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Chapter 1071 - Paths Different

"I see disturbance in your eyes, and a type of regret, even sorrow. Why is that?" This woman who looked more and more stunning asked.

"Cannot be explained clearly, cannot be understood, impossible to communicate with, the past unknown... with all of these added together, how can one's mind not be in disorder?" Shi Hao released a light sigh.

When one reached their level of cultivation realm, they were naturally able to see through many things. The young lady clearly sensed his great helplessness.

"You wish to speak about the devils of the other world?"

Shi Hao didn't say anything. He knew that it was too hard to explain, these types of deeply rooted thinking, how could his one-sided story change anything? It wasn't realistic at all.

What could he even say? Even if he tried his hardest, it would most likely still be ineffective. He couldn't pull back this young lady, unable to make her turn around.

It was to the extent where he felt that even if he released his divine senses, allowing the young lady to observe his memories without any misgivings, it would still be too difficult.

What was wrong wasn't her, but this entire world.

Even if Shi Hao produced something as proof for this world's people to see, he might still be treated as a lunatic and not be understood.

"Your mind is clouded with thoughts, seemingly hesitating. Don't tell me that it is because of the devils on the other side?" The young lady asked with a smile. She was rather sharp.

Similarly, she also didn't understand. This was something everyone in this world was familiar with, so what was there to feel conflicted about, what was there to doubt?

"Once one cultivates to our level, producing three strands of immortal energy, when one's mind is calm, I believe all different matters of the mortal world will be understood. You do not need to feel distressed." The young lady continued to advise.

When Shi Hao heard this, he could only release a heavy sigh.

"I wish to tell you a story." Finally, he still couldn't hold himself back, wishing to tell her the truth. As for whether or not it would prove useful at all, he didn't worry about that anymore, only acting to feel at ease.

This female genius was just as strong as him, able to face Ten Crown King. If she reached the other side and they fought each other when the time came, that would be too much of a pity.

"Oh? What kind of story? Is it something you saw from ancient texts?" The young lady asked, clearly guessing at something, helping him continue this conversation.

"Yes, I saw it within an ancient text." Shi Hao nodded. He spoke about the past events of the other side of the world.

"There are no devils, only a ruined world that had been beaten down. An entire great era ended, all of the creatures buried." Shi Hao said.

There was no way he could speak about this through the status of someone with personal experience, only claiming to have seen this from ancient texts. He spoke about everything from the destruction of Immortal Ancient up until the present, speaking about everything.

"Quite interesting, but I still just feel as if you are making insinuations. Are you hostile against this world? There is no need to believe the ancient texts, no need to treat it as true." The young lady said.

Then, she thought for a bit before saying, "I wonder, could it be that someone from that world came to our side and left behind this ancient text?"

When Shi Hao heard this, his mind beat crazily. This young lady was just too sharp right? Could it be that she directly suspected him just like that?

"That world's creatures are quite lamentable. They are servants of devils, yet unaware. When they wake up, they will definitely feel great grief." The young lady released a deep sigh.

She unexpectedly said this. In Shi Hao's opinion, if those sinister words were used to describe this world, then that would make perfect sense.

However, Shi Hao thought things over from a different perspective, and then he couldn't help but feel stunned. In the end, his scalp felt a bit numb.

It was because if things were reversed, it also made sense.

He was certain that this world was being deceived, the truth buried in the past. It was extremely shocking and horrifying.

The so-called Immortal Ancient Great Era's destruction, it was all fake? Shi Hao said without thinking.

Soon after, he shook his head, not willing to be in a tangle with this issue anymore. Since the young lady didn't have anything else to say, then it was best to leave and separate here.

Furthermore, there was another path, which was to kill or seal this woman, eliminating this worry here so they wouldn't have to deal with her on the battlefield.

Even though only a hint of killing intent surged within him, not displaying anything on the outside, the young lady still revealed a strange expression, staring at him without saying anything.

"Why are you looking at me like that?" Shi Hao asked.

"Just now, your emotions were quite chaotic, but it was quite candid, yet now, there is killing intent. Could it be that you wish to take action against me?" This young lady was extremely calm, not showing any fear.

Shi Hao was greatly alarmed. She was just too sharp, right? She can even guess at the things at the bottom of his heart?

"You misunderstood." Shi Hao said. How could he admit this? At worst, he would just walk away, meet again in the future.

"I cultivated Mind Connection." The young lady said.

Shi Hao was shocked. Mind Connection, even having this type of ability unearthed, it truly was admirable.

This was the second person he had met who grasped Mind Connection. Those who had these types of methods were destined to become unmatched heroes, extremely rare.

In the past when he was in the lower realm, the gray clothed, appearance unmatched dual-pupil woman had cultivated Mind Connection as well.

While panicking, Shi Hao opened his mouth to ask if the other party knew everything he was thinking. If that was the case, then there was no need to use words, perhaps they could understand the truth from his mind.

However, the young lady's next sentence left Shi Hao disappointed.

"Our strengths are similar, both cultivating three strands of immortal energy. Even if I grasped Mind Connection, it is too hard to seize your memories." The young lady said frankly.

Mind Connection sounded mysterious, there was a limit as well. Their strength was similar, and most importantly, there was immortal energy to protect the body, difficult to display its use.

However, they could use this to observe a person's emotions, able to tell if they feel happiness, anger, sorrow, or joy. Even then, this was already extremely crucial!

That was why the young lady could sense his bit of killing intent, but not knowing why it arose.

Hong!

At this moment, the mountain peak trembled. Auspicious light blossomed. A blue-armored male walked over, looking not over twenty years of age. However, he was extremely powerful.

It was clear that he cultivated three strands of immortal energy, his bearing unordinary. Long hair scattered down to his waist, the blue armor on his body shining brilliantly, pupils deep.

When he saw the two that were on the mountaintop, his eyes immediately released brilliance. He then walked over, greeting the young lady. They had already been acquainted previously.

"Let's stay together and head on our way." He looked towards the young lady and said.

"I do not wish to move yet, wish to chat a bit more about an interesting topic." The young lady said.

"Oh? Is that so?" The young man smiled. He looked towards Shi Hao and said, "May I hear about this?"

"We are talking about the devils, as well as the matters of the other world. It is quite interesting, this dao brother discovered an ancient text, the things recorded on it possessing content that overturns everything we know, completely different from the history we are familiar with." The young lady said.

“Interesting, I am also quite interested.” This young man spoke. He was an extremely outstanding young supreme being. He was definitely a formidable opponent in Shi Hao’s eyes.

Shi Hao spoke, talking about that book, about the story. He wanted to have that young man truly understand.

It was clear that for the creatures of this world, the things Shi Hao spoke about were extremely absurd, mentally rejecting it.

“You think quite highly of this book. I can feel that you are trying to absolve the devils, or maybe trying to sing praises of them?” The young man’s eyes immediately flourished with radiance, extremely expectant.

“I merely speak of a story, there is no need for great criticism.” Shi Hao said.

“Who are you? Why haven’t I met you before?” He was quite sensitive.

Even though this place was vast, the connection between great sects was quite close.

“Let me test you out a bit.” That youth took action, about to directly size up Shi Hao, saying coldly. “Why do you feel so strongly about the matters of the other side of the world? I have reason to believe that you are a descendant of the devils.”

Chi!

That young supreme being flicked his finger. A green divine light flew out, shattering the heavens, stabbing forward like a war spear.

This young expert took action while having the young lady leave the battlefield, acting quite carefreely.

Shi Hao understood. This person was interested in the young lady, and they were acquaintances to begin with, which was why he cared so much. He saw that Shi Hao was chatting with her, so he couldn’t help but want to take action.

As a result, this situation appeared.

Shi Hao raised his hand, also releasing light. There were also white mists that pervaded the air.

This battle was extremely intense, but it didn’t continue for long. After just ten or so blows, the two of them separated.

It was because the mountain activated. It was named undying, able to link up to another realm, quite unordinary. Right now, a great pressure was released.

“Don’t tell me you really came from that world, a devil?” This young supreme being said, his eyes cold, carrying killing intent.

When Shi Hao heard this, he felt some anger. The other party didn’t truly believe this, but only said this because of the young lady beside him. n-)O)/v(-e()ℓ(-B.(l/(n

“Don’t fight anymore. We should head on our way.” The young lady spoke, her voice pleasant to listen to, as if small pearls fell into a jade plate.

"We'll fight next time. At that time, there won't be anyone to stop the battle, so we'll decide who is superior then." That young man said. Everything before him was blurry, the radiance next to him dazzling.

He walked forward, stepping into a golden ancient path. It withdrew into the void, quickly disappearing.

"Dao brother, you still aren't going to go?" The young lady asked.

"There are some things I wish to understand, need to think some more about them." Shi Hao shook his head. He sat down on the mountain now, not wishing to immediately continue.

"Alright then. If fate allows it, we will meet again. I hope we do not become enemies then." The young lady said, and then she turned around. A golden passage appeared. She walked inside.

Shi Hao's mind jumped. From start to finish, this young lady's divine awareness was extremely strong, as if she understood something.

However, she didn't say too much, leaving just like that!

Shi Hao paused momentarily, and then he quickly descended the mountain. He did not wish to enter that ancient path, immediately leaving.

Along the way, the others were shocked. Why did this ridiculously powerful fella return? Could it be that he was injured along the way, unable to reach the summit? This was a bit unrealistic!

"After those two entered, will the undying beings come out after learning of the situation, coming to this world to kill me?" Shi Hao's mind was heavy. He hurriedly left.

When he left the mountain, he directly cut apart the void, disappearing from this place.

"I have to go back, return to my world. I learned too much in this world, easily coming into conflict."

Hong!

When he left Undying Mountain, a voice sounded, as if great waves struck the heavens!

Moreover, there was a great roar that shook heaven and earth, truly a bit frightening.

"The undying appeared?" Shi Hao's face became pale, blood and qi surging.

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Just how powerful was the so-called undying? Shi Hao didn't know for certain, but he knew that if this person wanted to kill him, it was too easy.

He had long traveled who knew how many tens of thousands of li, stopping on a grassland, but he still sensed a bone-chilling coldness. His blood was surging, body about to collapse.

"It really is an undying being?" He was rather alarmed, feeling that it was too terrifying.

All of the creatures in this realm were shocked, not a single great holy land unshaken, many of their experts making a pilgrimage over to Undying Mountain. Even larger amount of experts were hurrying towards this direction.

“Is it an unmatched existence who came?” Someone said with a trembling voice.

When they approached Undying Mountain, human figures were everywhere, all of them experts. They were all powerful individuals, the leading figures of every sect rushing over as soon as they could.

“No one came across, just a divine will that swept out, issuing a decree.” The master of an ancient land said.

“What? It was just a divine will?” Many people were shaken up, their eyes full of shock. A single divine will that swept across the world already left everyone trembling in fear, just what kind of power was this?

In reality, it was precisely as that person said. Undying Mountain had its peace restored. After the powerful aura disappeared, only a golden magical degree descended, appearing before everyone’s eyes.

“The immortal battle is about to start!”

Someone’s face became pale as he spoke.

Even though they had long received news, this time was the most direct. An undying being released an unmatched degree, informing the cultivators of this realm that the peace of an entire great era is about to be broken.

The so-called immortal battle would leave long-lasting effects!

“There is no need to fear the so-called Nine Heavens Ten Earths, the unmatched great ones can defeat them. Only, those creatures will likely come to stir up trouble.” A female sect master said.

“The storm is about to start, the next great era has arrived. We have to make preparations to fight the Nine Heavens!”

“Correct, slaughter our way back and seize everything that should belong to us, blood purge the nest of demons!”

“This is fated to be an era of great heroes, those stunning and dazzling experts are going to rise up, distinguish themselves from millions and millions of creatures, slaughtering out their reputations!”

This realm could not calm down, already clamoring with noise.

In the grasslands, Shi Hao was shocked. The slaughter he had anticipated didn’t arrive, it was just a divine will, just a will that crossed realms, not targeting him alone.

Soon after, he laughed self-mockingly. Perhaps in the eyes of the undying beings, he was nothing more than a weak insect. There was no need for them to find and kill him.

It was because his weight was too light, not fit for an undying being’s attention and slaughter at all.

Despite this being the case, he still left quickly, continuing on the way, following the path that he had previously traveled to return to his own world.

Several days later, Shi Hao found that mountain range, coming back again. He found that spatial node.

“I hope this spatial node can still be used.”

However, if he could still use it, wouldn't this be a secret passage? Regardless of which side of the two worlds discovered it, there would definitely be terrifying consequences.

Shi Hao took action, about to blast through the void and follow the spatial node back.

However, he was left disappointed. He couldn't move it at all, unable to blast through it.

"Could it be that I have to stay in this world, unable to return?" Shi Hao panicked. He didn't wish to stay here, wishing to return.

Right when Shi Hao's expression became unpleasant, ripples moved through the void, rays of light flew out. It split apart, revealing a passage.

He didn't even take the time to think again, immediately rushing in. He saw that a cauldron was waiting for him to return, and then he broke free from this place.

