

I. Family 981

Chapter 981: Generous Harvest, Pill Thunder Bead! Three people entered the Mount Sumeru Cave Heaven.

“This...”

“Dad, this place is...”

Lu Quanzhen and Lu Ping'an looked around at their surroundings, eyes wide with shock.

They had never expected that their own family possessed such a secret realm!

“This place is known as the Mount Sumeru Cave Heaven, our family's true core.”

Lu Changsheng spoke out.

As he spoke, his gaze drifted towards the newly appeared medicine garden not far off.

Inside, flowers and trees of various shapes, all shrouded in spiritual energy, were planted.

“Changsheng, you've returned.”

At that moment, Lu Miaoge, who was inside the Changsheng Hall, sensed Lu Changsheng's presence and walked out.

She wore a simple white dress, her features gentle and beautiful, exuding a temperament as placid as water.

Seeing Lu Ping'an and Lu Quanzhen beside her, she showed a slight surprise and said with a smile, “Hmm, Ping'an and Quanzhen are also here.”

“Aunt.”

“Greetings, Aunt!”

Lu Ping’an and Lu Quanzhen immediately bowed with hands clasped.

“Indeed, Ping’an and Quanzhen are nearly at the point of Foundation Establishment, so I brought them here to have a look. They will attempt to achieve Foundation Establishment within this cave heaven when the time comes.”

Lu Changsheng was still dressed in a dark Fate-Defying Robe, but his face was no longer disguised, revealing his handsome, majestic features.

“Ping’an and Quanzhen are about to establish their foundations?”

Upon hearing these words, Lu Miaoge’s graceful face showed astonishment.

Although during their time on White Tiger Mountain, she knew that Lu Quanzhen had the capability of the Ninth Level Energy Refinement.

But she did not expect that they would so soon be attempting Foundation Establishment.

And Lu Ping’an was also going to attempt Foundation Establishment?

She remembered that sixteen years ago, Lu Ping’an had just discovered his Spiritual Root and embarked on the path of cultivation.

For a time, Lu Miaoge felt as if she was in another world, reminiscing about the years on Qingzhu Mountain when they struggled to cultivate a Foundation Establishment Great Cultivator, pouring the entire family’s effort.

Yet now, unbeknownst to her, the second generation of her family was about to begin their Foundation Establishment.

“That’s right, both Ping’an and Quanzhen encountered some fortunate opportunities, so they’ve progressed quickly.”

Lu Changsheng smiled and spoke: “Sister Miaoge, has Qingshan already returned?”

He had noticed earlier on that the plants in the garden were the spiritual medicines brought back by Lu Qingshan from the Purple Shadow Secret Realm.

“Qingshan brought back the spiritual medicines from the secret realm and then left with Qingzhu to return to the Jinyang Sect.”

Lu Miaoge said in a soft voice.

Although her children had returned for several months, their departure once more left her with reluctance.

“Just like that, they’re gone...”

Lu Changsheng felt a pang in his heart and sighed upon hearing this.

Originally, when his children were taken in by Tianyuan True Immortal as disciples, he was on his way home and had no chance to bid them farewell.

Now that they had departed, he as their father, was once again not at home.

But this was to be expected, as Tianyuan True Immortal’s primary intention for bringing the children home was to visit the Purple Shadow Secret Realm and to see their Family.

Now that several months at home had passed, and the exploration of the secret realm had concluded, naturally, they could not stay for long, waiting for his return to say goodbye.

Moreover, his son Lu Qingshan had matters to attend to in the sect.

“By the way, Changsheng, these are the spiritual medicines sent back by Qingshan.”

“He mentioned that because the Yujian Zhenren of the Heavenly Sword Sect noticed his exceptional Sword Dao talent, he was exempted from submitting these medicinal herbs...”

Lu Miaoge, discerning her husband's mood, promptly changed the topic and pointed towards the medicine garden, speaking gently.

“The Yujian Zhenren of the Heavenly Sword Sect noticed his exceptional Sword Dao talent, so he was exempted from submitting these medicinal herbs?”

Lu Changsheng was taken aback upon hearing this.

Outside of the Purple Shadow Secret Realm, he had seen his son Lu Qingshan speaking with a true person from the Heavenly Sword Sect, and then leaving without submitting the medicinal herbs with Tian Yuan True Immortal.

At that time, he thought that the true person from the Heavenly Sword Sect allowed his son to leave so promptly out of respect for Tian Yuan True Immortal.

He never expected that it was actually because of his son's own Sword Dao talent.

“Yes, Qingshan said that Yujian Zhenren only asked him to go to the Heavenly Sword Sect to seek advice on swordsmanship after he breaks through Foundation Establishment. Then, he wouldn't need to submit any medicinal herbs...”

Lu Miaoge's eyes shone as she spoke softly with a smile.

Although Lu Qingshan was the son of her younger sister Lu Miaohuan, she had always treated him like her own.

She doted on this nephew even more than her own daughter, Lu Qingzhu.

Now that Lu Qingshan was so highly regarded by a Nascent Soul Immortal of the Heavenly Sword Sect, inviting him to the Heavenly Sword Sect to seek advice, she was very happy and proud.

After all, this was the Heavenly Sword Sect!

The overlord of the Jiang Country Cultivation Realm!

The holy land for all Sword Cultivators!

For an ordinary cultivator to be accepted into the Heavenly Sword Sect was already akin to a fish jumping the dragon gate!

And her own child was being personally invited by a true person from the Heavenly Sword Sect to seek advice, such an honor it was!

“Being valued by a true person from the Heavenly Sword Sect and invited to seek advice, thus exempt from submitting medicinal herbs!?”

Lu Ping’an and Lu Quanzhen, hearing this, also looked at each other, marveling at such good fortune.

They knew that their harvest in the Purple Shadow Secret Realm was far from a small amount!

“If only we had given all the medicinal herbs to Qingshan.”

Lu Ping’an regretfully said immediately.

They were worried that giving all the medicinal herbs to Lu Qingshan might have an impact on him, so they had only given half.

“Ping’an, Quanzhen, you’ve also worked hard on this journey to the secret realm...”

At this moment, Lu Miaoge spoke softly to Lu Ping’an and Lu Quanzhen.

She knew that half of the spiritual medicines sent back by Lu Qingshan were their part of the harvest.

Therefore, she differentiated between their gains and Lu Qingshan’s.

After all, in a family, there is a contribution system.

Even if they were all from the same family, contributions would be rewarded accordingly.

It's just that, currently, Bihu Lake Mountain's family contribution system wasn't fully established.

For the gains from such secret realms, there was no explicit reward policy yet.

"Aunt, we've still got some spiritual medicines here."

Lu Quanzhen spotted the Heavenly Spirit Flowers in the front garden.

He immediately understood the reason his father had them uproot the medicines from the Purple Shadow Secret Realm completely.

It was because their family's Mount Sumeru Cave Heaven could nurture all kinds of precious spiritual medicines, similar to the Purple Shadow Secret Realm.

Chapter 982: Rich Harvest, Pill Thunder Bead!_2 This left him utterly astonished, feeling that his father was becoming more and more mysterious!

"Alright."

Lu Miaoge took the Spirit Plant Bag and then sent a message to Lu Changsheng, "Changsheng, Ping'an and Quanzhen have gathered so many Spiritual Medicines this trip, have you thought about how to reward them?"

Although they were their own children,

She felt that rewards must be given no matter what.

"Don't worry, I'll handle this."

Lu Changsheng sent back a message.

He planned to reward his son, Lu Ping'an, with the casting of a Spiritual Artifact and the magical Treasure Body Tempering Art for his cultivation.

As for Lu Quanzhen, who was lacking nothing at the moment, he decided to give him the entire bottle of Purple Mansion Elixirs.

After his son broke through to the Foundation Establishment Late Stage, he would go on a journey.

Ten Purple Mansion Elixirs would be enough to enhance one's Divine Sense from the Initial Stage of Foundation Establishment all the way to the Late Stage. This would be of great help to Lu Quanzhen's experience outside!

"Mm~"

Lu Miaoge nodded lightly.

She was just reminding her husband.

After all, Lu Changsheng could be rather casual about these matters. He might not take it to heart or might forget about it after a while.

"Mount Sumeru."

Lu Changsheng opened the Spirit Plant Bag, indicating that any plant that could be grown should be planted.

"Master..."

Mount Sumeru spoke out, indicating that it could maintain the growth of these Spirit Plants.

But it could only barely keep them alive, not able to expedite their maturity.

However, for Lu Changsheng, this was enough.

As long as they could barely sustain life, he could use the Myriad Spirits Heaven Dew to ripen them when needed!

After Mount Sumeru had planted the Golden Bodhi Date Tree, White Jade Ganoderma, Heavenly Spirit Flower, and Golden Blood Ginseng – rare Spiritual Medicines hard to cultivate in the outside world – in the medicine garden of the Cave Heaven, Lu Changsheng and Lu Miaoge took inventory of the remaining gains.

