wasn’t on the same level as Fang Yi, who was a monument-like figure!

Practically everyone had ignored the peerless beauty standing beside Mu Chen.

Looking at those gazes, Mu Chen could only helplessly smile. Just when he was about to speak, he sensed a gaze filled with killing intent directed at him.

He lightly turned his head and saw Liu Yan, who had a dark expression.

Mu Chen slightly narrowed his eyes as he stared at Liu Yan, traces of cold killing intent were in his eyes as well. If they were to fight a day before, the outcome would be the both of them getting gravely injured. But if he was to fight with Liu Yan again right now, he was confident that he could defeat the latter.

As the two of them intertwined their gazes, a killing aura instantly spread out. Clearly, both of them had not concealed the killing intent in their hearts.

When Mu Chen and Liu Yan were looking at each other, a white figure slowly appeared on the collapsed peak. Fang Yi wore white robes with his black hair. He looked at Cai Xiao with his abstruse gaze and cupped his fists with a smile. “Miss, it was indeed inappropriate for my actions from before, but the Dragon-Phoenix Fruit is the true treasure in the Dragon-Phoenix Haven. If one manages to obtain one, they will definitely be able to form the True Dragon Physique or the True Phoenix Physique. Furthermore, I have only gotten the unripe one amongst the three, the two ripe ones are in your hands.”

Hearing his words, Mu Chen’s face couldn’t help sinking. What a deep scheming heart Fang Yi had. He actually revealed the Dragon-Phoenix Fruit before so many people. He was clear how tempting a Dragon-Phoenix Fruit was. It was something that even the Dragon-Phoenix Pool couldn’t be compared to.

Rustle!

As Mu Chen had expected, when Fang Yi finished his words, an uproar instantly burst out in this region. Countless heated gazes that practically wanted to incinerate them was directed at the two of them.

“They actually possess two ripe Dragon-Phoenix Fruits?!”

“It is a wonderful treasure that could help form the True Dragon Physique or the True Phoenix Physique!”

“.....”

In this region, countless experts had their eyes turning red. Not to mention those ordinary people, even elites like Su Biyue, Hong Yu and the rest couldn't help narrowing their eyes.

Mu Chen looked at those red eyes directed at them from every direction and tightly knitted his brows. He glanced at Cai Xiao. There wasn't any expression on the latter's face at this moment as she looked at Fang Yi, who was lightly smiling with an indifferent gaze. She did not say a single word, but gently strode forth before her figure instantly disappeared.

In that instant, when Cai Xiao disappeared, Fang Yi had lightly narrowed his eyes as he formed seals single-handedly before gently pushing out at the space before him.

“Grand Void Hand Seal!”

When Fang Yi barked out, the space before his hand distorted as it formed into a shapeless hand seal. That seal did not have a shape, but the terrifying energy contained within made countless experts feel numb on their scalps.

Rustle!

But just when the shapeless hand seal was about to tear through space, the space before him fluctuated and a petite figure appeared. She bent her finger pointed down, directly touching the Grand Void Hand Seal.

“Break!”

The girl slightly opened her rosy lips and a white light blossomed from her finger. As space undulated, a muffled noise resounded, before the Grand Void Hand Seal was quickly pierced through by her finger.

A white beam of light pierced through the Grand Void Hand Seal and swiftly shot towards the centre of Fang Yi's brows in an unavoidable manner. Under countless exclamations of shock, it pierced through.

However, under those countless exclamations of shock, there wasn't any blood coming from the centre of Fang Yi's brows. His figure, however, had turned illusionary and disappeared; it was actually an afterimage.

A few hundred feet away, a white figure appeared once again, it was Fang Yi.

When Fang Yi reappeared, the entire place turned quiet. A bucket of cold water poured down on those reddened gazes directed at Mu Chen and Cai Xiao, before they recovered their calm.

Because they finally understood that the peerless beauty that was following beside Mu Chen actually possessed such dreadful strength!

Her strength could even match with a powerhouse like Fang Yi.

Just who was that girl?!

Countless experts exchanged looks as they silently felt relieved. Cai Xiao's counterattack was beautiful. Clearly, Fang Yi was trying to use the Dragon-Phoenix Fruit as bait to have the both of them surrounded

by everyone. But who could have expected that Cai Xiao was even more ferocious? She actually launched a direct attack, which displayed her shocking strength, shocking those fellows below.

On some peaks, Hong Yu, Su Biyue, Ding Xuan and those experts who possessed high reputations looked at Cai Xiao with abnormal gazes. They must be somewhat shocked in their hearts. After all, no one expected such a feeble-looking girl to possess a terrifying strength that could even match Fang Yi. Since when did such a monstrous genius appear in the Northern Region?

Cai Xiao stood on the sky as she looked at Fang Yi, who still had a smile on his face, with indifference. "No matter what you try, I will definitely not let you off today."

If it was someone else saying this, she might already be a laughing joke. But after witnessing Cai Xiao's strength, no one dared to laugh and only felt shocked in their hearts. They initially thought that Fang Yi would definitely have the best place again in this Dragon-Phoenix Haven. But who could have thought that a girl that appeared out of nowhere wasn't inferior to the latter?

Looks like there would be a ferocious battle between the colossi in this Dragon-Phoenix Haven.

Hearing Cai Xiao's words, Fang Yi's gaze lightly narrowed as he gently laughed, "Who are you, miss? I don't remember such a figure like you amongst the younger generations of our Northern Realm."

Cai Xiao still maintained an emotionless look on her face, completely ignoring Fang Yi's words, and appeared beside Mu Chen with a single move.

Seeing her reaction, Fang Yi smiled, but did not speak any further. He had one hand behind his back with his abstruse gaze slightly flickering. No one knew what he was thinking.

The atmosphere in this region suddenly became abnormally quiet as everyone felt the undercurrent flowing between those powerhouses. However, they did not fight here as all of them were waiting for the emergence of the Dragon-Phoenix Stage...

When they ascend the Dragon-Phoenix Stage, the shocking battle would then brutally break out.

Mu Chen sensed the near stagnant atmosphere in this region with his eyes slightly narrowed and quietly circulated the Spiritual Energy within his body. Under this quiet atmosphere, he could smell the storm that would soon arrive.

With experts gathered like clouds right now, he looked at Cai Xiao. Fang Yi, who managed to dodge safely numerous times, as well as the Netherworld Prince, who was like a venomous snake and had not spoken a word and only watched from the side.

As well as the Undefeated Goddess Su Biyue, Demon Gate's Hong Yu, Spiritual Giant Clan's Ding Yue, and, of course, Liu Yan, who had his eyes locked onto him with surging killing intent.

Every last one of them wasn't easy to deal with, and aside from them, there were still many experts that had concealed their strength.

Looks like the Dragon-Phoenix Pool won't be lacking in a ferocious battle.

The stagnant atmosphere continued, and after approximately half an hour, Mu Chen suddenly narrowed his eyes. At the same time, the gazes of Fang Yi, the Netherworld Prince and the rest had also directed up at the sky.

Not knowing when, space started to distort with a vague ancient aura spreading out.

Roar!

An ancient draconic roar and phoenix cry travelled through space. Countless people abruptly widened their eyes as they saw an immense ancient stage that had an end could not be seen slowly appearing from that distorted space.

The ancient stage was supported from underneath by a colossal True Dragon and Phoenix. Their heads and tails were linked together, forming the sturdy golden stage!

Countless people instantly had their eyes turning red, the Dragon-Phoenix Stage finally appeared!

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Chapter 795: Ascending Stage

Buzz!

A dazzling and massive stone platform that looked to be forged from gold slowly appeared from that distorted space. It was so huge that the end of it could not be seen.

The upper level of the Dragon-Phoenix Stage was covered in dense layers of clouds, only a vague golden lustre could be seen. But the pressure that descended from the sky instantly made countless experts here feel suffocating,

The pressure that was descending from the Dragon-Phoenix Stage was too powerful.

