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Chapter 1231 - Number One Among Heavenly Deities

God level arena, this was definitely not something simple. It was a place to fight a great battle against an opponent, one suspended in the sky, allowing for spectators all around it.

This was an arena that could serve as the place for a life or death battle. At the same time, all types of restrictions could be applied.

Due to differences in opponents and situations, the restrictions that could be activated would also be different.

Among them, the most well-known restriction was to fight at the same cultivation realm, allowing those who pursued the absolute peak and wished to fight at the very top of the same cultivation realm to compete.

It was clear that the reason why Shi Hao suggested to fight on the god level arena was because he wanted to fight the so-called battle of the peak. The two would compete fiercely at the same cultivation realm.

Little Sky King merged with a perfect precious seed, and his cultivation right now was deep and immeasurable, standing at the very top of martial dao, so right now, there was a bit of a above all others, difficult to find opponents situation.

Since he already said it himself, that they weren't going to fight a true decisive battle but rather a civilized battle, implied that he would 'show consideration' for Shi Hao like this, then Shi Hao responded with this type of method.

Shi Hao didn't need the so-called 'consideration', but since the other party felt that it was inappropriate, feeling that his strength was too great, his cultivation realm too high, then they should carry out a great battle at the same cultivation realm on the god level arena.

"This isn't fitting at all. What kind of identity does Little Sky King have? Why would he accompany you in that god level arena battle? This is just child's play."

"Exactly! Have you seen academy elders show this kind of consideration to fight younger generations?"

There were immediately people who retorted, not willing to accept these conditions, believing that it was absurd. They felt that Little Sky King was high up above, so why did he need to bind his own arms and legs?

Shi Hao didn't say anything, only calmly standing there. Regardless, he already made his move, suggesting his own decisive battle method. Whether or not the other party wanted to accept it wasn't his problem.

Many people from Heavenly Deity Institution rose up in commotion, never expecting Shi Hao to be this daring, actually challenging Little Sky King while in the same cultivation realm! However, they really wanted to see this battle.

They had all heard about how heroic Little Sky King was, someone known to be unrivaled among his peers, one of the most stunning individuals in the Nine Heavens Ten Earths, so they naturally wanted to see if he could defeat all others in the same cultivation realm!

"Huang is not a simple individual, from when he made his appearance until now, his performances have also displayed unstoppable power when in the same cultivation realm!"

"You're right, if I think about it, Huang has never been defeated before. He has broken through the limit, no one his match among his peers!"

Everyone became noisy, some of them really expressing what they thought, others acting surprised on purpose, wishing to incite Little Sky King into fighting a great battle with Shi Hao.

It was because many of them had heard that Little Sky King was above all of his peers, never fearing a challenge at the peak of a realm. This was precisely what he strived for, craving defeat!

"I really wish to fight this type of battle, but it is a pity that I cannot satisfy your wish today." Little Sky King said, leaving everyone shocked. He actually tactfully declined, this behavior not matching his style.

Could it be that Little Sky King was scared? There was no way!

Immortal Academy's people didn't believe Little Sky King would be scared of a fight. He was prideful and arrogant, able to face all challengers in the Nine Heavens Ten Earths.

"I have just merged with the dao seed, and even though it was successful, it isn't too stable, needing time to consolidate." Little Sky King smiled, and then explained further, saying, "I was quite fortunate to obtain an unmatched precious seed, but before this perfect seed stabilizes, even though it is an opportunity, it might also be a disaster."

What was the meaning behind these words? Everyone was shocked, feeling more and more confused.

"Because it is a perfect seed, before it completely stabilizes, all inhibitions are ineffective, not even the god level arena can suppress me, so it is too difficult for us to have a so-called same level battle." Little Sky King spoke, carrying a type of unmatched confidence.

Everyone was shocked, and then they erupted with nose. Just how powerful was this Little Sky King, not even the god level arena able to suppress him? Even if special restrictions were set in place, it would still be ineffective against him.

"Truly tyrannical and unmatched!"

"What is the so-called being unrivaled? It is precisely this, not even restrictions able to suppress him! This is what is truly supreme without equal!"

Everyone from Heavenly Deity Institution was moved, couldn't help but feel shock. Even though this was related to the perfect seed, it was also because he really was just too strong.

This was the first time Immortal Academy's people heard this as well. Right now, they were all shocked, many followers couldn't help but cry out, praising Little Sky King's unmatched heroicness.

Even Princess Yao Yue who stood on the arch bridge turned around, looking at this extremely brilliant exceptional hero, feeling deep shock, greatly moved, bright colors swirling in her eyes.

"Little Sky King is extraordinary and aloof after all, having this type of strength, truly someone who surpasses the ancients and dazzles the present, looking down on this heaven and earth. Not many people can compare to you from past until now." Princess Yao Yue exclaimed in praise.

"The reason he has the title Sky King is precisely because he really has the strength to back it up, his prowess widely known, not even the god level arena able to restrict him!" The others on the arch bridge spoke proudly.

"The so-called undefeated is precisely this, unable to be suppressed even if others tried!" Many disciples from Immortal Academy cried out, almost worshipping him.

When Shi Hao heard this, he was a bit moved, but he wasn't flustered, nor did he feel any fear. Only, his eyes became deeper.

"What, you scared now Huang? Now you know how inferior you are to Little Sky King huh?!" Someone shouted arrogantly.

