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They could only hope that no one would notice them and let them successfully survive the war that engulfed the Great Zhou.

Under such circumstances, the Starmoon Troop arrived.

The generals saw Li Yueming and the former soldiers of the Northern Battlefront Army.

Zhu Dong immediately found his backbone. He expressed his willingness to submit to the Star-Moon Alliance Army in the future. At the same time, he begged the Star-Moon Alliance Army to protect the town they were in.

Li Yueming naturally did not hold back.

With the current strength of the Star Moon Army, it was impossible to protect the town they were in.

However, it was entirely possible to send a few Starmoon Troops to guard this place.

The Qin army and the Star Moon Army had reached a non-aggression agreement.

Before they broke through the Great Zhou's Dragon and Tiger Subduing Pass, the Qin country's millions of troops relied on the north to transport grain. This agreement was undoubtedly very useful.

Therefore, in just two years, the territory of the Star Moon Army had expanded almost five to six times. A few years ago, the Star Moon Army, which had only been in charge of one city in Northern Ice River Town, had suddenly become a political force that ruled over more than ten small towns.

That was why it was said that heroes were born in troubled times.

Under normal circumstances, if the Star Moon Army annexed the cities of the Great Zhou Dynasty, hundreds of thousands of Emperor's Guards would probably come knocking on their doors at any moment. A fierce battle would break out between the two sides.

But now, because the Qin army was at the front line, the Star Moon Army behind them could easily pick up the small cities that the Qin army did not want.

This was something unimaginable in a peaceful era.

At the front line of the Dragon and Tiger Pass, the Qin army was fighting a high-intensity battle with the Great Zhou.

Troop after troop of soldiers climbed up the city wall, while troop after troop of soldiers fell down from the city wall.

The entire battlefield was filled with a nauseating stench. There were charred and rotten corpses, boiling golden liquid, and the unique smell of gunpowder on the battlefield. Ordinary people would tremble even if they just walked through it.

However, the soldiers on both sides did not feel anything.

The Qin army, whose eyes were red from killing, charged up the city wall with all their might. The guards on the pass also had red eyes as they rushed up one after another to suppress the soldiers who tried to touch the city wall.

The reason why the Dragon and Tiger Subduing Pass could be called the gateway of the Great Zhou was because its geographical location was quite superior. It was only second to the West Garrison Pass, which was said to be the work of an immortal.

The terrain of the Crouching Dragon and Tiger Futian Pass was like a gourd.

The mouth of the gourd was the pass, and behind the pass was the vast and fertile land of the Central Plains that the Qin army had coveted for thousands of years.

However, under the influence of this terrain, the Qin army was unable to spread out their formation. Millions of soldiers were squeezed into a ball at the narrow mouth of the gourd, and it was impossible to send out too many soldiers at once.

Otherwise, the first wave of attacks would have already taken the completely unprepared Tiger Subdue Pass.

In order not to waste military power.

The Qin army could only split up and attack three checkpoints at the same time, starting a tug-of-war with the Great Zhou.

A long war was naturally beneficial to the Great Zhou.

After all, the territory of the Great Zhou was behind the Dragon and Tiger Pass. It was many times easier for the Zhou army to replenish their supplies than the Qin army who had come from afar.

At the same time, the main force of the Qin army would come out in full force, and the strength of the country would be extremely empty.

Other countries would definitely not let go of such a good opportunity.

As long as the Great Zhou could stall for enough time, the scales of victory would undoubtedly tilt towards the Great Zhou.

At that time, if the Qin army retreated in a hurry, the Great Zhou might be able to obtain a victory against the Qin army.

However, just as countless people in the Great Zhou heaved a sigh of relief.

Futian Pass, which was originally on the second line of the war, was breached without any warning.

On the battlefield, a group of Qin soldiers wearing black armor appeared.

When they appeared, the entire battlefield fell silent for a moment.

This black armored unit rushed up the city wall. There were also members of the Dragon Tiger Army from the Great Zhou army who came out of the crowd. After all, everyone could see that the other party should be the soldiers of the twelve armies of the State of Qin. Ordinary people would not be able to deal with such soldiers. They had to send out troops that also had the same army spirit to be able to match them.

This was not the first time the Great Zhou soldiers had encountered such a situation.

Therefore, after a brief moment of shock, they quickly began to deal with this unit according to their experience.

However, the strength of the Black Armored Guards was far beyond everyone's expectations. Hundreds of Dragon Tiger Army soldiers pounced on them, wanting to drive them off the city wall.

However, they did not expect that the soldiers of the Dragon Tiger Army would melt like boiling steel knives cutting through grease in just a moment of contact.

All the Dragon Tiger Army soldiers who charged forward were instantly killed by the Black Armored Guards.

It was even easier for cultivators to kill ordinary soldiers.

After realizing this, all the soldiers in the Tiger Subdue Pass felt that something was wrong.

Under normal circumstances, even though the Qin army's Black Armored Guards were very strong, they would not be able to kill the Dragon Tiger Army soldiers so easily.

Just as they were in a daze, the Black Armored Guards on the city wall charged forward and quickly tore a hole in the defense line.

At the same time, the Qin army that had been prepared for this was charging forward.

When the remaining soldiers of the Dragon Tiger Army saw this, they immediately came back to their senses and shouted, "This is the God's Descender of the Qin army's Black Armored Guards. He is the Qin army's most elite sharp knife.. Quickly inform General Wu and General Cao to come and defend the city!"

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The so-called God's Descender was what the local aborigines called the reincarnators.

This was because their talents were too powerful, and they were born with many things that ordinary people did not know. That was why they were regarded as the reincarnation of gods.

The Gods 'Descendants of the Qin Army's Black Armored Guards had long been famous in the Qin Army's foreign wars. It was said that the soldiers who could join the Black Armored Guards were at least cultivators of the Spirit Pool Realm.

The highest among them were supreme cultivators at the True Form Realm.

Once they appeared, it meant that the Qin army had already used their strongest trump card.

Not to mention the ordinary soldiers.

Even the soldiers with the military spirit were no match for this group of people.

Of course.

In order to resist their attacks, the Great Zhou also equipped the corresponding Dragon and Tiger God's Descending Army.

However, because the most elite forces of the Qin army had been attacking the Dragon and Tiger Pass, the number of Qin troops at Futian Pass was the least, and the pressure on the pass was also the least.

Therefore, most of the people in the Great Zhou Dynasty thought that the Qin army's main goal was to break through the Dragon Subdue Pass or the Tiger Subdue Pass.

The Dragon Tiger Army of Futian Pass did not leave many God's Descendants in Futian Pass.

Now that they were suddenly attacked, the God's Descendants of Futian Pass were unable to provide support at the first moment.

When the Great Zhou came back to their senses.

The reincarnators of the Black Armored Guards had already torn apart the defense line of the city wall of Futian Pass. Countless Qin soldiers climbed up the city wall like dense locusts and began to invade the weak inner city.

The soldiers in the city resisted with all their might, but in the end, they could not stop the Qin army.

Thus, the defense line of the Great Zhou's Dragon Subdue, Tiger Subdue, and Futian Pass that had lasted for more than two months was completely broken.

