

## Tales of Herding Gods

### Chapter 1431: Slaying Celestial Emperor With One Sword

On this journey, the army of gods and devils was in charge of transporting rations and supplies, escorting the divine weapons and heavy weapons. Among the heavy weapons, there were the Vermillion Bird divine weapon, the Black Tortoise divine weapon, the Green Dragon divine weapon, and the White Tiger divine weapon. There were two of them, and they should have been made by the Patriarch Creation Palace.

As for the other heavy weapons, such as god cities, God Execution Stage, giant seals, large-scale formations, cauldrons, formation flags, pill furnaces, and so on, they were all incomparably huge. Every divine weapon could fit a huge ship!

There were all kinds of divine weapons, spirit herbs, and even a few hundred ships filled with slaves. They were probably for the gods and devils on the frontlines to enjoy.

Today, the waves on the river were torrential, and the speed of the ship was greatly reduced. The two great Celestial Venerables in front were chasing each other, making it difficult for the transport army to advance.

Qin Mu controlled the fast ship to fly through the sky. Just as he passed by the fleet, he saw Shi Qiluo flying back. When he saw him on the ship, he was stunned and stopped in his tracks.

Qin Mu greeted him, and Shi Qiluo returned the greeting. His voice was like thunder as he said, "Celestial Venerable Mu, are you going to die?"

Qin Mu said with a smile, "As the alliance master of the Heaven Alliance, I have to go personally to eradicate Heaven Duke."

Shi Qiluo sighed and said, "You are quite an admirable person. If you stop me on the Xuandu battlefield, I won't show mercy."

Qin Mu smiled. "Wife..."

Shi Qiluo stared at him, and Qin Mu changed his words. "Celestial Venerable Shi, I hope you can show some mercy on account of our past friendship..."

Shiro spat at him and skipped away.

Butcher and the rest stared with their eyes wide open. They stared blankly at the Celestial Venerable who was leaving in the form of a young girl, speechless.

Qin Mu said, "This is Mistress Yuanmu, the Ruins of End's Destruction Goddess, the mother of Celestial Venerable Hao. Because she was killed by Celestial Venerable Ling, her three souls attached themselves to the stone for a long time and became spirits, becoming male bodies."

Butcher was silent for a moment before letting out a shaky breath, "Truly a strong warrior."

Zhe Huali, Luo Wushuang, and Tian Shu nodded repeatedly.

They continued forward, and after flying for a few days, they heard the zither notes again. In front of them were the ten guards of the celestial heavens, and all of them were elites among elites, their auras piercing through the rainbow!

The lowest cultivation among them was Jade Capital Realm, and there was no lack of existences at perfection of Numinous Sky Realm among them!

The ten guards came out at the same time. This was how much Xuandu valued them.

"The ten guards of the celestial heavens are going to deal with the Sun Guardian and Moon Guardian."

Qin Mu's gaze flickered. The ten guards of the celestial heavens were incomparably powerful. Even Celestial Venerable Yue's zither notes didn't pose much of a threat to them.

However, the ten guards were escorting a treasure that was blazing with flames. It was the Dao fire ancestral land of the South Pole, the sacrificial altar that gave birth to South Deity Zhu Que!

Qin Mu's pupils contracted, and he looked forward. He saw Celestial Venerable Yue fighting Celestial Venerable Huo!

The battle of the moon and fire was much fiercer than the battle of Shi Qiluo. Shi Qiluo didn't want to fight to the death with Celestial Venerable Yue, so he didn't use his full strength and didn't use his divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. However, Celestial Venerable Huo was different.

Celestial Venerable Huo used almost all of his methods, and his attacks were incomparably fierce. He even mobilized his divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu to join forces with him to encircle and suppress Celestial Venerable Yue!

Suddenly, the sound of a zither rang out. Celestial Venerable Yue plucked the strings of the zither, causing the celestial river to tremble violently. The sound of the zither overlapped and split the starry sky. Celestial Venerable Yue vanished.

Celestial Venerable Huo roared furiously and spewed out flames from his mouth, burning through the layers of void. However, he couldn't catch up to Celestial Venerable Yue and could only turn back.

Qin Mu rode the small boat and brushed past him. The two of them didn't look at each other and were like strangers.

The small boat continued forward for more than ten days, and they encountered an army led by God Emperor Lang Xuan. This army was under God Emperor Lang Xuan's direct command, and they were the leaders of the various half-gods. However, they were also held back by Celestial Venerable Yue.

God Emperor Lang Xuan was incomparably calm as he fought with Celestial Venerable Yue. The Jade Pavilion of the Jade Pool of the Ancestral Court was restored to its original state. God Emperor Lang Xuan had obtained the Dao fruit of a strong practitioner from the previous Universe Era, and his abilities had reached perfection.

Qin Mu's pupils contracted slightly. The current God Emperor Lang Xuan had perfected both his consciousness path and Xiantian First Dao to perfection. Even his Grand Primordium Dao was only comprehended by the divine essence finger!

Qin Mu saw that when he was dealing with Celestial Venerable Yue, he had executed at least four different kinds of primordial divine arts!

It was obvious that he had obtained great benefits from that shriveled Dao fruit.

When Celestial Venerable Yue faced him, it was even more dangerous than facing Celestial Venerable Huo. God Emperor Lang Xuan's Grand Primordium Dao could interfere with her divine arts with consciousness and threaten her life!

Qin Mu came to a place not far away and shouted, "God Emperor, do you need a hand to get rid of Yue Ni?"

God Emperor Lang Xuan's heart trembled, and the muscles on his back tightened. Celestial Venerable Yue found a chance to escape and left.

Qin Mu rushed forward and said angrily, "Why did God Emperor let her go?"

God Emperor Lang Xuan turned around and smiled ambiguously. "If you hadn't locked onto me with your knife qi, how could she have escaped? Celestial Venerable Mu, you've grown up."

Qin Mu laughed loudly and said proudly, "You have grown up. God Emperor, that Dao fruit..."

God Emperor Lang Xuan glanced at him and snorted coldly. "If you dare to spread this, I will make you regret being born in this world..."

"Your Majesty."

When God Emperor Lang Xuan heard the word 'Your Majesty', he couldn't help but grin from ear to ear. "There's no need to be so flamboyant. Forget it, I won't bicker with you. Stop walking forward, Son of Heaven Yin is waiting for you in front. I don't want to lose a treacherous subject."

Qin Mu gave his thanks and left on the boat. He thought to himself, 'It seems like that Dao Fruit raised God Emperor Lang Xuan's abilities, but it still affected his nature and even his consciousness. Strange, he clearly comprehended a deeper level of the Dao of Absolute Beginning, which means his cultivation in the Dao Realm has improved. Logically speaking, his Dao heart should only become more clear, so why is he still affected by me calling him Your Majesty?'

He thought hard and didn't understand.

When one's Dao heart was raised, both their wisdom and thoughts would be higher. However, God Emperor Lang Xuan's intelligence seemed to have decreased, which puzzled him.

"Celestial Venerable Mu, I finally know why you survived in the celestial heavens!"

Zhe Huali spoke quickly and sneered. "You have already entered the path of flattery and cultivated the celestial palace of flattery!"

Qin Mu spat on the ground, and Luo Wushuang coldly said, "You speak human language when you see people, speak ghost when you see ghosts. Celestial Venerable Mu is an expert."

The master and disciple duo shared a common enemy and choked Qin Mu, making him feel better.

Everyone was talking and laughing, but no one mentioned Son of Heaven Yin waiting for them in front.

They passed by the army led by Heavenly Lady Qiang. Although the battle between Heavenly Lady Qiang and Celestial Venerable Yue was exciting, neither of them used their full strength. Heavenly Lady Qiang purposely let Celestial Venerable Yue harass them and let her leave.

Qin Mu chatted with Heavenly Lady Qiang and encouraged her to do more for the celestial heavens as the alliance master of the Heaven Alliance, so they continued forward.

Everyone on the ship started to tease Qin Mu again. They laughed at him.

On the celestial river in front of them, a Mingdu Heavenly Gate stood tall. Hundreds of devil-masked ships stopped on the surface of the river and formed a formation on the surface of the water. In the center of the Mingdu Heavenly Gate, there was a magnificent palace. Son of Heaven Yin sat on the throne and enjoyed the singing and dancing.

Butcher took a glance at Tian Shu. "Does Heavenly King want to drink?"

Tian Shu placed the Imperial Gate Divine Knife on his shoulder and laughed. "Beat Earth Count, beat Celestial Venerable, I have to get drunk, but beat Yin Chaojin, drink my ass! I'm not afraid of him!"

At the same time, Founding Emperor arrived at the ancestral court and ascended to the celestial heavens. He ignored everyone else and barged into the Jade Capital City to ascend the Numinous Sky Hall. With a flash of sword light, he severed the head of the ancient Celestial Emperor.

"It's indeed fake."

Founding Emperor kicked away the corpse on the Emperor's Throne and sat on it. Carefree Sword lay across his knees, and he closed his eyes to focus, adjusting his breath.

"Celestial Venerable Hao, I'm not here to kill you. I was entrusted by someone to kill Celestial Venerable Gong."

Founding Emperor didn't open his eyes and said calmly, "If you don't want to get injured, you can leave. Also, create another Celestial Emperor. This one, I'll kill him."

## **Chapter 1432: Sword Against The Celestial Heavens**

Outside the Numinous Sky Hall, everything was quiet. After a moment, the sound of footsteps could be heard, and they gradually faded away.

Founding Emperor sat still, his eyes still closed. Celestial Venerable Hao's injuries weren't fully healed. Even with Tai Su's help, he didn't dare to go against him.

"There are still three Celestial Venerables left in the celestial heavens, Heavenly Lady Yan, Celestial Venerable Hao, and Celestial Venerable Gong. Celestial Venerable Hao has retreated, but when he comes back, it will be the three Celestial Venerables working together."

Founding Emperor thought to himself, 'Celestial Venerable Mu said that Heavenly Lady Yan has the help of the Ancient God of Taiji, and Celestial Venerable Hao has the help of Ancient God Tai Su. He wants me to severely injure Celestial Venerable Gong. He really thinks highly of me.'

His right hand was on the hilt of Carefree Sword. He didn't seem to use much strength, but veins were already popping out. He heard footsteps, the footsteps of a woman.

His little finger had already gripped the hilt, followed by his ring finger, middle finger, and index finger.

Outside the Numinous Sky Hall, Celestial Venerable Gong walked into the hall. His pupils contracted as his gaze landed on the headless body of the ancient Celestial Emperor and the head that had fallen to the side.

On the Emperor's Throne, Founding Emperor opened his eyes and pressed his thumb on the hilt of his sword. He pulled it out with a clang, and the sword cry instantly shook the Numinous Sky Hall.

The moment Carefree Sword was pulled out, his body had already arrived in front of Celestial Venerable Gong. The moment he made a move, his sword path reached 35 heavens!

Thirty-five supreme sword path supreme sword domains burst forth in an instant. In the Numinous Sky Hall, sword lights filled the hall where the gods worshiped Celestial Emperor!

In the next moment, boundless sword light pierced through Numinous Sky Hall.

There were still countless gods and devils living in the celestial heavens. At the same time, they all raised their heads and looked towards the Numinous Sky Hall.

Under their stunned gazes, thousands of sword lights burst forth from the Numinous Sky Hall that represented Celestial Emperor's supreme authority.

The sword light was indestructible, piercing through Numinous Sky Hall and shooting out from all directions. The breathtaking sword light sliced through the sky, leaving behind unfathomable cracks in space!

Loud explosions of divine arts came from the Numinous Sky Hall, and Celestial Venerable Gong suffered dozens of injuries as he retreated from the hall!

At this moment, the sword lights that shot out from the hall and pierced through the sky actually tore through the thirty-five voids. In every crack that reached the thirty-five voids, there was an apparition of Founding Emperor that rushed over from the thirty-five voids!

That was Founding Emperor's Sword Dao imprint!

He imprinted his sword path into the thirty-five voids. The sword light that came out from Hall of Numinous Sky wasn't just piercing the air, but also triggered the sword path imprint in the thirty-five voids!

There were thousands of sword lights that flew out from the hall in all directions, but now, these sword lights were activating the sword path imprints of the thirty-five voids. The power of each sword light was even stronger and more astonishing as they attacked Celestial Venerable Gong, who was rapidly retreating from all directions!

Celestial Venerable Gong gathered all his power to defend, but he only had time to block a hundred sword lights. With a whoosh, a divine sword pierced out from the back of her heart and the front!

Celestial Venerable Gong vomited blood and gritted her teeth to resist, but more sword lights pierced through her.

In front of her, Founding Emperor walked out of the Numinous Sky Hall with Carefree Sword in hand. There was no change in expression on his face, as if the blow that had injured Celestial Venerable Gong was just a casual blow.

The Numinous Sky Hall was already riddled with holes and dilapidated.

His Dao Realm was profound and incomparable. He had long surpassed the Grand Emperor back then. In the later stages of the Grand Emperor realm, he had relied on the power of sacrificial offerings to pile up his consciousness to the ultimate void Great Overarching Heaven. In the Dao Realm, the Grand Emperor's comprehension had actually been left far behind by Founding Emperor.

He stood there as though he was standing in the thirty-five voids, his figure unpredictable.

When he moved, it was as if the Sword Dao of the world moved along with him. It was as if the thirty-five Void Sword Dao also moved along with him.



This was the unsurpassable peak of Sword Dao that Village Chief had mentioned!

The higher the comprehension of Sword Dao experts and the deeper their comprehension of Dao Realm, the more they would see a figure standing in front of them. It was majestic, tall, and looked like the sky.

There were many experts in the sword path in the world, but there were very few who had cultivated to Village Chief's level. Those who could feel the supreme majesty of Founding Emperor's sword path were even rarer, and they could be counted on one hand.

Even Qin Mu couldn't sense the awe-inspiring power of Founding Emperor's Sword Dao. The others could only imagine it.

However, as long as one felt it, they would feel as if they were looking up at a tall mountain. They would have to break the god in their hearts!

Village Chief Su Muzhe had been silent all these years because he wanted to break the gods in his heart and the despair and pressure that Founding Emperor Sword Dao had brought to him. However, up until now, he had never been able to break the gods in his heart and walk out from the depths.

Even the stunning and resolute sword god couldn't walk out of Founding Emperor's shadow.

At that moment, not only did Founding Emperor give off the feeling of looking up to a high mountain, but he also gave everyone, including Celestial Venerables, a feeling of looking up to a high mountain!

Twenty thousand years after the end of Founding Emperor Era, he didn't sink into oblivion. What he sank into was Carefree Village. All the gods and devils of Carefree Village, even their descendants, had lost their Dao hearts. Only his Dao heart remained the same, never losing.

No Dao friends supported him and encouraged him. No Dao friends supported him. Even the former comrades of Carefree Village misunderstood him and didn't understand his good intentions.

Even so, his Dao heart didn't weaken or waver.

Since the ancient times until now, he was the only one who possessed such power and determination!

This was the reason why he could comprehend the thirty-five heavens of the Dao Realm!

Celestial Venerable Gong's consciousness path burst forth, and her consciousness was proficient in imprinting the void. Her consciousness path was even more proficient in illusions. At this moment, layers of illusions burst forth and surged towards Founding Emperor.

It was easy for her illusion to confuse Qin Mu, but it was useless against Founding Emperor.

For an existence that had founded a kind of Great Dao and had almost completely mastered it, illusions couldn't confuse the Dao heart of the person because illusions couldn't confuse the Sword Dao or the Sword Heart.

Celestial Venerable Gong was struck a few more times, and despair rose in his heart. He asked in a hoarse voice, "Qin Ye, why do you want to kill me?"

Founding Emperor didn't reply, but he suddenly sheathed his sword and left in a flash.

A abyss of the Ruins of End suddenly appeared where he was standing and swallowed the sky and ground there. However, Founding Emperor just happened to leave, and the abyss of the Ruins of End didn't swallow him at all.

Boom!

Another taiji diagram appeared, and the yin and yang qi were like dragons with their fins. Founding Emperor walked past the yin and yang scissors, causing them to miss.

The taiji diagram stood upright in front of him, and Founding Emperor pulled out his sword to stab out, opening a huge hole in the taiji diagram.

Suddenly, a huge ancient bell descended from the sky and trembled loudly. The sound of the bell was majestic as it came crashing down.

A sword qi rushed into the sky above Founding Emperor's head and advanced layer by layer, transforming into thirty-five heavens. At the top was the Jade Pure Realm Sword Domain. The vast mountains and rivers were forged from jade and supported the huge bell.

The bell chimes reverberated, unable to break through the 35 heavens.

The ancient god of taiji, a man and a woman, followed Heavenly Lady Yan and appeared in front of Founding Emperor. The two of them raised their taiji sand plates behind their heads and hesitated.

Founding Emperor held the sword hilt upside down and greeted the two of them. When the two ancient gods returned the greeting, he was nowhere to be seen.

"Why didn't the two of you stop him?" Heavenly Lady Yan asked in puzzlement.

"If we leave him behind, we will also be injured."

The Ancient Yin God said, "This Dao friend surpasses us in the Dao Realm, but he's inherently weak. If we force him to stay, it will be disadvantageous to us."

The Ancient Yang God said, "He's an existence that's about to achieve the Dao. I'm envious."

Heavenly Lady Yan was shocked.

## **Chapter 1433: Knife Slaying Son Of Heaven Yin**

Achieving the Dao.

This phrase was frequently used by the Taiji ancient gods, and their words were filled with envy. Founding Emperor wasn't invincible. If they used their full strength, they could still keep Founding Emperor, but the ancient gods of Tai Chi weren't willing to make another move. With just Heavenly Lady Yan and Celestial Venerable Hao who didn't want to show themselves, she couldn't keep Founding Emperor.

Heavenly Lady Yan was puzzled. How could a Postcelestial lifeform be envied by an existence like the ancient god of taiji and Celestial Emperor Tai Chu, who had similar origins, and say that he was about to achieve the Dao?

"Could it be that our path is really wrong?"

Heavenly Lady Yan had mixed feelings. Celestial Venerable Yu had created the cultivation system of the celestial palace, and Qin Mu and Celestial Venerable Hao had imparted techniques to all living things on behalf of Celestial Venerable Yu. The cultivation system of the celestial palace would be the cultivation path of countless living beings for the next million years.

Even Heavenly Lady Yan was a Dao Seeker on this path. She had immersed herself in the celestial palace system for too long. When Founding Emperor left Carefree Village, he had said that he had founded the cultivation system of the Dao Realm. Back then, the ten Celestial Venerables had treated the cultivation system of the Dao Realm as a supplement to the celestial palace system. Even though they valued it, they didn't take it too seriously.

Yet now, the ancient god of taiji had actually said that Founding Emperor was about to achieve the Dao, and he had even achieved the Dao before the ancient god of taiji. This made all kinds of feelings linger in her heart. There was sorrow and bitterness, and she was unable to walk out from this blow.

Celestial Venerable Gong stood up shakily and looked back. Founding Emperor was long gone.

'Founding Emperor wouldn't kill me for no reason, so who made her do it?'

Qin Mu's figure suddenly appeared in her mind, and she came to a conclusion. She stumbled and flew up, returning to her celestial palace in a panic. She was ready to enter seclusion immediately to get rid of the injuries caused by her sword path.

At this moment, Celestial Venerable Hao's voice entered her ears. "Founding Emperor was invited by someone to kill you. Dao Friend Gong, you can't be thinking of who this person is, right? You single-handedly made Qin Mu the alliance master of the Heaven Alliance, yet this ally of yours betrayed you. Celestial Venerable Gong, can you tolerate this?"

He had unknowingly appeared in Celestial Venerable Gong's celestial palace and was walking towards him. The seal that Celestial Venerable Gong had laid down seemed completely useless to him.

Vaguely, Celestial Venerable Gong saw a shadow swaying behind him, but her injuries were too severe to see clearly.

Celestial Venerable Hao came to her and said with a smile that wasn't a smile, "Celestial Venerable Gong, the Grand Emperor betrayed you, Tai Chu betrayed you, and your son, my elder brother, God Emperor Lang Xuan, also betrayed you. Now, even Celestial Venerable Mu, who you consider an ally, has betrayed you. Have you thought about the reason behind this?"

Celestial Venerable Gong's body swayed, and he said coldly, "I have never treated Celestial Venerable Mu as an ally. We are merely using each other. I don't have a deep relationship with the Grand Emperor. I married him because of the marriage between the Nü Xin Clan and Ju Yu Clan, which is beneficial to suppressing the other races. I don't have any relationship with your father, Grand Primordium, either. I'm just using him to take revenge on the Grand Emperor. As for your brother Lang Xuan, he's just an unexpected product. I have no feelings for him."

Celestial Venerable Hao said with a smile, "This is the reason why you are repeatedly injured. You only make use of your connections to everyone, and without a true ally, how would others dare to treat you wholeheartedly?"

Celestial Venerable Gong snorted and didn't say anything.

In her previous life, she was a primordial divine king, and in this life, she was a Celestial Venerable with a high position and authority. She couldn't lower her head and admit her mistake.

Celestial Venerable Hao smiled. "You keep saying that you aren't a master of creation and that you don't have a race anymore, but Celestial Venerable Mu wants Founding Emperor to kill you. Have you thought of a reason?"

Celestial Venerable Gong suppressed Dao Shang and said indifferently, "He's afraid that I'll meet Divine King Lang Wo."

Celestial Venerable Hao smiled. "In that case, will you meet Divine King Lang Wo?"

Celestial Venerable Gong was silent for a moment, then he raised his head and said resolutely, "Yes! The Battle of Xuandu is the best time for me to meet Divine King Lang Wo! I have boundless power now, but I'm alone among the ten Celestial Venerables and have no allies. Therefore, I need the masters of creation, the power of the masters of creation, and Lang Lang to assist me! Most importantly, I have the capital to let the masters of creation live!"

"More importantly, in your heart, you still think of yourself as the master of creation, the god king of the palace!"

Celestial Venerable Hao exposed her inner thoughts and said coldly, "You have never forgotten the glory of the masters of creation. You have never forgotten that you are one of the three primordial kings. You have never given up on your race. You can't forget your hatred for the Grand Emperor and Tai Chu, so you can't forget that you are a master of creation! Now that you are severely injured, you can no longer meet Lang Wo."

Celestial Venerable Gong said bitterly, "I need an ally..."

"Wrong!"

Celestial Venerable Hao said coldly, "You need someone you are loyal to, and you need to submit! In the past, you had the chance to bargain with me, but now, you no longer have the qualifications! Return to me and worship me. I will heal your injuries and let you return to the peak to meet Divine King Lang Wo!"

He stood in front of Celestial Venerable Gong and stretched out his hand. In an unquestionable tone, he said, "If your race of masters of creation wants to survive in this universe, you can only rely on me! I can't rely on you, I can't rely on Divine King Lang, and I can't rely on Celestial Venerable Mu! I can let you return to the glory of the divine king, and I can let you masters of creation find the glory of the past! Kneel, worship me, and kiss the back of my hand. I will pull you up from the depths of oblivion!"

Celestial Venerable Gong looked at his outstretched palm, and he could faintly see the shadow behind him. However, he still couldn't see the shadow clearly.

Her gaze dimmed.

On the celestial river, in the small boat, Qin Mu, Butcher, Zhe Huali, and Tian Shu laughed heartily. They were like a loose wave, and every one of them carried a jar of wine. They laughed until their eyeballs almost popped out.

"Son of Heaven Yin!"

Tian Shu laughed until his nostrils and eyes spewed out wine, and he said while gasping for breath, "When this fellow built Mingdu, there were statues of Earth Count everywhere in Mingdu. Also, Earth Count's face was carved into a totem by him, painting everywhere!"

Qin Mu laughed until he couldn't catch his breath. "Every time he saw Di Yiyue, he would run away with his tail between his legs, saying that he wasn't afraid of her! He has been a pretty boy since the first year of the Dragon Han Era! His Mingdu Heavenly Gate was even completed by Di Yiyue. This fellow fawned on Di Yiyue and plotted against her on their wedding night, and he even stabbed her in the back!"

"I heard he even used his white face to scheme against Goddess of Heavenly Yin!"

Butcher laughed until he couldn't catch his breath. His voice was like thunder as he said, "Someone even said he's the male companion of the goddess in the palace. Could it be Celestial Venerable Hao?"

Zhe Huali's nostrils spewed out two wine arrows, and he laughed until he peed his pants. "Butcher, didn't you see Son of Heaven Yin's despicable look? Look, look, his face has turned white again, and he's still pretending to watch a performance!"

The small boat approached Mingdu Heavenly Gate, and the four of them laughed even louder. They kept glancing at Son of Heaven Yin. Luo Wushuang was still old and wasn't used to this kind of situation, so he didn't participate.

Son of Heaven Yin supported his chin with his hand and turned his body to look at the song and dance in front of the heavenly gate. The laughter of Qin Mu and the rest rang out in his ears. They were all talking about his embarrassing incidents, some were not, and all kinds of disgusting things were piled on his head.

"You didn't see the situation when I chopped off his head in Mingdu!"

Tian Shu said with a smile, "I just chopped off his head under Mingdu Heavenly Gate with a knife! This fellow's abilities are low, if he didn't rely on Goddess Hao, would he be able to live until now?"

Pa!

The smile on Son of Heaven Yin's face froze, and his other hand had already crushed the armrest of the throne.

"Shush, at least give him some face in front of his Mingdu army."

Qin Mu laughed until he burst into tears. Panting heavily, he said, "You didn't see the scene when he met my brother in the Great Void. That was called embarrassing! I killed his son, killed his wife, and even beat him up in front of the four great heavenly teachers and four great heavenly kings of the celestial heavens..."

"Shut up!"

Son of Heaven Yin couldn't hold it in any longer. He suddenly stood up and said in a shrill voice, "Celestial Venerable Mu, I'm giving you face? Truth be told, I'm here to stop you from going to Xuandu under the name of Celestial Venerable Hao. If you insist on going, this will be your burial place!"

Zhe Huali chuckled. "Celestial Venerable Hao? It's Goddess Hao, right?"

The four people on the boat burst into laughter. Even Luo Wushuang couldn't help but smile.

"How dare you!"

Son of Heaven Yin couldn't hold it in any longer and rose into the sky. His clothes fluttered, and his red robe fluttered in the wind. Four celestial palaces floated behind him, and Mingdu Heavenly Gate was majestic. Four celestial palaces also appeared in the gate, and together, there were eight celestial palaces. They came crashing down on the five people on the small boat, and he shouted, "Today, I shall send you five bastards to the west!"

In front of the army of the Northern Heaven Mingdu, he crushed them in the air and wanted to establish his prestige and authority in front of his own army. He didn't rely on the power of others to ascend to the position of Black Deity in Mingdu, but on his own abilities!



Even though he wasn't a Celestial Venerable in the celestial heavens, he was still a small Celestial Venerable of the eight celestial palaces!

Son of Heaven Yin's power overflowed into the sky, and before he could even reach the small boat, the expressions of the five people on the small boat suddenly changed, becoming incomparably solemn. The five of them crossed each other, and in an instant, their knives sliced through thirty voids!

A divine knife slashed down from the sky, and Son of Heaven Yin's head and body were severed. The celestial palace behind him split open, and Mingdu Heavenly Gate was also split into two!

## Chapter 1434: Take My Bow

The expression on Son of Heaven Yin's face had yet to freeze. He didn't expect the power of the five of them after working together to be so terrifying.

Even though Qin Mu had said that he had beaten him up in front of the four great heavenly teachers and heavenly kings of the celestial heavens, the one who had actually been beaten up was Qin Mu. If Qin Mu hadn't forced Bai Yujing to make a move, she really might have been killed by Son of Heaven Yin.

However, times had changed.

Qin Mu's abilities had a world-shaking improvement compared to back then. He had cultivated to the twenty-six heavens of the Dao Realm, and his cultivation realm had also reached the Nine Hells Stage. During the battle in the Ancestral Court's Great Ultimate Star Domain, he could fight Celestial Empress head-on without being defeated and not die after entering the Ancestral Court's God Execution Stage!

He worked together with Butcher and the rest to raise his Dao Realm to the thirtieth heaven and imprint his Great Dao into the thirtieth void!

Qin Mu, who had cultivated to this step, was full of confidence. He even thought that if the five of them worked together, they could take one or two moves from a Celestial Venerable without being wiped out. That was why he insisted on going to Xuandu!

Because Son of Heaven Yin only had four celestial palaces, he relied on the effects of Mingdu Heavenly Gate to have eight celestial palaces. Facing such a fierce five people, he was naturally beheaded with one knife.

However, what Son of Heaven Yin was most powerful wasn't his magic power or his realm. It was his Great Dao of Reincarnation, the divine art of reincarnation.

Even though he was split into two and even the small celestial heavens formed by the eight celestial palaces were split apart, the Mingdu Heavenly Gate behind him burst forth with a strange power and forcefully closed the broken gate.

When his corpse passed through Mingdu Heavenly Gate, a strange sight happened. Under Mingdu Heavenly Gate, the sea suddenly appeared, and the torrential seawater churned. The seawater was formed by the black soul sand and was incomparably pitch black.

The waves of the netherworld sea surged and crashed onto the heavenly gate. The instant Son of Heaven Yin's corpse passed through the heavenly gate, his body vanished. A half-god with the bloodline of the Black Tortoise flew out from behind the gate. He had the head of a dragon and the body of a tortoise, and he stood on the sea surface.

Back then, when Saint Woodcutter and the rest had rescued Di Yiyue, Di Yiyue, Goddess of Heavenly Yin, Tian Shu, King Yama, and the rest of the experts had surrounded Son of Heaven Yin and fought a hundred battles, but they couldn't take him down.

At that time, they had killed Son of Heaven Yin numerous times, and their corporeal bodies had been broken numerous times. However, Son of Heaven Yin could always rely on Mingdu Heavenly Gate to recover completely. When he passed through Mingdu Heavenly Gate, it was equivalent to reincarnating once. Not only could men and women change at will, but even their species could change!

This was the effect of the Dao of Reincarnation.

Son of Heaven Yin was astonished and furious. He raised his head, and another knife light descended from the sky!

That knife light split open the Mingdu Heavenly Gate that had just gathered together and slashed down on the head of this new body.

"Celestial Venerable Mu, your mother..."

Before he could even say a word, he was sliced into two by a knife. He had borrowed the reincarnation of Mingdu Heavenly Gate to be reborn, and before he could even stabilize himself, he was killed by Qin Mu, Butcher, and the rest!

Mingdu Heavenly Gate trembled, and the corpse of Black Tortoise Son of Heaven Yin sank into the sea.

The sea suddenly vanished, and it appeared behind the army of the Northern Heaven Mingdu. The Mingdu Heavenly Gate rose again, and Son of Heaven Yin was revived.

The small boat barged into the army camp of North Heaven Mingdu and crashed through the ships, heading straight for Mingdu Heavenly Gate.

"History shines on the core!"

On the ship, Qin Mu and the rest shouted as they executed the thirty heavens of the knife path together. When this knife cleaved out, it was as if what flew out wasn't the knife light, but countless gorgeous writings that were moving like dragons and snakes. The Dao voice that burst forth from the knife path wasn't as sacred as the Precelestial Great Dao. It was so solemn and profound.

The Dao voice burst forth from the path of the knife, and it was as if a scroll of human history had been unfolded. One by one, glorious and imposing figures stood up from the painting of history, looking majestic and vigorous.

They shone brilliantly. Some used a brush as a knife to scold the unfairness of the Heavenly Dao. They blamed the incompetent monarchs and the deities.

Some used their bodies to move, and when mountains blocked the road, they would move mountains. When a flood came, they would open up a canal, and when a great river blocked the road, they would build a bridge and cross it. When the gods descended, they would kill the gods!

History follows the heart of the pill, bearing the weight to sharpen it.

The moment Minghai, Mingdu Heavenly Gate, and Son of Heaven Yin appeared, a painting scroll that looked like it had been written in history unfolded. The knife light killed the gods and destroyed the hearts, vaporizing vast amounts of Mingdu Heavenly Gate.

Son of Heaven Yin gave off a miserable scream and vanished along with the rest of the sea.

At this moment, the small boat sped past the camp of Northern Heaven Mingdu and appeared at the back of the camp. At the bow of the boat, the five of them each held onto the handle of their knives and looked around. However, the last strand of the netherworld sea had vanished.

"Turn around, behind!"

Qin Mu raised his leg and gave a heavy stomp. The entire fast ship moved horizontally across the Celestial River, and they passed through the camp of North Heaven Mingdu. At this moment, the gods of Mingdu in the camp turned around, and the sea of Mingdu had already arrived behind the formation of the Mingdu army.

The dilapidated Mingdu Heavenly Gate rose up from the sea once again. Son of Heaven Yin had reincarnated this time and transformed into a woman in a red robe. She had a shawl on her shoulders, and her body floated in front of Mingdu Heavenly Gate. She shouted sternly, "Qin Mu, Tian Shu, Zhe Huali, Luo Wushuang, Dao Liuzhao, accept my bow!"

The woman, Son of Heaven Yin, bowed. Butcher and the rest were about to execute their knife path divine arts again when Qin Mu's expression suddenly changed drastically. He spread out his cape to protect the four of them and cupped his fists. He pushed forward and also bowed!

"Yin Chaojin, accept my bow as well!"

Behind him, a Black Gate of Heaven and Earth appeared. Heaven Influence Heaven connected to the earth, and it went up to the Heavenly Dao, Xuandu, and down to Youdu. It was the second heaven of his divine art!

The instant Qin Mu bowed down, the twenty-sixth heaven of entering the path with divine arts, as well as the co-traversing of the primordial chaos and Dao, also bowed!

The two of them bowed to each other across the tens of thousands of gods and devils of North Heaven Mingdu.

Son of Heaven Yin bowed, and he saw the huge ships in front of her. In the beautiful and sinister formations, the primordial spirits of the gods and devils suddenly shattered into pieces, and their souls disintegrated into black soul sand.

Rolling black sand spewed out from their eyes, ears, mouths, and noses. There were also souls in their lower abdomen, which spewed out smoke from their nine orifices after being shattered. It was incomparably terrifying!

On the other hand, Qin Mu pushed his hands forward and bowed. The gods and devils of Mingdu in front of him also couldn't withstand his bow. Their primordial spirits crumbled and their souls exploded!

Son of Heaven Yin had used Youdu divine art, and Qin Mu's bow was also Youdu divine art. There was no difference in their attainments!

Not only that, Qin Mu's bow contained a primordial chaos and Dao traveling together. Wherever he bowed, space would turn into fine powder. The corporeal bodies of the gods and devils that he had worshiped to death would explode and transform into wisps of primordial qi!

Boom!

The two divine arts collided, and the fast ship under Qin Mu's feet couldn't withstand the pressure and exploded. The qi and blood above his head spewed out and transformed into a sea of blood.

It was as though the sea of blood had been burned open, and steam rose from it. The steam carried black smoke, and it was Youdu devil qi.

On the other side, Son of Heaven Yin's body trembled violently, and blood spewed out from his eyes, ears, mouth, and nose. The blood he spewed out transformed into wisps of primordial qi, and the Mingdu Heavenly Gate behind him also gave off cracking sounds. It was covered in cracks, and strands of primordial qi dispersed!

He shouted sternly, "Qin Mu, receive another bow from me!"

Qin Mu shouted, "Yin Chaojin, accept another bow from me!"

The two of them shouted like thunder and bowed down again. Another loud boom rang out, and Son of Heaven Yin's body trembled violently. He retreated repeatedly, and blood spewed out from his mouth. His eyes were red, and his eyes looked like they were going to turn into primordial qi from the worship. He cried out miserably, "Qin Mu, receive another bow from me!"

## Chapter 1435: No One Knows You When You're masked

The sea of qi and blood above Qin Mu's head burned, and the Youdu devil qi dyed the sea of blood black. The skin on the surface of his corporeal body even cracked, and he almost couldn't trap his primordial spirit.

The two of them kowtowed again, and their injuries were even worse!

"Take my bow!"

"Take my bow!"

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Boom!

A world-shaking explosion rang out, and the Black Heaven Earth Sect behind Qin Mu exploded. His corporeal body couldn't take it anymore, and black soul sand spewed out from his eyes, ears, mouth, and nose!

On the other hand, Son of Heaven Yin's corporeal body that was looking at him from the other side of the formation suddenly exploded, and he was worshiped into a ball of primordial qi. Even Mingdu Heavenly Gate behind him was turned into powder. Huge pieces of divine weapons dragged strands of primordial qi into the sea.

Qin Mu's body swayed, but he didn't fall. He suddenly executed Soul Guide to restrain the black soul sand that was crumbling. He circulated his divine art and reconstructed his soul!