"This is a difference of sky and earth! What is the sign of being without equal? This is its true embodiment!"

On the arch bridge, those individuals shouted loudly, quite a few people mocking him, ridiculing Shi Hao.

"It's not like I didn't experience this before." Shi Hao said calmly to himself, not affected by these words. The so-called splendid situation wasn't able to make his heart waver.

It was because he indeed experienced this before. When he fought against the dual-pupils user in the lower realm, they competed on a god level arena. Back then, the arena was almost completely broken!

Even though the destruction was only temporary, back then, he really did experience such a thing?

"What is he even talking about?" Someone said in shock.

"He... seems to have experienced a time when the god level arena couldn't suppress him." There were some who were immediately astonished.

Many people didn't really believe this, especially Immortal Academy's people who curled their lips, feeling that he was lying.

At this moment, Princess Yao Yue spoke up, advising once again, "Little Sky King, since it is not suitable for you to take action, then let's sit down and talk things over. It doesn't have to be settled through arms."

"We can, I will give him a chance." Little Sky King revealed a faint smile. Right now, his cultivation realm was indeed a level higher, and after merging with the immortal seed, he was already a sect master level figure, even though his condition wasn't extremely stable yet.

"Sky King, please take action, do not forgive him!" Quite a few people shouted out.

While in Realm Tomb, Immortal Academy's people suffered a great defeat, all of them suppressed by Shi Hao alone. Many of them wanted to vent out this wave of resentment, hoping that Little Sky King would forcefully deal with him.

There were even people who didn't agree to the so-called god level arena battle, believing that he should just kill Shi Hao with his sect master level strength.

"Did Yu Wudi[1] come?" Little Sky King asked.

Immortal Academy's people were stunned, not expecting him to bring up this name.

Heavenly Deity Institution's people were even more stunned. This really was a strange name, actually naming oneself without equal in the universe, it really was a bit too arrogant.

"He came, but he didn't travel together with our flight magical artifact, but rather came on a different flight precious artifact." Someone said in a quiet and cautious manner.

"Since Wudi is here, why doesn't he show himself? He can fight against Huang." Little Sky King said.

Heavenly Deity Institution's people were confused. Who was this person? Could he represent Little Sky King in a fight?

"Who is this so-called Yu Wudi?" Princess Yao Yue was at Little Sky King's side, asking like this. She was quite shocked as well.

"Perhaps the one strongest at the Heavenly Deity Level!" Little Sky King said, giving an incredibly high evaluation, immediately triggering cries of shock.

"Immortal Academy has this type of person?" Princess Yao Yue couldn't help but be surprised.

"Naturally. My Immortal Academy is full of talents, our heroes able to look down on the world wherever they go. We don't only have a Sky King, there are other peerless talents as well!" Someone said.

"Self granted titles?" There were some people from Heavenly Deity Institution who sneered, expressing doubt and unconvinced attitudes, not scared of stirring things up.

"I can guarantee that Yu Wudi is extremely strong. Anyone who can defeat him might truly be number one among heavenly deities." Little Sky King said.

Heavenly Deity Institution's disciples all gasped. Quite a few people asked about this so-called Yu Wudi.

"Immortal Academy's great elder's last disciple. The great elder has only taught two apprentices in his life, and Yu Wudi is one of them!"

"He was praised as the second Little Sky King, the most powerful individual in Immortal Academy under the sect master level!"

Soon afterwards, news got out. Immortal Academy's people were extremely arrogant, believing that number one among Immortal Academy's heavenly deities was the same as being number one in the Nine Heavens Ten Earths.

A small boat arrived from the air, standing on it was a gray-clothed male, hazy and indistinct. The small boat was wrapped within chaotic energy, as if it arrived from the very beginning of the world.

It was because when this boat moved, the void cracked apart, the scenes astonishing.

"Wudi, you came." Little Sky King greeted out, his face full of smiles. He then introduced to everyone, "Wudi is not weaker than me when I was at the Heavenly Deity Realm!"

This type of introduction was made seriously, and it was extremely shocking. Yu Wudi was this powerful?

"Yu Wudi is number one in the Heavenly Deity Realm under the sky!" Immortal Academy's people added. This type of acclaim really was astonishing.

"If you can defeat Wudi, then I will temporarily lend this azure armor for you. After you successfully merge with the dao seed, the winner will have the armor!" Little Sky King said.

This naturally produced a great commotion. Yu Wudi emerged from the sky, unexpectedly not inferior to the past Little Sky King, having the power to be number one in the Heavenly Deity Realm.

"He really is number one?" A faint smile appeared on the corners of Shi Hao's lips.

"Naturally. Even if you search throughout the Nine Heavens Ten Earths, it will be difficult to find someone who can match him at the Heavenly Deity Realm!" Many people from Immortal Academy responded to him, full of confidence in Yu Wudi.

When everyone heard this, they couldn't help but feel moved. Just how many people dared to claim to be unmatched under the heavens in a certain cultivation realm?

There was one before them, someone who was acknowledged by everyone from Immortal Academy. Even Little Sky King was praising him greatly.

"Fine, then I will soon become the so-called number one in Heavenly Deity Realm!" Shi Hao said.

Right at this time, that sparkling white bone gourd swayed, immortal mist rising. The mouth of the gourd opened, a gate of light emerging. A group of people walked out.