After the Qin army took control of Futian Pass, they quickly opened the city gates. The Qin army at the other two passes retreated in batches and swarmed into the hinterland of the Central Plains. The Qin country had lived in the remote and desolate west for thousands of years.

Even in his dreams, he wanted to see what the land of the Central Plains was like.

Now, after several generations of Qin Jun's tireless efforts, he had finally achieved his dream.

After hearing the news.

Countless great clans and commoners in the Great Zhou were so scared that their legs went weak.

"The Qin army actually broke through Futian Pass. This... This is fake news, right?"

"When I was young, I once toured Futian Pass. That majestic pass was like a wild beast standing on the plains. How could such a shocking pass be broken by the Qin army?"

"Don't say anymore. The refugees who escaped from Futian Pass are almost at the side of the Ji River. The black tide of people is in a state of panic. The Qin army has definitely passed through Futian Pass!"

"Alas, Zhou has lost his destiny..."

"It's all the Northlands and the West Border's fault for surrendering without a fight. If they contribute a little more, perhaps this war will be rewritten!"

“Indeed. I said a long time ago that it was absolutely wrong for the imperial court to keep the descendants of the Great Qian Dynasty in the Western Garrison Fortress. No one listened to me back then, and now they have created a big mess, right?”

“Stop talking. You’re an ingrate who doesn’t know each other well in the Northwest. You’re wasting the lives of hundreds of millions of people in the Great Zhou Dynasty!”

In the past, with the western frontier and the northern lands acting as a buffer line of defense, the Central Plainsmen had heard of the ferocity and brutality of the Qin army, but they had never taken it to heart.

They had never thought that the Qin army would really come here one day.

Later on, the Qin army found a way to open up a path through the Shiwan Mountains, opening up the second battlefield to the north.

At this moment, the people of Zhou realized how ruthless the Qin army was.

After so many years of war, the Qin army’s demon-like reputation had already spread throughout the Great Zhou.

Now, those Qin barbarians who were scaring children were about to trample on the Central Plains. Countless people were trembling in fear.

Apart from the fear, a wave of anger naturally rose in the hearts of countless people.

They did not dare to blame the Imperial Court.

Therefore, he could only vent his anger on the North, West, and Starmoon Troops in the northwest.

For a time, many people in the Great Zhou cursed Li Yueming and the Li family for being ungrateful.

As for how the imperial court had left the two places in the northwest to die, the group of people had tacitly chosen to turn a blind eye to it.

After all, in their eyes.

The mission of the Western Garrison Army and the Northern Garrison Army was to defend the Central Plains. Shouldn’t they sacrifice their lives for them at such a critical time?

But no one answered them.

The only answer they received was the cold and merciless whipping of the Qin army.

After Futian Pass was breached, the entire northwest of Great Zhou was opened up, and the other two passes became decorations.

Millions of Qin soldiers swarmed into the Central Plains like locusts and began to pillage and kill.

Along the way, there were also many soldiers who tried to resist, but they all ended up in a very miserable state.

They were either trampled to the ground by the Qin army or captured alive, stripped naked, and tied to chariots as a public display. For a moment, the entire Great Zhou was in chaos.

#### Chapter 513: The Emperor's Trump Card

When the emperor heard the news in Haojing, his expression was cold.

Before the Qin army had broken through Futian Pass, the emperor had been unable to sleep at night, afraid that something unexpected would happen. Now that the Qin army had entered the Central Plains, he was much calmer.

When the Tiandu clan split up, the Great Zhou was still the country with the strongest military strength among the six countries.

Otherwise, he wouldn't have been able to occupy such a good spot.

As for the Qin State, it was undoubtedly one of the most peripheral countries among the six states at that time. If it was not for the fact that the Qin Lord's personal martial strength was sufficiently powerful at that time, it was estimated that he would not have a share of the spoils of the feast.

However, as time passed.

The Great Zhou, which had superior terrain and rich resources, was getting worse with each generation, and its national strength was declining day by day.

As for those dukes who had been sealed in a place where there were many barbarians and miasma everywhere, who did not have enough to eat or drink all year round, who were exposed to the wind and sun, they were constantly expanding. Now, their strength was stronger than the previous one.

The emperor felt both angry and furious.

However, if the Qin army thought that they could defeat the Great Zhou so easily, they were simply daydreaming. The Great Zhou had been able to occupy the most fertile land and survive for nearly ten thousand years. Naturally, they could not have no trump cards.

He only hoped that the Qin army would not go overboard.

Otherwise, they would really fall out and force the Qin army to fight the Great Zhou inside the pass. In the end, it was still unknown who would win.

The Qin army went south, killing and looting.

The towns and villages that it visited were filled with smoke and corpses.

War was like a machine with blood and flesh flying everywhere, crushing everything that was involved.

Who knew how much gold, silver, jewelry, cattle, sheep, horses, and even people and armor had been taken away.

The Qin army transported these loots back along the logistics line.

In less than half a month, the Qin army had plundered countless resources.

The soldiers who had come with the army were excited when they first saw the treasures. However, as the amount of treasures accumulated increased, and now they were being sent away one cart after another, their excited nerves could not help but feel a little numb.

They were stunned by the wealth of the Great Zhou Central Plains.

For many years, the Qin army had been active outside the Great Wall.

Under the deliberate promotion of many elders and merchants, most of the Qin soldiers had heard of the wealth of the Great Zhou since they were young.

Legend had it that it was a place full of gold.

The climate there was very warm. In spring, they only needed to sow seeds into the soil. After being nourished by the rain in summer, they could grow heavy food in autumn. In winter, it was not like scraping bones and digging meat outside the frontier. They could even go out to play and hunt.

It was also because of these words that the tens of millions of people in Qin Country looked forward to the Central Plains.

It was also under such circumstances that countless seniors of the Qin Country advanced wave after wave in order to attack the Central Plains. Day after day, they reorganized the army and nurtured soldiers.

As the successive Qin monarchs worked hard to push the reform to become more and more perfect, the Qin country's military strength also continued to expand.

Finally, the Qin army, a small country that was not eye-catching among the six nations, mustered up their courage and began to send troops to attack the Great Zhou, this legendary and incomparably rich golden country.

However, due to the barrier of the northwest, after thousands of years of military conflict, the Qin army was powerless against the Great Zhou.

In recent years, Qin Jun had begun to doubt his life.

Whether it was the western frontier that they had come into contact with a long time ago or the northern land that they had only accepted in recent years, some places were even poorer than their Qin country.

The legendary Great Zhou that was filled with gold...Did it really exist?

Now that they had finally bypassed the two regions in the northwest and broke through the outer shell of the Great Zhou Dynasty with lightning speed and entered the Central Plains, countless Qin soldiers felt as if they were dreaming.

So there really was such a rich place in this world!

The rice would not be affected by extreme weather, and it could ripen twice a year. In some places with more pleasant climates, it could even ripen three times.

The densely-packed civilians gathered on the fertile plains to plant crops. They only needed a little irrigation and did not even need to apply too much fertilizer, and the crops would take root and germinate in suitable places.

Along the way, Qin Jun had seen too much.

Under such circumstances, the Qin soldiers 'desire for the Great Zhou's land was also growing.