Butcher wanted to support him, but he saw that he had already recovered. Even though his breathing was weak, he was fine, so he retracted his hand.

"Is Son of Heaven Yin dead?"

Butcher raised his Heaven Knife and shone it around to search for Son of Heaven Yin.

Tian Shu also raised his Imperial Gate Divine Knife and stared at the surface of the knife, searching for Son of Heaven Yin's primordial spirit.

Luo Wushuang also raised his divine knife and surveyed his surroundings.

Zhe Huali raised his demon knife and dragon teeth, but they were the teeth of East Deity Qing Long. The surface of the knife wasn't bright, so it couldn't shine into the depths of the void.

On the other hand, there was a demon eye on the handle of Dragon Tooth. The demon eye rolled around as it searched for Son of Heaven Yin.

Even though Son of Heaven Yin wasn't a Celestial Venerable, his abilities were incomparably strange and godly, making it hard to guard against.

They originally thought that killing Son of Heaven Yin was a small matter, but killing him was indeed a small matter. Taking his life was the harder part.

Not only that, Son of Heaven Yin's Youdu divine art and Dao of Reincarnation also made them have lingering fears.

"Is he dead or gone?" Butcher searched for a long time, but he couldn't find any trace of Son of Heaven Yin.

Qin Mu opened up the third eye in the heart of his brows and swept his gaze around. His gaze suddenly penetrated the void and saw the surging sea of the netherworld in the distance. In the sea, there was a head floating and rushing towards Mingdu. He said, "He isn't dead yet, he has returned to Mingdu. He is also an existence that cultivates the path of Heavenly Yin and is proficient in the Great Dao of Youdu. It won't be easy to kill him. Ignore him, Son of Heaven Yin is merely a tool for us to test our strength. That's all. He's not worth mentioning."

He raised his head and saw the great army of gods and devils of North Heaven Mingdu standing in front of him. Countless majestic gods and devils stood at the bow of the ship, looking at them nervously.

Butcher, Tian Shu, Luo Wushuang, and the rest all took a step forward. Luo Wushuang shook his one-armed divine knife and said indifferently, "Want to kill them all?"

The expressions of the few divine generals in the lead of Northern Heaven Mingdu changed drastically. They activated their divine weapons to protect their bodies.

"No need."

Qin Mu suddenly revealed a smile and waved at the army of tens of thousands of people. "Disperse, all of you, disperse. Your Son of Heaven Yin has already returned to the netherworld sea, all of you should disperse and return home."

Those generals felt as though they had been pardoned. Zhe Huali frowned and said, "They have seen our faces before. If we report it..."

Qin Mu was full of smiles as he took out a black scarf to cover his face. "Can't we see our faces now?"

Luo Wushuang and Zhe Huali were dumbfounded.

If he didn't wear a mask before the incident and covered his face after the incident, wouldn't he be deceiving himself?

Butcher also took out a black cloth and covered his face. It was obvious that he was familiar with it. After all, Priest Qin was famous, and he was from this famous family. He said, "As long as we aren't caught red-handed, we won't admit to it. Who can do anything to us?"

"A mask is actually just a cover. There's no difference whether you wear it or not. Who can you cover?"

Qin Mu was prepared. He took out three pieces of black cloth and handed them to Tian Shu, Zhe Huali, and Luo Wushuang. "As long as you aren't caught red-handed, you won't admit to it. If you fight a lawsuit, there will be something to say. Black can be said to be white, and dead can be said to be alive. You guys can lie first."

The three of them silently took the black cloth and covered their faces.



Qin Mu suddenly remembered something. He pulled open his black cloth and said to the army of the Northern Heaven Mingdu that was about to retreat, "I'm Celestial Venerable Mu. I'm heading to Xuandu to supervise the battle. I encountered bandits who damaged the treasure ship and conscripted one of your fast ships."

The officers of the Northern Heaven Mingdu were all stunned. They were already stunned when they saw their faces after the incident. Now, Qin Mu didn't even cover his face and used Celestial Venerable Mu's identity to command their ship. His skin was so thick that even Celestial Emperor's sword couldn't pierce through it!

The few generals looked at each other in dismay. Suddenly, one of them came to a realization and hurriedly ordered people to free up a fast ship to send it over personally. The few of them trembled in fear and didn't dare to speak.

Qin Mu looked at them with a smile that wasn't a smile and said indifferently, "Aren't you leaving? I'm preparing to wear a mask. If I wear a mask, I won't be Celestial Venerable Mu, but a criminal that even dared to kill Yin Tianzi."

Those generals scrambled away.

The five of them boarded the fast ship, and Butcher looked at the army that was retreating from North Heaven Mingdu. He saw that even though the army was retreating, their formation wasn't messy at all. It was orderly, and even when they were retreating, they seemed to be changing their attack and defense. He couldn't help frowning.

"Son of Heaven Yin has mastered the Zenith of Military Strategy."

He had a grim expression and said solemnly, "If Son of Heaven Yin isn't angered and comes over in a fury, he will mobilize the Mingdu army and activate the formation to trap us. We will probably be lambs waiting to be slaughtered."

Tian Shu, Zhe Huali, and Luo Wushuang were also generals that led the army. Luo Wushuang was originally the leader of the Spirit Elite Guards, while Zhe Huali was placed in an important position by Emperor Yanxiu, Ling Yuxiu. He was a general in the western border, and Tian Shu was one of the four great heavenly kings under Founding Emperor. He controlled the army of Founding Emperor Era.

They could also see how strong Son of Heaven Yin was in commanding the army, and they all frowned.

The battle power of a single Mingdu god was insignificant to them. Even the generals of the army were at most at the Jade Capital and Numinous Sky Realm.

However, when these gods and devils gathered into an army and were united by the formation, the power they could unleash would be terrifying!

Even an Emperor's Throne Realm existence wouldn't dare to face the combined attack of sand and pagoda.

In a large-scale battle between gods and devils, the power of the formation definitely couldn't be underestimated!

"In the future, if Eternal Peace goes to war with the celestial heavens, Blind who has the divine mind eyes will become the main pillar."

Butcher stood at the bow of the ship and looked at the torrential celestial river flowing down the ship. He said calmly, "The celestial heavens has four great heavenly kings, four great heavenly teachers, four great emperors, and Son of Heaven Yin is only one of the four deities. If Blind wants to fight against such an existence on the formation, he will have to be ruthlessly spurred on and let his formation enter deeper into the path."

Qin Mu came to his side and had the same feeling in his heart. He nodded his head and said, "No matter if it's Grandpa Blind or Grandpa Mute, I have been ruthlessly spurring them to work harder."

"You are shameless."

Butcher took a glance at him and reprimanded him. He then asked with concern, "How are your injuries? Does Ying not affect the battle in Xuandu?"

"I've cultivated to the Jade Pool Realm of the Ancestral Court's Jade Pavilion, and I'm a huge Jade Pool and Jade Sea. There's primordial liquid in the sea, so any injuries can be healed naturally as long as they aren't Dao injuries."

Qin Mu smiled. "Even if your cultivation is damaged, you can recover quickly."

Butcher saw that his aura was indeed recovering continuously, and his recovery speed was astonishingly fast. He couldn't help clicking his tongue in wonder and said, "We have already seen the Ancestral Court's God Execution Stage Realm and can refine baleful qi for our own use. The Ancestral Court's Jade Pavilion Realm actually has a marvelous aspect?"

## Chapter 1436: Xuandu Battlefield

Zhe Huali and Tian Shu also came over to ask about the marvel of the Jade Pool. Qin Mu told them about what he had learned during this period, and everyone was envious.

"I was in a hurry, so I didn't measure the four great heavenly gates, Jade Pool, and Nine Hells Stage. However, Xu Shenghua, Lan Yutian, and the rest are doing these."

Qin Mu gave it some thought and said, "Even for them, they would need ten to twenty years to be able to measure all of the Jade Pavilion of the Heavenly Gate and the God Execution Stage of the Nine Hells Stage. However, as long as they do, the cultivation system of the celestial palace will have a huge change!"

Tian Shu had a grim expression. "It's more than a huge change? It's simply a world-shaking change! Dao Realm and Celestial Palace Realm becoming one, this is really, really..."

He couldn't find a word to describe it.

Butcher said, "When the Dao Realm and the celestial palace combine, it's equivalent to having Founding Emperor's Dao, as well as Celestial Venerable Hao's power."

Qin Mu pondered and said, "It should be slightly stronger. After all, there's an additional Nine Hells Stage, and the Ancestral Court's Jade Capital is said to be incomparably dangerous. Back then, even the Grand Emperor and Celestial Emperor Tai Chu almost couldn't escape unscathed. I reckon the real Jade Capital will have a huge change in the original Jade Capital Realm."

Luo Wushuang's heart trembled violently. "What you mean is that after the Dao Realm and the cultivation system of the celestial palace merge, they will be much stronger than Founding Emperor and Celestial Venerable Hao?"

Qin Mu sighed ruefully. "How much stronger? He's not much inferior to me! Of course, he's still slightly inferior, but it's already extremely remarkable."

Everyone didn't hear the second half of his sentence at all. They only heard the first half, and the shock in their hearts was incomparable.

"At that time, it will be the final cultivation system, right?"

Zhe Huali muttered, "The cultivation system is so perfect that it can't be improved. It's both a good thing and a bad thing... I'm afraid there won't be any reformers like us in the future."

"Where is the ultimate cultivation system?"

Qin Mu shook his head and said, "Have you developed the Xiantian Realm of Five Great Realms? Have you developed the cultivation system of Postcelestial Great Daos? After achieving Dao, is there still room for improvement? How do I cultivate the Dao Tree, Dao Flower, and Dao Fruit? These are all unknown. Furthermore..."

He said leisurely, "The people of the future will be different from us. We are slowly exploring and investigating the marvels of the path. What we are investigating now might only be basic knowledge to the people of the future. They will continue to change on our foundation. Maybe the future cultivation system will be completely different from today."

Butcher nodded his head and said, "If it was thirty years ago, I wouldn't have thought about the drastic changes in the current cultivation system."

Everyone nodded.

Thirty years ago, who would have thought of the Celestial River Realm? Who would have thought of combining the seven great divine treasures into one? Who would have thought of the system of Dao Realm? Who would have thought of the Four Heavenly Gates and the Nine Hells Stage?

And now, they had all emerged.

They, the reformers, could see further. In the future, they would reach the five great realms and the Dao Tree, Dao Flower, and Dao Fruits, waiting for them to discover them. There were also all kinds of Postcelestial Dao that required generations of evolution.

On the ship, Butcher was grinding his Heaven Knife while Tian Shu stared at the wine jar in Zhe Huali's hand. Zhe Huali was holding the wine jar to feed his Devil Blade Dragon Tooth while Luo Wushuang was pacing on the deck. Every step he took was precise and blurry.

Qin Mu stood at the bow of the ship to control the direction and looked at the approaching Xuandu.

Xuandu was like the sky. It looked like a ball that was fastened to the thousands of worlds in the heavens, but in reality, there were a lot of different worlds and spaces that were crisscrossed and complicated. It wasn't a real ball.

In any world, one could look up and see Xuandu. If one had enough patience, strength, and lifespan, they could fly to Xuandu.

Heaven Duke of Xuandu could see any world with his gaze. It was very similar to Qin Mu's divine treasure realm.

Heaven Duke was like a four-faced god in Xuandu, and his back couldn't be seen.

He only had one shadow, and that was his feet. That was Heavenly Yin. The Heavenly Yin Sea of Heavenly Yin World also looked like the shape of his feet.

Dozens of days later, the fast ship arrived at Xuandu. They saw the huge ship of the Celestial River Navy floating on the river surface of the Celestial River. It was majestic, and its face stretched for hundreds of thousands of miles.

Not only were there big ships, but there were also small ships. Of course, the small ones were only for the ships of the celestial heavens. If these small ships were placed in the mortal world, they would also be huge ships.

Countless gods and devils stood on the ships, while some dove into the celestial river to hunt down the enemies.

The battle at the bottom of the river was extremely intense, and there were gulps of blood on the surface of the water from time to time. The star sovereigns stationed in Xuandu had led the rebel army into the celestial river in an attempt to ambush the Celestial River Navy.

However, the Celestial River Navy had many water gods and dragon gods, so how could they succeed?

On the frontlines, huge suns were pushed over by the rebel army. On the suns, majestic god cities floated on the surface of the suns. On them, Xuandu's Sun Guardian controlled a huge fire, waving a flag to ignite the Sun Fire to burn the Celestial River Navy.

Qin Mu and the rest drove the small boats away from the celestial river and avoided the battlefield. The flames of war raged in Xuandu, and tens of thousands of moon guardians in Xuandu drove bright planets to rush into the battlefield.

The Moon Guardian was mostly a woman who worked with the Sun Guardian. The moon guided light from the sun and transformed it into rays of death light.

There were also numerous star sovereigns controlling numerous stars, and there were divine cities in between the stars. Between the stars and the stars, there was starlight that connected them together. They mobilized the power of the stars and rushed to the battlefield.

Chains of light burst forth from the stars, suns, and moons, clashing fiercely with the Celestial River Navy.

The cannon rays and divine weapons pouring out from the Celestial River Navy's ship collided with the sun, moon, and stars of the rebel army in Xuandu. It was a magnificent sight that was unforgettable.

Qin Mu and the rest came to Xuandu, and there were huge star fragments streaking past their ship. They were the ashes of the shattered sun. There were many of them, and the further they went, the more there were.

Between the fragments, there were also corpses of huge gods and devils floating quietly in the starry sky.

It was the corpse of the Sun Guardian that had died in battle.

The Sun Guardian, Moon Guardian, and Star Sovereign of Xuandu were originally priests in charge of the operations of the sun, moon, and stars in the thousands of worlds. On the surface, they listened to the orders of the celestial heavens, but they were actually supporters of Xuandu Heaven Duke.

Heaven Duke controlled the operation of the stars in the thousands of worlds, and the sun and moon operated. Naturally, there were countless fanatical followers.

On the surface, the celestial heavens' power was the greatest, but in reality, the ancient gods that ruled over an area each had their own huge power.

The reason why the celestial heavens didn't touch these ancient gods was because the power they controlled was also a force that couldn't be underestimated.

The reason why the rulers of the heavens and myriad worlds had to participate in the Heaven Alliance Meeting was because Xuandu Heaven Duke had his own power in all of the worlds.

Qin Mu and the rest retracted their gazes. Here, they could feel the aura of the Heavenly Dao.

Heavenly Dao was originally something that couldn't be easily felt. It required extremely high cultivation in the Dao Realm to be able to feel the circulation of the Heavenly Dao. Now, the Heavenly Dao of Xuandu was so dense that anyone who entered Xuandu could easily feel it!

"Xuandu should have also sensed that the situation was bad, which is why the Heavenly Dao is so strong, blessing these people guarding Heaven Duke."

Butcher felt the power of the Heavenly Dao surging over and filling his corporeal body, filling it with incomparably strong power. He said solemnly, "The Heavenly Dao can't attack directly, and the Great Dao has no power. The ones with power are the divine arts and those who have mastered them, so the Heavenly Dao is supporting us."

Tian Shu and the rest also felt the blessing of the Heavenly Dao. The Great Dao was formless, but when it poured into their bodies, all kinds of apparitions appeared, transforming into the forms of the forty-nine Heavenly Dao treasures to protect their corporeal bodies and primordial spirits.

Qin Mu's understanding of the Heavenly Dao was the deepest, and he immediately caught the fluctuations of the Xuandu Heavenly Dao. He said solemnly, "Let's go to Tianfang City!"

## Chapter 1437: Father Of Di Yiyue

Tianfang City was one of the 49 god cities in Xuandu. A huge amount of power was gathered there, and the aura of the Heavenly Dao was the strongest.

When they arrived at Tianfang City, they saw that the entire god city was supported by the Heavenly Dao. It was so dense that it became corporeal. Countless Sun Guardians, Moon Guardians, and Star Sovereigns were gathered there.

The god city was surrounded by thousands of suns, moons, stars, and stars. It was as if it was floating in the center of a vast galaxy. Its light was dazzling and resplendent, and one could hardly look straight at it!

At that moment, Great Sun Sovereign Dan Fenglai, who was under Ancestral God King, was leading Ancestral God King's army to attack Heaven Square City. Countless golden crows dragged the suns, and countless flaming crows flew out from the suns to attack Heaven Square City.

However, in the face of the celestial fort-like arrangements, Dan Fenglai was unable to break in.

Dan Fenglai had once been in charge of measuring Heaven Duke in Xuandu. However, Heaven Duke had indulged Mother Earth and swept away all the power that the celestial heavens had left in Xuandu. The millions of gods and devils under his personal guard had all died at Mother Earth's hands. The army he controlled now was a newly formed army. The Golden Crow Divine Clan that had been conscripted from the thousands of worlds in the heavens couldn't be compared to his original personal guards.

He was an existence on Emperor's Throne Realm, so he took the lead and rushed forward.

When Qin Mu and the rest arrived, the battle was at its most intense. Just as the phoenixes were about to enter the god city, the Heavenly Dao in the city



suddenly trembled. The Sun Guardian, Moon Guardian, and Star Sovereigns shouted in unison, and their magic power connected. The Heavenly Dao in the sky condensed and transformed into a heavenly seal that crashed down!

Before the Heaven Mudra could land completely, the corners of Dan Fenglai's eyes twitched violently. His body seemed to be bound by the chains of the Heavenly Dao, and he couldn't move at all. Boundless pressure pressed down from above, and before the Heaven Mudra could reach his head, his bones crackled, and his skin exploded. God's blood rose!

Dan Fenglai cried out repeatedly, and he suddenly transformed into a fire phoenix. Three celestial palaces rushed into the sky, and the magic power of his primordial spirit was fully unleashed. He dragged the refined divine suns to meet the Heaven Mudra, and the nine divine suns smashed into the Heaven Mudra like nine stars in a row. The violent explosion carried the Heaven Mudra, and the fire phoenix flapped its wings and left.

Boom!

The Heaven Mudra crushed the nine divine suns and landed with a loud bang. Broken limbs instantly flew everywhere on the battlefield. Countless divine weapons under Dan Fenglai's command had their corporeal bodies and primordial spirits shattered. Countless limbs flew in the air and were blown into ashes by the blazing hurricane!

This terrifying shockwave rushed to the front of Qin Mu and the rest, causing their bodies to become unstable. Even the flying ship couldn't get close to Heaven Square City.

After the impact formed by the Heaven Mudra, a Heaven Well suddenly appeared on the battlefield. The Heaven Well was different from the ordinary wells. The top of the well was connected to the sky, and the bottom was connected to the ground. The body of the well was like that of a dragon.

When Tian Jing appeared on the battlefield, the entire well was like a monster that could swallow everything. It sucked in the breath of the army of Dan Fenglai, and countless divine soldiers and divine generals danced in the air. They wanted to grab onto something, but they couldn't do so. They were all sucked into the well and turned into ashes.

"Isn't the power of Heavenly Dao too strong?" Tian Shu muttered.

Dan Fenglai had suffered a defeat, so he immediately cried out for his troops to retreat frantically. Countless majestic Sun Guardians of Tianfang City rushed out and chased after him.

Qin Mu waited outside the battlefield for a moment, and the fast ship started to sail towards Heaven Square City.

The guards of Tianfang City felt the aura of the Heavenly Dao coming from their bodies and didn't stop them. They opened the city gate and let them enter.

Just as they reached the city, someone shouted, "Shoot the miniman, shoot the miniman!"

Qin Mu looked towards the source of the voice and saw that the naughty children should be the children of Xuandu's Sun Guardian and Moon Guardian. They were carrying bows and arrows and shooting arrows at the straw men.

One of them was Ancestral God King, another was Celestial Venerable Huo, and the last was Qin Mu.

One of the children shot a few arrows and cried out in joy, "I shot Qin Mu and Qin Mu!"

"I also shot it!"

The other children who didn't hit Herb King Qin went forward and spat at him.

Qin Mu was silent and touched the black cloth on his face.

Butcher came to his side and patted his shoulder. "Not everyone can understand your actions."

"I know, it's just a child. What's there to be afraid of?"

Qin Mu sneered and walked towards the city. "Have I not carried enough infamy? I don't care about that."

Butcher looked at his back and shook his head before following him.

Tian Shu pulled off his black scarf and said, "I might know the leader of Xuandu who is guarding Tian Fang City. He's most likely Di Yiyue's father, Di

Qing, and it's said that he's the descendant of Heaven Duke. During Founding Emperor Era, he was the Sun Guardian of the Primordial Realm and helped Founding Emperor in the name of Heaven Duke. After Di Yiyue was born, he revealed astonishing aptitude and entrusted Di Yiyue to Founding Emperor. One of you is Celestial Venerable Mu, two of you are the Spirit Elite Guards of the celestial heavens, and the other is the teacher of Celestial Venerable Mu. It's inconvenient for both of you to show your faces. I'm old with him, follow me to meet him."

Everyone acknowledged and followed after him.

"I heard that the relationship between Di Qing and Di Yiyue isn't good," Luo Wushuang suddenly said.

Tian Shu said, "It's all in the past. Di Yiyue's mother is a human, and Di Qing is a god with the bloodline of Heaven Duke. After her mother got pregnant, she was abandoned by Di Qing. After she gave birth to Di Yiyue, the two of them relied on each other for survival, but her mother had a bitter life and died from illness. Di Yiyue met Di Qing by accident, and Di Qing recognized that it was her child, so she took her in. She then felt that having a child with a human was her own stain, so she gave it to Founding Emperor. She originally planned to be Founding Emperor's child bride..."

He was one of the heavenly kings under Founding Emperor, and when he came to find Di Qing, it instantly caused a commotion. His arrival represented Founding Emperor's attitude, and Di Qing hurriedly led the guards of Tian Fang City to meet in the future.

"After Founding Emperor saw Di Yiyue's aptitude, he was astonished, so he sent her to various places to seek knowledge. Because of this, Di Yiyue hated Di Qing to the bone and never spoke to him. When Founding Emperor Calamity erupted, Di Qing abandoned Founding Emperor and left, making Di Yiyue despise him even more..."

When Tian Shu saw Di Qing and the rest coming over, he immediately stopped talking and laughed loudly. "Brother Di Qing, how long has it been since we last met!"

Di Qing was tall and sturdy, with white hair and silver eyes, and he had the peculiarity of Heaven Duke. He laughed and said, "Founding Emperor didn't forget our past friendship. I'm relieved to have you here!"

The two of them hugged each other tightly, and Di Qing said with a smile, "Today, Dao is flourishing and guarding Xuandu. Even if you don't come, the celestial heavens won't be able to do anything to Xuandu! It's good that you're here, I can give you some credit!" After saying that, he laughed loudly again.

Qin Mu and the rest frowned and didn't say anything.

Tian Shu's expression changed, and he said solemnly, "On the way, I saw the four god artifacts being transported over. Other than the four god artifacts, there are also the god artifacts, Celestial Venerable Yu, and the Dao Fire Ancestral Land. Tian Fang City won't be able to hold on! Furthermore, six of the ten Celestial Venerables have also rushed over. In front of Celestial Venerables, Tian Fang City is like a chicken that can be easily broken!"

"What nonsense."

Di Qing shook his head and said, "Tian Shu, are you here to help, or are you here to mislead the masses? My Tian Fang City is supported by the Heavenly Dao and is unbreakable. Even the ten Celestial Venerables can't break through this Heavenly Dao Divine City! You and I are old, so I won't pursue this matter. Is my daughter here?"

Tian Shu shook his head.

Di Qing sneered, "He's also a heartless person."

## **Chapter 1438: Let Bygones Be Bygones**

"Di Qing is a typical half-god."

Tian Shu's consciousness rippled, and he whispered to Qin Mu, "In the past, many half-gods had this kind of thinking. They were arrogant and looked down on everyone. Back then, when the half-gods of Founding Emperor Era's Heaven Duke Ming Xuandu came to help us, we also endured the weird temper of him and the other Xuandu gods."

Qin Mu understood this feeling very well.

Before the start of the Dragon Han Era, the half-gods had treated the other Postcelestial races as food. When it came to the Dragon Han Era, the

hierarchy was strict. As a race that was only inferior to the ancient gods, the half-gods were even more superior. Furthermore, they were born to be superior and had a natural sense of superiority to the people of the lower class.

Di Qing should have been a half-god born after Ancestral God King, which resulted in his temperament.

He examined Di Qing, and he could see the shadow of Heaven Duke from his body. There were few similarities between Di Qing and Di Yiyue, only their lips and noses were similar.

Di Qing's gaze swept over Qin Mu and the rest. Seeing that the four of them had their faces covered, he couldn't help frowning.

Tian Shu smiled. "The identities of these four brothers are special, they can't show their faces."

"If it was during normal times, they would definitely be treated as enemies if they entered Xuandu while wearing masks. Now that the Heavenly Dao has come to differentiate between friend and foe, these four should be friends," Di Qing said with a smile.

Qin Mu looked around and saw numerous children of half-gods running around in the city. He frowned and said, "Di Qing, why are there still women and children in Tianfang City? You guys should send the children to the Primordial Realm immediately. Tianfang City can't handle it at all. Leaving women and children behind is just suicide!"

"It's impossible for Heaven Square City to be broken through. The army of gods and devils of the celestial heavens can't even reach the city gate."

Di Qing frowned and said, "The more people that gather in the city, the stronger the Heavenly Dao will be. If children, women, and children remain in the city, it will strengthen the power of the Heavenly Dao even more! You don't understand the direction of the Heavenly Dao, so I won't hold it against you. However, next time, don't speak nonsense and mess up my morale. Otherwise, don't blame me for being ruthless."

He looked at Tian Shu, and his face sank. "Mingdu Heavenly King, it's good that you are here to assist, but you better restrain your friends and not mess up my morale."

Tian Shu secretly tugged on Qin Mu's clothes and laughed. "Don't worry, don't worry, we won't spout nonsense. We are still waiting for you to give us the credit. However, is it really useful for women and children to gather in the city?"

The solemn expression on Di Qing's face vanished, and he said with a smile, "This is the marvel of the Xuandu Heavenly Dao. The present is different from the past. Now that the Heavenly Dao is protecting Xuandu, the more lives there are gathered, the stronger the Heavenly Dao becomes. The reason why the Heavenly Dao of our Tianfang City is so powerful is because there are many gods and devils gathered here. However, there are very few gods and devils, so the people of Xuandu have to gather here."

He looked at Qin Mu and the rest and said, "Those that can live in Xuandu are all half-gods. There are divine kingdoms everywhere here, and there are no Postcelestial lifeforms like humans."

Tian Shu smiled apologetically. "Yes, Postcelestial lifeforms like us humans aren't fit to live in Xuandu. You said it before."

Di Qing hurriedly said, "That's not what I meant. However, to ensure the purity of Xuandu's bloodline, the lifeforms after the beginning are forbidden from entering Xuandu. It's not that I'm discriminating against you guys. Now, even though there are many half-gods in Tianfang City, there aren't enough of them. Therefore, I ordered the Sun Guardian, Moon Guardian, and Star Sovereigns of all places to migrate even more half-gods from the heavens to guard the heavens together and strengthen the power of the Heavenly Dao!"

Tian Shu was dumbfounded. Qin Mu, Butcher, and the rest also frowned.

Di Qing laughed and said, "When that time comes, Tian Fang City will become the fortress that will subdue Celestial Venerable and make him beheaded!"

He was hundred times more confident and in high spirits. "Back then, Heaven Duke ordered us to come down to the lower bound to support you humans and the other Postcelestial races. Actually, I was always unhappy. Without the power of your Postcelestial races, just the power of my Xuandu is enough to look down on the heavens and be on equal footing with the celestial heavens! Back then, I was also very happy that Heavenly King could come to support us."

Qin Mu was silent for a moment before saying, "Di Qing, are you really not going to consider moving these women and children away? If Tian Fang City is destroyed, these lives..."

Di Qing flew into a rage, and his expression changed. He shouted to his left and right, "Bring this person who's messing with our morale to the city tower and behead him!"

Tian Shu immediately hugged him and said with an apologetic smile, "Calm down, calm down! We are here to help at any rate, how can we kill allied soldiers as a sacrifice?"

Di Qing snorted and struggled free from him. He said indifferently, "My Xuandu is strong, and we also have the protection of the Heavenly Dao. The Heavenly Dao has formed a supreme treasure to protect God City, so there's no need for you guys to assist us. The four to five of you have your faces covered, and you don't dare to show your true faces. You guys are neither male nor female, just watch! Heavenly King, don't worry, if you win, I'll give you some credit."

Suddenly, the sound of war drums rang out as Di Qing led everyone away in a hurry.

Butcher sighed and said bleakly, "We came full of enthusiasm and didn't get scared by the enemies. Instead, we got doused by the generals of Xuandu."

"Heaven Knife, calm down. Di Qing has actually helped Founding Emperor Era a lot. Founding Emperor's official position of Sun Guardian and Moon Guardian in the various heavens is actually to learn the system of Xuandu."

Tian Shu was also helpless against Di Qing, and he said, "However, when they came to help us back then, we had to do all the hard work ourselves. They only gave us pointers, and they still had to lord over us. Founding Emperor was also very tolerant, but he couldn't take it anymore. In a fit of anger, Di Qing led all the half-gods back to Xuandu, saying that without their help, your Founding Emperor Empire would never be able to develop into a strong country of the Primordial Realm."

He smiled faintly. "After a few hundred years, Founding Emperor Empire became the overlord of the Primordial Realm in one leap, and Heaven Duke sent him over again. However, his temper hasn't changed, and he's very proud of the Founding Emperor Celestial Heavens. Even though he's

arrogant, his heart isn't bad, and his abilities are extremely strong. He has comprehended the Heavenly Dao all his life, and he has comprehended three to five different Heaven Dao Emperor's Throne techniques. The Heavenly Dao here is so prosperous, so he might really be able to block the Celestial Venerables."

Qin Mu shook his head and said, "If the Heavenly Dao is really that strong, why would Heaven Duke need to become Celestial Venerable Hong and personally provoke this murderous calamity against Heaven Duke and Xuandu?"

When Tian Shu, Butcher, and the rest heard this, their hair stood on end as they looked at him in fear.

Qin Mu sighed. "Heaven Duke can't wait to break free from the restraints of the Heavenly Dao, and Celestial Venerable Hong is his reincarnation. For this purpose, Celestial Venerable Hong didn't hesitate to sacrifice Heaven Duke, the Heavenly Dao, and everything in Xuandu, including the half-gods here, the women, children, and even his descendants! The one in the Heaven-Breaking City will definitely be Celestial Venerable Hong."

Zhe Huali said bitterly, "So it was Heaven Duke who hit Heaven Duke in the end. Hehe, Celestial Venerable Mu, why do we have to sacrifice our lives to save Heaven Duke?"

He was incomparably resentful, and he gritted his teeth. His voice burst out from the gaps between his teeth. "The reason why we came, and the reason why you brought it up, was because we felt that Heaven Duke had to be saved. Saving Heaven Duke means saving Eternal Peace! Even if we die in Xuandu, it would be a worthy death! We didn't expect Heaven Duke to be playing house alone! Let him die!"

Tian Shu and Luo Wushuang were silent.

Butcher wanted to say something but stopped himself. Instead, he sighed.

"Celestial Venerable Hong is Heaven Duke, but he isn't."

Qin Mu said, "Celestial Venerable Hong is only the reincarnation of Heaven Duke's soul, and he has already become one of the ten Celestial Venerables. However, Heaven Duke isn't Celestial Venerable Hong. Heaven Duke has the heart of the Heavenly Dao, but Celestial Venerable Hong doesn't. What we



need to save is Heaven Duke, who has the heart of the Heavenly Dao. If we save him, we will be saving Eternal Peace! Zhe Huali, we were enemies in the past, and you aren't from Eternal Peace. This trip will be dangerous, and I have also lied to you earlier, not telling you about Celestial Venerable Hong's identity. If you want to leave, I won't stop you."

Zhe Huali panted heavily and stared fiercely at him. The demon knife and dragon tooth also stared fiercely at Qin Mu.

Zhe Huali turned around, and his clothes fluttered in the wind. He raised a huge gust of wind and walked out.

As he walked, his footsteps gradually slowed down. After a moment, he stopped and sat on a stone block by the side of the road. With one foot on the stone block, he turned his head and raised his chin. "You really don't want to keep me?"

Qin Mu revealed a smile.

Zhe Huali jumped off the stone block and ran back.

"I'm from Eternal Peace, half-human, half-demon, half-demon, half-demon."

Zhe Huali revealed a smile and chuckled. "I'm no longer a member of the celestial heavens. In the celestial heavens, in the heavens I was born in, I'm a bastard. In Eternal Peace, I have finally found the dignity of a human. Cult Master Qin, Celestial Venerable Mu, Eternal Peace is not your Eternal Peace. Eternal Peace also has a part of me, Fiend Blade Zhe Huali!"

Qin Mu laughed loudly and raised his palm.

Pa, the palms of the two people clasped heavily in the air.

"I have a share too." Butcher stretched out his hand to cover them with a smile.

"Eternal Peace also has me."

Luo Wushuang covered their hands with his and added, "I've offended two great Celestial Venerables and have nowhere to go. Only Eternal Peace can take me in."

Tian Shu also stretched his hand out and said with a smile, "Even though I'm not from your Eternal Peace Empire, I'm still considered half of it. When I was trapped in Imperial Gate Divine Knife, the west of Imperial Gate was Great Ruins, and the east was Eternal Peace, so I'm considered half."

The five of them laughed loudly and let bygones be bygones.

## **Chapter 1439: Kind-looking Celestial Venerable Hong**

Di Qing won another battle, and this battle was won even more easily.

It was the army under Celestial Venerable Lang's command that had attacked the city in a grandiose manner. They were defeated by Celestial Venerable Lang and killed tens of thousands of gods and devils.

Celestial Venerable Lang's eldest disciple had been instigated by Qin Mu to rebel, and he didn't know where he had escaped to. The disciples under Celestial Venerable Lang had also suffered heavy casualties from Qin Mu's attacks, so compared to the other Celestial Venerables, the power under his command was much weaker.

However, he was still the leader of the half-gods, and the half-gods of all worlds respected him as the god emperor. Therefore, there were many strong practitioners from the half-gods and other races in his army. However, this was an army that had gathered in a hurry, a motley crew.

In front of Heaven Square City, the army of God Emperor Lang Xuan suffered heavy casualties. The heavenly drums outside the city shook, and the battle power of the soldiers of Heaven Square City increased tremendously. They attacked the enemy's formation, but their souls were activated. The gods and devils with low cultivation couldn't withstand it at all, and their souls cracked, causing them to die.

The victory of this battle was incomparably easy. When Di Qing returned from his victory, he laughed loudly and was in high spirits. He waved his hand and said, "This credit shall be recorded by Mingdu Heavenly King, and it shall be his! Men, set up a celebration banquet. Heavenly King and I will welcome you and celebrate this great merit!"

Tian Shu couldn't reject and could only let him be.

After more than ten days, the Celestial River Navy cleaned up the surrounding galaxies and finally came to the front of Tian Fang City. There were millions of soldiers waiting to pounce on them.

Di Qing didn't take it to heart at all, because in the past ten days, there were already stars that had been migrated to the vicinity of Tian Fang City.

The territory of Heaven Square City was vast, and it was filled with stars of all sizes. These stars were all planets with life, and on them lived the people of the various half-gods and billions of lives!

After these stars were relocated, the Heavenly Dao of Celestial Square City was so dense that the Heavenly Dao floating above the city was no longer as simple as taking human form. It had become corporeal!

In just over ten days, the Heavenly Bell, Heavenly Fire, Heavenly Thunder, Heavenly Light, Heavenly Plate, Heavenly Well, Heavenly Drum, Heavenly Venerate, Heavenly Chou, and the rest of the Heavenly Dao weapons materialized. The majesty of the Heavenly Dao suppressed all directions, and even the army of the celestial heavens was suppressed by the power of the Heavenly Dao!

Not only that, even more Xuandu stars were migrating over, and the other Dao weapons of the Heavenly Dao were also continuously forming. Out of the forty-nine Heavenly Dao, only the outline of the heavens had yet to be formed.

If the outline of the heavens was formed, all forty-nine Heavenly Dao weapons would be gathered. This was definitely a great power!

The gods and devils in the city also felt the blessing of the Heavenly Dao, which made their magic power even denser and stronger. No matter if it was divine arts or divine weapons, their power had increased by a huge margin!

Qin Mu, Butcher, and the rest also felt that the power of the Heavenly Dao made their abilities stronger, and their Dao hearts became more clear. However, the more it was like this, the more worried they became.

There were too many lifeforms and gods of Xuandu gathered in Tian Fang City, and the stars were already filled with people. The more they gathered here, the more dangerous it was!

