

## I. Family 1021

Chapter 1021: Lu Ping'an Breaks Through Foundation Establishment, the Meaning of Cultivation! "This is... the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus!?"

Xiao Xiyue arrived at Mount Sumeru Cave Heaven, and looking at the lotus in the Spiritual Spring, which was crystal clear and had a jade-like luster, she couldn't help but exclaim.

She looked at Lu Changsheng with suspicion in her beautiful eyes, wondering what was going on.

Although there was definitely more than one Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus in the Cultivation World,

the lotus before them, in terms of age and size, closely resembled the one taken from the Tianyuan Secret Realm by Black Crow True Immortal.

At this moment, Lu Changsheng bringing her to the cave heaven made her suspect that this was the very lotus taken by Black Crow True Immortal.

But this lotus was clearly taken by Black Crow True Immortal; neither her senior sister nor the Supreme Elders had managed to retrieve it, so how could it appear in Lu Changsheng's possession?

"It seems that this Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus indeed came from the secret realm you were exploring, Xi Yue."

Lu Changsheng remarked with emotion.

He hadn't expected that the Spiritual Object he had acquired inadvertently had actually come from the secret realm Xiao Xiyue had been busy with all these years.

Immediately, he explained the details about the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus to Xiao Xiyue.

"Ah..."

Upon hearing that her daughter had been captured by Black Crow True Immortal, Xiao Xiyue felt a chill of fear and looked at her daughter with concern, “Wangshu, are you alright?”

“Mother, I have been fine for a long time.”

Lu Wangshu responded in such a manner.

Then, with a face full of fear and grievance, she said, “Luckily, Father arrived in time, that nasty old man...”

“Wangshu...”

Hearing this, Xiao Xiyue immediately embraced her daughter, feeling guilty and heartbroken.

She hadn’t expected her daughter to encounter such life-threatening danger while she was away.

But this news also amazed her immensely.

Lu Changsheng had actually killed Black Crow True Immortal.

It was known that this Black Crow True Immortal was no ordinary being.

He came from a dominant power in the Cultivation World of Liang Country, ‘Beast God Mountain.’

Although he was only at the initial stage of Core Formation,

he was an experienced Core Formation cultivator and his combat power was formidable.

Especially in escaping, he was unmatched.

“This Devil Path True Person was heavily injured at the time, and I seized the chance to slay him when he was unprepared.”

Seeing Xiao Xiyue's puzzled look, Lu Changsheng explained.

“Changsheng, Wangshu, you must not let anyone else know about this.”

Xiao Xiyue immediately instructed them seriously.

Now that the matter of the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus had been settled, with Qingyun Sect believing that some major power was involved,

if Qingyun Sect knew that Black Crow True Immortal was slain by Lu Changsheng, it would surely bring endless troubles and draw the attention of the Four Great Immortal Sects of Jiang Country.

“I understand.”

Lu Changsheng naturally did.

He shared the information about the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus with Xiao Xiyue because he trusted her and through her, aimed to gain understanding of the matters at hand.

Afterward, Xiao Xiyue disclosed the news about Black Crow True Immortal.

“Black Crow True Immortal, Beast God Mountain...”

Lu Changsheng's eyebrows rose slightly.

He had heard about the ‘Beast God Mountain’ force in his early years.

The Sect mainly practiced Beast Taming, but unlike the Spirit Taming Sect or the Beast Taming Xu Family, it focused on integrating Demon Beasts into one's body and cultivating through them.

The specifics, however, were unclear to Lu Changsheng.

“Liang Country is so far from Jiang Country, why would Black Crow True Immortal travel all the way here and appear in the Luoyun Mountain Range secret realm?”

Lu Changsheng found it strange.

Liang Country was bordered by Yue Country and Wu Country, forming a tripartite stand.

Although travel for Nascent Soul Immortals was convenient,

the journey from Liang Country to Jiang Country was still extremely long.

“This, I’m not sure, it might be related to the wars between Yue Country and Liang Country.”

Xiao Xiyue shook her head.

Although she was almost involved in the high ranks of Qingyun Sect, she was after all still a Foundation Establishment Cultivator

and could not know much about the matters at the Nascent Soul level.

“Hmm.”

Lu Changsheng nodded, then turned his attention to Xiao Xiyue’s condition.

Xiao Xiyue mentioned that she had gained quite a lot from this trip to the secret realm and would spend the next period in closed-door cultivation at the Sect.

If Lu Changsheng had any matters, he could find her at Qingyun Sect.

As for the Tianyuan Secret Realm, due to the issue with Black Crow True Immortal, it was now controlled jointly by the Four Great Immortal Sects, and she was unclear about the specific arrangements.

“Xi Yue, can you still get the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus?”

Lu Changsheng asked Xiao Xiyue.

The Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus, though average in effect,

once elevated to the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus, its value and effects were entirely different.

It could not only serve as the treasure of Spiritual Springs, the treasure of the void, and a Second Dantian, but it could also be used to cultivate the Heavenly Longevity Technique!

Having learned that the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus came from the Luoyun Mountain Range secret realm, Lu Changsheng naturally wanted to know if Xiao Xiyue could bring back some more.

After all, with the Myriad Spirits Bottle, given enough time, he could cultivate multiple Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus plants.

Later, with the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus, the Spiritual Energy in Mount Sumeru Cave Heaven could directly reach the Third Rank.

Even possibly, in the future, every genius in his family could have their own Second Dantian!

“Changsheng, do you need the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus?”

Xiao Xiyue was surprised.

Lu Changsheng now already had a Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus, which would completely make the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus unnecessary.

Although the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus had effects similar to those of the Spiritual Origin Pearl,

its cost-effectiveness was completely incomparable.

She would give the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus to Lu Changsheng as a gift, solely because it had nice effects and could be kept in Mount Sumeru Cave Heaven as a decoration.

“Yes, I have an exotic treasure that accelerates the growth of Spirit Plants.”

“So I was thinking of trying to cultivate a few Tianyuan Supreme King Lotuses.”

Lu Changsheng said with a light laugh, candidly.

“Although the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus is easy to keep alive, it grows very slowly; to advance to Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus would take at least a few thousand years...”

Xiao Xiyue said softly.

Qingyun Sect had not harvested the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus initially because the Tianyuan Secret Realm was extremely suited for its growth.

Once transplanted and harvested, allowing the Treasure Lotus to continue growing would be difficult.

“Hehe, I’ll just give it a try.”

Lu Changsheng laughed, “If it’s too troublesome, then never mind.”

“The secret realm is now under the control of the Four Great Immortal Sects, I’ll ask my senior sister about the Tianyuan Supreme King Lotus later, to see if it’s possible to exchange it for contributions.”

Chapter 1022: Lu Ping’an Breaks Through Foundation Establishment, the Meaning of Cultivation! \_2 Xiao Xi Yue fell into a slight reverie before speaking.

“Xi Yue, it’s okay, don’t force yourself.”

Lu Changsheng spoke up.

Knowing about the Heavenly Origin Precious Lotus, Xiao Xi Yue would find it difficult to obtain.

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Xiao Xi Yue stayed at Bi Lake Mountain for a month before returning to Qingyun Sect.

During this time, aside from spending time with her daughter, Lu Wangshu, she practiced the Sun Moon Samsara Technique while playing music with Lu Changsheng.

Lu Changsheng also tried to have Xiao Xi Yue and Lu Miaoge cultivate the Sun Moon Samsara Technique with him.

As for Ling Zixiao,

Xiao Xi Yue and Ling Zixiao were not yet familiar with each other.

Thus, they could only proceed slowly and gradually.

Otherwise, Lu Changsheng thought that since Xiao Xi Yue had a Moonlight Spirit Body and Ling Zixiao a Dragon Roar Physique, their dual cultivation would certainly be effective.