If such a rich piece of land could be occupied by the Qin country, then not only would the Qin country have the strongest military strength in the world, but it would also have the most fertile crop planting area.

With the double blessing of land and grain, it would not be long before the Qin country would be able to form an army that could sweep through the other countries in the world.

He would be able to create miracles and become the sole overlord of the six dynasties.

Of course, the prerequisite for all of this was that the Qin army had to destroy the Great Zhou and occupy all the land of the Great Zhou.

A million Qin soldiers sounded like a ridiculous number.

However, they were now on the territory of the Great Zhou.

Even though the defense line had been broken, the citizens were in an uproar, and countless aristocratic families and scholars were in a constant state of panic, the Zhou Dynasty's counterattack was still quite powerful. When the Qin army broke through Futian Pass and headed towards Haojing..

Chapter 514: The Emperor's Trump Card (2)

More than 500,000 soldiers were soon gathered from various regions of the Great Zhou Dynasty. In terms of composition, these soldiers were not as well-trained as the Qin army, but this was not a direct confrontation.

The only thing this army needed to do was to slow down the Qin army's attack and prevent them from really attacking Haojing City, where the emperor was located. Then, they would quietly wait for the reinforcements sent by the other nobles to gather.

It was more than enough to do this.

The Qin army and the Qin army probed the north bank of the Ji River. The Qin army won a small victory, and the defeated Qin army did not linger on the battle. They immediately retreated to the south bank of the Ji River and began to implement a policy of strengthening the walls and clearing the fields to prevent the Qin army from obtaining food in the Great Zhou territory.

This move was very useful to the Qin army who had come from afar.

After realizing that they couldn't plunder any more resources, the Qin army began to attack the troops on the south bank of the Ji River in a frenzy. Under the pincer attack of a million Qin soldiers, the Royal Qin Army was forced to retreat.

However, this was the territory of the Great Zhou. Although the Qin country had scouted the terrain, they were still not as familiar as the royal army.

Several times when he wanted to completely annihilate the royal army, he had cleverly dodged them.

500,000 against a million, although he was losing.



However, it did not collapse.

The biggest reason was that the reincarnators of the Great Zhou Dynasty had appeared in the royal army.

They were like sticky candy, firmly clinging onto the Qin army and not allowing them to take a single step forward.

Seeing that they were unable to break through the royal army and attack Haojing City in a short period of time, and that the other armies of the Zhou Dynasty were still joining the royal army to replenish their strength, the originally high-spirited Qin army finally began to feel anxious.

It had been nearly two months since they sent troops to attack the Great Zhou.

Not to mention how great the pressure of the grain and grass supply of the million Qin army was, just the fact that there were other countries eyeing the empty Qin territory made it impossible for them to stay in the Great Zhou territory for a long time.

In the end, the Qin army, unable to withstand the pressure, began to retreat slowly, preparing to return home after one last pillage.

However, at this moment.

Fu Tian Pass, which was originally in the hands of the Qin army, suddenly received news that a mysterious Zhou army had attacked the Qin army that was guarding Fu Tian Pass. They wanted to take back Fu Tian Pass and cut off the Qin army's escape route.

The battle lasted for an entire night.

This mysterious and powerful troop had charged up the city walls several times, and had almost torn apart the defense line of Futian Pass under the pressure of tens of thousands of Qin soldiers.

The two sides fought fiercely until the second day. It was almost dawn when the mysterious Zhou army withdrew.

When this news was sent back, it almost scared the Qin army to death.

This mysterious Great Zhou army was dressed in red armor. Each of them was stronger than the Dragon Tiger Army. Even the Qin army's Black Armor Guards could not resist them.

If it was not for the fact that the Qin army's general had held back in the end and left the strongest reincarnators and the most elite soldiers of the Black Armored Guards at Futian Pass to ensure that they would not be cut off when they retreated, the Qin army would not have been able to escape.

Perhaps he would really fail miserably.

Even so, this accident still made many Qin soldiers break out in cold sweat. The Zhou Dynasty did not have an army in red armor on the surface. Now that the emperor had suddenly sent them out, it clearly meant that the emperor still had a trump card that he had not used.

Coupled with the fact that they had plundered enough gold and silver, the soldiers were already satisfied and wanted to return home.

The speed of the Qin army's retreat had obviously increased.

About a month later, the Qin army gathered up their formation and began to withdraw from the Central Plains. Before they left, they even used gunpowder to blow up a big hole in the wall of Futian Pass.

Li Yueming, who was far away in North Glacier Town, had been paying attention to the war between Zhou and Qin.

After hearing this news, he could not help but smile bitterly.

Country bumpkins from the State of Qin had broken through Futian Pass and charged into the Central Plains in a grandiose manner. In the end, they were blinded by the colorful world of the Central Plains.

If they did not pillage along the way and instead rushed to Haojing without stopping.

It was estimated that the royal army from all over the world would not even be able to organize 100,000 people.

If Haojing City was breached, the entire Zhou Dynasty would immediately fall into chaos.

The Qin army could take advantage of this to reap even more benefits.

Of course, this was just Li Yueming's idea.

In reality, the Zhou Dynasty had not declined to the point where it would be so easily destroyed. The Qin State was indeed powerful, but it was still the territory of the Great Zhou that had entered from the north. The supply line was too long.

If they had come all the way here from the western frontier...

The supply line was almost one-third shorter. Perhaps they could still try to destroy the Great Zhou.

If they charged in from the north, they would only be able to plunder.

If they could not take down Haojing City, the Qin army might suffer a huge loss.

It was better to burn, kill, plunder, and destroy on the way. In general, they might earn more.

But no matter what, this war still caused immeasurable losses to the Zhou Dynasty.

Not to mention the land and wealth that the Qin army had destroyed and plundered.

The defeat of this war was a huge blow to the emperor and the imperial power of the Zhou Dynasty.

The failure of the war made all the countries in the world see the decline of the Zhou Dynasty. All the armies that were trying to help the king responded to the call to help the royal capital of Haojing. In order to repay them, the emperor had to sacrifice a lot of chips in politics.

A few of them added together had even hurt the foundation of the Zhou Dynasty.

Now, the Qin army had eaten and drunk their fill, robbed a lot of things, and ran away happily.

Li Yueming felt a little uncomfortable.

The Zhou Dynasty, who had nowhere to vent their anger, might put the blame of this turmoil on him. There was a small chance that they would send powerful cultivators to assassinate him, and there was a high chance that they would even lead an army to eliminate the rebels.

The army was put aside for now.

The Great Zhou had just experienced an internal strife, and they probably would not dare to send troops out for a short period of time.

Even if the emperor wanted to give it a try.

The Star Moon Army and the Northern Battlefront Army could resist it if they joined forces.

In comparison, Li Yueming was more worried about the assassination of high-level cultivators.

Li Yueming himself was not afraid of assassination. After all, although his strength was not at the top in this world, it was more than enough to save his life.

In addition, he often stayed in the Star Moon Army's big tent.

Under normal circumstances, it would be very difficult to have the opportunity to make a move.

The only ones who needed to be vigilant and worried were their families.