When the Celestial Venerable made his move, these lives would probably be turned into powder!

Outside the city, even more armies of the celestial heavens were pouring in, surrounding the Outlander Divine City so tightly that not even a drop of water could trickle through.

The army of the celestial heavens brought the four deities divine weapons and attacked a few more times. However, even the four deities divine weapons were defeated in front of Tian Fang City.

The first heavenly master, Shang Pinying, the second heavenly master, Meng Yungui, and the rest mobilized their armies in an attempt to take down Tian Fang City. However, they also suffered heavy casualties and couldn't defeat the power of the Heavenly Dao Dao weapons.

Green Deity of the Eastern Sky, White Deity of the Western Heaven, and the other gods led their troops to attack, but they were also defeated. White Deity and Green Deity were even heavily injured.

The five emperors of the celestial heavens also mobilized, and the ten guards of the celestial heavens rushed over. They lined up their formations to fight, but they couldn't break through the walls of Celestial Square City. They couldn't even get close to the city gate!

These few days, Di Qing won dozens of rounds consecutively, unable to contain his joy.

It was just that today, Fang City was trapped, and there were no more heavens of Xuandu migrating over. The final Dao Weapon Heavenly Principle couldn't be formed, which made him slightly regretful.

"The Dao weapons of the Heavenly Dao are famous throughout the world in this battle. If all forty-nine of them come out at once, killing a Celestial Venerable won't be a problem!" he said to Qin Mu and the rest.

Outside the city, a green bird suddenly flapped its wings and flew into the camp of the celestial heavens.

"Welcome, Celestial Venerable Hong!"

The various generals of the celestial heavens went forward to welcome him and kowtowed one after another, begging for forgiveness. "We are incompetent and have been trapped here by Tian Fang City. We have never been able to break through the city and eradicate the rebels! Celestial Venerable, please punish us!"

Celestial Venerable Hong chuckled. "It's just a small matter, there's no need to beg for forgiveness. Let me take a look at the scene on the other side."

He came to the front of the formation and examined Heaven Square City. He then looked at the forty-eight Heavenly Dao Dao weapons floating above the city and listened to the Dao sound of the Heavenly Dao. He said with a smile, "What a good treasure. Ancestral God King refined the treasure of the Heavenly Dao and combined it with the 49 Heavenly Dao treasures to create a Heavenly Dao treasure that has countless changes. It's a pity that it was shattered by the Grand Emperor. Even though he refined another set, how could the treasure of the Heavenly Dao that he refined be compared to the Dao weapon that the Heavenly Dao transformed into? Even Heaven Duke couldn't refine a good treasure. Only in such a life and death situation could such a precious treasure be formed. It's enviable."

None of the generals dared to say anything.

Celestial Venerable Hong asked, "Have the other Celestial Venerables arrived?"

The generals all shook their heads and said, "Not yet."

"I was hindered by Celestial Venerable Yue who betrayed the Heaven Alliance, so I was delayed for a period of time. I thought I was late, but I didn't expect to be the first to come here."

Celestial Venerable Hong's face was radiant, and his face was glowing. He said with a smile, "Retreat a portion of your troops first. Open up an opening and let the people of Xuandu enter Heaven Square City. When his Dao weapon of Heavenly Dao matures, I'll break his."

He was a well-known good person among the ten Celestial Venerables. He didn't scold the generals, nor did he kill a few defeated generals. This made everyone sigh in relief.

However, Celestial Venerable Hong wanted them to open up a hole and let the rebel army of Xuandu gather. It was hard for them to understand why the Heavenly Dao Soldiers would form.

"Celestial Venerable must have taken a fancy to these forty-nine Heavenly Dao weapons. He even said that even Heaven Duke couldn't refine them."

Meng Yungui said to Shang Pingyin, "If this Dao weapon is formed, it will probably be the combination of the 49 Heavenly Dao weapons, and its power will be boundless. Celestial Venerable Hong has never liked to fight with people, so can he break through these Dao weapons?"

Shang Pingyin said, "Celestial Venerable Hong is unfathomable, not something we can fathom."

Meanwhile, in the Outlander God City, Di Qing had been waiting for a long time, but Celestial Venerable Hong still hadn't come to attack. Instead, the celestial heavens' camp had opened up a gap, seemingly to allow the people in the city to escape. He was relieved and said with a smile, "Celestial Venerable Hong, the incompetent ones among the ten Celestial Venerables didn't dare to fight with Tian Fang City, so they made an opening to let us escape and scatter our forces. However, I chose to do the opposite and let more people in!"

More troops and people from Xuandu migrated over. After another ten days, Celestial Venerable Hong still didn't come to attack, and the Dao weapons of the Heavenly Dao were finally formed.

In Heaven Square City, the Dao might of the Heavenly Dao flourished, and the heavenly might was vast and mighty. The rules of the Heavenly Dao made all the gods, devils, and ordinary people in the city 100 times more spirited and confident!

Qin Mu gathered Tian Shu, Butcher, and the rest and said, "Celestial Venerable Hong is going to make a move. He doesn't know we are in the city. We will only break one of his arms in this battle and take away the Dao weapon of the Heavenly Dao."

"What about the mortals in the city?" Zhe Huali asked.

Qin Mu was silent for a moment before shaking his head. "Save our lives first, the rest..."

The corners of his eyes twitched. "We'll talk about it in the future!"

Suddenly, violent tremors came from outside the city, and ten thousand Dao cried out in unison. Qin Mu and the rest hurriedly raised their heads to look, and they saw a huge face with white eyebrows and white beard rising up to block the sky in front of Heaven Square City and the stars around it!

His face was so huge that the suns orbiting Tian Fang City and the stars orbiting them were as tiny as dust.

It was Celestial Venerable Hong's face. He had white eyebrows, white beard, and a kind face.

Yet at this moment, this kind-looking Celestial Venerable Hong stretched out his hand and smacked towards the city!

Di Qing roared furiously and rose into the sky. He shouted, "Celestial Venerable Hong, Old Man Hong, you finally made your move! It's time for you to witness how terrifying the power of the Heavenly Dao is! Children, activate the Heavenly Dao Dao Dao weapons!"

In the sky above Tianfang City, the power of the Heavenly Dao Dao weapons was activated, and the power of the Heavenly Dao was unleashed to its maximum, blasting towards Celestial Venerable Hong's face!

Celestial Venerable Hong revealed a smile that made people feel as though they were bathing in the spring breeze. Behind his head, a loud and resonant Dao voice rang out as though there were thousands of Dao revolving around him. A huge halo appeared behind his head, and numerous halos appeared to form a huge celestial heavens that shone with billions of light.

Before the Heaven Dao weapons could reach his face, their power was erased by the power of the celestial heavens.

Bang.

A planet exploded, and countless lifeforms of Xuandu escaped while crying. However, in the next moment, they turned into powder along with the planet.

Bang, bang, bang!

The planets around Celestial Venerable Hong were all annihilated in front of his hand. Before his hand could land, the sun had already been extinguished, and the moon split open before shattering into pieces.

Heaven Square City shook, and the impregnable city walls collapsed one after another, turning the buildings into fine powder.

Tonight, there were close to three thousand words in these two chapters. He had written too much, but he couldn't stop. He couldn't forcefully divide them into two thousand words because if he did, the charm wouldn't exist anymore.

## **Chapter 1440: Heavenly Fiend Slaying Heavenly Strength**

Only fear was left on Di Qing's face. He raised his head to look at the indescribable huge hand pressing down on the Dao weapons of the Heavenly Dao, pressing down on Tianfang City.

In Tianfang City, no matter if it was Sun Guardian, Moon Guardian, or Star Sovereign, the people, women, or children in the city, they could only raise their heads in a daze to look at this palm that covered the sky.

The palm was getting closer to them, and the sight it created was like the end of the world. It caused the ground of Tian Fang City to continuously split apart, and houses collapsed. All lives turned into powder under the immense pressure.

This indestructible god city had already cracked under this immense power, like shattered porcelain.

This power was peerlessly powerful. Even though it was a heaven overflowing power that gave people a feeling that the Great Dao was an unrivaled force, this power was so exquisite that it was like the spring wind and rain. It accurately grasped the weakness of every Heavenly Dao Dao weapon and suppressed them one by one.

When did the celestial heavens understand the Heavenly Dao so well?



The celestial heavens didn't have a perfect measurement of Heaven Duke's corporeal body. Without perfect algebra runes, even the son of Heaven Duke, Ancestral God King, couldn't grasp all the secrets of the Heavenly Dao!

Di Qing was terrified. Who was this Celestial Venerable Hong?

Even though Celestial Venerable Hong had the most dense magic power in the world, it was impossible for him to accurately grasp the weakness of the Heavenly Dao Dao weapons and defeat them easily!

"Di Qing! Bring them away!"

Someone shouted at him, "Protect the roots of Xuandu and send them away!"

Di Qing looked at the person who had spoken in a daze. He saw the primordial spirits of two to three hundred Sun Guardians appearing to protect numerous citizens of Tian Fang City, resisting the immense pressure from above.

"What are you standing there for?"

Those sun guardians vomited blood from the pressure and shouted, "Send them away!"

The citizens of Tian Fang City were terrified and uneasy. They looked at him with fear and anticipation. Di Qing opened her mouth, but she didn't say anything.

Go?

Where to?

If Celestial Venerable Hong made a move, where could they escape to?

One of the primordial spirits of the Sun Guardian exploded, and flames blazed on his body. Soon, he was burned to ashes. Even more of the Sun Guardians vomited blood and burned their primordial spirits, but they still endured the pressure.

Di Qing finally came back to his senses and rushed down from the sky, rushing towards those Sun Guardians that couldn't hold on any longer.

"Do you feel the baleful aura?"

On the way there, Di Qing suddenly saw Tian Shu and the four masked men passing by him. The five of them ignored him and used a strange footwork to rush into the sky to meet the descending hand.

They didn't take Tian Shu, the Mingdu Heavenly King, as their leader. On the contrary, they took the masked young man who had gone against Di Qing as their leader. A unique domain had already formed around the young man. The vast ancestral court burst forth, and the four poles of heaven appeared. Layers of celestial palaces formed the celestial heavens!

When Di Qing passed by them, he saw majestic mountains and rivers rising from the ancestral court. Xuandu rose, and Youdu sank. The Primordial Tree joints in the Primordial Realm rose, propping up the heavens and myriad worlds. It was dazzling.

The one who spoke was also that young man. Celestial Venerable Hong had made a move and caused countless people to die in Xuandu. When these people died, the baleful aura they gave off was incomparably intense.

The planets around Tian Fang City were destroyed, and the grievances of the people who died on the planets merged with Xuandu's Heavenly Dao, forming a Heavenly Dao that wasn't among the 49 Heavenly Daos!

Heaven Emanations!

Di Qing turned around and looked at the masked young man. He saw that the young man was still calm and composed as he formed a strange formation with Tian Shu and the rest. He said in a deep voice, "Heavenly Fiends are also the Heavenly Dao. They are the 50th Heavenly Dao. They gather baleful qi as knives and absorb the baleful qi in Tianfang City. They can make the power of our knife path comparable to the 31st Heavenly Layer. In addition to the power of the Heavenly Dao on our bodies, they can make the power of our knife path reach the 32nd or even 33rd Heavenly Layer."

Di Qing saw the surging baleful aura rushing over. Under the cover of Celestial Venerable Hong's huge hand, the baleful aura was like a blood dragon, frantically tunneling into the bodies of the five people.

'Under the cover of Celestial Venerable Hong's huge hand, it's the perfect time to cover his vision.'

The masked young man said, "We only have one chance. You guys just need to exert your strength, I'll take the knife. Once the knife is broken, we'll take away the Heavenly Dao Armament. As for the other Heavenly Dao weapons, we'll take them away if we can. If we can't, we'll leave immediately and never stay!"

Di Qing passed by them, and he was at a loss. "Who is that young man?"

He didn't have time to think too much. He just came to the side of the Sun Guardians and unleashed his magic power to protect the people of Tianfang City. With a shout, he unleashed his full power!

Tian Fang City crumbled, and a huge piece of land separated from the city under the control of his magic power, flying down rapidly!

"Celestial Venerable Hong ordered the army of the celestial heavens to open up a hole. That's our only chance to escape, our only chance!"

Di Qing quickly said, "Let's leave Xuandu and go to the Primordial Realm..."

Right at this moment, an earth-shattering sound of a knife rang out. Di Qing turned back to take a look and couldn't help but stare blankly. In the sky, the five tiny figures burst forth with incomparably dazzling light!

It was a knife light that burst forth from the depths of the void. It was extremely dazzling and resonated with the Heavenly Dao of Xuandu. A knife light slashed towards Celestial Venerable Hong's huge hand!

He saw the knife light that was unknown in length, and a black line was left behind in his eyes. He couldn't see the knife light anymore because the knife light had left a deep wound in the space of Xuandu. The wound had severed space and layers of void.

The path of the knife rumbled and vibrated as it sliced through Celestial Venerable Hong's wrist.

Heavenly Execution of Heaven!

Di Qing shook her eyes, but she still couldn't see the knife light. However, she saw Celestial Venerable Hong's huge palm struggling to break free from his wrist. Celestial Venerable Hong's face that covered half of the sky revealed astonishment and anger.

The land rushed towards the only gap in the army of the celestial heavens. The troops of the celestial heavens immediately moved out and gathered at the gap. Thousands of gods and devils swarmed towards the broken land.

On land, the ruins of the Outlander Divine City were still collapsing.

Di Qing hurriedly turned his head back. With a quick glance, he saw that even though the five figures had severed Celestial Venerable Hong's huge hand, their bodies were scattered from the tremors. Their corporeal bodies exploded and turned into blood mist.

The five figures crisscrossed under Great Celestial Venerable Hong's hand and flew away. They quickly recovered to their peak state and whizzed away while sticking to the palm of Celestial Venerable Hong.

Celestial Venerable Hong's huge palm was still descending. Below it was the Outlander Divine City.

Their target was the Heavenly Dao Dao weapon that was pressed under their palms. However, Celestial Venerable Hong's palm still contained immense power. It suppressed the Heavenly Dao Dao weapon and smashed into the dilapidated Tian Fang City. It was about to bury them in the city and destroy them along with the god city!

"Cult Master!"

Zhe Huali looked at the ground of the god city that was getting closer, and he shouted sternly, "If you don't leave, it will be too late!"

Qin Mu brought them close to Celestial Venerable Hong's palm as they flew. Suddenly, the divine treasure realm reversed, and the five of them felt that the space around them was displaced. They immediately turned from their heads to their feet, stepping on the palm markings of Celestial Venerable Hong as they sprinted forward!

In front of them were numerous Heaven Dao weapons that were filled with astonishing heavenly might!

Butcher, Luo Wushuang, Tian Shu, and Qin Mu all stretched their hands out to grab at the Dao weapons of the Heavenly Dao. Zhe Huali gritted his teeth and ignored the fact that he was about to smash into the city. He also stretched his hand out to grab one of the Dao weapons of the Heavenly Dao!

Celestial Venerable Hong's palm collided with Tianfang City, and the entire city instantly turned into fine powder. It then shattered into chaos, and countless gods and commoners evaporated in an instant. Their corporeal bodies and souls vanished without a trace!

## Chapter 1441: You Have It Yourself

Just as Celestial Venerable Hong's palm covered the entirety of Tianfang City, a dazzling light burst forth between the two. The light had just lit up when it vanished without a trace.

At the same time, on Celestial Venerable Hong's incomparably huge face, the benevolent smile turned into astonishment and anger. His physique was too big, and his expression seemed to change extremely slowly. However, this astonishment and anger vanished, leaving only coldness.

His broken wrist came out, and his flesh and blood grew frantically. Threads of flesh as thick as mountains stretched forward, and his blood vessels grew like flood dragons. The bones of his hands grew like mountains on the ground.

At this moment, Celestial Venerable Hong frowned again.

He felt something strange. He used the path of creation to repair the damage to his corporeal body. The path of creation used up his magic power and magic power. Logically speaking, with his attainments in the realm, the magic power that was consumed should be recovered very quickly.

However, at this moment, he didn't feel any signs of his magic power recovering.

He felt as though there was an invisible lock in his body. It was an extremely complicated chain that locked up his magic power layer by layer, preventing him from recovering his cultivation!

Just as he thought that, he suddenly felt a stabbing pain in his heart. In a daze, Celestial Venerable Hong felt as though he had fallen into a deep well and was looking up at the sky.

This feeling was similar to when he had fallen out with Qin Mu at the Jade Pool before the meeting of the Heaven Alliance.

However, this strange feeling quickly vanished. The cultivation he had exhausted was insignificant to him. It was just a drop in the ocean.

His palm recovered very quickly, and he gripped it tightly. Below him, the broken hand exploded, and the Dao weapons of the Heavenly Dao flew out to land on his new hand.

"Without the five Heavenly Dao weapons, the most crucial Heavenly Dao weapon was also stolen."

Celestial Venerable Hong, who was looking down on the Outlander Divine City, slowly raised his head. He saw that the broken piece of land had already broken out of the encirclement of the celestial heavens' army under Di Qing's protection and was escaping.

At the edge of that piece of land, rays of light appeared, and five masked figures rushed out from the light. They only stopped after traveling dozens of miles.

The corporeal bodies of the five people exploded, and their blood flowed back. They were restrained by a strange power, and they were almost unharmed.

The five Heaven Dao weapons that were lost were caught by these five people.

"Celestial Venerable Mu, you still don't understand what it means to be auspicious when treated, fierce when faced with chaos. You broke one of my arms and stole my Dao weapon. It looks like there's no room for negotiation between us."

Celestial Venerable Hong's body rapidly shrunk, and he quickly transformed into his normal height. He had wide sleeves and a large robe, looking elegant and unrestrained. He was like an otherworldly expert that had transcended the mortal world as he chased after that piece of land. "The evil we bring upon ourselves cannot be avoided."

"All the armies of the celestial heavens, kill the remaining survivors of Xuandu's Heaven Square City. Don't let any of them off."

His voice rang out in the ears of the various military marquises of the celestial heavens, and it was incomparably heavy. He said leisurely, "This is the best

time for you to make a contribution, and it's also the best chance for you to plunder the wealth of Xuandu and capture the slaves."

Countless flags fluttered as ships and countless majestic gods and devils flew up from the ships to attack the Xuandu gods that weren't killed by Celestial Venerable Hong's palm.

There were other planets that hadn't been shattered by Celestial Venerable Hong's palm. The planets floated, and on them were the people of Xuandu. The surviving Sun Guardian and Moon Guardian executed their magic power divine arts in an attempt to escape with these people.

Although Celestial Venerable Hong's footsteps looked slow, his speed was extremely fast. He was getting closer to that landmass.

On that landmass, Qin Mu, Butcher, and the rest stumbled as they moved continuously. Clang, clang, clang. The five Heavenly Dao weapons were stabbed into the ground, and they finally stabilized themselves.

The five of them looked at each other with lingering fear.

"I have a Heaven Mudra Dao Weapon here!" Zhe Huali still hadn't recovered from his shock and said solemnly.

"I have a Heavenly Origin Dao weapon here," Luo Wushuang said as he looked at the Heavenly Origin Mirror in his hand.

"The one in my hand should be the Dao weapon of Heaven Palace." Tian Shu held onto a divine building and said.

"What I have is a Heavenly Secrets Dao weapon," Butcher said as he looked at the umbrella stuck in the ground.

Qin Mu looked at the Heavenly Dao Dao weapon that he had stabbed into the ground and saw that this Heavenly Dao Dao weapon was like a canopy in the sky. When it was opened up, it was a canopy that transformed into the sky. The Heavenly Dao outline of the path under the sky was always centered around the top of the sky, and it was separated into 49 lines that hung down from the top of the sky.

"This is the Dao weapon of the Heavenly Dao, the general outline of the Heavenly Dao."

Qin Mu said solemnly, "With this treasure, we can control the other Heavenly Dao weapons."

Everyone let out a sigh of relief and gave it their all. They didn't waste their efforts.

They weren't just risking their lives this time.

Celestial Venerable Hong's strike had shattered even matter into chaos. Under the state of chaos, even the soul would probably turn into chaos. It would no longer be a substance, and there would no longer be black soul sand!

At that time, no matter if it was Qin Mu's soul molding divine art or the unchanging substance, they were all useless and had no chance of survival!

"Celestial Venerable Hong is an existence that can break through the 35 voids with his own magic power. Among the ten Celestial Venerables, his magic power is the strongest, surpassing those like Celestial Venerable Huo and Celestial Venerable Xiao."

Qin Mu let out a shaky breath and turned back to take a look. He was astonished as he saw Celestial Venerable Hong's sleeves fluttering. He had already crossed the formation line of the celestial heavens and was walking over under the bright light of Xuandu.

Soon, he would arrive.

"Who are you?"

Suddenly, Di Qing's voice rang out, but Qin Mu didn't answer. He touched the black cloth on his face, and it was still there. Heavenly King Tian Shu said with a smile, "Di Qing, we have already introduced ourselves. I'm the Mingdu Heavenly King under Founding Emperor, and these four are friends that I have invited to assist."

It was as if Di Qing didn't hear him. He looked straight at Qin Mu and asked solemnly, "Who are you?"

"You don't want to know who I am."



Qin Mu said indifferently, "What you should be thinking about now is how to escape from Celestial Venerable Hong and escort these people out of Xuandu."

Di Qing fell silent and turned back to look at the people on this broken land. There were still hundreds of thousands of people of Xuandu and a hundred Sun Guardians, but they were all injured.

Those people and the injured Sun Guardian looked at him with despair and hope in their eyes. They were still full of confidence in him and still believed that he could lead them out of the hopeless situation and bring them life.

Di Qing forced a smile and smiled at them.

"If you guys don't say who you are, I won't force you. I want five people to do one thing."

The arrogance on Di Qing's body vanished, and he bowed to the ground. "I implore everyone to send the disciples of my Xuandu to a safe place, far away from Xuandu."

Zhe Huali spoke quickly and couldn't resist saying, "We had already asked you to evacuate the people in the city and persuaded you more than once, yet you still wanted to kill our heads as sacrifices to the flag! What did you do earlier?"

Di Qing was incomparably ashamed. He kept his head close to the ground and didn't get up.

Zhe Huali wanted to say more, but Qin Mu raised his hand to stop him. He looked at Di Qing who was bowing to the ground and said, "If you go alone, you won't be able to hold them off for long. I'll give you four Heavenly Dao weapons, but the last Heavenly Dao weapon, I can't give it to you. Try to hold on for as long as you can. I can send the people on this land further away."

Di Qing got up and wiped away the tears on his face. He said with a smile, "Thank you Dao Brother for fulfilling my wish! If there's a next life..."

Qin Mu shook his head. "There's no next life, you can go."

Di Qing brought along the four Dao weapons of Heavenly Seal, Heavenly Origin, Heavenly East, and Heavenly Secrets. He bowed to Qin Mu and the

rest before turning around and rising into the sky. Behind him, a stretch of celestial palaces burst forth to welcome Celestial Venerable Hong.

He was a great expert that was comparable to Son of Heaven Yin and White Deity, and he had the support of the Heavenly Dao. With the Dao weapon in hand, he was determined to fight to the death. He had to stall for a moment, even if it was just a moment!

"It's my own fault, hehe, it's my own fault..."

He chuckled and looked at Celestial Venerable Hong who was getting closer. Suddenly, he laughed loudly and unleashed all of his cultivation, activating all the power of the four Heavenly Dao Dao weapons as he rushed towards Celestial Venerable Hong!

"I can't compensate those clansmen who died because of me, nor can I repay those Dao brothers who helped me. All I can do is die. I'll use my life to give others a chance to live!"

He was full of vigor, but Celestial Venerable Hong, who was walking over, had a calm expression. He looked at him like he was looking at an ant.

Celestial Venerable Hong raised his hand gently, and the Heavenly Dao divine weapons in his palm were filled with overflowing power.

"He's my child, after all," Di Qing heard Celestial Venerable Hong say indifferently before he died.

He looked at Celestial Venerable Hong in a daze, and his eyes gradually turned dark.

## **Chapter 1442: He Is Celestial Venerable Mu!**

From the time Di Qing fought Celestial Venerable Hong to the time Di Qing died in battle, only an incense stick's worth of time had passed. If it was anyone else, they wouldn't have been able to escape far.

However, the moment Di Qing left this piece of land, Qin Mu immediately executed Overlord Body Three Elixir Technique. With Extreme Celestial

Palace as the lead and the other celestial palaces as support, he gathered qi as a sword and slashed backward.

As the sword landed, layers of space appeared continuously. Thousands of stars poured out from the void, stretching the distance between them and Celestial Venerable Hong!

He slashed out sword after sword, and space continuously expanded. Even though they couldn't fight against Celestial Venerable Hong with the combined power of everyone, when it came to escaping, even Celestial Venerables wouldn't be able to take down Qin Mu.

The Extreme Void Scripture was Celestial Venerable Yue's technique. Even though he hadn't completely mastered it, he had immersed himself in it for a long time. With this technique, he was confident that he could escape the pursuit of any Celestial Venerable.

However, if he could escape from Celestial Venerable Hong with the people of this land, he wouldn't have the ability.

Di Qing had nothing to do with him, and his clansmen had nothing to do with him. However, as long as he agreed, he would do his best.

Qin Mu slashed out more than ten times, and his magic power couldn't take it anymore. He then stopped, and Overlord Body Three Elixir Technique changed the sequence of the celestial palaces. At this moment, he was using his main celestial palace as the leader and the other celestial palaces as support, raising his cultivation to the extreme.

A Paramita Divine Boat appeared below this piece of land and lifted up the entire broken piece of land. It gradually increased its speed until the speed of the Paramita Divine Boat reached its maximum. The entire land broke through the void and entered the first void.

After a moment, the Paramita Divine Boat carried this landmass into the second void. However, when this landmass crashed into the sixth void, the entire landmass was already unable to withstand the pressure of the void. The people in the ruins of Tianfang City on the landmass couldn't hold on any longer, and their bodies turned into void.

Numerous Sun Guardians did their best and used their magic power to protect them, temporarily slowing down this trend.

However, this piece of Tian Fang City couldn't hold on. Divine rocks the size of mountains peeled off from the land one after another and slowly dissipated into the void.

The shattered pieces of Heaven Square City became smaller, and soon, the landmass became an island, forcing the people on it to gather together and barely fit in.

Qin Mu's vital qi vibrated, and he increased the speed of the Paramita Divine Boat as it sped away from Xuandu.

After an unknown period of time, his magic power was about to be exhausted, and he used the last of his strength to let the pieces of Heaven Square City escape from the eighth void. When the pieces of Heaven Square City left the void, Qin Mu's aura rapidly weakened, and he almost fell to the ground.

"Everyone."

With the help of Tian Shu and Butcher, Qin Mu managed to stabilize himself. He said to the hundred Sun Guardians and the people of Xuandu, "This place is already far away from the battlefield. I can't send you guys out of Xuandu, but the pursuers won't be able to catch up to you guys. You guys can head to the Primordial Realm by yourselves. There's no longer a place for the people of Xuandu to protect you."

He coughed violently, and after a moment, he said, "Carefree Village has already been sealed off by the army of the celestial heavens. You guys can't go there, and you guys can't stay in Xuandu anymore. Only Eternal Peace can take you guys in. Go to the Primordial Realm and find Eternal Peace's Sun Guardian Yan Jingjing. She will take you guys in."

"Benefactor!"

A sun guardian bowed and said, "Benefactor, please take down the black mask and leave your name behind. Let us remember your faces and know who saved you!"

Qin Mu shook his head and said, "There's no need for you guys to know our names and appearances. Go quickly..."

Suddenly, an elder of Xuandu said with a trembling voice, "Benefactors, you are all incomparably righteous. You saved us by not leaving your surname,

but we can't be ungrateful. Please reveal your true appearance and leave your true name behind. When we reach Eternal Peace, we will establish a shrine for you and create a golden body. We will pray for your blessings day and night!"

The tens of thousands of people in Xuandu knelt down and said one after another, "How is it different from a beast to not repay kindness? May benefactor grant us our wish!"

Qin Mu shook his head and said, "There's no need for that. I saved you guys to make myself at ease. It has nothing to do with you guys..."

"Peace?"

Zhe Huali suddenly became furious. He suddenly pulled down the black cloth on his face and said angrily, "Can you really be at ease? If you can be at ease, I can't be at ease! When I save people, I want to leave my name and face behind! Take off your face cloths and let these fools see our faces!"

Butcher silently took off the black cloth on his face, and Tian Shu and Luo Wushuang also took it off.

Zhe Huali walked in front of Qin Mu and stretched his hand out to take off the black cloth on his face. Qin Mu raised his hand and struggled. "No..."

"Do you want to be cursed forever?"

Zhe Huali smacked his hand away and suddenly pulled off the black cloth on his face. He laughed loudly and mocked, "This is your benefactor! Do you see his face clearly? He is your benefactor! The benefactor who is cursed by you people every day, the benefactor Qin Mu!"

His gaze was like a knife as it swept across the faces of the people of Xuandu, sweeping them so that not only did their corporeal bodies kneel down, even their souls knelt down.

"That's right! He's Celestial Venerable Mu, the Celestial Venerable Mu of the Heaven Alliance!"

Zhe Huali stabbed the demon knife into the ground and gritted his teeth. "The Celestial Venerable Mu that you guys hate to the core! The ten Celestial Venerables wanted to kill Heaven Duke, but he tried to stop them in every way

possible. He didn't care about his own life and fought against the ten Celestial Venerables! He racked his brains to find a way out for Heaven Duke! When the celestial heavens attacked Xuandu, he knew that he was no match for them, so he tried his best to raise his power!"

"He even invited us!"

"If it wasn't for his friendship with us, what the hell does Heaven Duke's life and death have to do with us?"

Zhe Huali grabbed the handle of the knife and spun the blade, stabbing the demon knife into the ground bit by bit. He chuckled and said, "We risked our lives to come here, not because of the bullshit Heaven Duke, not because of the lives of so many people in your Xuandu, but because we are his friends, friends of life and death! If he wants us to come, we will! Even if we have to put our heads on our belts, we will still come! What are you guys?"

He had endured too much pressure, and at this moment, he finally let it out freely. He laughed loudly and said, "You guys are our lives, and we are our lives as well. Why should we use our lives to exchange for yours? It's because Celestial Venerable Mu wants us to come! Hehe, what have you people of Xuandu done? Create a shrine for Celestial Venerable Mu? Make a golden body for him? Serve him? Bah! You guys stabbed a straw man and shot him in the back every day, scolding him!"

Butcher, Luo Wushuang, and Tian Shu were silent. They stood there without saying a word, allowing him to vent.

"The people of Xuandu have guts!"

Zhe Huali looked coldly at the Sun Guardians and the people of Xuandu. He sneered and said, "If you have the guts, step forward and say something. I don't care about Celestial Venerable Mu's safety, I don't care about your safety. I'm willing to die! Step forward and say something!"

"Alright, that's enough. I can't stop Celestial Venerable Hong for long."

Qin Mu raised his hand and looked at the people of Xuandu. "That's right, I'm Qin Mu of Eternal Peace."

Tian Shu took a step forward and said indifferently, "I'm Eternal Peace's Tian Shu."

Butcher walked forward and stabbed Heaven Knife into the ground. "Eternal Peace's Butcher."

Luo Wushuang walked forward and hugged his knife. "Eternal Peace's Luo Wushuang."

Zhe Huali panted heavily and snorted coldly. "Eternal Peace's Zhe Huali."

Qin Mu said to those Sun Guardians and the people of Xuandu, "Whether we create a living shrine or not, whether we create a golden body, whether we worship it, it's all up to you. What we are doing has nothing to do with righteousness, we are just seeking peace of mind. If we come back alive, there's no need for you guys to make a name for us. If we die in Xuandu, they will build a grave for us in Eternal Peace. Let's go."

## Chapter 1443: The Beauty On The River

Qin Mu, Butcher, and the rest left, leaving behind the Sun Guardian and the people of Xuandu. After a moment, they started to head towards the Primordial Realm. Everyone had mixed feelings.

They would settle down in the Primordial Realm. As for the stories of Qin Mu, Butcher, Zhe Huali, Luo Wushuang, and Tian Shu, they would be passed down from generation to generation.

Zhe Huali let out a long sigh of relief and took a glance at Qin Mu. He smiled and said, "After scolding me, I feel much more at ease. Celestial Venerable Mu, you are an honest man..."

He hurriedly added, "You are an honest person at heart. You are just cunning and treacherous to your enemies, but when facing your own people and ordinary people, you are too honest. You don't have the heart to hurt your own people and ordinary people. You don't even want to say anything harsh. I'm not like you."

He was in high spirits, and he said loudly, "If I have something to say, I will say it. If I have any grievances, I will say it out loud! I have done a good deed, and I will announce it. I can't let good people be wronged, and I can't let bad people play to their strengths! These bastards are too harsh on good people! There are all kinds of bad things in bad people, and even if it's just a little

good, they will spread it out. There are all kinds of good things in good people, and only one flaw will be scolded to death by them! I just can't stand these things!"

Tian Shu laughed and said, "Demon Blade Zhe Huali, his thoughts are clear, as gorgeous as his knife!"

Zhe Huali tightened the demon knife and dragon teeth on his back, and he gave a carefree smile. "I just don't want the friends I respect to bear the infamy! Cult Master Qin, Celestial Venerable Mu, beast, Demolisher Qin, Thief Mu, no matter how I address him, he is still my friend, the person I respect. He has all kinds of small problems, but he has never made a mistake when it comes to big or small matters!"

Qin Mu's eyes turned red, but he smiled.

Luo Wushuang revealed a smile and said, "My disciple..."

He immediately added, "I was."

Butcher took a glance at him and said, "He was once your disciple, but he learned too much from you. He only learned well after following me for some time."

Luo Wushuang's face turned black, and he stopped talking.

Qin Mu looked at them with a smile. These people were all his friends, and one of them was even his elder. However, they were more like good teachers and sincere friends. It was truly a great blessing to have such friends!

His cultivation was recovering rapidly. The Jade Pavilion of the ancestral court and the Jade Pavilion Realm of the various celestial palaces allowed his cultivation to recover at an astonishing speed.

Of course, his current cultivation was too deep. Even though his recovery speed was very fast, he still needed a few days to recover to his peak state.

Qin Mu then took out the spirit herbs he had plucked from the ancestral court to refine spirit pills that could quickly recover his vital qi. With both of them working together, he could prevent Celestial Venerable Hong from being unable to escape.



Celestial Venerable Hong was determined to get his hands on the Heaven Dao Weapons. He had 49 Heaven Dao Weapons, and even if he got 48 of them, without them, these Heaven Dao Weapons would just be powerful treasures.

Only by obtaining the Dao weapon could he combine the power of these Dao weapons and transform them into a supreme treasure of the Heavenly Dao!

It was a supreme treasure that was countless times stronger than the Heavenly Dao supreme treasure refined by Ancestral God King!

"That's why Celestial Venerable Hong wouldn't chase after those Xuandu people, but us."

Qin Mu's gaze flickered, and the five of them flew towards Heaven Duke.

Heaven Duke was incomparably majestic, and it was hard to see his full appearance. Along the way, they saw even more god cities. There were 49 god cities that were larger in Xuandu, and they were named after the 49 Heavenly Daos.

In the primordial era, these god cities were built around the celestial river and were extremely ancient.

During the Dragon Han Era, the celestial heavens was established to restrict the flow of the celestial river through the Southern Heavenly Gate. The river flow of the celestial river didn't change much.

However, in the later part of the Dragon Han Era, the celestial heavens migrated out of the Primordial Realm, causing the celestial river to change its course. There were no traces of the celestial river in Xuandu anymore, and only these 49 god cities and the ancient paths of the celestial river remained.

Today, the river returned to its original position, and the surging river water flowed in the ancient path. It reflected the starlight of Xuandu, and it was very beautiful and charming.

However, what came this time was killing intent!

The most majestic Tian Fang City was already destroyed because it was the gate that blocked the army of the celestial heavens. The celestial river flowed

into Xuandu from there, and Tian Fang City was equivalent to the gate of Xuandu.

The reason why Di Qing had led everyone there to intercept the army of the celestial heavens was because of the importance of Heaven Square City.

The strongest power of Xuandu was gathered in Tian Fang City, and the other god cities were much weaker. The army of the celestial heavens had already arrived, and along the way, Qin Mu and the rest saw destroyed god cities that had been shattered into pieces.

The number of soldiers gathered in these god cities was relatively small, and they were far inferior to those in Tian Fang City. Therefore, they were easily destroyed without the need for Celestial Venerables to make a move.

