

Chapter 4361: A Synonym for Terror

Hearing Long Chen's command, Gu Yang instantly turned vicious. His spear buzzed, and with a torrent of attacks, he sent his opponent wretchedly flying before piercing him through the head.

Eternal blood splashed through the air as Gu Yang stood before that giant corpse, exuding an extremely brutal aura. At this moment, he looked more savage than a wild beast.

Previously, Gu Yang hadn't gone all-out against that expert. After all, he and the others had just advanced to the World King realm and were still getting used to their new power.

Other than that, it was a rare chance to fight an Eternal expert, so he cherished this opportunity and wanted to accumulate some experience.

However, after hearing that they had another appointment, Gu Yang directly lost interest in this prey. Having figured out his opponents' moves, he killed the latter in a few blows.

In the distance, unwilling roars reverberated. As ten thousand swords sliced through the air, a giant head soared alongside them—Bai Shishi had successfully slain her target.

Following suit, Xia Chen, Guo Ran, Li Qi, and Song Mingyuan also unleashed their power, killing these terrifying Eternal experts one by one.

All the experts present were left in astonishment. Those were Eternal experts, and yet, they were slain just like that?

The Dragonblood Legion had long since gathered, confronting those heavenly geniuses of the other races. In a while, these geniuses were effortlessly sliced up like carrots in front of the formidable Dragonblood Legion.

Other human experts also joined the fray, killing the invaders and the traitors wearing their robes.

Traitors were always the most hateful existence, especially those audacious enough to openly come back and strut around. They were intolerable. Thus, no matter how they begged for mercy, their pleas fell on deaf ears.

Following the conclusion of the battle, Xia Chen gathered the corpses of the Eternal warriors, extracting their essence blood and crystal cores. Once he had obtained what he required, he handed the corpses over to Long Chen.

"Warriors of the human race, you've also seen that the other races want to exterminate our human race, sowing dissent within us. Hence, we must strike back like lightning. We cannot give them an inch. Today, I'm going to see the Six Great Lords of the Great Desolate World. We'll see if they really have three heads and six arms to dare to challenge us. If you want to participate, you can come with us!" announced Long Chen before flying straight toward the gate to the Great Desolate World.

Bai Shishi, Yu Qingxuan, Guo Ran, Xia Chen, Yue Zifeng, Bai Xiaole, and the Dragonblood Legion were right behind him. Having just slain multiple Eternal experts, the Dragonblood Legion had high morale, appearing completely unstoppable.

Seeing this scene, the Starry River Sect's experts came flying out, leaving their half-finished construction. They were all warriors, and none of them wanted to stay behind.

They weren't afraid of others destroying their buildings or stealing their materials. No one dared to undertake such actions unless they were prepared to face severe consequences.

As tens of millions of experts from the Starry River Sect joined, the other experts were affected and also charged over.

The news that Long Chen was leading an army against the Great Desolate World spread with astonishing speed as if carried by wings. Upon hearing this information, numerous experts rushed toward the Great Desolate World from every corner of the world.

However, amongst those people, some only came to watch, while the others came to help. They knew that an immense battle would sooner or later erupt between the human race and the other races. Long Chen's decision to lead an assault against the Great Desolate World marked a pivotal moment in history, one that would shape the future of the world. Hence, most of these people wanted to bear witness to history.

"Dean Long Chen, we came!"

"Senior apprentice-brother Long Chen, we're here!"

Numerous people hurriedly rushed over, with those who had fought alongside Long Chen and those he had protected during their tribulations being the first to arrive.

Upon receiving this information, many sects sent out their experts, and some of them even came out in full force.

After all, some sects had been bullied to the brink of their tolerance during Long Chen's seclusion. If they didn't strike back now, they would be forced to dissolve. Having endured up to this point, they seized this opportunity to issue a decisive challenge against their enemies.

Whether it was the humanless world or the Great Desolate World, both had sent bait toward the human race, leading many to join them. After gaining this support, they used the traitors' power to deal with some human factions.

With Long Chen now declaring war on the Great Desolate World, innumerable factions rallied to fight alongside him. Pushed to the brink, they found themselves with no choice but to counterattack.

Other than the desperate factions and those motivated by a sense of righteousness, some factions just came over for the chance to fight alongside Long Chen.

Hence, numerous experts came flooding over to the Great Desolate World.

Even the conservative factions sent people over. Even if they weren't going to participate in the battle, they wanted to bear witness to it.

“Boss, why not use transportation formations?” asked Guo Ran from behind Long Chen.

Due to not using transportation formations, they weren’t getting there particularly quickly. That was making Guo Ran a bit anxious.

“In order to give them enough time to gather people,” said Long Chen.

“Boss, are we really going to have a big battle with them?” asked Xia Chen excitedly. He understood Long Chen far too well. Based on the current situation, what Long Chen wanted probably wasn’t just to kill a few people.

“Today marks the rise of the Dragonblood Legion. When our name resounds throughout the nine heavens and ten lands, even gods and devils will tremble in front of it!” Long Chen exclaimed, and a decisive battle intent burned in Long Chen’s eyes.

“Boss, you’ve changed,” said Xia Chen excitedly.

“What?” asked Long Chen.

“I feel like the boss from the Martial Heaven Continent—the one who was unafraid of heaven or earth—has returned.” Xia Chen clenched his fists vigorously.

Hearing this, Long Chen narrowed his eyes and gradually smiled. “That’s true. I’m back. The last tribulation allowed me to find my confidence once more. If everything is right, then I shouldn’t reject or question myself. I have the golden lotus seed as a companion, and that is proof that everything I do is right. From now on, I’ll be doing whatever I want. I will run rampant and sweep through the heavens, and whoever tries to stop me, whether it’s a god or devil, I will kill them!”

Long Chen’s voice was decisive, domineering, and wild in almost a frivolous way. But it gave them a familiar feeling.

That was right. This was the Long Chen who had swept through the Martial Heaven Continent.

During his heavenly tribulation, he was always targeted by the heavens, so he wondered if he had done something wrong, causing him to be cautious as if he was treading on thin ice over a bottomless abyss.

As the final heavenly tribulation threatened to kill him, it was the golden lotus seed that intervened and saved him. Liberated from his constraints, Long Chen came to a realization: the fault did not lie with him; it was the world itself that was in error.

The golden lotus seed’s power was boundless and might even transcend the Heavenly Daos. Long Chen also remembered Aunt Gong’s words. So, since Aunt Gong had absolute trust in him, he didn’t doubt himself any longer and acted according to his own heart.

Eventually, Long Chen and his group arrived at a giant spatial gate, the gate to the Great Desolate World. Countless lifeforms had gathered behind it, and killing intent saturated the air.

“Brothers, the time to become famous has come. Today, the Dragonblood Legion will become a synonym for terror!”

Long Chen smiled sinisterly at those lifeforms behind the gate. His wings flapped, and he shot into the gate recklessly just like that.

Chapter 4362: Resolving Things with Martial Power

BOOM!

When Long Chen passed through the spatial gate, the void thundered explosively, and the entire world quivered. After that, a powerful pressure crashed down on Long Chen.

In an instant, Long Chen understood that even with both worlds fully connected, the two worlds still had their original laws present. In the Nirvana Overflow Heaven, Long Chen could unleash his power freely. However, he was somewhat restricted here. Although it wasn't that disturbing, it still affected him.

This was why those so-called Eight Great Kings and Six Great Lords simply shouted at Long Chen from through space but didn't dare to actually enter the Nirvana Overflow Heaven.

If they were to fight in the Nirvana Overflow Heaven, they would be suppressed. While they were the strongest experts of their generation, Long Chen also wasn't a weakling. Under those unfavorable terms, they had no assurance of being able to beat Long Chen.

At the same time, they were afraid of the palace master setting his sights on them. If the palace master were to personally attack them, they wouldn't even have a chance to run.

That was why they could only shout and let some of their subordinates run around the Nirvana Overflow Heaven in an attempt to force Long Chen out.

After Long Chen had passed through the gate, Guo Ran, Xia Chen, Yue Zifeng, Gu Yang, Li Qi, Song Mingyuan, Bai Shishi, Yu Qingxuan, and Bai Xiaole were right behind him. They also immediately sensed what he sensed.

However, they didn't panic and had a disdainful sneer on their faces instead.

"Long Chen, you little coward, you're finally willing to come out of your tortoise shell?"

Out of nowhere, Long Chen was surrounded by countless experts from the devil race, the beast race, the Blood race, and even the Ghost Dao. However, there was an unexpected race amidst them—the human race.