“Hey yo, hey yo, hey yo!”

One day, Lu Changsheng came to the Lu Family Mansion and saw his daughter, Lu Linghe, practicing her punches and kicks in the backyard.

Though she looked adorable with her carved doll-like features and twin buns,

her punches and kicks were executed with a vigorous flair.

Yet, her immature shouts scattered that aura.

“Xiaohe, what are you doing?”

Lu Changsheng couldn't help but smile at his daughter's adorable antics.

“Daddy, this is the Bull Demon Great Strength Fist I learned today.”

Lu Linghe crisply said, striking a pose.

She was already of the age to attend school.

She had become very interested in martial arts after seeing some at the school recently.

“Oh, the Bull Demon Great Strength Fist, come on, let Daddy see how well you've learned?”

Lu Changsheng chuckled and gestured for her to come closer.

“Daddy, take this punch, hey!”

Lu Linghe shouted loudly and aimed a flying kick at her father.

Yet, before she even reached Lu Changsheng, she fell down with a ‘plop’.

Lu Changsheng: “???”

He had actually thought his daughter had learned something.

“This one doesn't count.”

Lu Linghe didn't cry or fuss but stubbornly got up quickly, wrinkled her nose, looked up, and said.



Then she shouted “hei yo” and charged toward Lu Changsheng again, shouting “Bull Demon Head Chomp.”

Lu Changsheng twitched the corner of his mouth and raised his hand to hold back his daughter’s forehead.

“Bull Demon Head Chomp! Bull Demon Hoof Stomp!”

Lu Linghe stubbornly pushed forward, swinging her little fists wildly but could not touch Lu Changsheng at all.

“Sigh.”

Lu Changsheng shook his head, then picked up his daughter and said, “Alright, alright, it’s time to eat.”

“Is it mealtime already?”

Lu Linghe showed a happy smile, slightly out of breath, and holding her father’s hand she said, “Daddy, when I’ve eaten and grown up, I’ll be able to punch you.”

“Alright, eat a lot then.”

Lu Changsheng rubbed his daughter’s hair bun.

“Okay, I’ll eat three bowls! And I finished the candy you gave me too!”

Lu Linghe continued.

“Good, Daddy will give you another jar later.”

Lu Changsheng said indulgently.

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Time swiftly passed, and a year went by with winter yielding to spring.

The vigorous Demon Subjugation Order in the Jiang Country Cultivation Realm was gradually coming to an end.

During this period, many demonic and robber cultivators were struck down.

But this also led to many demonic and robber cultivators retaliating against marketplaces and family forces, plundering them.

Red Leaf Valley Market had been attacked by demonic cultivators half a year ago, leaving Lu Yuanzhong severely injured.

If not for the talismans given by Lu Changsheng, Lu Yuanzhong might have died there.

Thus, in the following time, Lu Miaoge also went to Red Leaf Valley Market to maintain order, to prevent any miscreants from causing trouble.

In those times, Bi Lake Mountain was very peaceful, with no incidents occurring.

As usual, Lu Changsheng conducted alchemy, talisman making, artifact refining, and spent time with his wives and children.

In this year, Lu Changsheng only had three more children.

But the third generation of the Lu family had already unknowingly surpassed four hundred members.

Yet the system had not granted any subsidiary money.

It is worth mentioning that not long ago, Xia Zhiyue's brother, Xia Zhaoyang, achieved Foundation Establishment.

He came to Bi Lake Mountain to pay his respects and invited Lu Changsheng and her sister to Qingyun Sect to join in his minor celebration.

When they arrived at Qingyun Sect for the celebration, Lu Changsheng and Xia Zhiyue learned news.

Xia Zhaoyang, due to his commendable performance during the demon subjugation missions, caught the eye of a False Core elder of the Enforcement Hall. With this breakthrough in Foundation Establishment, he became an executor in the Enforcement Hall.

Although just a junior executor, it was still a significant position.

His future status in Qingyun Sect would be much higher than that of cultivators like Zhao Qingqing.

Afterward, Lu Changsheng accompanied the siblings to pay homage to their father, Xia Long.

“Dad, my husband has been very good to me, and now both Xiaoyang and I have achieved Foundation Establishment. You can rest in peace.”

Xia Zhiyue and Xia Zhaoyang knelt before their father's tombstone.

Xia Long, coming from a loose cultivator background, now had both children achieve Foundation Establishment, indeed he could rest in peace.

After all, such a feat, let alone in a loose cultivator,

Even in an Energy Refining Family, it would be considered as the ancestral grave emitting a bluish smoke.

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When Lu Changsheng and Xia Zhiyue returned to Bi Lake Mountain, they received a message from their son, Lu Ping'an.

He shared that he had reached Perfected Qi Refinement and was ready for Foundation Establishment.

Normally, given Lu Ping'an's cultivation speed, he should have reached Perfection long ago.

But due to switching to practice the Black Dragon Codex, anchoring in White Tiger Mountain, and strengthening his foundation, quite some time was consumed.

"Zi Xiao, Ping'an has sent a letter preparing for Foundation Establishment, so you will need to head to White Tiger Mountain to hold the fort for the time being."

Having read the letter, Lu Changsheng found Ling Zixiao and spoke.

Now as the Demon Subjugation Order neared its end, they still couldn't neglect the issues caused by demonic and robber cultivators.

Previously with Lu Ping'an and the Nine Netherhound holding the fort, he had been very reassured.

But now that Lu Ping'an would return to Bi Lake Mountain for Foundation Establishment, someone naturally needed to hold the fort at White Tiger Mountain.

Chapter 1023: Lu Ping'an's Breakthrough in Foundation Establishment, the Meaning of Cultivation!\_3 "Alright."

Ling Zixiao nodded in agreement after hearing this.

Although there were quite a few Foundation Establishment Cultivators at home,

Lu Miaoge was presiding over the Red Leaf Valley Market now.

Lu Miaohuan, Lu Miaoyun, and Qu Zhenzhen could not leave.

Li Xingruo, Xia Zhizue, and Bai Ling were not adept at Fighting Techniques, so she alone had to head to White Tiger Mountain.

Soon after, Lu Changsheng and Ling Zixiao went together to White Tiger Mountain.

As for the Bi Lake Mountain side, Lu Changsheng was rather at ease.

After all, with so many Foundation Establishment Cultivators at home and the Mount Sumeru Tree King overseeing, he could rush back in case of any emergency.

“Father, Aunt!”

Lu Ping’an, Lu Qingsong, and others rushed to greet Lu Changsheng as soon as they heard he was coming.

Lu Changsheng asked about the general situation at White Tiger Mountain and had his son Lu Qingsong hand over the Great Formation to Ling Zixiao, then he took Lu Ping’an back to Bi Lake Mountain for Foundation Establishment.

Two months later,

Lu Ping’an successfully achieved Foundation Establishment, forming the Black Dragon Dao Foundation.

During the ritual of Foundation Establishment, which stripped away his mortal shell, Lu Ping’an’s Hundred Refinements Treasure Body Art broke through to the seventh layer.

Immediately, Lu Changsheng not only gained a dense surge of mana that advanced his cultivation level, but his Hundred Refinements Treasure Body Art reached the peak of the eighth level!

He was just one step away from breaking through the third rank with his Body Refinement!

He didn't even need Lu Ping'an's Hundred Refinements Treasure Body Art to break through to the eighth level.

As long as Lu Wangshu, or he himself, worked hard for a few years, his Hundred Refinements Treasure Body Art was likely to break through to the ninth layer!

"Father."

Lu Ping'an stepped out of the cabin, bowing respectfully to Lu Changsheng.

Having just achieved his breakthrough, he exuded an imposing aura, majestic and commanding.