Along the way, they saw numerous Xuandu gods being captured and imprisoned in cages. These Xuandu gods were the spoils of war from the various armies of the celestial heavens.

As for the corpses floating in the starry sky, there were countless of them. There were gods and devils among the dead, but there were even more living beings living in Xuandu.

They were half-gods, but there were also ordinary lifeforms among the half-gods. They couldn't cultivate or it was hard for them to cultivate to the god realm.

There were countless captured lifeforms of Xuandu, and they were escorted to the hold of the ships. These people and the captured gods of Xuandu would become the slaves of the various military marquises and be sent to various places or sold to the mines of the various heavens.

"Back then, who would have thought that the high and mighty Xuandu would have such a day?" Tian Shu sighed ruefully.

Their speed became faster, avoiding the army of the celestial heavens and heading towards Xuandu Heaven Duke.

The baleful aura of the Heavenly Dao became denser. With the Heaven Emanations being so powerful, the God Execution Stage in Qin Mu and the rest's celestial palaces also became stronger. The baleful aura became a knife and wreaked havoc on the God Execution Stage.

Even though their cultivation had increased, the five of them had heavy hearts.

The stronger the heavenly devils were, the more gods and lifeforms died in Xuandu.

"Will the baleful qi gather and form the 50th Heavenly Dao weapon?" Butcher muttered.

"No, Heavenly Lady Qiang will bring the God Execution Stage of the ancestral court's sacred ground to sweep away the baleful aura of the Heavenly Dao."

Qin Mu's gaze flickered, and he said, "The Grand Emperor won't let go of this chance to let God Execution Mysterious Knife mature!"

Suddenly, the sound of a zither rang out, and space rapidly leaped. Qin Mu's heart stirred slightly, and he looked towards the source of the sound. He saw the figure of a beautiful woman flash past the celestial river, and behind her was the figure of Celestial Venerable Huo.

Celestial Venerable Huo held the Dao Fire Ancestral Land in one hand, and the huge nine-layered Dao Fire sacrificial altar was held above his head. He walked forward, his body imposing as he chased after Celestial Venerable Yue.

'I wonder if there's a chance to assassinate Celestial Venerable Huo?'

Just as he thought until here, he suddenly felt something. He hurriedly turned back and saw Celestial Venerable Hong rushing over with his sleeves fluttering.

"Let's go!"

Qin Mu floated up and was about to bring the four of them to execute a space divine art to avoid Celestial Venerable Hong when a starry sky suddenly appeared in Xuandu.

At first, the starry sky was just a small galaxy, but it soon grew larger. Vast consciousness visualized in Xuandu, turning from illusory to corporeal, causing the stars to expand, stretching between Celestial Venerable Hong, Qin Mu, and the rest.

"Divine King Lang Wo!"

Celestial Venerable Hong chuckled and flew through the starry sky. He saw a star suddenly transforming into a heaven, catching him off guard.

"Little Doll."

Celestial Venerable Hong sneered and leaped out of the heavens. His body passed through the stars, but just as he did so, he realized he was in another heaven.

The heavens were like flowers in a painting, layer after layer.

Qin Mu saw that Celestial Venerable Hong was trapped and felt at ease. He looked towards the source of the consciousness and saw Divine King Lang Wo walking on the celestial river. It was cold and cheerless, and starlight flowed under her feet.

Wherever she walked, the great army of the celestial heavens would cease their war drums and put down their weapons to look at her in a daze. After she left, they seemed to have woken up from a dream, and only then did the slaughter start again.

Qin Mu looked at the beauty on the river. She looked at him and waved her hand.

## **Chapter 1444: The Heavenly Sea As A Mirror Illuminating Xuandu**

Qin Mu revealed a smile and waved at Lang Lang before leaving with Butcher, Tian Shu, and the rest.

As soon as he left, he saw a tall and sturdy man leaping towards him on the celestial river. It was the eleventh Celestial Venerable, Shi Qiluo!

The army of the celestial heavens would be mesmerized by Divine King Lang's beauty, but not Shi Qiluo!

Divine King Lang Wo didn't dare to fight with him and immediately escaped from the thirty-five voids. Shi Qiluo rushed forward, but he couldn't reach the thirty-five voids and could only sigh helplessly.

However, at this moment, Celestial Venerable Hong had already broken free and punched the thirty-five voids. His battle power was overflowing, far surpassing that of Shi Qiluo. It wasn't safe for Lang Wo to hide in the thirty-five voids.

At that moment, Divine King Lang Wo actually visualized Youdu and visualized a Youdu world in the thirty-five voids. It was dark and unclear.

Celestial Venerable Hong didn't understand why she did such. In the Youdu world that Divine King Lang visualized, faint lights appeared, and a paper boat floated behind her.

"Celestial Venerable You!"

Celestial Venerable Hong chuckled. Xuandu was the sacred ground of the Heavenly Dao, and Celestial Venerable You, as the master of the Great Dao of Youdu, was probably invited by Qin Mu to participate in the battle of Xuandu. However, Xuandu suppressed him too much, so even Celestial Venerable You had to rely on the Youdu world that Divine King Lang Wo had visualized to gain a foothold.

Under such circumstances, even if Celestial Venerable You and Lang Wo teamed up, they wouldn't be able to fight him!

His Fist of Heavenly Dao was majestic as it broke through layers of void. On the paper boat behind Divine King Lang Lang, Celestial Venerable You raised the lantern and shone it at him.

Just as the lantern light became incomparably bright, countless paper boats, countless lanterns, and countless Celestial Venerables appeared in the Youdu world that he had visualized!

At this moment, Youdu was empty, and only the ghosts on Earth Count and Earth Count's bodies were left. There were also some devils, ghost kings, and ghost messengers of death that numbered in the billions. All of them had vanished without a trace!

They had come to Xuandu and appeared behind Divine King Lang!

The messengers of death raised their lanterns together, and the lights shone brightly to meet Celestial Venerable Hong's fist. The thirty-fifth void trembled violently, raising the eyebrows of everyone.

Even though the power of Celestial Venerable Hong's punch had been weakened by the 35 voids, its power was still extraordinary. However, it was blocked by Celestial Venerable You, forcing people to reevaluate Celestial Venerable You's abilities.

Celestial Venerable You blocked the attack, and Divine King Lang took the chance to escape, disappearing without a trace along with the countless messengers of death and the ghost ship.

Celestial Venerable Hong and Shi Qiluo were about to chase after him when the Heaven Emanations in Xuandu suddenly surged and gathered at the same place. The two Celestial Venerables were astonished. Shi Qiluo took down the Hundred Treasure Chest on his back, opened it, and took out an item.

It was a two-pointed tower with a pair of divine eyes.

Shi Qiluo looked through it and saw a huge sacrificial altar flying towards Xuandu Heaven Duke. Heavenly Lady Qiang was standing on it.

The steps of the sacrificial altar were strange. When Shi Qiluo looked at them, there were twelve steps. When Celestial Venerable Hong came over to take a look, there were nine steps.

On the sacrificial altar, two blood-colored baleful auras were like angry dragons dancing around the altar. They were very similar to the God Execution Mysterious Knife of the celestial heavens.

"God Execution Stage!"

Shi Qiluo chuckled. "This little slut even moved this ancestral court sacred ground over. What is she trying to do?"

Celestial Venerable Hong's expression sank, and he said coldly, "The God Execution Stage is gathering the Heaven Emanations and swallowing their energy to forge the divine knife."

Shi Qiluo hurriedly went closer to take a look and saw that the power of the two divine knives in the blood fiends was increasing frantically. They gathered the baleful qi of Xuandu and refined the power of the divine knives!

The two divine knives didn't pose much of a threat to them, but the speed of their improvement made their hearts palpitate.

"Right now, the heavenly devils aren't strong enough. When Heaven Duke dies, the baleful aura will be even stronger."

Celestial Venerable Hong sneered. "Heavenly Lady Qiang might even want to devour the corporeal body of Heaven Duke to nurture these two God Execution Fiend Knives!"

He said indifferently, "Devouring the baleful aura of all living things in the world, devouring the heavenly devils, how can it be compared to devouring a god born from Dao like Heaven Duke?"

Shi Qiluo was astonished. "What is the little slut planning to do by refining these two divine knives?"

'I should say what the Grand Emperor is planning to do with these two divine knives.'

Celestial Venerable Hong flicked his sleeves and flew away. "Mistress Yuanmu, we need to work together to guard against the Grand Emperor!"

Shi Qiluo sprinted forward, trying his best to keep up with him. However, Celestial Venerable Hong was still much faster than him.

Boom!

A divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu descended from the sky, and Shi Qiluo stood on the shoulder of the divine weapon. The divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu sprinted forward and caught up to Celestial Venerable Hong.

"Hong, have you seen Lang Xuan and Ancestral God King?" asked Shi Qiluo.

Before he could finish his sentence, a terrifying beam of light suddenly burst forth from the distance and pierced through Xuandu. The light was so bright that it suppressed the light of the billions of stars in Xuandu!

One Finger of Divine Essence!

'God Emperor Lang Xuan is over there. Could it be Founding Emperor Qin Ye? The only one who could force Lang Xuan to use the full power of his divine essence finger is probably him.'

Shi Qiluo was bewildered. He stood on the shoulder of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu and raised his Divine Creation Eye to take a look. The one facing Lang Xuan wasn't Founding Emperor Qin Ye, but a divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu!

Shi Qiluo was astonished. 'This divine weapon is the one of Ancestral God King! It looks like Heaven Duke is controlling the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu to kill God Emperor Lang Xuan! Strange, with Lang Xuan here, where are Founding Emperor and Ancestral God King?'

In the ancestral court, Founding Emperor walked out of the Jade Pool Stage in God Emperor Lang Xuan's territory. He was still calm and composed, but the people around him were all subordinates of God Emperor Lang Xuan, staring at him nervously.

'I've been to the Jade Pavilion and God Execution Stage, Nine Hells Stage, and Jade Capital of the ancestral court. I'm afraid Jade Capital City is extremely dangerous, so I don't need to go there for now. God Execution Stage was taken away by Heavenly Lady Qiang and isn't in the ancestral court. I can only enter God Execution Stage in Xuandu.'

He didn't seem to have any sense of urgency about the war in Xuandu. He pondered and said, "After going to the Nine Hells Stage, I should head to Xuandu. Celestial Venerable Mu won't be able to hold on for this period of time, and Heaven Duke should be able to."

At that moment, he saw Celestial Venerable Hong's territory, the Heavenly Sea.

Founding Emperor was slightly stunned, and his gaze swept across the Heavenly Sea. His gaze was sharp like his Sword Dao, able to see through everything.

'There's also a Great Dao condensing in this sea, forming the reflection of Xuandu in the sea. Could it also be a realm of possibility?'



Founding Emperor couldn't help muttering to himself, "However, Celestial Venerable Mu never said that there was a realm like the Sky-sea Dragon Palace. Could it be that he doesn't know that such a realm exists?"

He walked towards Tianhai, but the waves of the sea didn't move. It was like a bright mirror that reflected everything in Xuandu.

At the same time, in the Primordial Realm, Heavenly Yin World.

Ancestral God King greeted Goddess of Heavenly Yin and said with a smile, "Goddess, you are no longer an ancient god. There's no need to fight to the death for Heaven Duke. Even if you don't consider your own life, you should consider the life of your Heavenly Yin World."

He raised his head and looked at the soles of Heaven Duke's feet. This was the only place where Heaven Duke couldn't reach the four-faced god. It was also Heaven Duke's weakness, the weakness of the Heavenly Dao.

## **Chapter 1445: The Foot Of Heaven Duke**

Heaven Duke and the Heavenly Dao weren't omnipotent. There were also places in this world where the light of Xuandu couldn't shine, and there were also places that Heavenly Dao couldn't reach.

Where Heaven Duke couldn't shine was under his feet.

In Xuandu, he was like a four-faced god that was similar to Qin Mu's divine treasure realm. No matter where they attacked him, they would only attack his front.

Attacking him was attacking the Heavenly Dao, and he would receive the fiercest retaliation from Heaven Duke!

Xuandu was the birthplace of Heaven Duke, and his abilities would be raised to the extreme there. His abilities would definitely not be inferior to the peak of the Grand Primordium Celestial Emperor!

Even a Celestial Venerable would be injured or even killed by such an attack.

Yet Heaven Duke couldn't shine on the bottom of his feet. Xuandu was the brightest place, and Heaven Duke was also the brightest ancient god in the world. However, the darkest place in the world was also born because of this.

This place was the Heavenly Yin World under his feet.

The Heavenly Dao was also unable to reach this place, and as a result, this place became the gathering place for the black soul sand. The Heavenly Dao didn't exist here, and the black soul sand gathered to become starved ghosts that could swallow everything, never to be fed.

The Great Dao of Youdu was also unable to reach this place. Earth Count controlled the wandering souls in the world, but he was helpless against Black Sand Earth Count.

Goddess of Heavenly Yin was the god born here.

Goddess of Heavenly Yin looked at the thousands of lifeforms that she had enlightened with her Dao in Heavenly Yin World and then looked at Ancestral God King. Her abilities were not enough to fight against Ancestral God King.

For the sake of Heaven Duke, fighting with Ancestral God King would only result in being killed by Ancestral God King. Even the lifeforms of Heavenly Yin World would be wiped out!

Even though she had walked her own path and was no longer an ignorant ancient god, just as Qin Mu had said, her paths, skills, and divine arts were to create life, not to kill, not to fight.

After a moment, Goddess of Heavenly Yin shrunk back and protected the lifeforms of Heavenly Yin World. "When Celestial Venerable makes a move, don't harm the innocent."

Ancestral God King gave a slight smile and took out the Heavenly Dao treasure that he had refined using the divine metal and divine materials of the ancestral court. He combined it into a Heavenly Dao treasure and said, "Goddess, don't worry. The heavens are benevolent, and I'm not a cruel and murderous person. I won't let all the lives in your Heavenly Yin World die. However, when my divine art erupts, it's hard to guarantee that it will affect Heavenly Yin World. Goddess, just do your best to protect them. If all the lives in Heavenly Yin World really die, Goddess can just create another world to evolve all the lives."

Goddess of Heavenly Yin raised her eyebrows, but she held back her anger and didn't turn hostile.

Ancestral God King raised his head to look at the soles of Heaven Duke's feet and said with a smile, "Know your father better than your son. Heaven Duke is my father, my greatest father. However, he is too righteous and imposing. He believes that good and evil are the principles of the world, so there's no need to interfere. He won't think for the sake of the half-gods, nor will he think for his children. The life and death of his children and the glory of his children have nothing to do with him. However, he's too hypocritical."

He sneered and said indifferently, "The Heavenly Dao is truly selfless, but since it gave birth to him, he can't be selfless with his own consciousness. If Heaven Duke is truly selfless, why did he give birth to me?"

The mocking expression on his face became even more intense. It was as if he was talking to Goddess of Heavenly Yin, but it also seemed like he was talking to himself. He said leisurely, "He also lusted after beauty and power. He also has his own desires. During normal times, the Heavenly Dao suppressed his desires and allowed him to maintain his upright image, but there are always loopholes in the Heavenly Dao."

He sneered and said, "In the battle to eradicate the masters of creation, he found this loophole, so his split soul reincarnated. That's why I was born. In that battle, Celestial Emperor Tai Chu caught hold of his weakness and forced him to submit. Hehe, I saw it all. I know my father's desire better than anyone else, because I'm the son born from his desire."

He said something that made Goddess of Heavenly Yin deeply fearful as well. "When he became one of the ten Celestial Venerables and thought that he could fool everyone in the world, I was the only one who recognized him. How could I not recognize him? I'm the child born from his desire. I saw him become Celestial Venerable Hong, and he was still so detached and calm. However, when he controlled Celestial Emperor's corporeal body, I could feel his ambition and desire expanding."

He stared at the soles of Heaven Duke's feet and looked at everything in Xuandu. Over there, Celestial Venerable Hong was rushing to Xuandu to kill Heaven Duke.

"I've been waiting for an opportunity, Father."

Ancestral God King laughed loudly, but there was no joy in his laughter, only coldness. "The chance I'm waiting for is for you to reveal your true weakness. Only you can reveal this flaw!"

"I have always been the most reckless one among the ten Celestial Venerables, even more reckless than Celestial Venerable Huo, boorish, and less scheming. You know I'm faking it, but you think I'm faking it for the other Celestial Venerables. What you don't know is that I'm a straightforward person, so why do I have to pretend?"

"I'm pretending for you to see!"

"I've waited for you to reveal your weakness. I've waited for this chance for too long, and I've also pretended for too long! Now, I've finally waited for this chance!"

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Xuandu.

The army of the celestial heavens advanced steadily. Although Celestial Venerable Hong, God Emperor Lang Xuan, Heavenly Lady Qiang, Shi Qiluo, Celestial Venerable Huo, and the rest were harassed by Celestial Venerable Yue, Celestial Venerable You, and Divine King Lang, the three of them didn't dare to face them head-on. They usually left immediately without stopping, so they didn't cause too much trouble for them.

Heavenly Lady Qiang gave the Celestial Venerables a headache.

The power of the two Blood Fiend God Execution Knives on God Execution Stage became stronger. They swallowed the Heaven Emanations and swept away all the baleful aura in Xuandu, making all the Celestial Venerables secretly alarmed.

Heavenly Lady Qiang's identity as the Grand Emperor was an open secret among the ten Celestial Venerables. It was all thanks to Qin Mu. Even though Qin Mu didn't publicly announce that Heavenly Lady Qiang was the Grand Emperor, Heavenly Lady Qiang and the Grand Emperor were severely injured because of him.

Although the ten Celestial Venerables were allies, they also monitored each other and planted their own spies around each other. They even sent their

disciples to infiltrate each other's subordinates and become their disciples. They were truly unscrupulous.

Heavenly Lady Qiang's injuries weren't hidden from them. They knew what she ate, what she said, and who she met.

Now that most of the identities of the ten Celestial Venerables were transparent, with Shi Qiluo, the shit-storm who loved to stir up trouble, and Qin Mu, the shit-storm, it would be strange if the identity that Heavenly Lady Qiang had hidden for hundreds of thousands of years wasn't revealed.

'If he refines these two divine knives...'

Celestial Venerable Huo glanced at Heavenly Lady Qiang, whose eyes twitched.

The God Execution Stage he saw had a total of twenty-four steps.

God Emperor Lang Xuan's gaze also landed on Heavenly Lady Qiang. There were twenty-eight steps on the God Execution Stage that he saw, and he thought, 'If Heavenly Lady Qiang died in the battle against Heaven Duke, she would die a heroic death. Ancestral God King is talented in literature, and the denunciation of Heaven Duke came from him. He could write an essay to mourn Heavenly Lady Qiang... Strange, Ancestral God King has always been the first to kill his father, so why is he missing?'

## **Chapter 1446: The Mysterious Changing Stone**

"The Xuandu of today can really be said to be a bunch of devils dancing around!"

Qin Mu brought Zhe Huali, Tian Shu, and the rest to travel through Xuandu. From time to time, they would encounter Celestial Venerables flying past them. At this moment, he couldn't help sighing ruefully. "It's impossible to find a chance to sneak attack Celestial Venerable Huo."

He had been staring at Celestial Venerable Huo, trying to find an opportunity to make a move. However, after searching for a long time, he still couldn't find this opportunity.

"Mu'er, you can't keep staring at Celestial Venerable Huo."

Butcher couldn't hold back and said, "The other Celestial Venerables can also launch a sneak attack."

Tian Shu, Zhe Huali, and Luo Wushuang were also speechless at how Qin Mu kept staring at Celestial Venerable Huo. Celestial Venerable Huo's speed was fast, and even with the South Pole's Dao fire ancestral land, his speed was still extremely astonishing. He would frequently transform into a streak of fire and leave.

He was chasing after Celestial Venerable Yue, and he wouldn't stop until he killed her. Meanwhile, Celestial Venerable Yue relied on her paths, skills, and divine arts to travel between the various Celestial Venerables. Even if she couldn't severely injure these Celestial Venerables, she would create a lot of trouble for them.

It was simply too difficult to find an opportunity to ambush Celestial Venerable Huo under such circumstances.

Qin Mu also realized his obsession and immediately gave up on the idea of staring at Celestial Venerable Huo. Instead, he analyzed every Celestial Venerable's strengths and weaknesses.

'Celestial Venerable Hong, Celestial Venerable Huo, Heavenly Lady Qiang, Lang Xuan, and Shi Qiluo. Celestial Venerable Hong is too strong. After cutting off his hand, if you want to take advantage of him, you can only rely on the Dao weapons of the Heavenly Dao to snatch the other Heavenly Dao weapons when he's injured. If you sneak an attack on him, it will be very difficult. You were scheming earlier, but now that he's prepared, you will only be killed if you sneak an attack on him.'

'Celestial Venerable Huo is running the most proactively now, but he's actually hiding from the limelight. He's chasing after Celestial Venerable Yue, but he can't kill her. This way, he can avoid the first collision with Heaven Duke. If I want to ambush him, I won't have a chance for now.'

"Lang Xuan is too strong. We can't handle Heavenly Lady Qiang's two knives. It's safer to ambush Mistress Yuanmu..."

Qin Mu blinked his eyes, and his gaze landed on Shi Qiluo.

Among the Celestial Venerables, Shi Qiluo's magic power was the weakest. His battle power mainly relied on the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, but if he controlled the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, his control over himself wouldn't be as nimble.

Therefore, with Qin Mu and the rest reaching the thirty heavens of the knife path, and with the blessing of the Heavenly Dao, it was still possible for them to heavily injure Shiro!

"That's Mistress Yuanmu, that little wench. That little wench has nothing to do with me... Bah!"

Qin Mu made up his mind. He was the same as Mistress Yuanmu, who only wanted the world to be in chaos. However, Qin Mu was afraid that the ten Celestial Venerables wouldn't be in chaos, that the celestial heavens wouldn't be in chaos, while Mistress Yuanmu would cause the entire world to be in chaos.

However, when it came to eliminating Heaven Duke, Mistress Yuanmu had the same benefits as the ten Celestial Venerables.

At that moment, Shi Qiluo had already come close to the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu that was being controlled by Heaven Duke. This divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was the one that belonged to Ancestral God King. However, it was suppressed by the Xuandu Heavenly Dao and became a heavy weapon that Heaven Duke used to deal with them!

Shi Qiluo was the maker of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, and his excuse for coming was to subdue this divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu.

That divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was extremely terrifying. He unleashed the power of the Heavenly Dao to the extreme, and with a wave of his hand, he formed the divine art of the 49 Heavenly Dao.

However, God Emperor Lang Xuan, who was facing him, was also breathtaking. The divine art of entering the path of the Absolute Beginning Dao was no longer just a finger of divine essence.

His divine essence finger was the strongest divine art among the ten Celestial Venerables. Even though it was only a finger, its power was overbearing. Even the Grand Emperor, who was known as the strongest corporeal body, couldn't withstand it.

Yet now, God Emperor Lang Xuan had actually comprehended a great divine art of the Dao of Absolute Beginning that was on a different level of the Dao Realm. Every move was stronger than the previous, and he wasn't at all inferior to this divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu.

In the boundless galaxy of Xuandu, on the celestial river, the battle between the two of them displayed a battle power that left the other Celestial Venerables in awe. The galaxies in the galaxy were broken by the two of them, and countless planets exploded. The suns were pushed away, and even the celestial river was cut off because of them!

"When did Lang Xuan become so strong? No, I need to suppress him."

Shi Qiluo stared at the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. He planned to wait until the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu injured God Emperor Lang Xuan before subduing it.

God Emperor Lang Xuan's battle power grew higher, and his Grand Primordium Divine Ability became fiercer. In just a short moment, he executed twenty-eight great divine arts that had entered the path, causing the corners of Shi Qiluo's eyes to twitch.

'Why is this fellow entering the path so fast? Founding Emperor had only passed down the Dao Realm for ten years, yet he had already cultivated to this step. Even an arch-enemy wouldn't have such comprehension, right?'

Shi Qiluo blinked his eyes and felt sour in his heart. 'Could it be that Divine King Gong's seed is better than his?'

His gaze suddenly landed on the light wheel behind God Emperor Lang Xuan's head. Within the light wheel was God Emperor Lang Xuan's Great Celestial Heavens, and above the Numinous Sky Hall of the Great Celestial Heavens floated a simple and plain fruit.

That fruit was shriveled without any luster. It was wrinkled, but it was spinning continuously.

As the Dao fruit swirled, the Dao runes on God Emperor Lang Xuan's body became stronger. It gave people the feeling that he could enter the Dao again at any time, entering the twenty-ninth heaven of the Dao Realm!

"What's that?"



Shi Qiluo didn't recognize the Dao Fruit and was still looking for an opportunity. Suddenly, a God Execution Stage rushed between the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu and Lang Xuan. Heavenly Lady Qiang stood on the stage and chuckled. "Lang Xuan, I'm here to help you!"

Two streaks of red profound light slashed out from God Execution Stage. Shi Qiluo couldn't help but be furious. "F\*ck you, Grand Emperor, you want to destroy my divine weapon!"

She couldn't hold it in any longer and wanted to take back the control of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu from Heaven Duke.

When she had created the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, she had left behind countless secret doors. The divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu in the hands of the ten Celestial Venerables had long been considered her own, and it was also her capital to get rid of the other Celestial Venerables.

At that moment, seeing that her treasure was about to be severed by Heavenly Lady Qiang, she was naturally furious.

On the other side, God Emperor Lang Xuan was furious. Heavenly Lady Qiang seemed to be dealing with the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, but she was actually planning to kill him as well!

Furthermore, the most sinister thing about Heavenly Lady Qiang was that her two divine knives were aimed at the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. If she cut the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu and seized the Heavenly Dao in it, her power would increase exponentially, and she would cut Lang Xuan's neck in the next moment!

If he avoided it, the Great Celestial Heavens at the back of his head wouldn't be able to avoid it. The Dao fruits in his celestial heavens would probably be cut off!

"The Grand Emperor recognized the Dao Fruit!"

God Emperor Lang Xuan understood Heavenly Lady Qiang's intention and thought to himself, 'Not only does she want to stop me from entering the twenty-ninth Heaven of the Dao Realm, but she also wants to destroy my foundation!'

His divine art suddenly changed, and 28 heavens of the Grand Primordium divine art burst forth. Not only did he attack the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, but he also attacked Heavenly Lady Qiang on the God Execution Stage!

Shi Qiluo immediately controlled the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, stealing the power of the Heavenly Dao for his own use. He instantly felt the terrifying and boundless power of the Heavenly Dao in the body of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, and he couldn't help being delighted. "This trip to Xuandu is the right place... Grand Emperor, Lang Xuan, you guys are courting death!"

He was furious. At this moment, the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was caught in the pincer attack of two terrifying existences, and he would probably die in the next moment. Even if he stole the power of the Heavenly Dao, he wouldn't be able to turn it into his cultivation in time!

"You guys have no idea how terrifying I am!"

## **Chapter 1447: Breaking The Void**

Shi Qiluo unleashed his power, and three divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu, rose into the sky from the Hundred Treasure Chest. They expanded rapidly on the celestial river, and in an instant, all of their power was unleashed!

Some of these divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu, had an innate aura around them, as if Celestial Venerable Hao had personally come. Some were filled with consciousness, as if Celestial Venerable Qiang was personally controlling them. Some were filled with Dao fire, as if Celestial Venerable Huo was controlling them.

Heavenly Lady Qiang, who was standing on the God Execution Stage, was shocked when she saw this scene. 'When Yuanmu created the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, she left behind countless hidden doors. Anyone who uses Celestial Venerable Yu to execute their technique will be seen by her! I've used it once, and she discovered my technique and divine art!'

When the two Celestial Venerables and the four divine weapons collided, the segments of the celestial river evaporated. The destructive waves caused the celestial river in the distance to vibrate violently!

Shi Qiluo stood on a section of the celestial river and activated his divine weapon, gritting his teeth. Suddenly, he sensed danger and hurriedly rose into the air. He saw a blade flash past his neck.

Shi Qiluo's messy head flew in the air, and he saw a divine treasure realm suddenly appearing. Qin Mu, Tian Shu, and the other five masked men stood in the realm and severed their heads with a knife!

"This little enemy!"

Shi Qiluo laughed from extreme anger. Even though Qin Mu and the rest had their faces covered by black cloths, he could still recognize Qin Mu. He immediately controlled his headless body to bring the Hundred Treasure Chest and run.

The hundred treasure chest opened up again, and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was about to fly out. However, he saw a knife slashing down and slicing off the hundred treasure chest.

The knife light changed directions and covered the Hundred Treasure Chest. Qin Mu was about to grab it when he saw Shi Qiluo's headless body giving off a clanging sound. The corporeal body formed by the divine stones suddenly split apart.

Qin Mu and the rest were astonished. They saw that Shi Qiluo's headless body was actually like an incomparably exquisite divine weapon. Countless divine stones transformed back and forth in an incomparably complicated manner, forming an incomparably huge divine weapon in an instant!

"Crap! Shiluo is the ruler of the Patriarch Creation Palace. He borrowed the power of the Patriarch Creation Palace to transform himself!"

When Qin Mu grabbed the Hundred Treasure Chest, Shi Qiluo's head had already landed in the center of the incomparably complicated divine weapon. The divine weapon was activated, and Dao fire blazed, forming the Dao wheel behind Celestial Venerable Huo's head. Meanwhile, the divine weapon was like the Dao fire ancestral land!

Boundless flames rushed over, evaporating everything!

"Mistress Yuanmu's paths, skills, and divine arts are truly strange!"

Qin Mu could only bear the pain and give up on the Hundred Treasure Chest. Before the Dao fire could reach his body, he sliced open the void and rushed into the thirty voids.

The Dao fire roared and was obliterated by the void.

Zhe Huali cried out in astonishment and cried out, "The methods of this Shiluo remind me of that fellow Xing An! When Xing An's abilities are cultivated to the extreme, he will probably be another Shiluo!"

Tian Shu and Luo Wushuang didn't know who Xing An was, so they didn't think too much about it. Butcher, on the other hand, knew everything about Xing An, and he thought to himself, 'Zhe Huali is right, Xing An's abilities are indeed similar to that of Shi Qiluo. The different paths lead to the same destination.'

"Mistress Yuanmu gained too much from controlling the Patriarch Creation Palace. She left a secret door behind for every Celestial Venerable of Divine Imperial Preceptor and used it to pry into the paths, skills, divine arts, and even techniques of other Celestial Venerables. As for the other Celestial Venerables, as long as they borrow the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu to unleash their full power, they will be discovered by her."

Qin Mu turned his head back to look and saw that Shi Qiluo's body was reconstructing again. He soon recovered to his original state, which made people click their tongues in wonder.

At that moment, a terrifying wave exploded. It was Heavenly Lady Qiang's God Execution Mysterious Knife, God Emperor Lang Xuan's Grand Primordium Divine Ability, and the second wave of collision between Shi Qiluo's four great divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu!

This throbbing reached the thirtieth void, making them unable to stabilize their bodies.

Heavenly Lady Qiang was covered in blood from the attacks of Lang Xuan and the two divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu. Her corporeal body was tattered, and she flew out of God Execution Stage.

Her two God Execution Mysterious Knives had also severed one of the divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu, at the waist. They seized the power of the Heavenly Dao within, and their power increased exponentially!

The celestial palaces behind God Emperor Lang Xuan's head were sliced open, and his Dao fruit was damaged. The essence in his Dao fruit was flowing out frantically.

God Emperor Lang Xuan's eyes turned red from the killing, but he was ambushed from the back by two divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu. The flesh on his back became blurry, and his bones broke. Blood spurted out from his mouth as he fell forward.

Because of Qin Mu's sneak attack, Shi Qiluo's head was severed, and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu couldn't control it well. God Emperor Lang Xuan immediately turned around and pointed at the head of a divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, blowing it up and turning it into a headless Celestial Venerable Yu.

Shi Qiluo's head had also been severed by Qin Mu's knife, and his Dao injury hadn't recovered yet. He was unable to reassemble his head and body back to their original state.

Out of the three Celestial Venerables, three were injured, and out of the four great divine weapons, two were actually lost!

"This might be a great opportunity to heavily injure the three Celestial Venerables!"

Qin Mu was indescribably excited, and he moved his feet to carry the four of them back to the battlefield.

"Mu'er, you can't!"

"Celestial Venerable Mu, you can't!"

"Cult Master Qin must not!"

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Butcher, Luo Wushuang, Tian Shu, and Zhe Huali all stretched out their palms to press on Qin Mu's shoulders with grim expressions. One sneak attack was enough, but a second sneak attack was the same as seeking death.

Even though the three Celestial Venerables had a grudge against each other, they would still face a common enemy. Qin Mu was blinded by benefits. If he brought them down, he would definitely be killed by the three Celestial Venerables!

Qin Mu immediately thought of the crucial point and stopped. However, at this moment, the void suddenly became bright, and boundless light rose from behind them.

The five of them were flabbergasted. That was Heaven Duke's palm, and the starlight had materialized into a huge hand!

When the palm moved, it gave off forty-nine types of Dao voices of the Heavenly Dao. They rumbled and vibrated, and at the same time, they were extremely pleasant to the ears!

Heaven Duke waved his hand and slid down. Peng, peng, peng, peng. He pierced through thirty-five voids in a row and attacked the three Celestial Venerables with overflowing power!

When this palm landed on the heads of Qin Mu and the rest, Qin Mu and the rest could even clearly see the palm markings on it. They were palm markings that were different from Postcelestial lifeforms or half-gods.

Those were the markings of the Heavenly Dao. They were profound, profound, and unfathomable. The markings grew larger, becoming more exquisite and minute. There were endless details!

Some markings were like mountains, some were like galaxies, some were like birds, beasts, insects, and fish, and some were like the apparitions of gods and devils. The closer they got, the more details there were!

The hand of Heaven Duke wasn't aimed at them, and it swept past them. However, the palm crushed layers of the void, and the shattered pieces of the void turned into turbulent currents. The turbulent currents lifted Qin Mu and the rest up into the air!

Qin Mu hurriedly executed his divine art and brought Butcher and the rest to dodge continuously. They avoided the incomparably sharp void fragments with difficulty and finally landed on Heaven Duke's arm.

The five of them immediately sprinted up Heaven Duke's arm!

The markings on Heaven Duke's arm were also incomparably detailed, as though they were natural Dao markings. They crossed mountains and rivers at times, and at other times, they leaped over stars and jades. Strange heavenly sounds rang out beside their ears as they vibrated continuously.

Below, Heaven Duke's palm slammed towards the three Celestial Venerables!

Under the control of the consciousness of the Heavenly Dao, Heaven Duke finally started to face the Celestial Venerables head-on!

## **Chapter 1448: Strongest Martial Force**

"Heaven Duke will also seize the chance to launch a sneak attack?"

God Emperor Lang Xuan was both surprised and amused. Even though he was injured by the two Celestial Venerables, these injuries weren't fatal. When Heaven Duke's palm came at him, he immediately stopped attacking Shi Qiluo and Heavenly Lady Qiang. He turned around in the air and raised his power to the maximum without any explanation!

At that moment, his back was facing Heavenly Lady Qiang and Shi Qiluo. His back was empty, and he didn't have any defense. He just stood in front of the two Celestial Venerables.

Shi Qiluo gently waved his hand and imprinted it on the back of his heart. The flesh and blood on God Emperor Lang Xuan's back, which had been shattered by the two divine weapons Celestial Venerable Yu, immediately recovered. His broken bones reconnected, and his injuries were healed.

On the other side, Heavenly Lady Qiang returned to God Execution Stage. With a flick of her sleeve, she brushed past Shi Qiluo's neck. The baleful aura and remnants of the knife path left behind by Qin Mu's knife were immediately absorbed by her, returning to God Execution Stage.

Shi Qiluo's head flew back and landed on his neck. His injuries were healed, and a light wheel flew out from the back of his head and came to Heavenly Lady Qiang's head. The light wheel spun and went from her head to her feet.

Heavenly Lady Qiang's bones and tendons were broken by Lang Xuan, but with the help of Shi Qiluo's Dao of Creation, her corporeal body recovered to its peak.

Even though the three of them had just killed each other and looked like they couldn't wait to get rid of each other, at this moment, they actually treated each other's injuries and didn't have any guard against each other. They looked like comrades that could entrust their lives to each other!

This was the tacit understanding between the ten Celestial Venerables!

In a situation where there were no great enemies, they would strike at each other in all ways, looking for an opportunity to get rid of their opponents. However, when the enemy appeared, they would immediately become allies on the same side, and they could entrust their lives to each other!

This was the reason why the ten Celestial Venerables could remain standing for a million years!