But even if the pressure was powerful, many experts still looked at the Dragon-Phoenix Stage floating above the heavens with heated gazes as greed filled in their eyes. The rumoured inheritance of the True Dragon and Phoenix was located at the summit of the Dragon-Phoenix Stage, a temptation that could drive any Sovereign expert insane.

“This is the Dragon-Phoenix Stage?”

Mu Chen raised his head as well, staring at the ancient stone stage. He could feel the blood in his body accelerating, as if something was beckoning him. It was a feeling telling him that something at the summit of the Dragon-Phoenix Stage could make him even more perfect than he was now.

“The Dragon-Phoenix Stage finally appeared!”

The silence in this region lasted for a while, before excitement burst out. Thereafter, sonic booms abruptly resounded as the light figures continuously flew towards the Dragon-Phoenix Stage that was floating above the heavens.

Amongst those people, many had not obtained the Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix, but still, harboured the thoughts of luck in their hearts. After all, the Dragon-Phoenix Stage was just before them. Regardless of anything, they had to give it a try.

Mu Chen and the rest looked at that large-scale streaming of experts with a calm expression and did not move, allowing them to fly towards the Dragon-Phoenix Stage.

Whoosh! Whoosh!

Wind whistling sounds rang out in the sky as the light figures nearly covered the horizon. It was so much so that even the golden light from the Dragon-Phoenix Stage was covered by the multitude of people, it was an extremely spectacular scene.

The speed of those light figures was extremely fast, since they were close to the Dragon-Phoenix Stage in more than ten breaths' time. However, when they were a thousand feet away from the Dragon-Phoenix Stage, a golden light suddenly swept out from the Dragon-Phoenix Stage.

The golden light seemed to contain a bright draconic roar and phoenix cry.

Boom! Boom!

Countless experts were instantly sent flying back by the golden light. In an instant, everyone spurted blood from their mouths as they became similar to birds with broken wings, falling from the sky.

Boom!

Deep craters were created as those figures fell onto the ground. It was fine for those with powerful cultivations, but those that had never refined their bodies would probably be bleeding from their five viscera and six bowels.

Along with the first sweep, the sky instantly became empty. However, not everyone was swept out as there were over ten figures that soared up the sky along the golden light. Vaguely, there was a light of a dragon and phoenix on the surface of their bodies. Evidently, they were those that had refined Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix, thus able to bear the sweeping golden light.

“Let's go as well!”

Mu Chen said to Cai Xiao at the sight of this, before his figure soared into the horizon, turning into a streak of light as he made his way towards the Dragon-Phoenix Stage.

When Mu Chen and Cai Xiao moved out, Fang Yi, the Netherworld Prince, Su Biyue and the rest had also burst out from their peaks and swiftly made their way towards the Dragon-Phoenix Stage.

The ground was covered with grieving howls. Countless experts watched as those people moved out and could only bitterly sigh. It looked like they were, indeed, not qualified to dip their fingers in the Dragon-Phoenix Stage. However, what made them feel comfort was the fact that there would be a brutal battle taking place on the Dragon-Phoenix Stage.

It would be a contest between the pinnacles of the Northern Region's young generation elites!

Whoosh!

Mu Chen charged towards the Dragon-Phoenix Stage. As the golden light spread out, there was a heavy pressure that enveloped him. In this place, even the air seemed to stagnate into shapeless walls.

However, that pressure did not pose any obstructions to Mu Chen. A faint light blossomed on the surface of his body and that stagnation feeling disappeared. His speed was no longer hindered; on the contrary, he was like a fish in the water. His speed burst in acceleration as he ascended the ancient and majestic Dragon-Phoenix Stage in a flash.

Mu Chen landed on the stone stage as a sensation of sturdiness and coldness came from the floor. He swept his gaze around and saw the ground that looked to be forged from golden dragon scales. It was sturdy and indestructible.

Raising his sight, there were massive golden wings unfolded above this massive stone stage. Every layer of golden wings was a layer of stone stage that stretched upwards and disappeared into the dense clouds.

Rustle!

Light flickered on this Dragon-Phoenix Stage as multiple figures appeared in flashes. However, those that had appeared on this Dragon-Phoenix Stage all maintained their distance with each other with caution, being alert of one another.

Cai Xiao appeared beside Mu Chen, her cold pupils were solely fixed on Fang Yi. Clearly, that missy was intending to target Fang Yi.

Fang Yi had also clearly noticed Cai Xiao's gaze. Although there wasn't a change in his expression, his eyes slightly narrowed. Cai Xiao's mysteriousness made even him feel somewhat fearful, thus being targeted by her was clearly an extremely troublesome matter.

There were approximately a dozen experts that appeared on the Dragon-Phoenix Stage, every single one of them had powerful Spiritual Energy fluctuations around them. Aside from a few, most of them were actually Fourth Grade Sovereigns!

All these people were the true elites amongst the younger generations of the Northern Region.

With the appearance of these people, the massive Dragon-Phoenix Stage fell into silence. No one spoke anything, but they could sense the undercurrent flowing in the atmosphere.

Mu Chen maintained a calm expression on his face. Although this place had gathered the elites and every single one of them wasn't easy to deal with, he didn't fear anyone here if he joined hands with Cai Xiao.

After witnessing Cai Xiao's strength, there shouldn't be many blind fellows that would dare to act towards them.

The silence continued on this Dragon-Phoenix Stage for roughly a few minutes, before a golden light blossomed on this Golden-Phoenix Stage. Some dragon scales appeared on the surface of the stage, forming into a huge golden mirror.

And everyone was standing on this golden mirror.

The golden light flowed like liquid on the surface of the golden mirror, before gathering beneath everyone's feet. As golden light flowed over, it covered everyone's feet. In that instant, when their feet were covered, everyone could sense a formless undulation sweeping within their bodies.

Buzz!

As the golden light flowed, everyone started to have different levels of golden light emitting from the surface of their bodies in the next moment. Those golden lights were accompanied with draconic roars and phoenix cries.

“It’s a Blood Essence Verification!” Everyone understood what was going on. This Dragon-Phoenix Stage seemed to be reading the density of the True Dragon and Phoenix’s Blood Essences in their bodies. And the density of their Blood Essences would also most likely link to the chances of them obtaining the inheritance of the True Dragon and Phoenix.

Thus, everyone was nervous as they looked at the golden light being emitted from their bodies.

Boom!

Just as everyone was nervously looking at the golden lights on their bodies and inwardly pondering, a golden pillar of light that was roughly the size of ten feet abruptly soared up into the horizon. That golden light had exceeded everyone else.

Everyone immediately directed their gazes over. In the golden light, the sturdy and tall Ding Xuan laughed out, his laughter was as resonant as thunder. Clearly, the True Dragon Blood Essence that he had refined was fairly strong.

Boom!

Just when he laughed out, another golden pillar of light of the same size soared along with a draconic roar ringing out. In the golden light, Liu Yan had his indifferent gaze fixed on Mu Chen.

On the Dragon-Phoenix Stage, the faces of many experts changed. Judging from this look, Liu Yan and Ding Xuan had exceeded them.

“Liii!”

Two clear and resonant phoenix cries rang out at the same time. Su Biyue and Hong Yu were enveloped in golden lights with phoenix wings stretching out. Judging from the strength of them, they would only be stronger and not weaker than Liu Yan and Ding Xuan.

They had formed the Ersatz Phoenix Physiques.

Rustle!

Countless gazes were directed at Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince at the same time as they saw the golden lights gathering beneath their feet. It was a rather shocking scene as the sizes were nearly a hundred feet!

Boom!

The golden lights surged and in the next instant, two massive golden pillars of light soared into the sky. The golden pillars of light with the thickness of a hundred feet had instantly caused the faces of all the elites here to turn ugly.

“Judging from the fluctuations, those two fellows have probably formed the True Dragon Physiques!” Some experts unwillingly said. It looked like this Dragon-Phoenix Stage would probably be solely occupied by Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince.

“Something’s not right, why hasn’t Mu Chen been read?!”

Suddenly, someone took notice of Mu Chen. That’s because there wasn’t any golden light appearing beneath his feet from this Dragon-Phoenix Stage, which made everyone somewhat stunned. Could it be that he had never refined the Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix? But how did he manage to ascend the stage then?