Whether it was Li Ruxing, Li Ruyue, or Li Nanfeng, their own Cultivation strength was not enough to deal with the assassination of top masters.

Just in case, Li Yueming wrote a letter to Li Nanfeng.

However, Li Nanfeng's reply made Li Yueming calm down. As the previous Duke, there was a reason why the Li family could stand out from the thousands of families in the western border.

The Li family's second-generation Patriarch was a powerful cultivator at the Heavenly Tribulation realm.

After reaching the Divine Aperture Realm, one could undergo the Heavenly Tribulation.

This realm was ranked tenth among the 12 Ascending Realms.

He was only two steps away from Nirvana and Ascension.

It was also with the support of the second generation ancestor that the Li family stood out from the many aristocratic families and sat on the position of Duke Guardians in just two generations.

Although the ancestor had already left the Li family to travel the four seas to comprehend the Nirvana, he was still in a daze.

However, the Patriarch's influence was still there.

The Li family had many Guiyuan and Divine Aperture Realm experts.

As the only legal heir of the Li family, Li Yueming was actually followed by the priests of the Divine Aperture realm. The guards of Li Ruxing and Li Ruyue were not as high as him. Only the priests of the Returning Origin realm paid attention to them.

It was no wonder that Li Nanfeng had ignored Li Yueming for so many years.

It turned out that there were already powerful people in the family who were paying attention to Li Yueming's growth.

Of course, the strength of the Li family was still far inferior to the Zhou royal family.

After all, the emperor had a supreme expert of the Nirvana realm behind him. There were also many offerings of the Heavenly Tribulation realm. However, those existences would basically not take action unless the country was destroyed.

Under normal circumstances.

Returning to Origin and Divine Aperture Realm were already the peak that most ordinary cultivators could see.

Cultivators above that were basically all dedicated to cultivation.

It was difficult for worldly matters to stir up their emotions.

Therefore, no matter how strong the assassins sent by the emperor were, they were at most at the Divine Aperture realm.

The Li family could barely hold on.

After receiving the letter, Li Yueming heaved a sigh of relief.

As long as he could protect his loved ones from being assassinated, the pressure on him would be reduced by more than a notch.

Next, it would be up to the Zhou Dynasty to react after they regained their senses. Then, they would counter the moves according to their own situation.

Chapter 515: Northwest Company Army, Father and Son Reunited! 1

Everyone knew that the strongest army of the Great Zhou Dynasty was the Dragon Tiger Army.

However, they did not know that there was a super elite force in the Dragon Tiger Army that was rarely known.

This elite troop was called the Six Guards of the Imperial City.

The Six Guards of the Son of Heaven were nominally part of the Dragon Tiger Army, but in reality, they were a royal force that was completely independent of the Dragon Tiger Army.

Each of the six imperial guards had ten thousand men, making a total of sixty thousand men. All the soldiers in the army were elite troops raised by the Imperial Clan since young.

Every soldier was a relative who had been selected from the royal family through layers of screening and was talented in cultivation.

They did not need to produce and had received strict military training since they were young. Their food, clothing, housing, and transportation were all paid for by the royal family. Under normal circumstances, they only needed training. Only when the Zhou Dynasty was in trouble would they stand up and help the building.

It could be said that the Six Guards were the most elite troops in the entire

Zhou Dynasty.

Although there were only 60,000 people.

However, his equipment was excellent and his strength was powerful enough to easily destroy tens of thousands of troops.

The emperor had used countless taxes and resources to equip these six armies with the most powerful weapons and armors in the world. Other than the Dragon and Tiger Army, this was the most important card the emperor had to intimidate the dukes and protect the royal family.

If the Dragon Tiger Army's deterrence was in the open, then the deterrence of the six imperial guards was in the dark.

The two cards, one bright and one dark, had supported the Great Zhou Dynasty for nearly ten thousand years.

In this attack, not only did the emperor use more than 60% of the Dragon Tiger Army, but he also used half of his six guards.

This was also the main force of the Qin Dynasty soldiers stationed at Futian Pass when they were attacked.

Originally, the emperor had wanted to keep the Qin army behind to teach them a good lesson and let those bandits know that the Zhou Dynasty was not so easy to plunder.

However, he didn't expect the Qin army's defenses at Futian Pass to be so perfect. Not only did they leave behind their most elite soldiers, but they also left behind many powerful descendents.

The three Emperor's Guards fought for an entire night, but they still couldn't break through Futian Pass.

When this news came, even the emperor was shocked.

If the loss of hundreds of thousands of people in Northguard Fortress was something that the emperor could barely accept, then the loss of his six guards was something that he could never accept.

From the very beginning of the Zhou Dynasty, the arrangement of the six emperors and the Dragon Tiger Army complementing each other in the light and in the dark had been set.

All the emperors of the Zhou Dynasty had abided by this ritual system, giving priority to these two troops with the taxes and money they had collected from all over the world. No matter how muddle-headed their descendants were, they did not dare to go beyond this ancestral law.

If he were to damage the Six Guards of the Son of Heaven, he would become the sinner of the entire royal family.

After all, the six guards were not ordinary troops. Every loss was a bloody price to the emperor.

With the ability of the small noble families who were affiliated with the Zhou royal family to produce blood.

If any one of the Six Guards of the Son of Heaven was killed or injured, they would need to rest for decades before they could barely reproduce a population that could nurture the next army.

Therefore, when he heard that the three kings, the emperor, and the six guards had been unable to take down Fu Tian Pass for a long time and suffered heavy losses...

The emperor immediately ordered the guards who had attacked Futian Pass to retreat.

But even so, thousands of the 30,000-strong Six Guards had died.

Thousands of people...

Although it didn't sound like much, the emperor, who understood the preciousness of the six guards, felt his heart ache as if it was bleeding. If the commoners died, even if the Zhou Dynasty did not care, the Dynasty would gradually recover after decades of recuperation.

During this period, the emperor didn't need to pay attention to too many things.

However, once the six imperial guards died, they would need real money to replenish them!

It was a heavy blow to both the country and the royal family.

Of course, the Qin country's casualties were several times more severe than the Great Zhou.

Not only did the Qin army not gain anything from this battle, but they also suffered more than 15,000 casualties. The losses between the two sides reached a shocking ratio.

This was a large-scale siege. Under normal circumstances, the attacking side would have to sacrifice at least twice as many to reach the walls.

However, the sudden appearance of the Great Zhou Guards overturned everyone's inherent understanding.

As the attackers who recovered Futian Pass, the six imperial guards sent by the emperor withstood the rain of arrows and gunpowder attacks. They were still able to fight against three enemies and made the Qin army pay a bloody price.

It could be considered as regaining some dignity for the emperor and the Great Zhou Dynasty.

It had to be said that the Six Guards of the Emperor were an elite force that could dominate the world.

It was no wonder that when they received the secret letter from Futian Pass, the first reaction of the Qin army was to not believe their ears, thinking that they had heard wrongly.

After all, from the Qin army's point of view, the strongest Dragon Tiger Army of the Great Zhou was still waiting in Haojing City. The other armies that were trying to save the king were either still on the road and had not gathered, or they were a group of rabble that could not be beaten to death or shaken off like sticky candy.