All these experts were World Kings. Each of them was a true expert, and their auras raged through the air. Their lineup stretched beyond the horizon, seemingly endless.

Within their ranks were some human experts, and they were easily identified by the distinct robes with marks. The marks could be seen on their faces as well, representing the faction they were loyal to.

Those people immediately puffed out their chests upon seeing Long Chen. Among them, one person wearing white robes with intersecting mammoth tusks stared at Long Chen coldly. He was the one to say those provoking words.

This person's aura was shockingly powerful, being a formidable Triple Supreme. Most curious of all, he vaguely possessed the aura of a demonic beast.

Following that, Guo Ran pointed his finger at that person, a talisman appeared in Xia Chen's hand, and Yue Zifeng's hand slowly grasped the hilt of his sword.

However, Long Chen simply raised his hand, indicating not to attack. Long Chen then looked at that person.

"I really don't understand why you refuse to act like a person and instead become a dog. After selling out your ancestors and betraying your soul, you dare to act arrogant here. Are you trying to bolster your own courage?"

Long Chen looked at those human experts mixed within their ranks and was infuriated, finding it incomprehensible. Just how did millions of humans join the other races?

Were they idiots? Did they not know that the humanless world and the Great Desolate World had once carried out a bloody massacre of the human race? Why were they willing to collude with these animals? Long Chen really wanted to know just how their brains worked.

Numerous human experts continued to flood out of the gate behind Long Chen. Initially, they exuded a near-zealous passion, but as they saw their enemies, a collective gasp escaped them.

They had gathered millions and millions of experts. However, compared to the Great Desolate World's experts, they were outnumbered more than ten to one.

This was their first time in the Great Desolate World. So, when they sensed the suppression of this world's laws, their confidence faltered. The hot blood Long Chen had raised within them also cooled down.

Seeing Long Chen glaring at those people, they wanted to know if Long Chen would give the signal to retreat upon seeing this disadvantageous situation.

The person Long Chen spoke to suddenly laughed. "Long Chen, stop acting so righteous. What do you mean by selling out my ancestors and betraying my soul? This is a world for the ten thousand races. The ten thousand races are the masters of this world, and the human race is just one of ten thousand. This world should be led by all ten thousand races, not dominated by one single race. Only harmony can bring about a peaceful world. Long Chen, you are constantly causing wars, causing countless lifeforms to lose their lives before their time comes. You are a sinner with the karmic debt of countless lives on your shoulders. Even the heavens want to kill you! What right do you have to criticize others?"

This person's words were incredibly sharp and struck Long Chen perfectly, enraging everyone on the Dragonblood Legion's side.

"What? You don't accept the truth? The hand of the heavens even came in your tribulation! Everyone saw it! If Long Chen was not a supremely evil existence, why would the Heavenly Daos want to destroy him so badly?" sneered that person. "You've all been tricked. Long Chen is a conman, and he is using your kindness and ignorance. He deliberately instigated a war to break this world's peace; his sins are countless and unforgivable. I'd advise you to wake up quickly. Don't keep getting tricked by him."

“Shut up! My boss has always disdained tricking others. If it weren’t for my boss, who knows how many people would have been killed by these animals? You don’t have any other skill, but your tongue is quite sharp!” Guo Ran cursed him.

“The gates to the Great Desolate World and the humanless world opened due to the will of the heavens. However, Long Chen defied the heavens and stopped them from opening. He even entered the humanless world and slaughtered innocent lifeforms, stealing their treasures. The humanless world originally had no enmity with the human race, but Long Chen deliberately sowed the seeds of dissent, dragging the entire human race into his scheming. It can be said that these two worlds’ lifeforms are all innocent. Long Chen is the main culprit. This disorder was all caused by him!” shouted that person righteously.

“Are you an idiot?! The humanless world has no enmity with the human race?! Then why did they name themselves the humanless world?!” Guo Ran was so enraged that his teeth creaked from how hard he gritted them.

It was common knowledge that the humanless world and the Great Desolate World were once shared by the ten thousand races, including the human race. But then, the humanless world’s experts wiped out the human race, and the Great Desolate World enslaved them. Nevertheless, this person actually spoke up for these animals, inverting black and white. He was absolutely hateful.

“That... that is already ancient history. I’m talking about the present. Our human race has committed many mistakes throughout history, and we have to learn from them,” argued the individual, persisting in his viewpoint.

“You!”

Guo Ran felt like he would explode from rage. He had the urge to charge out and crush this facetious bastard.

“You cannot wake up someone who’s pretending to sleep. However, you can make sure he sleeps forever!” said Long Chen as he turned from Guo Ran to the other human experts. “The reason I didn’t immediately attack is that I wanted to know what they were thinking. Now, I know, and there’s no need to waste any more words. Martial power isn’t the most optimal method for resolving problems, but unresolved problems can only be fixed with martial power. Leave it to future historians to decide who is right and who is wrong today!”

“Seven Star Battle Armor!” As Long Chen’s divine ring appeared, seven sun-like stars illuminated this world.

Chapter 4363: Natural Traitorous Bone

When Long Chen’s seven stars lit up, heaven and earth shook, and a pillar of light tore into the sky, blasting away the clouds. Under his influence, the stars above quivered, inducing a transformation in the heavens and the earth. Even though it was daytime, the stars shimmered brightly.

Starlight then cascaded down like a starry river, enveloping Long Chen. His hair took on a silver hue under the radiance, and seven stars materialized in his eyes, revolving as if they contained the workings of the universe.

The sky quivered even more intensely, and the earth cracked as rubble started to float, as if gravity itself had vanished.

After floating to a certain height, the stones exploded like fireworks. However, the shattered fragments didn't fall and continued to float.

It was like heaven and earth had flipped, and the laws of gravity were gone. Enveloped in a silver river of stars, Long Chen was like a god commanding this world. He could neither be blasphemed nor stopped.

As the river of stars flowed around him, seven in particular caused the world to shake. Long Chen's voice turned icy and emotionless as he declared, "There are many instances when talking reason fails. At that time, you can only kill, especially when it comes to people who know reason but still act muddled. Everyone has the right to make their own choices, and even if you cry, you have to finish your path. Since you've chosen to be traitors, I won't talk reason with you. You have been using the human race's good points to fawn over other races, trading the human race's blood and lives for profit. Now, the only thing to do is to kill you with brute force. We will resolve our problems in the most primitive way."

Long Chen's voice wasn't loud, yet it spread throughout the entire Great Desolate World. It was as if this world was terrified of him and had no choice but to transmit his voice throughout every part of it.

Like an imperial edict that could not be disobeyed, the ten thousand Daos obeyed it, not daring to resist.

"Who do you think you are to act arrogant after coming to the Great Desolate World? Today, you will taste the flavor of defeat. The heavenly geniuses of the human race are trash in front of my Dragon Elephant race."

Finally, someone from the other races could not endure any longer and stepped forward. He was a large man built like an iron tower, and his powerful Blood Qi caused the wind and clouds to change color.

This expert of the Dragon Elephant race advanced, his manifestation bursting into existence. A brilliant mix of a dragon cry and an elephant trumpet then echoed, shaking the ears of the onlookers until they almost bled.

An ancient Dragon Elephant manifested behind him, covered in golden scales and enveloped in primal chaos qi. It was like a Dragon Elephant of the primal chaos era had come back to life, and its supreme divine might shook the souls of everyone around.

"Your human race has always been slaves, food, and the lowest of the low since ancient times. It is only thanks to our mercy that you weren't annihilated. Now, you want to stand above us? Keep dreaming!" The Dragon Elephant expert's face twisted with malevolence, and his killing intent erupted.

BOOM!

Following that, his manifestation suddenly grew, filling heaven and earth. The Dragon Elephant's roar rang out once more and shattered the ten thousand Daos.

Numerous faces contorted with unease. Now that Guo Ran and the others could sense this expert's aura, they realized that the latter was even more terrifying than the Eternal experts they had fought before.

"Die!"

The Dragon Elephant stamped on the air and shot over, unleashing a shockwave that covered everyone on Long Chen's side.

It was suffocating, but everyone knew that this was the sacred pressure of a primal chaos era divine beast. This Dragon Elephant had already rooted himself into primal chaos and inherited the will of his ancestors. Hence, he was even more terrifying than ordinary Eternal experts.