Under many doubtful voices, there wasn’t any ripples on Mu Chen’s face as he lowered his head and looked at the golden liquid beneath his feet. He could sense that there was a ripple spreading out in his body. Sensing the ripples, the blood in his body seemed to show vague signs of boiling.

However, that boiling constantly increased until it abruptly reached the peak.

Mu Chen slowly shut his eyes as he spread out his hands at that moment.

A pillar of light soared into the horizon. Although this pillar was a hundred feet in size, it was dark-gold in colour, as if there was an endless pressure flowing from it.

Boom! Boom! Boom!

Just when the dark-gold pillar of light soared from Mu Chen’s body, the pillars of light that came from the others suddenly exploded and turned into sparkles of drifting golden light.

Only the dark-gold pillar of light that appeared from Mu Chen remained on the entire Dragon-Phoenix Stage and it was still brilliant in this region.

It was a scene like the subjects having met the king, bowing in defeat. That golden pillar of light was using this manner to reveal the distance they had between Mu Chen’s dark-gold pillar of light.

At this instant, everyone’s faces changed.

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Chapter 796: The Start of the Competition

The dark-gold pillar of light stood towering in this region, as if it had penetrated through the dense layers of clouds. Under the shine of the dark-gold pillar, the entire Dragon-Phoenix Stage had become dazzling at this moment.

Everyone was stunned as they looked at the unique dark-gold pillar of light as the light shone onto their faces, causing changes in their facial expressions.

They did not know why Mu Chen’s reading would have this result, what did that mean? Did that represent the density of the True Dragon and Phoenix’s Blood Essences in Mu Chen’s body being so strong that none of them could compare to him?

From the previous readings, Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince had already formed the True Dragon Physiques, which was rather shocking. But who could have expected Mu Chen to have an even more terrifying reading result...

Just to what degree was the density of the True Dragon and Phoenix's Blood Essences in his body? How did he obtain so much Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix?

Not only did the countless experts in this region have their faces filled with shock, but even those on the Dragon-Phoenix Stage were exchanging looks as they felt something inconceivable.

Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince had their brows slightly narrowed as they looked at Mu Chen's pillar of light with their flickering gazes. Their gazes lightly intertwined, before being shifted away.

Su Biyue, Hong Yu, Ding Xuan and the rest also had grave expressions as they felt the pressure emitting from Mu Chen's body.

Liu Yan's face had never been good, but right now, it was even darker as the killing intent deep in his eyes turned denser.

The dark-gold pillar of light remained for a long while under the gazes of everyone, before it gradually weakened and disappeared.

Mu Chen's shut eyes had slowly opened at this moment and he cast a glance at this quiet Dragon-Phoenix Stage. He lightly frowned and quietly circulated the Spiritual Energy in his body.

It was clearly beyond his expectations to have the Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix in his body to be suddenly revealed. If it was possible, Mu Chen did not wish for it to be revealed as it would easily make him the target of everyone.

Because that meant that he had the highest chance of receiving the inheritance of the True Dragon and Phoenix.

That also meant that it would be unavoidable to attract hatred out of jealousy. Regarding this point, it could be seen from the faintly discernible cautious gazes that were cast over. However, those gazes were initially at Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince, most of the time.

But fortunately, he was here with Cai Xiao, so the other experts did not dare to have any unusual actions.

As the light dispersed, this Dragon-Phoenix Stage turned quiet once again. Many experts had their gazes flickered, but no one dared to take the initiative to have any unusual actions.

Mu Chen raised his head and looked at the layers of stone stages formed from phoenix wings. Clearly, the inheritance of the True Dragon and Phoenix must be at the summit of this Dragon-Phoenix Stage. So if he wanted to obtain the inheritance, he would first have to ascend the summit.

Those that could ascend the peak would have a chance of obtaining the inheritance. But right now, no one dared to break this deadlock so easily in order to attract the hostility of others.

However, Mu Chen knew that his deadlock wouldn't last for long.

And the one that broke this deadlock was Fang Yi, the well-reputed first on the Dragon-Phoenix Record. He cast a glance at Mu Chen and Cai Xiao, before saying with a light smile, "Since everyone is unwilling to move first, then let me have the honour of it."

He was a courageous capable man and was clearly not bothered about others acting towards him. He did not wait for anyone's reply. He stomped his feet and his figure flew up, leaving afterimages in the air.

Boom!

The instant Fang Yi moved, the Netherworld Prince's figure had turned into a dark light as he streaked across the horizon like a bolt of lightning. Swiftly throwing the layers of stone stages behind him.

Boom! Boom!

When the two of them moved, it instantly broke the silence on the Dragon-Phoenix Stage. Every expert had Spiritual Energy sweep from their bodies like a hurricane. As the stone stage trembled, numerous figures flew into the sky.

Mu Chen and Cai Xiao exchanged a glance as they turned into streaks of light and flew out as well.

Countless gazes in this region were directed at the soaring streaks of light and were instantly stirred. Because they knew that the competition on the Dragon-Phoenix Stage had been thoroughly unfolded.

Except they did not know who would be the one that managed to ascend to the peak. But no matter what, there would also be a change in the Dragon-Phoenix Record of the Northern Realm.

Rustle!

Mu Chen swiftly executed his speed to his limits, turning into a light figure as he transcended the layers of stone stages. Raising his head and looking up, he wrapped his voice with Spiritual Energy and transmitted to Cai Xiao, "The number of stone stages will decrease as we go up. And the stone stages are necessary to ascend the peak, so we have to each occupy one Dragon-Phoenix Stage at that time.

From the information that Mu Chen had obtained, although there were many Dragon-Phoenix Stages at the bottom level and could accommodate all of them and there wouldn't be a need for competition, but as they went higher, the number of Dragon-Phoenix Stages would decrease as well. At that time, there would be a situation of having more people than stages, so in the end, an intense battle would still break out as well.

Hearing his words, Cai Xiao gently nodded her head. "You be careful at that time."

Whoosh! Whoosh!

Nearly a hundred streaks of light soared into the horizon like comets as they continued to cross over the Dragon-Phoenix Stage, which was forged with gold. It was an extremely spectacular scene. However, everyone gradually clenched their fists as they started to feel many violent Spiritual Energies secretly surging around those streaks of light.

"The number of Dragon-Phoenix Stages are decreasing!"

Someone exclaimed. Everyone directed their gazes over as, indeed, they saw that in the distant heavens, the number of Dragon-Phoenix Stages, which was initially high in number, was decreasing. Roughly looking at them, they were clearly incapable of supporting everyone to ascend.

Boom!

There was a split to the nearly hundred streaks of light. Those figures up ahead had taken the initiative as they flew out like bolts of lightning, occupying the Dragon-Phoenix Stages.

However, not a single one of those that could arrive there were easy to deal with. Trying to have them accept the rule of first come first serve was clearly impossible as well. Therefore, there were some people with ferocious lights flickering in their eyes as they charged to those occupied Dragon-Phoenix Stages as violent Spiritual Energy soared into the sky.

Boom! Boom!

Violent Spiritual Energies swept out on multiple Dragon-Phoenix Stages. It was practically an instant when the somewhat harmonious atmosphere was wiped away, replaced with soaring killing intent.

Mu Chen and Cai Xiao did not slow down, so they had each occupied a Dragon-Phoenix Stage at the beginning.

But just when Mu Chen was about to ascend the peak, an extremely violent Spiritual Energy fluctuation burst out from his rear along with a bark, "Scram!"

Mu Chen maintained a calm expression as a golden light vaguely flowed on the surface of his skin, forming into dense golden dragon scales as he threw a palm back.

Boom!

Palms heavily clashed together as visible ripples could be seen. However, Mu Chen's figure did not move, but the figure behind him took several steps back.

Raising his head, Mu Chen saw a black-robed guy eerily looking at him. Mu Chen had never seen this person before, but judging from the Spiritual Energy fluctuations on him, he had reached Fourth Grade Sovereign. However, there was still a big gap between him and Liu Yan.