Under such circumstances, how could an unknown Qin army suddenly cut off their escape route in Futian?

However, the truth was right in front of them. Even if they were unwilling to believe it, they had no choice but to believe it.

Fortunately, he had been careful back then and left a large number of elite troops at Futian Pass to guard the retreat route. This caused the emperor's plan to fail..

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After discovering that the Great Zhou's strength was not as simple as it seemed on the surface.

The Qin army, who had a smooth journey, finally stopped underestimating them. They did not continue to stay in the hinterland of the Great Zhou Dynasty. They carried the gold, silver, and jewelry they had stolen and began to retreat like the wind.

This battle was fought.

The deficit left behind by the Qin army's long-distance attack on the Great Zhou Dynasty was finally made up for. The gold, silver, and jewelry harvested from the Central Plains during the two-month plunder were enough for the Qin army to digest for several years.

After the Qin army left, the Great Zhou took over Futian Pass immediately.

After all, the Qin army was not the only enemy outside Futian Pass. The Northwest Coalition Army formed after the rebellion of the Star Moon Army, the Northern Army, and the Western Army had become a thorn in the Great Zhou Dynasty's side.

Without a doubt, if it wasn't for the Northwest Coalition Army's rebellion at the critical moment, the Northwest Coalition Army would have been defeated.

The Great Zhou would definitely not have fallen to such a miserable state.

For a time, the Zhou Dynasty's internal voices for the crusade against the Northwest Alliance Army grew louder and louder.

After taking over Futian Pass, the Zhou Dynasty's soldiers licked their wounds as they glared at the Northwest Coalition Army.

At this moment, their thoughts were actually very simple-if they couldn't take care of the Qin army, why couldn't they take care of the rebel army that only ruled the barren land in the northwest?

Of course, Great Zhou had just experienced the flames of war, and the country was still in a mess. The thousands of miles behind Futian Pass had been trampled by the Qin army's warhorses, and hundreds of miles were deserted.

Therefore, the most important thing for the Great Zhou now was to carry out the aftermath, properly settle the refugees who had lost their land due to the war, and repair the towns and passes that had been damaged in the war.

It was not the time to send troops.

However, all the soldiers and citizens of the Great Zhou knew that the Great Zhou would settle the rebels in the northwest sooner or later.

This was something that not only the people of the Zhou Dynasty knew, Li Yueming also knew.

Since the collapse of the Tiandu Dynasty, one of the reasons why the Six Nations were able to stand firm was that they mercilessly attacked the rebel forces in the country.

If the rebel army could survive smoothly.

Then where would the royal family's face be?

What has been done must be done again, and what has been done must be done again.

If the Northwest Coalition Army could live comfortably after the rebellion..

Then what would the various dukes and countless soldiers of the Great Zhou think?

Therefore, from a political point of view.

Destroying the rebels in the northwest was even more important than countering the Qin army.

For this, Li Yue Ming made several preparations.

After so many years of improvement, the construction of the city wall of Northern Glacier Town was mostly completed. In the next few years, they only needed to continue to consolidate and improve the functionality of the city wall.

Not to mention the other places after the city wall, at least North Glacier Town had the power to protect itself in the vast north.

Even if the Great Zhou really sent troops to attack, Northern Glacier Town would not fall so easily.

Of course, this was not enough.

Both the Northern Battlefront Army and the Star and Moon Army were just normal armies. In front of ordinary people, who were also normal armies, they were the elites among the elites.

However, it was nothing in front of an army that possessed the military spirit.

Therefore, Li Yueming's second plan was to borrow troops from the West Garrison Pass.

The Qin army had obtained an immeasurable amount of gold, silver, and financial reports from this attack on the Great Zhou.

They definitely wouldn't be able to use weapons in a short period of time.

Under such circumstances, it would be a waste to leave the 300,000 soldiers with military souls in the West Garrison Fortress. If he lent Li Yueming 100,000 soldiers, it would effectively strengthen the Star-Moon Army's combat power.

After Li Yueming's letter was sent over, Su Fulong, the Western Garrison Liege Lord, agreed to Li Yueming's request after a moment of consideration.

Ever since the Western Garrison Army agreed to rebel against the Great Zhou together with the Star Moon Army.

The fate of the Western Garrison Army and the Star-Moon Army was completely locked together.

If the two regions in the northwest advanced and retreated together without holding back, they might still have the strength to fight against the Great Zhou.

As long as one side had selfishness and a gap was created, it would not be long before the Zhou Dynasty's army attacked. The Star Moon Army and the Western Garrison Army would not be able to fight back.

Therefore, the Western Garrison Army helping the Star Moon Army was actually helping him.

Of course, Li Yueming didn't do it for free.

The West Garrison Pass was located in the northwestern yellow sand land, so it basically did not produce much food. Therefore, Li Yueming promised that as long as the problem of the refugees in the northwest was solved, North Glacier Town would regularly transport enough food to feed the 150,000 troops every year.



It could be said that they were equally sincere.

Both parties hit it off.

The Western Garrison Liege Lord was very generous. He directly sent Li Nanfeng and Wang Ziwei to lead 100,000 Western Garrison soldiers to guard Northern Ice River Town.

As for the third method...

It wasn't anything else but Li Yue Ming's super thigh, the extremely cold snow mountain's little fox.

As long as they could maintain a friendly relationship with the little fox, the Starmoon Army would be able to protect themselves.

Even if the situation had deteriorated to the point of no return, at most, they would give up the territory they had fought so hard to obtain, Northern Glacier Town, and escape into the Hundred Thousand Mountains to seek shelter.

Of course, this was his trump card.

Li Yueming wouldn't take it out unless it was absolutely necessary.

After all, whether it was the Star-Moon Army or Northern Ice River Town, they both needed more training. Otherwise, he would never be able to get what he wanted.

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At the end of the month, the army sent by the Western Garrison Liege Lord arrived.

Li Yueming, Li Nanfeng, and Wang Ziwei finally met up again after more than 20 years..

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When the three of them first met, it was when Wang Ziwei took Li Yueming as his disciple.

Time always passed quietly like flowing water.

Now, it was the same master and disciple, father and son, but the situation was completely different from before.

After a brief exchange of greetings, Li Yueming led Wang Ziwei and Li Nanfeng into North Glacier Town.

Looking at the tall city in front of him, which was located in a world of ice and snow.

Although the construction was still a little rough.

However, whether it was the width or height, or the strength of the soil on the surface, it was far beyond Li Nanfeng and Wang Ziwei's expectations.

Li Nanfeng touched the city wall of North Glacier Town and turned to look at Li

Yueming. "'Idiot, this city... Was it really built by you?"

Li Yueming nodded and smiled. "Of course, I'll handle it. What do you think, Dad?"

Li Nanfeng turned back to look at the tall city wall and nodded involuntarily. "Good, good. With this city, even if the emperor sends 500,000 troops and gathers the strength of our two armies, we can barely resist!"

To be honest, Li Nanfeng had always been very pessimistic before he came.

Although Li Yueming had managed to successfully protect the Star Moon Army and the Western Garrison Fortress, he was still able to do so.

However, Li Nanfeng didn't think highly of Li Yueming's method. He even felt that Li Yueming was sacrificing the Star Moon Army to protect his father.