He returned. This was a dusky place. A cauldron with source energy all around it brought Shi Hao away from that strange and powerful world.

This wasn't Emperor City yet, just the space the mysterious cauldron had previously stopped in.

"Senior, that spatial node." Shi Hao turned around, looking towards that hazily lit passage.

"It no longer exists." The cauldron said. The void behind it disappeared, becoming a hazy expanse. It was as if karma was severed, as if natural laws were destroyed.

Those types of methods were too terrifying. It forcibly erased all traces, not leaving any traces.

It was to the extent where during this process, Shi Hao noticed that his own brain became vacant, the experiences he had not too long ago becoming blurry, about to disappear as well.

This left him horrified. He broke out in cold sweat. What kind of methods were these?

That cauldron didn't take action against him, only doing something to that spatial node behind him, yet it made him like this as well. This type of method was truly world-shattering.

Severing karma, erasing the dao diagram!

This was forcibly erasing imprints of things that ought to have happened.

"I've even begun to question my life!" Shi Hao became silent for a long time, releasing a light sigh.

He began to wonder if life could be revised. Did someone do something like this during some unknown time, wiping out the imprints within the hearts of those of the present world?

If that was the case, then were the people of this world living in ignorance, living in a world altered by another?

He felt a great headache, feeling as if things were incredibly complicated.

This wasn't a baseless speculation, because he had now entered that world and saw Undying Mountain. He thought about too many things.

Every creature in that world thought of the people here as devils who invaded their home, not believing the theory of Immortal Ancient Great Era being buried.

Was there anything more frightening than this?

This was an entire world that was like this! Were their mind's imprints chopped up into a mess?!

This type of life was too terrifying!

That type of expert was too pitiful, to even be able to do this type of thing!

"Goodbye!"

That cauldron trembled. The void was blasted apart, and then Shi Hao was sent out from this space, returning to the true outer world.

The word goodbye was its final parting word.

Shi Hao had a feeling that it might be an extremely long time before they met again. It might be as long as a thousand years, ten thousand, or maybe almost endless time later!

"Goodbye." Shi Hao said softly, saying this word. He returned, somewhat distracted, feeling as if everything he experienced just now was a bit unreal, leaving him a bit stunned.

After saying this, he didn't feel that carefree. His mind was heavy, feeling a greater pressure the more he understood.

He knew that a great age had arrived, changes about to take place. No one could stop it.

Those undying beings, just how strong were they, how many of them were there? How would they resist?

They had previously buried all of Immortal Ancient. Now, who could match them?

"I hope these undying beings are only those past individuals' descendents, that generations have replaced generations." Shi Hao said.

Otherwise, if it was still the enemies of the last great era, just the thought alone would make one's breathing stop. After all this time had passed, their cultivation definitely increased. Just what kind of even more terrifying height did they reach?!

On the dusky great earth, white bones piled atop each other, this place deathly silent. Shi Hao returned. He should still be within a certain area of Emperor City.

Only, several months had passed. The three great experts should have long left, bringing those geniuses with them to Immeasurable Heaven, heading towards the heavenly deity institution.

Shi Hao felt a bit regretful. He most likely missed out on this chance.

After mysteriously disappearing for a few months, who would wait for him?

This place was deathly still without light, only the withered bones of those who died here.

Shi Hao continued on his way. He had to think of a way to get out, or else he would likely be trapped to death here.

Suddenly, a powerful divine will swept out like a sharp sword, simply about to tear apart one's body. It made Shi Hao's expression turn pale, his body flying outwards with a hong sound.

He suffered a tremendous force, as if a giant mountain smashed into his body.

His flesh's intense pain was still tolerable, the shock to his soul what was most difficult to endure. That person was ruthless, almost breaking his primordial spirit and inflicting serious injuries upon him.

Shi Hao already cultivated to the Holy Sacrifice Realm, his strength comparable to heavenly deities, can now also be considered a powerful individual, yet before an individual at this level, he was still far inferior.

The more he understood the more he felt as if his cultivation was far from enough. In reality, now that he reached his cultivation realm, it could only be considered starting his journey. It was because the future enemies were too powerful!

A figure flew over, the spacious gray clothes covering him fluttering about. He looked extremely young, or at the very least, this was true for his appearance. His face was pale, as if he hadn't gone out into the sun for a long time. His eyes were deep like a night sky.

Shi Hao knew that this person looked young, but he had lived for an endless amount of time, a powerful older generation figure.

It was because he was confident that no one his age could send him flying with only a divine will, almost inflicting serious injuries on him.

"You... where did you go these past few months?"

This person spoke, not asking his name or his origins, acting directly like this. It was clear that he understood Shi Hao's identity.

"I entered a dark space." Shi Hao said.

"Nonsense, this is Emperor City. Even though it isn't the heart of the city, just a desolate land outside the city, despite this being the case, you don't have the strength to open up space." The one who came said with an ice-cold voice, not all that kind. n/)o/.12.-e)-1-(B//1--n

"Then where does senior feel like I was?" Shi Hao asked. He felt a slight wave of anger. He had just emerged, yet he was being criticized by another, just now almost being seriously injured.

As a result, this person became silent. It was clear that Shi Hao entered a different space, or else how could he have disappeared for several months?

The three great experts had previously searched around, but they discovered that he seemed to have disappeared into thin air, unable to find him no matter what they did.

"Why have you only appeared just now?" This gray robed 'young man' asked, eyes cold like two frozen pools.

Shi Hao understood that this was Emperor City in the end, one of the world's most important places. It defended the Desolate Border, so it wouldn't tolerate anyone going missing.

He calmly replied, "I couldn't break free, only when that space mysteriously opened up could I come out."

"Is that so? I don't believe you too much. Let me search your primordial spirit." This person said.

Shi Hao's expression immediately changed. How could normal people do this type of thing?

For a cultivator, unless it was a mortal enemy, they definitely wouldn't say they would search the primordial spirit. It was because not only was this wronging him, it was also a humiliation.

"Senior, you and me aren't enemies, so doing this is equivalent to humiliating me." Shi Hao said.

"Humiliate?" The gray-robed individual laughed, carrying a bit of disdain. His young and pale face carried cold intent. It was clear that he didn't attach much importance to Shi Hao's words, because the strength gap between the two was too great, not on the same order of magnitude.

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"What do you have that is worth me humiliating?" His face carried indifference as he added this, looking at Shi Hao.

Shi Hao didn't say anything. Now that they reached this point, what could be said? This person clearly lacked good intentions.

At the same time, he sighed inwardly. There was actually this type of person waiting for him.

One had to bear in mind that those who could appear here were definitely not ordinary experts, yet there were some that were against him. Needless to say, the situation now looked grim.

In reality, Shi Hao already set his resolution that he might directly die here. However, he was still unwilling!

"Are you viewing me as an enemy? Looking at me with that type of gaze!" This gray-robed individual said coldly, his young face now covered in even more frost, staring at Shi Hao's eyes.

"The great chaos is about to arise, you and I are both people of this heaven and earth, not life and death enemies. Your actions here, however, bring me disgrace. I will not compromise!" Shi Hao said.

Having his primordial spirit imprints searched like this would mean that he wouldn't have any secrets to speak of, let alone any dignity left.

"Where did a trifling Holy Sacrifice Realm cultivator get so much nonsense to say? Even if a true heavenly deity appeared before me, they would still have to listen obediently. So what if I search your little primordial spirit?!" After speaking, the gray-robed individual spoke, directly reaching out a finger to take action, pointing towards the space between Shi Hao's brows.

At this moment, Shi Hao's muscles and bones about to split apart, his divine senses on the verge of collapse, unable to resist.

All he could do was to do everything he could to resist, even if he had to die horribly as a result. It was because this was going too far, impossible to reason with!

If a true enemy treated him like this, he would have nothing to say. However, this was clearly someone on the same side.

Of course, he already viewed this expert as an enemy. Even if he had some important use in the great chaos that was to come, even if this person was one of Emperor City's guardians, he still wouldn't acknowledge it!

In his eyes, in his heart, from this moment on, this person was an enemy, nothing else!

Hong!

Shi Hao endured the great pain, doing everything he could to resist. The battle armor related to the Lightning Emperor appeared, and the Ten Thousand Spirit Diagram was held in his hand, resisting the boundless pressure, not wishing to have his soul searched.

In addition, Shi Hao's other hand produced the Defying Dragon Scale. Even though it was difficult, he still hacked outwards towards this person!

Unexpectedly, this time, it wasn't the Ten Thousand Spirit Diagram or the Defying Dragon Scale that revived, but rather the armor related to the Lightning Emperor. It releasing kengqiang sounds, divine light shooting out endlessly.

At this moment, the armor shook, as if fish scales were moving about, releasing dazzling light and zheng zheng sounds.

It was originally covered in dust, but now, it was sparkling and brilliant, changing from dim to resplendent, undergoing astonishing changes.

Of course, the armor was tattered, the surface full of holes. This was impossible to cover up.

"En? Lightning Emperor's armor?" This gray-robed individual's expression changed. That finger was about to reach Shi Hao's forehead, but it came to a rigid stop.

This armor shone like jade, like a raging flame. It became more and more extraordinary, erupting with shocking light and energy under the great pressure.

"I loathe being restricted by others, but these battle clothes are indeed unordinary, possessing endless glory and legends. However, using it to deal with me is a mistake, I won't pull back!"

The gray-robed individual's expression became cold. Even though he was surprised and shocked, a wave of anger appeared on his face that lacked color, insisting on taking action against Shi Hao, searching his divine consciousness.

The palm and fingers landed, releasing a tremendous pressure, simply about to shatter the sun and moon, mountains and rivers.

This armor surged with auspicious multicolored light, stopping that finger!

Shi Hao's eyes were as sharp as blades, the anger within him heaven overflowing. The other person truly was absolutely unrestrained, behaving unscrupulously. He was clearly the victim who was on the defensive, yet incurred the anger of the other party, as if Shi Hao should resign himself to insults and maltreatment from birth, just the slightest resistance a great sin.

The battle clothes released ka ka sounds, because the so-called armor metal pieces were trembling, releasing resplendent divine multicolored light, stopping that hand.

However, it was still a damaged armor in the end, many holes on its surface. These were fatal flaws.

The gray-robed individual's finger moved down, entering through a hole, about to acquire Shi Hao's memories, incredibly ruthless.

However, an unexpected event happened again. It was precisely because of the holes' existence on the armor that made this armor unordinary. Mysterious fluctuations appeared on the hole, forming terrifying vortices that attacked fiercely.

Moreover, at this moment, the armor's color changed, gradually shifting from being brilliant to dark black, deep and terrifying, shockingly cold. There was an extraordinary aura that was released as well.

Even though that finger descended, it never broke through the space between Shi Hao's brows, stopped by the black armor, obstructed by a powerful aura.

Intense fluctuations rippled outwards, sweeping in all directions from this place. It was as if stars smashed into the sea, waves surging angrily, reaching into the Nine Heavens above and the Tenth Earth below.

"Lightning Emperor's battle clothes turned black once, forced to this extent!"

In the distance, someone spoke, voice clearly carrying anger, even more a type of helplessness, as well as a type of killing intent.

Hong!

Someone arrived, a fist smashing outwards, speed just too fast. No figure could be seen, as if time was dominated, suddenly slaughtering from the past until now, appearing here.

Peng!

Finally, the gray-robed individual who took action against Shi Hao felt some hesitation. He pulled back to resist the fist that suddenly arrived. Sparks flew between the two, symbols rushing into the heavens.

If not for the Lightning Emperor's battle armor, he would have definitely been blasted apart by the shockwaves, turned into powder.

Despite this being the case, he could feel the raging battle clothes, as well as the destructive battle shockwaves. It really was too terrifying.

Dong!

Two fists clashed. It was as if a sun exploded, light immediately covering this dusky world, making it even brighter than daylight.

On the ground, all types of dried bones flew into the air before exploding, turning into snow-white powder, flying about like sand, fluttering like snow.

At the same time, formation patterns appeared on the ground streak after streak, restricting the great earth, suppressing the void, making everything close up, preventing it from collapsing.

The one who came swung his sleeve, helping Shi Hao neutralize the dangerous situation, fearing that he would be blasted apart by the battle's waves.

"He has the revived Lightning Emperor battle armor, you don't have to worry about anything for now, he won't die." The gray-robed male said, the expression on his face extremely complicated.

"You still have the face to say Lightning Emperor battle armor, did you not see? It is pitch-black like ink! Before, in Emperor City, it was about to fall into darkness!" The one who came berated.

In this Emperor City, the Lightning Emperor battle armor seemed to have been stimulated, its aura surging, divine might raging, protecting Shi Hao, but at the same time released a type of dark aura that wanted to corrode him.

Ah...

In the end, he couldn't help but release a great roar, starting to take action, attacking that gray-robed individual.

It was because he felt resentment inside, but also because these battle clothes were shaking, as if there was a will that wanted to merge with him, become one with him. They both carried resentment, now attacking murderously.