"I am Chen Fan of the Ghostly Shadow Sect, I'll have to ask you to give way." The black-robed guy eerily looked at Mu Chen with a ferocious light filling his eyes. Although he knew that Mu Chen wasn't simple, it clearly wasn't a reason for him to back off. Furthermore, Mu Chen and Cai Xiao had split up right now, so he had intended to take advantage of this and crash his way through Mu Chen.

However, Mu Chen's black pupils had only stared at him with indifference, before turning around to leave.

"You're courting death!"

Chen Fan instantly smiled from the rage at this situation. Although Mu Chen wasn't simple, did he think himself to be Fang Yi? He actually dared to disregard him!

Boom!

A boundless Spiritual Energy burst out from his body as a huge black figure was formed. The black figure was shrouded in ominous aura like an asura. Chen Fan had no intentions of probing, since he had summoned his Sovereign Celestial Body right from the start.

“Ghostly Shadow Celestial Body, Myriad Shadow Demon!”

A red light flashed in the black figure’s eyes as it threw a palm out. Beneath its palm, an earth-shattering amount of black shadows surged, it was like a ghost, emitting ear-piercing shrieks. The terrifying fluctuation had instantly caused space to distort.

“It’s Chen Fan of the Ghostly Shadow Sect, he’s targeting Mu Chen!”

“That Chen Fan is a ruthless fellow. The Ghostly Shadow Celestial Body is said to be extremely venomous. Every single person it kills, it could devour their spirit and transform into the power of ghosts!”

Clearly, there were a lot of attention focused on Mu Chen, so when they saw the stone stage he was on burst out with a Spiritual Energy shock wave, it instantly attracted many astonished gazes.

Clearly, they weren’t the only ones paying attention to the stone stage that Mu Chen was on. There were also some gazes from other stone stages directed over. Although their stone stages had violent Spiritual Energies, no one dared to lay their feet on their stages.

Because they were the elites of the Dragon-Phoenix Record, Fang Yi, Netherworld Prince, Su Biyue, Hong Yu, etc...

They had directed their gazes at Mu Chen’s stone stage. Clearly, they wished to see if the person that was previously examined to have the densest Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix possessed matching capabilities.

Hiss! Hiss!

Ghost shrieks covered the sky as the huge palm of the black figure had enveloped Mu Chen under countless gazes.

Mu Chen’s step stood firmly in that huge shadow as he raised his head, emotionlessly looking at the black palm that was enveloping him. Shortly after, he suddenly clenched his fists.

A dazzling golden light burst out from his body, and in the next instant, it was like a blazing sun was emitting a dazzling golden light that made many people narrow their eyes.

But at this instant, those with keen sights saw a pair of phoenix wings unfolding behind Mu Chen when the golden light appeared. The phoenix wings that swept were like the sharpest lights that streaked across the horizon.

The dazzling golden lights flashed and disappeared.

Mu Chen’s body returned back to normal once again. He did not turn back as he strode forth while the black palm and the Ghostly Shadow Celestial Body had stopped moving above him. A fine golden light spread out from its palm, spreading to the head of the Ghostly Shadow Celestial Body...

Boom!

A golden light burst out from those lights as the Ghostly Shadows Celestial Body had directly exploded into fragments of lights. In it, a pathetic figure flew out, with a mouthful of blood, before powerlessly falling from the sky, causing a mountain peak fall into ruins...

Countless gazes in this region were dumbfounded as they watched this scene. Thereafter, patches of inhaled chilled air resounded as numerous trembling gazes looked at the slender figure, which was slowly striding forth.

It all took a mere move and he defeated a Fourth Grade Sovereign expert!

The current Mu Chen seemed to be even more powerful than when he faced Liu Yan!

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Chapter 797: Peerless Spirit Revealed

When the Spiritual Energy fluctuations dissipated on the stage that Mu Chen was on, the entire region remained in silence, with every single gaze fixed onto the slender figure standing in the middle of the stage.

Those gazes were filled with disbelief and astonishment. Clearly, Mu Chen's feat of defeating a Fourth Grade Sovereign with a single move had greatly shaken them.

The gazes of Su Biyue and Hong Yu flickered as a trace of astonishment flashed across their faces. They had also heard of the fight between Mu Chen and Liu Yan, which ended with the both of them gravely injured. However, they did not witness it themselves and in addition to the powerful Cai Xiao, which followed him around, they were doubtful of the result from Mu Chen and Liu Yan's fight if Cai Xiao had participated...

However, when they witnessed this scene, they had no choice but to believe. This fellow that appeared to be at Third Grade Sovereign and one that had never been in their eyes wasn't as simple as they had thought.

It was no wonder why he would dare to fight with Liu Yan, so his strength was that powerful.

Compared to then, the faces of Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince were rather calm. Their eyes had only briefly narrowed when they saw the dazzling golden light that burst out from Mu Chen's body.

In that instant, they vaguely felt an oppressive pressure emanating from Mu Chen. That oppression wasn't coming from his strength, but the Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix in his body.

Clearly, the Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix that Mu Chen possessed had exceeded them.

However, Fang Yi wasn't surprised about this fact, since he knew how formidable the Super Dragon-Phoenix Pool that Mu Chen and Cai Xiao had found was. Furthermore, they even had two Dragon-Phoenix Fruits. If those two were mixed together, it was more than enough to for the True Dragon Physique or True Phoenix Physique.

Fang Yi crossed his fingers as he slightly narrowed his eyes. Mu Chen's strength was indeed pretty decent, but it was clearly not on the level that would make him feel fear. However, that the mysterious girl that followed him around was the troublesome one...

Under the countless gazes, Mu Chen quietly stood on the Dragon-Phoenix Stage as he slowly swept his gaze out. Those experts that had not managed to gain a Dragon-Phoenix Stage couldn't help shifting their gazes away with flickers. Those people that were initially planning to break through Mu Chen sweated cold sweat from their foreheads as they swiftly smashed that idea apart in their hearts.

Judging from the strength that Mu Chen had revealed earlier, anyone would be a fool if they treated him like an ordinary Third Grade Sovereign.

Clearly, he wasn't relying on that peerless and mysteriously powerful beauty to come this far... His own strength was not something to be underestimated as well.

Therefore, they started to look for other targets.

Mu Chen stood at the centre of the Dragon-Phoenix Stage as he looked at the other stages. Extremely violent Spiritual Energy fluctuations were erupting from those stages as well with massive Sovereign Celestial Bodies continuously clashing, exploding shocking storms from their clashes.

Clearly, every single expert had their eyes turning red in order to compete for the Dragon-Phoenix Stages that could allow them to continue ascending, since they had revealed all the means they had.

Fortunately, after the shock that Mu Chen had displayed earlier, there wasn't any fool that went to disturb him. Thus, he was saved from many unnecessary troubles as well.

Mu Chen's gaze swept at those Dragon-Phoenix Stages with erupting violent Spiritual Energy fluctuations, before shifting towards those peaceful ones. Vaguely, the figures on those stages could be seen.

No one easily stepped onto those stages as they knew that the ones on those stages were true elites amongst the younger generations of the Northern Realm.

Those were people that were qualified to seek the summit of the Dragon-Phoenix Stage.

Amongst those people, Mu Chen had seen Liu Yan. Right now, the latter also had his eyes fixed onto him with an eerie gaze. The sharpness held in his gaze seemed like it wanted to pierce through him.

The enmity between them could no longer be reconciled after their previous fight, as it could be seen from the unconcealed killing intent held in Liu Yan's eyes. However, Mu Chen did not fear him before he had formed the Dragon-Phoenix Physique, not to mention that there was a great spike in his strength now. If they fought again, he would let Liu Yan understand that it would not be so easy for him to even aim for an outcome with the two of them gravely injured...

Therefore, facing Liu Yan's sinister gaze, Mu Chen lightly swept his eyes over, before retracting his gaze and the corner of his eyes looked at the direction of Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince.

Compared to Liu Yan, he was more fearful of those unfathomable fellows. After all, they had managed to retreat from Cai Xiao's moves in the past.