Counting the Spiritual Medicines previously sent back by Lu Qingshan, the harvest of the three brothers was indeed very rich.

There were a total of four Heavenly Spirit Fruits.

If it weren't for the fact that Lu Ping'an and Lu Quanzhen had turned in two, there would have been six!

But with the Heavenly Spirit Flower, Lu Changsheng wasn't too concerned about the two submitted Heavenly Spirit Fruits.

After all, who could have expected that Lu Qingshan would be favored by a true individual of the Heavenly Sword Sect and be exempted from submitting Spiritual Medicines?

Seeing the gains of her three sons, Lu Miaoge also looked moved.

You must know that in the Purple Shadow Secret Realm, rare Spirit Fruits like the Heavenly Spirit Fruits, even if a clan cultivator risked their life, they would still need good luck to possibly obtain one or two.

Yet her own three children brought back four from the Secret Realm!

This made her realize that Lu Ping'an and Lu Quanzhen were also extraordinary.

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“Seeds of a Second Rank Demon Tree?”

At that moment, Lu Changsheng looked at the four thumb-sized, purple-crystal seeds in his hand.

“Yes, but we’re not sure if they are the seeds of that Demon Tree, because these seeds were found inside the body of a Demon Beast...”

Lu Quanzhen said.

“Good, Quanzhen, Ping’an, you’ve worked hard.”

Lu Changsheng nodded.

If these four seeds were indeed seeds of a Heaven-and-Earth Spiritual Plant, then to him, they would be far more precious than any Spiritual Medicine!

He planned to try cultivating these seeds with some leftover Myriad Spirits Heaven Dew from his home when there was some to spare.

Then, Lu Changsheng had Mount Sumeru build a simple wooden house for the two brothers, Lu Ping’an and Lu Quanzhen, next to it for daily cultivation.

He told them that if they wanted to enter or exit the Cave Heaven, they could just call for Elder Mount Sumeru.

“Alright, you’ve both been tired from the journey; go back and rest early.”

Lu Changsheng waved his hands to his sons.

“Yes, Father.”

The two bowed and called for Elder Mount Sumeru, then left the Cave Heaven.

“Sister Miaoge, when you have time, make a trip to Qingzhu Mountain and have father-in-law outsource the additional ingredients for the Foundation Establishment Elixir...”

Lu Changsheng said to Lu Miaoge.

With four Heavenly Spirit Fruits, he could now refine four batches of Foundation Establishment Elixirs.

With three pills per batch, that was twelve Foundation Establishment Elixirs!

This amount was more than enough for his family right now!

And with the Myriad Spirits Bottle, he could have as many Foundation Establishment Elixirs as he wanted in the future!

So under these circumstances, he naturally would not forget about Qingzhu Mountain and was willing to lend them a helping hand.

“Alright~”

Lu Miaoge’s beautiful eyes were brimming, gently looking at her husband, clearly understanding his intentions.

Although her son, Lu Qingshan, had said when he came back that if there were extra Foundation Establishment Elixirs, they would give one to Qingzhu Mountain,

But she hadn’t brought it up yet, and Lu Changsheng had already proactively thought of Qingzhu Mountain, which moved her deeply.

“Sister Miaoge, I’ve missed you.”

Lu Changsheng chuckled softly, wrapping his arms around his wife’s delicate body, sniffing the fresh fragrance of her hair, and spoke in a warm voice.

The trip to and from the Purple Shadow Secret Realm had taken over three months, and the whole process was quite tedious for him, his mind constantly missing his beloved wife at home.

“Mm~”

Lu Miaoge nestled in her husband’s arms, breathing in his scent.

“Sister Miaoge, let me see how your Sun Moon Samsara Technique is progressing.”

Lu Changsheng slipped one hand under his wife’s knees and lifted her in a bridal carry, striding into the Changsheng Hall.

“Changsheng...”

Lu Miaoge couldn’t help but softly call out, quickly extending her hand to wrap around Lu Changsheng’s neck, her face flushing with a rosy tint.

For someone her age to still be held by her husband like this, if Sister Ling or Little Ling’er saw, it would be embarrassing.

However, thinking that Ling Zixiao had been in closed-door cultivation these days and Bai Ling was looking after the little ones at the Lu Family Mansion, she relaxed and rested her cheek against Lu Changsheng’s chest.

Entering the Cave Mansion, Lu Changsheng put his wife on the White Jade Bed and began to kiss passionately, expressing his longing.

Between their lips, a delicate and heavy symphony swirled, accompanied by the rustling sounds.

The white dress, snow lotus undergarment, embroidered shoes, silk socks, and his long robe and boots all slowly scattered across the floor.

Chapter 983: Generous Harvest, Pill Thunder Bead!_3 Two bodies tensed, stretching, twisting, and colliding amid faint gasps.

“Changsheng, you just got back... Don’t stay up too late...”

Lu Miaoge cooed softly, her beautiful eyebrows slightly furrowed, her captivating eyes shimmering, her voice trembling as she spoke.

She felt that after being away for so long, Lu Changsheng should have headed straight to the Lu Family Mansion upon his return instead of engaging in... cultivation like this.

“Mmm, I understand,”

Lu Changsheng replied, his voice somewhat muffled.

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After some time of cultivation, achieving harmony between yin and yang, Lu Changsheng felt refreshed and invigorated.

Then, he and Lu Miaoge straightened their clothes, walked out of Mount Sumeru Cave Heaven, and made their way to the Lu Family Mansion.

Aside from Lu Miaoge, Lu Miaoyun, and Ling Zixiao, no one else knew of his trip.

Everyone believed he had been in closed-door cultivation at home.

That was exactly what Lu Changsheng had intended.

He did not want anyone to suspect that he had gone to the Purple Shadow Secret Realm during his time away.

Upon arriving at the mansion, Lu Changsheng routinely inquired about his wives, concubines, and children before hosting a family banquet to stir up a bit of excitement.

Qu Zhenzhen saw her son, Lu Quanzhen, return and asked him what he had been doing these days.

Lu Quanzhen had already prepared a reason, saying that he had been busy on White Tiger Mountain.

Although the affairs of White Tiger Mountain had been handed over to Lu Qingsong.

Qu Zhenzhen, who generally wasn't concerned with household affairs, didn't question his explanation further, only telling him to take good care of himself and be cautious when away from home.

After the lively home events, Lu Changsheng received the Ancient Beast Taming Charm from Lu Miaoyun.

He then took out an Elder Ancestor of the Xu Family's false core and asked aloud, "Hong Lian, can an inner core like this still be used?"

As he wanted Hong Lian to guide the cultivation of his children,

Lu Changsheng usually entrusted Lu Miaoyun with handling the Ancient Beast Taming Charm.

Lu Miaoyun only knew it contained a senior expert's presence, not much else.

"Master, this demon core has been condensed into a false core, mixing demonic power with mana, and it can no longer be used for Core Formation,"

"Unless cultivated using the same cultivation method as this person, there's only a twenty to thirty percent chance of condensing a false core,"

Hong Lian replied.

"As I thought,"

Lu Changsheng nodded.

He too had sensed that the inner core's energy was mixed and chaotic.

Not to mention Core Formation, even using it for alchemy could easily lead to problems.

“Since that’s the case, does this kind of inner core serve any other purpose?”

Lu Changsheng continued to inquire.

“A core like this can be used to craft Thunderstorm Pearls, which are quite powerful,”

“Otherwise, it can be used to feed demon beasts...”

Hong Lian explained the uses of this type of inner core.

“Thunderstorm Pearls?”

Lu Changsheng raised an eyebrow, immediately thinking of the Heavenly Thunder Pearl.

“That’s right.”

Hong Lian explained to Lu Changsheng about such Thunderstorm Pearls, which operate on a principle similar to that of the Heavenly Thunder Pearl.

Just by adding some materials, and through special methods, the inner core is brought to the brink of explosion,

When utilized against an enemy, it could trigger the energy within the inner core to cause an explosion and injure others.

“Should this inner core belong to the lightning attribute then? Can the Nine Netherhound and Six-Winged Golden Silkworm consume it for refinement?”

Lu Changsheng continued to inquire.

If it could be used to feed demon beasts, he would definitely choose to nourish demon beasts rather than craft any Thunderstorm Pearls.

“Master, have you forgotten? The talisman can extract energy from the demon core and transform it into spiritual liquid...”

Hong Lian’s voice was light and graceful, very captivating.

“Heh, I had indeed forgotten about that for a moment. Since that’s the case, you take this inner core,”

Lu Changsheng chuckled.

Normally, his Pet Beasts and the Blackwater Dragon Spirit Weapon were left to roam freely,

Which caused him to momentarily forget the effects of the Ancient Beast Taming Charm.

“Mmm.”

Hong Lian responded, causing the Ancient Beast Taming Charm to emit a rosy glow and swallow the inner core.