"You still dare take action against me!" That gray-robed individual's eyes became cold, raising his hand and slapping out. n.-0**Ve**l**B**In

"Do you wish to make the Lightning Emperor battle armor forever fall into darkness?" The other person stopped him, loudly berating.

"Do you see this? Just a small cultivator without the qualification to enter Emperor City, yet he dares take action against me, how can he be let off without punishment?" The gray-robed male spoke.

Even though his fist was stopped, his body shone, forming bone texts that rushed at Shi Hao.

Peng!

When these ripples collided, the energy fluctuated like a wave, moreover releasing intense rumbling sound.

Shi Hao fought until his body was covered in blood. The Lightning Emperor battle armor was now pitch-black like ink, almost corroding his eyes until they became two black holes, becoming incomparably terrifying.

However, even after this type of powerful attack, Shi Hao didn't die, stopping the other party's bone texts.

“Stop!” The other person shouted, frantically attacking the gray-robed male, saying, “Back then, it was precisely because tremendous injustice happened in Emperor City that led to the damaged Lightning Emperor battle armor’s will being wronged, carrying out a resistance and almost falling into darkness. Now, if it is just because you obstinately cling to your way, ultimately forcing the precious armor to turn into darkness divine armor, bringing this genius with it and leaving, will you be able to shoulder the responsibility in the future?!”

Dong!

While shouting angrily, this person and the gray-robed male clashed again, the exchange incredibly intense.

Even though Shi Hao was corroded by darkness, he wasn’t hurting too much. He could hear and see everything clearly. Great waves stirred within him. There was a similar unfair situation before?

It must be much more serious than right now, forcibly wronging a few people, triggering Lightning Emperor’s battle armor to turn black and leave.

“Just a small cultivator, after he’s captured, we can refine this armor together later and solve all the problems.” The gray robed male said.

“Jia De, stop obstinately clinging to your way. If a problem arises, you won’t be able to take responsibility!” The other person shouted.

Right now, Shi Hao instead became like an outsider. He didn’t say anything, standing not too far out and watching them fight.

“Why wouldn’t I be able to bear the burden? Isn’t it just a Holy Sacrifice Realm cultivator? What does he count as? I wouldn’t acknowledge him even if he was a Great Emperor!” The gray-robed male Jia De said.

“Jia De, there is something wrong with your dao heart, actually letting a few outside matters and miscellaneous matters cause you to forget yourself, you are showing signs of falling into depravity!” The other person shouted.

The gray-robed male Jia De laughed coldly when he heard this, his movements becoming even faster.

“Jia De, you came from Immeasurable Heaven. Just because you saw those few younger generation suppressed by this young man, you felt unsatisfied, now dealing with him?” That person continued to shout.

“What are you randomly spouting? I was just doing my duty. After all, he disappeared for several months, so I have no choice but to search him!” The gray-robed male said coldly.

Hong!

A great vibration spread. They continuously clashed, bone texts interweaving, divine light surging. This place became incomparably brilliant, not dimming the entire time.

“For you two to attack like this, do you have no sense of shame? Fighting those on our own side before even the enemy comes?!” Right at this time, someone released a short shout from the distance.

It was clear that the status of the one who shouted was extremely high, unordinary, in the end making the gray-robed male feel some restraining fear. Their battle slowed, and then stopped.

“Return to the city!” That person released an ice-cold shout, the voice a bit aged, but still incredibly dignified.

Jia De didn’t say anything, then gave Shi Hao a look before turning around towards the central city of Emperor City, disappearing in the blink of an eye.

“Go.”

The other person patted Shi Hao’s shoulder, bringing him along.

This place was extremely vast, who knew how many tens of thousands of li. If it was an ordinary expert that was here, it would simply be like traveling through the cosmos, difficult to reach its limits.

In reality, this wasn’t much different from crossing the cosmos. Along the way, he saw star remains one after another, broken up in pieces, appearing on the ground.

They arrived, approaching the enormous city!

This was the central city, as well as Emperor City’s true core area.

Chapter 1074 - Inside Emperor City

This city was extremely large, similar to the outer city, all made of packed stars. There was a sun and moon in the sky as well, with many great stars swirling about, floating outside the city.

Vast and boundless, the number one city in this world!

At the very least, it was the largest city Shi Hao had seen thus far. It towered into the heavens.

However, he wasn’t currently in the mood to appreciate this type of magnificence. After being focused on by that Jia De, there was a flame burning within him, a type of anger, even more a type of dejectedness.

The other party was purely oppressing others through strength, humiliating him for no reason.

The Lightning Emperor armor he wore was still shining, but it was all black light, entirely like ink. Even Shi Hao’s heart seemed to have been infected, feeling an icy coldness.

This time, entering the city still exhausted quite some effort. It was simply impossible to enter alone. Jia De and the one at Shi Hao’s side both activated a piece of bone at the same time, and someone in the city activated a piece as well. They merged together, forming a formation stage that accepted them inside.

The enormous city was vast, a great desolate aura spread outwards.

Only now did Shi Hao realize that he had entered the most important place in Emperor City!

This wasn’t the outer city, but rather a place only those who had signed the Archaic Contract of Alliance could enter. The people inside... actually let him in.

In reality, the outside world always wondered how many experts were left inside the city, if those ancient existences were still alive. It was because none of them understood why this place was deadly still, the outside world unable to sense anything.

Yet today, Shi Hao actually had the fortune of stepping inside, entering like this!

The city truly was too large. Even though he entered, Shi Hao still felt like an ant that entered the palace of a Celestial Emperor, unable to see the full magnificence of the city.

Only when he opened his Heavenly Eyes could he pry into a corner of this place.

In the void, stellar streams stretched across the sky one after another, all of them flowing into the city. There were emperor stars moving about as well, scattering down terrifying multicolored light.

Despite this being the case, it was still difficult for it to illuminate the entire city, many areas covered in darkness, with large areas of shadows. n))O-)v-)e(-ℓ-/b/.1(.n

This place was still quiet. Shi Hao searched about in the duskiess, hoping to see the experts in Emperor City, what exactly they were like.

What about the archaic Six Great Celestials' last one? He should have came here. Where was he now?

What about Ye Qingxian? Where was she? This woman left Shi Hao with too great of an impression.

Only, this place was exceptionally quiet, as if it was a ghost town, not a trace of life to be felt.

Shi Hao followed them forward, feeling greatly shocked. There were great stars on the ground. These weren't previously refined, but rather stars that truly stretched several thousand li, tens of thousands of li.

They were hacked down from outer space, smashing open deep craters on the ground one after another. However, neither side was destroyed, because there were formation patterns here.

The great stars didn't shatter, the ground didn't collapse.

Shi Hao was stunned. As he walked across the great earth with great stars covering the surface like this, he felt a type of bleakness, as well a a type of primitiveness, and a formless majestic aura.

Soon after, Shi Hao saw a few buildings. They all floated in the air, accompanied by fragmented stars and destroyed stellar rivers.

Those buildings were extremely large, clearly things of endless time ago, and no one lived in them.

How many people were left in the city?

This was Shi Hao's question. He finally entered, arriving at the most important place. However, he didn't see the unmatched experts he had imagined.

There was only one or two people at his side, one of them someone who had even previously acted against him. Where were the others?

"They came!" Suddenly someone spoke from the side.

In this dusky region, on top of an enormous rock sat an elder.

When one looked into the distance, there were others, some seated on great stars, some sitting on limestones, every single one of them as if they had faded away, not releasing a bit of sound.

These people's clothing and personal adornment were ancient, the races different. They didn't speak to each other, the distance between themselves quite far, each occupying their own area.

There were thick layers of dust on a few of their bodies, unknown just how many tens of thousands of years it has been since they moved. They had become one with the floor and rocks.

There was even a giant that was covered in dust. On its head was a vicious bird nest, becoming a vicious bird's resting place.

While watching these scenes, Shi Hao felt as if he had opened up an ancient painting, revealing the traces of time contained within. There was a great historical aura that rushed outwards.

"Lightning Emperor armor, it has returned once again, but now closer to darkness." The elder he first saw opened his eyes, speaking like this.

His voice was extremely strange, a type of ancient language. In reality, Shi Hao couldn't understand it, but his divine will was also transmitting sound, which was why he could understand the meaning.

This was not a cultivator from the Three Thousand Dao Provinces, but from a different place.

At this moment, Shi Hao understood that this Emperor City was too important. The other ancient lands in the Nine Heavens Ten Earths all send over people to guard this place.

"Jia De, your cultivation has issues. At your cultivation realm, one shouldn't allow external matters to move your heart. Be careful not to fall into depravity."

The elder spoke, his white hair falling over his shoulders, age looking quite great. His upper body was bare, physique quite sturdy. At his side was a Wolf Tooth Club.

"How could I possibly fall into depravity? I am currently in my golden age, just now, I merely wished to search this child's primordial spirit and see what was going on." Jia De replied.

"Youngster, where did you go exactly?" The elder spoke, asking Shi Hao.

Shi Hao didn't wish to speak, because he would be involving that cauldron. However, he didn't wish to hide the matters of the other world either.

He said with a frown, "I indeed unexpectedly entered another place, in there saw many stone engravings, recorded on it a mysterious world, that there is an Undying Mountain there..."

He slowly spoke, speaking about what he saw, but claimed to have seen it all from stone engravings, telling these people.

"Why didn't you talk about this before?!" Jia De shouted, his face falling, gaze becoming colder.

"You were against me, was there a need to tell you?" Shi Hao said.

"You... definitely didn't talk about everything, there are definitely things you are hiding. Just wait, I'm going to find out exactly what you experienced!" The gray-robed Jia De said, wishing to rush forward again. He reached out his palm and fingers, releasing a terrifying aura.

"In front of so many people's faces, before a few unmatched experts' eyes, you still act like this, humiliating me?" Shi Hao shouted.

"Just a trifling Holy Sacrifice cultivator like you even dares speak about being humiliated? Searching your sea of consciousness and learning about everything is for the sake of the great war's preparations! Otherwise, someone like you don't even have the qualifications to have me take action!" Jia De berated.

Shi Hao was furious. This was forcefully oppressing others, the other party stronger than him. Even his words were so domineering, not hiding the hostility.

"Jia De, you've crossed the line, are you trying to make the Lightning Emperor's battle armor completely fall into darkness? Are you going to make this genius turn to the enemy's side?" The elder spoke.

"Lightning Emperor battle clothes, it'll be fine if we just refine it together. A trifling Holy Sacrifice Realm cultivator isn't deserving of my respect. So what if I bind him up and search his sea of consciousness?" Jia De spoke.

At this moment, on a few giant rocks, great stars that rested on the ground in disarray, a few cultivators opened their eyes. They were like prehistoric barbaric dragons, making one's heart tremble.

"Unbridled, you've fallen into depravity after all." That elder stood up.

Right at this moment, he took action, unexpectedly brandishing his palm, slapping towards Jia De

Jia De's expression changed. He was extremely powerful, being able to enter Emperor City meant that he was the most powerful individual of an area. He quickly evaded, shifting his position.

However, with a pa sound, he was still struck, not escaping this strike.

The elder's palm slapped down on his face, the sound loud and crisp, extremely powerful, not even someone as powerful as Jia De able to escape. His entire body flew outwards while drawing large amounts of blood.

No one expected this elder to be so straightforward, directly covering the other party's mouth, sending an extremely powerful individual flying, strength heavy.

Shi Hao's mind jumped. What kind of power was this, to send a powerful individual flying like this? However, his emotions were exceptionally free from worry, possessing a resentful type of feeling.

"You..." Jia De was furious. He stabilized his figure in the void, glaring angrily.

Someone as powerful as him, how many years had it been since he experienced something like this, actually being slapped by a palm like this, this could already be considered a type of humiliation.

"Just a trifling cultivator, is it worth you taking action like this?!" He was furious, roaring here, making more individuals open their eyes.

“Even you can feel anger right? Just now, when you bullied and oppressed a small cultivator, this was also what he felt.” The elder said.

“How could he compare to me?!” Jia De roared angrily.

“Then how can you compare to me?” The elder raised his hand, sending another strike down on his face with a pa sound, sending him flying out, smashing into a star with a hong sound.

“Your comprehension has turned evil recently, a great problem arising in your mental state. Are you still not going to wake up? Otherwise, there is a danger of falling!” The elder shouted.

“Nonsense, this isn’t a matter with the mind, I am unharmed. Exploring a small cultivator’s primordial spirit, I was definitely not wrong!” He roared angrily in unwillingness.

“You have to understand that his future accomplishments won’t be any lower than yours, while your actions might very well be directed at an Undying Bloodline!” After speaking this time, the elder didn’t brandish his palm, but rather directly raised the wolf tooth club.

Even though Jia De took action, frantically trying to resist, it was completely useless, unable to stop the elder’s weapon.

The wolf teeth club smashed down, scattering his precious techniques, erasing the bone texts. It was as if a prehistoric immortal mountain smashed down, suppressing enemies in all directions.