Sacred Academy's people no longer remained silent, all of them coming out as well!

There were forty to fifty of them in total, all of their blood energy surging, as if they were a group of prehistoric dragons and phoenixes, a bit different from Immortal Academy's aloof and remote auras. These people were vigorous and powerful.

However, soon afterwards, they became calm again, their auras restrained. All of their figures became indistinct, as if they were natural gods and devils from when heaven and earth was created, their bodies towering in the void.

Wang Xi was also there, because there was an exceptional heavenly talent from Sacred Academy who might be connected to the Wang Family through marriage.

"When there are no tigers in the mountains, even monkeys claim to be kings!" Someone from Sacred Academy said while laughing.

"What are you all trying to say? Who are you directing that at?!" Immortal Academy's people glared out angrily, many of them furious.

"Forget about most of those cultivating present world methods preferring to remain unknown, even among those who cultivate ancient methods, no one in your Immortal Academy can claim the title of being number one in the Heavenly Deity Realm!" Someone from Sacred Academy said ruthlessly.

Everyone immediately rose up in an uproar.

"If you are unwilling to accept this, then just come up to the god level arena and fight. Let's see who is number one in the Heavenly Deity Realm! Sacred Academy can feel free to send out experts to fight!" Immortal Academy's people said coldly.

The atmosphere immediately became more tense. The two academies originally also stood in opposition, striving to be above the other. n-.0Velb1n

"If that is what you all wish, then a great battle it is! We came to Heavenly Deity Institution this time precisely to exchange and interact!" Someone from Sacred Academy replied.

"Little Sky King, you can come up and fight too. We aren't scared of the regulations not affecting you, we'll still fight at the Heavenly Deity Realm!" Someone shouted from Sacred Academy.

"Why not? I am looking forward to seeing someone who can defeat me!" Little Sky King replied indifferently. He was unexpectedly really going to take action!

"Heng, I am only speaking the truth. There were previously some people who disappeared in the ancient times, similarly cultivated immortal energy, able to defeat all of you in the Heavenly Deity Realm, let alone our Sacred Academy who reigns supreme!" Sacred Academy's people said while laughing coldly.

"Come, come, we'll fight it out!" Both sides were angered, about to carry out a decisive battle.

Hong!

An incredibly massive arena appeared in midair. It was grand and majestic, immortal mists everywhere.

It was clear that there were some old monsters that were roused, directly bringing over an arena, permitting them to fight.

Multicolored light flashed, a person now appearing on the arena, precisely Shi Hao. He was sent by someone up there. Before he even expressed anything, he was forced to become a challenger.

"A decisive battle to determine who is number one in the Heavenly Deity Realm!" Someone cried out in alarm.

It was because there were bone texts that interweaved on the arena, finally forming this line of characters.

It was easy to see that the old monsters now gave this great battle a designation, using this competition to see who is number one in the Heavenly Deity Realm!

1. Yu(universe) Wudi(unequalled)

Chapter 1232 - Without Equal

No one expected things would develop like this, not even the old monsters able to hold back, encouraging everyone to 'exchange pointers', carry out a great battle.

Number one in Heavenly Deity Realm, this type of battle was going to be carried out on the arena!

Everyone knew that this was definitely a type of encouragement, a display of the three great institutions' strength, displaying their glory and brilliance.

Shi Hao, without a doubt, became the focal point of attention, the first one to be sent up. Conflict originally sparked between him and Little Sky King, left with no choice but to fight. Now, he was even more so directly brought right before a storm.

Of course, since he was now up here, he couldn't run. However, there was no need to either, because he was going to decide everything through battles to begin with.

"Truly arrogant! He went up first to seize the title of number one in Heavenly Deity Realm, but in my opinion, he'll be quickly knocked down!" Someone said loudly.

"My Immortal Academy's people still hadn't gone up, yet he is already impatient, really is quite daring!" Someone mocked. n(-o.)V-.e.)I).

Shi Hao's gaze was like lightning as it swept over those people, not taking their words to heart. It was because he only needed to speak through strength, determine who was the genuine article on the arena.

The grand arena carried an ancient feeling, as well a type of bleakness, unknown just how many tens of thousands of years it had existed for. It was incredibly large, enough for them to fight as they pleased.

Instead of calling it an arena, it was better to call it a floating continent. The ground was all made of stone, streaks running through its surface, profound and complex.

These were great dao symbols, even if it was ordinary stone that had these patterns engraved on it, it would still become sturdy enough, let alone this type of special material.

They didn't have to worry about breaking the arena, didn't have to worry about the battlefield being unstable, everyone could focus on fighting with everything they had. This was a battlefield refined by ancient almighty beings, so it definitely wouldn't break.

"Be careful!" Qing Yi transmitted sound from below, because she knew that Shi Hao was going to face exceptionally terrifying opponents, the battles extremely dangerous.

All eyes were aimed at him, everyone looking at the arena.

"We actually reached this situation, the three academies about to fight a great battle here." Princess Yao Yue's beautiful eyes flickered with brilliance as she stared at the arena. She no longer tried to dissuade them from fighting.

On the other side, above the sparkling gourd, several dozen people stood side by side, among them several individuals who were the most stunning, harmonizing with the dao, as if they were about to fade into heaven and earth.

Wang Xi was also there, treated as an honored guest.