“By the way, Hong Lian, the Six-Winged Golden Silkworm has very low intelligence, do you have a way to make it recognize a master?”

At that moment, Lu Changsheng thought of his Six-Winged Golden Silkworm, pausing suddenly and asking out loud.

“Recognize a master?”

Hong Lian sounded a bit surprised.

She could tell that the Six-Winged Golden Silkworm had acknowledged Lu Changsheng as its master, but they had not formed a certain contract.

“Indeed, the Six-Winged Golden Silkworm is naturally fierce and brutal, with low intelligence, making it difficult to tame. Apart from me, no one else can control it.”

“So I want it to recognize someone else as its master, do you have a way?”

Lu Changsheng nodded.

Although the Six-Winged Golden Silkworm was impressive, it had limited utility for him.

And now it was of no use at all.

These years, it had been kept in an Ancient Beast Taming Charm. If it hadn't come up in conversation just now, he would have almost forgotten about this pet beast's existence.

Thus, Lu Changsheng thought of giving the Six-Winged Golden Silkworm to his son, Lu Quanzhen.

After all, this son had been so promising and had even given him a Five Elements Fruit before.

As a father, he hadn't yet given him any rare or precious gifts.

In that case, he would give him the Six-Winged Golden Silkworm.

This would provide his son with an additional card up his sleeve when traveling outside.

But the Six-Winged Golden Silkworm was not like the Nine Netherhound.

Even if he made the Six-Winged Golden Silkworm obedient, it could still go out of control in Lu Quanzhen's hands.

“Although this golden silkworm is fierce and low in spiritual intelligence, it's still under the young master's control. If paired with the Ancient Beast Taming Charm, it's worth a try.”

Hong Lian spoke up.

The Ancient Beast Taming Charm not only nourished demon beasts, but it also had an effect on taming them.

And she knew many methods of taming demon beasts.

“Good!”

Lu Changsheng nodded.

He planned to have Lu Quanzhen try to contract this Six-Winged Golden Silkworm once he made a breakthrough in Foundation Establishment.

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Bi Yun Peak.

In a small courtyard.

“Quanzhen, just focus on cultivating peacefully at home during this time.”

“If you’re about to hit Foundation Establishment or if there’s anything else, come directly to me.”

Lu Changsheng told his son Lu Quanzhen.

“Yes, father.”

Lu Quanzhen nodded in response.

“Hmm.”

After giving instructions, Lu Changsheng then went to the Puppet Workshop, found his other son Lu Ping'an who was watching puppet crafting, and said, "Ping'an, come with me."

"Dad."

Lu Ping'an immediately nodded in response and followed Lu Changsheng to a small courtyard.

"Once the Hundred Refinements Treasure Body Art breaks through the fifth layer, you can further refine your skull, rib bones, spine, limbs to gain certain abilities, just like your current 'Mountain Opener'..."

"So, if you are comfortable using this magical treasure's effect, you can choose to base your cultivation on this treasure's effect..."

Lu Changsheng began guiding his son on the subsequent elements of Hundred Refinements Treasure Body Art and the aspects of technique and magical powers.

After teaching the cultivation method, he gave Elder Ancestor of the Xu Family's 'Thunderstorm Ring' and the damaged halberd they had obtained with Li Feiyu at the tungsten mine to Lu Ping'an for condensing into his body.

"Ah, two magical treasures..."

Lu Ping'an looked stunned as his father suddenly produced two magical treasures for him to integrate into his body for cultivation.

After all, these were magical treasures!

"Just use them if I tell you to, and you can see the effects of the magical treasures for yourself."

That's what Lu Changsheng said.

Then, he handed over a Jade Slip to Lu Ping'an and said, "By the way, about the cultivation methods, what do you think about this 'Black Dragon Codex'?"

Previously, Lu Ping'an had mentioned cultivating the 'Purple True Solar Scripture.'

Asking if he wanted to switch to a more powerful cultivation method.

Hearing this, Lu Changsheng naturally thought it was necessary.

But with so many cultivation methods at home, not many suited Lu Ping'an.

Besides martial path and body refinement, where Lu Ping'an had some talent, he was quite average in other areas.

So, after much consideration, Lu Changsheng thought of the Black Dragon Codex.

Besides, Lu Changsheng had always hoped that one of his children would cultivate the Black Dragon Codex.

If Lu Ping'an could succeed in cultivating this method, he could also take charge of the family's Blackwater Jiaolong Dao Troops in the future.

After all, Bai Ling's personality was truly a bit too frivolous to be in control of the Blackwater Jiaolong Dao Troops.

"Black Dragon Codex?"

Lu Ping'an took the Jade Slip to examine it after hearing his father.

"Yes, this cultivation method involves dual cultivation of magical and physical aspects. Once cultivated to great success, one can transform into a black dragon."

"The only downside is that advancing through realms will affect fertility. Although it doesn't completely prevent progeny, trying to conceive after cultivating it will be many times more difficult than normal."

Lu Changsheng spoke up, saying this.

Chapter 984: Lu Quanzhen Foundation Establishment, Yin Yang Creation Scripture! “With a breakthrough in realm, is it several times more difficult to have children?”

Although Lu Ping’an had not yet started a family, he was rather traditional and felt that he still needed to settle down in the future.

If he settled down, naturally, he would want one or two children.

Preferably one boy and one girl!

However, it was only making extending the line difficult, not impossible. He nodded without saying much.

His mind was immersed in the cultivation technique jade slip, reviewing its contents.

After a long while.

Lu Ping’an roughly understood the Black Dragon Codex.

The purpose of its techniques was to observe the transformations of a true dragon.

During cultivation, one would condense dragon scales, dragon skin, dragon tendons, dragon bones, and dragon blood, ultimately achieving great success by transforming into a black dragon.

Its physical body was formidable, comparable to that of the dragon clan demonic beasts.

It was precisely for this reason that human flesh and bones would undergo dragonification, thus making it difficult to extend the line.

Apart from this drawback, Lu Ping’an was very tempted by the Black Dragon Codex.

Because although this technique involved magical dual cultivation, it was three parts Qi refinement and seven parts body refinement.

He had the foundation of the Hundred Refinements Treasure Body Art, and if he cultivated this technique, he could skip many body-hardening steps and thus progress rapidly.

“If you think it’s suitable, you can try cultivating it. If it doesn’t work, I will think of another way,” Lu Changsheng said.

Qi refinement breaking through to the foundation establishment realm was particularly important!

Naturally, he wanted his son to cultivate a top-level technique.

“Dad, I’ll give it a try,”

Lu Ping’an said solemnly.

But after saying this, he somewhat embarrassedly scratched his head and asked Lu Changsheng, “Dad, there should be elixir medicines and heaven and earth spiritual materials in the cultivation world that can increase fertility, right?”

“Hehe.”

Lu Changsheng was amused by his son’s words and said with a laugh, “Not only are there such elixir medicines and spiritual materials, but there are also secret techniques for this purpose.”

“Do you need them now? If you do, I can teach you.”

Since he had given his son this technique to cultivate, he naturally took this aspect into consideration.

Currently, he had a secret technique, the “Five Aggregates Proliferation Method,” which could increase the likelihood of pregnancy.

If Lu Ping’an was prepared to have children when he had already broken through to core formation and this technique was not sufficient, by then, he would also be able to obtain elixir medicines and heavenly and earthly treasures that could boost fertility, even guaranteeing offspring.

“No need, no need, I was just asking,”

Lu Ping'an quickly waved his hand, dispelling the last few concerns in his heart.

Subsequently, Lu Changsheng taught Lu Ping'an how to cultivate the Black Dragon Codex.

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In the blink of an eye, half a month had passed.

After settling things with his two sons and generally taking care of family affairs, Lu Changsheng found his daughter, Lu Wangshu, and prepared to take her on a trip to the Luoyun Mountain Range.

After all, he had previously promised to take his precious daughter out to play and to visit Xiao Xiyue.

But it had been delayed because of the Purple Shadow Secret Realm.

Now that he had time, he naturally took his daughter out to explore and gain some world experience.

“bui, biu, biu...”

Lu Wangshu was feeding her younger sister, Lu Linghe.

Although this little daughter was only two and a half years old, she was very nimble, ‘ao wu, ao wu,’ she opened her mouth wide to eat chestnuts one by one.

Lu Changsheng saw this scene, immediately went up and knocked a chestnut on his daughter's head, saying irritably, “Lu Wangshu, what do you think you are doing to Xiaohe?”

He and Ling Zixiao had already felt that daughter Lu Linghe was somewhat dull and not very bright.

If Ling Zixiao saw her precious daughter being teased by Lu Wangshu like this, it would probably upset her a lot.

“But Xiaohe clearly looks very happy.”

Lu Wangshu immediately covered her head, huffed, and said discontentedly.

“Da-da, ao wu!”