The three Celestial Venerables attacked at almost the same time. The Hundred Treasure Chest behind Shi Qiluo opened up, and another divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu leaped out. Two of his Celestial Venerables were destroyed, but three were still intact.

The three divine weapons roared, and their bodies expanded. Soon, they were many times larger than Shi Qiluo, God Emperor Lang Xuan, and Heavenly Lady Qiang. Even the God Execution Stage of the ancestral court seemed insignificant in front of them!

The bodies of these three divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu, were majestic. They represented the strongest martial power of the celestial heavens in a million years, the most astonishing weapons!

The three gods shook their bodies and transformed into three heads and six arms. Their muscles were sinister, and they raised their eighteen arms high up. With a rumble, they actually blocked Heaven Duke's attack!



The moment they blocked Heaven Duke's attack, the light wheels behind the heads of the three divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu, spun. Under the huge light wheels, Celestial Venerables like Shi Qiluo became even smaller. They stood in front of their toes like ants.

In the light wheels, twenty to thirty celestial palaces leaped out and formed a huge celestial heavens!

Those light wheels were all different colors. There was Celestial Venerable Huo's Dao fire wheel, Celestial Venerable Hao's Precelestial One Wheel, and Heavenly Lady Qiang's consciousness wheel!

Shi Qiluo had borrowed the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu to steal the techniques of the other Celestial Venerables, controlling these three gods to execute the ultimate arts of different Celestial Venerables at the same time. However, he had never used his own ultimate arts.

This scene made Heavenly Lady Qiang and God Emperor Lang Xuan's eyes twitch.

However, they didn't have time to argue with Shi Qiluo. The two Celestial Venerables rose into the air, one from the left and the other from the right. God Emperor Lang Xuan's corporeal body suddenly expanded, and with a stretch of his hand, twenty-eight heavens appeared. His divine art imprinted twenty-eight voids, and the Dao of Absolute Beginning was like a circular plate that slashed at Heaven Duke's arm!

His divine art of Absolute Beginning was even more intricate than the divine essence finger, and its power was even more powerful. With one strike, it sliced open Heaven Duke's arm!

Heavenly Lady Qiang stood on the God Execution Stage and executed her baleful aura and divine knife. The two baleful auras became thicker and stronger like dragons. They swirled around Heaven Duke's severed arm and sliced it into pieces to steal the power of the Heavenly Dao!

The three Celestial Venerables worked together seamlessly, and this sight made the hearts of Qin Mu and the rest, who were sprinting along Heaven Duke's arm, sink. At the same time, they secretly rejoiced.

If Qin Mu had attacked the three Celestial Venerables recklessly, he would have died by now!

The three Celestial Venerables worked together and easily severed one of Heaven Duke's arms. This made the hearts of the five of them sink. Celestial Venerables were too powerful. If Heaven Duke couldn't defend against the three Celestial Venerables working together, how could they fight this battle?

Who in the world could resist the combined forces of three Celestial Venerables?

Furthermore, not only were there three Celestial Venerables in Xuandu, but there were also five Celestial Venerables—Hong, Huo, Qiang, Lang, and Shi—who had appeared on the surface!

No one knew if there were other Celestial Venerables hiding in the dark!

At the very least, Ancestral God King had yet to appear. Ancestral God King would definitely come here!

Tian Shu's voice was hoarse as he picked up a jar of wine and poured it into his stomach. He hissed, "Founding Emperor told us to hold on first, but even Heaven Duke couldn't..."

Right at this moment, light suddenly shone brightly in Xuandu, and countless stars rushed over frantically to gather at Heaven Duke's severed arm.

Dao sounds rumbled as Heaven Duke's severed arm grew. The five fingers on the severed arm opened up, and the muscles broke down. The bones, blood, and tendons instantly transformed into 49 types of Heavenly Dao treasures that floated around the three Celestial Venerables.

It was a treasure of the Heavenly Dao formed by Heaven Duke's corporeal body, and its power was abnormally great. Under the control of the treasure of the heavenly outline, all the treasures of the Heavenly Dao merged into one. It was like a world of Xuandu that covered the three Celestial Venerables and the three divine weapons Celestial Venerable Yu.

The forty-nine different Heavenly Dao treasures shone brightly, and the buzzing sound was as if the Heavenly Dao was shouting "Seal", "Seal", and "Seal"!

The forty-nine Heavenly Dao treasures combined to form a huge seal that suppressed Shi Qiluo, Lang Xuan, Heavenly Lady Qiang, and the three divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu!

Qin Mu and the rest looked on with smiles of exultation. Just as they were about to speak, cracks suddenly appeared on the great seal of the Heavenly Dao, and it shattered into pieces in the next moment!

"Strong!"

Zhe Huali couldn't help exclaiming in admiration. Tian Shu was still pouring wine into his stomach, and his calves were still trembling. He shouted loudly, "Stop looking, hurry up and rush forward! Heaven Duke can't stop these fierce people!"

Everyone increased their speed. During this period of time, they still couldn't run from Heaven Duke's arm to his shoulder.

Heaven Duke's body was too imposing. With such a huge body, he could definitely gather unparalleled power, but if his body was too big, there would also be a consequence, which was that he couldn't move.

Heaven Duke and Earth Count had the same weakness. Their huge corporeal bodies made their attacks slow when facing existences of the same strength, and they didn't have many methods to attack.

'Unless Heaven Duke can shrink his body, no matter how strong he is, he will still be eaten by ants!'

Just as Qin Mu thought until here, he suddenly felt Heaven Duke's body trembling violently. Violent heavenly wind blew past them, making it hard for the five of them to stand firm!

It was another arm of Heaven Duke smashing down on the three Celestial Venerables!

The five of them hurriedly stopped to prevent themselves from being blown away by the wind. After this heavenly wind passed, the five of them were about to take a step forward when heavenly lightning suddenly shook them again. The lightning formed a rolling sea of lightning, and a fist broke through the sea of lightning and passed beneath them!

Qin Mu, Butcher, Zhe Huali, Luo Wushuang, and the drunk Tian Shu raised their heads to look and instantly saw an incomparably spectacular sight. In the sky of Xuandu, countless arms descended from the sky. They formed different

palm skills, mudra skills, fist skills, and hook skills as they attacked the three Celestial Venerables!

The power contained in every palm was surging and powerful. Every strike had 49 Heavenly Dao resonance!

Every strike of Heaven Duke represented the power of a perfected Celestial Heavens Realm!

Heavenly Lady Qiang raised her God Execution Mysterious Knife to receive the first blow, severing one of Heaven Duke's arms. The second blow sent her and God Execution Stage flying, followed by the third, fourth, and fifth blows like a storm!

God Emperor Lang Xuan used all his strength to activate that shriveled Dao Fruit, and the power of the Grand Primordium divine art was peerless. It continuously shattered Heaven Duke's arms and severed his palms. However, in the next moment, the Dao Fruit suddenly circulated obscurely, and it was also sent flying by the Great Heaven Dao Palm.

He was in midair when the huge hand of the Heavenly Dao landed on his body one after another, causing him to spew blood!

Shi Qiluo tried his best to control the three divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu. However, every punch from Heaven Duke was like an attack from Ancestral God King that had unified the 49 Heavenly Dao treasures and transformed them into Heavenly Dao treasures. The divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu couldn't raise his head, and her Dao heart trembled. The celestial palaces behind the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu crumbled one after another!

This was the power of the perfected realm of the celestial heavens!

Even though Heaven Duke had no realm, in Xuandu, he represented the strongest martial power in the world!

"Four-faced god, perfect four-faced god, no flaw!" Tian Shu drank his wine and muttered.

Qin Mu's heart sank. He knew that Heaven Duke wasn't perfect. There were places in the world where Xuandu couldn't shine, and there were also places where the Heavenly Dao couldn't reach.

At this moment, he saw Celestial Venerable Hong getting rid of Celestial Venerable Yue's harassment and flying over.

## Chapter 1449: You're Going to Die

The corners of Qin Mu's eyes twitched. He retracted his gaze from Celestial Venerable Hong and said solemnly, "Let's continue forward!"

At this moment, they were being attacked by Heaven Duke. Every divine art of the Heavenly Dao was perfect, and their power was so overwhelming. There were crumbling voids everywhere, making it difficult for the five of them to move forward.

Qin Mu brought them up with great effort, and the five of them executed their knife skills to slice apart the void fragments that were approaching them. Even so, they were soon covered in injuries.

In front of him, on Heaven Duke's shoulder seemed to be a boundless path that had no end.

Right at this moment, violent tremors came over. Qin Mu looked back with the crumbling void. The light was dazzling, and he couldn't see what was happening.

The eye in the heart of his brows opened up, and he saw Celestial Venerable Hong breaking through Heaven Duke's attacks. His magic power was overflowing, and his divine arts were marvelous. It was extremely easy for him to break through the divine arts of the Heavenly Dao!

He had saved God Emperor Lang Xuan and the rest. No matter how fierce and overbearing Heaven Duke's attacks were, they couldn't hurt him at all.

This situation seemed to have been rehearsed many times, and he was incomparably familiar with all of Heaven Duke's Heavenly Dao divine arts. He even thought of all the ways to break the attacks of the Heavenly Dao!

"Of course you can break your divine art. Celestial Venerable Hong, are you looking forward to Heaven Duke's power so much..."

Qin Mu's expression was grim. He turned his head back and said with a hoarse voice, "Continue forward!"

"Where are we going?"

Zhe Huali's entire body was covered in blood, and he said furiously, "Cult Master Qin, even if we can walk on Heaven Duke's shoulder, we won't be able to interfere when facing such an attack! Even Heaven Duke can't block it, so how can we?"

Luo Wushuang nodded silently and glanced at the Imperial Gate Divine Knife that had flashed in front of him. His shadow was covered in wounds as he said, "Celestial Venerable Mu, we have done our best."

"Block it!"

Qin Mu continued to walk forward and said solemnly, "As long as we reach Heaven Duke's spirit platform, we will be able to block it!"

Suddenly, the sound of a zither rang out, and it drifted up and down, left and right, sometimes east and sometimes west. The void turbulence around Qin Mu and the rest was stirred by the sound of the zither and vanished without a trace.

"Let's take this chance to rush forward!" Qin Mu shouted loudly.

The five of them increased their speed and rushed forward. Gradually, Heaven Duke's shoulder could be seen, and the face of Heaven Duke could be faintly seen hidden in the light.

The zither notes suddenly stopped, and Dao fire roared. The sound of the strings breaking could be heard.

Qin Mu's heart sank. He didn't care about Celestial Venerable Yue's safety and rushed forward frantically.

Finally, they came to Heaven Duke's shoulder. It was calm here, and there was no terrifying void storm or turbulence. There were no void fragments either.

On Heaven Duke's shoulder were magnificent god cities, and there were numerous gods and devils of Xuandu guarding them.

The five of them were covered in blood as they barged into the nearest god city.

In the god city, countless people of Xuandu knelt on the ground and worshiped the sculpture of Heaven Duke, praying for his protection.

Their prayers and sacrificial voices merged together into a shocking torrent.

It was difficult to break the god in one's heart because people worshiped power, feared the unknown, yearned for the future, and didn't want to work hard to improve.

Especially in a place like Xuandu, it was even harder to break the god in one's heart.

Heaven Duke was in danger and couldn't even protect himself, but these people of Xuandu were still praying that Heaven Duke could protect them.

With the blessing of the Heavenly Dao on the five of them, the gods and devils of Xuandu guarding the city didn't stop them. Qin Mu quickly came to the center of the city, and Zhe Huali pulled out his knife to cut down the sculpture of Heaven Duke. However, Butcher stretched out his hand to stop him. He shook his head and said, "Let them have some hope. If you cut down Heaven Duke's sculpture, their hope will be gone."

Zhe Huali wiped away the blood on his face and snorted. "What's the use?" However, he still put down his demon knife dragon teeth and didn't cut off the sculpture of Heaven Duke.

Qin Mu came to the front of the statue and bowed. "Dao brother, we have something to discuss. May Dao brother shrink your body and guide us to the spirit platform!"

After a moment, the statue remained motionless.

However, this god city suddenly trembled violently, and the ground shook. Buildings crumbled one after another.

Cries rang out in the city, and the people of Xuandu kowtowed even more urgently to the god statue of Heaven Duke. They chanted and their speed became faster, and their expressions became more sincere.

Celestial Venerable Hong personally took action and led the three Celestial Venerables to attack Heaven Duke. The destructive power of the battle between the Celestial Venerables had already reached this place.

With Celestial Venerable Hong, who knew everything about Heaven Duke and the Heavenly Dao, it wouldn't be long before all of Heaven Duke's attacks disintegrated, and this place would be destroyed as well!

Qin Mu frowned and said solemnly, "I'm here on Dao Brother Tai Yi's orders to discuss something! Even though the Heavenly Dao has controlled your movements and your body, I know your consciousness is still there! Dao Brother, are you not going to give Dao Brother Tai Yi face?"

After a moment, the god statue of Heaven Duke suddenly came to life and opened its eyes to look at him. It smiled and said, "Celestial Venerable Mu, how extraordinary is Dao Brother Tai Yi? He doesn't care about everything that happened in Xuandu. It's not that he doesn't care, it's just that it can't affect his Dao heart. Even existences like you and I are merely ripples in his Dao heart, an insignificant wave. He won't let you come."

Qin Mu's gaze landed on the eyes of the god statue, and he said, "You are not Tai Yi, so don't use your thoughts to guess what's too easy. You will make a wrong judgment."

The god statue fell silent.

Even more violent waves crashed into this place. The ground cracked, houses collapsed, and the people of Xuandu cried endlessly.

Qin Mu couldn't take his eyes off it. He seemed to ignore everything in the outside world and only stared at the eyes of the god statue.

The god statue of Heaven Duke sighed. "Even though I know you are lying to me, I really don't know what Tai Yi is thinking and can't make an accurate judgment. Forget it, come and see me."

Suddenly, Heaven Duke's incomparably huge body shrunk. Celestial Venerable Hong and the rest, who were attacking Heaven Duke, were astonished. Heaven Duke, who was filling up almost the entire Xuandu, became smaller. In an instant, he pulled apart the distance between them and Heaven Duke. There was nothing between them and Heaven Duke!



"Celestial Venerable Mu!" Celestial Venerable Hong snorted, and his sleeves fluttered as he flew towards Heaven Duke.

Shi Qiluo, God Emperor Lang Xuan, and Heavenly Lady Qiang hurriedly followed. The three Celestial Venerables looked at each other before looking at Celestial Venerable Hong.

Even though Heaven Duke had shrunk to the extreme, he was still incomparably huge. Qin Mu brought Zhe Huali, Butcher, and the rest into the sky and flew towards the heart of Heaven Duke's brows.

The spirit platform was at the heart of his brows, and the starlight at the heart of Heaven Duke's brows was dense. It was the place where his consciousness gathered. Qin Mu brought the four of them into the dense starlight and landed on a platform.

The platform was formed by the Heavenly Dao, and it was like beautiful jade. There were all kinds of gorgeous rune markings of the Heavenly Dao on it, and there were also all kinds of Heavenly Dao treasures in the form of the Heavenly Dao around it. There were also all kinds of Heavenly Dao markings on it.

The five of them had never been here before. They looked at the beautiful buildings and the shape of the treasures, and their hearts were indescribably shaken.

Qin Mu quickly walked towards the celestial palace at the center of the platform and saw the primordial spirit of the Heaven Duke with his white eyebrows, white beard, and snow white eyes already waiting there.

"You are going to die!" Qin Mu went straight to the point.

## **Chapter 1450: Nine Hells Locking Heaven Duke**

"Die?"

Heaven Duke's primordial spirit welcomed them and invited them into his celestial palace. He said leisurely, "I'm looking forward to this day. I'm looking forward to my death and getting rid of the restraints of the Heavenly Dao. Celestial Venerable Mu, you are free and at ease. You aren't an ancient god

born from the Great Dao, so you don't understand the pressure of the Great Dao on me. This is my body. Look, can I still use my body now?"

"What do you mean by that?"

He said sorrowfully, "Dao gods were born with no choice. Now, the consciousness of the Heavenly Dao has completely controlled my body and even my primordial spirit. Even though I have my own consciousness, every action of mine will be controlled by the Heavenly Dao. Do you think I'm the one controlling my body now? No! It's the Heavenly Dao!"

"It's the Heavenly Dao that moves in this universe! I'm not a free body, I'm just a puppet of the Heavenly Dao! You guys are envious of Heaven Duke's power. Heaven Duke is high up and has boundless power, while I hate him. I hate that I was imprisoned in this body the moment I was born!"

He was actually a little excited, but he was suppressing his excitement in front of Qin Mu and the rest.

"I'm even envious of gods. They were born from sacrifices, and there aren't as many restrictions as Dao begets gods. I'm also envious of the thousands of living beings in the boundless universe. They are as tiny as ants, but they can be free..."

"No! You're not envious of them!"

Qin Mu stopped and looked at him coldly. "Why would Heaven Duke be envious of these ants? Heaven Duke, your goal is to jump out of the control of the Heavenly Dao. When you jump out, you don't have to become an ant. Instead, you have to maintain Heaven Duke's power and remain high above! What you want to do isn't to become all life, but to rule all life!"

"Wrong!"

The primordial spirit of Heaven Duke also stopped and turned around to look at Qin Mu and the rest. He said solemnly, "You are right to say that I don't envy ants, but the second half of your sentence is a huge mistake! I'm not trying to rule over all living things, what I want to do is to transcend! Transcend beyond the Heavenly Dao and reach a realm that is unrestrained like Dao Brother Tai Yi!"

Qin Mu pointed at him and laughed loudly. "Do you know what Celestial Venerable Hong is thinking? Do you know that Celestial Venerable Hong's so-called transcending the Heavenly Dao is to completely kill the previous Heaven Duke and become the ten Celestial Venerables, becoming the ruler of this universe? You can't do that!"

Even though he was laughing, there was no joy on his face or in his heart.

Butcher frowned.

He had a deep understanding of Qin Mu. After all, Qin Mu was raised by him and the other elders of Disabled Elderly Village. Qin Mu's expression often showed that Qin Mu's concern and importance had reached a point where he would abandon his rationality!

At this moment, Qin Mu only had one method, and that was to stop at nothing!

He secretly turned the handle of Heaven Knife, and Zhe Huali, Luo Wushuang, and the rest instantly understood. Tian Shu suddenly raised his head and drank two mouthfuls of wine to boost his courage.

They were already prepared. Even if Qin Mu really fell out with Heaven Duke on the spirit platform, even if they had to face the attack of the Heavenly Dao, they wouldn't hesitate.

"Of course I know."

The primordial spirit of Heaven Duke was still as indifferent as before. He said calmly, "Celestial Venerable Hong is me, and his thoughts are my thoughts. Celestial Venerable Mu, do you think that Celestial Venerable Hong is just a soul of mine? He has been roaming the mortal world for too long and has been tainted by the mortal world, thus becoming one of the ten Celestial Venerables? Do you think that he and I aren't one and the same? Do you think that he is hiding those things from me? In that case, you are wrong, very wrong."

The white light in his eyes floated like multicolored clouds, and his voice was as loud as a heavenly bell. "Celestial Venerable Hong is me. All of his thoughts are my thoughts! All of his actions are my actions, and all of his thoughts are reflected in my heart. His pursuit of desire is also my pursuit of desire!"

Qin Mu clenched his fists and said with a hoarse voice, "His desire and pursuit are part of your desire and pursuit, right?"

Heaven Duke's primordial spirit revealed a smile. "You have finally understood this point. That's right, all of Celestial Venerable Hong's thoughts are just a part of my thoughts. He is a part of me and can't replace me. When I die, I will break free from the control of the Heavenly Dao and my thoughts will descend. All of his thoughts and desires will become a part of me."

"In that case, do you still have the heart of heaven? Will you still have the heart of heaven?"

Qin Mu asked, "At that time, will you become one of the ten Celestial Venerables, or will you still be Heaven Duke?"

Heaven Duke's primordial spirit thought about it and said, "What is heaven's heart? What The Heavenly Dao seeks is heaven's heart, which is my heart. What I seek is heaven's heart."

Just as he said that, Qin Mu immediately made his move. The first move he made was the twenty-fifth heaven of his divine arts, Nine Hells Locking Heart Dao!

Countless sharp thorns burst forth in Heaven Duke's spirit platform. The moment they landed on the ground, they expanded and transformed into slanted mountain peaks that turned into a prison!

Layers and layers of Hell Stage swirled around Heaven Duke's primordial spirit, trapping him within!

Nine prisons locking the heart, locking the Dao heart!

The Dao heart wasn't equivalent to the Dao Realm. When one's Dao heart was locked, it would affect one's performance in the Dao Realm. It would also affect one's perception of the Dao, recovery ability, and advancement in cultivation!

The moment Qin Mu executed the Nine Hells Locking Heart Technique, the Heavenly Dao runes on the ground of Heaven Duke's spirit platform hummed, and the shape of the Heavenly Dao treasure on the spirit embryo trembled. This was the fury of the Heavenly Dao!

If anyone dared to attack Heaven Duke, the Heavenly Dao would control Heaven Duke to kill them!

When Qin Mu made his move, Butcher, Zhe Huali, Tian Shu, and Luo Wushuang all pulled out their knives. Four knives rang out, and the four figures fell out from all directions. Their cultivation was still not enough, and in front of the copious power of Heaven Duke's Heavenly Dao, any intricate knife skill divine art would be easily broken!

Just as Qin Mu was about to die in the power of the Heavenly Dao, the treasures of the Heavenly Dao and the imprint of the Heavenly Dao suddenly froze.

Heaven Duke's primordial spirit trembled, and he used all his willpower to resist the will of the Heavenly Dao. His voice was hoarse as he said, "Celestial Venerable Mu, disperse your divine art. You can still live. I can't resist the will of the Heavenly Dao!"

Qin Mu looked at the primordial spirit of Heaven Duke in Nine Hells Stage and clenched his fists. "Walk out of this divine art first!"

Heaven Duke's primordial spirit walked up.

With a move of his feet, thorns grew everywhere!

Countless thorns pierced through the four walls of Nine Hells Platform, making it hard for him to move!

What was even more terrifying was the thorny forest that targeted his Dao heart. Even if he didn't move, he could still feel the intense pain coming from his Dao heart!

Suddenly, Heaven Duke's spirit platform trembled again, and the treasures of the Heavenly Dao and the imprints of the Heavenly Dao burst forth with power once again. Butcher and the rest got up and surrounded Qin Mu. They held their knives and looked at the Heavenly Dao light and the treasures of the Heavenly Dao that were spreading out in all directions!

The heavenly might here was simply too powerful. It was so powerful that a single ripple was enough to turn them into ashes and cease to exist!

"Cult Master Qin, I think you can consider Heaven Duke's opinion!"

Zhe Huali licked the blood at the corner of his mouth and suggested, "There's no need to sacrifice your life and our lives for the person in your heart that you respect but isn't worthy of respect in reality!"

## Chapter 1451: The Path Is Long

Qin Mu looked at the primordial spirit of Heaven Duke in the Nine Hells Stage, and hope could still be seen in his eyes. He really hoped that Heaven Duke could walk out of the Nine Hells Stage, which proved that his comprehension of the Heavenly Dao was extremely deep. He hoped that even the Nine Hells Stage couldn't lock his Dao heart!

Only then would Heaven Duke be the Heaven Duke with a heaven's heart, not a Celestial Venerable Hong ruled by his desires!

Only then would he exhaust all his strength to protect Heaven Duke's life!

However, the primordial spirit of Heaven Duke didn't manage to walk out of the Nine Hells Stage as he wished.

The Dao heart wasn't as easy to cultivate as people imagined. If one wanted to cultivate the Dao heart, not only did they need powerful magic power, but they also needed to experience the world's Great Dao.

Heaven Duke lived in Xuandu, and he was too tall and too far away. He also resisted the Heavenly Dao, so his Dao heart wasn't as strong as Qin Mu had imagined.

Heaven Duke was still suppressing the consciousness of the Heavenly Dao and didn't let it attack Qin Mu. This gave Qin Mu a glimmer of hope.

However, as the pain from the Nine Hells Platform grew deeper, Heaven Duke also found it harder to resist the consciousness of the Heavenly Dao.

Tian Shu, Butcher, Luo Wushuang, and Zhe Huali gripped their knives tightly and stared at their surroundings. Beads of sweat mixed with blood flowed down their foreheads. They no longer hurried Qin Mu because as long as he made up his mind, he would rarely change it.

They were Qin Mu's friends and family, and they understood everything he had done.

Suddenly, Qin Mu dispersed Nine Hells Stage, and the pressure of the Heavenly Dao in the surroundings also dissipated.

The bodies of the four people softened, and they almost knelt on the ground. Qin Mu still made a change and made a compromise. He didn't push himself to the end.

"He's worried about our lives."

Butcher held onto Heaven Knife to prevent himself from falling down. He thought to himself, 'If Mu'er was here alone, he would probably use his life to gamble that Heaven Duke won't walk out of Nine Hells Stage. However, with us by his side, he doesn't dare to gamble. In his heart, our lives are as important as Heaven Duke's.'

Qin Mu closed his eyes and didn't look at the primordial spirit of Heaven Duke walking over.

Heaven Duke's primordial spirit came to his side, and he still looked like the white-bearded old man that Qin Fengqing had chased all over the Qin world back then. He had a kind expression and smiled. "Celestial Venerable Mu, the obsession in your heart is too deep."

Qin Mu suddenly opened his eyes and revealed a smile.

He took out a brush and paper and spread them out on the ground. He bent down and started to write. Soon, he drew a roll of Nine Hells Platform on the paper and hurriedly rolled it up before handing it to Heaven Duke.

Heaven Duke was slightly stunned and caught the painting.

"Dao brother, don't open it now. Open it after I leave."

Qin Mu smiled. "In that case, even if the Heavenly Dao wants to attack me, it won't be able to."

Heaven Duke's primordial spirit asked, "What will happen if I open this painting?"

"Just like before."

Qin Mu didn't hide anything and said, "You will be locked up by Nine Hells Platform and fall into it. You will feel the pain of your Dao heart."

Heaven Duke's primordial spirit asked, "What if I don't open this painting and destroy it instead?"

"In that case, I shall stay far away from Xuandu and stop you from seeking death."

Qin Mu said solemnly, "I will also persuade Celestial Venerable Yue, Celestial Venerable You, Divine King Lang Wo, and Founding Emperor to leave together so that you can fulfill your wish!"

Heaven Duke's primordial spirit asked again, "If I open this painting, will you stop me from begging for death and not let me break free from the restraints of the Heavenly Dao?"

Qin Mu shook his head. "I will do my best to stop the ten Celestial Venerables, but I won't stop you from seeking death. There's a difference between the two. If you open this painting, you will still be my Dao brother. I will do everything I can to help you!"

Heaven Duke's primordial spirit muttered to himself for a moment before accepting the painting scroll. "Let me consider."

Qin Mu's divine treasure realm spread out and swept Butcher, Tian Shu, and the rest out.

Heaven Duke's primordial spirit saw them off, and his gaze landed on the scroll that was rolled up. After a moment, he put the scroll aside and didn't open it. However, he would look at it from time to time.

Outside, the will of the Heavenly Dao was controlling his body to fight with Celestial Venerable Hong and the rest. Celestial Venerable Yue, Lang You, and the rest were trying their best to stop him. Both sides fought until the sky collapsed and the earth cracked. Only this place was relatively quiet.

He stood there silently with a lump of heavenly fire crystal floating on his palm. The crystal continued to grow and spin, and the surface of the crystal reflected the faces from different angles.



He only needed to flick his finger to burn the painting and destroy Qin Mu's divine art. However, he never made a decision.

Qin Mu carried Butcher and the rest out of Heaven Duke's body, and his feet paused. A Paramita Divine Boat appeared under his feet and carried them into the layers of void, far away from the battlefield.

After a long time, the Paramita Divine Boat sailed out of the void and dispersed.

Qin Mu sat in the void and watched the battle between Heaven Duke, Celestial Venerable Hong, and the rest from afar, speechless.

After the time it takes for an incense stick to burn, he stood up and seemed to have nothing on his mind. He took out all kinds of herbs to refine spirit pills to treat the injuries of Butcher, Tian Shu, and the rest, removing their Dao injuries.

The four of them looked at each other and didn't say anything.

Qin Mu treated their injuries and examined them in detail. He only stopped after confirming that they didn't leave any hidden ailments.

Zhe Huali finally couldn't resist asking, "Heaven Duke didn't open that painting of yours?"

Qin Mu shook his head and said indifferently, "No."

Luo Wushuang suddenly said, "It's impossible for Heaven Duke to open that painting. If you help him, you will only stop him from escaping the control of the Heavenly Dao! In order to escape the control of the Heavenly Dao, he set this trap, so why does he need to break his own trap?"

Tian Shu nodded and said, "One-Armed is right. An existence like Heaven Duke is too close to the sky and too far away from the ground. He doesn't have our thoughts. Call Celestial Venerable Yue, Celestial Venerable You, and the rest, we should go. There's no need for us to fight to the death for Heaven Duke, not to mention he doesn't appreciate it."

Qin Mu hesitated.

Butcher said, "Why don't we wait a little longer?"

Qin Mu revealed a smile. "In that case, let's wait a little longer."

The five of them sat down quietly to recuperate their breathing and waited quietly.

Qin Mu was still paying attention to the battlefield when the corners of his eyes twitched. He saw Celestial Venerable You, Lang, and Celestial Venerable Yue getting injured one after another. He sighed and stood up. "There's no need to wait. Let's inform them to retreat from Xuandu."

Butcher and the rest also got up silently and followed him to the battlefield.

At that moment, Celestial Venerable Hong led the other Celestial Venerables to attack Heaven Duke again, causing him to suffer more injuries. Even if he had the power of the Great Celestial Heavens and boundless power, he wouldn't be able to escape death in the main battlefield of Xuandu!

Qin Mu and the rest approached Celestial Venerable Yue and the rest. Celestial Venerable Yue, Celestial Venerable You, and Divine King Lang were trying their best to stop Celestial Venerable Hong and the rest, but the results were minimal.

"Celestial Venerable Yue, Celestial Venerable You, Lang, stop!"

Qin Mu's consciousness rippled, and he transmitted his voice to the three of them. "There's no need to continue..."

Suddenly, his body trembled violently, and he looked at Heaven Duke in disbelief.

He felt that the painting was opened, and the divine art of Nine Hells Locking The Dao Heart was activated!

On Heaven Duke's spirit platform, Heaven Duke's primordial spirit looked at the Nine Prison Lock Technique that had been activated. Thorns grew on the Nine Prison Platform and touched his Dao heart.

"The path of cultivation is long, and the path of transcendence is arduous. Perhaps searching up and down is the right path."

He jumped into the Nine Hells Stage, and intense pain came, sealing his Dao heart!

Qin Mu laughed loudly, and he was full of energy. With his long knife, he carried Butcher and the rest towards Celestial Venerable Huo, who was attacking Celestial Venerable Yue!

## Chapter 1452: Heaven's Heart Is My Heart

In the Ancestral Court's Heavenly Sea, Founding Emperor gently walked on the sea surface of the Heavenly Sea. Only when his feet landed would the Heavenly Sea ripple.

"Heaven's Heart is my heart."

When he first came here and walked on the surface of the sea, waves suddenly rose and fell on the surface of the sea. This was the reaction of his Dao heart on the sea.

This kind of situation was as breathtaking as a dream. He could see the flaws in his Dao heart and the deficiencies that existed. These flaws and deficiencies would evolve into perilous waves. He would travel through these perilous waves to subdue the heart devils and nourish his Dao heart, making his Dao heart become purer.

Now that he was walking on the surface of the sea, there were no longer any waves, only ripples.

His Dao heart was calm and steady to a terrifying degree.

He stopped and stared at the surface of the sea. The surface of the sea was like a mirror, reflecting everything in Xuandu.

The battle in Xuandu was seen by him, and ripples appeared under his feet, which meant that his Dao heart wasn't calm.

"There's no time to go to Nine Hells Stage, I have to go to Xuandu."

Founding Emperor tidied up his clothes and looked at his appearance in the mirror before walking away.

Not long after he left, Celestial Venerable Hao's figure gradually came out of the void and materialized. His footsteps landed on the sea surface.

When his feet landed on the surface of the sea, waves surged, but he quickly regained his composure.

Celestial Venerable Hao retracted his gaze from Founding Emperor's direction and looked at the calm sea surface, observing the battle situation in Xuandu.

"It's time to head to Xuandu."

Celestial Venerable Hao revealed a smile. Behind him, the apparition of Goddess Tai Su appeared, leaving no reflection on the sea surface.

'True strong practitioners should be like Founding Emperor, they should be able to keep their composure.'

Celestial Venerable Hao walked over, and with a move of his feet, waves rose on the surface of the sea again. However, the waves weren't huge, and he passed through them as if they were nothing.

Even though his Dao heart wasn't as strong as Founding Emperor's, it wasn't weak either. If it was anyone else that came to the Heavenly Sea, the waves in his Dao heart would probably form a torrential storm, while he would only create waves!

Furthermore, as he moved, the waves gradually became lighter.

"This battle isn't just to get rid of Heaven Duke. It's also to get rid of a powerful enemy that can threaten your position among the ten Celestial Venerables."

Goddess Tai Su gradually dimmed behind him, but her voice was clearly transmitted into his ears. It was as if she was whispering in his ear, "Celestial Venerable Hong will no longer be a threat to you... Nephew, the waves you created on the sea were extremely light. It seems like your Dao heart isn't weaker than Founding Emperor's."

Celestial Venerable Hao walked towards the celestial river and said, "It's just that his Dao heart is stable, and he's slightly inferior to him. However, in the Dao Realm, he's much better than me. Founding Emperor pays attention to the Dao Realm, while I pay attention to strength. From now on, I will learn from him in the Dao Realm. My greatest strength is this."

He smiled and said leisurely, "Back then, I learned Celestial Venerable Yu's method to become a god and got rid of Celestial Venerable Yu. Today, I can

also learn Founding Emperor's Dao Realm and get rid of him. My Dao heart is strong enough, so learning the Dao Realm isn't as difficult as I thought."

Tai Su's figure completely vanished as she asked softly, "In that case, how did you cultivate your Dao heart to this extent?"

"When I was at my most glorious moment, I suddenly fell to the bottom of the valley and lay on the sickbed for thousands of years."

Celestial Venerable Hao stopped in his tracks and tilted his head to recall the past. "In those thousands of years, I suffered countless eye rolls, countless ridicule, and even the people who followed me back then all left me, laughing at me and scolding me. After experiencing this great upheaval, my Dao heart became incomparably firm and steady."

His gaze revealed incomparably strong confidence and conviction, and he said loudly, "The reason why I laid on the sickbed for so long wasn't because of the injuries on my body, but because of the injuries on my Dao heart! When I got up from the sickbed, no one in this world would be able to defeat my Dao heart! From then on, I looked at the cold and the warm, and I saw through the so-called kinship, friendship, and love. From then on, I only lived for myself!"

"I got rid of one hindrance after another of my brothers and sisters, and even the crown prince was tricked by me and became Xie Wuqi!"

"I became the leader of the half-gods in one leap and formed the Dragon Heaven Celestial Heavens to rule over the half-gods of the world once again. Celestial Venerable Yun and I worked together to get rid of my father, who was high up in the sky and seemed to be impossible to defeat. I even took over the nest of the magpie, slowly encroaching on it and stealing the power of the Heaven Alliance!"

"In the past million years, father lost, Celestial Venerable Yun lost, Celestial Venerable Huo submitted, Celestial Venerable Yue lost, Celestial Venerable Ling lost, and my opponents became fewer."

The confidence and conviction in his eyes transformed into a smile. "Now, it's Founding Emperor's turn, and it's the turn of the ten Celestial Venerables! Celestial Venerable Hong is the first, followed by the Grand Emperor, and the Father God who has made a comeback!"

His Dao heart became more stable, and there were no ripples on the surface of the sea!

Tai Su slowly revealed his form and said softly, "In that case, what about the person who made you lie on the sickbed for a thousand years a million years and then made you fall from the peak to the dust again a million years later? The person who made you lose face in the Great Void?"

Her voice seemed to have a strange magical power. The muscles at the corners of Celestial Venerable Hao's eyes twitched. The calm sea suddenly became turbulent, and the waves rose!

Huge waves crashed into the sky, and the sky was covered in darkness. Lightning crackled, and it was as terrifying as hell!

Only after a long time did the phenomenon of the sky sea calm down.

Celestial Venerable Hao's fluttering clothes gradually calmed down. He didn't answer Tai Su's question and walked towards the celestial river.

The two great ups and downs in his life were all thanks to Qin Mu. Lying on the sickbed for over a thousand years was the sword wound and Dao heart injury that Qin Mu had inflicted on him.