Peng!

The wolf fang great club smashed down on Jia De’s body, making him release a miserable cry. Half of his body was smashed apart, immediately flying out an endless distance before landing on the ground, blood everywhere.

A powerful expert like this couldn’t even take a single hit from this elder, almost killed by a single strike!

Shi Hao was stupefied. This series of events happened extremely suddenly, too fast, leaving even him shocked.

One had to bear in mind that this Jia De was an extremely powerful expert. He defended this place, identity unordinary. If he returned to the outside world, he would definitely be able to look down on the great figures under the sky.

Yet here, he was unexpectedly suppressed, difficult for him to resist.

“You should go into seclusion and carefully think things through.” The elder spoke. He pointed outwards, surrounding Jia De in a sphere of light, sending him into the distant darkness.

Shi Hao bowed, expressing his gratitude.

The elder sighed, calling a few people over to help Shi Hao cleanse the armor, carrying a refinement.

It was clear that this armor had a history, because many people carried great emotions when they saw it. All of them felt regret and dejectedness.

“There was an unmatched genius who left while wearing this armor. He never came back, likely forever falling into darkness...” The elder sighed.

“Alright, you’ll be sent to Immeasurable Heaven, I wish for your success, that when you come to Emperor City in the future, you’ll be able to suppress all enemies!”

Chapter 1075 - To Cross

Jia De was sent out just like that, imprisoned. Even the most exceptional experts of the outside world were restricted here.

Emperor City was massive, stellar remains everywhere.

Shi Hao was brought before an altar made of five types of divine stone. It was extremely massive, as if a great mountain towered here.

They arrived inside Emperor City just like that, without any delays, yet he was going to be sent out again. Shi Hao felt a bit lightheaded, everything feeling a bit unreal.

One had to bear in mind that in the past, only those who had signed the Archaic Contract of Alliance could enter. The fact that he could enter today really was quite fortunate.

He really didn’t want to immediately leave like this, wishing to explore this mysterious city that had shocked past and present a bit. Only, he couldn’t really act independently, unable to stay here for too long.

Where was Ye Qingxian? Shi Hao really wished to meet her. This exceptional beauty had previously saved him, and people had claimed that she came from the forbidden region depths before.

When he thought about how she mentioned the Archaic Contract of Alliance, bringing the old Celestial and War Clan’s ancient ancestor, one could well imagine that she definitely had a close relationship with this place.

Shi Hao spoke up, asking the person at his side, even more so asking the elder who held the wolf teeth club for guidance, wishing to meet with Ye Qingxian.

However, he was refused, to the extent where he didn’t even get an explanation. Those individuals’ attitudes were extremely firm and clear!

Shi Hao was shocked. This Ye Qingxian seemed to be quite unordinary, not even willing to give out information on the experts in the city, what exactly was the reason?

When he thought back to that exceptional snow-white clothed woman whose smile could topple cities, Shi Hao released a light sigh. He came to where she was, yet couldn’t even meet.

In the end, he was going to leave, only able to shake his head because of this.

Shi Hao stood outside the altar, this five-colored transport formation truly vast, possessing a feeling of boundless years, eternal time. It was as if it could travel through endless eras, continuously undergo reincarnation in this universe.

He carefully looked at it. This altar was quite similar to the broken altar he had seen the first time at the bottom of Immortal Ancient Remains' Black Abyss, even the materials the same.

Only, one was half destroyed, while the other was still intact.

It was clear that this was something left behind from the last great era.

When he thought of this, Shi Hao's eyes became brilliant, looking at it even more carefully. Even this Emperor City was a massive structure from the last great era.

"What an ancient city, what a mysterious place!"

Shi Hao said with a sigh. Outside of this city was a passage that faced a world of utmost terror.

"Desolate Border!"

Shi Hao spat out these two words. However, he then felt as if something wasn't quite right. The scenes he saw on the black ancient ship's altar clearly had another city that the seven great kings defended, fighting continuously against endless creatures.

This wasn't that place, so where was the Desolate Border?

The battlefield he saw was much more intense than this place, that place was lifeless like this place, dusky all year round, ninety percent of the land dark and hazy.

"Senior, who exactly are those people?" Before leaving, Shi Hao asked the wolf fang club elder, focusing on the world he was talking about. What kind of place was that, what kind of relationship did it have with Shi Hao? He had a feeling that this elder knew.

Unfortunately, this elder didn't give him a reply. The altar activated, starting the transport.

A light flashed, and the Shi Hao felt as if he stepped onto a tunnel of time, as if a hundred eras underwent reincarnation, and then rushed towards the eternal limit.

This was an ultra transport formation, incredibly valiant, able to send one to the limits of the universe, cross ancient lands.

The three thousand provinces were left far behind him, he left the higher realms!

This was an enormous magical formation, the power tremendous, sending Shi Hao out, a passage that tore through the Nine Heavens Ten Earths.

For normal people, this was an unimaginable thing.

Shi Hao moved through auspicious light, advancing through chaotic mists. He crossed unimaginable space, freeing himself from the three thousand provinces, truly leaving this place.

"Emperor City is so large, I only saw a corner, only a few experts. Really wonder what other types of figures are hidden there, as well as the other unique parts of it."

Shi Hao knew that he only saw a corner of that place, not understanding much about that place at all.

Before he could think too much, the fragments of time moved about, stars flew one after another, flickering along the way.

He moved through realms, even time and space becoming unstable.

Finally, a tremendous sound rang out. White mists surged, multicolored brilliance surging. Shi Hao rushed out.

He looked around with flickering eyes. He was currently standing on a dao platform, this enormous platform polished from beast bone, its appearance ancient, but spotlessly white like jade. ~~novel~~. In

"I arrived in Immeasurable Heaven?!" Shi Hao sighed with admiration. He crossed realms, the distance unimaginable, yet he arrived in an instant.

If there really was a road that stretched across this distance, not even extremely powerful cultivators could cross it even if they flew a hundred eras. That distance was simply an eternity.

He traveled from the Ten Earths' Three Thousand Dao Provinces to the Nine Heavens' Immeasurable Heaven, this was truly an extreme journey.

"I've arrived a few months late, unknown if I can still enter the heavenly deity institution." Shi Hao said.

He walked out from this bone dao platform. Spiritual essence immediately surged like waves, quickly rushing forth.

"Much richer than the three thousand provinces!" This was the first observation Shi Hao made.

Generally speaking, the density of spiritual essence signified how suitable a place was for cultivation. Many terrifying experts would appear from these types of places.

This was definitely a powerful world!

The dao earth's prosperity and decline affected whether the cultivation world would flourish or undergo recession.

"So vast."

Shi Hao frowned. Even though the spiritual essence here was rich, white mists surging, it was too quiet and still, no mountains, valleys or plants to be seen.

Everything was covered in white mist, stretching all the way into the distance.

"Since I was transported by them to Immeasurable Heaven, there should be some place to stop over for a bit. Could it be that they transported me directly to the heavenly deity institution's entrance?" Shi Hao speculated.

It was because on the way, he had previously asked how to enter the heavenly deity institution to cultivate after traveling through the transport formation.

En?

Soon after, Shi Hao sensed that something was off. The other side was extremely calm, as if it was created by piece after piece of enormous divine stone.

He opened his Heavenly Eyes, symbols condensing within his pupils, producing two streaks of light that scanned over the surrounding scenery.

Soon after, Shi Hao became stupefied. This was inside a palace, the spotlessly white enormous formation platform was precisely inside a palace hall.

Only, this palace was just too large, occupying over ten thousand li, suspending in the void just like that. This was an enormous palace.

Shi Hao was left speechless. He thought that he was on a boundless great earth, who would have expected that he was only inside of a building?

Shi Hao carefully thought to himself, flying inside, raising hazy white mist on the surface. It was as if he was crossing an immortal realm.

Soon after, he arrived at the exit. There was a pair of enormous bronze doors that was slightly open, not tightly shut.

Shi Hao stood there, about to push it open.

It had to be mentioned that this door was just too large, just the height alone reaching over a thousand li, a bit excessive, not like a copper door at all, but instead a precipice.

Shi Hao pushed it. Rumbling sounds rang out, and then the large bronze door opened.

He quickly moved through it, but he was stopped soon after by a wave of powerful energy, his path obstructed.

Outside the enormous bronze doors, white mists curled about. There was even primal chaos that spread throughout this place. There was bluestone, as well as praying mats. An elder opened his eyes at this moment.

In that instant, it was as if two streaks of lightning shot through the sky, tearing apart the clouds and mists.

That elder sat on a praying mat, hair about to completely fall off, but his long eyebrows were snow-white, half a foot long, appearance dignified, making one feel reverence.

This was definitely a powerful individual, moreover an unimaginable exceptional expert. That gaze was too penetrating, as if they could peer through one's soul, making their divine spirit tremble.

Shi Hao's scalp felt numb. From Emperor City to Immeasurable Heaven's building, he met powerful individuals one after another, not a single one he could contend against.

He sighed. He had to rise up as soon as possible, quickly strengthen himself. Otherwise, this world was too dangerous.

"Greetings to senior." Shi Hao took the initiative to greet the other party.

"A bit interesting, three strands of immortal energy, aptitude heaven defying! Only, I wonder if the night blooming cactus will only show itself once, just like those individuals of the past, or if you can truly continue down this path." The elder spoke.

Shi Hao was shocked. He had to strengthen himself. This person was too formidable, even able to clearly sense his body's condition.

"Since you were sent here, I don't care about how illustrious your status was, nor will I ask about what you have done before, only giving you some corresponding tempering." The white eyebrowed elder said.

"Senior, doing this... what are your intentions?" Shi Hao felt as if something wasn't quite right. The tempering the elder spoke of gave him a bone-chilling feeling.

"All those who were sent here are cultivators who have done wrongs, those who must receive a set amount of punishment." The white eyebrowed elder said.

Emperor City's transport formation was incomparably massive. After selecting a destination, it would send someone to the designated location after being activated.

It was clear that a few people in Emperor City had discussed amongst themselves, deciding to send him here.

"I've done something wrong?" Shi Hao asked himself, feeling quite unsatisfied. It was clearly Jia De who troubled him, so he didn't wish to become a scapegoat.

"It should be, or else why were you transported here?" The white eyebrowed elder said.

Shi Hao's expression fell. He was duped. It was clearly Jia De who provoked him, wishing to search his sea of consciousness, so why did he end up getting punished too?

"There isn't a need to be too worried however. All those who are sent into this ancient palace will only receive some slight punishment, it isn't some great crime wicked beyond redemption."

Shi Hao released a breath. The worst situation hadn't happened, at the very least, no one else followed him.

The elder waved his hand, and then Shi Hao was directly sent out from the enormous building, ending up in the distance.

"What kind of punishment is this?" Shi Hao was a bit stunned.

A spacious azure lake stretched out below him.

"Leave this part of heaven and earth alone, and the punishment will be considered complete." The elder's voice sounded.

It was clear that this was a strange space.

However, this place was like a world, hard to predict what was inside.

Shi Hao continuously flew, rushing towards the ends of the great earth. He encountered some similar people, every single one of them sickly and dispirited, not wishing to move, clearly injured.

He jumped in fright. He learned that these were all geniuses! Those who weren't outstanding individuals weren't even sent into this place of exile!

Some of their clothing was ragged and tattered. After asking them, he learned that they had already entered for over a hundred years, but still weren't able to rush out and break free from this place.

The ones that remained here the shortest had even been here for several years.

"Motherfucker!" Shi Hao couldn't help but swear. He didn't think he committed any wrongs, yet he was still beaten up like this, sent here.

Where did he have the time to waste? Several years, hundred years, none of them could be tolerated. He had to immediately leave this place.

Chapter 1076 - Ascension Stage

These people were all felt dissatisfied, quite a few of them swearing, to the extent where they were even raining curses. It was because just because of a small mistake in the past, they now got locked up for so many years.

"This 'tempering' sounds nice and all, saying able to comprehend the dao here or whatever, but does he not know that time is more precious than anything? Who is willing to waste time here?!"

These people were discontent, feeling great resentment.

"Is there no shortcut?" Shi Hao asked. He indeed didn't wish to waste much time here, needing to break out as soon as possible.

The people here were all extremely angry, so they naturally spoke about their experiences.

In their perspective, this was a strange territory whose end couldn't be reached, no exit to be found.

"Perhaps only the Ascension Stage imitation at the center of this place is worth a try. It is rumored that if one comprehends the dao there, there is a chance of leaving."

Someone said after a long time.

It was because from what they heard, someone seemed to have disappeared from that place in the past, successfully leaving.

"Did you all not try?" Shi Hao asked.

"That blasted place has nothing, only a broken stone platform, what is there to even comprehend?"

"Apart from rock, there is only more rock. Don't tell me they want us to comprehend some wordless heavenly book?"

Those people were extremely angry. Most of them had previously went there, but they returned without any return, unable to break free from this imprisonment at all.

The so-called Ascension Stage was an ancient platform only talents who were going to become immortals could ascend.