Lu Linghe saw Lu Changsheng and immediately called out, her chubby cute little face adorable.

“Linghe, come here, daddy will hold you.”

Lu Changsheng picked up his daughter, pinching her chubby tender cheeks.

“Daddy, I want to eat chestnuts.”

Lu Linghe pointed at the chestnuts in Lu Wangshu’s hands and said in a baby voice.

As Lu Changsheng had guessed, Lu Linghe inherited the body refinement talent of the Dragon Roar Physique.

So it was evident now that her body was much better than that of ordinary toddlers.

But it also caused her to eat a lot more than ordinary children, being very gluttonous on a daily basis.

Her brother, Lu Lingxiao, on the other hand, did not have this condition.

“Okay.”

Lu Changsheng took the chestnuts from his daughter Lu Wangshu's hands and gently fed them to his daughter.

But after feeding her a few, he thought of the way Lu Wangshu had been feeding her and found it very amusing, and he couldn't help but try.

He asked his daughter Lu Linghe to stay put while he tossed them into her mouth.

"Ao wu, ao wu!"

Watching his daughter's lively and joyful face, Lu Changsheng couldn't help but smile, finding it very amusing.

But the next moment, he saw not far away, his daughter Lu Wangshu looking at him with a disdainful and contemptuous face.

"cough, cough, Linghe must be tired, here, have some water."

Lu Changsheng coughed softly and handed a cup of water to his daughter.

Then he took out a bottle of Spiritual Dew from his storage ring and offered it to his daughter Lu Wangshu, "Here, Wangshu."

"Hehe, daddy, isn't it fun?"

A smile immediately appeared on Lu Wangshu's face, and she giggled.

"I told you to take more care of Linghe, hoping that you sisters would get along well, not for you to play around."

Lu Changsheng said irritably, "If Aunt Zi Xiao sees, see what she would say to you."

"La la la..."

Lu Wangshu made a funny face.

She used to be quite afraid of Ling Zixiao.

But after spending more time together over the past two years, she found that Ling Zixiao was actually quite gentle.

“I’m now free, and I’m ready to take you to the Luoyun Mountain Range; do you need to prepare anything?”

Lu Changsheng said helplessly shaking his head.

“Ah, so soon?”

Excitement appeared on Lu Wangshu’s face.

Then after pondering for a moment, she said, “Um... it seems there is nothing I need to prepare, daddy, I’m ready to go anytime.”

Chapter 985: Lu Quanzhen Establishes Foundation, Yin Yang Creation Scripture!_2 “Okay, since that’s the case, let’s do it tomorrow.”

Lu Changsheng looked at his daughter, Lu Linghe, in his arms and spoke out.

He then went to find his son, Lu Lingxiao, with his daughter, Lu Linghe, in his arms.

Although this son was twins with Lu Linghe, his personality was entirely different from Lu Linghe’s lively nature.

He was of a quiet disposition, and he found novelty in reading, Alchemy, Talisman Making, puppets, and so on.

And this son wasn’t very fond of Lu Wangshu.

Or rather, he thought this sister was always acting improperly all day long and seemed childish and boring.

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The next day, after mentioning it to Lu Miaoyun and Lu Miaoge, Lu Changsheng took his daughter, Lu Wangshu, and left Bi Lake Mountain.

The Luoyun Mountain Range was at the border of the Qingyun Region and the Luoxia Sect, a considerable distance from Bi Lake Mountain, taking over a month to reach.

However, this trip was meant for leisure, and Lu Changsheng didn't rush the entire journey, allowing Lu Wangshu to wander and enjoy herself along the way.

At this moment, on the shimmering sea surface,

A beautiful young girl around seventeen or eighteen years old, wearing a light pink dress, was holding a fishing rod, seemingly fishing.

"Lu Wangshu, can you tell me how this is any different from fishing at home?"

Lu Changsheng, looking at the daughter who was quietly fishing in front of him, couldn't help but finally speak up.

They were originally on their way.

Suddenly, Lu Wangshu said she felt inspired and that the opportunity for a breakthrough had arrived.

Then the daughter came here to fish in serenity for her breakthrough.

But after fishing for more than an hour without any sign of a breakthrough, Lu Changsheng was getting impatient.

If you're going to have a breakthrough, do it properly. What's with the fishing?

"Shh."

Lu Wangshu put her slender, jade-white finger to her lips, signaling Lu Changsheng to be quiet.

"The fish is hooked!"

A moment later, Lu Wangshu stood up and lifted the fishing rod.

As waves splashed on the glittering sea surface, a carp was caught by Lu Wangshu.

At the same moment, a surge of Spiritual Power spread from within Lu Wangshu, forming a Spiritual Pressure aura that caused the nature's spiritual energy to swirl around.

"Hm?"

Lu Changsheng was startled, looking at his beautiful and enchanting daughter in silence.

Alright, alright, if you want to play, so it is.

Are you really trying to defy your father?

After a moment, a surge of Spiritual Pressure emerged, and Lu Wangshu broke through from the Fifth Level to the Sixth Level Energy Refinement.

"Daddy, cultivation is about cultivating the mind. You need a calm heart, a tranquil spirit, and patience."

Lu Wangshu, wearing her light pink dress and smiling buoyantly, said with an air of a fairy.

"Alright, alright, Fairy Maiden Wangshu, what you say makes sense."

Lu Changsheng was charmed into laughter by his own daughter.

He realized that as long as he was with this daughter, he found it challenging to maintain his composure.

“Goose, goose, goose...”

Seeing her father looking like this, Lu Wangshu immediately let out an unrestrained laugh.

“You stabilize your realm a bit, and we’ll set off later.”

Lu Changsheng said somewhat helplessly.

And so, the two took two months to reach the Luoyun Mountain Range.

At this time, Xiao Xiyue was busy and didn’t have much time.

After a few days, Xiao Xiyue finally managed to squeeze in some time to reunite with the two at a small marketplace nearby.

With Lu Wangshu, this third wheel present, Lu Changsheng got hardly any time to practice the Sun Moon Samsara Technique with Xiao Xiyue.

He planned in his heart that the next time he came to the Luoyun Mountain Range, he would come alone without his daughter.

Since the Luoyun Mountain Range was still in a semi-locked state, Lu Changsheng didn’t mention wanting to go to the mountain’s Secret Realm.

After half a month of reuniting with Xiao Xiyue, he then took his daughter back to Bi Lake Mountain, exploring and enjoying the scenery along the way.

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When Lu Changsheng and Lu Wangshu returned to Bi Lake Mountain, Lu Quanzhen had already started his Foundation Establishment assault.

Although the son breaking through to Foundation Establishment was almost a sure thing,

As a father, Lu Changsheng still watched over him in Mount Sumeru Cave Heaven.

Considering that after his son's Foundation Establishment, he would be traveling out, Lu Changsheng went to the Lu Family Mansion, brought Qu Zhenzhen to Mount Sumeru Cave Heaven, and told her about Lu Quanzhen's Foundation Establishment attempt.

After all, the travels following the son's Foundation Establishment would last at least several years, or perhaps even over a decade.

He couldn't always keep it hidden from his wife.

Besides, Qu Zhenzhen wasn't that naive.

It would be better to tell her directly that their son was very talented, not an ordinary person, and she shouldn't worry too much, but instead, let the child go out.

"Ah, Quanzhen is breaking through to Foundation Establishment!?"

Qu Zhenzhen arrived in Mount Sumeru Cave Heaven, and after hearing Lu Changsheng's words, she looked at Lu Quanzhen, who was attempting Foundation Establishment inside the wooden house, with surprise on her face.

She previously had heard from her daughter, Lu Caizhen, about her son's cultivation level.

She knew that Lu Quanzhen was at the Ninth Level Energy Refinement!

But she hadn't expected her son to attempt Foundation Establishment so soon!

"He didn't even tell me a word about such a big event!"

Qu Zhenzhen's heart was initially filled with joy but felt slightly aggrieved.

She felt that the son should have told her, the mother, about the significant event of Foundation Establishment.

Just like when her son achieved the Ninth Level Energy Refinement, if it weren't for her daughter Lu Caizhen telling her, she would have been unaware.

"Husband, how certain is Quanzhen's breakthrough in Foundation Establishment? Is there a possibility of failure? Is failure very dangerous?"

Qu Zhenzhen then began to worry about her son's situation and asked for details.

Although there were already several who achieved Foundation Establishment in the Lu Family,

she had always thought Foundation Establishment to be very grand and prestigious and believed that attempting it was extremely difficult and fraught with danger!

"Hehe, don't worry, Quanzhen's attempt at Foundation Establishment is very likely to be successful, and there won't be any accidents."

Lu Changsheng chuckled lightly and spoke.

Then he embraced his beloved wife, sat down beside her, and softly said, "Zhenzhen, actually, Quanzhen is very outstanding, far more so than we imagined."

"Husband..."