After all, anyone with a discerning eye could tell.

Even if the Qin army really broke through the northern defense line of the Great Zhou Dynasty, they would not be able to destroy the entire Zhou Dynasty.

At most, they would burn, kill, and plunder. In the end, they would definitely leave.

The Star Moon Army and the West Garrison Army took advantage of the Qin army's attack to rebel.

However, how would the Zhou Dynasty's anger be appeased?

The West Garrison Army might be able to survive by relying on the West Garrison Pass.

However, the Star Moon Troop was most likely doomed.

In Li Nanfeng's logical system, this was an act of drinking poison to quench thirst. Although it changed the current situation, it could only solve the immediate problem.

If not for Wang Ziwei's constant persuasion.

At first, Li Nanfeng might not have agreed with Li Yueming's plan. Now, when he saw the city built by Li Yueming, Li Nanfeng suddenly realized that he seemed to have underestimated his son.

To be able to build such a thick city wall in the icy north, it was not inferior to a city in the Central Plains with a population of a million.

Without a few skills, it was impossible to even think about it.

Li Yueming smiled again. "Of course. This place will be the place where my Li family will rise and become the foundation of my Li family in the future. If we don't invest more manpower and resources to build the city, wouldn't we be digging our own foundation?"

Hearing Li Yueming's bold words.

Li Nanfeng could not help but feel a strong sense of pride in his heart.

However, although he was quite proud of himself, he could not show it on his face. Li Nanfeng pretended to reprimand him, "My Li family has already made a fortune since the generation of our ancestor. It's not your turn to talk nonsense!"

Li Yueming nodded and didn't deny it.

Although the wealth he mentioned was not the same concept as the wealth Li Nanfeng mentioned, some things could not be said openly.

In ancient times, there was a well-known story about Sima Zhao's heart, which caused Sima Zhao and the Sima family behind him to be hung on the pillar of shame in history and ridiculed by future generations for thousands of years. At this moment, Li Yueming didn't want to have a story about Li Yueming's heart that everyone knew.

After entering Northern Glacier Town.

As their vision gradually widened, Li Nanfeng and Wang Ziwei's expressions became even more colorful.

Before entering the city, the two of them saw the city wall built by Li Yueming outside of North Glacier Town. They were already mentally prepared for the population of North Glacier Town.

But now, seeing such a neatly arranged, horizontal and vertical city, it still produced a powerful impact.

It was as if he had arrived in a country that did not belong to this world in an instant.

At this moment, inside the city wall.

Li Ruxing and Li Ruyue had been waiting for a long time.

They were the same as Li Yueming Ming. They hadn't seen their father for many years.

Before Li Nanfeng could recover from the shock of seeing North Glacier Town for the first time, Li Ruyue had already thrown herself into Li Nanfeng's arms like a swallow returning home.

Li Ruxing appeared much calmer, but when she saw Li Nanfeng's slightly hunched figure and the strands of white hair at his temples, her eyes couldn't help but redden.

In their minds, their father was a hero of indomitable fighting spirit.

However, not long ago, this insufferably arrogant hero had quietly lowered his back, and his black hair had been dyed with a thick layer of white snow by time.

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Year 700 of the Great Zhou Royal Calendar. It had been four years since the Qin State broke through the Great Zhou Futian Pass.

After a few years of recuperation, although the Great Zhou had yet to completely recover, the chaos caused by the Qin army breaking through Dragon Crouching Pass was finally contained.

After the army was reorganized, the emperor could not wait to form an alliance with the world.

He gathered the strength of the royal family and the other direct relatives of the royal family in Haojing. He gathered a million troops and prepared to lead the army north to crusade against the Northwest rebels who had betrayed the Zhou Dynasty.

The Star Moon Army, the Northern Army, and the Western Army had gradually stabilized their relationship over the past few years.

In order to ensure that they could be of the same blood and not drop the ball at the critical moment, the Western Garrison Liege Lord married his daughter to Li Yueming. At the same time, the Marquis of Southpeak also married his eldest daughter, Li Ruyue, to the heir of the Western Garrison Liege Lord.

From all aspects, this was a typical political marriage.

Three years ago, when Li Nanfeng and Wang Ziwei led 100,000 soldiers from the West Garrison Army to garrison North Glacier Town, both Wang Ziwei and Li Nanfeng were deeply shocked by the population and prosperity of North Glacier Town.

A Northern Tidal Town near the Hundred-Thousand Mountains had a permanent population of less than ten thousand. However, under the governance of Li Yueming and the Star-Moon Army, it had become a super metropolis that stretched along the Northern Ice River for nearly a hundred miles in just ten to twenty years.

Not only did the population count exceed 500,000, but they had also established their own city.

No matter where it was, it was an incredible thing.

In order to build a prosperous town so quickly, Li Yueming's personal ability was not even the most important. He had to be at the right time, place, and people.

None of them could be missing.

It was an unbelievable miracle.

Therefore, after Li Nanfeng and Wang Ziwei settled down in Northern Ice River Town, they immediately wrote a letter to the Western Garrison Liege Lord, reporting what they saw in Northern Ice River Town to him.

Although Li Nanfeng and Wang Ziwei were inextricably linked to Li Yueming.

Li Nanfeng was even Li Yueming's father.

However, in name, the two of them were still generals under the Western Garrison Liege Lord and were loyal to him.

Therefore, it was necessary to write this letter back.

Moreover, this was an opportunity for Li Yueming to show off his strength. Whether it was for public or private reasons, Wang Ziwei and Li Nanfeng would not hide anything.

After receiving the letters from Li Nanfeng and Wang Ziwei, the Western Garrison Liege Lord was extremely shocked.

If he didn't know that Li Nanfeng and Wang Ziwei didn't have to lie to him about this, he would have suspected that the two of them were working together to fool him.

Under his bewilderment.

The Western Garrison Liege Lord thought for a long time and finally sent his son out. Other than observing whether Northern Ice River Town was really as magical as the two people said in the letter, the most important thing was to stabilize the Western Garrison Army that was dispatched from Northern Ice River Town.

After receiving the order, Su Ye, the son of the Western Garrison Liege Lord, Su Fulong, brought his elite followers to Northern Ice River Town.

Due to the close relationship between the Northwest Alliance Army, Ian was able to travel unimpeded through the various traffic arteries in the Northwest.

In less than half a month, Ian arrived at Northern Glacier Town.

Li Yueming received him in a grand manner and led him to visit North Glacier Town again.

After seeing Northern Ice River Town, Su Ye was even more excited than Wang

Ziwei and Li Nanfeng. His eyes were shining as he immediately begged Li Yueming to let him learn the way to make the country rich and strengthen the army in Northern Ice River Town so that he could return to the western border and the West Garrison Pass.

Naturally, Li Yueming couldn't do anything about it.

Just as Li Nanfeng and Wang Ziwei had predicted, the development of North Glacier Town was tailor-made for the Star Moon Army and North Glacier Town by Li Yueming.

Even if Ian could learn many things from Northern Ice River Town, he couldn't replicate them to the western border.

After thinking about it, Li Yueming decided to send Ian to help Li Ruyue.