With a fist covered in golden scales, he unleashed a punch at Long Chen. The void then collapsed around this fist, leaving a black emptiness that looked like it would devour the heavens.

"Your mercy?! Hahaha!"

Long Chen raised his head and laughed, simply slamming his palm forward.

BOOM!

A semi-circular ripple spread in the void as Grand Dao runes exploded. It was a truly world-shaking collision that shattered the land. However, what astonished everyone was that Long Chen's casual blow effortlessly stopped the Dragon Elephant's punch.

The Dragon Elephant was taken aback. After all, his punch possessed the power to destroy heaven and earth, yet when it slammed into Long Chen's hand, his force simply dissipated. He didn't even know where it went.

It was like a river flowing into the ocean, and it simply silently vanished without causing a wave. He had never encountered such a thing before.

Grabbing his enemy's fist, Long Chen sneered, "Are you trying to make me laugh to death? You dare to talk about mercy? Your Dragon Elephant race possesses a natural traitorous bone. Your ancestors wiped out the Heavenly Elephant race and then tried to destroy the true dragon race. But instead, you guys were counterattacked by the true dragon race and nearly eradicated. Even in a world teeming with savage races, those willing to devour their own ancestors can be counted on one hand. Someone who would kill their own ancestors has the audacity to call themselves kind? I've seen shameless people, but never someone as shameless as you."

Perhaps others didn't know about the history of the Dragon Elephant race. However, Long Chen had read about them in the High Firmament Academy.

It could be said that the Dragon Elephant race's birth was a mistake in and of itself. They were powerful but also savage, being far too extreme.

Viewing themselves as the most perfect race in this world, they felt that whether it was the Heavenly Elephant race or the true dragon race, they had immense flaws. Hence, these ingrates refused to admit that they came from these two races.

As the Dragon Elephant race grew stronger, the first thing they did was to kill their own mother race, the Heavenly Elephant race. Their second target was the true dragon race.

If they eradicated the Heavenly Elephant race and the true dragon race, they thought they could erase their own history and become an unrivaled, unique existence in the world.

As a result, the Dragon Elephant race ended up being too arrogant. They had no concept of just how terrifying the true dragon race was. For them to compete with them was like throwing a chicken egg at a stone.

As a result, the Dragon Elephant race was hunted down by the dragon race for tens of millions of years. It was a hunt to exterminate them.

While the Dragon Elephant race was powerful, they weren't strong enough to compete with the true dragon race. That was because a single order from the true dragon race compelled all races with any trace of dragon blood to join the fight.

The Dragon Elephant race barely managed to salvage any survivors. If they hadn't concealed themselves in scattered worlds, they would have become nothing more than a legendary existence.

Still, everyone knew that the Dragon Elephant race was powerful. It was just that Long Chen almost laughed and coughed up blood when this ingrate mentioned kindness.

"Stop spouting nonsense!" The Dragon Elephant's face twisted, his killing intent soaring. In truth, he was unaware of most of the things that Long Chen mentioned. He thought that Long Chen was just insulting him.

Driven by the Dragon Elephant race's inherent pride, he instantly went berserk. His scales illuminated, and he delivered a powerful kick toward Long Chen. In response, Long Chen also unleashed a kick. Their movements mirrored each other, and when their kicks collided, the starry sea behind Long Chen trembled.

BOOM!

The void shattered, and the Dragon Elephant let out a grunt as he flew back like a shooting star. Countless startled cries erupted behind him as people dodged.

Just as they dodged, Long Chen's figure shot after him like a bolt of lightning, and he unleashed another kick.

Chapter 4364: True Power

When Long Chen's Kunpeng wing quivered, his speed reached its peak, creating the illusion of teleportation. Even as the Dragon Elephant expert was flying back, Long Chen reached him instantaneously and delivered another kick.

Without any technique to speak of, the kick simply struck the Dragon Elephant in the face. However, before it landed, starlight enveloped Long Chen's foot.

The Dragon Elephant was enraged as he knew that Long Chen wanted to humiliate him, to bring him down beneath his feet.

BOOM!

With no time for anything more, the Dragon Elephant crossed his arms in front of him, and Long Chen's foot landed squarely on his arms. Astral power erupted, causing the Dragon Elephant to quiver as he struggled to withstand the impact.

Long Chen's foot forcefully struck the Dragon Elephant's arms, driving them into his head. The immense power not only crushed the void but also generated large energy ripples. Coughing up blood, the Dragon Elephant hastily retreated as space collapsed around him. A line of experts was then drawn into the spatial vortex he left behind and crushed to bits.

Blood flew through the air, with the majority being sucked into the spatial crack. Long Chen's Kunpeng wings once more quivered as he shot after the Dragon Elephant relentlessly, akin to a nightmare sticking to him. Space was unable to restrict Long Chen.

"Dragon Elephant Raises the Heavens!"

The Dragon Elephant's manifestation suddenly raised its four thick elephant legs, and they looked like heavenly pillars holding up the sky. When he came to a sudden stop, he slammed his hands together and actually formed a strange seal. After that, a pair of golden tusks from his manifestation tore through the sky at Long Chen.

Seeing this scene, Long Chen simply snorted and unleashed a punch that was enveloped by his seven stars.

BOOM!

A metallic ringing echoed as starlight and golden light clashed. The earth then sank beneath the impact, and an ear-piercing sound resonated throughout the entire world.

The Dragon Elephant race took several steps back, and with each step, the ground beneath him collapsed. After nine steps, he was a thousand miles away and finally stabilized himself, but blood suddenly sprayed out of his mouth. Although he had managed to forcibly endure Long Chen's punch, he was not unscathed.

When the onlookers looked at Long Chen, they saw that he was still in his punching posture. His clothes and hair billowed in the wind, with the starlight still coursing over his fist. He was like a battle god in control of the starry sky—simply unstoppable!

"The Dragon Elephant race is only at this level. Is this what you're planning to use to provoke the human race?" Long Chen regarded him with disdain, slowly retracting his fist.

Now, Long Chen stood high above the millions of experts of other races. Just by standing there, he instilled such intimidation that most of them didn't dare to move, all too shaken by his display.

That Dragon Elephant served as the leader of the Six Great Lords, who claimed to be the pinnacle of all World Kings in this world. Also, this Dragon Elephant was only slightly stronger than the rest of the Six Great Lords.

In the Great Desolate world, everyone was aware of just how strong he was, and that was why they were so shocked that he couldn't beat Long Chen and was at an immense disadvantage from the start. Their difference in power was too big.

"Damn human race, you'll never know what true power is!"

The Dragon Elephant felt a mix of shock and rage, not understanding how a human could press him to this extent.

Both his arms now radiated with a golden glow. A golden dragon manifested on one arm, and a golden elephant materialized on the other. His manifestation then quivered as primal chaos qi surged into him.

His aura expanded, fracturing the void. When the influx of primal chaos qi enveloped him, his aura underwent a significant surge.

"Die, you inferior human!" The Dragon Elephant roared and unleashed two punches at Long Chen.

Having completely entered a berserk state, the Dragon Elephant possessed the power to affect the laws of the Grand Dao. His fists could shatter the dome of the heavens.

BOOM!

Long Chen blocked him with a single fist, and the impact unleashed an immense ripple that shattered the void. Long Chen had blocked his fists just like that. Threads of powerful qi shot out in every direction like sharp swords, piercing the void.

"This is your so-called true power?" asked Long Chen.

In response, the Dragon Elephant roared furiously, and the totems on his arms grew brighter and brighter as his aura continued to climb. People were shocked to see that his power could still grow.

However, even more shocking was that Long Chen continued to press him with a single hand. With the seven stars on top of his hand and the starry sea in his divine ring, no matter how the Dragon Elephant pushed, he was unable to shake Long Chen.

Long Chen looked like the lord of the starry river, and no power could shake him.

"Damn human race! What are you so arrogant about?!"

The Dragon Elephant's veins throbbed as he was driven to madness. His aura surged relentlessly, surpassing even the prowess of Eternal experts.

The Great Desolate World's experts were forced further and further back by the terrifying qi waves. As for the Nirvana Overflow Heaven's experts, they stood at the gate, quietly watching.

Long Chen and the Dragon Elephant's battle might look like a simple clash between two experts, but it was actually a battle between the representatives of two worlds.

Victory or defeat would set the morale of the two worlds. Thus, no one had any intention of interfering. Whoever first interfered would be admitting that they had lost, and it would be a serious blow to their morale.

As both were the strongest heavenly geniuses of their worlds, the implications of this battle were immense. Both sides' experts were nervous.