As for the stone platform imitation here, heaven knew how it was imitated, how it was created. Regardless, this was its name.

Shi Hao arrived, and many people followed him, wishing to see if he had a way of breaking through.

It was because in all these years, the people who came here had pretty much lost hope. They really wanted someone to stand out and truly break this equilibrium, bring them out of this place.

This place was extremely barren, only having a single stone platform. It was extremely tall like a stone mountain, but one could see that it was piled up by piece after piece of enormous rocks.

However, as time flowed past, the enormous rocks seemed to have merged together, forming a simple and ancient stone platform.

Many people had previously sat on it, and even after exhausting themselves mentally and physically, comprehending the dao here, they still ended up empty-handed.

Shi Hao frowned. He walked around the stone platform, releasing his divine consciousness, opening up his inner heart, carefully sensing what was different about this place.

The result was that he ended up empty-handed!

Then, he released immortal energy. When it was only one strand, everything was quiet. When he released two, it was still completely without any fluctuations. When the third strand appeared, lightning immediately rumbled here, irregular scenes appearing!

The others were shocked. They never expected this newly arrived individual to actually produce some type of reaction here, producing this type of activity.

Shi Hao understood. Sure enough, it was related to immortal energy. No wonder it was called Ascension Stage.

The events developed just like this. He already realized the importance of immortal energy on the road of cultivation, because it was needed even to pass this type of barrier.

One could imagine what kind of brilliance the three strands of immortal energy would display in the future, when they would be needed.

Shi Hao flew onto the stone platform, sitting down, comprehending here. He silently cultivated, hoping to break out of this place and truly leave.

Lightning rumbled in his surroundings, electrical arcs moving around the stone platform.

Apart from this, golden lotuses appeared one after another, all of them taking root in the void, releasing a clear fragrance, growing in the surroundings, appearing more and more holy and divine.

Soon after, he entered a type of miraculous state, his body and mind clear. The three strands of immortal energy around him merged with the stone platform, resonating with each other.

In the distance, those people sighed with amazement, finally knowing why only Shi Hao could comprehend the dao here.

“Truly astonishing, that is someone who has cultivated three strands of immortal energy! This Ascension Stage was prepared for this type of person, sigh!”

They didn't feel wronged in their failure. No wonder they were trapped for so many years. Just how many people could cultivate three strands of immortal energy?

Shi Hao didn't pay attention to the clamoring outside, completely immersed in his cultivation. He didn't move, silently comprehending. This stone platform released light, releasing waves of scripture sounds.

He couldn't hear clearly, but he could sense that this was a type of support, a mysterious type of power that tempered his three strands of immortal energy, making it more 'durable'.

It was to the extent where this type of power would allow for the three strands of immortal energy to slowly strengthen further in the future.

What left Shi Hao shocked was that ever since he cultivated the three strands of immortal energy, strengthening them to their limit, they rarely showed any more changes. He never expected to see them display some activity here.

Roughly a month later, one strand of immortal energy around Shi Hao's body unexpectedly condensed into a great dao flower, blooming above his head. It was incomparably mysterious, deep and mysterious, full of great power.

Pa!

A great dao flower petal emerged, pure white immortal mist flowing down strand after strand. The flower petal split open, immortal mists surrounded Shi Hao, making him more and more unfathomable.

"This fella really is formidable!"

In the distance, those people all widened their eyes, revealing shock.

Then, the great dao flower petal formed from the strand of immortal energy continuously burst, and then scattered apart, as if it was being tempered, the aura becoming more and more astonishing.

In the end, the flower petal stabilized, suspending itself above his head, as if a great dao fruit was formed!

That stone platform grew dim, as if it suffered damage, as if it had a mysterious attribute energy sucked away.

"This Ascension Stage is a wheatstone, one used to help this young man grind out a great dao flower petal! Really is amazing!"

"In the Holy Sacrifice Realm, yet already produced one great dao flower petal, this is definitely an incomparable genius!"

Some of them sighed with amazement, continuously nodding, feeling admiration and jealousy.

Shi Hao opened his eyes. He looked at the cultivators around him, saying with a smile, "Does everyone wish to leave?"

When they heard this, they all became stupefied. Then, they loudly cried out. Which one of them didn't want to leave? After being trapped in this damn place for so long, they were all about to go crazy already.

“Please come up to the Ascension Stage!” Shi Hao said.

After he spoke these words, the crowd was first startled, and then they rushed onto this stone platform, all of them incredibly excited.

“Little big bro, you really are quite capable. Hurry and bring us out of here!”

“We’ve been trapped here for a few decades already, I’m about to go mad! Little big bro, please take action, help us escape!”

The group of people were moved and excited, urging him here.

Shi Hao moved. He sat here, continuously forming imprints above him. That great dao flower petal was also moving, releasing astonishing secret force.

Then, the stone platform shone, making rumbling noises, releasing endless symbols with Shi Hao’s movements!

Kacha!

A silver passage was produced in the void, stretching out from the Ascension Stage to the outside world.

“Ah, a road of life has appeared, hurry and go!”

“Heavens! I finally broke free!”

A few people cried out loudly, tears about to flow out. After being trapped for all those years, being able to see the sun again truly filled their hearts with joy.

Shi Hao also walked out from the silver passage. He turned around and gave this place a final look, vaguely seeing that enormous palace and the white eyebrowed elder by the bronze great entrance.

He paid his respects in that direction, sincerely expressing his gratitude.

That elder said this was a type of tempering, not considered a great punishment, and sure enough, this turned out to be the case, granting him tremendous benefits.

Shi Hao felt that even if he entered the heavenly deity institution late, missing out on a few things, just this harvest alone had already made everything worth it.

Not becoming a heavenly deity, still in the Holy Sacrifice Realm, yet already produced a great dao flower, this was extremely rare. This would definitely display great uses in the future.

“What would it be like if I saw a true Ascension Stage?” Shi Hao looked forward to this greatly.

The Nine Heavens Ten Earths, especially Immeasurable Heaven, had long life families, true immortal descendents. These families most likely had unmatched secret treasures similar to the Ascension Stage.

Why did Shi Hao come here? It was precisely to strengthen himself through these mysterious opportunities. He was full of expectation.

“It is rumored that Immeasurable Heaven has true immortal families, I hope I can see some supreme sacred items!” He said to himself.

The silver passage closed. Those people followed Shi Hao out.

“Little big bro, we are from the Chen Family. If there is anything in the future, come look for me!”

“Dao brother, I came from the Scarlet Dragon Clan. If you run into any trouble in Immeasurable Heaven, you can come to my clan.”

After breaking out, these people introduced themselves, agreeing to meet again in the future.

“Please wait a moment, have any of you heard about the heavenly deity institution?” Before separating, Shi Hao asked.

“We have not.” Someone shook his head in confusion.

“I think I’ve heard of it. It was something from a few years ago, heard that one might be built in Immeasurable Heaven.”

These people’s reactions were all different.

Shi Hao immediately recalled that the heavenly deity institution wasn’t something that had been here for awhile, but something recently selected to be established here. Asking these people wouldn’t help much, they’ve been trapped for many years already.

“Dao friend has cultivated three strands of immortal energy, are you going to enter that heavenly deity institution? It seems like after being trapped for many years, a lot of things happened. After returning, we’ll have to take a look as well!”

These individuals were all geniuses, or else why would they have the qualifications to be trapped there? There were naturally those who cultivated immortal energy who indeed could set out for the heavenly deity institution.

“Dao friend, we will meet again at the heavenly deity institution. We will definitely go there. When the time comes, when you become the local boss, we’ll bring you to see those true immortal descendants, true fairies.”

“Haha, correct, get a fairy as your wife, that is but an exceptional beauty with True Immortal blood flowing through her body! We know who those people are, so we can guide you there later. It’ll just have to depend on if you catch any of their eyes!”

The group of people laughed loudly, separating here.

Suddenly, someone in the distance spoke. When those eyes opened, it was as if two streaks of lightning shot over.

It was clear that this ancient land had experts guarding it. It was because this was still a comparatively mysterious region. All places with altars connected to the Nine Heavens Ten Earths had extremely powerful individuals overseeing them.

It was especially the case now when great chaos was about to rise. To prevent enemies from secretly coming over, they had to have powerful individuals defending them.

“Who are you?”

Shi Hao looked into the distance. There was a person seated on an enormous rock. He didn't sense any good intentions from this person.

"Weren't you the one that was lost in Emperor City's ancient battlefield, not appearing even after those three searched many days for you? You actually appeared after several months in Immeasurable Heaven, not simple after all." That person said.

Shi Hao immediately understood. The three individuals he was talking about were those three great experts who lead those geniuses into the heavenly deity institution. Meanwhile, after this person learned of the various situations, he didn't act very friendly towards Shi Hao.

This person was someone from Immeasurable Heaven, someone who was already familiar with Shi Hao's existence.

Shi Hao didn't say anything. This person most likely acted like this for the geniuses of Immeasurable Heaven who were defeated.

"Why aren't you saying anything?" That person asked.

"You are my senior on the road of cultivation, I am listening respectfully to senior's great dao voice." Shi Hao said, doing his best to calm himself down.

"Haha..." This person laughed loudly, but his expression quickly turned cold. "You can even come to Immeasurable Heaven on your own, can be considered extraordinary in that regard, extremely lucky. How about this? If you head to Origin Ancient Mine and excavate a few pieces of Life Stone for me, I won't make things difficult for you."

Not far out, the geniuses who had broken free didn't completely leave. When those people heard this, their expressions immediately changed.

What kind of place was Origin Ancient Mine? That place was called a demonic mine, evil mine, not a place that could be approached. Even though it contained great opportunities, able to prolong life, it was incomparably dangerous inside, within it buried too many powerful beings.

There were some that claimed it to be the tomb of an Immortal King!

Chapter 1077 - Censure

Shi Hao didn't say anything, looking at him coldly. This person truly carried malice towards him, about to treat him unfavorably.

"Why aren't you saying anything?" That person acted calm and casual, already walking forward.

Without a doubt, the passage of time didn't leave much imprints on his face. It was still young, looking heroic and flourishing. Only, when his eyes opened and closed, there was an ancient feeling that did not possess any trace of youthfulness.

This type of great expert definitely had a great lifespan, already living for a long time, an older generation figure.

“What can I say? You and I have no grudges, yet you wish to directly send me to a dangerous place. Could senior’s intentions be any more clear?” Shi Hao said rather impolitely.

At this point, even if he said nice things and bowed his head, it wouldn’t do much. He would only be letting others mock and show contempt for no reason.

The geniuses that didn’t leave yet all felt upset for Shi Hao’s sake. That expert bullied others too far, making a youth head towards Origin Ancient Mine, wasn’t this just sending him to his death?!

Forget about them, even if the senior powerful individuals entered, they would still die without exception.

Since the ancient times, only during set times and with ample preparations would one be able to enter and excavate Life Stones. Otherwise, it would undoubtedly result in death.

“Haha, your temper doesn’t seem to be small. Say, would you rather I directly slap you with a palm, or do you want to be sent into Origin Ancient Mine?” This person said with a smile, only it was a bit cold.

This made everyone’s minds jump. This person didn’t disguise his hostility at all. He wasn’t even going to wait for Shi Hao to enter the dangerous land, just taking action right here?

“Senior, doing things like this, it’s a bit inexcusable, wouldn’t you say?” Those from the side spoke.

“Oh? Then what do you think I should do? You are the Chen Family’s youngster right? Can be considered a genius. However, it is unsuitable for you to step in here.” This person was confident in his backing.

“Senior, you are in charge of protecting the important land, while he didn’t do any wrongs. You don’t have a reason to deal with him!” Another person stepped out, saying like this.

Shi Hao helped them break out, so these people naturally felt gratefulness, especially the geniuses who came from a few great families, their backings great enough to speak here. n)-o/.ᵛ..e-)l)-b--1/-n

“Wu, you all have a point. Everything should be done by the established standards.” This person laughed, his handsome face full of indifference. “He was originally chosen to enter the heavenly deity institution, but ended up delaying his entrance. After showing up late, he even absurdly activated a transport formation alone. How can this not be punished?”

“There has to be a reason for this, right?” Someone spoke, arguing for Shi Hao’s sake.

“Do you know how much heavenly materials are needed to activate that Realm Transporting Formation? That is a heavenly amount! There aren’t many of them left, yet just for a Holy Sacrifice Realm cultivator, it was activated once? This is a waste, asking to be killed! You all don’t know how great of a use the transport formations will be in the future. For it to be wasted once, increasing the load on the Five-Colored Altar, it is simply a great crime!”

This person’s voice was domineering, loudly berating.

Everyone understood. He purposely exaggerated things to denounce Shi Hao.

“That is why, based on the rules, I didn’t come to kill him, but he needs to be punished. I censure him to head towards Origin Ancient Mine and mine materials for a set amount of time!” He spoke like this, eyes carrying cold intent.

Everyone’s hearts immediately became cold, because they knew that Shi Hao would undoubtedly die if he went.