This was the effect of the Black Dragon Codex!

The process of cultivation aimed at transforming into a True Dragon had endowed him with a bit of Dragon Prestige.

Lu Changsheng, accustomed to seeing his son's gentle and tolerant demeanor, now found this new appearance slightly jarring.

"Good."

Lu Changsheng nodded and instructed Lu Ping'an to continue consolidating his realm.

"Yes."

Lu Ping'an nodded and returned inside the cabin to consolidate his realm.

Seeing his son enter the cabin, Lu Changsheng was reminded of the time his wife, Lu Lanshu, was pregnant with this son.

Though he had come to Qingzhu Mountain as a son-in-law without much affection arranged by the Lu Family,

the moment he learned he was to be a father, he felt an uncontrollable, heartfelt joy.

He still remembered how anxious and nervous he felt outside the delivery room when Lu Ping'an was about to be born.

"Time flies..."

Lu Changsheng remarked somewhat sentimentally.

Over forty years had passed, and he had transformed from a son-in-law in Qingzhu Mountain to a revered elder.

His eldest son under his guidance had also progressed from a mortal with no Spiritual Root to a Foundation Establishment Cultivator.

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A month later, Lu Ping'an emerged from seclusion.

His body's mana aura was restrained, and the fierce and imposing demeanor had vanished.

His originally regular facial features now had sharper contours.

"Your mother has always hoped you would succeed in Cultivation, now that you have achieved Foundation Establishment, you should inform her."

Lu Changsheng looked at his son, pleased with his appearance.

It had been quite some time since he visited Ruyi Prefecture.

Thinking that his son had just achieved Foundation Establishment, he decided it was a good opportunity to visit Ruyi Prefecture.

“Right.”

Lu Ping'an nodded upon hearing this.

In earlier years, he often returned to visit his mother, brother, and sister.

But having been stationed at White Tiger Mountain in recent years, he had not been to Ruyi Prefecture for some time.

With that, Lu Changsheng and Lu Ping'an left Bi Lake Mountain, piloting the Spirit Boat toward Ruyi Prefecture.

Lu Lanshu, Lu Qing'er, and Lu Zi'er had been residing at Bi Lake Mountain.

But perhaps ultimately due to the separation between immortals and mortals, the women felt somewhat ill at ease and moved to Ruyi Prefecture under the pretext of staying close to their children in the secular world.

Father and son piloted the Spirit Boat to Ruyi County City.

Lu Changsheng thought back to his previous visits when his wives and children gradually aged, as his appearance seemed even older than his children, prompting a sigh as he gently touched his face.

Instantly, his youthful countenance aged, appearing around fifty.

But his eyes shimmered with the presence of an Immortal, donned in a green Magical Robe, exuding an elegant and unworldly charm that made him stand out.

“Dad?”

Lu Ping'an paused when he saw Lu Changsheng's action, tempted to imitate.

“You don't need to.”



Lu Changsheng glanced at his son and simply advised.

Both soared through the sky toward the Lu Residence.

Previously, Lu Changsheng had Ling Zixiao set up a simple Formation around the Lu Residence to ward off petty thieves.

However, such Formations naturally had no effect on him.

“Lanshu.”

Lu Changsheng softly called out to a woman in her forties or fifties with a fair complexion, dignified and commanding, dressed in a deep turquoise Palace Dress, holding a civet cat, in the backyard.

“Greetings, Mother.”

Lu Ping’an stepped forward and bowed.

Seeing his significantly aged mother, he felt a heavy heart.

He knew that as humans aged, the effectiveness of Elixir Medicines like Preserving Youth Pills and other age-defying pills would gradually weaken.

“Husband? Ping’an!”

Lu Lanshu showed a mix of surprise and joy upon seeing them.

Not only surprised by Lu Chan...

Chapter 1024: Lu Ping’an’s Breakthrough in Foundation Establishment, the Meaning of Cultivation!\_4 Even though she had taken the Preserving Youth Pills given by Lu Changsheng, making her appear much younger than her actual age,

there was still a pressure she felt in the presence of Lu Changsheng.

“Hehe, my return this time is to bring you some good news.”

Lu Changsheng chuckled softly and spoke.

“Good news? Is it related to Ping’an?”

Lu Lanshu immediately looked at her son and guessed aloud.

As Lu Changsheng’s wife, who had managed the secular Lu Family in her earlier years, she was no ignorant woman.

“Ping’an.”

Lu Changsheng prompted his son to speak for himself.

“Mother, I have recently broken through to the Foundation Establishment Stage.”

Lu Ping’an grinned at his mother as he spoke.

From a young age, he knew that his mother had always hoped to give birth to a child with a Spiritual Root.

She was overjoyed to the point of tears when she learned he possessed a Spiritual Root.

Before he left for Qingzhu Mountain, she constantly reminded him to listen to his father as well as Auntie Miaoge and Aunt Miao Yun, among others.

Every time he returned home in his early years, his mother would inquire about his cultivation progress.

Because in her heart, all things were inferior; only cultivation was supreme!

Now that he had broken through to Foundation Establishment, he had fulfilled one of his mother's wishes.

"Foundation Establishment Stage? Foundation Establishment, Ping'an, are you referring to the Foundation Establishment Ancestor's level of Foundation Establishment?"

Upon hearing this, Lu Lanshu suddenly covered her mouth in astonishment, her face full of disbelief.

Though she was a mortal,

she was very clear about this common cultivation knowledge.

She was still getting updates about the Cultivation World from the Ruyi Marquis Mansion, and she understood what Foundation Establishment represented; that was why she found it so unbelievable now!

After all, there were not many Foundation Establishment Ancestors throughout Qingzhu Mountain and Bi Lake Mountain.

And now, her son, at the age of forty-three, had become an exalted Foundation Establishment Ancestor!

"Yes."

Lu Ping'an grinned as he replied.

"My son has actually broken through to Foundation Establishment. I've heard Foundation Establishment allows one to fly through the sky. Ping'an, show your mother."

Lu Lanshu was extremely excited, and she lost her composure completely.

Immediately, Lu Ping'an levitated into the air with his mother, confirming this point, but Lu Lanshu still felt as if she were dreaming.

Were it not for Lu Changsheng's instruction to keep the matter secret for now, Lu Lanshu would have wished to announce it to the entire family and tell everyone in the world that her son had broken through to Foundation Establishment.

However, hearing that the matter concerned the family's future, she understood the gravity of the situation and promised not to reveal it.

But Lu Changsheng also stated that he would announce his son's breakthrough in a few years and hold a ceremony.

After all, wealth and honor unacknowledged in one's hometown are like dressing in fine robes at night.

He may not care for such things, but Lu Lanshu still wished to witness her son's Foundation Establishment celebration.

After a brief explanation, Lu Lanshu notified the family that Lu Changsheng and Lu Ping'an had returned.

"Greetings, Father."

"Big brother."

"Grandfather, Uncle..."

Although many branches had split off from the secular Lu Family, as the main line in Ruyi County City, there were still many Lu Family disciples at home.

These people came one after another to greet Lu Changsheng.

Some came out of concern and longing for Lu Changsheng as a father, and for Lu Ping'an as a big brother,

but most of the children, having been sent away from the secular world at a young age, rarely met and looked at Lu Changsheng with a mix of awe and unfamiliarity.

Lu Changsheng, seeing this, let out a deep sigh, his heart growing increasingly sentimental.

This was also the reason he seldom visited Ruyi Prefecture.

Even though he believed his nature had become more indifferent over time,

faced with this situation, he still couldn't help but sigh.

After all, the birth of these children all included his personal desires and purposiveness.

Although he could grant these children wealth and glory, he could not fully let go in his heart.

Not just Lu Changsheng, but Lu Ping'an, too, felt a heavy heart facing this situation.