Meeting the Grand Emperor in the Land of the Great Void and fighting him head-on was also Qin Mu's doing. Qin Mu even personally found him, who was recuperating and preparing to take another step forward. Not only did he ruin his plan to take another step forward, but he even chased him for 600,000 miles!

His face was completely wiped out in front of the army of Carefree Village!

He had to kneel down and lick Tai Su's feet to survive!

In order to rise again, he had no choice but to ask a tiger for its skin. He had no choice but to rely on Tai Su's power.

All of this was thanks to Qin Mu!

Only Qin Mu could make his Dao heart go into chaos!

Goddess Tai Su revealed a smile and slowly vanished.

In Xuandu, Celestial Venerable Huo stood on the Dao Fire Ancestral Land. The Dao fire burned furiously, burning the void and melting everything.

South Deity Zhu Que had such a powerful Dao fire in her hands, but she didn't know why. Only he could unleash the power of the Dao fire ancestral land to its maximum!

Standing on the Dao fire sacrificial altar, he seemed to be the ruler of heaven and earth. With the sacrificial altar as the center, the entire universe became the nine heavens of the sacrificial altar.

He could cut off layers of space with a finger, making Celestial Venerable Yue exhausted from dealing with him!

His dense magic power surpassed that of Celestial Venerable Yue. Now, he wasn't in a hurry to take Celestial Venerable Yue's life. Instead, he was wary of Celestial Venerable You and Divine King Lang, especially Divine King Lang, who posed a great threat to him.

Dao Fire Ancestor's land could distort space, but it couldn't. Divine King Lang's attack was coming from the void!

Furthermore, his more important target was Heaven Duke.

The death of Heaven Duke would be a great opportunity for him to divide his benefits. Whether he could take another step would depend on this!

Just as he was distracted by looking at Heaven Duke and guarding against Celestial Venerable Lang You, a divine knife came from the thirtieth void and struck his face ruthlessly, causing blood to splatter everywhere!

Celestial Venerable Huo was astonished. To him, the Dao Fire Ancestral Land was equivalent to an undefeatable place. Standing there, apart from the great improvement of his precelestial Dao fire, the Dao Fire Ancestral Land also allowed him to see through all attacks!

Except for the void.

Only the void couldn't be distorted and melted by the Dao fire.

This knife just had to come from the depths of the void and strike his face!

This knife was so ruthless that it almost cut through his face and into his head!

No one in this world dared to attack him from such a close distance because the power of the Dao Fire Ancestral Land was too strong. The blazing Dao fire that could incinerate everything was enough to melt everything. Even Celestial Venerable Yue couldn't get close.

Celestial Venerable Huo was furious. He saw the figures of Qin Mu and the rest in the void, and the flaming wheels behind his head spun. The huge flaming wheels sliced into the thirtieth void, and Dao flames blazed in the flaming wheels. The celestial palaces trembled and rumbled, and the projections of his primordial spirit appeared in the celestial palaces. They raised their hands, and terrifying divine arts were about to erupt, burning the five people in the void into ashes!

At that moment, Divine King Lang Lang's figure appeared behind Qin Mu and the rest. Celestial Venerable You's figure appeared behind Divine King Lang again. When the light shone, the projections of Celestial Venerable Huo's primordial spirits trembled violently. They were blown out of their celestial palaces by the light and their projections were obliterated!

Even his main primordial spirit was forced back repeatedly, retreating from the Emperor's Throne and flying out of the Numinous Sky Hall!

Knife light flashed and appeared on Dao Fire Ancestor's land. Qin Mu and the rest circled around Celestial Venerable Huo's tall and imposing body!

Celestial Venerable Huo raised his hand to defend, and Divine King Lang's consciousness rushed over. Celestial Venerable Huo was muddle-headed from the impact, and Celestial Venerable You's divine art came smashing over again. With a loud boom, his primordial spirit was blown out of his corporeal body and flew backward.

Chi! Chi! Chi!

His corporeal body was struck by hundreds of knives in an instant, and fresh blood flowed out!

Celestial Venerable You raised his hand and was about to send him from Xuandu into Youdu. Suddenly, a majestic consciousness rushed over, and layers of illusions appeared in front of Celestial Venerable You's eyes. He saw his mother walking towards him.

Celestial Venerable You's tears fell like rain, and he didn't continue.



At that moment, Divine King Lang Wo shouted, and Celestial Venerable You was instantly freed from the illusion. Looking up, his heart trembled. He saw Celestial Venerable Gong coming to Xuandu and looking at Divine King Lang.

The two women looked at each other. During this period of time, Qin Mu, Butcher, and the rest worked together. Five tiny figures surrounded Celestial Venerable Huo and attacked him repeatedly, causing him to be covered in injuries.

Celestial Venerable Huo's primordial spirit flew back, and Celestial Venerable Yue's zither notes suddenly rang out, teleporting his corporeal body out. Celestial Venerable Huo's eyes widened, and his primordial spirit hurriedly chased after his corporeal body.

The next moment, the space split open, and the Dao Fire Ancestor fell into the space that had split open. It was unknown where Celestial Venerable Yue had sent him.

At that moment, Celestial Venerable Gong smiled, and his consciousness burst forth towards Divine King Lang Wo. Divine King Lang Wo's consciousness rippled, and the consciousness divine arts of the two girls were about to collide!

Their consciousnesses contained boundless information. As long as their consciousnesses collided, they would be able to understand each other's thoughts without saying anything!

Qin Mu's figure appeared between the two of them, and his consciousness burst forth, transforming into a Great Overarching Heaven. He laughed loudly and said, "The two of you were born from the same roots, so why do you have to fight to the death?"

## **Chapter 1453: Striking The Dao Heart**

Qin Mu's consciousness was also extremely powerful, but it was still far inferior to Celestial Venerable Gong and Divine King Lang Wo's. The consciousness divine arts of the two women wiped out his Great Overarching Consciousness Heaven, which was imitating the Grand Emperor!

However, he also managed to prevent Divine King Lang Wo and Celestial Venerable Gong's consciousness from coming into contact. As long as their consciousnesses didn't collide, Celestial Venerable Gong wouldn't be able to convince Lang Lang with words.

In terms of language, it wasn't as fast as consciousness, nor was it as comprehensive as consciousness. Furthermore, it could be interrupted by Qin Mu at any time.

Lang Wo immediately retracted his consciousness divine art to avoid hurting Qin Mu.

Celestial Venerable Gong didn't retract his divine art. Just as Qin Mu was about to die under the power of her divine art, a zither note suddenly rang out. Celestial Venerable Yue plucked the strings, and layers of space appeared, blocking Celestial Venerable Gong's divine art.

Celestial Venerable Gong frowned slightly. Celestial Venerable Huo found his corporeal body, and with a flash of fire, he appeared beside Celestial Venerable Gong with a dark expression.

The South Pole's Heavenly Dao, Fire Ancestor, was sent away by Celestial Venerable Yue. Even he couldn't sense where the Dao Fire Ancestor was hidden, which made it hard for him to calm down.

He had yet to obtain Heaven Duke's Heavenly Dao, but he had lost the South Pole's Dao Fire Ancestral Land, so he was naturally furious.

Qin Mu looked at Celestial Venerable Gong and Celestial Venerable Huo with a smile and nodded at them as if he was greeting an old friend. He suddenly said, "Celestial Venerable Huo, Celestial Venerable Yu is still alive, do you know about this?"

Celestial Venerable Huo's heart trembled, and his gaze landed on him. Even though Qin Mu's face was covered, that black cloth was nothing to a Celestial Venerable.

Celestial Venerables knew who the face under the black scarf was with just a glance. There was no need to guess.

As for the fact that Celestial Venerable Yu was still alive, Celestial Venerable Huo had also heard about it, but he didn't personally go and check.

However, Qin Mu was the Invincible Great Wizard, and he could even revive ancient gods. If Celestial Venerable Yu's corpse could be preserved until now, Qin Mu could indeed revive Celestial Venerable Yu!

Regarding Celestial Venerable Yu, Celestial Venerable Huo's feelings were truly complicated. Qin Mu's sudden mention of this matter struck his Dao heart, making him temporarily forget about the matter of Dao Fire Ancestor being snatched away by Celestial Venerable Yue.

Qin Mu smiled slightly and said leisurely, "Other than the exiled Celestial Venerable Xiao, the eleven Celestial Venerables of the celestial heavens are probably already in Xuandu. The celestial heavens is empty. If I were Celestial Venerable Yu, I would take this chance to head to the celestial heavens, undo the seal of the Hall of Fragrance, and steal my broken soul."

Celestial Venerable Huo's expression flickered between dark and clear. It was like a bonfire dancing in the night lighting up his face, making it bright and dark at times.

He looked at the battlefield of Xuandu. Celestial Venerable Hong and the other four Celestial Venerables had brought their divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu to attack Heaven Duke, and their attacks became fiercer. Heaven Duke's defeat was only a matter of time.

At this moment, six great Celestial Venerables had already gathered in Xuandu. Only Hao, Yan, Xu, and Zu hadn't appeared.

Celestial Venerable Huo's voice was hoarse as he said, "Heavenly Lady Yan, Celestial Venerable Hao, and Celestial Venerable Xu are still in the celestial heavens. He has no chance."

Qin Mu said with a smile, "When Heaven Duke dies, which Celestial Venerable won't come and take a share? When that time comes, the ten Celestial Venerables will appear in Xuandu like a pack of wolves. This will be Celestial Venerable Yu's chance! Don't you expect him to take back his broken soul and let the former Celestial Venerable Yu return?"

His gaze was fixed on Celestial Venerable Huo's face, and he didn't let go of any changes in his emotions. His words were like Founding Emperor's sword, like Butcher's knife, pointing straight at the flaw in his heart!

"I still remember you once said that the person you respect the most is him. You have always called him big brother and swore to take revenge for him! Now that he has revived, as long as we take back the broken soul, he can make a comeback!"

Qin Mu said happily, "Now that your chance has come, you can ambush and kill Celestial Venerable Hao. I'm sure your Big Brother Yu will be very pleased!"

Celestial Venerable Gong was astonished, and he quietly separated from Celestial Venerable Huo.

Flames swirled behind Celestial Venerable Huo's head, shining on his face, making his expression dark and gloomy. "Even if Celestial Venerable Yu is revived, he won't be able to open the Hall of Fragrance. I never think about things without shadows. Today is the battle to get rid of Heaven Duke, anyone who blocks me must die!"

His killing intent surged as his gaze landed on Qin Mu, Celestial Venerable Yue, and the rest. He said coldly, "Including you guys!"

Even though he said that, he could still feel that Celestial Venerable Gong was extremely guarded against him. It was impossible for the two of them to work together without any hindrance.

Qin Mu's words had created a huge gap between him and Celestial Venerable Gong, putting him in a passive position!

Qin Mu was good at attacking the heart. When facing an opponent like him, people would usually feel that he was their friend and not an opponent that stood opposite them.

He was like a close friend to you and knew you very well. He would start from your heart, analyze your thoughts and actions, and give you suggestions that seemed bright.

Yet, unknowingly, you fell into his trap.

Among the ten Celestial Venerables, many of them had faced Qin Mu's psychological attacks before. Now, it was Celestial Venerable Huo's turn.

Suddenly, Xuandu trembled violently, and the stars scattered. Everyone was astonished and looked over. They saw Heaven Duke shrinking his corporeal body and moving his feet as he sprinted in Xuandu, causing a violent tremor in Xuandu!

All along, Heaven Duke's body was incomparably vast, and he stood there motionlessly. Even when he was attacked by Celestial Venerable Hong and the other four Celestial Venerables, he never moved.

If he moved his feet, it would cause the stars in the world to shift and cause a huge change in heaven and earth!

And now, he was forced to move to avoid the attacks of the four Celestial Venerables!

The corners of Qin Mu's eyes twitched. "Heaven Duke, you still haven't escaped from the Nine Hells Stage? You should be able to comprehend the heaven's heart. After all, you are the embodiment of the Heavenly Dao and have been immersed in it for so long. As long as you comprehend the heaven's heart and comprehend the twenty-four levels of the Heavenly Dao, you will be able to escape!"

As a god born from the Dao, Heaven Duke was born from the Heavenly Dao. In his life, he could only have great attainments in the Heavenly Dao. Therefore, Heaven Duke was the existence that had the highest chance of comprehending the heart of the Heavenly Dao. He was also the existence that had the highest chance of raising the heart of the Heavenly Dao to the twenty-four heavens.

If Heaven Duke's primordial spirit comprehended the heaven's heart, even if he jumped out of the restraints of the heaven's path, he would still follow the path of heaven. He wouldn't become Celestial Venerable Hong who was devoured by fame, power, and power!

This was Qin Mu's expectation.

As long as Heaven Duke's primordial spirit could jump out of the Nine Hells Stage, Celestial Venerable Hong wouldn't become the leader of Heaven Duke's consciousness. He couldn't bring disaster to the world, so he could become his Dao friend!

As Heaven Duke's cultivation grew higher, Celestial Venerable Hong's dangerous personality and consciousness would fade, and it wouldn't affect Heaven Duke much.

The crucial point was whether Heaven Duke could raise his Dao Realm in the heart of heaven to the extent of breaking through the restraints of the Nine Hells Stage in such a short time!

Celestial Venerable Huo's gaze flickered as he shifted his gaze from Qin Mu and the rest to Heaven Duke and the Celestial Venerables that were attacking him.

Celestial Venerable Gong was the same.

Now that the situation had reached a critical juncture, Heaven Duke would definitely be killed by the four great Celestial Venerables if they worked together!

The moment they killed the Celestial Venerables, it would be the most crucial moment for them to fight for benefits!

The pavilion closest to the water receives the moon first. If they were late, not to mention getting the moon first, they could only drink foot washing water!

Celestial Venerable Huo suddenly transformed into a beam of fire and sped towards Heaven Duke. Celestial Venerable Yue moved, and her zither notes rang out, intercepting him in midair!

The two of them moved quickly in Xuandu, and the sound of the zither collided with the Dao fire. The clash was fierce!

Celestial Venerable Yue suddenly plucked the zither strings, and the zither notes were filled with murderous intent. Thousands of spaces crisscrossed, trapping Celestial Venerable Huo within.

Flames blazed around Celestial Venerable Huo's body, melting the space around him. He passed through layers of space and saw peach trees in front of him. Peach blossoms were everywhere. Celestial Venerable Huo snorted, and the Dao fire burned the peach trees clean!

The peach forest of ten thousand miles turned into scorched earth. Celestial Venerable Huo landed on the ground and quickly took a few steps to look

around. The corners of his eyes twitched as he shouted, "Celestial Venerable Yue!"

What entered his eyes were the mountains and rivers of the Primordial Realm, as well as the sun and moon. He passed through the space divine art that Celestial Venerable Yue had laid down and actually came to the Primordial Realm from Xuandu!

It would take him more than a month to reach Xuandu from the ancestral court. Even if he were to set off immediately, it would still take him more than a month to reach Xuandu!

When he arrived, it was already too late!

Celestial Venerable Huo was frantic and furious. However, he felt deeply helpless. Being sent here meant that he had no fate with the great opportunity in Xuandu.

When he had the Dao Fire Ancestral Land, Celestial Venerable Yue couldn't send him away. The Dao Fire Ancestral Land distorted space, and the boundless worlds were in the nine heavens of the ancestral land. Celestial Venerable Yue's divine arts couldn't do anything to him.

However, he was ambushed by Qin Mu, and Celestial Venerable Yue took the chance to send the Dao Fire Ancestral Land away, leaving him helpless.

'In that case, I should return to the celestial heavens and wait for Celestial Venerable Yu beside the Hall of Fragrance...'

Right at this moment, he suddenly felt the aura of the Heavenly Dao. His heart couldn't help but tremble slightly as he looked towards the source of the aura.

"Heavenly Yin World!"

Celestial Venerable Huo flew over. "The soles of Heaven Duke's feet! This aura of the Heavenly Dao, could it be that Ancestral God King with thick eyebrows, big eyes, forthrightness, and no scheming is currently in Heavenly Yin World? He can't be judged by his appearance..."

In Xuandu, Celestial Venerable Gong also rose and rushed towards Heaven Duke. Celestial Venerable You and Divine King Lang moved at the same time to intercept Celestial Venerable Gong!

Celestial Venerable Gong then saw Celestial Venerable Yue sending Celestial Venerable Huo away. He didn't know where she had thrown him, and his heart trembled.

She wasn't afraid of Celestial Venerable Yue. In a one-on-one battle, Celestial Venerable Yue's space divine art couldn't be used in front of her. She could disrupt Celestial Venerable Yue's thoughts before she could use her divine art!

She could easily break Celestial Venerable Yue's divine art!

Celestial Venerable Yue couldn't send her away at all!

However, if Celestial Venerable You, Divine King Lang, and Qin Mu were also eyeing her covetously, she would be in danger.

Qin Mu brought Butcher and the rest and excitedly rushed towards the lone Celestial Venerable Gong. At the same time, Celestial Venerable Yue exiled Celestial Venerable Huo into the Primordial Realm. She let out a sigh of relief and immediately rushed towards Celestial Venerable Gong!

Celestial Venerable Gong had a grim expression as he shouted. Behind him, numerous celestial palaces stood tall and upright. Thirty-five celestial palaces formed a huge celestial heavens.

She was severely injured by Founding Emperor because he had ambushed her the moment she entered the Numinous Sky Hall, giving her no chance to react. However, her abilities were definitely not the weakest among the ten Celestial Venerables!

If any one of the ten Celestial Venerables was ambushed by Founding Emperor, it would be a remarkable achievement if they didn't die!

After all, even though Founding Emperor's cultivation couldn't be compared to the ten Celestial Venerables, his sword path's attack power surpassed them. Even at his peak, Celestial Venerable Mu, Celestial Venerable Xiao, and Heavenly Lady Qiang didn't dare to say that their divine arts were stronger than Founding Emperor's sword path!

Qin Mu flew over and suddenly stopped. He looked at Celestial Venerable Gong with a grave expression and counted the number of celestial palaces behind her. He was slightly suspicious. 'How did Founding Emperor handle



this matter? He couldn't even handle such a small matter like making him severely injure Celestial Venerable Gong...'

## **Chapter 1454: The Strongest Primordial Spirit**

Celestial Venerable Gong's celestial palace didn't show any signs of injury, and her aura didn't show any signs of weakening. There were no injuries on her body, and her primordial spirit was also perfectly fine.

Founding Emperor killing Celestial Venerable Gong was ordered by Qin Mu.

If Celestial Venerable Gong had been severely injured by Founding Emperor, he wouldn't have recovered so quickly without Apothecary's medical attainments.

Qin Mu opened the vertical eye in the heart of his brows and examined Celestial Venerable Gong. He instantly saw the mystery.

There were all kinds of hidden injuries in Celestial Venerable Gong's body that looked like sword wounds. They should have been left behind by Founding Emperor's Sword Dao. However, someone had used a strange power to erase these injuries and restore her body to its original state.

However, Celestial Venerable Gong had cultivated diligently for a million years after all. Her corporeal body was incomparably strong. Even though that person had repaired her corporeal body and wiped away the wounds of Founding Emperor's sword path, he couldn't restore her corporeal body to its strongest state.

Not only that, but the thirty-five celestial palaces of Celestial Venerable Gong were also filled with signs of being repaired. The places that had been repaired weren't as strong as the other places.

It was the same for Celestial Venerable Gong's primordial spirit!

Founding Emperor was extremely ruthless, almost using his Sword Dao to bury Celestial Venerable Gong!

The vertical eye in the heart of Qin Mu's brows was the most powerful divine eye in the world. With Earth Count's horn as the iris, Heaven Duke's Heavenly

Dao Crystal Physique filled up the room in front of the god, Taiji Origin Stone as the pupil, and Tai Yi's Primal Chaos Egg as the retina.

Heaven Duke and Earth Count had personally entered the Heavenly Dao and the Great Dao of Youdu to enhance his divine eyes. With the dew on Tai Yi's Dao Tree in his eyes, even if Heaven Duke and Earth Count stood in front of Qin Mu, he could easily see the circulation structure of the Heavenly Dao and the Great Dao of Youdu.

The corporeal body of the celestial venerable of Insight Palace and the secrets of the celestial palace were merely a small test for him.

"Other than Grandpa Apothecary and me, the only ones in the world who have the ability to achieve this step are the two of us."

Qin Mu understood in his heart. 'Apothecary relied on the path of medicine. My path of medicine is inferior, so I can only rely on the path of medicine, the path of creation, and the unchanging divine art. With the Dao of Tai Chu, only then can I heal the sword wound left behind by Founding Emperor. If Grandpa Apothecary and I work together to treat her, there won't be any hidden dangers. On the other hand, Goddess Tai Su needs Celestial Venerable Gong to have something to ask of her and kneel down to her, which has a huge hidden danger.'

He saw everything clearly. Celestial Venerable Gong seemed to have recovered to his perfect state, but he would definitely lose a favor. Tai Su could return those sword wounds to her anytime!

Celestial Venerable Gong's life and death could be said to be completely in the hands of Tai Su!

"Celestial Venerable Hao should be the same, right? His injuries back then were even worse than Celestial Venerable Gong's!"

What worried him even more was that the mine Celestial Venerable Gong controlled was the Great Simplicity Mine!

Obtaining Celestial Venerable Gong was equivalent to obtaining the Tai Su Mine. Obtaining the Tai Su Mine was equivalent to obtaining the Tai Su Divine Stone and the Tai Su Origin Stone!

"Tai Su's strength was originally not strong, but now I'm afraid she can advance by leaps and bounds!"

The moment he was distracted, Celestial Venerable Gong, Divine King Lang, and Celestial Venerable Yue exchanged hundreds of blows. Celestial Venerable You took a step forward and said solemnly, "Yue, Lang, you guys retreat. I'll block her, you guys go and assist Heaven Duke! Heaven Duke can't hold on much longer!"

Celestial Venerable Yue and Divine King Lang immediately left and flew towards Heaven Duke.

Celestial Venerable You blocked Celestial Venerable Gong's path and said, "Celestial Venerable Mu, you go too."

Qin Mu hesitated. It was naturally good for Celestial Venerable You to personally block Celestial Venerable Gong from coming into contact with Divine King Lang. However, without Lang Lang's visualization of Youdu, Celestial Venerable You would be exposed in Xuandu, and his abilities and divine arts would be greatly reduced!

"You, survive!"

Qin Mu gritted his teeth and rushed towards Heaven Duke.

Celestial Venerable You was expressionless, and his face was like the bark of an old tree. He said indifferently, "You are the weakest among the Celestial Venerables. You should be more careful of yourself."

Celestial Venerable Gong let out a long sigh of relief. Without Celestial Venerable Yue and Divine King Lang Wo, she instantly felt no pressure. She looked at Celestial Venerable You and revealed a rare smile. "You, back then, you opened up an everlasting generation for the people. You and the other Celestial Venerables of Dragon Han created the system of divine treasures. Your contribution was the most crucial, opening up the Life and Death Divine Treasure."

She rarely admired others, but at this moment, she was full of admiration for Celestial Venerable You. "The people of the world don't know how useful the Life and Death Divine Treasure is, and they often overlook your achievements. Once the Life and Death Divine Treasure is opened, you will understand life and death. That's why the Divine Bridge Divine Treasure

jumped into the celestial palace, and your lifespan will be as long as the heavens. Without the Life and Death Divine Treasure, even if others could cultivate to the realm of god, they wouldn't have endless lifespans."

She suddenly launched an attack, and the thirty-five celestial palaces scattered to form a celestial heavens that was different from the real Dragon Han Celestial Heavens. The thirty-five Heaven Duke actually formed the shape of a horn!

The lower part of her celestial heavens was wide, while the upper part was narrow. They advanced layer by layer, and at the top of the horn was the Numinous Sky Hall of her main celestial palace, with her primordial spirit guarding it!

This was a horn formed by countless buildings. It was spectacular and inconceivable!

"However, the people of the world won't be grateful for your actions at all. Earth Count had also opened up his Life and Death Divine Treasure, allowing the people of the world to have the chance to escape death and restrain you for a million years! You, the people of the world will only hate and fear you because you are a messenger of death!"

Celestial Venerable Gong no longer hid his cultivation or his abilities.

Her weapon was a whip!

In the ancient primordial era, the female Xin Clan was known for their battle prowess. This race of masters of creation tamed huge beasts and stood on their backs to conquer the world. The women were extremely powerful and had a fervent desire to fight!

The ancient god they worshiped was West Deity White Tiger!

West Deity White Tiger was honored as a battle ancient god, and it was created by visualization and sacrifice!

West Deity's white tiger looked very similar to God King Gong back then, and West Deity's weapon was also a whip and a horn.

Because the Xin Clan tamed primordial behemoths, the whip and horn could control the behemoths, Celestial Venerable Gong also used these two weapons as his treasures.

Celestial Venerable Gong's fighting spirit overflowed into the sky as she executed her technique. The sound of horns came from the thirty-five celestial palaces, causing her qi and blood to boil as her battle power increased exponentially!

The whip in her hand was ever-changing. It was sometimes long and sometimes short, sometimes thick and sometimes thin, sometimes soft and sometimes hard, sometimes straight and sometimes bent. This divine whip was refined from the dragon's vein of the ancestral court, and a huge divine metal mountain range was refined into a whip before transforming into a divine dragon!

If Qin Mu was here, he would definitely recognize that this whip was once in the hands of the Grand Emperor. It was extremely powerful and had once fought with the emperor's sword that Celestial Emperor had transformed into!

This divine whip was refined by the Grand Emperor, and he gave it to the Xin Clan as a betrothal gift. Later on, the Grand Emperor destroyed the Xin Clan and took it back.

After the palace captured Da Hong, who was parasitized by the Grand Emperor, the whip landed in the palace's hand. It trapped Da Hong on the pillar in front of his palace, and he used this whip to vent his anger day and night.

"You have been trapped by Earth Count all these years and turned into a messenger of death. You have been hiding from the world and have long fallen behind!"

Celestial Venerable Gong's whip transformed, and her consciousness burst forth at the same time, creating layers of illusions. Her words attacked her heart, and her consciousness illusions were even more terrifying. As long as Celestial Venerable You's Dao heart had the slightest flaw, she could only be at her mercy when she fell into her illusions!

Celestial Venerable You's figure was ethereal as she retreated continuously. She didn't fight her head-on.

He had to avoid Celestial Venerable Gong's illusion.

However, Xuandu's restrictions on his power were too great. The Heavenly Dao countered his cultivation and suppressed his magic power. His cultivation was originally inferior to Celestial Venerable Gong's, and now it was even worse!

He couldn't dodge in time and was bound by the long whip. The head of the long whip transformed into a dragon's head and bit his body ruthlessly, swinging him around!

At the same time, Celestial Venerable Gong's consciousness transformed into layers of illusions, throwing him into them.

In the illusion, Celestial Venerable You saw his mother washing her clothes again. She turned around and gave him a loving smile. The sunlight of early spring shone down, and it was peaceful and beautiful.

Even though he was bound by the dragon vein whip and the dragon head bit his body, he didn't feel any pain in the illusion.

His heart was at peace, and there was even some happiness.

Even though he had found his mother's soul in Youdu and lived with her for a million years, he couldn't feel her touch.

His mother couldn't touch his face, his body, or the sunlight.

No matter what his mother ate, there was no taste. In the state of his soul, his mother didn't feel anything. His mother frequently cooked for him, and what she cooked was all essence treasure candles. His mother also ate essence treasure candles.

His mother was long dead and had no warmth.

He dreamed of reviving his mother, but he couldn't do it.

In Celestial Venerable Gong's illusion, he felt that his mother had come back to life and returned to the sweet and warm times of the past.

He could feel the warmth of his mother's palm.

At this moment, he was incomparably happy.

The dragon vein divine whip bit his body and swung ruthlessly, smashing through the planets of Xuandu!

Celestial Venerable Gong flew over, and the bugle horn sounded. Her primordial spirit stood at the top of the bugle horn celestial heavens and used her divine art. Great divine arts bombarded Celestial Venerable You's body one after another.

Celestial Venerable You's flesh and blood flew under her attacks, and his corporeal body was in tatters. However, he still smiled.

In history, everyone who died at Celestial Venerable Gong's hands died with a smile!

Celestial Venerable Gong gave a long roar and almost destroyed his corporeal body. Celestial Venerable You's flesh exploded, revealing his bones and heart!

In the illusion, Celestial Venerable You seemed to have returned to his youth. He was a youth around ten years old. He leaned into his mother's embrace and enjoyed a moment of peace.

Celestial Venerable Gong shook his whip and sent him flying. The dragon head of the whip then bit his exposed heart with a crack!

In the illusion, Celestial Venerable You raised his head to look at his mother's indelible face. She was weak, but she was quiet. Two streams of tears rolled down her cheeks.

"Mother, I remember this scene, I remember this morning."

Celestial Venerable You naturally remembered this day. On this morning, his mother washed his tattered clothes as usual and sat under the sun in front of the straw hut to sew and mend. In the pot was already cooked rice.

She was always like this, and on this day, she did all of this as usual before collapsing.

On her deathbed, she touched the youth's face and said to him, "If I leave, what will you do..."

However, she still let go and left.

Celestial Venerable You would never forget the morning sun and what his mother said to him before she left.

He became Celestial Venerable You, opening up the gap between the mortals and Youdu so that he could see his mother again.

In his mother's embrace, Celestial Venerable You, who had returned to his youth, quietly looked at his mother's face. He raised his hand to put on the ghost mask on the back of his head.

He wore it slowly, and the moment he wore it, his old and tattered corporeal body actually burst forth with astonishing divine light, repairing his body!

Celestial Venerable Gong was astonished, and she hurriedly increased the speed of his attacks. However, boundless divine power burst forth from this body that had transformed from an old man into a young man!

She saw an incomparably majestic primordial spirit, the strongest primordial spirit she had ever seen!

In the illusion, the young Celestial Venerable You wore the ghost mask his mother had bought for him and hugged his mother's body.

"Mother, I'm going to do my own things."

He let go of his mother's body and raised his head. The illusion started to shatter.

"Mother, you don't have to worry about me. I have my own friends now."

He said to his mother who was gradually disappearing, "I'm going to complete my friend's entrustment!"

## **Chapter 1455: The Boy Who Blasted Fish**

Celestial Venerable Gong knew that things weren't looking good. Celestial Venerable You's body was recovering rapidly, and he quickly turned from an old man to a young man!



The original Celestial Venerable You was like a dying old man, and this was the reason why he was called Elder Messenger of Death.

He stayed in Youdu all year round, and his corporeal body had long withered. He didn't have any vitality, and he even looked very dark. He would always appear in the night, appearing alone under the light of the lantern, folding paper humans and paper horses.

His reputation was widespread. In the tens of thousands of worlds and heavens, the mention of Elder Messenger of Death was enough to make the most courageous devil gods keep quiet out of fear, enough to make children stop crying.

And now, Celestial Venerable You had transformed back into a youth, and the heavy atmosphere had vanished from his body. He seemed to have become the youth that was a little isolated from the crowd and liked to sit by the water and play with a divine art to throw into the Jade Pool to fry fish.

He wasn't the kind of youth that would have his muscles bulging from his body with just a slight push. On the contrary, he was very thin and weak. His face was slightly pale, and he didn't give off a threatening feeling.

However, compared to when he blew up the fish at the Jade Pool, he was much more cheerful and confident. His eyes were filled with fighting spirit!

"My Divine Arts are not old, but my heart is."

Celestial Venerable You slowly raised his head. Behind him, the incomparably vast primordial spirit also slowly raised its head.

Celestial Venerable Gong looked up. The vastness of this primordial spirit was enough to rival an existence like Heaven Duke and Earth Count!

For a long time, everyone thought that Celestial Venerable You had already declined. Celestial Venerable You was still in Youdu, and he hadn't come into contact with the paths, skills, and divine arts of the outside world. Without experiencing the Dragon Han Revolution, the Crimson Light Revolution, the Founding Emperor's reform, and Eternal Peace's reform, his paths, skills, and divine arts would definitely fall behind, unable to keep up with the times.

However, the ten Celestial Venerables of the celestial heavens didn't ignore him. The celestial heavens established Mingdu and allowed Son of Heaven

Yin to take charge of it. He was on par with Youdu and brought the dead lifeforms and gods to Mingdu.

Other than weakening Youdu's power, the goal of the celestial heavens was to prevent Celestial Venerable You from controlling the paths, skills, and divine arts of the world through the dead.

Only the Nine Celestial Venerables of the Dragon Han Celestial Venerable understood how terrifying Celestial Venerable You's potential was. Therefore, Celestial Venerable Hao and Celestial Venerable Huo wouldn't give him the chance to grow.

However, everyone had overlooked one point, and that was that Celestial Venerable You had billions of clones in Youdu. His clones covered all the worlds in the heavens to receive the dead.

Each of these clones was equivalent to an ordinary Godfiend.

The paths, skills, and divine arts that the dead had brought to Youdu had allowed him to grow, but what had truly allowed him to grow to an unimaginable level was still his clone.

He was originally Celestial Venerable You, the one whose soul had established the path, the first exceptional genius to break through the boundary between life and death. After he came to Youdu, his primordial spirit became stronger.

The billions of clones were the manifestation of his powerful primordial spirit.

In the battle of Xuandu, Youdu was already empty, and all the messengers of death had been retrieved by him. When all of them returned to his true body, his primordial spirit was enough to shock the universe!

In front of Celestial Venerable Gong, the moment this primordial spirit raised its head, the deep and melodious Dao of Youdu burst forth with Dao sounds. It was like the ravings of countless souls, like a mortal chanting scriptures in a temple, full of mystery.

64 different Great Daos of Youdu gathered behind his head. His primordial spirit and the Great Dao of Youdu contained in his primordial spirit were on par with the Heavenly Dao in Xuandu. They were separated from Xuandu and formed an independent Youdu!

'Maybe... Maybe Celestial Venerable Xu isn't the perfect candidate to inherit Earth Count, maybe he is...' This terrifying thought suddenly popped up in Celestial Venerable Gong's mind.

Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit was so vast and powerful that it made her shudder when facing Earth Count.

Even though she was no longer a master of creation and had long made up for the weakness of the weak souls of the masters of creation, when she faced Celestial Venerable You, that sense of fear surged into her heart, making her heart twitch, her muscles tremble, and her bones tremble.

Even her primordial spirit was trembling!

"However, the Nine Celestial Venerables of Dragon Han have already passed, and it's now the world of the ten Celestial Venerables!"

Celestial Venerable Gong gave a long cry, and a loud horn sounded from the celestial heavens formed by the thirty-five celestial palaces. Her qi and blood boiled, and her battle power soared. This woman was extremely brave, and she was one of the few people who dared to slash the Grand Emperor and the Grand Primordium. Even though Celestial Venerable You had the strongest primordial spirit in history, she was fearless and dared to fight!

The ancestral court divine whip in her hand shook, and it was as straight as a spear. She pointed it at Celestial Venerable You and attacked!

Even though Celestial Venerable You had the strongest primordial spirit, he had fallen into her consciousness illusion and suffered heavy injuries from her storm-like attacks. His abilities would definitely be greatly reduced!

She was using the Grand Emperor's spear skills!

With a stab, the treasure transformed from the dragon's vein of the ancestral court instantly came back to life like a dragon's vein that was ten thousand miles long. It transformed in the air and shook the space!

The majestic mountain was like the scales of a dragon, its body meandering. The roots of the mountain were like the claws of a dragon, looking extremely sinister!

This strike was majestic, and with the dense magic power of the great celestial heavens formed by the thirty-five celestial palaces, her power had already reached the peak of what she could achieve in her lifetime!

Celestial Venerable You's magic power was definitely far inferior to hers. This was the key to her victory!

She wanted to use her magic power and treasures to beat Celestial Venerable You back to his old age, from cheerfulness to depression!

A tremor rang out, and wrinkles appeared on Celestial Venerable Gong's beautiful face. Weng, weng, weng. Another tremor came, and the vibration formed creases on her face that couldn't be smoothed away.

She saw an incomparably astonishing sight. With a series of tremors, the second Youdu world appeared behind Celestial Venerable You's incomparably majestic primordial spirit, followed by the third, fourth, and fifth!

Layers and layers of Youdu worlds opened up, and the corners of Celestial Venerable Gong's eyes twitched violently. These Youdu worlds were layers of heavens, just like the heavens of Founding Emperor's sword path.

However, the heavens of Founding Emperor's sword path were Postcelestial Great Daos, a realm that no one had ever stepped into before. Founding Emperor had to perfect it step by step and develop it.