According to legend, Origin Ancient Mine had skeletal remains that were so ancient it was impossible to deduce how long they existed. They all died mysteriously.

It was to the extent where some of them said that the skeletal remains inside were more ancient than even the most ancient era.

There were sect masters who joined hands and entered, yet in the end were directly choked to death by a corpse wearing ancient daoist robes, not a single one of them able to escape.

This triggered a huge uproar in this world. One had to understand that those were all great figures, yet they didn’t die under precious techniques or unmatched methods, directly strangled to death by an ancient corpse.

This was a bit ridiculous, making all those who heard it stupefied.

If a small Holy Sacrifice Realm cultivator entered, there was simply no chance of surviving at all.

“You cannot do this, this isn’t punishment, but harm! All those who head there have died! Even if long life beings were to appear in this world, they would still feel restraining fear!”

Someone spoke, arguing strongly for what was right. Otherwise, they would be watching Shi Hao send himself to the death.

“If heavenly deity institution’s people were to find out, they would definitely stop you! Harming a genius like this, you’ve gone too far!” Someone said loudly.

It was clear that their families and clans were all unordinary with great experts overseeing them, which was why they disputed forcefully for what was right.

“I never expected all of you to be so stubborn.” This person laughed indifferently, and then nodded, saying, “When I, Yuan Qing do things, I never feel any restraining fear. So what if I want him to enter Origin Ancient Mine? I want to see who will stop me.”

When everyone heard his name, they all gasped. This was quite the vicious character. Even though he had lived for an endless amount of time, he definitely couldn’t be considered an ancient figure.

If one were to use the archaic to present as the axis, then this person could still be considered ‘young and robust’!

Yuan Qing, this was an expert with renowned reputation. When he was young, he cultivated immortal energy, and after the accumulation of many years, his strength erupted, terrifying without end!

The people here opened their mouth, yet couldn’t say anything.

It was because this person had always acted domineeringly, definitely not someone who would change his mind because of some younger generation.

He is just one person, nothing more than Holy Sacrifice Realm, not even that important, yet used up an instance of the ancient transport formation. This has broken the rules and deserves punishment!"

Yuan Qing brandished his sleeves, sending those geniuses flying out.

Crazy winds stirred, sand and stones flew everywhere. In that instant, these people were sent several tens of thousands of li out, swept away from this place.

These people were furious, but they couldn't change much.

"Go, let's return to our families and clans. If we can do anything to help, then we shouldn't hold back." Someone said.

The meaning of this was clear. They were to go back to their own clans and discuss with their elders, doing their best to gather forces.

Of course, they knew that there wasn't much hope. After all, Yuan Qing wasn't an ordinary person, not many people willing to offend him. It wasn't worth tearing down all face for the sake of a foreign small cultivator.

"Since this dao brother we got to know cultivated three strands of immortal energy, natural talents exceptional, we should hurry and contact the heavenly deity institution. Who knows, the situation might still be reversible, with someone who could protect him coming." Someone said.

They then all went on their way.

This place calmed down. Yuan Qing looked at Shi Hao, revealing a faint smile as he said, "I am someone who have always acted directly. You should just pay Origin Ancient Mine a visit!"

He clapped his hands towards the distance. A three-headed six-armed creature immediately walked over.

"Go, bring him away, have him enter the ancient mine."

Shi Hao didn't say anything during this process. There was nothing to say to this person. Right now, his strength was weaker, so making any disputes would only make him appear even weaker.

Shi Hao turned around, following the three-headed six-armed creature into the distance.

"Since I've been entrusted with this task, you'll be suppressed for ten years!" When Shi Hao's figure disappeared, Yuan Qing said deep and coldly.

"Pardon me, in ten years, if are still alive, then try to catch up then!" He added like this.

Ten years, for a currently rising genius, was extremely important. Being a step behind might result in a huge gap between him and his rivals.

If it was in other areas, it wasn't much, but in heavenly deity institution, this was absolutely vital!

All of the dao books, immortal medicines, and others there had to be strove for. This was especially the case for the immortal caves and other things. Each time they opened, the number of slots was limited.

One had to understand that cultivating in those type of places would bring too much benefits. It would nourish immortal energy, forge sacred bones, reconstruct flesh and blood, allowing for continuous transformation.

However, the competition was fierce!

After entering the heavenly deity institution, if one wanted to obtain the best cultivation environment, everything had to be fought for. They had to compete over everything.

Those with higher rankings would obtain more things, thus become more powerful. Meanwhile, if one fell behind from the beginning, it would only end up worse for them later on.

“Heavenly deity institution, when those geniuses first entered, the most powerful people already obtained the qualifications to baptise themselves in the Phoenix Blood Pool, obtaining tremendous benefits. Meanwhile, you’re already a few steps behind. Now, if you are suppressed for another ten years, I want to see just how you will rise up!”

Yuan Qing said unsympathetically.

He knew that the the heavenly deity institution was only going to foster a select few seeds, not everyone treated favorably. If the distance was pulled apart from the beginning, the disparity would grow greater and greater!

“Heaven and earth have already changed. There are some enlightenments, some divine abilities that can’t be cultivated just because you have the talent. Large amounts of immortal dao resources are required!”

These words scattered with the cool breeze.

Immeasurable Heaven, within a divine earth, precious light rushed into the heavens, endless auspicious light releasing.

From the distance, that place was full of draconic energy, immortal mists pervading the air. The scenery was incredibly shocking, clearly an immortal residence.

In recent years, everyone knew that the heavenly deity institution was located in Immeasurable Heaven. This was a grand occasion that created great waves.

One had to understand that everything concerning the heavenly deity institution had already created great commotion, people thinking about it several years ago already.

Within the Nine Heavens Ten Earths, many great figures led the way, wishing to construct an institution, displaying within it a sea of scriptures and even more exceptional secret methods, to the extent where there were even immortal dao secret methods and other things.

This was the result of many sides’ cooperation. They were going to create unmatched supreme beings!

For this reason, they naturally expended great effort, including a great scripture collection, building an immortal pool of phoenix blood, and even the caves of long life beings.

Of course, there was no lack of the Nine Heavens Ten Earths' most powerful figures here to lecture.

All of this had already been prepared, previously only the heavenly deity institution's location undecided.

And now, the institution ended up in Immeasurable Heaven, finally decided, so it was naturally a grand occasion that shook the heavens above and earth below.

Recently, the holy earth the heavenly deity institution was located in had large amounts of experts coming back and forth, quite bustling with activity.

A few of Immeasurable Heaven's great powers, ancient families, and others wanted to find a way to send their own clans' disciples over, wishing to take advantage of their relative closeness.

Unfortunately, the heavenly deity institution was unmoved, the entrance strict. All of the disciples had already been set in stone, not taking any bribes from outside.

"Yi, they came out, what powerful life spiritual essence fluctuations!"

Inside the heavenly deity institution, there were those who watched the distant spiritual mountain with envy. Blood radiance surged, divine essence rippling powerfully.

They knew that those who had the qualifications to enter the Phoenix Blood Pool had great accomplishments. They already came out. One could tell without even thinking about it that they definitely obtained great benefits.

"What a waste, there was one other person who originally also had the qualifications to enter, but he unexpectedly didn't have a chance with the heavenly deity institution, missing out."

A few people nodded, knowing that the one they spoke about was Shi Hao. With his talents, after arriving here, there would have definitely been an important role for him.

Even if there were descendants of true immortals and long life beings here.

Chapter 1078 - Archaic Ancient Mine

Shi Hao didn't fight a bloody struggle because he had his cultivation sealed.

In addition, this three-headed six-armed creature truly was powerful, not someone he could defeat.

This powerful creature's entire body was covered in silver scales, including its face, as if it was a demonic god stone engraving. Its blood energy was restrained, making one feel pressure.

Not long afterwards, they arrived at a part of the void. There was a large scarlet boat here, something used when crossing the sky domain.

One could imagine how long this journey was going to take.

Only, Shi Hao felt as if something wasn't right. After coming here, the three-headed six-armed silver creature unexpectedly placed him on the ship, and after obtaining a few heavenly treasures from an expert, turned around to leave.

It wasn't the silver three-headed six-armed creature who was going to personally see him off to that ancient mine! Shi hao discovered that he seemed to have been... sold!

When he thought of this, golden light erupted from Shi Hao's eyes. He was actually purchased by someone at such a low price?

This really was a hateful and shameless thing. He had just arrived in Immeasurable Heaven, yet he encountered this type of disaster, in the end even sold like this.

This large scarlet ship definitely had something greatly wrong with it.

It was several tens of thousands of zhang long, extremely large, entirely scarlet red as if it had been soaked in blood. It looked a bit stifling, even more so releasing a type of bloody fiendish aura.

Generally speaking, part of the owner's style can be sensed from the magical artifact. This enormous ship was dark red like blood, carrying thick killing intent, the owner clearly not of the kind sort.

Soon after, he knew that this was a pirate ship full of crime and blood. It moved through the cosmos' starry sky, its reputation notorious.

Shi Hao felt a wave of pent-up frustrations. He had just arrived in the Nine Heavens, yet he already encountered this type of thing, being sold off to this type of vicious place, becoming a captive.

The scarlet red pirate ship was extremely well known in Immeasurable Heaven. The captain of the ship was a formidable expert with tremendous strength, someone who always acted viciously, traveling domineeringly between heaven and earth. However, he had been living well this entire time, not being eliminated by anyone.

In reality, the reason this pirate ship could remain unharmed was also because it had secret dealings with many great powers, with mutual interests involved.

For example, it often sent slaves with decent cultivation levels to Origin Ancient Mine, selling them to great powers to have them excavate divine materials.

There were many people on the ship, extremely crowded. Most of them were slaves, all of them locked up in a designated area.

Unfortunately, Shi Hao became one of them. He looked at these creatures with lifeless expressions, spirits numb, and then he suddenly felt that he was still quite lucky. At the very least, he was still full of vigor, not tormented to this level of dejectedness.

Only, soon after, there was an elder that dealt him a heavy mental blow. "Youngster, you should relax while you can. Once you enter the ancient mine, you might die at any time."

The blood-colored ship took off, the destination outer space.

It was because the so-called Origin Ancient Mine floated in the sky above, long moving into outer space, adjacent to a few large stars.

Aside from the endless space all around them, there were many formations along the way, requiring one to be careful when moving. That was why the Scarlet Blood Ship didn't move too quickly.

It was black and ice-cold in outer space, even the areas with stellar radiance appearing quite desolate.

It had to be said that this area was extremely frightening. There were all types of skeletal remains, all of them drifting through the dark cosmos, extremely shocking.

Apart from this, there were enormous meteors that rushed past from time to time.

Of course, the most dangerous were still those damaged weapons, banners, and other things. Those were all left behind from ancient wars, covered in ancient formations and other things.

As a result, this region was extremely special. One had to carefully move through this place. If an accident happened, they would be consigned to eternal damnation.

Things like this had happened before. When a few large ships traveled through this area, bashing left and right as they advanced, some of them exploded, some of them were transported into the depths of the cosmos, thus never seen again.

Several days passed. Shi Hao was quite shocked. This scarlet ship slowed down its speed, not daring to move recklessly, carefully making its way through many damaged formations.

Hualala!

Not far out, a small banner swayed back and forth. It released ripples, shattering a comet that flew past into pieces.

This was quite striking. Even though this place was like ruins with all types of damaged things, it really wasn't a good place to provoke. All of these things could easily turn into great killing weapons.

However, the scarlet ship's people's eyes didn't become glowing hot with greed, because lessons had previously been taught through blood. There were those who had previously tried to obtain these damaged artifacts, but as soon as they approached, a formation was activated, tearing apart flesh and bone.

Those things, even though they had drifted in the cosmos' void for endless years, they were still dangerous. This was especially the case if contact was made, which would very likely trigger their explosion.

"This was a killing formation set by an unmatched expert to begin with, known to be able to kill gods and wipe out immortals, forcefully oppress everyone, omnipotent. That was why this place ended up like this, only the damaged artifacts from when the formation was built left behind."

Between these words, a ship arrived from the distance. The people on that ship saw a shining pearl, and then they couldn't hold back, wanting to seize it.

Hong!

As a result, Scarlet Blood Ship's people all trembled. The ship in the distance exploded, turning into pieces. Everyone died, buried along here.

"This is a curse land... no one can display greed towards any of the ruined artifacts here, or else a great disaster would be incurred." Someone of Scarlet Blood Ship sighed.

Finally, they arrived, approaching their destination.

That was a star, extremely massive, and also extremely desolate. There were no plants, grit everywhere, as well as a scorched blackness.

When one looked down from above, this star was extremely ugly, not a single blade of grass growing, lacking life. Everything was just that drab and gray.

The Origin Ancient Mine was precisely on that star.

It was rumored that it was originally above Immeasurable Heaven's great earth, but it attracted too many cultivators, and each time, many people died as a result, including heroes of different clans.

In the end, left with no choice, after the different clans discussed among themselves, great figures joined up and refined that area into a star, sending it into outer space.