If he wanted to ascend the summit of the Dragon-Phoenix Stage and obtain the inheritance, Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince would undoubtedly be an obstruction for him.

Boom! Boom!

Just when the thoughts spun in Mu Chen's heart, the Spiritual Energy fluctuations emanating from some Dragon-Phoenix Stages became more intense. Clearly, those battles had reached the climax.

Under those intense battles, the outcomes were swiftly determined. In the sky, there were failures being knocked down.

With them, the violent Spiritual Energy fluctuations in the sky had also gradually calmed down.

Mu Chen swept his gaze out and saw that on the 32 Dragon-Phoenix Stages that floated in the sky, all of them were occupied.

"Only 32 left?"

Mu Chen smacked his lips. There were nearly a hundred elites that were qualified to ascend the Dragon-Phoenix Stage, but more than half of them were eliminated.

Raising his head and looking towards the distance, he could vaguely see 16 Dragon-Phoenix Stages floating in that golden light. Evidently, only 16 could remain in the next round.

Every single layer would eliminate half, this elimination rate was simply brutal.

Buzz! Buzz!

Just when Mu Chen was sighing at the brutal elimination rate, the Dragon-Phoenix Stage beneath him suddenly exploded with golden light. On the Dragon-Phoenix Stage, countless dragon scales and phoenix wings trembled. Vaguely, there was a trace of golden liquid that flowed across, which vaguely entered their bodies through their feet.

"Dragon and Phoenix Blood Essences?!" Sensing that familiar energy in his body, Mu Chen's eyelids instantly twitched. Looks like this was a little reward for the 32 of them.

The Dragon and Phoenix Blood Essences from the Dragon-Phoenix Stages were extremely pure, they were simply a fortune that fell from the sky for the other experts. But to Mu Chen, who had absorbed a Super Dragon-Phoenix Pool and refined a Dragon-Phoenix Fruit, it was merely decoration.

Dense golden light enveloped the 32 figures under the countless envious gazes. A long while later, the golden light burst out and soared up the azure sky along with 32 figures.

The golden light was extremely fast, as if they had penetrated space, and appeared at the higher horizon in a flash. The golden light then dissipated as the 32 figures stood on the sky.

Before those 32 figures were 16 floating Dragon-Phoenix Stages that seemed to be forged with gold.

Looking at those 16 Dragon-Phoenix Stages, no one spoke a single word. Fang Yi, the Netherworld Prince and those experts on the Dragon-Phoenix Record had landed on a Dragon-Phoenix Stage with calm expressions.

Mu Chen's figure had flashed as he appeared on a Dragon-Phoenix Stage. Looking at those sharp gazes directed at him, he cupped his fists. "Any friend here wishes to exchange tips?"

Up in the sky, there were some flickering gazes from the ten-plus figures that stood in the sky. In the end, a grey-robed man flew out and landed on Mu Chen's stage. A sharp blade aura spread from his body, which caused the space to slightly distort.

"Tyrantblade Sect, Yu Lu hopes to exchange tips!"

When that low bark rang out from the mouth of the grey-robed man, his figure flew as he burst out with an overbearing blade aura that soared across the horizon.

The strength of this expert that came from the Tyrantblade Sect was somewhere around Mu Chen. Therefore, this match did not last very long. When that expert saw Mu Chen shattering his peerless blade aura with a single finger, he understood the gap between them. So he sensibly did not continue the fight and retreated with a cup of his fists, ending the challenge.

This battle, Mu Chen won again.

In the following period of time, Mu Chen was like a sharp unsheathed sword as his peerless spirit was completely revealed. After getting into the Top 16, he defeated a genius expert that was similarly from a peak force in the Northern Region, and under countless shocked gazes, he entered into the Top 8!

When the opponent he faced to compete for the Top 8 retreated after a fierce battle, Mu Chen let out a long breath of air as he raised his head, looking at the higher Dragon-Phoenix Stages. There were only 4 majestic Dragon-Phoenix Stages in that place!

He slowly clenched his fist, since he could sense that as the elimination went on, the opponents remaining became more powerful, each and every single one of them weren't easy opponents.

But since he had come this far, he would naturally ascend the summit to take a look. Even if Fang Yi, the Netherworld Prince and various other experts were his opponents, it was tough to make Mu Chen feel fear.

"Let me see who can obstruct my steps!" Mu Chen grinned as battle intent blazed in his black pupils.

A golden light surged once again on the Dragon-Phoenix Stage as Mu Chen slowly spread his hands out, allowing the pure Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix enter his body. Shortly after, they melted into his flesh and bones, turning into boundless energy that flowed throughout his limbs and bones.

When the golden light dissipated, Mu Chen abruptly opened his eyes and a sharpness rose from their depths.

The eight-figures stood on the air as their Spiritual Energy fluctuations enveloped this entire region, with everyone below silently watching this scene.

Because they knew that the competition of the Dragon-Phoenix Stage that they had watched for half a day had reached the most intense point!

The battle of the best eight!

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Chapter 798: Time for One Incense Stick to Burn!

In the distant horizon, eight figures stood on the air. Although they quietly stood there without words, the vast Spiritual Energy fluctuations emanating from them were like storms that wreaked havoc on this region. It was so much so that even the thick clouds in the sky had been torn apart.

Countless people held their breaths as the pressure from the arriving battle made them feel suffocating.

Those eight figures practically represented the pinnacle existences amongst the younger generations of the Northern Region. Even amongst the various forces, their strengths could be considered the elites of the elites with boundless potential.

But right now, when these elites were placed together, it would definitely be like clashes between comets that shook the heavens and earth.

“I wonder who can ascend the peak this time...”

“It should be Fang Yi or the Netherworld Prince... Those two have dominated the first and second rank on the Dragon-Phoenix Record for years. It’s impossible for others to shake their ranking.”

“You can’t say for sure, that mysterious girl is not simple and even Fang Yi is fearful of her...”

“It’s not as if the others won’t have any chances. Su Biyue, Hong Yu and the rest aren’t easy opponents as well. If others underestimate them, there’s a possibility that they might capsize.”

“But the situation right now is in a little deadlock. After all, no one is powerful to the extent that they can disregard everyone else.”

“.....”

The stagnant atmosphere in this region could not cover up those whispers and discussions. Anyone that could arrive here wasn’t an ordinary character, they were somewhat capable so their eyesight wasn’t shallow as well. Therefore, their analysis was logical.

When the whispers and discussions spread out in this region, Mu Chen sensed the stagnant atmosphere in the air as his black pupils lightly flickered.

He wasn’t a stranger to the other seven before him. Aside from Cai Xiao, the remaining six were great figures in the Dragon-Phoenix Record. The one that he felt the most unfamiliar with would probably be Ding Xuan of the Spiritual Giant Clan, since he, more or less, had contact with the other six.

Amongst those six, there wasn’t any enmity between him and Ding Xuan. He couldn’t be considered as friends or enemies with Su Biyue and Hong Yu. But as for the remaining three, they were slightly more troublesome.

There was nothing speaking about Liu Yan, who was already a life-death enemy with a relationship could never be reconciled. As for Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince, they had fought with him and Cai Xiao in the past for some matters. So, generally speaking, there was some enmity between them. However, it was unclear if that enmity was deep or shallow.

Facing this situation, even he felt that it was a little hard to act.

Just when Mu Chen was thinking about how to break this deadlock situation, he suddenly felt a sharp blade-like gaze shooting over, filled with killing intent.

Mu Chen slightly turned his head and, as he had expected, he saw Liu Yan without any expression on his face. When the latter saw his gaze directed over, there was a sinister arc that slowly rose on his lips.

In the stagnant atmosphere, Liu Yan suddenly grasped his hand and a long spear appeared in a flash. The tip of his spear was pointed towards Mu Chen as he indifferently said, "You previously managed to escape due to a fluke. This time, you won't have any more chances."

"I'm not the one that ran with my tail between my legs." Mu Chen lightly smiled.

Hearing his words, Liu Yan wasn't enraged as he calmly said, "If it wasn't for her, do you think that I would let you live?"