However, the Great Desolate World's experts were a bit more nervous because Long Chen was just too powerful. The Dragon Elephant was suppressed this entire time and could never get the upper hand.

On the other hand, seeing that Long Chen could suppress a peak heavenly genius of the Great Desolate World, the human race's side was delighted, but they didn't dare to be careless. After all, they were now in the Great Desolate World, and their old monsters might come out at any moment.

BOOM!

Suddenly, the Dragon Elephant's aura reached its peak, triggering a profound change in his manifestation. What once seemed illusory now revealed a true Dragon Elephant. With a powerful eruption of energy, Long Chen and the Dragon Elephant were blown back at the same time.

Seeing that giant Dragon Elephant, the Great Desolate World's experts let out heaven-shaking cheers.

"The primal chaos Dragon Elephant's Eternal heroic spirit has been summoned! Long Chen, you're definitely dead!"

This Dragon Elephant was so large that the majority of its body was hidden above the clouds. The stars seemed to be right on its back, and its terrifying oppressive might made people's souls quiver.

"Do you see this? You inferior human race, what can you use to fight me?!" The Dragon Elephant expert stood atop that giant Dragon Elephant of his manifestation, his voice echoing throughout the cosmos. To everyone's surprise, his voice actually came from the enormous Dragon Elephant.

This colossal Dragon Elephant resembled a divine beast that had transcended time, as if it had emerged from the primal chaos era. Its aura struck terror into the hearts of those who saw it.

"This is it?" Long Chen shook his head.

"Even with death at hand, you still dare to act tough! Die!" The Dragon Elephant expert roared, delivering another thunderous punch. Simultaneously, the colossal Dragon Elephant behind him swung into action, its massive golden tusks slashing toward Long Chen like formidable blades.

"It seems you know nothing about true power," muttered Long Chen.

The seven stars within Long Chen's eyes glimmered and flowed. His starry river erupted in a brilliant blaze of light, unleashing a power that shook heaven and earth.

Chapter 4365: True Power

"In this world, the greatest power instills fear, giving rise to reverence. It's then through reverence that one grasps the essence of gratitude, and to comprehend both reverence and gratitude is to fathom the true meaning of power. You are nothing but a foolish elephant. How dare you speak of power? Do you not know that a summer fly cannot speak of ice, and the frog in the well cannot speak of the ocean?"

The sea of stars behind Long Chen flowed, resonating with the stars above the nine heavens. This world was then shrouded in starlight.

Seven stars that were radiant like suns stood out prominently. Encircling a central core star, the rest of the stars formed two triangular formations, and the center Violet Tower Star unleashed a torrent of violet qi, its essence coalescing into a vast sea.

Within Long Chen's Dantian, 108,000 stars quivered in unison. He was igniting the power of his Spirit Root.

This marked Long Chen's first time using the power of his Spirit Root. Once it was ignited, Long Chen had the feeling of being rooted into the ten thousand Daos.

Once adrift like rootless duckweed, he had now found solid ground and understood the martial concept of "power starting from beneath the feet".

After Long Chen had reclaimed his Spirit Root, his comprehension of the Nine Star Hegemon Body Art rose to another level. He finally understood just how important a root was.

"You're the one who's ignorant! A little human talks of power?! What a huge joke!"

The Dragon Elephant's fist merged with the enormous fist of his manifestation and smashed toward Long Chen without mercy.

Everyone could see that this Dragon Elephant's manifestation had summoned its ancestral power. Two distinct forces were converging, creating a fusion that transcended the constraints of spacetime—an irresistible power.

Seeing this scene, the human experts grew worried. This manifestation exceeded the power of the Dragon Elephant expert alone. It was practically cheating as he summoned the ancestral power of the whole Dragon Elephant race.

"The human race isn't qualified to speak of power? You really know nothing about true power. Today, I'll make you understand what it is."

Long Chen's seven star diagram suddenly grew and soared into the sky, shaking the starry sky. In an instant, the Violet Tower Star at the heart of the seven stars blazed with violet divine radiance, dyeing this world in its color.

BOOM!

People didn't even see Long Chen move and only saw violet light fill the sky. Following that, the enormous Dragon Elephant manifestation exploded.

"What?!"

An enormous figure shot through the air, crashing into the ground and creating a giant hole. The Dragon Elephant couldn't even maintain human form and used his true form to receive the shockwaves of this attack.

In human form, he was more agile. However, his defensive power was greater in his Dragon Elephant form.

Even so, everyone with sharp eyes instantly saw that the Dragon Elephant had lost one of his front legs.

BOOM!

Suddenly, the earth exploded, and the Dragon Elephant expert reappeared in human form. He was drenched in blood, and one of his arms was severed all the way to the shoulder. Long Chen had obliterated that arm in their last exchange.

“How is this possible?!”

Disbelief gripped the experts of the Great Desolate World. They had all thought that the last attack would kill Long Chen for sure. After all, no one had ever survived such a devastating attack.

Yet, to their astonishment, Long Chen not only survived but also crushed the Dragon Elephant’s manifestation and his arm. They refused to believe this.

The seven-star diagram behind Long Chen revolved, and the star at the center of it was different from the other six stars. It was pointed at Long Chen’s back, channeling a torrent of power into him.

In the past, such concentrated power would have instantly overwhelmed him. However, the present Long Chen had evolved to the point where he could withstand such an immense power surge.

Reclaiming his Spirit Blood, Spirit Root, and Spirit Bone, as well as undergoing the baptism of the heavenly tribulation had completely transformed him.

Standing in the air, Long Chen was still in his punching posture, and a wild delight shone in his eyes.

“This is the true power of the Nine Star Hegemon Body Art. The previous me hadn’t even mastered a single strand of its hair.”

Long Chen had always felt that something was amiss with his Nine Star Hegemon Body Art. He thought that he had taken the wrong path. He also had a persistent feeling that the power within the Nine Star Hegemon Body Art should be far greater than what he could unleash.

Now, his suspicions were confirmed. The power he controlled back then was truly just the tip of the iceberg. However, he hadn’t gone off the wrong path, and his cultivation path was also correct. The limitation stemmed from the fact that his physical body was too weak, so his body was instinctively protecting him, leaving him unable to tap into more power from the Nine Star Hegemon Body Art.

In other words, the more power he used, the greater risk to himself there was. Altering his body’s instincts was also not an option unless he wanted to kill himself. The amount of power he used was definitely within the range that he could control.

It wasn’t that the Nine Star Hegemon Body Art lacked power, nor was his cultivation path wrong. The main issue had been his lack of strength.

Now that he was strong enough, his body was no longer instinctively preventing him from tapping into greater power. This allowed him to comprehend more of the secrets of the nine stars and raise his comprehension.

This fist of his not only shattered the Dragon Elephant manifestation but also his bottleneck. Enlightenment struck Long Chen head-on, clearing his head. Concepts that had eluded him were incomparably obvious now.

Long Chen maintained his punching posture not for display but to linger in that profound sensation. The sense of perfection was etched deeply into his consciousness, an experience he was hesitant to relinquish. Immersed in this feeling, he hesitated to move, as he was afraid that it would vanish.

The sensation of having everything under control, of the ten thousand Daos of heaven and earth being within his grasp, was an unprecedented experience for Long Chen. This fist let Long Chen see the true terror of the Nine Star Hegemon Body Art.

“Boss is mighty!” Guo Ran cheered excitedly.

It was only after a moment that Guo Ran and the others recovered from their shock. Their boss was as strong as ever and would definitely be able to strut around wherever he went. Others might have bullied him before, but now he could bully them back.

Guo Ran’s shout drew others out of their stupor, waking them up from their dreams. They then looked from Long Chen to the Dragon Elephant expert, who was missing an arm. Finally, they accepted this reality.

Following that, heaven-shaking cheers erupted from the human race’s side. The strongest heavenly geniuses between the two worlds clashed, and Long Chen completely crushed his opponent!

“Damn bastard! I can’t lose!”

The Dragon Elephant expert suddenly let out a furious roar, raising his hand to summon a golden spear. This peculiar Eternal divine weapon bore strange marks and was crafted from the tusk of a Dragon Elephant from the desolate era—an heirloom passed down through the Dragon Elephant race. As the spear materialized, an ominous qi instantly locked onto Long Chen.

“DIE!” The Dragon Elephant expert bellowed, thrusting the spear forward. To everyone’s astonishment, his robust physique rapidly withered the moment he executed this attack. His essence blood was sucked dry by the spear.