Of course, during this process, they didn't dare touch the ancient mine in the slightest, but instead moved everything within a range of a hundred thousand li, then refined it into a star.

Everyone knew that this star was extremely special, yet no one was daring enough to truly explore its contents. It was because there were too many uncertainties with that place.

Finally, they arrived.

Suddenly, the void trembled, earth quaking and mountains shaking. The stars were resonating in response as well.

"Not good!"

Many people on Scarlet Blood Ship cried out, even the captain of the ship appeared for the first time. His entire body was surrounded by divine multicolored mist, body trembling slightly, doing everything he could to move the precious ship away. $n./\mathcal{O}((v-/e--L-)B)/1-.n$

An unexpected event happened today, a terrifying aura rushed at them.

On Scarlet Blood Ship, everyone was shocked, as if they were facing hell, on the verge of death. The feeling that star gave them wasn't too good.

At this time, including Shi Hao, many people saw a scene they would find hard to forget for the rest of their lives. They were all still like wooden chickens, as if they became stupefied.

There was an ancient mine on the star's surface. It released auspicious multicolored radiance that affected the stars in the heavens, forming a vast and boundless domain.

It seemed to be breathing, rising and falling, releasing streak after streak of ripples that engulfed the heavens.

“That is... Origin Ancient Mine?” Many people’s voices were trembling. There was this type of immortal mine on that great star, this type of scene. It was too shocking.

“The ancient mine has revived again. We are quite lucky, coming here when it is devouring heaven and earth spiritual essence!” Scarlet Blood Ship’s captain said.

Soon after, everyone understood what was happening.

That ancient mine continuously changed, immortal light shining brilliantly. Now, it returned to its natural state, black holes occasionally forming.

“Heavens! There are stars falling!” Someone cried out loudly.

When the Origin Ancient Mine became pitch black, it became like a black hole, devouring stars from all directions, truly powerful and terrifying.

Compared to the enormous Origin Star, that ancient mine wasn’t that large, but it devoured all of those stars. This space immediately became incomparably brilliant. Great stars fell, drawing out brilliant tails in the void, all of them entering that cave entrance.

This... was truly hard to believe!

Everyone became stunned, all of them dumbstruck. This type of scene was too terrifying.

Only Scarlet Blood Ship’s captain was still relatively calm, because he had heard before that this ancient mine was reviving, replenishing its spiritual essence, needing to devour a large amount of stars.

“This is just... too ridiculous!” While feeling fear, everyone could only sigh with admiration like this.

Shi Hao opened his Heavenly Eyes, understanding that that ancient mine seemed to be breathing. As it inhaled and exhaled, great stars from outer space fell one after another, absorbed by it. While breathing, auspicious multicolored light surged, brilliant colors flowing about.

Finally, Scarlet Blood Ship made it to a safe region. The main reason was because the captain was powerful enough, forcefully moving it far into the distance.

“Each time Origin Ancient Mine moves, there will be a long period of calmness. This really is quite the luck. You all might be able to pick a few pieces of Life Stone!” Scarlet Blood Ship’s captain gave the ship’s people a look, saying it like this.

Finally, after who knew how much time had passed, Origin Ancient Mine calmed down, no longer devouring the sun, moon, and stars, becoming extremely quiet.

“Alright, we can go over now.” Scarlet Blood Ship’s captain said.

The large ship began to move, slowly descending towards that star, eventually making contact with its surface.

Meanwhile, a few other large ships appeared, descending on this star. They were all cultivators that escaped during the previous danger, now returning.

There were quite a few people from great powers, coming here all for the sake of digging up supreme treasures and other things from around the ancient mines' vicinity.

"Did you all not see? Before the ancient mine revived, there were many figures inside, just too terrifying. Every single one of them carried primal chaos, exceptionally powerful!"

Why were there many people inside? Many of the creatures on Scarlet Blood Ship who was coming here for the first time were puzzled, faces full of shock.

"Those are skeletal remains. They were nourished by the life essence energy within year in year out, thus developing intelligence."

"That's incorrect, there are many Immortal Kings buried inside. Perhaps there is All Life Earth that can ensure that all things remain in an undying state. After endless time, they returned, who knows, they might have revived!"

Everyone discussed among themselves, all of them extremely shocked.

"Immortal King?" Scarlet Blood Ship's captain laughed coldly, shaking his head, saying, "This ancient mine is ancient to an unimaginable degree. In Immortal Ancient Great Era, it had previously been filled in, yet in this era, it was unearthed again."

When the others heard him say this, many of them revealed unusual expressions. This was especially true for the experts of a few great sects, they were even more surprised.

It was because these people more or less knew some secrets. They had their suspicions that this ancient mine was terrifyingly ancient, some of the ancient corpses inside possibly even older than Immortal Ancient Great Era.

"Immortal energy!"

Someone cried out like this at this moment.

At the entrance of the ancient mine, strand after strand of immortal mists pervaded the air. That type of energy was incomparably holy and peaceful as it scattered out from the ancient cave.

Everyone's eyes became red. This place was too mysterious. If they could cultivate here... it was simply unimaginable, the natural luck too great!

Chapter 1079 - Slave

Immortal mists rose, the cave entrance faintly discernible and massive. A grand scene appeared there.

"Yi, why is there a singing voice?"

An expert cried out in alarm, his scalp immediately going cold, feeling a deep sense of disbelief.

Then, the others also heard it. Singing voices sounded from the originally peaceful ancient cave. Even though it wasn't that clear, it was definitely real.

That was a woman, her voice elegant and graceful, sinuous and melodious, extremely pleasant to listen to, but also carrying a mournful type of feeling.

In a flash, an exceptional beauty appeared before their eyes. She stepped on moonlight, ascending, snow-white clothes fluttered about, style exceptional. At her side, blade radiance and sword shadows could be seen, heroic figures fought against each other, matchless heroes falling, collapsing into pools of blood.

Everyone fought for her sake, struggled for her.

“Is this an illusion?”

Forget about others, even Scarlet Blood Ship’s captain felt a wave of shock, fiercely shaking his head, forcing himself free from this type of singing voice.

He discovered that his entire body was already covered in cold sweat, his battle clothes drenched, only now snapping back to reality, freeing himself from that mysterious state.

This really was a bit frightening. Someone as powerful as him who could travel unhindered through Immeasurable Heaven, someone who rarely had enemies, was like a lost youth here, his emotions rising and falling from someone’s voice, losing himself.

“How shocking!” Someone said with a sigh.

This was just a song, no one actually walking out from Origin Ancient Mine, but it made one feel as if they personally experienced all those scenes.

“I don’t think that indistinct white-clothed woman was an illusion. Everyone ‘saw’ her just now, right?” A great expert said.

In reality, the ancient mine was peaceful, immortal energy pervading the air. There wasn’t any white-clothed woman who walked out, all of this a strange type of reaction.

“Right, I saw an exceptional beauty. Even though I didn’t truly see her, she was definitely the most beautiful woman throughout eternity!” Someone said, almost deliriously raving.

“Exactly, I also saw her. She moved under the moonlight, many heroes engaged in a bloodbath!” Someone added, revealing a fascinated expression, almost at a loss.

The experts here were all silent. There were ancient corpses in this ancient mine, but why did a living person now appear as well?

All of the extremely powerful individuals opened their mouths, but then closed them again, not saying anything. This place appeared more and more strange, mysterious and unfathomable.

Shi Hao saw it clearly just now as well. In reality, no one appeared, those were just imprints produced by that pleasant singing voice, making people feel as if they really did see those scenes.

Everyone knew that Origin Ancient Mine was a dangerous place, with most who entered dying. Only those with tremendous opportunities had a chance of returning with their lives.

However, the people who went inside had never seen any living people, all of them ancient corpses, so what was going on with these scenes?

“Don’t tell me that there are still pure lands we haven’t discovered, a few other unknown areas...”
Someone said quietly, expression serious.

This was definitely not impossible.

Moreover, even before, those who were lucky enough to come back alive only gave this place a hurried look, completely unable to find out just how many mysteries the ancient mine contained.

“There is likely someone who revived!” A great figure said.

The scene just now wasn’t an ancient corpse that developed sentience, no malicious energy or deathly energy to be seen. It wasn’t quite the same as what they saw just now, different from the ancient mine recorded in bone books.

“Could it be that there really is an immortal king buried inside, reviving with All Life Earth?” Someone said, breaking out into a cold shiver.

Finally, everything calmed down again. The singing voice had long disappeared, even the immortal energy released by the ancient cave starting to receded. A vast expanse of darkness could be seen when looking from the distance.

The ancient cave was faint and indistinct, no one daring to approach it.

At this point, all of the experts felt a bit of fear. If an existence with complete intelligence emerged from the ancient mine, no longer an ancient corpse who only had vague instincts, that... would be incomparably terrifying.

There was immediately a group of experts that left, fearing that staying here further would result in problems.

Fortunately, the supervisors of the great powers that remained were still relatively calm, quickly stabilizing the situation.

Then, they observed the situation for several days, discovering that it was just like before, not any bad changes happening because of this. Only then did they release a breath of relief.

As for Scarlet Blood Ship, it had long taken off, escaping that very day.

Shi Hao and the others totaled to eighty to ninety thousand. They were treated as slaves and sold to these great powers. If nothing unexpected happened, then they would die while excavating divine materials.

His face was calm without any fluctuations, treating this with silence. Waves of killing intent towards Yuan Qing surged within him, this person actually dealt with him like this.

The Scarlet Blood Ship left into the distance. Many days later, when Yuan Qing obtained news, his expression remained calm.

“Suppressing you for ten years, seems like I worried too much. Abnormalities appeared in Origin Ancient Mine, so those powers will likely search frantically. You should just first think about how to survive!”
Yuan Qing said to himself.

He acted on his own accord, suppressing Shi Hao for ten years, but now felt that instead of doing this, he might as well have just directly killed him. n)-o/.ᵛ..e-)l)-ḃ--1/-n

However, he was still worried that someone would investigate into this. If he acted too directly, it would be making things quite difficult for him. Even though this was also crossing the line, he at least had a reason.

Half a month had passed. Shi Hao and the others were all strictly guarded, close watch placed over them.

Even though close to a hundred slaves were transported over, they were sold off separately. He was sold off to an ancient family together with several thousand others, used to excavate heavenly materials for them.

Even though they already had restrictions placed on them, these ancient families still wouldn't feel at ease unless they set their own restrictions.

Of course, they didn't invite experts to restrict everyone one by one, as that would use up too much time. Instead, special magical artifacts were used to control these slaves.

For example, when it was Shi Hao's turn, he first had shackles placed on him, and then they used a piece of mysterious stone to examine his potential and fighting strength. That strange rock immediately flourished with radiance.

"Yi, we picked up treasure! This slave is extremely formidable, not ordinary at all!" Someone cried out, drawing the attention of this ancient family.

They had a mysterious strange stone that could examine one's strength and potential. Even though it wasn't that accurate, generally speaking, it would still do its job.

That strange stone flourished with radiance, alarming a group of people. It had been many years since they saw someone like this, let alone a slave like this.

"Truly unexpected, one can even find a good successor after purchasing a slave!"

Kacha!

Soon after, this rock shattered, smashed apart by the multicolored light Shi Hao's body emitted, turning into broken pieces.

This left them even more shocked. With a hu la sound, this ancient family's people all swarmed over, ordering people to seal this place, not letting anyone else approach.

"Formidable, even breaking the examining stone, this brat is a bit strange!"

"Bring the Seven-Colored Wondrous Stone to examine him. Let's see how formidable his potential really is." Someone said, eyes brilliant.

"There aren't any left, the Seven-Colored Wondrous Stones have already been exhausted. We won't be able to get our hands on one for some time." Someone replied.

When Shi Hao heard their conversation, he didn't say anything, facing them silently.

“Youngster, what is your name?”

“Di[1]!” Shi Hao replied.

The group of people looked at each other in dismay. This name really was domineering, someone actually truly dared to take on this name.

“Actually daring to use this name, a single character Di, hah!” Someone said like this. They looked at him, saying, “Regardless of whether this name is fake or not, it’ll do as a code name for now. It’s beneath us to bother investigating. What I wish to ask is what inheritance you are from, what kind of background?”

“I grew up in the great wasteland from my youth, only joining the world now, but was deceived and captured by a scoundrel.” Shi Hao said expressionlessly.

“Lies. Speak of your background!” Someone shouted.

In addition, an elder directly took action, placing his palm on Shi Hao’s forehead, wishing to explore his sea of consciousness and directly acquire his memories.

Shi Hao glared at him. His identity was about to be investigated, resulting in him having no secrets to speak of, even his supreme powerful precious techniques were going to be seized.

“Yi?” Immediately afterwards, the elder was shocked, hurriedly retracting his hands. It was because he had just operated bone texts, yet the space between Shi Hao’s brows was splitting apart, blood starting to flow out.

“There are restrictions. Once examined, the primordial spirit will rupture.” The others’ faces fell.