He deeply understood the meaning of the division between immortals and mortals.

This was just between mortals and Foundation Establishment.

If it were Core Formation, Nascent Soul, or the legendary Divinity Transformation, it would be akin to a chasm dividing heaven and earth!

After all, a Nascent Soul Immortal with a lifespan of five hundred years could sit back and watch countless rises and falls.

“Father, without a Spiritual Root, is one unable to cultivate and embark upon the path to immortality?”

At night, after the family banquet, Lu Ping'an looked at his father and spoke with a heavy heart.

Today, many of his younger brothers and sisters sought him out to catch up, but as they talked, he gradually fell silent.

“Man is the master of his fate. It may not be possible now, but it might be in the future.”

Lu Changsheng spoke softly, able to understand his son’s feelings.

“Man is the master of his fate...”

Upon hearing this, Lu Ping’an clenched his fists.

He had broken through to Foundation Establishment,

but, apart from the case where his father had given him a Spiritual Root, he had never heard of such a thing happening.

“Many things might be beyond our ability now.”

“But the meaning of cultivation lies in the fact that with enough strength, one can rectify regrets and achieve all that is wonderful.”

“One day, if you become an immortal, perhaps with a flick of your fingers, you could enable mortals to cultivate or even revive those you cannot bear to lose from the river of time.”

Lu Changsheng looked at the night sky as he spoke.

People had to learn to console themselves.

He was consoling himself in this way.

One day, as long as he became an immortal, standing at the pinnacle of the Immortal Path, he could rectify all that was wonderful, leaving no regrets in life.

And with the system at his side, he believed he could accomplish this.

“The meaning of cultivation, to rectify regrets and beauty...”

Lu Ping'an, hearing these words, gazed at the starry night sky and murmured to himself.

After a moment, he saw Lu Changsheng leaving and, with a resolute clench of his fist, said, “Father, I understand!”

Chapter 1025: Dragon Roar Awakening, Becoming a Disciple of Hong Lian! Bi Yun Peak, Alchemy Hall.

Nine dragon heads spewed raging flames, above which a bronze cauldron was set.

Spiritual liquid boiled inside the cauldron as Lu Changsheng threw in various precious and valuable spiritual medicines, spirit fruits, monster cores, demon beast skeletons, and more.

He was preparing a medicinal bath for his son Lu Lingxiao and daughter Lu Linghe.

Ever since learning about the Medicinal Bath Technique, he had wanted to give some of his talented children a medicinal baptism.

However, previous baths, aside from those for Lu Wangshu and Lu Xingchen, were ordinary baptisms.

The spiritual medicines and spirit stones used before didn't even compare to what he was using now.

On the one hand, indeed, these two children had exceptional talents, and he wanted to give them a head start.

On the other hand, this was also about the relationship with Ling Zixiao.

After all, children with good talents, and those who were children of his Dao companion, would spend more time with him, so he was inevitably biased.

As time passed, the spiritual liquid in the cauldron turned into a dark, thick, and turbid color.

Then, Lu Changsheng opened several porcelain bottles and poured them one by one into the cauldron.

“Buzz!”

At that moment, the Ancient Beast Taming Charm shimmered, and a faint figure appeared, looking sublimely beautiful, slender, noble, and uniquely graceful.

She cast spell after spell towards the bronze cauldron.

“Buzz buzz buzz—”

The cauldron immediately began to hum and tremble. The liquid inside roared and splashed, gleaming with a radiant light, making the phantom images of the Nine Netherhound, Heavenly Demon Phoenix, Iron-Eating Beast, and Mount Sumeru Tree King appear intermittently.

The originally dark and viscous liquid gradually turned light gold, emitting a strong, aromatic scent.

“Young Master, the elixirs are ready; you can enter the cauldron now.”

Hong Lian’s voice was soft and pleasing.

“Mm.”

Lu Changsheng nodded, looked towards his side, and called out to his son, who was pursing his lips with bright eyes, “Xiao’er.”

“Dad, I’m ready!”



Lu Lingxiao nodded as he spoke.

He was only nine years old but looked as tall as a normal adolescent.

Dressed in a cyan robe, his youthful face carried a hint of valor.

Hearing Lu Changsheng's words, he directly leaped into the boiling bronze cauldron.

He knew that once he completed the medicinal bath baptism, he could begin cultivating.

“Hiss!”

As Lu Lingxiao entered the cauldron, his body instantly became scalding hot, and his skin turned red, he groaned softly.

Although the medicinal bath was extremely hot, it would not scald anyone.

Instead, it transformed into a surging force of medicinal power, cleaning and strengthening his body, limbs, bones, and Dantian.

“Daddy, will brother get boiled?”

Lu Linghe, wearing a lotus dress and tying two buns, biting her fingers, looked at the bubbling bronze cauldron and spoke with fear.

“Of course not, it's just like taking a bath. Xiaohe will grow up quickly after the bath.”

“And the liquid inside tastes really good.”

Lu Changsheng laughed as he heard his daughter's words.

As children, the siblings grew up consuming various heavenly and earthly treasures, treating strengthening and essence-cultivating elixirs like candy.

These elixirs and treasures might not be fully absorbed and used.

This medicinal bath baptism not only helped them refine all the medicine power within their bodies but also improved their talents.

Once the medicinal bath was over, both could begin cultivating directly.

There was no need, like most children, to wait until twelve years old for their meridians and Dantian to withstand nature's spiritual energy.

"Xiaohe, it's okay."

Ling Zixiao, who had been holding her daughter's shoulders, spoke softly.

She fully understood how much Lu Changsheng had spent on this cauldron bath.

Not just nearly one hundred thousand spirit stones worth of heaven and earth spiritual materials.

He also extracted essence blood from the Nine Netherhound, Heavenly Demon Phoenix, Cold Blue Dark Turtle, Iron-Eating Beast, Mount Sumeru Tree King, and Abyssal Ghoul Blossoms.

"Brother, are you getting cooked?"

Lu Linghe expressed disbelief and shouted loudly to her brother inside the cauldron.

"No..."

Lu Lingxiao remained silent for a moment before gritting his teeth and uttering two words.

"Daddy, Mommy, brother seems getting cooked."

Lu Linghe immediately looked up and said.

Seeing her daughter's dilly-dallying, and Hong Lian waiting by the side, Ling Zixiao directly clenched her teeth, picked her up, and with a 'plop', threw her into the cauldron.

"Ah, Daddy, Mommy, it's so hot!"

Unlike Lu Lingxiao, who held his breath and endured, Lu Linghe immediately cried out in discomfort.

"Xiaohe, be good, after the bath, you will grow up quickly."

Lu Changsheng immediately soothed her.

"Buzz!"

Hong Lian cast more spells into the bronze cauldron, causing the medicinal liquid to boil continuously and radiate luminous light.

"Young Master, it's ready now."

She spoke and then her figure returned to the Ancient Beast Taming Charm.

Without Xu Ruyin, she could not stay away from the Ancient Beast Taming Charm for long, and casting these spells drained her significantly.

"Hong Lian, thank you for your hard work."

Lu Changsheng nodded as he spoke, holding the Ancient Beast Taming Charm in his palm.

"Daddy lied, the liquid doesn't taste good at all, it's so bitter!"

After a while, Lu Linghe's face turned red, as if she was drunk, and she said in grievance to Lu Changsheng.

“.....”

Lu Changsheng stayed silent for a moment, then a bottle appeared in his hand, and he poured out two Strengthen the Essence and Cultivate the Origin Pills, shouting to his daughter in the cauldron, “Xiaohe, open your mouth.”

“Biu!”

After Lu Linghe consumed the pills, she immediately shouted loudly, “Daddy, I want to eat more.”