Celestial Venerable You's Youdu heavens, on the other hand, was comprehended from the 64 types of Youdu Great Daos. From the start, Celestial Venerable You cultivated the Great Dao of Youdu. In order to revive his mother, he researched harder than anyone else and was more serious!

Compared to Founding Emperor, he had a huge advantage. Founding Emperor created the Sword Dao from nothing, and it was incomparably difficult. However, he had Earth Count by his side, so he could ask Earth Count anything he didn't understand.

Of course, if Earth Count didn't understand, he could ask him.

He had stayed in Youdu for a million years, and his attainments in the Great Dao of Youdu were so deep that he could be on par with Earth Count. The only thing that was inferior to Earth Count was that he didn't have a strong corporeal body like Earth Count.

Compared to an ancient god like Earth Count, his corporeal body was much weaker.

'That's right, Founding Emperor can ignore my consciousness illusion because his Dao heart is too strong. His Dao Heart Realm has already cultivated to thirty-five heavens.'

Celestial Venerable Gong gritted his teeth and didn't retreat. He poured all his strength into his spear and continued to stab at Celestial Venerable You. He thought to himself, 'However, even Celestial Venerable Mu couldn't escape from my consciousness illusion, yet Celestial Venerable You escaped. This means that his Dao heart is even higher than Celestial Venerable Mu's...'

However, it was clearly Celestial Venerable You's first time coming into contact with the Dao Realm, so he didn't put in much effort in this aspect. Now, it was his first time raising his own Dao Realm, so the opening of the Dao Realm was slower.

After all, it had only been a few years since Founding Emperor imparted the cultivation system of the Dao Realm. Even the ten Celestial Venerables didn't have high attainments in this aspect.

This time, Celestial Venerable You comprehended the Dao before the battle and raised his own Dao Realm. He wasn't prepared for this, which gave Celestial Venerable Gong hope.

Buzz buzz buzz!

Celestial Venerable Gong's spear stabbed in front of Celestial Venerable You, and the Youdu world behind his primordial spirit's head had already reached eighteen levels.

His primordial spirit stretched out its hand and smacked Celestial Venerable Gong's spear. Celestial Venerable Gong grunted, and the huge spear in his hand bent from the pressure. Her body also bent from the pressure!

Magic power, the magic power that she was proud of, the magic power in the thirty-five celestial palaces was actually inferior to the magic power in Celestial Venerable You's incomparably huge primordial spirit.

Her legs bent, and the horn of the celestial heavens rang out, raising her qi and blood once again!

Celestial Venerable Gong straightened his body, and his long spear transformed into a long whip that coiled around the arm of Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit. Her legs flew up as she kicked Celestial Venerable You's head!

Another wave came, and the nineteenth wrinkle appeared on Celestial Venerable Gong's face like an old woman.

Her corporeal body was aging, and her life force was depleting. She couldn't help but be shocked, but her strength didn't decrease at all. Her legs were filled with terrifying explosive power. As long as she kicked Celestial Venerable You's head, it would only take an instant for her head to explode!

At this moment, the nineteenth level of Youdu behind Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit slowly opened up.

The palm of the primordial spirit had a long whip coiled around it, and with a forceful shake, Celestial Venerable Gong was blown away. He was then pulled back with a whoosh!

What met her was the other arm of Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit. A huge fist smashed ruthlessly onto her body!

Boom!

Terrifying pulses burst forth in all directions, and the snow-white light blades formed a ring that expanded rapidly, making all the stars in Xuandu vibrate!

Celestial Venerable Gong flew backward and retracted his whip. He exerted force with his legs and his body was almost flat against the starry sky, leaving two spatial cracks.

She stopped moving backward, and blood flowed out from the corner of her mouth. The long whip coiled around her right hand.

An even louder bugle horn sounded from her celestial heavens, causing her qi and blood to rise even higher. Celestial Venerable Gong strode forward like a furious tiger descending the mountain, pouncing over fiercely. Her fighting spirit was even stronger!

Another tremor came, and another wrinkle appeared on her face, the twentieth wrinkle.

Behind Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit, the twentieth Youdu world slowly opened up.

Celestial Venerable Gong rushed in front of him, and her long whip danced like a dragon, weaving in and out to attack. All kinds of divine arts flew out from Celestial Venerable Gong's sleeves, flying out from the heart of her brows. The long whip even flew out from her sleeves from time to time, making it hard to defend against.

Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit's hands danced in the air, blocking all of her attacks, preventing her from penetrating the defense of her primordial spirit and attacking Celestial Venerable You's main body.

Celestial Venerable You had a weakness and a flaw, but she couldn't grasp this weakness at all!

Buzz!

Buzz!

Twenty-three wrinkles had already appeared on Celestial Venerable Gong's face. Her corporeal body had already aged, and her beautiful black hair had turned white.

However, the power of Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit was even stronger, causing her to vomit blood continuously.

Boom!

A fist knocked Celestial Venerable Gong over. Celestial Venerable Gong stumbled to his feet and got knocked over by another fist.

Celestial Venerable Gong stood up shakily once again, and Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit raised its fist again. Celestial Venerable Gong's knees buckled, and he suddenly collapsed.

"I don't like talking to you guys."

Under the feet of the huge primordial spirit, Celestial Venerable You looked at her as if she had returned to the mentality of the youth that had blown up the fish. She said proudly, "Because all of you are very stupid."

## Chapter 1456: Heaven's Heart Is Great

Celestial Venerable Gong raised her head, and in that instant, her hair had turned white. Twenty-four wrinkles appeared on her face.

Her corporeal body had aged.

Logically speaking, this was impossible. After cultivating to the god realm, one's lifespan would be as long as the heavens. The corporeal bodies of gods would always be at their peak condition. With boundless lifespan, it was impossible for them to age.

The lifespan of a god's corporeal body was limitless, and it was impossible to reduce it no matter what. Even if Celestial Venerable You cut her lifespan, she wouldn't age.

However, her corporeal body still inevitably aged.

This was the first time he had encountered a divine art that could reduce the lifespan of a Celestial Venerable since the establishment of the celestial palace cultivation system!

And this kind of divine art was created by Celestial Venerable You, who had opened up the Life and Death Divine Treasure!

He had opened up the boundary between life and death and opened up the gap between the netherworld and the world of the living, allowing divine arts practitioners to have endless lifespans when they cultivated to the god realm. Now that they had comprehended the Great Dao of Youdu to the extreme, they had the ability to take away the lifespan of a god's corporeal body!

Celestial Venerable Gong visualized with all his might and mobilized his consciousness. He tried his best to visualize the state of his body when he was young and recover the functions of his corporeal body.

After all, she was the divine king of the masters of creation in her previous life. The masters of creation could also live forever. They didn't rely on the system of divine treasures and celestial palaces. Instead, they visualized their own bodies to preserve their youth!



She still had a chance now. She could ambush Celestial Venerable You the moment he let down his guard and turn defeat into victory.

She had lived for far too long, so she no longer cared about honor or defeat. As long as she could win, it was worth it no matter what she did.

However, when she was secretly visualizing, she still found that her corporeal body couldn't help but slide into an even older abyss. Cold sweat broke out on Celestial Venerable Gong's forehead, and he couldn't help but feel despair.

Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit raised his palm and raised a finger. His finger was like a spear that stabbed towards her heart.

The Benevolent Saintly King Equal to Heaven of Youdu was never a person who had tender and protective feelings for the fairer sex. He had destroyed countless worlds in his hands, and the long horns of Earth Count were proof of his ruthlessness!

Celestial Venerable Gong looked at the descending finger and sighed silently. This time, she was most likely doomed.

Right at this moment, she suddenly felt the aging mechanism of her corporeal body stop. Not only that, her corporeal body started to recover its vigorous life force, and her function was increasing in a straight line!

Celestial Venerable Gong, who was lying in the starry sky and waiting for death, immediately roused his vital qi to move away, avoiding Celestial Venerable You's attack.

Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit stabbed into the air, and he suddenly had a feeling of being locked onto. This feeling was very bad, as if the Great Dao of Youdu had met its nemesis, giving him an extremely uncomfortable feeling.

Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit retracted its finger and took advantage of the instant when the twenty-fifth Dao Realm burst forth to break free from this lock. He straightened his back and turned around to face the strong practitioner that had locked onto him.

The corners of the young Celestial Venerable You's eyes twitched as he saw the two ancient gods behind Heavenly Lady Yan.

The two ancient gods, one male and one female, had human heads, human bodies, and snake tails. They walked side by side, their snake tails swimming in the starry sky. Behind their heads stood a huge taiji sand table.

The ones that gave him a great sense of threat weren't Heavenly Lady Yan, but these two ancient gods with strange figures and beautiful appearances!

On the other side, Celestial Venerable Gong stabilized herself and felt the functions of her corporeal body recovering rapidly. Soon, she was filled with power again, and her corporeal body became even more agile and convenient.

"You are indeed one of the Nine Celestial Venerables of the Dragon Han Era. Compared to the current Celestial Venerables, you guys are peerless talents."

Heavenly Lady Yan moved and separated herself from the two ancient gods. She formed a triangle with Celestial Venerable Gong, trapping Celestial Venerable You in the center. She praised, "My forefather's vision is still unique and shrewd. I have long seen that the nine of you are extraordinary and conferred you as Celestial Venerables. As for us, the ten Celestial Venerables that came later, we are inferior to you."

Celestial Venerable Gong wiped away the blood on her mouth, and her voice was still slightly hoarse. "How many talents were there in the first year of the Dragon Han Era? Every one of the Nine Celestial Venerables of the Dragon Han Era was a rare character in history, yet they all appeared in the same era at the same time. As a result, for the next million years, there was no sight of so many geniuses appearing in the same era."

Celestial Venerable You looked at them silently and put on the crying mask.

The two ancient gods of taiji looked at the young Celestial Venerable with admiration and couldn't help but say, "An outstanding person like you should be able to see that you have no chance of winning. It's not too late for you to leave now. The two of us entered the world to sharpen our Dao hearts, and we don't want to kill this dazzling star in the mortal world. If you are willing to leave, let us open up a path."

Heavenly Lady Yan frowned but didn't say anything.

The Yin Goddess said, "You control the Great Dao of Youdu and are still climbing the Dao Realm continuously. You have yet to reach the end of your

potential. However, even if you reach the end of your potential, you are still no match for the two of us. Our Dao is the perfect counter to you. Leave now, there's still time. Don't be stubborn."

The Yang God said, "Ever since the heaven and earth were created, we have already been born, and we have only come into being today. We are doing this to train in the mortal world like you all, to seek the path of transcendence. Ever since we were born, our hands have not been stained with blood. We are all Dao seekers on this path, and we don't want to be tainted by your blood."

Under the mask, Celestial Venerable You blinked his faint eyes and looked at them calmly. Suddenly, his eyes curved, and the face under the mask should be smiling.

"I promised my friend to guard here, so I cannot leave."

His primordial spirit gathered qi into a wall, and with a wave of his hand, a wall that stretched across Xuandu appeared. It was like a barrier in the sky, and it stood in front of the three of them.

Celestial Venerable You raised his chin proudly. "If you guys want to cross the minefield, you'll walk over my corpse!"

After saying this, he no longer wanted to say anything to them.

Heavenly Lady Yan's gaze landed on the two ancient gods of Taiji, and she said softly, "Dao brothers, now you have nothing to say, right?"

The two ancient gods sighed, and a tear rolled down the corner of their eyes. They said in unison, "We can only do this."

The ancient gods of Taiji, Celestial Venerable Gong, and Heavenly Lady Yan attacked at the same time. Four auras shook the heavens and earth, shaking the entire Xuandu as they attacked Celestial Venerable You!

At that moment, Qin Mu brought Butcher and the rest to fight with Celestial Venerable Yue and Divine King Lang into Heaven Duke's battlefield. Heaven Duke's situation was already extremely critical. He was surrounded by the four Celestial Venerables and the three divine weapons Celestial Venerable Yu. Even if he shrunk his corporeal body and increased his speed, he couldn't avoid getting injured repeatedly.

At this moment, the will of the Heavenly Dao was pressing forcefully on Heaven Duke's body. The will of the Heavenly Dao was extremely strong and suppressed Heaven Duke's consciousness.

The changes in the Heavenly Dao had been figured out by Celestial Venerable Hong, Heavenly Lady Qiang, God Emperor Lang Xuan, and Shi Qiluo. The Heavenly Dao had no creativity, no subjectivity, only objectivity.

The consciousness of the Heavenly Dao that was forcefully added to Heaven Duke's body was usually used to defend against attacks and counterattack accordingly. In terms of creativity and change, he was far inferior to others.

This was the weakness of the Heavenly Dao.

With Celestial Venerable Hong, who knew everything about the Heavenly Dao and Heaven Duke, the speed at which Heaven Duke died was beyond everyone's expectations. Even Lang Xuan, Heavenly Lady Qiang, and the rest didn't expect it to be so easy.

However, Celestial Venerable Yue and Lang Lang's joint attack still created some trouble for them. With Qin Mu and the rest, even if they couldn't threaten their lives, it still gave them a headache.

Shi Qiluo left the battlefield on his own to stop them. He controlled the three divine weapons Celestial Venerable Yu, and his abilities were powerful. In addition to his ever-changing body, he could transform into all kinds of rare treasures with a shake of his body. He was also a person with monstrous battle prowess.

However, Celestial Venerable Yue didn't fight him head-on. She dodged and continued to attack Celestial Venerable Hong, Heavenly Lady Qiang, and the rest. This made the Stone Qiluo Sect sigh.

What made it even more strenuous for Shi Qiluo was Divine King Lang's consciousness invading the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu to fight for control of the divine weapon. It even invaded his body to try and control him, using him as a divine weapon to attack Lang Xuan and the rest.

Luckily, he was the ruler of the Patriarch Creation Palace, and he had left all kinds of hidden doors in the body of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. Even his own body had hidden countless of them. Divine King Lang saw

that he couldn't seize control, but he still continued to harass him, driving him crazy.

"Let me do it!"

God Emperor Lang Xuan's consciousness suddenly burst forth, colliding head-on with Divine King Lang Xuan. His divine essence finger pierced through layers of space, forcing Celestial Venerable Yue out. With a flick of his sleeve, Qin Mu and the rest were forced out of thirty voids. He said indifferently, "Shi Qiluo, go help Celestial Venerable Hong."

Shi Qiluo felt as if a burden had been lifted off his shoulders, and he immediately controlled the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu to attack Heaven Duke.

God Emperor Lang Xuan was the strongest among the ten Celestial Venerables. Even if he fought with Heaven Duke, he wouldn't be at a disadvantage. Even Celestial Venerable Hong, who had the strongest magic power, was much weaker than him in terms of attack power.

"Celestial Venerable Yue, I'm your natural nemesis."

God Emperor Lang Xuan had a proud expression as he looked at Celestial Venerable Yue and said indifferently, "Your space path is in front of me. I can't unleash it with just a move of my consciousness. You were heavily injured for forty thousand years because of me."

His gaze then landed on Divine King Lang, and he said leisurely, "Divine King Lang, your consciousness path is naturally weaker than my Absolute Beginning Dao. If you fight me, I can severely injure you in the first move and take your life in the second. Submit to me, and I will confer you the title of imperial concubine."

His gaze then landed on Qin Mu and the rest, and he frowned. "Celestial Venerable Mu, I can recognize you even if you cover your face. In front of me, you are just trying to cause trouble with your bare buttocks. What's the use of covering your face? When the five of you work together, your abilities are merely at the edge of the Celestial Venerable's combat power. You can't even withstand a single blow!"

Tian Shu was so angry that he laughed and said to the others, "How vulgar, this beast actually said we were making trouble with our buttocks bare! His grandmother's mouth..."

Suddenly, the Heavenly Dao trembled violently, and the entire Xuandu's Heavenly Dao roared as it rushed into Heaven Duke's body!

Qin Mu's heart sank, and he felt the power of the Heavenly Dao in his body draining away frantically. The Xuandu Heavenly Dao probably knew that Heaven Duke's situation had reached the most crucial moment, so it retracted all the power of the Heavenly Dao that had shrouded the entire Xuandu and strengthened Heaven Duke!

Heaven Duke had already reached the most dangerous moment!

Heaven Duke's power increased, but his adaptability didn't improve at all. In that case, no matter how strong Heaven Duke was, he would still die in the hands of Celestial Venerable Hong and the rest.

He was probably going to lose this battle.

Tian Shu and the rest immediately felt the power of the Heavenly Dao rushing by, causing their expressions to change. The reason why they were able to fight until now without being killed by the Celestial Venerables was because of the power of the Heavenly Dao.

Recommending an app that was comparable to an old version of a book chasing divine weapon.

Now that they had lost this power, their battle prowess would decline, and the danger would also increase exponentially.

At this moment, an incomparably intense throbbing came from afar. The eye in the heart of Qin Mu's brows opened up and looked over. He saw Celestial Venerable Gong, Heavenly Lady Yan, and the ancient god of taiji attacking Celestial Venerable You!

Celestial Venerable Gong's divine whip and bugle horn, Heavenly Lady Yan's hairpin and the Ruins of End, and the Taiji sand table of the ancient gods had all been mobilized!

Under such an attack, Celestial Venerable You was most likely dead!

Qin Mu's mind was muddle-headed when he suddenly felt a sweetness in his throat. A mouthful of fresh blood rushed into his mouth, but he swallowed it back down.

"Heaven Duke, You..." His heart suddenly ached, and his heart felt like it was being sliced by knives.

Suddenly, in the heart of Heaven Duke's brows, a boundless aura rose up. The Heavenly Dao rumbled, the heavenly music shook, and the bell rang!

Celestial Venerable Hong, who was attacking Heaven Duke, had a huge change in expression. Shi Qiluo and Heavenly Lady Qiang immediately felt that Heaven Duke was different from the previous one!

God Emperor Lang Xuan's heart trembled violently, and he looked at Heaven Duke.

Over there, at the heart of Heaven Duke's brows, his primordial spirit rose up. In an instant, the consciousness of the Heavenly Dao retreated, and Heaven Duke's consciousness took over his body.

In the distance, a shocking sword light suddenly rushed into the sky and shone on the billions of stars in Xuandu.

Heaven Duke revealed a smile, and his grand voice reverberated in Xuandu.

"Heaven's Heart is vast, dry and small, having one or two pitfalls along to the way to the mind!"

In that instant, Qin Mu's face was covered in tears, and he was wild with joy.

Butcher glanced at him coldly and snorted. "Great sorrow and great joy will damage your Dao heart. Mu'er, you should be ashamed to be a Celestial Venerable!"

Even so, his hand that was holding Heaven Knife was trembling from excitement.

Heaven Duke had finally walked out of the Nine Hells Stage and comprehended Heaven's heart. Founding Emperor had also rushed over from the ancestral court, so how could he not be excited?

## Chapter 1457: Bright Moonlight, Blazing Sunlight

Celestial Venerable You was bathed in blood as his body crashed into the starry sky. He was like a stone that had landed on a calm water surface. He floated down and created ripples in the starry sky.

His primordial spirit was entangled by the ancient gods of taiji, and he instantly revealed his weakness.

His corporeal body couldn't be as strong as his primordial spirit. His primordial spirit controlled the Great Dao of Youdu, and he entered the 25 heavens of the Dao. The 25 layers of Youdu World spread out, and the paths, skills, and divine arts grew deeper and stronger with each layer!

Furthermore, he was still comprehending even more profound Dao realms, and even the ancient gods of taiji couldn't do anything to him.

Even if the ancient god of taiji fused into the form of Earth Count and roamed freely in his Youdu world, he could only be on par with his primordial spirit and couldn't hurt it.

Even though the two ancient gods could transform into various forms like Heaven Duke and Earth Count, they were still lacking when it came to the deep levels of the Great Dao of Heaven Dao and Youdu.

However, the weakness of Celestial Venerable You's corporeal body was revealed, giving Heavenly Lady Yan and Celestial Venerable Gong a chance!

He wasn't a Celestial Venerable that was good at fighting with his corporeal body. Fighting with his corporeal body was something he had always looked down on. Furthermore, he didn't have the chance to fight with his corporeal body.

Heavenly Lady Yan and Celestial Venerable Gong attacked one after another. Heavenly Lady Yan held a hairpin in her slender hand, and with a shake of the wind, it transformed into a sharp sword. Sword light flew, and abysses of the Ruins of End appeared in front and behind Celestial Venerable You, tearing his body in different directions and pinning him to the starry sky.



His body opened up, and his limbs and head were stretched out. His limbs and neck were all stretched out.

Celestial Venerable Gong leaped up, and the long whip in his hand trembled, transforming into a huge spear that stabbed towards the heart of his brows!

Ding!

The huge spear transformed from the dragon's vein of the ancestral court stabbed into the heart of Celestial Venerable You's brows. Blood flowed out from the heart of Celestial Venerable You's brows, and the tip of the spear pierced through his skull!

Celestial Venerable You struggled violently, but he couldn't break free from the divine art of the Ruins of End. His face dimmed.

"Mu, I tried my best..."

He tried his best to mobilize his magic power to block the thrust of the spear, but he couldn't block it at all. The dragon spear stabbed into his head bit by bit.

"I'm sorry, I couldn't complete your entrustment. You let me live, I can't..."

At this moment, a majestic sword light separated Yin and Yang, forcing the two ancient gods of taiji to separate to the left and right to avoid this world-shaking sword light.

The two ancient gods were astonished and immediately recognized this sword. It was Founding Emperor Qin Ye's sword!

At this moment, Founding Emperor's sword was different from the one they had seen not long ago. This difference wasn't due to the difference in sword skills, but the difference in the Dao Realm.

When they had met Founding Emperor in the celestial heavens, he had pierced through the taiji diagram with a single sword. Even though he was powerful, he didn't pose much of a threat to them. Now that Founding Emperor's sword had separated the yin and yang, they felt an extremely terrifying threat!

If the two of them were to split up and fight one-on-one, they would be inferior to existences like the ten Celestial Venerables. Only when the two of them worked together would they have boundless combat power.

Not long after they parted, Founding Emperor had actually grown to the extent of seeing through their weaknesses. He was truly remarkable!

After the ancient gods of Taiji separated, Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit instantly broke free and rushed towards his corporeal body.

The sword light separated the yin and yang, forcing back the two ancient gods. The sword light continued forward, heading straight for Celestial Venerable Gong. Its speed was so fast that Celestial Venerable Gong was caught off guard!

At the back of her heart, there seemed to be another sword wound that was about to explode. That was the location of the sword wound that Founding Emperor had left for her in the celestial heavens.

However, Founding Emperor's sword injury had long been healed by Goddess Tai Su, so why did she feel a slight pain in his wound?

"His sword was imprinted in my Dao heart, causing a sword wound to appear in my Dao heart!" Celestial Venerable Gong instantly came to a realization.

Founding Emperor had used an incomparably powerful Dao Realm to severely injure her. Tai Su could heal this kind of injury, but when Founding Emperor injured her, he used his incomparably powerful Dao heart to defeat her Dao heart!

And this kind of injury was something that Tai Su couldn't heal!

The injuries on her Dao heart could only heal herself. However, even though her Dao heart was strong, it still hadn't reached the level of Founding Emperor!

Right at this moment, Heavenly Lady Yan sneered and swung her sword. The sword light transformed into a abyss of the Ruins of End behind Celestial Venerable Gong. Founding Emperor's world-shaking sword pierced into the abyss of the Ruins of End and vanished.

Just as Heavenly Lady Yan was relieved, sword light surged like a tide and passed through the abysses of the Ruins of End, causing them to crumble!

She didn't trap Founding Emperor's sword. On the contrary, Founding Emperor's sword had broken through her Ruins of End divine art!

The sword light shot out from the last abyss and arrived in front of Celestial Venerable Gong!

Celestial Venerable Gong pulled out his dragon spear and quickly retreated. The dragon spear transformed into a long whip that coiled like a dragon to block the sword light.

There were sword lights everywhere in front of her eyes, and the long whip transformed from the dragon's vein of the ancestral court was like a ring with a ring. It clanked continuously as it collided with Carefree Sword. Huge mountain god stones were sliced apart by Carefree Sword, and soon, only a handle was left on her long whip.

The power of the Carefree Sword was finally exhausted, and it roared away.

Celestial Venerable Gong was drenched in sweat as she shook the handle of the whip in her hand. The Ancestral Court Dragon Vein that was sliced into pieces by Founding Emperor's sword whooshed over, and the huge mountains quickly reformed in her hand, turning back into a divine whip that was undamaged!

Celestial Venerable Gong felt a lingering fear in his heart. Founding Emperor's sword had actually broken through the divine arts of the ancient gods of taiji, Heavenly Lady Yan, and herself, the four Celestial Venerables, before exhausting all of its power. It was truly terrifying!

She suddenly turned around and saw Founding Emperor walking over. Even though the two ancient gods of taiji were separated, the yin and yang were guiding each other in a beautiful arc. It was like the yin and yang fish of the taiji diagram were swirling around each other, and Founding Emperor was in the center of the taiji diagram.

This point was incomparably marvelous!

Even though Founding Emperor had separated them, he had fallen into their formation diagram. What awaited Founding Emperor was their ultimate attack!

Founding Emperor walked leisurely in this taiji diagram that was forming, as if he didn't notice the fierce attack he was about to face.

He raised his palm, and Carefree Sword flew back. His right hand held the sword hilt while his left hand lifted the sheath from his waist.

A melodious sword cry rang out, and Carefree Sword was sheathed in front of him. The sword cry was clear and melodious, containing the Dao runes of the sword path.

At that moment, Celestial Venerable Gong looked over and heard the sword hum. Celestial Venerable Gong's expression changed, and the sword injury in his Dao heart suddenly exploded.

Chi! Chi! Chi!

Her body trembled, and thousands of sword wounds burst forth from her body, piercing through her body. Blood splattered everywhere!

Celestial Venerable Gong grunted and shouted. The celestial palaces shone brightly, and the horns of the celestial heavens rang long and melodious to resist the sound of the sword path!

Founding Emperor raised his eyebrows and pulled out his sword. He raised it three inches and paused again. Sword cries rang out, and the two sword cries collided.

Celestial Venerable Gong's celestial heavens crackled as countless sword qi swept through her celestial palaces!

Celestial Venerable Gong vomited blood and knelt on the ground.

Heavenly Lady Yan was shocked and hesitant. Founding Emperor's sword cry wasn't anything special to her, it was just an ordinary Dao voice. However, when it entered Celestial Venerable Gong's ears, he was actually severely injured. It was truly strange.

She didn't know that Celestial Venerable Gong's Dao heart was so severely injured.

However, she didn't have time to think about the reason because Celestial Venerable You's primordial spirit had already arrived.

At the same time, the taiji diagram of the two ancient gods was completed. The taiji diagram spun, and at that moment, the sword light lit up again. With a slash, the two ancient gods instantly felt that they were separated by yin and yang. The connection between them was actually severed by Founding Emperor's sword!

"His body is blazing like the radiance of the sun, his sword is bright like the splendor of the moon."

The two ancient gods of taiji looked at Founding Emperor in the taiji diagram, and they exclaimed in unison, "Founding Emperor Qin Ye, we haven't seen you for a few days, and you are one step closer to achieving the path. Congratulations, we are envious!"

Suddenly, the two ancient gods shouted and activated the taiji sand table. The sand table soared into the sky and transformed into a desert!

Founding Emperor's two swords forced them to use their accompanying treasures.

Ever since they were born, they forced Heavenly Lady Qiang and Shi Qiluo back in their first battle, forcing the two Celestial Venerables to admit defeat and retreat. However, even then, they didn't use their accompanying treasures.

Now, Founding Emperor's two swords had increased the pressure on them greatly. Only by using the accompanying treasure could they have a chance of victory.

Founding Emperor walked forward, and a sandstorm filled the sky. Countless grains of sand flew over, and they were all planets. The moment they came into contact with Founding Emperor, they transformed into countless planets that whistled past him. Some planets even crashed into him!

However, before these stars crashed into Founding Emperor, they seemed to have encountered an invisible sword qi. They split into two and flew past him.

"Fellow Daoist!"

The bodies of the two ancient gods coiled around the center of the star system, and they bowed to Founding Emperor across the boundless starry sky. "The last time, we saw that you were an existence that wanted to achieve

the Dao, so we gave way to you and didn't make things difficult for you. Now that we are reunited, I hope you won't make things difficult for us."

Founding Emperor sheathed his sword and raised Carefree Sword to return the greeting to the two ancient gods. Countless galaxies in front of him suddenly parted to the side as if they were pushed to the side by an invisible force.

"I will remember your courtesy, Dao brothers. I will pay my respects another day."

Founding Emperor's tone was calm as he said, "Today, I'm here to save people, so both of you just need to give in and do me a favor one more time. I will reciprocate the favor and give in one more time in the future."

The two ancient gods of taiji looked at each other, and the Yin Goddess said, "We have already given in to him. The first time was to respect his Dao, and his realm of Dao is far-reaching. If he walks in front of us, he can be considered our senior brother. The second time, however, there's no reason to give in."

The Yang God nodded and said, "There's indeed no reason to tolerate him this time. Dao friend, please forgive us. We siblings have no choice but to offend you."

Founding Emperor said, "Have the two of you seen Celestial Venerable Gong's injury? This injury is a Dao injury. If the two Dao brothers were injured by my sword, they would probably be like her."

The two ancient gods of Tai Chi looked at each other and smiled. "We entered the world to sharpen our Dao hearts and comprehend the path of Dao from this rolling red dust. If we can get injured in the hands of Dao friend, it will be our fortune!"

Founding Emperor frowned. The power of the taiji sand table was becoming stronger. This battle was probably the most terrifying battle since he had stepped onto the path of cultivation!

On the other side, there was a huge hole in the heart of Celestial Venerable You's brows. He stood up shakily, his head muddle-headed. The ghost mask on his face was also broken by Celestial Venerable Gong's spear and split into two.

His face was covered in blood, and he grabbed the mask in a panic. He wanted to cover his face, but he couldn't.

Tears fell from his face and mixed with blood, dripping into the starry sky.

"The majestic Celestial Venerable You actually cried from being beaten."

Heavenly Lady Yan smiled. "Aren't you a little too lacking in your celestial venerable bearing?"

"Don't underestimate the enemy."

Celestial Venerable Gong gritted his teeth and forcefully suppressed his injuries. He tried his best to stand up and said with a hoarse voice, "I saw this mask in the illusion. It's the only thing his mother left behind for him."

Heavenly Lady Yan's hair stood on end.

## **Chapter 1458: Death of Heaven Duke (Part I)**

'In the first year of the Dragon Han Era, Celestial Venerable You was a problematic youth. He was antisocial and didn't care about anyone. He didn't care about anything. The only thing that could motivate him was to meet his mother. He founded the Life and Death Divine Treasure to meet his mother.'

Heavenly Lady Yan released all of her celestial palaces to form the great celestial heavens. She stared nervously at Celestial Venerable You, whose corporeal body was in ruins, but whose aura was becoming stronger. She thought to herself, 'The only one who hinders him is his mother. He has been silent in Youdu for a million years, accompanying his mother's soul. He never came to the world of the living to create trouble, so he missed out on the power struggle of the celestial heavens. He has no part in the power of the ten Celestial Venerables. If he doesn't have this kind of restraint...'

She couldn't help shuddering as she glanced at the severely injured Celestial Venerable Gong and thought to herself, 'If necessary, I'll have to sacrifice Dao friend! After all, the one who broke the mask wasn't me, but Celestial Venerable Gong...'

To Heavenly Lady Yan, dying was never a choice.

Of course, this wasn't a multiple-choice question in Celestial Venerable Gong's heart.

Just as she thought that, Celestial Venerable You suddenly raised his head, and the aura of the primordial spirit behind him grew exponentially. It had the dark temperament unique to Youdu, and layer after layer of Youdu worlds rapidly expanded out to invade Xuandu!

Under his feet, Youdu worlds overlapped one another to form a huge Youdu realm!

The Youdu Realm actually started to connect with the real Youdu!

This scene was extremely terrifying. When the Youdu Realm connected with the real Youdu, Heavenly Lady Yan and Celestial Venerable Gong saw two long horns rising from Youdu in shock.

The two bull horns were incomparably thick, and they were like rivers formed from the magma of countless worlds. They blazed furiously and coiled around the bull horns.

However, the flow of the magma river wasn't slow. On the contrary, it was pouring down like a waterfall crashing down from the sky. It was noisy and loud!

"Celestial Venerable You called his lord over, shameless... What exactly is the Heavenly Dao doing? It actually allowed Youdu to invade, how inappropriate!" Heavenly Lady Yan laughed from extreme anger.

There was no way to fight this battle anymore.

This was the invasion between the oldest world and the world, and Celestial Venerable You was the bridge to this invasion.

Logically speaking, the Heavenly Dao and the Great Dao of Youdu were opposites, and it could be said that they restrained each other and destroyed each other. The two worlds would never meet and never come into contact.

Even if Celestial Venerable You used a heaven-defying divine art, the two worlds would never cross paths.



However, this impossible thing was broken by the ten Celestial Venerables invading Xuandu.

If it was an ordinary period, the Heavenly Dao would definitely resist the invasion of Youdu. Even if Celestial Venerable You cultivated the Youdu Realm, he would be obliterated by the Heavenly Dao of Xuandu, unable to unleash the realm!

Furthermore, an existence like Celestial Venerable You couldn't step into Xuandu. The Xuandu Heavenly Dao would treat him as an invader and eliminate him immediately.

Yet now, all of Xuandu's Heavenly Dao was gathered in Heaven Duke's body, and he did everything he could to protect Heaven Duke's life. There was no Heavenly Dao that could resist Youdu's invasion.

All these factors led to the Heavenly Dao no longer suppressing Celestial Venerable You's power, and there was no way to resist the invasion of Youdu.

This was the opening of the universe, and it was a scene that had never appeared before even after the formation of Xuandu and Youdu. However, it had appeared now, and it had appeared so naturally that everyone was caught off guard!

When Earth Count's horns pierced through the sky of Xuandu, the Primordial Realm, the Ancestral Court, the Four Extreme Heavens, and the myriad worlds in the heavens, all the living beings could see this soul-stirring sight when they looked up at the sky.

Two huge horns that were filled with flowing lava rivers burned the sky red!

This sight terrified everyone.

Actually, ever since the celestial heavens started to attack Xuandu, the astronomical phenomenon in the heavens and ten thousand worlds had started to become chaotic. The stars in the sky were moving randomly, and the constellations weren't in their positions. The sun and the moon became elusive, and not only were the day and night reversed, there were even numerous suns appearing together or a terrifying sight of over a dozen moons revolving around one sun!

Before the people of the thousands of worlds in the heavens could adapt to this strange change, the horn of Earth Count that made children stop crying and made gods and devils tremble in fear actually appeared in the sky. It was as if the end of the world had descended, and it couldn't help but make people shudder in fear.

Heavenly Lady Yan and Celestial Venerable Gong looked at each other. At this moment, whether they could kill Heaven Duke was no longer important. What was important was whether they could protect their lives!

However, what terrified them was that they had fallen into Celestial Venerable You's Youdu realm and couldn't escape anymore.

'I should kill Celestial Venerable You before Earth Count comes here!'

Heavenly Lady Yan shouted sternly as the abyss of the Ruins of End tore apart the sky.

On the other side, Celestial Venerable Hong, Heavenly Lady Qiang, and Shi Qiluo were shocked. Heaven Duke controlled his body personally, and it was different from the control of the consciousness of the Heavenly Dao. It was more agile and more versatile!

Even though Heaven Duke was strong, he gave people the feeling that he was abiding by the rules. He fought like a machine and didn't know how to adapt. Now, his moves and divine arts were extremely ever-changing. Even though it was a Heavenly Dao divine art, his transformation was much better than before!

The pressure on the three Celestial Venerables instantly increased. They weren't injured in their battle with Heaven Duke, but they were already injured!

Celestial Venerable Hong was even more shocked than the other Celestial Venerables.

There was no one in the world who understood Heaven Duke better than him. He understood Heaven Duke's strengths and weaknesses even more because he and Heaven Duke were one. For a long time, their hearts and minds were connected, and they were inseparable.

They fought for the same goal, which was to break free from the restraints of the Heavenly Dao and escape from it.

Yet now, he felt that his heart and mind were no longer connected to Heaven Duke. It was as though there was a veil separating them, making him unable to see through Heaven Duke's thoughts.

Between him and Heaven Duke, one was the reincarnation of the divine soul, free and unrestrained, controlling power and enjoying life. The other was the two souls of heaven and earth controlling the corporeal body. They were also restrained by the Heavenly Dao and couldn't be free.

Now, Heaven Duke's two souls seemed to have their own thoughts and sealed him up.

What made him even more alarmed was that the will of the Heavenly Dao had retreated, allowing Heaven Duke to control his body. If the will of the Heavenly Dao didn't force itself on Heaven Duke and no longer surpassed his will, would Heaven Duke still need him?