He was naturally referring to Cai Xiao. In truth, when he fought with Mu Chen the previous time, it wasn't that he couldn't continue the battle but he was intimidated from Cai Xiao killing Chi Xue. Thus, he had no choice but to pathetically escape. It had undoubtedly filled his heart with grievances because he believed that at that time, Mu Chen was completely exhausted as well. So if the battle continued, he would definitely be the one that would laugh till the end.

And in the current situation, if he fought with Mu Chen again, even Cai Xiao could not interfere. Because the others would definitely not be willing to see them joining hands together.

Mu Chen smiled, "Looks like you're intending to start from me?"

Mu Chen smiled with indifference as he turned to everyone else, "Looks like I will act first. Does anyone else have any opinion about it?"

"Haha, the limbs are yours and no one can stop you. However, this friend from the Great Havenlaw Domain isn't a weakling. Liu Yan, don't kick onto a metal plate yourself and suffer." Hong Yu showed a pampered smile. This little seductress of the Demon Gate spoke in a soft tone. Although she didn't look to be helping anyone, any guy that hears her words would probably feel indignant and go all-out.

Everyone else did not speak. However, they were clearly glad to watch Liu Yan deal with Mu Chen, since they knew that this deadlock situation could not continue any further. So it was a good idea to let Liu Yan have the honour to start.

When everyone else remained silent, Cai Xiao's gaze slightly turned cold as she took a step forth.

Although she only took a step forth, it instantly attracted everyone's attention onto her. As the most mysterious person here, everyone was extremely fearful of Cai Xiao.

Liu Yan's pupils shrank in that instant when Cai Xiao took a step forth. If Cai Xiao was to help Mu Chen at this point in time, it would definitely be unfavourable for him.

"Haha. Miss, I don't think there's a need to act at this point, right?" However, just when Liu Yan's expression was unsightly while looking at Cai Xiao, Fang Yi, who had remained silent this whole time, suddenly lightly smiled as he looked at Cai Xiao and gently said.

“What can you do if I want to take action?” Cai Xiao coldly sneered.

Fang Yi smiled, “Then, I can only obstruct you. After all, it’s best not to break the game’s rules.”

He took a step forth as his clothes fluttered. The space around him intensely distorted with spatial ripples vaguely appearing along with a shocking Spiritual Energy pressure spreading out.

When Hong Yu and the rest felt the pressure coming from Fang Yi’s body, there was an uncontrollable tremble in their eyes. Judging from the undulations, Fang Yi was already stronger than them.

“With just you?” Cai Xiao looked at Fang Yi as her slender fingers flickered with light once again. That slender fingers of hers contained power that could make experts like Fang Yi feel fearful.

When Fang Yi looked at Cai Xiao, his gaze gradually turning solemn, the Netherworld Prince suddenly took several steps forth behind Cai Xiao, forming a sandwiched situation with Fang Yi, surrounding Cai Xiao.

“Plus me, is that enough?” The Netherworld Prince said with indifference as a dark light surged on his body, as if it was devouring the light in this region. His hoarse voice also made the hair of others stand on the end.

There were countless people in this region looking at this scene, dumbfounded. Even Su Biyue, Hong Yu and the rest couldn’t help feeling shocked. Clearly, they did not imagine that the first and second ranking powerhouses on the Dragon-Phoenix Record would stand together at this moment!

In the past, there weren’t many interactions between Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince!

Rustle!

This region exploded in an uproar. If this fact were to leak out, who knew how many younger generations of the Northern Region would be shocked. After all, Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince were monument-like figures amongst the younger generations of the Northern Region. But, right now, the two monuments were actually joining together to deal with a single person. Furthermore, that person was just a young-looking girl!

Mu Chen’s calm expression couldn’t help changing at this scene. He did not think that Cai Xiao’s actions of attempting to help him would actually cause Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince to gang up on her.

“Two guys against one girl. The first and second of the Dragon-Phoenix Record are pretty laughable.” Mu Chen spoke in a cold voice. He knew that Cai Xiao was mysterious and as she had said, because of the seals in her body, there was a limit to the strength that she could use. According to Mu Chen’s estimations, she should be able to win if she was to deal with either Fang Yi or the Netherworld Prince. However, if the two of them joined together, not even Cai Xiao could gain an advantage.

The Netherworld Prince cast a glance at Mu Chen with indifference as he spoke in a hoarse voice, “You’re not qualified to interfere in this matter, talk after you win against Liu Yan. She’s in this situation because of you, if you have a backbone, then talk after you deal with your situation. Otherwise...”

He briefly paused, before he swept his glance at Mu Chen with indifference. There was contempt in his eyes, since Mu Chen wasn’t on the same level as him in his head, “You’re not qualified to say this.”

“Really?” A deep and dark light gathered in Mu Chen’s black pupils as he stared at the Netherworld Prince.

This entire region was silent, since everyone did not expect the situation to develop in this way. Su Biyue, Hong Yu and the rest had also wisely chosen to look after themselves. No matter what, they weren’t willing to be involved in the grudges of these few. Furthermore, in their current circumstances, they were naturally willing to watch the few of them fight.

Cai Xiao slightly turned her head as her hair fluttered in the wind. She cast a glance at the Netherworld Prince and Fang Yi, before revealing a smile. Her smile was something that could even topple countries. It was so much so that even great beauties like Su Biyue and Hong Yu were inferior to her.

Cai Xiao turned her gaze to Mu Chen as she chuckled, “It’ll be a little troublesome to deal with these two. But from now on, the two of them won’t dare to move as well. I’ll give you the time equivalent to an incense stick to burn to deal with the fellow named Liu Yan and...”

Her finger, which was glittering with lustre, slowly moved and pointed at the Netherworld Prince, who was at her rear, as her voice brightly rang out across this region.

“You will tie one up and I’ll kill one. Can you do that?”

Shocked gazes in this region were directed at Mu Chen, since they were clearly unaware why Cai Xiao would have such great confidence in Mu Chen. Not to mention how troublesome Liu Yan was to deal with, even if Mu Chen managed to defeat Liu Yan, it would be the wildest thing to imagine that he could still obstruct the Netherworld Prince.

But Mu Chen wasn’t bothered by those shocked gazes as he looked at Cai Xiao. He turned around and fixed his black pupils on Liu Yan.

“One incense stick, that’s enough.”

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Chapter 799: Battle Liu Yan Again

“One incense time is enough!”

When Mu Chen said those words, his figure moved and appeared on a Dragon-Phoenix Stage. Sharpness gathered in his eyes as he looked at Liu Yan with his black pupils.

“Impudence!”

Liu Yan smiled from the anger. since he never thought that Mu Chen would be so arrogant to say that one incense time was enough to defeat him. Did he not know that in their previous battle, he relied on luck to end the battle with the both of them gravely injured?

“This time, you’re doomed to die!”

Liu Yan eerily smiled as his figure moved and appeared on the Dragon-Phoenix Stage. He directed his gaze, which was as sharp as a blade, at Mu Chen, along with extremely dense killing intent in his eyes. He clearly understood that this was the best time to kill Mu Chen. Now that the mysterious girl was hindered by Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince, she couldn’t provide any help to him.

Boom!

A vast amount of Spiritual Energy practically burst out from Liu Yan in an instant and the scarlet Spiritual Energy rolled behind him, causing the temperature in this region to rapidly rise.

“Myriad Flames Celestial Body!”

Without any probing, Liu Yan had immediately formed seals with his hands. As the vast amount of Spiritual Energy surged, a huge scarlet light figure had immediately appeared on this Dragon-Phoenix Stage.

He had actually summoned his Sovereign Celestial Body in an instant!

It looked like after the previous battle with Mu Chen, Liu Yan no longer dared to belittle him in the slightest, since he was clear that if he were to fail again, his face would be thoroughly swept.

Seeing this scene, many experts in this region inwardly smacked their lips. Although Liu Yan was speaking of disdain about Mu Chen, he did not underestimate him in the slightest when he acted.

“Leave your life behind!”