BOOM!

This abrupt shift caught Long Chen off-guard, and by the time he reacted, the spear was already upon him. In a swift move, Long Chen extended a hand and caught the speartip. The overwhelming power of the spear flooded into him.

The void beneath Long Chen’s feet exploded, and he was pushed further and further back. It was his first time feeling shocked ever since the battle started.

The Dragon Elephant expert roared, stabbing Long Chen with all his power. However, the speartip remained half an inch away from Long Chen’s head. That tiny distance was like an invisible barrier that could not be broken through.

Just then, the space behind Long Chen twisted. A figure materialized in silence, wielding a sharp bone blade aimed at the back of his head.

“Watch out!”

Guo Ran and the others’ expressions completely changed. This figure appeared out of nowhere, and no one had sensed its existence before this.

Chapter 4366: Blood Debt Paid With Blood

“Despicable!” people cried out. After all, this expert from the Great Desolate World had just launched a shameless sneak attack on Long Chen.

Before this, Long Chen and the Dragon Elephant expert’s clash had been a straightforward fight, and that was why no one from the Dragonblood Legion had moved.

However, everything changed when this expert resorted to a sneak attack, infuriating the Dragonblood Legion.

“Since you’re so shameless, there’s no need for us to hold back. Brothers, kill them all!” shouted Guo Ran.

“Kill!”

The Dragonblood warriors took out their weapons and charged forward like hungry wolves.

BOOM!

At this time, a heaven-shaking explosion erupted on Long Chen’s side. The expert wielding the white bone blade ruthlessly stabbed it into Long Chen’s back. Fortunately, Long Chen had summoned a seven-color shield beforehand, and it forcibly blocked this attack.

The void then quivered, and the attacker slowly appeared. When everyone saw that figure, they were shocked.

“Shadow race!”

So it was a Shadow race expert. No wonder he had such skill in hiding, and no one had noticed him.

Long Chen, however, surprised the Shadow expert by having set up defenses in advance. Most shocking of all was that he could fend off both the Dragon Elephant’s spear and the Shadow expert’s killing blow at the same time.

Despite the silent nature of the assault, it carried the full extent of the Shadow expert’s power, yet it failed to breach Long Chen’s formidable shield. The Shadow expert instantly had a bad feeling.

He quivered, seamlessly blending into the void, becoming as transparent as water. Following the failure of his lethal strike, he swiftly retreated—a standard maneuver for assassins.

“World Extermination Flame Lotus!”

However, before he could escape, a slender hand holding a white flame lotus appeared, and the flame lotus exploded.

This was different from Long Chen's immense World Extermination Flame Lotus, which was thousands of miles wide. This flame lotus was only the size of a fist, looking both beautiful and refined.

Nevertheless, this refined flame lotus was even more lethal. After going through the heavenly tribulation, Huo Linger comprehended a new technique.

Back when the flames of the ten thousand Daos tried to refine Long Chen when he was trapped in the fake Earth Cauldron, Huo Linger absorbed their power. Hence, not only had her power grown, but she had also made countless breakthroughs in terms of comprehension.

The flames of the ten thousand Daos encapsulated all flames within the nine heavens and ten lands. Although only a trace of their individual powers had appeared, they had merged into one back then. After absorbing it, Huo Linger received enlightenment and started to create her own flame techniques.

With all that enlightenment, Huo Linger managed to modify the foundation of this technique and came up with this mini World Extermination Flame Lotus.

This fist-sized flame lotus was actually a compression of that enormous flame lotus, so its power was incredibly concentrated. The moment it exploded, the world was covered in terrifying white flames.

"AHH!"

A wretched figure screamed within the sea of white flames and came flying out of it. It was precisely the assassin of the Shadow race.

Even someone as strong as him was left in a wretched state from Huo Linger's attack. White flames enveloped him, and he did his best to extinguish them by patting his body.

BANG!

Suddenly, a shocking scene occurred. Due to slapping his own body too hard, his hand actually exploded.

His shattered hand then transformed into dozens of ice fragments that fell to the ground, still burning. It was like meteors falling to the ground.

The Shadow race expert continued to scream in terror and no longer dared to pat himself. He simply allowed the white flames to burn him as he fled deep into the Great Desolate World.

"Raging Flame Dragon Cage!"

All of a sudden, the Shadow race expert was surrounded by pillars of white flames, akin to an enormous cage.

"Raging Flame Deathblow!"

When Huo Linger's hand seals changed, the flame prison rapidly shrank. In response, the Shadow expert screamed in terror. His manifestation burst into existence as he tried to stop it.

However, no matter how he struggled, the prison continued to shrink. A powerful pressure then crashed down on him.

"Save me!" the Shadow expert suddenly shouted.

Following that, the void quivered, and four figures shot toward Huo Linger. They had incredibly powerful auras that rivaled those of the Dragon Elephant or the Shadow expert.

All six of the Six Great Lords, the strongest experts of the Great Desolate World's junior generation, had appeared now.

The strongest of them was the Dragon Elephant expert, but he was suppressed by Long Chen, and the Shadow expert was trapped by Huo Linger, his life hanging by a single thread. No longer able to sit still, four of them attacked together.

BOOM!

At that moment, a piercing scream erupted from the Dragon Elephant expert. Startled, the four of them swiftly turned around and were so terrified that their hair stood on end.

They saw Long Chen holding the speartip in one hand, forcing the Dragon Elephant expert back further and further away. Then, with a swift motion, Long Chen seized the spear with both hands and forcefully thrust the spear base into the chest of the Dragon Elephant expert.

"The Dragon Elephant race is nothing. In your next life, remember not to say big words when you don't have the power to back them up," said Long Chen. His arms suddenly shook.

"Stop!"

The resonating roar of an Eternal expert filled the air, accompanied by a terrifying aura that targeted Long Chen.

However, it was too late. Despite the pressure, Long Chen unleashed his power without hesitation, blowing the Dragon Elephant expert apart violently.

"You damn human race! I will make you pay your blood debt with blood!"

The void ruptured into chaos. An elder wreathed in an Eternal aura appeared, his Blood Qi erupting. A golden spear then stabbed toward Long Chen.

"Pay blood debt with blood? Alright, we'll do as you say!"

Long Chen's gaze crackled with intensity. When he raised the seized spear, the river of stars behind him quivered, and the spear became covered in countless star marks.

"He can use the Dragon Elephant race's ancestral divine weapon? How can that be?!" The Great Desolate World's experts let out startled cries, unable to believe what they were seeing.

This divine weapon could only be activated using the Dragon Elephant race's bloodline. Long Chen was a human, so it was impossible for him to use it.

However, the spear in his hand grew brighter with time, and its aura also intensified. Suddenly, cracks appeared throughout the spear as if it couldn't endure his power.

Long Chen suddenly stabbed the spear at the Eternal expert in front of him.

BOOM!

Long Chen's spear had yet to even touch his opponent when it suddenly exploded, unable to contain his power. However, the moment it exploded, a river of stars was unleashed, crashing toward that Eternal expert.

Chapter 4367: Mountains of Corpses

The spear made of a golden elephant tusk exploded. However, what replaced it was a starry river spear containing unmatched destructive power.

BOOM!

When this new spear struck the Eternal expert's spear, the power of the starry river erupted. The Eternal expert then crumbled out of existence along with his spear.

Starlight filled the sky, but the Eternal expert was gone, leaving no trace behind, not even his corpse.

"How can this be? That's an Eternal expert! Even if his physical body was destroyed, at least his bones should remain!"

Long Chen's attack not only scared his enemies but also his allies. They were all stunned.

This attack had exceeded the scope of their understanding. Given just how powerful the body of an Eternal expert was, even a drop of their blood would stain the ground for tens of thousands of years.

However, after this attack, that Eternal expert from the Dragon Elephant race was wiped out of existence, not even his bones remaining. If the onlookers hadn't witnessed the explosive death firsthand, they might suspect that he had been mysteriously transported elsewhere.

BANG!

Just as Long Chen wiped out the Eternal expert, Huo Linger's cage compressed to the limit, and the Shadow expert was crushed to nothing.

As for the remaining four geniuses who tried to save him, they were unable to reach Huo Linger, as Bai Shishi, Gu Yang, Xia Chen, and Guo Ran blocked them.

"Dragonblood Cross Slash!"

Guo Ran was the fastest. As he raised his sabers at his target, his battle armor lit up. The Dragonblood warriors behind him unleashed their powerful Blood Qi as well, and dragon cries rang out.