"This is the youth who previously went against the Wang Family, sparking conflict?" Someone asked.

Wang Xi nodded, saying, "He is!"

"Sister-in-law can be at ease, just wait for me to take action. He will definitely be knocked down, all of the disturbance he stirred up will disappear very quickly." One of them said.

Wang Xi released a cold snort, her beautiful and sparkling face revealing a look of warning, clearly not liking this type of address.

"Sister-in-law and that senior brother of mine have already been engaged for some time, so this type of address isn't wrong at all!" That person said while laughing.

"In a bit, our people will go up and defeat him. Our Sacred Academy walks the path of extremes, continuously transcending the limits, all excellent opponents will become our sharpening stones!" Someone said with a smile.

Even though Wang Xi didn't like being called this term, she still reminded them, saying, "Huang is definitely a stunning talent, his cultivation heaven reaching earth moving, rarely meeting worthy opponents among his peers. All those who underestimate him will pay greatly for it!"

There was an indistinct figure that looked like a demonic god who walked out from primal chaos, exuding a type of great awe as he said, "Sister-in-law, you overthink things. We'll show them who the number one in Heavenly Deity Realm is!"

"Precisely! The number one Heavenly Deity Realm individual will definitely be a young supreme being from my Sacred Academy!" Another person said, full of confidence.

On the arena, Shi Hao stood there alone, not saying a single word.

"Wudi, are you willing to fight?" Little Sky King said. He looked towards the youngster standing on the small leaf boat, this person unexpectedly worthy of him speaking so seriously.

No one felt that this was strange. This person was indeed a heaven warping genius, someone who Little Sky King believed to not be weaker than himself when he was at the Heavenly Deity Realm.

"That's fine!"

Yu Wudi nodded, and then he moved, immediately tearing through space, leaving the small boat and appearing on that massive arena. A powerful gale swept about.

He was covered in gray clothes, his body a medium build, his appearance quite ordinary and simple, but there was an intimidating temperament. When immortal energy scattered from his body, he looked incredibly threatening.

Immortal Academy was precisely like this, when reserved, their bodies and mind were all calm like spiritual lakes, drifting in this world, but once they erupted with power, they hacked through the void like an immortal sword, terrifying to the extreme.

The faces of those who cultivated immortal energy darkened slightly, not being handsome was something special of its own. Yu Wudi's physical body was extremely sturdy, when his immortal energy was restrained, he looked no different from an ordinary person.

However, Shi Hao knew that this was a terrifying person, within his body surging spiritual essence, as if he was a dormant dragon!

"Senior brother Yu, please show us your greatest immortal dao accomplishments, quickly take him down!"

"How can number one in the Heavenly Deity Realm be something he can aim at? Who can compare to Yu Wudi? Heavenly Deity Institution's Huang is still not enough!"

"Senior brother Yu, quickly decide this battle!"

Immortal Academy's people shouted loudly, having great confidence in Yu Wudi, feeling that nothing unexpected would happen. In their eyes, defeating Shi Hao was merely a matter of time.

It was to the extent where many people began to carry out some bets, speculating how many moves it would take for Yu Wudi to defeat Huang.

Yu Wudi, whose face was a bit dark toned, released light from his eyes, two streaks of silver-white radiance shooting out from his pupils. They unexpectedly turned into two silver phoenixes, carrying heaven-overflowing white colored flames as they rushed at Shi Hao.

Everyone was alarmed. These two didn't exchange a single word, the great battle starting just like that.

Yu Wudi only opened his eyes, yet this type of terrifying scene was already created. There was silver-colored ancient wind in his pupils, this scene truly shocking to the extreme.

"Heavenly Phoenix power!" Someone cried out in shock.

Many people from Heavenly Deity Institution already knew that Shi Hao faced an exceedingly frightening figure. His opponent refined the Ancient Heavenly Phoenix' power into his eyes, which meant that his physical body was definitely even more frightening!

Dong!

A streak of thunder seemed to have struck down from the void, leaving everyone shaken up, their bodies trembling intensely.

Shi Hao pointed out, releasing attacks. Two golden divine chains that were incomparably dazzling shot through the sky like lightning; this was the Willow Deity Precious Technique. Two branches pierced at Yu Wudi's eyes. In addition, large amounts of golden leaves danced about everywhere like a great rain, carrying blazing light as they descended on the boundless white-colored flames.

Dang!

Before Yu Wudi's eyes, a large amount of patterns appeared, forming a snow-white Heavenly Phoenix. With a flap of its wings, the two golden branches were stopped, sparks flying in all directions.

"Yu Wudi, kill him!" Many people from Immortal Academy shouted out, as if they were standing in the battlefield themselves, like they were the ones fighting. They were completely invested in this most intense and exciting great battle.

The spectators were immediately roused up, many people screaming out, this place becoming extremely noisy, the atmosphere lively.

"Who is making all this noise, disturbing my Heavenly Deity Institution?" Right at this time, a flash of light appeared from the distance. An enormous warship arrived, appearing here.

Heavenly Deity institution's present world method's people returned. They didn't head for Realm Tomb, but rather another immortal land to search for rebirth opportunities.

"What? The people of the two academies came to challenge Shi Hao?" There were people on the warship who cried out.