Liu Yan’s figure appeared on the head of the Myriad Flames Celestial Body as he barked and abruptly thrust his palms forward. The huge palm of the Myriad Flames Celestial Body formed into a huge palm of flames and headed towards Mu Chen’s area.

Rolling heat wave swept out, causing the air in this region to seem like it was burning. There’s no need to doubt Liu Yan’s strength. Otherwise, he wouldn’t be ranked 4th on the Dragon-Phoenix Record. Now that he had gone out full-force, the might of his attack was something that even ordinary Fourth Grade Sovereigns would have to avoid upon seeing it.

But facing Liu Yan’s raging attack, Mu Chen showed no signs of avoiding, but raised his head, looking at the descending palm. Clenching his right hand, a dark-golden light flowed from his skin and some golden scales covered his arms.

A surge of power that could crush mountains violently surged like a ferocious beast; it was the power bestowed to him by the Dragon-Phoenix Physique.

Boom!

As the golden light surged, Mu Chen threw a palm forth. A blazing golden sun rose on his palm and clash with the flaming palm that was enveloping down.

Boom!

Shock waves that could be seen with the naked-eye swept out as it wreaked havoc. Mu Chen’s feet sunk into the ground, but everyone’s eyes had narrowed at this moment. They saw that the power from Mu Chen’s palm had actually stopped Liu Yan’s flaming palm, since it couldn’t descend any further.

“F**k off!”

Mu Chen sneered. Ever since he had formed the Dragon-Phoenix Physique, his fighting strength was much stronger than the day before. At the very least, it was impossible for Liu Yan to defeat him with an attack at such level.

Boom!

A golden light burst out as the flaming palm was shaken off, and Mu Chen's palm was red, emitting a dreadful high temperature. Clearly, if it wasn't for the fact that his Dragon-Phoenix Physique was way stronger, he wouldn't dare to confront Liu Yan's Myriad Flames Celestial Body this way.

Rustle!

A commotion rose in this region and many experts had their faces filled with shock. Just thinking about the scene where Mu Chen pushed back the Myriad Flames Celestial Body with a single palm left them in astonishment.

"He really does have some ways." The faces of Su Biyue, Hong Yu, and Ding Xuan were solemn. That youth named Mu Chen was indeed not simple. It was no wonder why he dared to speak those words earlier.

In another corner, three figures stood still without moving. The aura of those three seemed to have locked together. No matter which of them acted first, there was bound to be lightning-fast attacks.

Those three were naturally Cai Xiao, Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince.

The three of them stood without moving as their breathing slowed down. Although they were restricting each other from moving, their attention was focused on the battle between Mu Chen and Liu Yan.

Therefore, when Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince saw Mu Chen pushing back the Myriad Flames Celestial Body with a single palm, there were ripples in their eyes, whereas Cai Xiao's rosy lips lightly lifted. Clearly, she was satisfied with Mu Chen's performance.

They had naturally sensed that compared to the day before, Mu Chen had gotten much stronger.

"Did you think that I didn't have any opportunities of my own in the past day?!"

Mu Chen's gaze was cold as he swiftly formed seals at lightning speed. At the same time, the Myriad Flames Celestial Body was also forming seals. In an instant, countless scarlet flames swiftly flowed, forming into a massive cauldron before him.

Seeing the cauldron, Mu Chen narrowed his eyes. He wasn't a stranger to it, since he was wounded by it in his previous fight with Liu Yan.

"Myriad Flames Furnace - Sky-Burning Feather!"

As Mu Chen had expected, along with Liu Yan's sharp bark, flames of different colours surged in the huge cauldron, forming a rainbow feather. Ripples of annihilation were being emitted from the feather.

"Using the same old method?" Mu Chen sneered at the sight.

Liu Yan coldly swept a glance at Mu Chen as a brutal smile rose on the corner of his lips. The smile seemed to be ridiculing but he did not speak a single word; instead, his seals abruptly changed.

Whoosh!

The rainbow feather, which was burning with flames, abruptly shot out of the cauldron. However, the violent energy contained in the feather did not attack Mu Chen; instead, it had shot towards Liu Yan under all the astonished gazes.

When the rainbow feather shot over, Liu Yan opened his mouth and swallowed the feather under numerous dumbfounded gazes.

Even Mu Chen couldn't help being startled at this scene.

Boom!

After swallowing the feather into his body, Liu Yan's body instantly turned red, his pupils did as well. His skin turned dry, as if the moisture and blood in his body had been incinerated.

Crack!

Fine cracks spread out on his skin. Along with the crack spreading out, he looked like a porcelain that would soon shatter, bringing a chill into the heads of those watching this scene.

However, Su Biyue, Hong Yu and the rest pensively looked at the sight of this.

"Haha, it's not smart to belittle a 4th ranked expert of the Dragon-Phoenix Record." Fang Yi had faintly laughed out as well.

Cai Xiao coldly glared at him, but her face had turned solemn as well. Clearly, she had felt how powerful this means of Liu Yan's was as well.

Buzz!

Under the countless gazes in this region, Liu Yan put his hands together and his seals changed. In an instant, a golden light burst out from his body, along with a vague dragon roar that accompanied it.

As the golden light surged, it had formed into dragon runes on the surface of his body. As those dragon runes wandered on his body, Liu Yan's body had turned from gold to red.

The cracks on the surface of his body were being restored as well.

"That's the... Ersatz Dragon Physique!"

"So he was intending to use the Ersatz Dragon Physique's protection to contain the violent energy of the rainbow feather so that he can control it. This way, his body will not explode!"

"He has at least over 70 dragon runes, looks like the True Dragon and Phoenix's Blood Essences that Liu Yan had obtained were somewhat pure!"

"Mu Chen is doomed this time!"

"....."

When Liu Yan's figure turned golden, as if he was made of gold, the danger of his body exploding had been removed. Only then did everyone understand what was going on. It turns out that Liu Yan had such means to protect himself. It was no wonder why he would be so crazy.

Looking at the golden figure in the sky, Mu Chen couldn't help narrowing his eyes. Liu Yan was indeed not an easy opponent, he actually still had such a method up his sleeves...

Up in the sky, Liu Yan looked down at Mu Chen from high above with a condensed killing intent in his eyes. The smile that hung on the corner of his lips had also become extremely savage.

"I have already said that it's pure luck that you could survive before!" Liu Yan's eerie voice resounded in the sky, he did not give Mu Chen any time to make any preparations.

"But luck will still be helpless before absolute power!"

Liu Yan's gaze was savage as he bent his fingers together with strands of different flames forming on his fingertips. In the end, the flames turned a golden colour, along with the sound of a dragon roaring.

A terrifying ripple had intensely fluctuated around Liu Yan.

Sensing that ripple, the faces of Su Biyue, Hong Yu, Ding Xuan and the rest changed.

"Myriad Flames Divine Art - Sky Fire Dragon Fingers!"

Liu Yan's voice coldly rang out as the dazzling golden light beam shot out from his fingers. The light bent, turning into a roaring golden fire dragon as it caused space to shatter at this moment.

Under this all-out attack from Liu Yan, sky started to shatter, almost as if it couldn't bear that power!

Countless people widened their eyes as they sighed with pity,

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Chapter 800: Might of the DragonPhoenix Physique

The golden pillar of flames was like a huge dragon brandishing its claws as a terrifyingly huge commotion that seemed to bring annihilation descended.

In the range of the golden pillar of flames' envelopment, a slender figure could be seen as the golden flames rapidly expanded in his eyes. However, he did not make a single move, even when facing such a fearful attack. It looked as if he was too afraid of the shock and couldn't move

"What a pity..."

Many people sighed in this region. Mu Chen's talent was stunning, if he had a few more years, he would definitely become an outstanding powerhouse amongst the younger generations of the Northern Region. But it was a pity that in this world, the easiest things to die young were geniuses with stunning talent.

Boom!

Countless experts, along with Su Biyue, Hong Yu and the rest up in the sky, focused their eyes over. The pillar of golden flames descended and, at that moment, even the entire region vibrated.