The expert Guo Ran had set his sights on was a greater demon with overflowing demonic qi. The latter then opened his mouth and spat out a blood arrow.

It was a simple move but contained his full power. As one of the peak experts of the Great Desolate World, he had his own pride and his own temper. After all, two of their Great Lords had been wiped out in the first clash. If they didn't counterattack now, the Great Desolate World would become laughingstocks. As a result, he wanted to kill Guo Ran in one move to win back the face of the Great Desolate World. Even knowing that Guo Ran was just one of Long Chen's subordinates, this demon expert unleashed his full power with this attack, as this was their one chance to win back face.

The Eternal experts of the Great Desolate World were already charging over. As long as this demon expert killed his target instantly, then in the future, he would be the greatest heavenly genius of the Great Desolate World.

BOOM!

A giant cross smashed into the blood arrow, and the latter was instantly crushed, like tofu being struck by an iron hammer. It wasn't even able to halt the giant cross.

"Impossible!"

The greater demon was stunned. Before he could react, the Dragonblood Cross Slash already blasted through his attack and struck him, blowing him apart.

The attack continued, leaving a giant cross shape in the void wherever it passed.

The cross left behind flames in its wake; that was the laws of the Grand Dao being incinerated. The sheer magnitude of this attack left countless onlookers astounded, including Guo Ran.

However, Guo Ran reacted the fastest. After he rested his sabers on his shoulders, he arrogantly said, "What Six Great Lords? You aren't even able to receive a single attack from me, but you dare to call yourselves great?"

Guo Ran's voice echoed throughout the air. With his flashy battle armor, he appeared incredibly powerful and arrogant. The enormous cross lingered in the void before him.

The Dragonblood warriors were left speechless. The attack had evidently been the culmination of all their combined power to kill their opponent, yet in Guo Ran's words, it was just a single casual blow from him.

However, they were already used to Guo Ran's shamelessness. If he didn't show off when he had such a good opportunity, he wouldn't be Guo Ran.

The Dragonblood warriors knew his antics, but the others wouldn't. They thought that this casual blow from Guo Ran didn't seem inferior to that of Long Chen.

After Guo Ran killed his target in one move, Xia Chen, Gu Yang, and Bai Shishi clashed with the other three experts.

Gu Yang and Bai Shishi unleashed their full power. Facing the Great Desolate World's strongest experts of the junior generation, they naturally couldn't hold back.

As for Xia Chen, he was even more ruthless. With a wave of his hand, tens of thousands of talismans flew out, each of them being a killing talisman. Following that, all kinds of energies condensed. Some talismans transformed into prisons, some transformed into beasts, and some even took human form and detonated after charging at their target.

The Great Desolate World's experts had never encountered experts like them. The three Great Lords were pressed back, barely able to hold them off.

"Kill!"

At this time, the Dragonblood warriors flooded forward. Wielding their growth Eternal divine weapons, they started a slaughter. Every stroke of their sword would kill one of the experts of the Great Desolate World.

The Great Desolate World's experts gathering here today were all powerful figures of the junior generation, elites amongst elites. However, even if they were all Triple Supremes, they were nothing in front of the Dragonblood warriors.

The Dragonblood warriors unleashed their might like tigers freed from their cages, demonstrating incomparable savagery. Every single one of their moves seemed almost suicidal, as if they were willing to throw their lives away just to bring down their opponents.

Ever since the Great Desolate World had crushed the human race, a battle of this magnitude had never unfolded. As a result, neither the junior nor senior generations ever confronted enemies as savage as the Dragonblood warriors.

In the first clash between the two armies, the Great Desolate World's experts instantly crumbled. The air was filled with the gruesome spectacle of flesh and blood. Terror gripped their hearts, compelling them to retreat.

After that, their morale instantly plummeted, and the Dragonblood warriors slaughtered them easily.

The Great Desolate World's experts outnumbered them ten to one, but the moment the Dragonblood Legion stepped forward, they were utterly defeated.

It had to be known that the other human experts had not even attacked yet. Around five thousand Dragonblood warriors were already enough to terrify them.

Hence, when the Starry River Sect's warriors and the rest of the human race's experts fell upon them, this battlefield became a slaughter ground. The earth was instantly dyed red with blood.

"Kill them! Don't retreat! Cut off their rear and slaughter the human race!"

At this moment, a furious roar rang out, accompanied by an eruption of devil qi. An Eternal expert of the devil race had come. After that, more and more Eternal auras erupted. The Great Desolate World's Eternal experts were revealing themselves.

"Brothers of the Dragonblood Legion, we've come from the mortal world to the immortal world, and we've never done something like wiping out an entire race. However, today, these foes before you wish to wipe out the entire human race. There is no more mercy. Slaughter them all! Every lifeform from the Great Desolate World will be slain today to avenge the humans they slaughtered! Teach them what respect is! Today, we will kill them until rivers of blood flow, until mountains of corpses pile up!" shouted Long Chen.

Killing intent ignited in his eyes as the seed of slaughter, confined deep within his soul, gradually broke free from its seal. A power that Long Chen had long restrained now stirred awake.

Long Chen's golden wings quivered, propelling him through the battlefield toward the incoming devil expert. He raised his hand, summoning the Seven Peak Sword into existence, and with a swift motion, he slashed it through the air.

Chapter 4368: Eternal Battle

BOOM!

The Seven Peak Sword slashed through the air, and the devil race's Eternal expert raised a devil blade. When these two divine weapons clashed, Long Chen's Seven Peak Sword exploded.

The Seven Peak Sword, in essence, was Long Chen's bloodline divine ability. Although it was normally able to block Eternal divine weapons, it couldn't beat them after the true potential of these weapons manifested in the hands of Eternal experts. In the end, Long Chen's Seven Peak Sword fell short of a true Eternal divine weapon.

However, when the Seven Peak sword exploded, the devil Eternal expert was also forced back, his arm going numb.

When the Seven Peak Sword in Long Chen's right hand exploded, a seven-color spear appeared in his left hand, and Long Chen stabbed it at the Eternal expert.

"What?!"

That Eternal expert was taken aback. He hadn't expected Long Chen to not need any adjustment period after unleashing such a powerful blow. In other words, he was capable of unleashing powerful attacks like this without accumulating any energy.

What the Eternal expert didn't know was that Long Chen's current physical body had been strengthened to the point where even Long Chen didn't know how strong it was.

Previously, the dissonance between his power and body had forced Long Chen to meticulously calculate the strain on his body with every attack. However, he was now entirely capable of using his power. What were considered big moves before could now be freely unleashed without hesitation.

The Eternal expert's hurried attempt to block led to the spear penetrating his chest, creating a sizable hole in his body.

At this time, a giant claw slammed down at Long Chen. Another Eternal expert emerged, and even before the attack landed, the Heavenly Daos themselves already started to crumble. This was the full force of an Eternal expert.

"Split the Heavens 1!"

Seeing this scene, Long Chen knew that he couldn't continue pursuing that devil expert. The Seven Peak Sword once more condensed in his hand, and he swung it at the giant claw.

BOOM!

Long Chen's Seven Peak Sword exploded, knocking away the enormous claw. Blood then sprayed out of it. This claw that was comparable to an Eternal divine weapon was injured.

Having repelled the claw, Long Chen was about to hunt down the injured devil expert when he found that the latter was already running.

“You think that you can run? You’re overthinking things.”

Guo Ran raised a crossbow that was even bigger than he was. Following that, Long Chen barely saw a streak of light before that devil expert’s head suddenly exploded.

“Boss has said that the Great Desolate World will be flipped on its head today. Where do you think you’re going to run today?” sneered Guo Ran, his voice ringing throughout the entire battlefield.

That metallic voice contained no emotion, terrorizing everyone around. The fact that Guo Ran had just killed an Eternal expert in one blow was even more terrifying.

It had to be said that Guo Ran was skilled in grasping the right timing. Gravely wounded by Long Chen, the Eternal expert experienced a drastic decline in his spiritual perception. Completely absorbed in his escape, he became an easy target for Guo Ran, who seized the right moment to eliminate him.

However, outsiders didn’t comprehend that. Seeing Guo Ran kill an Eternal expert in one blow, they placed him in the same power rank as Long Chen. At the very least, the Great Desolate World’s experts felt that this was Guo Ran’s true power.

“Kill!”