After all, Li Yueming was now managing at least half of the land in North

Glacier Town. If he wanted to understand the development of North Glacier Town in the most intuitive way, it was naturally the fastest and most convenient way to follow her.

However, what many people did not expect was that Li Ruyue and Su Ye actually had feelings for each other during the process of working together.

Considering the special situation in the northwest, Li Nanfeng quickly decided to marry Li Ruyue to Ian.

After all, Li Ruyue was almost thirty years old this year.

Even cultivators who had more freedom of choice should get married at this age.

Li Yueming didn't care.

As long as Li Ruyue was willing, Li Yueming would not deliberately stop her from marrying anyone. As long as Li Yueming was still in this world, no one would dare to disrespect his sister.

The Western Garrison Liege Lord felt that he had made a huge profit, so he sent his most beloved second daughter, Su Meng, to Northern Ice River Town. He specifically asked her to follow Li Yueming to broaden her horizons.

This was just an excuse. Everyone knew what they were actually thinking.

If Li Yueming and Su Meng could see eye to eye with each other, then the Western Garrison Liege Lord and the Marquis of Southpeak would definitely settle this marriage soon..

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Li Yueming considered this very carefully.

After all, in this fantasy world, political marriage was not as simple as it seemed. There was a complete set of logic behind it, so the choice of partner was very important.

However, before Li Yueming could think it through, Su Meng was the first to fall for it.

Every day, she followed Li Yueming around like a stalker, following him wherever he went.

Although she didn't say it out loud, everyone with eyes could see that the most beloved princess of the Western Garrison Liege Lord had fallen under Li Yueming's handsome face and gentle temperament.

This was not strange.

General Li was one of the top talents in the world. How could those ordinary men compare to him?

In the end, Li Yueming still chose to accept Su Meng due to various considerations.

In terms of appearance alone, Su Meng was considered unique among the women Li Yueming had met. She was already a top-notch beauty, not to mention that Su Meng had the Western Garrison Liege Lord behind her.

Thus, both parties hit it off and quickly became brothers-in-law.

With this relationship, the relationship between the Star Moon Army and the Western Garrison Army was even more unbreakable.

The Western Garrison Army once again sent 20,000 troops to Northern Ice

River Town, while the Star Moon Army also sent 50,000 troops to replenish the Western Garrison Army's losses. The trust between the two sides had increased exponentially.

But now, after two to three years of communication, the Star Moon Army and the Western Garrison Army were basically inseparable.

It was also during this year.

The emperor led a million troops from Tiger Subdue Pass to the east, preparing to annihilate the Star Moon Army of Northern Ice River Town.

This strategic goal was within everyone's expectations.

The Western Garrison Army was a troop with a military spirit. They also occupied the natural barrier of the Western Garrison Pass. Even the Qin army had spent so many years but could not take it down. As long as the Zhou

Dynasty was not stupid, they would definitely not choose to attack the Western Garrison Army first.

The Starmoon Troop's headquarters was located in North Glacier Town.

Although it was easy to defend and difficult to attack, the lower reaches of North Glacier Town were plains formed by river water.

There are so many troops on the plains that can be arranged into formations, so there are places that can allow a large number of soldiers to be stationed.

The Zhou Dynasty had just experienced a war and had yet to fully recover. Therefore, the million troops announced to the public this time were actually exaggerated.

The emperor's army, including the logistics and supplies, only numbered 800,000.

100,000 of them were slave soldiers and did not have much combat power.

There were only 700,000 real warriors who could fight.

Of these 700,000 soldiers, 100,000 were responsible for transporting rations, while the remaining 300,000 were ordinary soldiers. Only 300,000 of them were elites with military souls.

Of course, this 300,000 yuan was not to be underestimated.

Although there weren't many of them, they were all elites.

Back then, the Qin army's attack was extremely swift and fierce, and the Great Zhou, who had been passively fighting, appeared to be in a hurry. A large number of elites scattered throughout the country had not had the time to be mobilized, and the Qin army had already left after burning, killing, and looting.

It made many of the Royal Guards feel as if they were at a loss.

This expedition against the Star Moon Army was initiated by the emperor, so the soldiers were naturally well-prepared.

In terms of military strength.

Even if the Star Moon Army, the Northern Army, and the Western Army joined forces, the number of troops was less than half of the Great Zhou Army.

After several years of adjustment, the number of Star and Moon Army had reached 250,000, while the Northern Army was only a remnant with less than 100,000 soldiers. With the aid of the Western Army, there were less than 500,000 soldiers.

Besides, both the Northern Garrison Army and the Starlink Army were ordinary soldiers, and only 120,000 soldiers of the Western Garrison Army possessed the Army Soul. Compared to the 300,000 elite troops of the Zhou Dynasty that possessed the military soul, they were three fifths smaller.

Of course, it was not impossible to fight this war.

After all, the Star-Moon Troop had the advantage of geographical location and manpower. Northern Glacier Town was Li Yueming's lair, so there was no need to transport any rations from other places. This advantage was something that the Royal Court troops could not compare to.

The mighty Royal Coalition Army was heading towards Northern Glacier Town. To be honest, when they saw the towering city walls and well-equipped troops, they were shocked.

All the higher-ups of the Royal Coalition Army were dumbfounded.

What was going on?

How could a large city that was comparable to an important town in the Central Plains appear in this godforsaken place?

There were also generals who were proficient in military affairs.

Looking at the high city walls of Northern Glacier Town, he involuntarily cried out, “You call this a town? This could already be considered a city, right?”

In the crowd, an old general said in a daze, ““Thirty years ago, when I was young, I once traveled to the border of the Great Zhou Dynasty. At that time, I went to this cold northern border, but I had never seen such a vast city here. Li Yueming is really a monster. He was able to build such a huge city in less than twenty years. It’s really unbelievable...”

The others nodded repeatedly and echoed, “Indeed, to be able to make such terrifying achievements in such a short period of time, if such a monster is not eliminated as soon as possible, my Great Zhou will probably be unable to sleep in the future!”

All the royal armored soldiers who had brought the mighty allied army into the northern region were amazed by the magnificence of Northern Ice River Town. Their fear of Li Yueming and the Star-Moon Army grew stronger.

How long had it been?

Li Yueming had already grown from an unremarkable scion of an aristocratic family to the leader of an army. A few years ago, he had seized the opportunity to unite the entire northern army to rebel and ruthlessly stomp on the head of the Great Zhou.

If they could not suppress it this time, it would not be long before the fate of the entire state would be threatened and it would be difficult to maintain.

The alliance army formed by the dukes and the Zhou royal family was stationed fifty miles away from North Ice River Town.

The army had traveled a long distance, so they naturally couldn’t fight immediately.

He had to rest for a while and grasp enough information before he could launch an attack according to the actual situation.

After the alliance army rested for five days, they launched an attack on Northern Glacier Town on the morning of the sixth day.

The soldiers of Northern Ice River Town naturally did not want to be outdone and launched a counterattack.

The two sides fought by the Northern Ice River. Millions of troops fought until the sky turned dark and rivers of blood flowed...Relying on the advantage of the city wall, the Starmoon Troop did not suffer too much in the first round.