Cao Yusheng, the little rabbit, Chang Gongyan, Feng Wu, Dragon Girl, Zhen Gu, Teng Yi, there were many who were acquainted with Shi Hao, all of them from the three thousand provinces.

There were some who had previously fought viciously with him, but now temporarily dropped things.

It was to the extent where even the dual-pupils Shi Yi who naturally stood against Shi Hao sneered now, quite cold towards Little Sky King, Yu Wudi, and the others.

"Shi Hao, you have to win! Is that a silver Heavenly Phoenix? Chop off a wing and bring it back to roast, let us have a taste of the good meat!" Cao Yusheng screamed.

This fatty definitely wouldn't enter Immortal Academy, as he cultivated the present world methods, so that was why he roared out now, not feeling any burden, angering Immortal Academy's people until they wanted to immediately slap him to death. Where did this fella come from? Immediately saying such vile things after appearing.

"Wahaha, roasted chicken wings are the best! I want to try it so bad!" The little rabbit's ruby-like large eyes were widened as she shouted.

"Hey, rabbit, weren't you a vegetarian?" Someone mocked.

"Go to hell! I'll throw it!" The little rabbit flipped out, starting to throw the Qilin at people.

When the two academies saw this scene, they felt a bit dizzy. It was because many of them were sure that this was a true Qilin!

"Heavens!" Quite a few people cried out in alarm. One of the vicious ten, this Qilin youth was thrown around like a sack, making even Heavenly Deity Institution's people a bit lightheaded, not understanding what was going on. This was too shocking.

"Brother Shi, if you win against that Heavenly Phoenix, I call dibs on its divine feathers! I was planning to refine a precious fan!"

This group of people were completely unrestrained when they came back, not fearing Immortal Academy's people at all. It was because their goals were all Sacred Academy. Immortal Academy's people were so angry that they glared out, anger surging within them.

Hong!

Yu Wudi operated the True Phoenix Precious Technique. His arms moved, soaring towards the sky. Blinding white light emerged, heaven-overflowing silver flames erupted as he dove down towards Shi Hao, the divine force matchless!

At this moment, time seemed to have frozen still. Everyone closed their mouths, holding their breaths, all of the clamoring disappearing.

They were all incredibly nervous, paying close attention to this world shaking strike!

The well-known Heavenly Phoenix great divine ability now displayed the most dazzling brilliance, attacking at full power, moving the sun, moon, mountains, and rivers!

On the other side, Shi Hao soared into the heavens to face him head-on. A Kun Peng appeared, its golden body carrying black patterns, yin and yang energies swirling about, stirring up great dao divine force.

Honglong!

The two individuals smashed together, as if raging ocean waves beat against the shore. Rocks smashed into the clouds, divine force and holy light everywhere, sweeping through everything with unstoppable power.

Everyone's eyes felt stinging pain, unable to open them, blood even flowing out from some of their eyes. The collision this time was too fierce.

Phoenix cries shaking the nine firmaments!

Kun Peng soaring ninety thousand li!

Two vicious birds tore at each other, terrifying abnormal scenes appeared, as if they had arrived once more at Immortal Ancient Great Era. Barbaric beasts moved about, divine birds covering the sky. They tore open the cosmos, shattering great stars one after another.

The stellar domain shattered.

Dong!

Nine divine feathers appeared behind Yu Wudi, all of them extremely bright and beautiful, the brilliance they released carrying a miraculous power, as if they could grant those between life and death new flesh and bones, make their vital energy surge once more.

This was the rebirth power of a phoenix, but at this moment, they all changed. The nine divine feathers changed from multi-colored to pitch-black like ink, and then finally transformed again, turning into nine black divine swords, carrying a deathly energy.

Life and death swirled about, the power of rebirth becoming murderous energy. The nine phoenix killing swords were like rainbows that crossed the sun, swiftly arriving. Nine streaks of black rainbow radiance penetrated space!

Qiang!

Shi Hao stood within a sea of lightning, around him nine great divine weapons, a golden dao bell, green-colored immortal suppressing pagoda, violet-gold gourd, scarlet red bagua[1], and other weapons lined up together, facing the enemy's attack.

Dong!

It was as if heaven and earth were opening for the first time, the cosmos first forming. Chaotic energy surged, one could vaguely hear natural gods and evils howling and roaring, buddhas singing, demon lords chanting, the scenes strange and terrifying. All types of divine force surged between the two, natural laws interwoven like a spiderweb.

One bathed in lightning, as if the Lightning Emperor was reborn, the other turned into an Ancient Heavenly Phoenix. The two tangled together, fighting a bloody battle, tearing at each other, their bodies turning about.

At times, the Lightning Emperor rode on the Ancient Heavenly Phoenix, treating it like a mount, but sometimes, the Ancient Heavenly Phoenix gripped the humanoid creature who was bathed in lightning within its claws, about to tear it apart.

This was a struggle for the title of number one in the Heavenly Deity Realm. The two fought a decisive battle on the arena, both of their individual strength at their age shocking past and present, rarely seen from past until now!

1. Eight divinatory trigrams of the Book of Changes

Chapter 1233 - Confrontation at the Peak

Phoenix cries resounded, blasting through gold and splitting stones. That dazzling Heavenly Phoenix tumbled about in the sky, carrying heaven-overflowing flames, its body moving viciously, continuously releasing vicious attacks.