Qu Zhenzhen paused, pursed her lips slightly, lifted her head gracefully, and looking at Lu Changsheng, she spoke softly, "I know Quanzhen is outstanding."

Chapter 986: Lu Quanzhen's Foundation Establishment, Yin Yang Creation Scripture!_3 "He has always been decisive since he was a child, studied diligently, and could do everything well; I didn't have to worry as a mother."

“I know he has always aspired to explore the outside world, wanting to achieve success in cultivation, but I just... I just worry that Quanzhen might encounter some danger...”

Qu Zhenzhen snuggled in Lu Changsheng’s arms, her beautiful eyes slightly reddened.

She was simple-hearted, but that didn’t mean she was naive.

As a mother, how could she possibly be completely unaware of her son’s various circumstances?

Even if she couldn’t discern much, chatting with her children, Lu Miaoyun, and Ling Zixiao usually, she knew her son’s situation.

Her past experiences had made her wish only for her children’s safety, without the desire for them to achieve great success.

Therefore, she was very concerned that one day her son might encounter dangers outside, disappear without a trace like her brother.

“Sigh.”

Lu Changsheng let out a sigh, his fingers interlocked with his wife’s tender palms, his chin resting on her silky hair, and he spoke, “Home is good, but it’s not the life that Quanzhen wants.”

“A pond can’t raise a flood dragon. Since Quanzhen has such aspirations, we as parents should support him.”

“After all, I believe that Quanzhen will be able to carve out his own place in the cultivation world, and I am here to support him.”

Lu Changsheng comforted his wife in a warm voice.

“Um...”

Qu Zhenzhen cuddled in Lu Changsheng's arms, softly responding without saying anything further.

She had long known that her husband and her son Lu Quanzhen were on the same side, keeping things from her.

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Half a month later.

Lu Changsheng suddenly felt a surge of rich mana entering his body, turning into droplets of liquid mana within his Qi Ocean Core.

This mana propelled his cultivation to the peak of the Seventh Level, and it wouldn't take long before he could attempt to reach the Eighth Layer of Foundation Establishment!

At the same time, the system notification arrived as expected!

[Congratulations to the host for the first offspring's breakthrough to the Foundation Establishment Stage. Bloodline Effect: Spiritual Body Inheritance Rate increased by 1%, and one advanced lottery chance awarded!]

"He's made the breakthrough!"

Lu Changsheng's body shook with excitement, knowing that his son Lu Quanzhen had achieved his Foundation Establishment!

The first second-generation Foundation Establishment of the Lu Family had been born!

What surprised him the most was not only the advanced lottery obtained from his son's breakthrough...

But also a Bloodline Effect that increased the Spiritual Body Inheritance Rate!

Although it was only one percent,

That was a Spiritual Body!

Moreover, as more and more children achieved Foundation Establishment, this Bloodline Effect could be stacked and increased!

“The Spiritual Body Inheritance Rate... I already possess multiple Spiritual Bodies, naturally bringing a certain inheritance rate.”

“With this effect of increased inheritance rate, if those children’s mother also possesses a Spiritual Body, wouldn’t it mean there’s a high probability for our children to have Spiritual Bodies?”

Lu Changsheng was thrilled at the thought.

After all, Middle Grade Spiritual Roots, even Top Grade Spiritual Roots, were no longer significant.

Having both a Spiritual Root and a Spiritual Body was the true path to power!

“System, start the lottery!”

Seeing that his son still needed time to consolidate his Cultivation, and would not be able to appear for a while, Lu Changsheng silently prepared to have a draw.

The advanced lottery wheel emerged.

“I hope it’s something good this time, not the ‘Brahman Demon True Saint Technique’ kind of trash!”

Lu Changsheng inhaled deeply, muttering to himself.

The Brahman Demon True Saint Technique from last time was potent, but useless to him, causing much frustration.

He hoped that with the previous letdown as a cushion, this lottery would be more generous.

The lottery wheel started spinning!

Under Lu Changsheng's watchful eye, the golden light finally stopped on the 'Cultivation Technique Classics' reward category.

"Huh? Another technique?"

Lu Changsheng's heart skipped a beat.

Then, a Jade Scroll icon emerged from the lottery wheel along with a system notification.

[Ding! Congratulations to the host for acquiring the "Yin Yang Creation Classic" Technique!]

[Reward has been delivered to the System Space, the host can check at any time.]

"Yin Yang Creation Classic? Does this name seem like it might be a dual cultivation technique?"

Upon seeing the name of the technique, and recalling the Yin Yang Harmony Technique he obtained before, Lu Changsheng's mood suddenly became heavier.

If it was a supplemental dual cultivation technique, wouldn't he have wasted another advanced lottery attempt?

He immediately looked toward the System Space.

[Cultivation Technique: Yin Yang Creation Classic]

[Grade: True Immortal Level]

[Description: A Legacy Technique from the Yin Yang Immortal Palace. Its cultivation requirements are extremely strict, and one must be guided by the Yin Yang Energies to cultivate it. Upon successful cultivation, it can differentiate Yin from Yang, create all things, and invert the universe.]

“Hmm? It seems it’s not a Dual Cultivation Technique but rather an Ultimate Technique rooted in the Yin Yang Great Path?”

Lu Changsheng pondered as he read the description of the technique, a frown forming on his brow.

Seeing that the cultivation conditions were extremely strict and required the guidance of the Yin Yang Energies, his brows couldn’t help but furrow.

The “Brahman Demon True Saint Technique” he had obtained before was just like this—a heap of strict conditions that made the techniques something one could only look at but not cultivate.

“System, inheritance!”

Lu Changsheng didn’t indulge in wild and fanciful thoughts and used the technique.

Immediately, the method of cultivating the Yin Yang Creation Classic and its related content poured into Lu Changsheng’s mind like a stream of ambrosia.

Lu Changsheng closed his eyes and immersed his Mental Spirit, quietly contemplating the True Immortal Level Technique in his mind.

Such a mysterious technique, despite its System-inherited introduction, still required a long time to digest.

“As expected of a True Immortal Level Technique, indeed they are all out of the ordinary, far beyond what Orthodox Level Techniques can compare to.”

After a long while, Lu Changsheng, as if awakening from a dream, opened his eyes and muttered to himself.

As a True Immortal Level Technique, this Yin Yang Creation Classic, like the Brahman Demon True Saint Technique, belonged to a type of technique that could be cultivated up to ascension to immortality!

And this technique was also not some Dual Cultivation Absorption Technique.

As he had guessed, it was an Ultimate Technique based on the Yin and Yang!

Even without starting cultivation, merely relying on the content passed down by the System, Lu Changsheng knew that this technique far surpassed his current Seven Luminaries Great Freedom Sword Scripture.

Supernatural Techniques!

Mana foundations!

The intent behind the cultivation technique!

All overwhelmingly surpass Orthodox Level Techniques!

He even felt that the Yin Yang Creation Classic was much more profound and esoteric than the Brahman Demon True Saint Technique he had obtained before.

“Yin and Yang nurturing, dominating all methods, this Yin Yang Creation Classic seems quite suitable for me?”

Lu Changsheng quietly contemplated the Yin Yang Creation Classic in his mind.

Though the Yin Yang Creation Classic was not a technique primarily focused on Dual Cultivation.

But as a technique based on the Yin Yang Great Path that encompasses all things, it still contains many aspects of the path of Yin and Yang Dual Cultivation.

It could be called extremely suitable for someone like him who has Dao Companions, and multiple Dao Companions at that!

Moreover, Lu Changsheng noticed another effect in the technique—dominating all methods!

It allowed one to cultivate many Techniques or cultivate different methods, maintaining balance, and even utilizing treasures of the void to transform one's own cultivated Mana into corresponding Demonic or Demon Race Techniques.

Lu Changsheng realized that if he managed to cultivate this Yin Yang Creation Classic, he wouldn't need to perform Buddhist and Demonic Dual Cultivation in the future and could directly cultivate the Brahman Demon True Saint Technique!

In addition, Lu Changsheng even saw hope in addressing Ling Zixiao's and his daughter Lu Linghe's Dragon Roar Physique!

Regarding this technique, Lu Changsheng became more and more enthused as he read, feeling that it was very suitable for himself!

"However, to cultivate this technique, it's necessary to be guided by the Yin Yang Qi..."

Lu Changsheng took a deep breath and looked at his Yin Yang Five Elements Foundation Base.

The base was as exquisite as a jade disc, with radiant and bright halos showcasing the colors of the Five Elements.

Surrounding the disc, a small Yin Yang fish swam around in loops.

"According to the 'Yin Yang Creation Classic' records, this Yin Yang Qi is caught by Great Spiritual Adepts during the transition of Yin and Yang in the world, extracting the Origin Source, and after all kinds of sacrifices, a wisp can finally be formed."

"Other than this method, there is also one type of Taoist Body named 'Yin Yang Taoist Body,' which has the Yin Yang Qi since birth."