The alliance army suddenly realized that Northern Ice River Town, after joining forces with the Western Garrison Army, was already able to contend with the Wang Ji City’s troops. Although there was still a huge gap, it would not be destroyed at a single touch.

This discovery made the upper echelons of the alliance army even more cautious.

The attacks in the next few days became more and more steady.

In terms of marching and fighting, those in strong positions should carry out the kingly way.

In a head-on clash, the Starmoon Troop, which was small in number, did not have a reserve team, while the Royal Guards could frequently change their reserves.



Under such circumstances, the Star Moon Army would definitely be defeated. Only the weaker ones would need to use schemes and tricks to make up for the difference in strength when they were unable to face the enemy head-on. As the powerful capital region army, the alliance army had twice the number of soldiers in North Glacier Town.

Under such circumstances, all the other strategies that could not be put on the table could be put aside. The alliance army only needed to crush the Star Moon Army with their raw strength.

As expected, the alliance leader's judgment was right.

As the allied forces took turns to deplete their energy, the Star Moon Troop's combat power was declining rapidly.

Half a month later, the alliance army organized a large-scale attack.

The Star Moon Army, the Northern Army, and the Western Army had all suffered great losses due to the high-intensity war. In this large-scale attack, tens of thousands of soldiers had even climbed up the walls of Northern Ice River Town.

They had almost won the war.

Although they were still chased off the city walls, this battle had caused some damage to the city walls of Northern Glacier Town.

The alliance army was overjoyed.

Northern Ice River Town had only been established for a short period of time.

Although the city walls were built very thick and heavy, in order to speed up the construction, they did not completely implement the traditional wall construction method. Instead, they used a new casting method.

This method could allow the construction of the Northern Glacier Town's city walls to be done quickly, but the strength of the city walls was still lacking.

In a battle of normal intensity, the walls of Northern Glacier Town

Chapter 520: Victory will belong to the Star Moon Army! 1

The Zhou Dynasty led the army to crusade against the northern rebels.

This matter caused a huge uproar in the entire Great Zhou.

Countless nobles in the country clapped their hands in joy. They wished that the Wang Ji Army would immediately destroy North Ice River Town and annihilate the Star Moon Army. After that, they would capture Li Yueming, the heartless and unjust person who had caused chaos in the world. Only by executing him would they be able to appease the hatred of the Qin army.

After all, during the Qin army's invasion, other than the emperor's Dragon and Tiger Guards, the ones who suffered the greatest losses were the nobles who were scattered to the south of Futian Pass.

Countless nobles were unlucky, and the hundreds of thousands of years of savings of their families were swept away by the Qin army.

Now, they naturally hated the Qin army and the Northwest.

In their opinion, if the two places in the northwest could do their best to fulfill their duty of resisting foreign enemies, they would definitely not let such a tragedy happen in the Great Zhou Central Plains.

They couldn't do anything to the violent Qin army, but they could do nothing to the rebels in the northwest.

While they were marching north, the nobles were naturally criticizing the two places in the northwest.

“Traitors of the Northwest, the disaster of the Qin army entering the pass five years ago was caused by you not doing your best to resist. These people who are disloyal to the royal family and disobey the etiquette system, everyone in the world must kill them!”

“That's right. The Qin army entered the pass and violated the Great Zhou Dynasty. The entire Futian Pass and the Jishui River were in chaos. Countless civilians were displaced, and countless nobles brought their families along. Even Haojing was almost threatened by the army...If our Great Zhou does not take revenge, how will we have the face to see the souls of the hundreds of kings who died because of the Qin rebellion?”

The vast majority of the people of Great Zhou accepted these comments.

After all, all the information channels in the world were controlled by these nobles. The information that the commoners could get was filtered and spread.

Thus, in their eyes, the last time the Qin army entered the pass, it was a rebellion in the northwest.

In fact, this statement was indeed correct in various senses.

However, everyone subconsciously overlooked one thing.

The Great Zhou had never thought of protecting the people in the northwest.

All the defense lines of the Wang Ji City's army were built at the Dragon Subdue Pass, Tiger Subdue Pass, and Futian Pass. They did not treat the northwest as part of their territory at all.

Instead, they treated him as a sacrificial chess piece and placed him on a chessboard that was bound to lose. They planned to use the blood of the soldiers in the northwest to deplete the strength of the Qin army.

Originally, this move was actually very brilliant.

The Great Zhou Empire knew that the Western Garrison Army would definitely not surrender and would fight to the death with the Qin army. They only needed to coordinate with the Northern Army to block the Qin army as they continued south after taking down the Western Garrison Pass. They would be able to protect the few checkpoints of the Great Zhou Empire from direct attacks.

If it could be carried out normally, the Great Zhou would definitely not lose much strength in this war. On the contrary, it could even weaken the strength of the northwest.

However, he did not expect the Star Moon Army to mess everything up.

Not only did he persuade the Qin army not to attack the West Garrison Pass, he also opened a path for the Qin army in the Hundred Thousand Mountains.

Caught off guard, the Great Zhou suffered a huge loss.

Therefore, hearing a group of princes and nobles who controlled public opinion speak nonsense with their eyes wide open.

There was still a group of literati and scholar-bureaucrats in the country who stood up and mocked, "It's true that the northwestern region is a traitor, but this traitor was forced to betray the Great Zhou. As for the reason, it's all because he doesn't treat the people and army of the northwestern region as the armor of the Great Zhou!"

"Back then, we proposed to send troops to the northwest. If the ministers in the court could adopt our suggestion and not blindly think about how to preserve their strength, how could the chaos of the Qin people five years ago occur?"

"The Western Garrison Pass was an ancient pass that existed in the Great Gan Dynasty. It was extremely steep and there was no other pass in the world that could compare to it! Although the Western Garrison Army was a descendant of the Great Gan, they had sacrificed a lot in order to defend against the enemies of Qin!"

"As for my Great Zhou? They were only willing to acknowledge the achievements of the Western Garrison Army on the surface. Sometimes, they did not even do a good job on the surface. In fact, they had been secretly suppressing and guarding against the western frontier... Li Yueming has made great contributions to the Great Zhou Dynasty for more than ten years, but the Great Zhou Dynasty is so stingy that they don't even dare to give him the position of Great General. The Great Zhou Dynasty doesn't even have tolerance for people in front of us, so how can we blame the Northwest for rebelling?"

The conflict between the scholars and the nobles in the Great Zhou Dynasty had a long history. Both sides had often spat at each other thousands of years ago.

There was no need to say much about the nobles. They represented the royal relatives of the Zhou royal family. Among them, the larger ones, such as King Yu in the northeast and King De in the southeast, all had fiefs.

The other fallen royal families were vassals of the Zhou royal family and a few powerful dukes, and they could barely make ends meet.

As for scholars, they were nobles with different surnames.

They had risen to power through their merits and abilities, so they naturally looked down on this group of people from the Ji family who controlled the government and ate so much but did not have much ability.

The conflict between the two sides had been established.

As the status and power of the nobles with different surnames behind the scholars became higher and higher in the country, the infiltration of the power in the hands of the nobles became more and more serious. The conflicts between the two sides became more and more intense, and they often spat at each other in the court..