Every inch of Shi Hao's body was releasing blinding electrical radiance. In the end, it formed a sea of lightning, smashing into the fiery light, as if raging waves struck against the shore.

They fought from the sky above to the earth below, and then fought from the ground back into the cloud layer, tangling about, blood scattering down from time to time.

The Lightning Emperor Precious Technique faced the Ancient Heavenly Phoenix Secret Method, lightning and flames contending against each other, a competition between the greatest divine abilities. The two fought until they were completely stuck together, bathed in blood as they attacked viciously, the battle extremely bitter.

This was the most frightening opponent Shi Hao had encountered yet, forcing him to go all out, yet he was still injured. There were fine cuts that were made on his body, the result of his body splitting apart.

One had to understand that his flesh was sturdy like divine gold. When normal magical artifacts smashed into his body, they would be shattered instead, yet now, his body suffered such injuries.

Shi Hao was now no different from the best body cultivators, his physical inner treasury opened, yet under the other party's sharp claws, blood still flowed in long streams.

It had to be said that the Heavenly Phoenix's claws were too terrifying, unstoppable. The sky continuously collapsed, like tofu under the Heavenly Phoenix's sharp claws, unable to take a single hit.

The space around them even exploded each time. Under the Heavenly Phoenix's sharp claws, that area would explode. Just how many people could resist this type of exceptional power?

When a normal person walked up, they would immediately be shredded up under a single claw, their bones turned into pieces, no defenses able to defend against that type of attack.

Everyone was stupefied. Huang whose body was known to be powerful to the extreme was actually injured, truly a shocking sight. The expressions of Heavenly Deity Institution's people became grave, all of them feeling that Immortal Academy was deep and immeasurable, like dragon pools and phoenix nests, a place where unmatched heroic geniuses resided. The disciples it produced were too frightening.

Of course, everyone keenly noticed that Yu Wudi was also injured, his face pale, his lips tightly pursed together, wisps of blood flowing out from the corner of his mouth.

He was suppressing it, not allowing the blood to spurt out. In reality, he was already injured.

Hong!

Shi Hao became the ruler of a sea of lightning, each fist more fierce than the last, more tyrannical than the last, facing the Heavenly Phoenix' sharp claws head-on. Even though there were fine gashes on his flesh, blood flowing out, he was still powerful and ferocious.

Lightning rushed out streak after streak, the radiance incomparably great, simply as if a mountain was smashing out. Fist radiance surged, blasting at his opponent.

Pu!

Finally, Yu Wudi couldn't hold on any longer, struck by the fist light until his mouth released a mouthful of blood, his body rocking back and forth.

"Kill!"

Shi Hao shouted, his voice like thunder, making the void rumble. His fist became even more brilliant, as if two divine hammers were about to bring down the Nine Heavens Ten Earths!

Pu!

Yu Wudi couldn't suppress it any longer, continuously coughing out five mouthfuls of blood, an incredibly horrifying sight, blood dyeing the skies red. His body rocked about.

At the same time, five streaks of claw marks appeared on his body, one of them almost making bone visible, one could vaguely see a bit of the bones' white color.

Both of their injuries weren't light, could be said to be both side suffering and neither winning that exchange.

In that instant, the two already exchanged three hundred moves, evenly matched, their bodies both having injuries.

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Killing energy withdrew, blazing flames surged from Yu Wudi's body. Rebirth power surged, his injuries quickly recovering. The blood essence that was coughed out flowed back in reverse, entering through his skin.

This scene left everyone dumbstruck. In the time it took to take a breath, his blood energy was surging again, recovering.

How was one supposed to kill him? How were they supposed to fight a life and death struggle?

By grasping the Ancient Heavenly Phoenix Secret Method, Yu Wudi was naturally undefeatable. It was because even if he was injured, he could immediately recover, instantly restore his condition, always maintaining a peak condition.

Regardless of who it was that became his opponent, they would all feel a great headache, difficult for them to see how they could win.

Hualala!

Golden ripples surged. Before everyone's shocked eyes, Shi Hao also underwent a change, a foot tall willow tree appeared above his head, the entire tree looking like it was cast from gold. Every branch was golden, the soft shoots covering them also like this. Right now, they absorbed the essence energy of the nine heavens, quickly replenishing itself.

"En?" Quite a few people widened their eyes with shock.

The foot tall little tree devoured the essence of the heavens above and earth below. Its roots landed on Shi Hao, reaching towards him, also allowing him to instantly recover.

This was the Willow Deity's precious technique, its innate ability. Not only could it produce golden divine chains of order, it could also be used to treat injuries.

In reality, when Shi Hao first learned this precious technique, the first true meaning he had to grasp was life, using this to comprehend the elements of long life in this heaven and earth, to transcend above.

Only, he was always fighting, so he used the offensive aspects of the ability more often.

Everyone was petrified. These two fought to this extent, their blood energy already somewhat decreased, yet now, they both were both vigorous once more.

"Nine Revolutions Heavenly Art!"

Right at this time, Yu Wudi released a low grunt. He displayed a type of heavenly art, one whose reputation previously shook Immortal Ancient Great Era, having an illustrious reputation, known to be one of the most powerful heavenly arts.

This type of low roar was a type of incantation, able to support the heavenly art's secret force, making it even stronger.

In that instant, heavenly and earth rotated nine times, the entire world flipped over, about to crush Shi Hao beneath.