"But both of these are unrealistic for me, unattainable. Theoretically, the Yin Yang Energies of my Dao Foundation also count as Yin Yang Qi; I wonder if they might meet the requirements..."

Lu Changsheng felt that the Yin Yang Creation Classic was highly suitable for himself.

But such a technique wasn't something one could cultivate just because one wanted to!

Techniques like the Seven Luminaries Great Freedom Sword Scripture, Hundred Refinements Treasure Body Art, Ninety-Nine Mystical Talisman Scripture, etc., only required Comprehension.

The requirements regarding Talent were general.

Whereas the Brahman Demon True Saint Technique and this Yin Yang Creation Classic not only had extremely high demands on Comprehension.

But also had strict requirements on Talent, external factors, and more!

"It's still Yin Yang Energies; it's worth a try. If I can cultivate this Yin Yang Creation Classic, it will be of tremendous benefit to me and I will no longer have to worry about Techniques in the future!"

Lu Changsheng took a deep breath and decided to try switching to this technique later.

Though his current Technique switching greatly delayed his cultivation and wasted time.

It would also affect the Taiyi Dao Seed in Lu Miaoge's Dantian, impacting Lu Miaoge's practice.

But in Lu Changsheng's view, as long as he could cultivate the Yin Yang Creation Classic, it was all worth it!

Chapter 987: Switching Cultivation Technique, Refining Foundation Establishment Elixir Again!
Mount Sumeru Cave Heaven.

Inside a wooden hut.

"Is this Foundation Establishment?"

Lu Quanzhen sat cross-legged, his eyes suddenly opened wide, gleaming with black and golden luster.

Behind him, an astonishing phenomenon emerged—a boundless ocean with a Kunpeng shifting between fish and bird, vague and revealing a terrifying and domineering aura.

After a long time, the phenomenon faded, and Lu Quanzhen stood up, his eyes bright and piercing.

From Qi Refinement to Foundation Establishment, he was like a great fish leaping out of the sea, transforming into a Peng bird and soaring into the sky!

Although the Foundation Establishment Stage was just the beginning of Cultivation, he had a long journey ahead of him.

But he believed that one day, he would soar ninety thousand miles just like a Kunpeng!

Knowing that his father was waiting outside, Lu Quanzhen did not revel in his experience. He walked out of the hut and greeted Lu Changsheng with clasped hands, “Father.”

“Well done, my son Quanzhen, you indeed have the makings of a True Immortal!”

Lu Changsheng watched his son, who had just succeeded in breaking through to Foundation Establishment, yet remained calm and composed, and a smile spread across his face.

At this moment, Lu Quanzhen had just broken through, and his mana aura was not yet fully controlled. He could sense the terrifying, domineering aura within his son’s body.

This intense and terrifying aura contrasted starkly with Lu Quanzhen’s refined and elegant demeanor!

He took out a bottle of Elixir Medicines from his storage ring and tossed it to his son.

“This pill is called the Purple Mansion Elixir. It purifies the soul, clears the physical body, and strengthens the divine sense and physique. It is a gift from your father.”

“Purple Mansion Elixir? Strengthen the divine sense?”

Lu Quanzhen caught the Elixir.

Divine sense was very important for a cultivator.

Whether in cultivation, fighting techniques, or other aspects, divine sense could play a significant role!

Therefore, he knew that this bottle of Elixir Medicine his father gave him was no ordinary item.

“Thank you, Father!”

Lu Quanzhen slightly bowed.

“Once you have refined the Purple Mansion Elixir, your father has other gifts for you.”

Lu Changsheng said, smiling.

He then patted his son on the shoulder, “Let’s go, although we won’t announce your Foundation Establishment publicly, we should still inform your mother.”

Lu Changsheng had no plans to publicize his son’s Foundation Establishment.

On one hand, his son was low-key and disliked fanfare.

On the other hand, it was to avoid unnecessary trouble.

After all, Lu Quanzhen was only thirty-three years old.

At this age, achieving Foundation Establishment was considered genius even among Immortal Sects!

Placed within the family forces like at Bihu Lake Mountain, it was extremely astonishing.

Bihu Lake Mountain had already been under the spotlight these years, so it was better to keep a low profile, benefitting both the family and Lu Quanzhen.

“Okay.”

Lu Quanzhen nodded.

He then went with Lu Changsheng to pay respects to his mother.

Qu Zhenzhen was very happy to learn of her son’s breakthrough to Foundation Establishment and even thought about organizing a Foundation Establishment ceremony.

However, Lu Changsheng suggested postponing it and keeping the celebration simple within the family.

He also advised Qu Zhenzhen not to spread the news of Lu Quanzhen’s Foundation Establishment.

Aside from Lu Miaoyun and others, the other concubines should not be told.

As for early wives and concubines like Lu Miaoge, Lu Miaoyun, and Qu Zhenzhen, Lu Changsheng trusted them greatly.

However, he could not fully trust the family direct daughters who married into the family later.

It wasn’t that they had ill intentions toward Bihu Lake Mountain, but they might spread some news about Bihu Lake Mountain back to their homes and to the outside world.

“Okay.”

Qu Zhenzhen understood this principle and did not mind too much about the Foundation Establishment ceremony, her face full of joy.

After all, her son had become a Foundation Establishment Great Cultivator!

He was the first among the second generation of the Lu Family to achieve Foundation Establishment, marking a moment worth commemorating!

Even though she was never competitive, at this moment, she could not help but feel overwhelmingly happy and proud.

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Night fell.

Lu Changsheng arranged a family banquet.

Lu Miaoge, Lu Miaohuan, Lu Miaoyun, Lu Yun, Lu Wangshu, Lu Caizhen, and other wives and children attended to celebrate Lu Quanzhen's Foundation Establishment.

After the simple celebration, Lu Changsheng thought of the Myriad Spirits Bottle that had gathered another drop of Myriad Spirits Heaven Dew.

He gave this drop of Myriad Spirits Heaven Dew to Qu Zhenzhen's Auspicious Tree, aiding her in her breakthrough to Foundation Establishment!

Regarding the matter of Myriad Spirits Heaven Dew, Lu Changsheng did not conceal it from his son, Lu Quanzhen.

He directly told him about this treasure and expressed that in the future, if he encountered any Rare Spiritual Medicine or seeds of worldly treasures outside, he must not miss them and should bring them back home!

Following that, Lu Changsheng had Ling Zixiao and Mount Sumeru conceal the movements and actions while pouring the Myriad Spirits Heaven Dew onto the Auspicious Tree.

With Lu Miaoyun's precedent, he was not overly concerned this time.

Lu Quanzhen watched for a while, and seeing nothing amiss, he excused himself to return to his own dwelling for closed-door cultivation to consolidate his realm.

He had just broken through today and hadn't had the chance to familiarize himself or master his new powers.

Moreover, after his breakthrough to Foundation Establishment, he could comprehend the subsequent techniques of the "Five Elements Kunpeng Technique," the "Yin Yang Five Elements Kunpeng Technique," and he did not want to waste time.

Lu Changsheng, preoccupied with his "Yin Yang Creation Classic," did not wait by his son's side.

He let Lu Miaoyun watch over Qu Zhenzhen and returned to Changsheng Hall himself to attempt to cultivate this technique.

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In Changsheng Hall, inside the Cave Mansion.

Lu Changsheng sat solemnly, wrapped in an aura of dignity and tranquility.

Yin Yang Energies wrapped around him, setting him apart remarkably, resembling a Banished Immortal, sacred and serene, shrouded in a profound aura.

After a long time, the Yin Yang Energies slowly dissipated, and Lu Changsheng slowly opened his eyes.

He had just used the Yin Yang Energies from his Yin Yang Five Elements Foundation Base to attempt to cultivate the Yin Yang Creation Classic.

The good news was, Yin Yang Energies belonged to the Yin Yang Qi!

Additionally, his Yin Yang Five Elements Foundation Base was highly compatible with this Yin Yang Creation Classic!

The bad news was, although the Yin Yang Energies belonged to Yin Yang Qi, there was a significant gap between the two.

Chapter 988: Switching Cultivation Technique, Refining Another Foundation Establishment Elixir!
_2 Thinking of relying on the Yin Yang energies of the Dao Foundation to transform and cultivate the “Yin Yang Creation Classic” was exceedingly arduous.

“If I could gather seven or eight Yin Yang attribute Spirit Body Origins to supplement my Yin Yang energies, maybe I could meet the standard of this Yin Yang Qi.”

Lu Changsheng reflected on his Dao Foundation’s characteristics.

Yin Yang energies could grow by absorbing Spirit Body Origins.

However, Spirit Bodies were already rare to come by.

Spirit Bodies with Yin Yang attributes were even rarer.

What’s more, they needed to be from Female Cultivators who would provide their Spirit Body Origins to him!

“Although my Yin Yang energies are somewhat weak, they can regenerate continuously...”