Seeing her husband feeding their daughter treats, Ling Zixiao wanted to say something, but was at a loss for words, only able to sigh with a hand on her forehead.

And so, time passed bit by bit, the medicinal bath roared and boiled, luminescence surged, washing marrow and cleansing for the siblings, allowing them to undergo a transformative rebirth.

Lu Lingxiao clenched his teeth and endured the medicinal bath baptism.

Previously, Lu Wangshu told him, the reason she was so impressive was that, during her medicinal bath baptism, she stayed fully conscious and completed the transformative rebirth.

Chapter 1026: Dragon Roar Awakening, Becoming a Disciple of Hong Lian!\_2 And he was determined to surpass this older sister of his and suppress her, naturally not willing to be weaker than her.

Lu Linghe, however, had no idea when he had fallen into a deep slumber.

“Buzz—”

Two days later, a vigorous and domineering aura suddenly emanated from Lu Lingxiao's body.

“Is this the Dragon Roar Physique!?”

Ling Zixiao sensed this familiar aura and abruptly turned her gaze toward her son, her face filled with surprise and astonishment.

She had not expected her son to have the Dragon Roar Physique just like herself!

This made her ecstatic and overwhelmingly delighted!

Her son, with a First-Grade Spiritual Root and nurtured meticulously by herself and Lu Changsheng, was destined for the Core Formation Stage!

Now seeing that her son possessed the Dragon Roar Physique, she felt it was not just hopeful for Core Formation.

Rather, it was a certainty that he would achieve Core Formation, and even had the potential to become a Nascent Soul True Lord!

“Hm? The Dragon Roar Physique has awakened?”

Lu Changsheng paused, also somewhat taken aback by the surprise.

He hadn’t expected that, under the influence of the Medicinal Bath, his son’s Dragon Roar Physique would awaken.

You must know, the Dragon Roar Physique is a recessive Spiritual Body, which would gradually awaken as one grows and practices cultivation.

His son was only nine years old, not yet having started his cultivation journey; how could the Dragon Roar Physique awaken so soon?

However, the next moment, Lu Changsheng realized that it must be due to his son’s Dragon Roar Physique being incomplete; an Incomplete Dragon Roar Physique, and therefore different from the norm.

“Not good!”

Lu Changsheng immediately looked towards the Bronze Cauldron where his daughter Lu Linghe lay unconscious, summoned his Great Hand of Magical Power, and lifted her out.

The early awakening of the Dragon Roar Physique in his son was naturally a good thing.

But if his daughter’s Dragon Roar Physique were to awaken early, that would not be good at all.

The Dragon Roar Physique was only suitable for the male body!

If a daughter had the Dragon Roar Physique, it would be a curse rather than a blessing!

He hadn’t yet perfected his Yin Yang Creation Scripture, unable to completely resolve the issue of the Dragon Roar Physique!

“Buzz!”

However, at this very moment, a fierce yet faint aura had already started to permeate from Lu Linghe’s body.

“How can this be!?”

Ling Zixiao, upon seeing Lu Changsheng’s actions and still somewhat puzzled as to why he took the daughter out of the Medicinal Bath, abruptly sensed the familiar aura coming from her daughter’s body, and her delighted expression instantly changed.

She was naturally happy and thrilled that her son had the Dragon Roar Physique.

But if her daughter had the Dragon Roar Physique, she could not be happy.

She, herself, had the Dragon Roar Physique and knew all too well how much trouble this Spiritual Body had caused her.

During her Foundation Establishment breakthrough, she almost died because of the outburst caused by the Dragon Roar Physique.

Had it not been for meeting Lu Changsheng, she would have withered and died from the burning Yang energy of the Dragon Roar Physique, burning her meridians and Dantian.

Even now, she could only practice cultivation at a slow pace thanks to Lu Changsheng's help in managing the Dragon Roar of Yang Energy within her body.

“The Dragon Roar Physique...”

Hong Lian, from within the Ancient Beast Taming Charm, was also surprised to see the condition of the siblings.

Though she had long resided within the Ancient Beast Taming Charm,

over the years, she had tutored Lu Changsheng's children and observed their conditions.

She could clearly recognize that the Lu Family Disciples' talents were significantly improving!

And also, an early Blood Talisman Spiritual Body.

Before that, a Gengjin Body Constitution returned home.

Now, suddenly two Dragon Roar Physiques appeared.

Although there was something off about these two Dragon Roar Physiques, it was still astounding.

“Dragon Emperor Body, is this the legendary Dragon Emperor Body, as terrifying as this...”

Hong Lian murmured to herself, her heart filled with astonishment and emotion.

For a moment, she couldn't help but look forward to what kind of talented offspring would be born after Lu Changsheng's Core Formation, Nascent Soul, and Divinity Transformation.

Because as far as she knew, the higher the Cultivation Realm of the Dragon Emperor Body, the more amazing the talents of the offspring born.

"However, the Dragon Emperor Body should at least reach the Core Formation Stage to increase the chances of his children having a Spiritual Body, right?"

"The lord is only at the Foundation Establishment Stage now, even with the Dragon Emperor Body, at most it would make it easier than other Cultivators to have offspring with a Spiritual Root Talent, it couldn't possibly involve Spiritual Bodies..."

Hong Lian was puzzled in her heart.

However, thinking of the fact that the mysteries surrounding Lu Changsheng had not only not diminished over the years but had become even more enigmatic, she did not measure him against common wisdom.

After all, the Dragon Emperor Body was just her guess.

The situation of Lu Changsheng, his constitution, might be similar to that of the Dragon Emperor Body, but it could be even more astonishing.

Moreover, even the same constitution might differ, not necessarily the same.

Then, Hong Lian's Soul observed the condition of Lu Lingxiao and Lu Linghe and spoke out, "Lord, Ling Xiao and Linghe's Dragon Roar Physiques must be With Flaw, incomplete Dragon Roar Physiques, which is why they awakened under the influence of the Medicinal Bath."

She had provided the Medicinal Bath Technique, so naturally, she felt the need to give an explanation.

"Mm, I know."



Lu Changsheng nodded and said.

He, of course, knew his children's Dragon Roar Physiques were incomplete, both being Incomplete Spirit Physiques.

"Lord..."

Ling Zixiao looked at Lu Linghe in Lu Changsheng's arms, biting her lip, her face full of heartache.

This daughter of hers was not very clever to start with, and now, also burdened with the Dragon Roar Physique, it made her heart ache beyond measure.

"It's okay, I was well aware of Xiaohe's Dragon Roar Physique, I just didn't expect the Medicinal Bath to stimulate it and cause an early awakening."

"Zi Xiao, rest assured, once I finish my Cultivation Technique transformation, I'll be able to resolve your and Xiaohe's Dragon Roar Physique."

Lu Changsheng held his daughter, reassuring his wife.

If it had been before, he might have been worried about this situation.

But now, as long as he completed his cultivation of the "Yin Yang Creation Classic," he could attempt to resolve the Dragon Roar Physique!

He might not be able to completely resolve it at the Foundation Establishment Stage,

but as long as he achieved a breakthrough in Core Formation, he would have a seventy to eighty percent certainty!

"Lord, you can resolve it?"

Ling Zixiao immediately recalled Lu Changsheng mentioning before that once he finished his transformation of the Cultivation Technique, he would have a way to resolve the Dragon Roar Physique.

Chapter 1027: Dragon Roar Awakening, Becoming a Disciple of Hong Lian!\_3 Just for a moment, she was so anxious that she forgot about the issue.

Of course, it was also because her subconscious assumed that the method her husband used to resolve the Dragon Roar Physique issue relied on the Dragon Invocation Technique, a Dual Cultivation Technique.

“Alright, once I perfect my cultivation technique, I will be able to balance Yin and Yang, resolving the issue of the Dragon Roar Physique.”