Quite a few people cried out in alarm. Wasn't this legendary heavenly art lost in inheritance? It was lost in the foreign land, the secret text brought away by the enemy that couldn't be defeated. They never expected to see it again today!

Everyone sighed, Immortal Academy was formidable after all, just too shocking, even recovering this type of unmatched heavenly art that had been lost in inheritance for a long time, bringing it back to light.

Right now, many people's minds were surging, their resolutions to enter Immortal Academy becoming even more firm. They were going there to study techniques, further pursue their studies!

The so-called nine revolutions was capsizing heaven and earth, complete nine revolutions, crush all creatures that were sealed within, extinguish all life, truly an incomparable method.

Shi Hao was like a small boat in a stormy sea, about to flip over at any time, blasted to pieces. His entire being was sealed within, about to be erased.

Many people cried out in alarm. Qing Yi, Gu Jianyun, the little rabbit, Cao Yusheng, Feng Wu, and the others' expressions changed. These changes were taking place too quickly, the Nine Revolutions Heavenly Art unmatched!

"Six Dao Reincarnations!"

As heaven and earth reversed, the world overturned, Shi Hao who was inside the sealed space released a light shout, displaying his own heavenly art. Six mysterious gates opened in the void.

Honglonglong!

This world seemed to have had several slits torn open, all of the crushing power was guided in, pouring into the six mysterious gates.

Then, Shi Hao's hands moved, the six hand gestures incredibly complex, continuously hanging. Then, with a fierce shake, the magical imprint aimed at Yu Wudi.

In that instant, the secret force the six mysterious gates devoured completely flowed in reverse, smashing at Yu Wudi who was displaying the Nine Revolutions Heavenly Art. It raged and surged like a great river, as if a mountain torrent was roaring, engulfing towards the skies, drowning out the heavens.

Everyone's minds trembled when they saw this, many of their expressions changing. He actually neutralized the Nine Revolutions Heavenly Art that easily!

"That's the Six Dao Reincarnations!"

Someone sighed, even the old monsters who were secretly watching were moved. It was because this ancient heavenly art was too famous, having an ancient history, one of the matchless divine abilities.

In that Immortal Ancient Great Era full of blood and chaos, this heavenly art's user killed until the Nine Heavens were dyed red, the Ten Earths' color changed. The foreign experts were cut like chives, wiped out one batch after the next.

It was rumored that the reason why the past ancient realm was blasted into Nine Heavens and Ten Earths was related to the Nine Dao Reincarnations' might!

It could be said that in the final parts of the last great era, the Nine Dao Reincarnations Great Divine Ability established incomparably splendid battle results, killing endlessly, wiping out countless powerful enemies, establishing great achievements.

As expected, the six mysterious gates stopped the incoming attacks, and then sent the power right back, raging powerfully, moreover incredibly ingenious as it attacked the opponent.

Yu Wudi displayed the heavenly attack once more to stop this attack. His body staggered, and then he shouted, "Break!"

The revolving heaven and earth were broken apart, the secret force that swept back scattered, rushing into the boundless heavens.

"This is only the first revolution, there are still eight more! With each rotation, the power of heaven and earth will be increased greater, so let's see how you handle them!" Yu Wudi said coldly.

His battle clothes fluttered about. Even though he had a medium build, his appearance ordinary, right now, he was like a war god, having a type of unmatched loftiness.

Nine Revolutions Heavenly Art moved past and present, now fully displayed by him, terrifyingly powerful, leaving everyone horrified. If it was anyone else, they would have long been blasted into powder.

"The second revolution?" Shi Hao said quietly, his eyes bright and clear. "The Six Dao Reincarnations also have many interpretations."

His hands merged together, his hand gestures continuously changing, in that instant displaying the fate of humankind. Six dao life reincarnations appeared, as if it was going to send one into reincarnation.

The six gates merged into one, forming a vortex, about to suck Yu Wudi in, make him enter a life and death reincarnation, six dao deaths and rebirth.

That was a blurry ancient realm, not even the the founder necessarily sure if that type of reincarnation could continue existing, but when used to kill, it was enough!

"Supreme Hall's inheritance was found by him! Was he fated to grasp it?!" This came from the cultivators of the three thousand provinces, these individuals feeling extremely shocked.

Two people clashed, fighting a battle of the very peak!

Between them, divine force raged, countless natural laws surging, divine chains of order interweaving into a web, the sky-covering natural laws forming the sun, moon, and stars.

This place became a world of natural dao, natural order and other things forming the cosmos' stellar streams. Then, they continuously clashed, great stars exploding, comets flying across the sky, a great life and death confrontation.

The two fought, continuously operating ancient heavenly arts. Eventually, they turned into leaves, became birds and beasts, and then everything continuously erupted, evolving again, flesh and blood obliterated, then regenerated once more.

This was a great decisive battle at the very peak!

When he fought to this extent, even Shi Hao himself entered the Six Dao Reincarnations' natural laws, while Yu Wudi also became immersed in the nine revolutions world. As a result, they continuously reincarnated into leaves, birds and beasts, and then were continuously blasted to pieces.

Their bodies were pierced through, relying on rebirth power and Willow Deity Secret Method to recover. Otherwise, the two of them would have been buried right here.

"Is this real? Are they in reincarnation, dying and then being reborn?" Someone said while trembling.