“Theoretically, as long as I meticulously consume Yin Yang energies to transform my entire body’s mana into Yin Yang Magic Power through persistence, I would slowly refine this ‘Yin Yang Creation Classic.’”

Lu Changsheng pondered silently within his heart.

Since the quality was insufficient, he would compensate with quantity!

Once his Yin Yang energies were depleted, they could mostly recover after about ten to fifteen days.

Furthermore, he could also transfer these Yin Yang energies through Dual Cultivation into Lu Miaoge or Ling Zi Xiao’s body to nurture and strengthen them.

Thus, as long as he was willing to spend the time and deal with the inconvenience, he could still cultivate this scripture.

“Although this process is very troublesome and will delay my cultivation for a long time,”

“once I successfully switch to cultivating this, I will essentially establish an unrivaled immortal foundation, and I won’t have to worry about foundational issues as I progress toward becoming an Immortal!”

“And switching cultivation techniques is better done sooner rather than later, even if I don’t switch to cultivating the ‘Yin Yang Creation Classic’ now, I will have to consider it in the future...”

After taking a deep breath, Lu Changsheng exhaled slowly.

Although he could initially practice the Seven Luminaries Great Freedom Sword Scripture.

Wait until Core Formation, Nascent Soul, and even Divinity Transformation to consider switching cultivation techniques once the conditions permit.

But switching at that time not only affects the foundation, makes the effort doubly hard, but it’s also very troublesome!

Thus, switching cultivation techniques should be done as early as possible!

Moreover, the “Yin Yang Creation Classic” is truly suitable for him!

Lu Changsheng felt that it would be difficult to come across another scripture so suited for him in the future!

Even if he did, who knows what stringent conditions the techniques might have and whether he could cultivate them.

“Let’s cultivate it! It’s just a bit more troublesome and time-consuming!”

“After all, not long from now, Qing Shan and Ping’an will also gradually reach Foundation Establishment, and I don’t need to spend time on my cultivation, I just need to peaceably switch to cultivating this technique!”

Lu Changsheng made up his mind and stepped out of the Cave Mansion.

Due to the influence of Tai Yi Life Water Technique, his fate was closely linked to Lu Miaoge.

His switch to cultivating this technique would inevitably affect Lu Miaoge’s cultivation!

Moreover, during the process of switching, he would need Lu Miaoge’s assistance.

Thus, he naturally had to inform Lu Miaoge about this matter and discuss it together.

However, theoretically, once he switched his cultivation to the “Yin Yang Creation Classic,” the Taiyi Dao Seed within Lu Miaoge would also reach a higher level, bringing many benefits.

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“Switching cultivation techniques?”

When Lu Miaoge heard what Lu Changsheng said, she was quite surprised.

For a cultivator, the significance of a cultivation technique was naturally indubitable.

Under suitable conditions, all cultivators would determine their main cultivation techniques before Foundation Establishment or Core Formation!

She knew the cultivation technique practiced by Lu Changsheng was called the Seven Luminaries Sword Scripture, a top-level technique, extraordinary.

Now, in good conditions, Lu Changsheng was talking about switching cultivation techniques?

However, she knew Lu Changsheng understood more about this aspect than herself and did not ask for reasons.

“Alright, there’s nothing going on at home right now, Changsheng, if you want to switch cultivation techniques, just focus on that.”

“I won’t be affected or delayed here; I just happen to have time to stay at home and look after things.”

Lu Miaoge, whose beautiful face was pure and refined, spoke gently.

She had switched cultivation techniques twice during the Qi Refinement Realm.

She knew that the higher the realm, the more troublesome switching cultivation techniques became.

Additionally, halfway through transforming the mana during the switch, it would impact the combat capabilities.

“Alright.”

Seeing his wife’s gentle and considerate support, Lu Changsheng smiled.

Immediately thereafter, he explained his situation, stating that his cultivation technique was quite troublesome, requiring Yin Yang energies as the catalyst.

So, for a long time coming, he would be unable to use Yin Yang energies to nurture Lu Miaoge’s Dao Foundation and Dao Seed. She would also need to nourish the Yin Yang energies with the Universal Mother Qi.

For these, Lu Miaoge naturally had no issues or concerns and fully supported Lu Changsheng.

After discussing the matter of switching cultivation techniques with his wife and sharing a tender moment, Lu Changsheng also started to do something important, preparing to make pills.

Refining the Foundation Establishment Elixir!

Because the Family had collected auxiliary materials for the Foundation Establishment Pills early on.

Now that they had the main medicine, the Heavenly Spirit Fruit, it was just right to start a batch of Foundation Establishment Elixirs.

With this batch of Foundation Establishment Elixirs, Lu Changsheng could enable Xia Zhizue and Li Xingruo to achieve Foundation Establishment.

Both women, one having a Spirit Nurturing Physique and the other being a Second-Order Alchemist.

If they achieved breakthroughs in Foundation Establishment, it would bring tremendous benefits to the Family.

Especially Xia Zhizue, who had given birth to four children, three with Middle Grade Spiritual Roots and one with a High Grade Spiritual Root!

If she achieved Foundation Establishment, the effect of the Spirit Nurturing Physique might further improve!

Lu Changsheng came out of the Cave Heaven and arrived at Lu Family Mansion, learning that his wife Qu Zhenzhen had not managed to breakthrough Foundation Establishment and was still somewhat short.

Regarding this, Lu Changsheng wasn't overly concerned.

Previously, Lu Miaoyun successfully practiced the Heavenly Longevity Technique, directly breaking through to the Ninth Level Energy Refinement.

Qu Zhenzhen practiced the Heavenly Longevity Technique, only breaking through to the Eighth Level Energy Refinement.

Moreover, Lu Miaoyun had been cultivating with the Luminous Treasure Tree for over ten years, having a certain foundation, which is why a single drop of Myriad Spirits Heaven Dew achieved Foundation Establishment.

It was normal for Qu Zhenzhen, who had only recently completed the Heavenly Longevity Technique, not to breakthrough Foundation Establishment.

Chapter 989: Switching Cultivation Technique, Refining Another Foundation Establishment Elixir!
_3 After consoling his delicate wife, Lu Changsheng then went to Lake Heart Island to begin alchemy.

At the same time.

Within a closed-door cultivation chamber.

“The effect of this Purple Mansion Elixir...”

Lu Quanzhen opened his eyes and let out a long breath, his eyes filled with shock.

He knew that the bottle of Purple Mansion Elixir his father gave him was extraordinary.

But he hadn’t expected its effect to be so astounding!

If it weren’t for his physical body and soul being different from ordinary people, along with the Soul Nurturing Jade, he would feel somewhat unable to withstand this medicine’s power.

However, under the scorching power of the Purple Mansion Elixir, both his physical body and soul had significantly improved.

Especially his Divine Sense!

He found that his Divine Sense had almost doubled!

Such an improvement could truly be called terrifying!

He knew that the bottle of Purple Mansion Elixir had a total of ten pills, and he had only taken one!

“Sigh...”

Lu Quanzhen thought of the Dragon Scale Fruit, Five Elements Fruit, and Heaven-replenishing Elixir that his uncle had given him.

Now that he had just made a breakthrough in Foundation Establishment, his father had given him such precious elixir medicines.

He felt that his own efforts were simply nothing in front of these treasures.

However, he was not an old-fashioned man and wouldn't feel like he was being wasteful or squandering heavenly resources.

Instead, he would work even harder, to prove that he was worthy of these gifts and not let down his uncle and father's expectations!

After his condition inside had more or less stabilized, Lu Quanzhen took another Purple Mansion Elixir and began refinement!

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One month later.

The simple and spacious alchemy room.

“Whooooosh...”

Lu Changsheng watched the Ziyun Dan Furnace in front of him with focused concentration, his hands continuously performing Gesture Incantations to control the Earth Fire.

Next to him, the clear and elegant Li Xingruo, wearing a light yellow dress, watched Lu Changsheng refine pills, her eyes filled with intense focus.

Even just observing the process of making Foundation Establishment Elixirs was enormously helpful to her, and she gained a lot from it.

Time ticked away, and it was unknown how long had passed.

Li Xingruo saw the Spiritual Mechanism lingering within the pill furnace and threads of fragrant aroma wafting about. She immediately held her breath and focused, looking towards Lu Changsheng.

She saw Lu Changsheng's hands continuously performing Gesture Incantations, sending one spell after another into the pill furnace, then he loudly declared, "Open!"

"Buzz!"

Instantly, the lid of the furnace forcefully opened, a burst of heat surged forth, and a brilliant glow spread all around.

"How is the pill formation?"

Li Xingruo looked towards the pill furnace, her face showing a bit of nervousness.

Although she knew Lu Changsheng's alchemy skills were high, being a Second-tier Top Level Alchemist,

for rare elixir medicines like Foundation Establishment Elixirs, aside from the Four Great Immortal Sects, Danxia Mountain, or the alchemists seated in the Three Great Immortal Cities, hardly anyone could become familiar with the process.