Did he still need a Celestial Venerable Hong?

At that moment, he had a disagreement with Heaven Duke.

Not only that, he also felt that every time he was injured by Heaven Duke, his cultivation and abilities would be weakened. This weakening came from his Dao heart. There was a huge Dao heart prison that locked the upper limit of his cultivation, and every time he was injured, the upper limit of his cultivation would be lowered!

Even though he still had a world-shaking power, it weakened time again, causing his Dao heart to become even more flustered.

The intense pain from his Dao heart intensified his panic and pain.

Unknowingly, his body started to distort. The first thing to distort was his face. It was originally kind-looking, but now it was gradually becoming sinister!

Even Shi Qiluo and God Emperor Lang Xuan couldn't help but feel fear when they saw this.

"We must kill Heaven Duke!" Celestial Venerable Hong shouted at them with his sinister face.

Lang Xuan and Shi Qiluo frowned. This was completely different from Celestial Venerable Hong, who was usually calm and at ease, looking like an otherworldly expert.

'Celestial Venerable Hong's Dao heart is completely defeated.'

Shi Qiluo blinked his eyes and immediately split out a divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. He smiled and said, "Celestial Venerable Hong, you are stronger. Use this divine weapon!"

If it was during normal times, Celestial Venerable Hong would definitely reject it, as he could see that Shi Qiluo had tampered with the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. Now, he was actually using boundless magic power to control the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu!

Boom boom boom boom

Behind the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu's head, light wheels swirled and danced. Celestial palaces appeared and formed a huge celestial heavens!

The aura of this divine weapon was violent, and its cultivation grew exponentially. Its battle power rose again!

The increase in strength was so great that even God Emperor Lang Xuan felt his primordial spirit trembling!

Shi Qiluo, on the other hand, was overjoyed. Now, he could finally grasp the trajectory of Celestial Venerable Hong's technique!

Other than Qin Mu, he was the weakest among the Celestial Venerables. Because he had only cultivated for a short period of time and was the master of the Patriarch Creation Palace, his status was low, and the resources he received were few. Therefore, his own abilities couldn't catch up to the ten Celestial Venerables.

He could only find another way to pry into the techniques of other Celestial Venerables from the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. As long as other Celestial Venerables controlled the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, he could take the chance to pry into their techniques.

Currently, he had already obtained the techniques of Celestial Venerable Hao, Heavenly Lady Qiang, and Celestial Venerable Huo. Celestial Venerables Hao, Qiang, and Huo each had their own strengths, so it wasn't easy to master their techniques and turn them into his Great Celestial Heavens technique.

However, for Shi Qiluo, the more people he used, the better.

He instantly felt the circulation path of Celestial Venerable Hong's technique. He was both delighted and astonished.

"This is the theme of using the Heavenly Dao Technique to merge all kinds of Emperor's Throne techniques. Among them, there are results from Founding Emperor's reform, all kinds of Postcelestial Great Daos, and even Founding Emperor's Sword Dao! Founding Emperor's technique is also included. Even though it's not comprehensive, it's still very remarkable!"

Shi Qiluo glanced at Celestial Venerable Hong with a smile that wasn't a smile. "During the Founding Emperor Era, Heaven Duke supported the Founding Emperor Celestial Heavens and fought against the celestial heavens. I thought Heaven Duke's goal was to borrow the power of the Founding Emperor Celestial Heavens to eradicate us. Hehe, so I was thinking too much. Heaven Duke's true goal was to transform into Celestial Venerable Hong and take the chance to absorb the results of Founding Emperor's reform, allowing him to reach the Celestial Heavens Realm before us! Old fox..."

Even though she had used this chance to verify Heaven Duke's identity, she didn't make it public. Instead, she continued to watch Celestial Venerable Hong hit Heaven Duke.

Celestial Venerable Hong completely controlled the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, pushing the power of the divine weapon to its limits. Behind the head of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, even the celestial palace of martial arts of the martial emperor, Zhu Cha, had appeared!

The results of Founding Emperor Era's reform were vividly displayed on him!

Even Founding Emperor himself hadn't fused the Emperor's Throne techniques of Founding Emperor Era into one because Founding Emperor needed to use all of his wisdom to walk the path of the sword path. If he had

spent all his effort on other Postcelestial Great Daos, he wouldn't have achieved what he had today.

However, Celestial Venerable Hong was different.

He was also a part of Heaven Duke, and the results of Founding Emperor Era's reform weren't hidden from Heaven Duke. Heaven Duke's main body couldn't absorb these results, but he could.

In a short period of time, the celestial heavens formed by thirty-five celestial palaces appeared behind the head of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. Not only that, the thirty-sixth celestial palace was also forming!

This sight shocked God Emperor Lang Xuan, but also surprised and regretful Shi Qiluo.

He examined Celestial Venerable Hong's technique and realized that even though Celestial Venerable Hong had thirty-six celestial palaces, they weren't perfect.

In addition to the thirty-sixth celestial palace, the flaw in the technique appeared. This flaw caused the pressure on the corporeal body to reach the limit that the corporeal body could withstand!

In other words, even a Celestial Venerable with such a powerful body couldn't withstand the pressure of the great celestial heavens formed by the thirty-six celestial palaces. They would definitely be crushed by the great celestial heavens!

In the past, Celestial Venerable Hong didn't dare to use his imperfect technique. Now that he had the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, he had nothing to fear!

Now, the power of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu had already surpassed that of Celestial Venerable Hong. The attack power of the divine art was even above that of God Emperor Lang Xuan, and his battle power was still rising!

God Emperor Lang Xuan and Shi Qiluo were shocked. They didn't understand what was going on. Now that the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was already in the Celestial Heavens Realm, how could he still improve his abilities?

Shi Qiluo soon realized that the improvement wasn't from the celestial palaces, but from the divine halls of the celestial heavens!

There were a total of eight shrines that provided the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu with power that surpassed the celestial heavens. The power of these eight shrines were eight kinds of Postcelestial Dao, and they weren't in the Connate Dao!

"What's so great about Founding Emperor's reform!"

Shi Qiluo was so excited that he almost cried. The greatest result of the reform of Founding Emperor Era was right in front of him.

Even though he had yet to see the seventy-two throne halls protecting the thirty-six celestial heavens, he could already feel the perfection of this path!

This kind of path, when supported by the Great Dao of Heaven in the future, greatly reduced the pressure of the great celestial heavens formed by the thirty-six celestial palaces!

## **Chapter 1459: The Death of Heaven Duke (Part Two)**

The reform of Founding Emperor Era was a test of the Postcelestial Dao defeating the Precelestial Dao. Even though the results of the reform of that era weren't as much as the results of Eternal Peace, the seed of Postcelestial defeating the Precelestial had already been planted. It was just that the duration of Founding Emperor Era was too short. Even though the seed had sprouted, it didn't grow.

The greatest result of Founding Emperor's reform wasn't Founding Emperor's sword skill, but the reform of the Celestial Heavens Realm that was presided over by the number one heavenly master, Saint Woodcutter Wen Tiange!

Even though Saint Woodcutter was a person who 'had no strength to truss a chicken' and was the weakest among the four great heavenly teachers, the height of his wisdom was something others couldn't match.

The seventy-two throne halls assisting the thirty-six celestial palaces was done by him. He used seventy-two Postcelestial Dao to relieve the pressure of

the thirty-six Precelestial Dao and reduce the damage to the corporeal body from the celestial heavens.

After his improvements, theoretically, the Celestial Heavens Realm formed by the seventy-two throne halls assisting the thirty-six celestial palaces would have more dense magic power than the traditional Celestial Heavens Realm. It would have higher battle power and no worries.

However, Saint Woodcutter didn't publicize this kind of technique, so not many people knew about it. The only one who received his complete teaching was the previous Eternal Peace Imperial Preceptor, Jiang Baigui.

As for whether Jiang Baigui had cultivated it or not, no one knew.

What Celestial Venerable Hong had obtained was merely a remnant piece that Saint Woodcutter had created in the early days. Furthermore, there were quite a few hidden dangers that belonged to outdated techniques.

Even so, this incomplete technique was enough to allow the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu to last longer in the Celestial Heavens Realm, raising his battle prowess by an astonishing amount!

The divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu clashed with Heaven Duke, and in terms of power, he was almost on par with Heaven Duke. Such battle power was truly eye-opening!

In addition, Celestial Venerable Hong's techniques and divine arts came from the Heavenly Dao, but they weren't limited to the Heavenly Dao. With him as the main attacker, and with God Emperor Lang Xuan, Heavenly Lady Qiang, and Shi Qiluo, the three Celestial Venerables, Heaven Duke was once again at a disadvantage!

Celestial Venerable Hong fought with speed, sparing no expense. He felt his power weakening, so he had to end this quickly!

Heaven Duke tried his best to move and shrink his body, but the injuries on his body kept increasing.

However, cracks also appeared on the body of that divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. His skin exploded, and his muscles shattered. He could be crushed by the celestial heavens at any moment!



Suddenly, the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu struck the heart of Heaven Duke's brows, shaking his primordial spirit!

Heavenly Lady Qiang took the chance to activate the God Execution Stage, and two knife lights stabbed into the heart of Heaven Duke's brows. At the same time, her consciousness burst forth and attacked Heaven Duke's consciousness!

At the same time, God Emperor Lang Xuan's consciousness also rushed into the heart of Heaven Duke's brows, almost shattering his consciousness!

Shi Qiluo saw the advantage and hurriedly controlled the other two divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu. He shrunk his body and rushed into the heart of Heaven Duke's brows. The two divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu, had three heads and six arms. As they moved forward, they spun rapidly, and countless punches and kicks rained down on the primordial spirit of Heaven Duke.

Consciousness was consciousness, and primordial spirit was the soul. Heaven Duke's consciousness was almost shattered, and his primordial spirit was almost shattered by Shi Qiluo!

At that moment, the consciousness of the Heavenly Dao sensed that Heaven Duke's consciousness had lost the ability to control his corporeal body, and it immediately formed the consciousness of the Heavenly Dao in Heaven Duke's body. Space and time controlled Heaven Duke's corporeal body.

At that moment, God Emperor Lang Xuan shouted and activated the Dao Fruit in his celestial heavens. He also stabbed it into the heart of Heaven Duke's brows. A boundless Dao rune burst forth and sealed the consciousness of the Heavenly Dao, preventing it from descending!

Celestial Venerable Hong stood up, and his sleeves fluttered as he flew into the heart of Heaven Duke's brows. With a flick of his sleeves, he pulled the two divine weapons, Celestial Venerable Yu, into his sleeves. With a forceful shake, he sent them flying.

Shi Qiluo flew into a rage and shouted sternly, "Celestial Venerable Hong, you just defeated Heaven Duke, and now you want to fall out with us? Aren't you going to leave any benefits for Dao friend?"

God Emperor Lang Xuan was about to rush into the heart of Heaven Duke's brows when he suddenly saw the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu controlled by Celestial Venerable Hong rushing over.

God Emperor Lang Xuan was hit by him, and his head instantly became muddled. His body was knocked tens of thousands of miles away, and he heard cracking sounds coming from his ribs.

The forehead of that divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu exploded from his finger, and the back of his head exploded. Blood splattered across the celestial heavens and the celestial palaces.

The divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was already pushed to his limits by Celestial Venerable Hong, and his corporeal body couldn't take it anymore. Now, his forehead exploded from his finger, and his entire body exploded.

Recommending an app that was comparable to an old version of a book chasing divine weapon.

God Emperor Lang Xuan vomited blood continuously. The attack power of the complete Celestial Heavens Realm divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was too ruthless. Even he couldn't withstand it.

"My Dao Fruit!"

He forcefully suppressed his injuries and rushed towards Heaven Duke. However, he saw Heaven Duke standing there motionlessly. Two baleful auras suddenly coiled around the heart of his brows, and with a swish, he sliced open Heaven Duke's head from the left and right, opening up his skull!

It was Heavenly Lady Qiang slaughtering her way into the heart of Heaven Duke's brows and destroying his insides, splitting open his skull.

The knife was extremely powerful, but Heavenly Lady Qiang flew out with it. The Celestial Venerable was almost flattened by Celestial Venerable Hong on the God Execution Stage, and he was sent flying along with it!

Along with Heavenly Lady Qiang, waves of essence soared into the sky from Heaven Duke's head!

Spirit qi pierced through the sky, and the Heavenly Dao trembled within it. The 49 Heavenly Daos in Heaven Duke's body started to escape!

"Heaven Duke is going to die!" Shi Qiluo couldn't be bothered to argue with Celestial Venerable Hong as he cried out in joy.

His hundred treasure chest suddenly opened up, and countless strange divine weapons flew out to capture Heaven Duke's essence qi and collect the Heavenly Dao.

'Heaven Duke is really going to die!'

Heavenly Lady Qiang, who was flattened by Celestial Venerable Hong on the God Execution Stage, couldn't help being delighted. Her body fluctuated, then deflated again. She then recovered like she was inflated. She used all her strength to activate the God Execution Stage and the two murderous divine knives to devour the Heaven Emanations Qi in Xuandu.

The baleful qi of heaven was incomparably dense, causing her two divine knives to absorb it frantically.

In the distance, Earth Count's huge head had already appeared in Xuandu. He had the head of a bull, the face of a tiger, and the horns of a tiger. He was incomparably huge. One of his hands was on Celestial Venerable Gong's body, while the other was on Heavenly Lady Yan.

Celestial Venerable Gong and Heavenly Lady Yan were heavily injured by Celestial Venerable You at all costs, and Earth Count's appearance was perfect. He was waiting for the exhausted Celestial Venerables and suppressed them.

Suddenly, Earth Count's body trembled violently, and he turned back to look at Heaven Duke.

Red light filled the sky, and Heaven Duke's essence dyed Xuandu red, turning countless stars red like blood.

Earth Count's expression dimmed, and his three eyes revealed a look of anticipation. "Dao brother, have you transcended the Heavenly Dao? Should I congratulate you or cry for you?"

At this moment, the taiji diagram suddenly swirled and revolved around Earth Count. Earth Count's expression changed slightly, and he hurriedly let go of Celestial Venerable Gong and Heavenly Lady Yan. With his palms left and right, he blocked the taiji diagram.

A violent tremor rang out, and Earth Count blocked the power of the taiji diagram. His huge body crackled, and chunks of lava fell off his body. Countless Youdu ghosts ran around in tears.

Earth Count hurriedly consoled those ghost gods, but he saw a male and a female ancient god covered in blood appearing in front of him. Their bodies were covered in sword wounds, and they picked up Heavenly Lady Yan and flew away.

The taiji diagram was formed from the supreme treasure of the ancient god of taiji. The two ancient gods were fighting with Founding Emperor, and when they saw Heavenly Lady Yan injured, they hurried over to save her. However, Founding Emperor succeeded in one strike, and they were severely injured.

Earth Count was about to stretch out his palm when Celestial Venerable Gong's injuries healed rapidly. He was astonished and hurriedly looked over. He saw Celestial Venerable Hao walking towards him.

Behind Celestial Venerable Hao, figures moved. Earth Count focused his gaze, and it was Celestial Venerable Xu with two horns.

Celestial Venerable Xu walked towards him, and his body gradually shrunk. He also became younger, becoming a little girl with two horns on her head that were covered by two small braids.

"Father Ah Chou," the little girl called out to him.

"Daughter..."

Earth Count's heart trembled, and the Great Dao of Youdu immediately transformed into densely packed chains that bound his heart tightly.

"Daughter!"

Earth Count vomited blood from his mouth, and what he spewed out was boiling lava. His mind was in chaos. Suddenly, Celestial Venerable Hao raised his hand, and the Myriad Dao Heavenly Wheel flew out. It spun rapidly and grew larger as it slashed towards the heart of his brows.

The ten thousand Heavenly Wheels and ten thousand Dao returned to one, transforming into one Precelestial One. Precelestial One was like a flower, incomparably sharp. In the next moment, it was in front of Earth Count!

"Earth Count, wake up!"

Celestial Venerable You dragged his heavily injured body and flew over to block in front of Earth Count. His majestic primordial spirit slowly rose up, and his hands blocked the Ten Thousand Dao Heavenly Wheel. Instantly, blood flowed out!

His corporeal body and primordial spirit ignited with Youdu devil fire to defend against the Ten Thousand Dao Heavenly Wheel. However, his injuries were already extremely severe, so he couldn't block a single blow from Celestial Venerable Hao.

A sword light flew over, flashing continuously as it attacked Celestial Venerable Hao and Tai Su behind him!

Celestial Venerable Hao laughed loudly and rose into the sky, leaping over Earth Count's head. The moment the two of them flew past Earth Count, Tai Su turned back to look at Founding Emperor who was holding Carefree Sword. He was astonished. "You can see me?"

Founding Emperor didn't reply. He flicked his sword three times, and Celestial Venerable Gong, who was about to kill Celestial Venerable You, suddenly burst out with sword lights and fresh blood. He had no choice but to escape with Tai Su.

Heavenly Fiends filled the sky, and they became more intense. At this moment, the stars in the thousands of worlds became blood red, and the sky also became blood red. It was as if the sky was bleeding, and there was a waterfall of blood falling from the sky at any moment.

Even the two divine knives on the God Execution Stage didn't have the time to swallow such intense baleful qi. The two divine knives became more corporeal in the baleful qi and gradually condensed their true forms. They had both forms and substance!

The reverse scales on the bodies of the two blood-colored dragons stood up, shining with cold light. They coiled around each other on God Execution Stage, and when their scales collided, sparks flew in all directions!

Heavenly Lady Qiang trembled with excitement as she looked at Heaven Duke's corporeal body.

'Devouring the Heavenly Dao, swallowing Heaven Duke, refining two divine knives, making the power of the divine knives even stronger. It's definitely not inferior to the Grand Primordium's accompanying treasure!'

With this in mind, she immediately executed her two divine knives with baleful aura and attacked Heaven Duke who was standing there stiffly.

"Great Heavenly Dao Seal!"

In the heart of Heaven Duke's brows, Celestial Venerable Hong turned a blind eye to the Heaven Dao and Heaven Duke's essence that were escaping. He raised his palm, and instantly, countless Heaven Dao seals were imprinted on the Dao Fruit. The Dao runes of the Dao Fruit were extremely strong, but no one activated it. It was instantly suppressed by Celestial Venerable Hong!

Celestial Venerable Hong flicked his finger, and the sealed Dao Fruit flew out from the heart of Heaven Duke's brows. Heavenly Lady Qiang controlled the Ancestral Court God Execution Stage to fly over, and the shriveled Dao Fruit contained the power of the Heavenly Dao. Without any explanation, she executed her two divine knives to slash at the Dao Fruit!

At that moment, God Emperor Lang Xuan rushed over. When he saw this, his eyes widened in anger. He immediately sent a primordial divine art towards Heavenly Lady Qiang!

The back of Heavenly Lady Qiang's heart exploded, and her body flew off the God Execution Stage. She then pulled out her knife and slashed backward. Two blood dragons slashed across God Emperor Lang Xuan's neck.

God Emperor Lang Xuan's head rolled down, and the flesh on his neck squirmed. With a pop, another head popped out. He stretched his hand out to grab the Dao Fruit and raised it up to float in the celestial heavens.

Heavenly Lady Qiang turned around, and their gazes met. They separated and pounced at Heaven Duke's corporeal body. Shi Qiluo also pounced over, and the burly man laughed. "Devouring Heaven Duke's cultivation is just around the corner!"

Right at this moment, the Myriad Dao Heavenly Wheel flew past, and Shi Qiluo's body was sliced into two. His lower body was sprinting frantically below, but his upper body was reaching out to grab Heaven Duke's corporeal body.

God Emperor Lang Xuan was shocked, and he hurriedly turned around to defend himself. However, he saw Celestial Venerable Hao standing behind Celestial Emperor Tai Chu, and his expression changed drastically. Celestial Venerable Hao then tapped the heart of his brows.

God Emperor Lang Xuan vomited blood and turned to leave.

On the other side, when Heavenly Lady Qiang saw Celestial Venerable Gong flying over, she hurriedly retracted her two baleful auras, afraid of hurting her. However, she was whipped by Celestial Venerable Gong and spun like a top.

In Heaven Duke's body, Celestial Venerable Hong had a calm expression as he looked at Heaven Duke's crumbling heaven soul and earth soul. He asked in a hoarse voice, "Why did you betray yourself?"

Heaven Duke revealed a smile, and his primordial spirit crumbled. His heaven soul and earth soul shattered.

Celestial Venerable Hong felt pain in his heart. He stretched out his right hand as though he wanted to condense his heaven soul and earth soul to prevent his heaven soul and earth soul from collapsing. However, he retracted his hand.

With a flick of his finger, Heaven Duke's final consciousness collapsed.

"You are no longer you. Leaving your consciousness behind will only pollute my purity."

Celestial Venerable Hong let out a long sigh of relief, feeling a great sense of relief. He couldn't help but cry as his primordial spirit flew out from Celestial Venerable Hong's body. It was so powerful that it quickly occupied Heaven Duke's body and began to absorb his power.

"If you die, I will live on your behalf and fulfill your long-cherished wish. I will master the Heavenly Dao and transcend the Heavenly Dao, becoming the ruler of this universe..."

Suddenly, Celestial Venerable Hong's expression changed drastically. He realized that he couldn't absorb and refine Heaven Duke's power, not even a drop!

The Nine Hells Stage appeared in his Dao heart, and countless mountains that were growing at an angle densely covering him!

Celestial Venerable Hong saw himself standing on the tiny ninth stage. When he raised his head, he could only see the cracks of the incomparably sharp mountains and rivers. He couldn't see the mouth of the well.

He struggled and roared, but he couldn't escape.

The intense pain caused him to distort, causing his Dao heart to collapse and his cultivation to fall!

At that moment, a world-shaking power rose from the soles of his feet. Ancestral God King held a Heavenly Dao treasure and broke through Heaven Duke's majestic body. He rushed up from Heaven Duke's body and shattered Celestial Venerable Hong's primordial spirit!

Boom!

A terrifying tremor came from the heart of Heaven Duke's brows. Ancestral God King destroyed Celestial Venerable Hong's soul in one blow, and the Heavenly Dao Treasure transformed into a huge hammer that smashed into Celestial Venerable Hong's head!

"Father!"

Ancestral God King was incomparably excited as he ruthlessly smashed down on Celestial Venerable Hong's corpse, striking again.

"Father, you're old! You can't beat me anymore! Yet you still dream of ruling the universe! It's my turn, right? If you don't die, how can it be my turn? I learned this from you, I learned it very well..."

One strike after another, Celestial Venerable Hong was reduced to a pile of mush, but Ancestral God King continued to smash down without any signs of exhaustion.

## **Chapter 1460: You Still Owe Me A Favor**

Obsession could make a person go crazy. As the Ancestral God King born from the desire of Heaven Duke, the desire that had been suppressed for a long time was released at this moment, making him so crazy and excited.



He didn't even see Celestial Venerable Huo appearing behind him.

The moment his long-cherished wish was fulfilled, he let down his guard and relaxed his guard.

If a person spent their entire life dreaming of achieving some kind of accomplishment, exhausting their heart and soul for it, even going as far as to disguise their own personality, just like how Ancestral God King spent hundreds of thousands of years like a day, then the instant his long-cherished wish was fulfilled, it would be the moment when he completely relaxed, and also the moment when he was at his weakest.

As Celestial Venerable Huo, how could he give up such a rare opportunity?

Even if he was as straightforward as Ancestral God King and was known as one of the ten Celestial Venerables, he still attacked without hesitation!

Ancestral God King was the least scheming existence among the ten Celestial Venerables. He said one thing and two things another.

Celestial Venerable Huo was an existence that abhorred evil and hated the ancient gods. He fought for justice, but when there was injustice, he was the first to step forward.

The two of them were the most likely to become friends among the ten Celestial Venerables. However, what was strange was that they didn't become friends. On the contrary, their relationship was the strangest among the ten Celestial Venerables.

They rarely spoke to each other and rarely communicated with each other. Even when they met, they would only exchange a few pleasantries and were very guarded against each other.

They were probably the same kind of people. Although they had many languages, they were very guarded against each other because they were similar to each other.

Celestial Venerable Huo's celestial palaces and celestial heavens were raised to the extreme in an instant. With the twenty-four heavens of the Dao Realm, he struck Ancestral God King in the back of his heart with his palm, and the Dao fire surged into his body!

Flames spewed out from Ancestral God King's eyes, ears, mouth, and nose. Even the celestial heavens were covered in blazing flames. Even his heavenly fire treasure couldn't suppress them!

Heavenly Lady Qiang's Ancestral Court God Execution Stage was a test platform for the Dao Realm. Anyone who saw it would see the number of steps related to their own cultivation. Celestial Venerable Hong saw nine steps, Shi Qiluo saw twelve, and Celestial Venerable Huo saw twenty-four steps!

His cultivation in the Dao Realm was one of the best among the ten Celestial Venerables, and he had already started to have some attainments in the Dao Realm when others had started to come into contact with it. He had walked far on the path of the Dao fire.

However, he didn't know that this was the Dao Realm. Only when Founding Emperor established the system of the Dao Realm did he know that he had already made some achievements in the Dao Realm.

After getting rid of South Deity Zhu Que, his Dao of Fire had another astonishing improvement, which was why he could cultivate to the twenty-fourth level of the Dao of Fire.

He hid it well enough.

Ancestral God King struggled and tried his best to utilize the Heavenly Dao Treasure to suppress the Dao fire.

Celestial Venerable Huo's gaze flickered, and his five fingers opened up. Ancestral God King's four limbs suddenly became stiff, and he was frozen in the air. His body formed a huge shape, and even though he was holding onto the Heavenly Dao Treasure tightly, he was powerless to resist.

"Ancestral God King, if Celestial Venerable Yue hadn't banished me to the Primordial Realm, how could I have discovered you hiding in Heavenly Yin World, waiting for an opportunity to launch a sneak attack?"

Celestial Venerable Huo let out a sigh of relief, and his eyes flashed with excitement. However, he managed to suppress it calmly.

Ancestral God King had fulfilled his long-cherished wish and killed Celestial Venerable Hong. Heaven Duke was also dead, and Heaven Duke's corporeal

body and Heavenly Dao were about to fall into his control. Thus, he let his guard down and didn't make such a mistake.

Celestial Venerable Huo bent his index finger, and with a sudden crack, Ancestral God King's right leg bent as well. However, it wasn't in the direction of his knee.

Ancestral God King's leg snapped backward with a crack!

Ancestral God King grunted and raised his head to look at him. He sneered and said, "Celestial Venerable Huo, you dare to kill me? There are three leaders among the half-gods, and I'm one of them. If you kill me, will Lang Xuan and Celestial Venerable Hao let you off? That's right, do you think you can occupy Heaven Duke's corporeal body and seize the Heavenly Dao? Hehe, you don't have the ability, you don't have the bloodline of Heaven Duke..."

Celestial Venerable Huo hesitated for a moment, then clenched his middle finger. Ancestral God King's left arm broke with a crack, and tears flowed from his eyes from the pain. He was then vaporized by the Dao fire!

Ancestral God King endured the pain and said with a smile, "You and I are the same kind of people. Don't you feel like you are harming the same kind of people by torturing me?"

Celestial Venerable Huo snorted. "Once I get rid of you, no one will be able to fight with me for Heaven Duke and the Heavenly Dao."

His gaze was strange as he grabbed his third finger. Ancestral God King's left leg also broke with a crack, and tears flowed out from the pain.

'As long as I refine the Heavenly Dao and refine South Deity Zhu Que's cultivation and magic power, my abilities will reach the peak of the ten Celestial Venerables. It will be easy for me to reach the Celestial Heavens Realm.'

Celestial Venerable Huo raised his little finger, and Ancestral God King's right arm was broken.

"As long as I cultivate to the celestial heavens, I won't need to rely on your power anymore. On the contrary, you guys who take advantage of the situation will kneel and worship me..."

Just as his thumb was about to clench down, his palm would become a fist, and Ancestral God King's neck would be snapped!

Right at this moment, Ancestral God King raised his head and looked behind him with a smile that wasn't a smile.

The corners of Celestial Venerable Huo's eyes twitched, and he stepped forward to support Ancestral God King. He asked with concern, "Divine King is injured? Celestial Venerable Hong is actually the reincarnation of Heaven Duke? Damn it, he actually injured Divine King to this extent! Luckily, Celestial Venerable Hong has already been executed..."

Ancestral God King coughed up blood, and the Dao fire on his body extinguished unknowingly. He said with a smile, "It's all thanks to Celestial Venerable Huo's timely assistance in killing Celestial Venerable Hong that Heaven Duke didn't escape. Brother Hao, when did you come?"

Celestial Venerable Huo helped Ancestral God King up and turned to see Celestial Venerable Hao.

Suddenly, the corners of his eyes twitched, and his gaze landed behind Celestial Venerable Hao. His expression changed slightly.

Celestial Venerable Hao smiled. "Celestial Venerable Huo, what did you see?"

Celestial Venerable Huo retracted his gaze and said indifferently, "I saw another Celestial Venerable Hao."

He couldn't help but look at Tai Su who was behind Celestial Venerable Hao. What he saw wasn't Celestial Venerable Hao, but another youth, a youth whose magnificence was unmatched throughout the ages.

Celestial Venerable Yu, who had died at the Jade Pool Meeting.

At this moment, Celestial Venerable Gong walked in and his gaze landed on Celestial Venerable Huo. He then looked at Ancestral God King whose limbs were all broken.

Celestial Venerable Huo's heart trembled.

Celestial Venerable Hao looked at him with admiration and said, "As expected of my loyal subject. How could I not put you in an important position?"

Celestial Venerable Huo bowed slightly. "I'm willing to serve Brother Hao."

He straightened his back and saw the young Celestial Venerable Yu behind Celestial Venerable Hao looking at him with a meaningful smile.

Celestial Venerable Huo's expression didn't change as he stood there steadily.

Celestial Venerable Hao smiled slightly and said to Ancestral God King, "Divine King's injuries are very severe, so I can treat them. However, it's time for our battle to end. What do you think, Divine King?"

Ancestral God King's limbs were all broken, and he laughed loudly. "I admit defeat. I'm willing to become Brother Hao's right-hand man and assist Brother Hao with all my heart, becoming a great treasure!"

He kowtowed and pledged allegiance.

Celestial Venerable Hao laughed loudly, and with a flick of his sleeves, Ancestral God King was lifted up. Ancestral God King instantly felt that his broken limbs were healing rapidly, and the Dao injuries left behind by the Dao fire on his body also quickly dissipated. His injuries were healing at an extremely fast speed, and his cultivation was also rising steadily!

His gaze landed on Celestial Venerable Hao's back, and the figures he saw were Celestial Venerable Hong and Heaven Duke. In the blink of an eye, Celestial Venerable Hong and Heaven Duke merged into one, becoming Heaven Duke.

Ancestral God King lowered his eyes and got up to bow to Celestial Venerable Hao.

Celestial Venerable Hao hurriedly held up his elbows and said with a smile, "There's no need for that. You and I are both leaders of the half-gods. It's fine if we just paid our respects once, but there's no need for such formalities. From today onwards, Ancestral God King will be my Heaven Duke. I still have to rely on you to rule Xuandu and control the operation of the stars in the heavens and the myriad worlds!" After saying that, he laughed loudly again.

Ancestral God King said, "I dare not to disobey."

"Ancestral God King, Heaven Duke's corporeal body is yours. I don't want it."

Celestial Venerable Hao said with a pleasant expression, "You will control Xuandu, so you also need this powerful corporeal body to suppress the masses. However, I still need a portion of Heaven Duke's Heavenly Dao."

Ancestral God King said, "It's all Dao Brother's. Even my life is Dao Brother's. Dao Brother, just take it."

In the past, he had a fiery temper, but now he was calm and collected, making people click their tongues in wonder.

Celestial Venerable Hao nodded gently, and his gaze landed on Celestial Venerable Huo again. He said warmly, "Brother Huo, you saved Ancestral God King, which is a great contribution. Logically speaking, you should be rewarded accordingly. However, there are only so many benefits in Xuandu, so I can't share them with you. Brother, please don't take offense."

Celestial Venerable Huo bowed and said, "How would I dare to have any extravagant hopes?"

He took a glance at Celestial Venerable Hong's smashed corpse. There were many heaven path Dao weapons there, and he asked, "Brother Hao, can these heaven path Dao weapons..."

Celestial Venerable Hao shook his head and said regretfully, "I can't give it to you. Celestial Venerable Gong's contribution is even greater. In order to get rid of Heaven Duke, she fought with You, Qin, Yue, and the rest of the rebels. These Dao weapons of the Heavenly Dao are given to Celestial Venerable Gong. If you think your contribution is greater than hers, I can give them to you."

Celestial Venerable Huo hurriedly shook his head and said, "I don't dare to compete with Celestial Venerable Gong. In that case, where are Qin Ye, You, Yue, Lang Wo, and the rest of the rebels?"

Right at this moment, Heavenly Lady Yan's voice rang out. "You is severely injured and has been brought back by Earth Count to return to Youdu. Qin Ye, Yue, and Lang Wo saw that Heaven Duke was dead, and their fighting spirit has vanished. They have retreated. Even if they come, they won't be our match."

She walked in, and beside her were the ancient gods of taiji. Behind them were Heavenly Lady Qiang, who had been bloodied by Celestial Venerable

Gong, God Emperor Lang Xuan, who had his forehead pierced by Celestial Venerable Hao, and Shi Qiluo, who had been sliced into two by Celestial Venerable Hao.

They were all injured, and even the ancient god of taiji had sword wounds on his body. Heavenly Lady Yan was also severely injured.

Everyone split into two groups to fight back.

Celestial Venerable Hao didn't mind and said with a smile, "The two Heavenly Consorts, God Emperor, and Palace Master Shi all have great contributions. Since that's the case, I'll share the benefits of Xuandu with you guys. Since Celestial Venerable Xu and Celestial Venerable Xiao aren't here, there's no need to consider them."

"Hmph, unfilial son..."

Celestial Venerable Hao raised his eyebrows and didn't say anything.

Celestial Venerable Huo bowed and said, "Everyone, I won't take any benefits from Xuandu. The celestial heavens still has something to do, so I have to rush back!"

Celestial Venerable Hao nodded and smiled. "Go ahead, be careful on the way."

Celestial Venerable Huo took his leave and transformed into a streak of fire to leave.

At that moment, in Heavenly Yin World, Goddess of Heavenly Yin was carefully pinching a clay figurine that looked exactly like Heaven Duke.

Goddess of Heavenly Yin's body was huge, and the little clay figurines she pinched out were also the size of ordinary people.

"Goddess is truly skilled."

Qin Mu examined the tiny clay figurine that Goddess of Heavenly Yin had pinched out and said with a smile, "It really looks like it. Who would have expected that the Heavenly Yin, a shadow that Xuandu can't shine on, the dark side of Xuandu would be the life-saving person of Heaven Duke."

Goddess of Heavenly Yin said in delight, "You still know how to praise people. Actually, I'm just a little skillful."

She gently blew on it, and the little clay figurine came to life from the clay figurine. Qin Mu stretched out his palm and his five fingers moved, transforming into a creation divine art. He tapped on the clay figurine, and it instantly transformed from a clay figurine into a body of flesh and blood.

Qin Mu raised his hand, and the vertical eye at the heart of his brows opened up. His fingertip gently tapped on the vertical eye at the heart of his brows, and the pupil of the vertical eye split open. A drop of crystalline form of Heaven Duke's Heavenly Eye flowed out.

Qin Mu placed this drop of crystal on the heart of the clay figurine's brows and executed his Dao technique, transforming it into an eye that tunneled into the clay figurine's eyebrows.

Goddess of Heavenly Yin waited for him to execute Soul Guide, and when he was done, the two of them worked together to reconstruct the soul. Heaven Duke's three souls gradually took shape.

Celestial Venerable Hong stood in the light, his shadow flickering as he shouted, "Celestial Venerable Mu, I have your IOU in my hands. You still owe me a favor!"

"Where's the IOU?" Qin Mu stretched out his hand and asked.

Celestial Venerable Hong was stunned. "It was shattered by the unfilial Ancestral God King."

"I will only admit it when the IOU is here. Otherwise, without any proof, anyone can come and find me for a favor."

Qin Mu flicked his finger, and Celestial Venerable Hong's soul shattered.

Qin Mu threw Heaven Duke's other two souls into the body of the clay man, and Heaven Duke instantly had a soul. He opened his eyes slowly.

Qin Mu said with a smile, "Congratulations Heaven Duke, you have escaped from the Heavenly Dao and regained your freedom. Earth Count is waiting for you."