Lu Changsheng nodded, infusing Yin Yang Magic Power into his daughter’s body to balance her Dragon Roar Physique.

“Dad, Mom, what’s wrong with Xiaohe?”

At this moment, Lu Lingxiao, who was in the medicinal bath, opened his eyes, asking with some pain.

Although the medicinal bath would not cause his body to explode and die, the baptism process was still very painful, causing one to easily fall unconscious.

“Xiaohe is not well and unsuited for the medicinal bath, Xiao’er, concentrate on your baptism.”

Ling Zixiao spoke out, telling her son not to worry.

“Mmm~”

Lu Linghe in Lu Changsheng’s embrace, somewhat groggily opened her sleepy eyes.

But seeing herself lying in her daddy’s arms, she immediately smacked her lips a few times and nuzzled her little head in Lu Changsheng’s embrace before falling asleep again.

“It’s alright, at most she’ll start her cultivation a few years later; it won’t have any impact.”

Lu Changsheng continued to reassure Ling Zixiao.

“Mm.”

Ling Zixiao nodded.

Although Lu Changsheng said he could resolve his daughter’s situation,

seeing his daughter like this, she was still exceedingly heartbroken.

...

A day later, Lu Lingxiao was lifted out of the bronze cauldron by Lu Changsheng.

Following the medicinal bath baptism and the awakening of the Dragon Roar Physique, he too fell unconscious.

Lu Changsheng could clearly see that his son’s fair skin was glowing, crystal clear and shiny, just like warm jade.

The meridians and Dantian not only flowed with pure and rich Spiritual Energy but were also filled with strands of intense Dragon Roar of Yang Energy.

As long as this son began his cultivation, practicing Yang attribute-based cultivation techniques would allow him to make rapid progress, advancing by leaps and bounds.

Afterward, Lu Changsheng checked the status of his son’s Dragon Roar Physique.

“Just as I had guessed...”

Lu Changsheng narrowed his eyes slightly.

Being a bearer of the Dragon Roar Physique himself, he could clearly discern the differences within his son's Dragon Roar Physique.

Indeed, as he had previously conjectured, his son's Dragon Roar of Yang Energy lacked nourishment for the flesh and muscles.

Overall, the effects were much worse than his own.

But it could also be because his son was still young and had not started cultivation, so the full effects of the Dragon Roar Physique had not been fully manifested.

“Regardless, Lingxiao's talent is destined to be extraordinary, and in the future, he will become the mainstay of the Lu Family.”

Lu Changsheng did not dwell on the matter too much.

Even if his son did not possess the Dragon Roar Physique, just having a First-Grade Spiritual Root was already quite remarkable.

Even if this Dragon Roar Physique was incomplete, it would not be worse than a Medium-grade Spirit Body, and it might even have the effects of a Superior Spirit Body!

“Zi Xiao, I wish for Xiao'er to take Senior Red Lotus as his master, what do you think?”

At this time, Lu Changsheng conveyed his thoughts to Ling Zixiao, inquiring.

After obtaining the Dragon Roar Physique, he knew that techniques related to Yang, fire, and thunder elements were the most suitable for his son.

The cultivation techniques he possessed at the moment were indeed not as fitting for Lu Lingxiao as “Vermilion Bird Sky-Scorching Art” from Senior Red Lotus.

Therefore, he thought of allowing Lu Lingxiao to take Senior Red Lotus as a master to instruct him.

Not only would he find a teacher for his son, but his bond with Red Lotus would also deepen.

Having interacted for so long, Lu Changsheng still couldn't understand why Red Lotus, a Nascent Soul True Lord, was so obedient to him.

Although his charisma was not bad, and he could reconstruct her Physical Body in the future, it shouldn't be to this extent, right?

So, he also wished to further deepen their relationship.

“Taking Red Lotus as a master?”

Hearing this, Ling Zixiao immediately said, “For Xiao'er to take Senior Red Lotus as a master would be fantastic!”

Although Red Lotus showed no airs around Lu Changsheng,

they still held great respect and reverence for her.

If her son could take a Nascent Soul True Lord as a master, she naturally saw it as a great opportunity!

“Good.”

Lu Changsheng nodded, looking towards the Ancient Beast Taming Charm and inquiring to Red Lotus, “What do you think of Lingxiao?”

“Lingxiao possesses a First-Grade Spiritual Root and the Dragon Roar Physique; naturally, his talent is exceptional.”

Red Lotus perceived the implication in Lu Changsheng's words and replied thus.

“I mean to ask if you, Red Lotus, would be willing to take Lingxiao as a disciple.”

Lu Changsheng said thoughtfully.

“If it pleases you, Red Lotus is naturally willing.”

Red Lotus responded immediately upon hearing this.

Although she did not have any intentions to take on disciples,

Lu Lingxiao’s talent wasn’t enough to make her want to cherish him and take him as a disciple.

But if Lu Changsheng was willing to entrust this son to her tutelage, taking her as a master, she was quite pleased.

After all, the relationship between a master and disciple in the cultivation world is special, akin to that of parents and children.

If she were to become Lu Lingxiao’s Shimu, her relationship with Lu Changsheng would also grow closer.

“Alright, in that case, when Xiao’er awakes, I will have him take you as a master.”

Lu Changsheng, hearing this, showed a faint smile on his face.

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Six days later, Lu Changsheng received a message from Ling Zixiao, informing him that their son Lu Lingxiao had awakened.

He couldn’t help feeling sentimental that his son had slept for quite a while.

You must know, his daughter Lu Wangshu only slept for three days and nights.

However, considering that the medicinal bath he prepared was intended for two people,

but as Lu Linghe, due to the Dragon Roar Physique, was removed halfway through,

the rest of the medicinal bath was mostly absorbed and baptized by Lu Lingxiao alone, who awakened the Dragon Roar Physique.

So, it was normal for him to sleep a bit longer.

He arrived at the courtyard and immediately saw Ling Zixiao talking with their two children, mother, and son.

“Mother, don’t worry, I will definitely take good care of my sister.”

Lu Lingxiao said with a serious face.

“My lord.”

“Dad, Daddy!”

Upon seeing Lu Changsheng approaching, all three of them called out immediately.

Chapter 1028: Dragon Roar Awakening, Becoming a Disciple of Hong Lian!\_4 “Hmm?”

Lu Changsheng caught sight of his son Lu Lingxiao and paused.

He noticed that his son’s originally clear, distinct black and white eyes had turned a light golden color.

In earlier years, he had noted that his son’s eyes sometimes shimmered with a faint golden luster.

But now they had completely changed to gold, like amber in the sunlight, giving off a divine and majestic aura.

“My lord, Xiao’er’s eyes turned this way after he woke up, but upon checking, I didn’t find anything unusual.”

Ling Zixiao communicated to Lu Changsheng telepathically, somewhat worried.

“Hong Lian, do you know what this is about?”

Lu Changsheng held the Ancient Beast Taming Charm in his hand, turning to question Hong Lian.

“This could be due to the recent awakening of the Spiritual Body, or it could be because there is a flaw within the Spiritual Body...”

Hong Lian spoke softly.

The Spiritual Body was truly mystical; even as a Nascent Soul True Lord, she found it difficult to fully understand the situation.

Moreover, now that she was only a Soul, she could not examine Lu Lingxiao’s condition in detail.

“A flaw in the Spiritual Body...”

Upon hearing this, Lu Changsheng looked at his son and laughed, “Xiao’er’s eyes certainly are extraordinary and full of valor. In the future, upon seeing them, others will know that Lu Changsheng has a Qilin son.”

He didn’t feel much about these golden eyes.

He just thought it was obvious that they were extraordinary and might easily cause trouble to arise.



“Daddy, what about me, what about me?”