"Collect."

Lu Changsheng drew three Foundation Establishment Elixirs from the mist of heat into his hand.

“Hehe, not bad, this time there are two top-grade and one top-quality one.”

Looking at the three Foundation Establishment Elixirs in his palm, shiny and full, moist and fragrant, Lu Changsheng said cheerfully.

“Three pills formed, and what’s more, two top-grade Foundation Establishment Elixirs and one top-quality one!”

Li Xingruo, who was beside him, cried out in amazement, her clear beautiful eyes sparkling with admiration and adoration.

As a Second-Order Alchemist, she was well aware of how significant it was to have three pills formed, including two top-grade Foundation Establishment Elixirs and one top-quality one.

Perhaps even the alchemists of the Four Great Immortal Sects couldn’t guarantee to refine Foundation Establishment Elixirs to such an extent!

“Xingruo, keep this Foundation Establishment Elixir for yourself, and focus on Foundation Establishment in the coming time, striving to make a breakthrough as soon as possible.”

Lu Changsheng handed a top-grade Foundation Establishment Elixir to Li Xingruo.

She had long had the cultivation level of Ninth Level Energy Refinement.

But without a Foundation Establishment Elixir, she did not dare attempt Foundation Establishment.

After all, Foundation Establishment was a risky business.

It wasn’t a guaranteed success just because one had the elixir.

Therefore, some people, even if they had the means, wouldn’t take the risk.

“My husband...”

Li Xingruo was startled, filled with emotion.

Although she guessed that Lu Changsheng would give her a Foundation Establishment Elixir, she still couldn't quite believe it when she saw the pill before her.

“Keep it, no need to be courteous with your husband.”

Lu Changsheng smiled and then inquired if she had any confusion or misunderstanding about the alchemy process she had just observed.

Previously, Lu Changsheng dared to split his focus and make talismans during the alchemy process, refining pills while guiding Li Xingruo.

But Foundation Establishment Elixir was difficult to refine, and he couldn't dare to distract himself too much, fearing that he would ruin the precious process.

“My husband...”

Li Xingruo promptly spoke up, expressing the doubts and questions she had while observing the alchemy process, which Lu Changsheng answered one by one.

After resolving Li Xingruo's questions, Lu Changsheng went to the Lu Family Mansion to hand a Foundation Establishment Elixir to Xia Zhiyue.

He encouraged her to cultivate well in the coming time and establish her foundation as soon as possible.

“My husband...”

Xia Zhiyue looked at the Foundation Establishment Elixir, feeling as if she were in a dream.

It was known that her brother, with a Fourth Grade Spiritual Root, was a Qingyun Sect disciple who had already cultivated to the Ninth Level Energy Refinement.

But for many years, he had been striving for a Foundation Establishment Elixir.

To this date, he hadn't even gathered enough contribution points for one.

And she, having married Lu Changsheng as a concubine, had done nothing but bear four children for Lu Changsheng in these thirty years, aside from learning a textile skill to make vestment robes for the family's children, barely making any contributions.

But now, Lu Changsheng was actually giving such an invaluable Foundation Establishment Elixir to her, so she could attempt Foundation Establishment!

“Practice well and strive for an early foundation establishment.”

Lu Changsheng gently stroked her hair and spoke softly.

His early years of affection for Xia Zhiyue were simply due to his desire for her body.

But after so many years of being together, their feelings had deepened, and with four children, their bond had grown strong.

Moreover, throughout the thirty years, except for the occasional allowance that Xia Zhiyue would send her brother, Xia Zhaoyang, there had been no other issues.

And Xia Zhaoyang, this younger brother-in-law was quite good too, he hadn't caused any trouble, and had even helped look after the Qingyun Sect children. Lu Changsheng didn't mind these small acts.

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_4 Therefore, he had previously asked Lu Miaoyun to support Xia Zhiyue with three thousand Spirit Stones and send them to her brother-in-law to help with his Foundation Establishment.

“Thank you, husband.”

Xia Zhiyue's eyes reddened with gratitude.

Facing this situation, Lu Changsheng naturally knew what to do and offered her consoling words, hoping to repay the kindness like a spring that never runs dry.

Afterwards, they went to check on the condition of their children,

especially their son Lu Xingchen.

This son had a Third-Grade Spirit Root,

but Lu Changsheng did not let him test for the Spiritual Root, instead announcing it to be a Fifth-Grade Spirit Root.

Because over the years, Bi Lake Mountain had developed by attracting many Guest Elders and Apprentices.

It was certain that among these people, some were spies from other family forces.

Therefore, when it came to his children at home, he always tried to cover things up as much as possible to avoid drawing attention.

“Tsk, tsk, tsk, sell this ordinary Foundation Establishment Elixir to Qingzhu Mountain,”

Lu Changsheng looked at the Top-grade Foundation Establishment Elixir in his hand, planning to give this one to his son Lu Ping’an, while selling the one he previously had to Qingzhu Mountain.

After all, being a little biased as both a husband and a father is quite normal, isn’t it?

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Beast Taming Xu Family.

Within the resplendent great hall,

“Lu Qingshan, disciple of Tian Yuan True Immortal of Jinyang Sect, from Qingzhu Mountain, son of Lu Changsheng from Bi Lake Mountain....”

An elder dressed in a purple and green brocade robe, tall and imposing, with a dignified face and the appearance of a young man with white hair, was looking at a piece of information in his hand.

He looked at the middle-aged man below him and spoke with an imposing voice that didn't sound angry yet exuded authority, “Is this Lu Changsheng from Bi Lake Mountain the same one who practiced a Dual Cultivation Technique with his wife and suppressed Golden Dragon Ridge back then?”

“Reporting back to the Family Patriarch, it is indeed him!”

The middle-aged man replied.

“Interesting, not only does Lu Changsheng have both a mix of luck and encounters, rising in just a few short decades to where he is now, but he also has sired such an exceptional Qilin Child!”

The third ancestor of the Xu Family narrowed his eyes, sharp as ever.

From the early events at Golden Dragon Ridge, he had taken notice of Lu Changsheng and Lu Miaoge, adding them to his kill list.

He had thought that if he ever encountered them, he would take the opportunity to eliminate them both.

Unexpectedly, in investigating the issues concerning his family's Purple Shadow Secret Realm, he had inadvertently stumbled upon such news.

This Lu Changsheng from Bi Lake Mountain actually had such a brilliant and extraordinary son.

According to the records, this Lu Qingshan could be regarded as a natural prodigy in the Sword Dao, and as long as he did not meet an untimely death, it was very likely he would achieve Core Formation, being considered as a Nascent Soul Seed of the Jinyang Sect!

This was astonishing!

One must know, these family forces all faced a common issue!

That would be the lack of a successor, an interruption in the line!

And there, in the prime of their lives, Lu Changsheng and his wife had produced such a proud child with the potential for Core Formation, it was like striking gold with their ancestral graves!

If this Lu Qingshan truly became a Nascent Soul Immortal in the future, then Bi Lake Mountain would likely rise completely, becoming a significant threat to their own family.

However, even though he now knew this, there was nothing he could do at the moment.

As a designated Nascent Soul Seed of the Jinyang Sect, the Xu Family naturally did not dare to provoke Lu Qingshan.

And with Lu Qingshan around, even if he wanted to move against Bi Lake Mountain and kill Lu Changsheng and his wife, he would now have to think twice.

After all, if he were to move against Bi Lake Mountain and kill Lu Changsheng and his wife now, it would be tantamount to creating an enmity with Lu Qingshan, inviting a formidable enemy!

“Apart from this Lu Qingshan, are there any other suspects from this trip to the Purple Shadow Secret Realm?”

The third ancestor of the Xu Family put aside the matters concerning Bi Lake Mountain and continued to inquire.

Now, half a year had passed, and they still had not been able to identify which power was targeting them.

Continuing like this, he wouldn't be able to explain himself to his ancestors.

After all, for this matter, their Family Patriarch had even left seclusion, ready to fight back and recover their dignity.

But now, they still couldn't find the culprits.

“Reporting back to the Family Patriarch, besides this Lu Qingshan, the rest are Loose Cultivators, and we simply can't find any information on these Loose Cultivators.”

The middle-aged man wore a wry smile on his face.

The Purple Shadow Secret Realm had seen over a thousand people enter, with hundreds coming out.

Apart from disciples of the Immortal Sects and Clan Cultivators, the majority were Loose Cultivators.

It was impossible to investigate these people!

“Useless!”

The third ancestor of the Xu Family stood up, his tall frame like a majestic lion, imposing and authoritarian, his voice filled with pressing authority, “Continue the investigation, we must have a result for this matter!”

“Yes.”

The middle-aged man, knowing that it was highly unlikely to achieve a result, could only grit his teeth and accept the command.