This was the restriction Shi Hao placed on himself previously. Willow Deity method, Lightning Emperor’s symbols, Kun Peng imprints, all of them were protected. He tried to imitate other archaic vicious beasts, doing this to prevent the inheritances from leaking. His primordial spirit had restrictions, so even if he became a captive, he wouldn’t have to worry much.

Of course, this also meant that if others forcefully searched, his soul would explode, falling here.

These people stopped, not continuing.

“Youngster, you have to let us see your value, how you are different. Otherwise, you will only be regarded as a normal slave and die in the mines.” One of them said.

“Undo the fetters.” Shi Hao calmly said.

These people were quite straightforward, all of them experts. There were sect master level figures here, not fearing that he would act out.

When Shi Hao recovered, he directly released a strand of immortal energy. It surrounded his body, auspicious energy pervading the air, great power spreading.

Si!

These people gasped. This youngster was powerful after all, leaving them greatly shaken.

“Cultivated immortal energy, this type of aptitude is not ordinary after all. He should have entered the heavenly deity institution!” An elder sighed.

“Just one strand of immortal energy, entering the heavenly deity institution will be too difficult.” Another person shook his head, likely the number one expert of his clan in this ancient mine region.

Shi Hao didn’t hesitate. Right now, he needed to display his strength, and only then would he attract their attention, thus being regarded as important, increasing his chances of freeing himself.

The second strand of immortal energy appeared, but it was a bit faint, not that distinct. This was done intentionally.

“Good, good, good!” These people were pleasantly surprised.

They never expected that a random slave they purchased would be so outstanding!

These people looked at each other, revealing strange looks, revealing a radiance from Shi Hao’s eyes he couldn’t really understand. It flashed past their eyes.

Two strands of immortal energy, this was an outstanding genius even in Immeasurable Heaven, a rarely seen talent that would be chased after by all sects and protected.

It was because once someone like this grew up, they would inevitably become a great expert who would inspire awe throughout the empire.

“Youngster, Di, do you wish to enter the heavenly deity institution?” An elder asked in an amicable manner.

“I heard about it. If I can go and take a look, then that’s naturally not a bad thing.” Shi Hao acted in neither a servile nor overbearing manner.

“Wu, my clan’s young miss is there. If you are willing to follow by her side, we can consider sending you over.” An elder said.

“Follow a woman?” Shi Hao raised his head, purposely showing a look of disdain.

“Haha...” Someone laughed, and then said, “Youngster, do you think that cultivating two strands of immortal energy makes you unmatched under the sky? My clan’s young miss could suppress you with a raise of her hand. She wishes to seize the number one fairy position in Immeasurable Heaven, her cultivation profound, not something you can even imagine.”

“Don’t tell me she cultivated three strands of immortal energy?” Shi Hao asked.

“Even more formidable than what you are thinking. The young miss carries unmatched immortal blood within her. She is not only my clan’s, but all of Immeasurable Heaven’s most brilliant pearl.” The elder said.

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“Long life family?” Shi Hao looked at them. He always had a feeling that this clan had quite the experts. This was just a mine, yet there were several extraordinary figures overseeing it. He now understood a bit.

An elder laughed and said, "My clan had a long life being in the past, but that is already something of endless years ago, this founder long dying in battle."

He didn't feel sentimental. Even though they felt some regret, a bit unwilling, time could erase everything, the past glory still something of the past.

"Then that is to say, your clan's young miss can be regarded as an immortal descendant, also one of the fairies^[1] not only in name but also in reality?" Shi Hao asked, his eyes revealing a strange expression.

In the past, when he had opposed Lin Tian and the others, he had previously brought up these types of families.

Meanwhile, the blue-pupiled woman Lan Ling had mocked him, saying that if he was powerful enough, he could interact with true fairies in the heavenly deity institution, perhaps even taking them as his wife.

At this moment, Shi Hao felt quite strange. He never expected there to really be these types of families, moreover meeting them like this. Only, his status was just too embarrassing, unexpectedly only a slave.

"Youngster, your ambitions don't seem to be that small huh? Already ended up a prisoner, yet your eyes are still flickering with divine light, you actually set your eyes on my clan's great daughter? Do not overestimate your worth." A middle-aged individual ridiculed.

"I do not have such intentions." Shi Hao shook his head.

"Haha, if you don't then that is best." Someone nodded with a smile, and then looked at him, saying, "We can send you into the heavenly deity institution, only, their disciple selection has ended, so another method has to be used."

Based on what they said, they could send Shi Hao in, but there was some issue with his identity, He had to join as their young miss' battle servant.

When Shi Hao heard this, his eyebrows immediately stood up. To enter with the identity of a servant, how could he accept this?!

The reason he revealed two strands of immortal energy was to expose his own potential, precisely to draw enough attention and have these people regard him as important.

However, in the end, he still had to continue with the identity of a servant. This was a type of humiliation, something he definitely couldn't compromise with!

Shi Hao became silent. He carefully thought to himself. Ever since he arrived in Immeasurable Heaven, he continuously encountered setbacks, unexpectedly becoming a captive, taken prisoner, turned into a slave. It truly was infuriating, leaving him feeling wronged.

However, he couldn't roar outwards right now. He could only wait for an opportunity.

"You are not willing? There is no need to take offense." An elder continued to explain.

This was just a plan of convenience. From what they said, every single heavenly deity institution disciple could bring a few servants.

If Shi Hao entered with the status of a servant, the day would come when he would shine again. When the time came, there would be a chance to truly join the heavenly deity institution.

Of course, this was on the premise that he agreed to follow at the young miss' side. Even though he could free himself from the status of slave, he couldn't betray them. He had to move together with the clan.

In reality, there were many young experts who were moving. The heavenly deity institution had immortal caves, Phoenix Blood Pool, and other things, any one of them great natural luck, things that would allow one to be born again. Many people wished to enter even if they had to become a servant.

These people included the clan's most powerful young experts, powerful exceptional talents and others, willingly becoming temporary servants.

It was to the extent where the pearls of clans, individuals with exceptional appearances, were willing to head there, establishing agreements with others.

"Of course, before setting out to the heavenly deity institution, you need to do one thing. Perhaps... only you can do it now." An elder spoke.

Shi Hao didn't say anything. He already felt that these people wouldn't show goodwill for no reason. These people valued his potential, but it was unlikely for them to selflessly help him.

In the end, his strength was to help make their clan's young miss look even better, to protect and follow that young lady. They would view him as one of that woman's strong 'subordinates'.

"The competition in the heavenly deity institution is fierce, even our clan's pearl faces great pressure, requiring assistance, needing opportunities." The clan's people said.

Shi Hao learned about some of the heavenly deity institutions' current circumstances from their mouths. He couldn't help but feel astonished.

Presently, the heavenly deity institution gathered the Nine Heavens Ten Earths' heroes, all of them incredibly stunning, the outstanding talents of various ancient worlds. None of them were weak.

With this group of heavenly talents gathered, regardless of whether they were children of emperors of immortals, they all felt a tremendous pressure. It was because a single mistake would result in them being overtaken by others.

In that place, falling behind meant a loss of immortal dao resources.

Phoenix Blood Pool, immortal caves, long life medicines, dao comprehension platforms, and other things were given to the most powerful individuals first. There was no line for the others to wait in.

This made the experts more and more powerful, the distance pulled greater and greater.

Shi Hao frowned, his eyes revealing cold light. At this moment, he finally understood the intentions of Yuan Qing. This was to purposely suppress him, leaving him in this ancient mine region to use up his time. This was simply slowly erasing him from the rankings!

Currently, the geniuses were struggling against each other, the best time to rise up, but he was suppressed and sent to a land of death, making him lose out on the opportunity to compete and truly rise up in the heavenly deity institution.

Without a doubt, even if he continued living, he would lose out on those scriptures, immortal medicines, rebirth precious pools.

Yuan Qing's mind was extremely ruthless, making Shi Hao feel a great hatred!

"What do you all want?" Shi Hao asked. He finally spoke.

There was something the clan's young miss needed here, so it would definitely suit him as well. Instead of resisting, he was better off hearing them out first, see if he could directly make use of it himself.

"Inside the heavenly deity institution, heavenly talents compete against each other. Now, not only did they show their aptitudes, the strength of various families' support is also clear."

An elder from the clan immediately spoke of the nature of the problem.

They wished to find a piece of Life Stone here and then deliver it to the young miss who had immortal blood, have her walk at the front, come out ahead in the great clash between geniuses.

"Life Stone?" Shi Hao said to himself. He had heard about it before, but he didn't know about its concrete effects.

He only knew that this thing could help extend the lifespans of sect master level and stronger figures, help them seize the natural luck between heaven and earth, a priceless treasure.

"You do not need to understand too much, only need to bring back one or two pieces, and then you can immediately leave this place. We will send you to the heavenly deity institution." An elder said.

This was their condition. If he wanted to free himself from his slave status, Shi Hao had to show his sincerity and bring back a Life Stone.

If it was anyone else who heard this condition, their expressions would definitely change. This place had Life Stones, but it was extremely rare. Moreover, who dared enter the Origin Ancient Mine?

What Shi Hao was thinking right now was that this heavenly treasure was definitely extremely useful for him and the young miss, worth obtaining.

He already missed out on the first opportunities inside the heavenly deity institution, needing to make up for it through other means, closing the gap and then overtaking them. This place was worth the risk.

Origin Ancient Mine, if it was without danger, it would be a place extremely suited to cultivation. There was true immortal energy there, not something other pure lands could compare to!

Of course, if others knew what he was thinking, they would definitely curse him as a madman. How many people dared to set their eyes on the ancient mine? Who would dare come here to cultivate? That was definitely some madman who didn't value his life.

“You wish to collect Life Stone?” The clan’s people were shocked, originally thinking they had to speak quite a few words of persuasion, needing to make threats and promises, but they never expected Shi Hao to agree just like that.

One had to bear in mind that those who had dared take the risk have pretty much all died. It was extremely difficult to succeed here.

“You’ve cultivated two strands of immortal energy, of the same origin as that ancient mine’s immortal mist, so it should be comparatively safer for you than for others, so there is no need to feel too much worry. This is the best time to search for Life Stone!” A middle-aged man encouraged.

“I do not need to hear these words of comfort, please give me the corresponding secret treasures and others, bring all of the things that will help me survive.” Shi Hao said.

Since he couldn’t leave, Yuan Qing sent him here, these people wouldn’t let him go either, then he was better off just taking the risk.

“Youngster, you are quite courageous, I am quite optimistic about your future. If you are stunning enough here, it isn’t that there is no chance for you to walk side by side with my clan’s pearl, at that time...”

It was clear that the elder was exaggerating, trying to encourage Shi Hao, not hesitating to throw out sweet bait.

However, his efforts were used on the wrong person. Shi Hao directly cut him off, saying, “Please help me prepare precious artifacts and other things!”

The expressions of the experts here felt a bit embarrassed, but they returned to normal soon after.

“We are quite delighted to see you agree. Little friend is a bright and open-minded person. We won’t say too much about other things and will quickly make preparations for you.”

They undid all of Shi Hao’s shackles, undid his restrictions. However, an elder produced a diamond band, requiring him to wear it on his head.

This was their clan’s secret treasure. Once it was worn on the head, it was extremely difficult to remove, binding tighter and tighter.

They said candidly that they had to do this. After all, with all of Shi Hao’s restrictions undone, what if he ran?

The diamond band was bright, resplendent with silvery-white light, unknown what type of material exactly was used. It was extremely brilliant and flowing with all types of mysterious bone texts.

It looked like a bracelet, but now, it was enlarged, wrapping around Shi Hao’s head, turning into a suppressing magical artifact.

Origin Star, this was a place without plant life, only dry and withered mountains, extremely desolate.

However, despite this being the case, it was still divided up by many great powers, each occupying a region.

During these days, all of the great powers were moving, sending slaves and others, dispatching experts to look around the ancient mine entrance's vicinity.

The so-called vicinity was still several hundred meters out. If it was too close, it would be extremely dangerous. Who knows, they might just be sucked in by that ancient mine.

However, each time Origin Ancient Mine calmed down again, it would be comparatively more peaceful, and bloody events would rarely happen.

This was precisely the reason why only in recent days did everyone display more activity.

Shi Hao made his preparations. Even though he was forced to wear the diamond band around his head, making him feel rather indignant inside, he still endured it.

He couldn't help but sigh. After arriving in Immeasurable Heaven, everything went badly, actually being taken prisoner like this. He was waiting for a chance to erupt, rush through all obstructions.

During these days of preparation, he also understood how powerful this clan was. This clan took on the surname Wang[2], rumored to be a clan that had survived from Immortal Ancient!

Their ancestor's strength was profound, previously an immortal dao figure, long life and undying, but died in battle during the Immortal Ancient years.

Wang Clan, using this as their surname, their ancestor was rumored to have touched the Immortal King domain.

Shi Hao went on his way. The clan prepared all types of corresponding secret treasures for him, everything in order. He was going to enter Origin Ancient Mine!