Upon hearing this, Lu Linghe immediately ran in front of Lu Changsheng, puffing out her chest, urging her father to take a good look and praise her.

“Hahaha, my Xiaohe is clever and lovely, innocent and carefree; who wouldn’t like her?”

“Daddy loves Xiaohe the most.”

Lu Changsheng, seeing his daughter’s adorable manner, ruffled her hair bun and spoke with a laugh.

After a pleasant family chat, Lu Changsheng called out to Lu Lingxiao, “Xiao’er, come with me.”

Originally, he had planned to start both siblings on their cultivation journey together.

However, due to the condition of his daughter Lu Linghe, her cultivation had to be put on hold.

After all, if his daughter started cultivating and it led to the awakening of the Dragon Roar Physique, it would definitely cause some trouble.

“Dad.”

Lu Lingxiao, hearing his father’s words, promptly followed Lu Changsheng into the hall.

“You are about to begin your cultivation, and I have found you a master.”

Lu Changsheng spoke, raising his hand slightly, and the Ancient Beast Taming Charm shimmered, bringing forth the sacred and noble, ethereal figure of Hong Lian.

Lu Lingxiao immediately looked at the figure standing before him, clad in splendid palace robes, with exquisite and stunning features and an intangible form.

Seeing Hong Lian's crimson pupils, he thought of his own light golden eyes reflected in the mirror earlier and felt a sudden pause in his heart.

"This is your master, Hong Lian."

Lu Changsheng turned to his son and said, "Go on, greet your master."

"Disciple Lu Lingxiao, greets Master!"

Lu Lingxiao immediately took a step back and knelt down to pay respects to Hong Lian, performing the grand gesture of acknowledging a master.

Lu Lingxiao knew of the high and noble status of Hong Lian, as his mother Ling Zixiao had informed him earlier, aware that becoming her disciple would greatly help his future cultivation.

"Good, from now on, you are my disciple."

Hong Lian accepted the homage with grace, her voice elegant and noble.

Then, with a gentle lift of her hand: "Rise, I have no gift to give you, so I shall guide you in your cultivation instead."

"Yes, Master!"

Lu Lingxiao stood and responded.

Following this, Hong Lian began to teach Lu Lingxiao cultivation.

Often, those with good talent also possessed good comprehension.

Under Hong Lian's guidance, Lu Lingxiao began cultivating within an hour.

Even before he had absorbed any of nature's spiritual energy, the mere Spiritual Energy and Dragon Roar of Yang Energy surging within him allowed him to complete the Channel Qi into the Body process.

Moreover, both Hong Lian and Lu Changsheng could see that, with Lu Lingxiao's way of cultivation, it probably wouldn't take him long to make a breakthrough.

Lu Changsheng felt that, at the rate of his son Lu Lingxiao's cultivation, he would likely break through into Foundation Establishment by his twenties!

"Indeed, if hard work was enough, then what would be the need for talent."

Lu Changsheng shook his head lightly.

Seeing his children become increasingly talented, he deeply realized that effort was almost insignificant in the face of absolute talent.

Then, he handed the Ancient Beast Taming Charm to his son Lu Lingxiao so that he could consult Hong Lian should any issues arise.

Chapter 1029: Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror, Insect Nest Bag! "[Congratulations to the host, your first descendant has become a Second Grade Talisman Master. You've earned one lottery draw opportunity!]"

That day, while Lu Changsheng was training in the Hundred Refinements Treasure Body Art, he suddenly heard a system prompt.

"Wangshu has advanced to a Second Grade Talisman Master, huh?"

A smile crept onto Lu Changsheng's face, and he instantly knew his daughter, Lu Wangshu, had become a Second Grade Talisman Master.

After the incident with the Black Crow True Immortal years ago, his daughter Lu Wangshu had become much more diligent.

Though she still had a playful streak in her.

She was no longer like she used to be, interested in everything, wasting her talent and time.

Most of her focus was now on cultivation and the Talisman Path.

“However, becoming a Second Grade Talisman Master only gets a regular lottery draw...”

Lu Changsheng thought about how previously, when his son Lu Ping’an had broken through to the Second Order Body Refining, the system had given an advanced level lottery draw.

“Is Talisman Making one rank below Body Refining?”

“Or is it that all these are considered part of the Hundred Arts of Cultivation and are counted together?”

After pondering for a moment, Lu Changsheng cursed, “Damn system,” and got up to visit his daughter.

Having become a Second Grade Talisman Master, she must be thrilled and wanting to share her happiness with him.

Sure enough, as he arrived at Lu Wangshu’s courtyard, he immediately saw his daughter with a look of joy and happiness on her face.

“Xiaohe, this is the first Second Rank Spirit Talisman that sister has drawn. Once I become Jiang Country’s number one Talisman Cultivator in the future, this talisman will be priceless.”

“No need for 98,000 or 9,800, just 998!”

Lu Wangshu held a Spirit Talisman in her hand, sharing her joy with her younger sister Lu Linghe.

“But sister, I don’t have that many spirit stones...”

Lu Linghe, somewhat moved by her sister's words, glanced at her own purse and said weakly.

"You can go ask daddy for some."

"Thump!"

Lu Changsheng stepped forward immediately, knocked on Lu Wangshu's head, and said aloud, "Lu Wangshu, you really got some nerve, actually tricking Xiaohe out of her spirit stones."

Although his daughter Lu Linghe, because of her Dragon Roar Physique, was not cultivating,

Lu Changsheng still allowed the family to give her a share of cultivation resources every month to save as her own little treasure trove.

"Dad, how can you say I'm tricking her? It's clearly keeping the resources within the family."

"By the time I become Jiang Country's number one Talisman Cultivator, others will be clamoring for a talisman drawn by the young Fairy Maiden Wangshu!"

Lu Wangshu retorted with an unconvinced look on her face, "Besides, if I don't become the number one Talisman Cultivator in Jiang Country because you keep knocking on my head, you'll have nowhere to cry when the time comes."

"Lu Wangshu, when did I ever realize how vain you are, talking about being the number one Talisman Cultivator in Jiang Country. Where do you put your father then?"

Lu Changsheng was amused by his daughter's words.

"Humph, Dad, don't you think that being known as the father of Jiang Country's number one Talisman Cultivator sounds even better than being the top Talisman Cultivator yourself?"

Lu Wangshu wrapped her arm around her old father's arm, speaking out.

“Hiss...”

Lu Changsheng, upon hearing his daughter’s words, stroked his chin, feeling that she made quite a point.

If his children, each with their exceptional talents, made great achievements in the Core Formation Nascent Soul Stage and excelled in the Hundred Arts of Cultivation, couldn’t he boast that before him stood the Southern Wilderness’s number one Body Cultivator, the number one Sword Cultivator, the number one Talisman Cultivator, the number one Tool Cultivator, the number one Gu Cultivator... with ten True Monarchs and over a hundred real immortals from the Lu Family’s Ancestor.

“Cough, cough.”

Lu Changsheng dismissed the thoughts and asked his daughter, “Wangshu, did I just hear you say you’ve drawn a Second Rank Spirit Talisman?”

Although he already knew through the system,

to satisfy his daughter’s vanity and share in her joy, he was still willing to play along as a doting father.

“Hmph.”

Lu Wangshu proudly puffed out her chest, lifted her delicate chin, and handed the Second Rank Spirit Talisman she had drawn to her old father.

“Wangshu, did you draw this?”

Lu Changsheng feigned a surprised and delighted expression.

“Mhm.”

Lu Wangshu’s mouth curved into a smile, gently nodding her head, the picture of grace and composure.

“Good, good, good. My daughter Fairy Maiden Wangshu truly deserves to be Jiang Country’s future top Talisman Cultivator, no, the top one in the Southern Wilderness. With such talent, your father is humbled before you.”