Long Chen’s Kunpeng wings quivered as he shot into the air. The Seven Peak Spear tore through the clouds, and a scream echoed from above as blood cascaded down. Soon after, a devil bird’s figure materialized.

The Eternal expert who had earlier assaulted Long Chen was now impaled by the spear, his divine feathers scattering in a frenzied whirlwind. Eternal blood rained upon the world, and Long Chen charged straight to the source of the Eternal blood.

“Kill them!” The Eternal experts from the Great Desolate World roared in fury. Their rage was genuine. Millions of years back, the human race had been formidable, yet these creatures had ultimately vanquished them.

Now, after millions of years, a group of brats from the human race actually dared to come to their world, proclaiming their desire to annihilate them. It was an absolute insult for them.

More and more Eternal experts came charging in, flocking around Long Chen. They clearly understood the principle of taking down the king first. As long as they killed Long Chen, the human race’s morale would plummet to rock bottom.

Long Chen was wielding the Seven Peak Spear in his left hand and the Seven Peak Sword in his right. Surrounded by Eternal experts, there was nowhere for him to go.

While Long Chen was confident in himself, if he was surrounded by hundreds of Eternal experts, he would still meet his end. However, he was still fearless. From the mortal world to the immortal world, the thing he feared the least was a group battle. These Eternal experts might be powerful, but they had no skill in working together. Also, their combat experience was extremely average.

Long Chen was incredibly fast as he avoided the attack of a devil expert, causing it to strike another expert’s attack. With their attacks clashing, both of them received a backlash from the other’s power. In an instant, Long Chen’s Seven Peak Sword and Seven Peak Sword left his hands, piercing their bodies.

“Explode!”

Following that, Long Chen’s divine weapons exploded in their bodies, causing two Eternal experts to instantly hack up blood, half of their bodies gone. Although they didn’t immediately die, they were severely wounded.

Long Chen spread his hands, and the Seven Peak Spear and Seven Peak Sword appeared once more. His divine ability allowed him to summon weapons comparable to Eternal divine weapons limitlessly, as long as his seven-color Supreme Blood did not run out.

Even when surrounded by so many Eternal experts, Long Chen fought crazily. Occasionally, he would severely wound an Eternal expert.

However, there were so many of them that anyone injured would be instantly replaced, leaving no gap to exploit. In the midst of this relentless assault, a beam of Sword Qi cut through the void. Unable to evade in time, an Eternal expert was pierced through the head. He stiffened before plummeting to the ground.

“It’s that sword cultivator! Kill him together!”

“Sword cultivators have weak defenses! As long as we reach him, he’ll definitely die!” shouted an expert of the Great Desolate World.

The power of sword cultivators was known to all, but their weakness was obvious as well. Yue Zifeng possessed unparalleled killing prowess, but if any attacks managed to reach his body—even a seemingly ordinary strike—it could prove fatal.

With Yue Zifeng’s appearance, a small portion of the experts surrounding Long Chen went to deal with him. They didn’t want to give Yue Zifeng any chance to show off.

“Heaven earth spirit!”

Just as those Eternal experts were about to reach Yue Zifeng, the entire Great Desolate World quivered. After that, the earth rose, and two giant earthen giants blocked their path.

Li Qi and Song Mingyuan stood on the top of the giants’ heads. When they formed hand seals, the earth giants mirrored them. After that, two enormous hands slammed onto the ground.

An enormous earthen wall rose out of the ground, adorned with countless flowing runes reminiscent of metal attributes. It was like an iron wall.

The appearance of this wall caught the charging experts off guard. Unable to halt their momentum, they collided with the wall, abruptly halting their advance toward Yue Zifeng.

They blasted through this thick wall, yet they did so rather wretchedly. Quite a few of them were bleeding, as the wall that Li Qi and Song Mingyuan had summoned was exceptionally hard. Even Eternal experts were momentarily dazed by the impact of charging through it.

“There’s such a good thing too? Kill!”

Upon seeing this, Guo Ran excitedly took out his giant crossbow again and shot a torrent of arrows.

Chapter 4369: Mutual Destruction?

Guo Ran shot out nine arrows, and six of them accurately pierced through the heads of Eternal experts. As the arrows were made of the highest grade materials, they were incomparably sharp, comparable to that of Eternal divine weapons.

In addition to their sharpness, formations were also intricately carved onto the arrows. Hence, upon piercing flesh, the arrowheads would detonate. What made it even more insidious was that the explosion unleashed various energies, including metal, wood, water, fire, earth, and other energies that now ran rampant within the affected area.

Worst of all, the shattered fragments carried a potent poison. Xia Chen felt like these arrows were a bit too evil, but Guo Ran didn't mind.

According to Guo Ran, anyone who could force him to use these arrows was definitely an enemy, and when facing enemies, his sole objective was to kill them. Whether the means were deemed evil or sinister held little significance to him. After all, the one to survive was the hero.

Since this was his way of living, he had to make the most terrifying killing items—these malicious arrows. Even if they didn't strike vital areas, they could still kill their targets. And if they were to strike the head, then even Eternal experts would meet a grisly end.

Following the release of those nine arrows, seven Eternal experts were slain. While the two survivors might have dodged fatal hits, they were swiftly dispatched by the coordinated efforts of Gu Yang and Bai Shishi.

The rest who breached the earthen wall were injured as well. After all, the wall summoned by Li Qi and Song Mingyuan exhibited astonishing defensive capabilities, catching them off-guard. Crashing into it with their physical bodies proved to be dangerous.

Sword qi then swept through the air, decapitating the heads of the injured enemies. Yue Zifeng's sharp Sword Qi proved to be even more terrifying than Eternal divine weapons. In front of him, even Eternal experts seemed remarkably fragile.

"Brothers, kill!"

Guo Ran put away his crossbow and switched back to his sabers. As his golden wings flapped, he shot toward those Eternal experts like a bolt of lightning.

In his armor, Guo Ran was unstoppable. He completely ignored the attacks of Eternal experts, allowing them to simply strike him while he counterattacked.

"What damn thing is this!?" roared an Eternal expert of the Great Desolate World. His razor-sharp claws swiped at Guo Ran's neck, but they failed to leave a mark. Instead, his fingernails hurt and started to bleed.

It had been countless years since the experts from the Great Desolate World engaged in battle against the human race, and they had never encountered armor like Guo Ran's before.

Guo Ran's armor consisted of hundreds of pieces, with each part reaching the level of an Eternal divine weapon. As for the runes placed on his battle armor, they were a thousand times more complicated than the grand formations of some sects. Now, he seemed more like a mobile battle fortress than a person.

Those Eternal experts were unable to harm him even when they unleashed their full power. On the other hand, a casual blow from Guo Ran would heavily injure or even kill his target.

Guo Ran was now unrivaled. Although his killing power was inferior to that of Long Chen, in terms of defense, he was an iron tortoise. Anyone who bit him would break their own teeth.

On the other side, Long Chen started to become ruthless as well, exchanging injury for injury. Almost every single one of his attacks took the life of an Eternal expert, and in exchange, he was constantly racking up injuries. However, his physical body was incredibly powerful, so those wounds were just superficial.

The source of despair for the Great Desolate World's experts was Long Chen's ability to heal instantly. In some instances, the wounds would heal completely before the blood could even flow.

"Stop! Stop the fight!"

One of the Great Desolate World's Eternal experts suddenly shouted, his voice reverberating all over the battlefield.

"We must seek peace! Killing cannot solve our issues!"

All the Great Desolate World's experts were in a state of panic. Long Chen and his companions were utterly brutal, just like merciless fiends that reaped lives without hesitation.

"This world truly does need peace, but not now. Don't worry, once you die, this world will have peace," sneered Long Chen as he continued to kill. Talking about peace now? What was he doing before?

Long Chen continued his bloody slaughter and fought even more viciously now. He seemed invincible, each of his attacks tearing heaven and earth apart. The shockwaves from his attacks scarred the world, leaving behind giant holes in the sky that turned the landscape into a chaotic array resembling beehives.

The power of the seven stars completely broke the laws of this world. This overwhelming power was beyond the world's ability to instantaneously heal.

Drenched in blood, Long Chen resembled a figure clad in blood battle robes, akin to the reincarnation of a devil god. Most of the blood covering him belonged to the opposing Eternal experts, and they still gave off a potent and pungent smell.

Another Eternal expert shouted, "Stop! Otherwise, we'll just destroy each—"

Before he could finish, Long Chen already killed him with Split the Heavens. The next moment, his enormous corpse thudded to the ground.