Even the golden dragon scales on the Dragon-Phoenix Stage seemed to be melting from the golden pillar of flames, turning into a golden liquid that flowed down. The entire Dragon-Phoenix Stage was melting at a shocking speed.

This destructive power made countless experts twitch their eyes. A full-force attack from Liu Yan was actually so terrifying... he was indeed well-deserving to be the ranked 4th on the Dragon-Phoenix Record.

Su Biyue, Hong Yu, Ding Xuan and the rest of the Dragon-Phoenix Record rankers also had their faces filled with solemn. They themselves wondered if they were to face such an attack from Liu Yan, would they be heavily injured, even if they could survive.

But, right now, Mu Chen was probably reduced to ashes...

Fang Yi, the Netherworld Prince and Cai Xiao still remained control of their auras as they looked at the melting Dragon-Phoenix Stage with their eyes slightly narrowed. However, Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince had indifference remaining on their faces. Cai Xiao slightly knitted her brows. She was clearly a little worried.

Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince were smart people, so they could tell Cai Xiao's worries with a single glance. The former lightly smiled, but he did not say anything, since he did not place Mu Chen with much importance. The life and death of Mu Chen did not matter to him. But if Mu Chen died, Cai Xiao's heart might be shaken and she would show her flaws, which would be sufficient to land her in a disadvantage.

Therefore, Fang Yi was still calm and relaxed. However, the vast Spiritual Energy in this body was quietly circulating, like a ferocious concealed beast that would burst out with destructive power at any moment.

Up on the Dragon-Phoenix Stage, Liu Yan stood on the head of the Myriad Flames Celestial Body with a pale face. Clearly, he was completely exhausted from the previous attack, but his gaze was still as ferocious as a wolf as he looked at the melting Dragon-Phoenix Stage.

This attack was his strongest card, practically no one beneath Fourth Grade Sovereign could withstand it, not to mention Mu Chen, who was only a Third Grade Sovereign. Even if he had tons of cards up his sleeves, he absolutely couldn't escape from this.

"Impudent fellow, you deserve to be buried here."

Liu Yan eerily smiled. However, when he finished laughing, his eyes abruptly narrowed and he raised his head, directing his gaze at the melting Dragon-Phoenix Stage with disbelief.

Up in the sky, Su Biyue, Hong Yu and the other experts had also sensed something as they directed their shocked gazes at the Dragon-Phoenix Stage, which was swiftly melting under the golden flames.

The sea of golden flames emitted a dreadful temperature. However, in the depths of the sea of fire, there were heavy steps resounding out, like mountains, causing the Dragon-Phoenix Stage to tremble with every step.

Every single expert in this region felt that something was wrong. The commotion instantly quiet down, and every single one of them had directed their gazes towards the golden flames.

A gale suddenly swept past, which blew away the golden sea of flames. As the golden sea of flames dissipated, an imposing, upright figure could be seen.

That figure was covered in dark-golden armour that seemed to be made of golden scales, looking extremely ferocious. On the scales, a draconic image could be vaguely seen, emanating a terrifying pressure.

Furthermore, there was a huge pair of phoenix wings behind the armour slowly unfolding. As the wings flapped, it brought forth a gale that wrecked havoc in this area.

The golden-armoured figure stood on the melted Dragon-Phoenix Stage. Although there were golden flames burning on his body, causing it to turn red and constantly releasing smoke, anyone could see a pair of cold eyes gazing beneath that armour.

It was Mu Chen!

He actually managed to withstand Liu Yan's full-force attack!

Countless people widened their eyes, filled with disbelief.

"How is that possible?!" Liu Yan's face was filled with shock and he couldn't help letting out a low roar as ripples were set off in his heart. He couldn't figure out how Mu Chen had managed to withstand such a terrifying attack and could still remain standing.

Up in the sky, Su Biyue, Hong Yu and the rest gently inhaled a mouthful of chilled air as they looked at Mu Chen's figure without any traces of contempt. The strength that Mu Chen had displayed at this moment made even them feel extreme danger, something that could threaten their lives.

In another corner, the corner of Cai Xiao's lips rose at the sight of that figure. However, the eyes of Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince rippled.

Clank! Clank!

The golden-armoured person strode his heavy steps. As he walked, blood stains could be seen between the dragon scales of the Dragon-Phoenix Golden Armour. Clearly, Mu Chen wasn't entirely unharmed, even with the protection of the Dragon-Phoenix Golden Armour.

But even so, his dark pupils were still as sharp as blades beneath the golden armour. He paid no attention to the intense pain coming from his body and his gaze was fixed onto Liu Yan, like an eagle, along with a hoarse voice that came from the armour, "It's my turn next."

Liu Yan narrowed his eyes as Spiritual Energy abruptly burst out from his body, covering the horizon red.

Boom!

Mu Chen suddenly stomped his feet and the extremely sturdy Dragon-Phoenix Stage instantly crumbled. Along with the flickers of golden light, his figure had instant soared into the horizon.

His figure appeared before the Myriad Flames Celestial Body as he roared. A draconic roar and phoenix cry was contained in his roar.

A dazzling dark-golden light burst from his body as a True Dragon image appeared on his chest and a True Phoenix on his back.

“What’s... that?”

Countless experts were dumbfounded as they looked at the Dragon and Phoenix image at his front and back. That ancient pressure wasn’t something possessed by an ordinary True Dragon, it was the genuine might of a True Dragon and Phoenix!

“Dragon-Phoenix Physique?!”

Su Biyue opened her mouth as she exclaimed in shock. Her initially sweet-sounding voice sounded hoarse at this moment, with disbelief filled her eyes.

Hong Yu and Ding Xuan were also shaken in their hearts with shock on their faces.

Not to mention them, not even powerful Earth Sovereign Realm experts could achieve such a feat!

It was indeed so, according to common sense, but no one had expected that Mu Chen would actually manage to integrate the Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix together from the Dragon-Phoenix Golden Armour. Borrowing such a Divine Artifact to fuse the Blood Essences of the True Dragon and Phoenix, thus integrating the unique Dragon-Phoenix Physique.

After so many years in the Dragon-Phoenix Haven, the Dragon-Phoenix Physique was just a legend that no one actually managed to achieve. Therefore, they were absolutely shocked when they witnessed Mu Chen possessing the Dragon and Phoenix images around him.

Fang Yi and the Netherworld Prince, who were restricting Cai Xiao, had finally changed their expressions. They deeply looked at Mu Chen and vaguely started to feel danger.

This youth could challenge their positions.

Boom!

The countless shocked gazes directed over were ignored by Mu Chen. He was looking at Liu Yan’s frightened face with a savage arc rising on the corner of his lips. He clenched his fist. There weren’t any fancy tricks when he threw a punch out.

A simple punch was accompanied by a sweeping torrential golden light. The image of the True Dragon and Phoenix whistled in that golden light, turning into a golden palm that smashed towards the Myriad Flames Celestial Body.

Mu Chen had circulated the Spiritual Energy in his body to the limits in this fist. At the same time, he had also borrowed the Dragon-Phoenix Golden Armour to bring out the full power of the Dragon-Phoenix Physique.

A single fist caused the colours of the clouds to change!

A thunderous explosion rang throughout the sky.

At this moment, Liu Yan’s face was extremely unsightly as he swiftly formed some seals. The Myriad Flames Celestial Body had also brought out its full-force, throwing a fist out along with scarlet flames.

Boom!

The two fists of completely different scales tore through the void as they heavily clashed together in the next moment!

In that moment of the clash, the clouds were instantly torn apart in the sky. It was so much so that even the two nearby Dragon-Phoenix Stages had cracked.

Countless experts did not blink their eyes as golden light swept, but they suddenly narrowed their eyes soon after.

That was because they saw that under the fist that was accompanied by the images of the True Dragon and Phoenix, the fist of the Myriad Flames Celestial Body swiftly cracked. In just a few breaths' time, it exploded with a boom.

Boom!

The massive Myriad Flames Celestial Body had exploded at this moment from a single fist from Mu Chen!

Numerous experts had their hearts shaken. The outcome of this match was already determined.

However, the outcome had exceeded everyone's expectations.