Lu Changsheng praised her loudly.

His daughter reaching Second Grade Talisman Master status at her age was a mark of genius no matter where she was.

This was when Lu Wangshu had been playful in her early years and not very interested in Talisman Making.

Otherwise, with her talent for the Talisman Path, she probably would have achieved Second Grade a lot earlier.

Of course, part of this was thanks to the Ninety-Nine Mystical Talisman Scripture.

This Talisman Path technique required much time to understand spiritual patterns in the early stages, far more profound than typical Second Rank talisman traditions.

It was for this reason that Lu Wangshu’s progress in cultivation and Talisman Path was slower.

But Li Changsheng was not worried about the cultivation aspects.

As long as his daughter built a solid foundation in the Talisman Path, once she achieved Foundation Establishment and formed her Life-bound Divine Talisman, all those spiritual patterns would become her foundation.

During her regular Talisman Making process, she could condense mystical talisman qi to turn into her own cultivation and magical power.

Lu Wangshu was very happy with Lu Changsheng’s praise.

However, Lu Changsheng also didn't forget about his other daughter Lu Linghe, inquiring about her recent martial training.

This daughter, due to her Dragon Roar Physique, was not suited for cultivation just yet.

So Lu Changsheng had her continue her martial training to temper her physical body.

Upon hearing her father's words, Lu Linghe immediately demonstrated her progress to her old father, throwing two punches his way.

"Good, good, good."

Lu Changsheng praised, saying how great and powerful her punches were.

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"System, lottery draw!"

After spending time with his daughters, Lu Changsheng thought of the system lottery, silently invoking the command in his mind.

Immediately, a light red roulette wheel appeared, spinning with a golden glow.

After a few breaths, the gold light landed on the 'Magical Treasures' category.

[Ding! Congratulations to the host for obtaining the Magical Treasure: Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror!]

[Award has been placed in the System Space. The host can check it at any time.]

Chapter 1030: Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror, Insect Nest Bag!\_2 A bronze ancient mirror emerged from the great spinning wheel, accompanied by a system notification sound.



“Another magical treasure?”

Lu Changsheng raised his eyebrows upon seeing this reward.

He had previously won a magical treasure, the “Starlight Plate”, and now here came another magical treasure.

[Magic Artifact: Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror]

[Grade: Top-grade Magical Treasure]

[Description: A treasured inheritance from the Cave Profound Sect, it allows observation of a person’s meridians and acupoints, insights into cultivation techniques, and the flow of their circuits. It can also activate magical treasures and assist in cultivation.]

“Top-grade magical treasure?”

Lu Changsheng was somewhat surprised when he saw the description of the magical treasure.

The few magical treasures he had won from the lottery were at most high-quality treasures, like the Fate-Defying Robe.

He hadn’t expected that this time he would get a top-grade magical treasure.

However, judging by the effects, this magical treasure was not for combat purposes but rather an auxiliary treasure.

It could observe the state of others, their cultivation techniques, and assist in cultivation.

“Extract!”

Lu Changsheng immediately extracted the Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror from the system to check its specific effects.

In an instant, an elliptical bronze ancient mirror about three feet tall appeared in front of Lu Changsheng.

The mirror shone with bright luminescence, and mysterious lotus-shaped patterns adorned its frame, giving it an aura of profound mystery and immense power.

“Hisss, what a treasure!”

Lu Changsheng looked at the Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror before him with excitement in his eyes.

Although the Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror lacked the ability for combat,

just by dropping a person’s blood onto the mirror and then shining it upon them, one could reflect all of their conditions.

The flesh, meridians, dantian acupoints, and limbs could all be clearly reflected through the Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror, leaving no issue undiscovered.

During this process, if the person was circulating their cultivation techniques or casting spells, the movement of their techniques, the state of their mana, and more could all be revealed.

Moreover, it could also consume a great amount of mana, allowing the mirror to make self-adaptive adjustments to the practitioner’s technique circuit.

Or if there were any techniques or spells one couldn’t learn, the mirror could be used to guide the practitioner into a deeply focused and captivating state to help them learn and comprehend, thus achieving twice the result with half the effort!

“Having this magical treasure, it will be much more convenient to instruct my children in cultivation in the future.”

“And when I make a breakthrough to Core Formation, I can fully stimulate this magical treasure to enhance the cultivation level of my children by a whole grade!”

Lu Changsheng deeply realized the effectiveness of this magical treasure.

Although the family had Hong Lian, a Nascent Soul True Lord, to guide cultivation,

Hong Lian was now only a spirit soul,

usually residing within the Ancient Beast Taming Charm, at most providing simple guidance and answering questions based on Nascent Soul experience.

It was impossible to check each individual's condition and provide targeted instruction.

But with this Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror, one glance could reflect the condition, body state, and cultivation level of the family's children.

By that time, with the information on the mirror, Hong Lian could use her experience as a Nascent Soul True Lord to provide visionary and incisive suggestions.

Furthermore, the effect of the mirror to micro-adjust the practitioner's technique circuits for self-adaption was, in Lu Changsheng's view, astonishingly remarkable.

Currently, only Lu Miaoge and Bai Ling had undergone self-adaptive adjustments in their cultivation due to their unique circumstances, perfectly aligning with their own situation.

Others, including himself, had not encountered this situation.

But the Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror could carry out simple deductions based on each person's situation, making simple self-adaptive micro-adjustments so that the effect of cultivation could be optimized!

Even if the adjustment and adaptation only improved the efficiency of cultivation by one percent, over time, the result would be tremendously impressive.

"However, the Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror probably won't have much effect on me, right?"

Lu Changsheng thought about the Yin Yang Creation Scripture he was cultivating.

Although the effect of the Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror was astonishing, it was, after all, just a magical treasure.

It was unlikely to be able to adjust a cultivation technique of the caliber of the Yin Yang Creation Scripture.

Plus, he had system-assisted cultivation, which was already quite perfect.

“But after Core Formation, this shouldn’t be much of a problem.”

“Moreover, even the Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror probably couldn’t surmise the Yin Yang Creation Scripture better than I can myself.”

Lu Changsheng shook his head, not worried about these details.

The issue of compatibility with cultivation techniques was mainly a problem in the early stages.

Once a cultivator broke through to Core Formation, they would have a deep understanding of cultivation and their unique interpretations.

On the path to Nascent Soul, they would adjust according to their own body structure, understanding of the Great Dao, and even the cultivation environment, so that the technique perfectly aligned with themselves.

Thus after Core Formation, even if practicing the same technique, differences would gradually appear among those from the same sect.

Lu Changsheng took the Cave Mystique Treasure Mirror, returned to the Changsheng Hall, and began to refine this top-grade magical treasure.

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At Golden Dragon Ridge, within the Jin Family,

“Patriarch, now that Bihu Mountain has been moving many of its industries towards White Tiger Mountain, it will become increasingly difficult for us to reclaim White Tiger Mountain in the future.”

The Patriarch of Jin Family spoke respectfully to his ancestor.

Over the years, he had been paying close attention to the movements of Bihu Mountain,

from the early matters involving Lu Qingshan to last year’s incident with Xia Zhaoyang, which made him more and more wary of Bihu Mountain.

So fast!

The growth rate of Bihu Mountain was incredibly fast!

Although the family had only gained Lu Miaoyun, a Foundation Establishment Cultivator, in recent years,

outside the family, besides the prodigious son Lu Qingshan,

there were also Zhao Qingqing and Xia Zhaoyang at the Qingyun Sect, two Foundation Establishment Cultivators!

And he had also learned that Lu Changsheng had a deep relationship with Fairy Xi Yue of Qingyun Sect, a Nascent Soul Immortal and sister to his master.