"Who are you trying to scare? If you have the ability, come and try it!" Long Chen snorted. The starry river behind him flowed, and he raised the Seven Peak Sword toward the heavens. In an instant, chilly killing intent filled his eyes.

Long Chen lost count of the number of Eternal experts he had slain. Immersed in the power of the seven stars, he sensed that the true potential of the Nine Star Hegemon Body Art remained a mystery to him.

Compared to before, his control over the Seven Star Battle Armor had improved by leaps and bounds. With each kill, his Seven Star Battle Armor displayed an enhanced ability to resist the laws of the world.

At first, a stroke of his sword would suppress the laws of heaven and earth but not cause them to completely collapse. But now, even after using up quite a great deal of energy, his destructive power somehow grew. That was why this world was riddled with holes.

The potency of the Seven Star Battle Armor transcended mere strength; there was a hidden force within it that Long Chen couldn't precisely explain, and it seemed to be gradually strengthening as he killed these Eternal experts.

"Could it be that the Nine Star Hegemon Body Art was made to kill?" A thought suddenly flashed through Long Chen's mind.

"Damn human race, since you want to die, we'll drag you down with us!"

One of the Great Desolate World's Eternal experts suddenly roared and transformed into an enormous divine bird. His Blood Qi surged, enveloping him in a fiery aura as flames ignited around him.

Seeing that expert enter this state, the other Eternal experts gritted their teeth. They then fell back and summoned their true bodies.

Flames engulfed over eighty Eternal experts, setting their essence blood ablaze. The enormous divine bird then absorbed the ignited Eternal power, its aura growing more terrifying with each passing moment.

"Not good! They want to unleash something big!" Xia Chen and the others' expressions changed.

The Great Desolate World had originally had over two hundred Eternal experts, and now only these eighty-plus experts remained. Hence, they had no choice but to risk it all.

"Retreat!"

In the distance, some experts shouted in terror and fled through the spatial gate immediately. After all, these onlookers didn't come to participate in the battle. They simply remained by the spatial gate the entire time so that they could flee when the time came.

As for the experts fighting, even if they wanted to run, they didn't have the time. In the end, they chose to stand behind the Dragonblood Legion as this terrifying attack brewed.

Although they were also afraid, when they saw Long Chen's figure and his calm expression, they felt confidence swell up within them.

The void rumbled along with the entire Great Desolate World. The power of over eighty Eternal experts gathered together, their Blood Qi raging.

Long Chen simply put away the Seven Peak Sword. Standing at the front, he looked coldly at those Eternal experts and sneered, "Who do you think you're trying to scare?"

Chapter 4370: The Strongest Clash

Even in front of over eighty Eternal experts gathering their power, Long Chen's expression didn't change. He simply walked to the front and looked at them coldly.

Numerous onlookers were shocked by his words. Just what was going on? Was this whole setup really just to scare Long Chen and the others away? That didn't seem like it.

The Great Desolate World's Eternal experts were quivering. Their Blood Qi was pouring out of them and entering that divine bird, causing the bird's destructive aura to constantly grow.

"Idiot, even in the face of death, you still dare to act tough. Our combined power is unstoppable by anyone in this world. All of you will die!" roared an Eternal expert.

"But if you scram now, you'll still have a chance to live." The Eternal expert suddenly added an extra line that stunned the onlookers.

What was going on? After preparing this terrifying move, the Great Desolate World's experts wanted them to run? Were they really so kindhearted?

"When you slaughtered the human race, did you give them a chance to live? I already said, 'Today is the day we settle all our debts.' You owe the human race a debt, and I'll be taking it from you, including the interest. A blood debt must be paid in blood. Don't even think about getting away. With the Dragonblood Legion here, either you all die, or we all die. There is no third choice," said Long Chen.

"Stubborn pig! Since you want to die so badly, we'll just kill you all!" shouted that Eternal expert.

All of a sudden, the Eternal experts of the Great Desolate World exuded a pillar of light that flowed into the Eternal divine bird in the sky. That light then formed a bridge that connected all of their energy.

"They're using the laws of the Heavenly Daos to merge their power into one! Only Heavenly Dao energy can bridge the gap between different races to merge their power," said Xia Chen gravely.

"Have they become the master of this world? Otherwise, how could they control the power of the Heavenly Daos?" asked Bai Xiaole.

"That's impossible. If they were the masters of this world, we would have been powerless to fight them," said Bai Shishi.

No matter how strong a person was, how could they fight the very world? Furthermore, these Eternal experts simply didn't have the power to gain control over this world.

Although they might be able to cross the gap between their races to merge their power, Bai Shishi refused to believe that they had gained control over the Great Desolate World.

In that moment, an increasing surge of power welled up within the Eternal divine bird. A horrifying pressure altered the color of the world, sending shivers down even the spines of the Dragonblood warriors. Never before had they witnessed such overwhelming and terrifying force.

"Fools! Do you really want to die?" cursed that Eternal expert.

"I understand! This move is a sacrificial technique! After this, all of them will die!" exclaimed Guo Ran suddenly.

After he said this, the others also understood. It was no wonder they had been holding back the entire time and were just accumulating power instead of unleashing it. So, they were trying to scare Long Chen and the others away.

This was a desperate gambit, an action they were unwilling to face the repercussions of. They were just trying to scare Long Chen and his companions away.

Long Chen had long since seen through this play. According to his calculations, if they were to unleash this move, that divine bird would definitely die as the core of this power, and the others would at least be on the verge of death, if not actually dead. They would no longer have the power to keep fighting.

At that time, even if Long Chen and the others were slain, the rest of the Nirvana Overflow Heaven's people could simply come and wipe them out. Then the Great Desolate World would be under the rule of the human race.

"Bastards, all of you can die!"

The divine bird's wings spread, and a blazing sun appeared in its beak.

Buzz.

An overwhelming aura of impending death suddenly enveloped everyone on Long Chen's side. Numerous hearts in the group trembled in fear, and this triggered their instinct to flee. However, witnessing Long Chen and the others standing firm, they gritted their teeth and resisted the urge to run.

"Since you refuse to make your move, we won't stand on courtesy. Guo Ran, start your performance."

Long Chen turned to Guo Ran, and he instantly understood. After his battle armor lit up, he crossed his sabers in front of him.

"Can you do it?" whispered Long Chen.

"It'll be no problem," said Guo Ran confidently.

Long Chen pressed a hand on the back of Guo Ran's armor. Following that, a majestic dragon cry resounded throughout heaven and earth. Long Chen had put away his starry sea manifestation and summoned the Dragon King Battle Armor instead.

A surge of violent power coursed into Guo Ran, causing his battle armor to radiate an unprecedented brilliance. The clouds in the sky were blasted away, and the millions of runes on his armor illuminated with intensity.

At this time, over five thousand Dragonblood warriors also unleashed the power of their dragon blood, sending it into Guo Ran's armor. After that, every single rune on his armor seemed to come to life.

Feeling all this energy, Guo Ran was unable to control his excitement. However, his expression quickly changed. Some parts of his battle armor were reaching their limit and could not contain more power.

In previous tests with the Dragonblood warriors, the combined addition of all their power could, at most, bring Guo Ran's armor to sixty percent of its limit. There was no need to worry about exceeding the limits of his battle armor.

However, with the addition of Long Chen, that wild power poured into his battle armor, instantly propelling it to its limit.

“Dragonblood Cross Slash!”

Guo Ran was so frightened that he instantly unleashed his technique, afraid his battle armor would explode if he waited a second longer.

BOOM!

A giant cross emanated from Guo Ran's sabers, slashing toward the divine bird in the sky.

On the other hand, the Great Desolate World's experts simply didn't want to unleash their final move. After all, they didn't want mutual destruction and just sought to scare them off.

Their plan was well thought out—by instilling fear, they hoped to initiate negotiations. Even giving Long Chen and the others a sky-high price for peace wasn't out of the question.

However, Long Chen didn't fall for it. He actually attacked first, and it stunned the Great Desolate World's experts. They found themselves trapped in the corner that they had backed themselves into.

“Kill them!” The Eternal experts roared with fury. Since they had no other way out, they could only risk it all.

All their power was instantly sucked away. The divine bird swelled and then erupted, and at that moment, the blazing sun in its mouth shot out.

The sun collided with the cross—one side bearing the death blow of over eighty Eternal experts, and the other side carrying the combined power of over five thousand Dragonblood warriors. This was a world-shaking collision.

BOOM!

These two supreme attacks crashed together just like that.