"It is just an irregular scene, not truly happening. However, their bodies are taking serious damage again and again, to the extent where their flesh even collapsed!" Someone who understood what was happening said.

After a final loud noise, they separated. Their bodies were covered in blood as they staggered backwards, both of them seriously injured.

Then, this place became quiet, dead silent, no one saying a word, eyes nailed to the arena.

Ao...

Suddenly, Yu Wudi roared towards the sky, his head of hair standing vertically, his body swelling up, turning into an ancient beast.

His appearance completely changed, making one greatly alarmed. It was because the aura that was released from his body was too frightening, simply unbelievable.

This was a vicious beast, one that was fierce to the point of making everyone shiver inwardly, fierce to the point where its aura overflowed into the heavens!

Its head was similar to a wolf, but a pair of enormous ancient gray bull horns grew on it. Moreover, there was a vertical eye between its brows, making it look incredibly savage.

Black scales covered its body, these scales solid and cold, flickering about like black gold, and there was long hair that reached out from between the scales, the hair scarlet red like blood, half a meter in length.

Nine tails grew behind it, at the end of every tail a vicious beast head that looked like a dragon head, sinister and frightening.

"Nine Netherworld Ao!" Someone couldn't help but cry out loudly.

"One of the legendary Vicious Ten!" Everyone roared out in commotion, all of them greatly shaken.

Chapter 1234 - Nine Netherworlds Ao

One of the vicious ten, the Nine Netherworlds Ao!

It had a wolf head, between its brows a vertical eye that released vicious light. Enormous gray bull horns rested on its head, its entire body covered in golden scales and red fur, nine strange tails behind it as well.

Ao...

It released a roar, the killing intent leaving everyone terrified. Then it leapt into the air, throwing itself at Shi Hao, its speed too fast.

Shi Hao's five fingers unfolded, metal wood water fire earth, five elements divine lightning erupted, concentrating towards this absolutely frightening strange beast, attacking at full force, lightning blazing brilliantly.

Peng!

This was a frightening Nine Netherworlds Ao, the half foot long red hair on its body all standing on end, unexpectedly blasting aside all of the electrical currents, scattering the lightning.

This was too shocking! Lightning was what the heavens used as divine punishment, normally the most difficult to deal with, many powerful creatures forced to directly resist it, yet this creature easily neutralized it.

It really was worthy of being a Nine Netherworlds Ao, one of the most famous vicious tens!

"Hou..." It released a great roar, mountains and rivers trembling, the arena even shaking, about to drop from the sky.

This ancient beast was too ferocious, as if nothing could stop it. When its mouth opened, the snow-white fangs flickered with deep and cold radiance, as if daggers appeared one after another. In addition, a green ripple was fired from its wolf mouth, the power unstoppable, shattering space.

Everyone was horrified. This type of roar was even more powerful than a lion roar or barbaric bull cry, even causing blood to flow out of the ears of those who were outside the arena, shaking them up to the point where they almost went unconscious.

This was still the result after passing through the arena's protective symbols, or else the consequences would be too horrible to contemplate, definitely many people blasted apart by the sound wave!

Duo!

Shi Hao also released a light shout, the Lightning Emperor Secret Technique's incantations. His mouth released lightning radiance, the sound of thunder, silver ripples spreading, smashing into the ao roar, a great explosion erupting between the two of them.

The sound waves collided, persisting for an extremely long time. Heaven and earth rumbled with noise!

In that instant, Shi Hao rose up, like a True Dragon as he moved through the sky, passing the area of chaos. He produced a Kun Peng fist imprint, and then smashed it at the Nine Netherworlds Ao, taking the initiative to attack.

Those fists were like two small suns, releasing the most brilliant multicolored light. They smashed down murderously, the wind produced by the fists already tearing open space! nove- $l\mathcal{B}$ -In

The Nine Netherworlds Ao roared, all of the red hair covering its body standing up like needles, the pair of enormous gray bull horns on its head releasing a hazy radiance. It leapt out, charging at Shi Hao.

Dang!

Shi Hao's fist smashed into that bull horn, the sound splitting heaven and earth, absolutely deafening. Sparks flew in all directions, as if shooting stars flew across the sky one after another.

At this moment, Shi Hao felt a stinging pain from his fingers. These bull horns were too tough, blood flowing out from his fist. This was the first time his fists had ever suffered damage from a frontal clash!

The Nine Netherworlds Ao roared, its body shaken up. However, its bull horns were still unharmed, because that was the toughest part of its body. Its body still moved backwards, there was no way it wouldn't suffer any damage after being struck by a Kun Peng Fist.

Shua!

Blood flowed in reverse, the wound on Shi Hao's fist healing. It was just a flesh wound, not injuring his bones.

The Nine Netherworlds Ao's eyes widened. When it saw that it wasn't able to shatter Shi Hao's hand bones, it became even more fierce, roaring towards the sky, the sound making one feel like they were going to explode. Its two horns were like heavenly blades, leaping out towards Shi Hao once more.

Chi!

Golden feathers floated around Shi Hao, filling the sky. They turned into divine swords one after another, hacking at the Nine Netherworlds Ao. Moreover, two golden vortices appeared, one on each fist, the Golden Vortex Ripple Technique from the Kun Peng Method, trying to devour and crush those two horns.

Qiang!

Sparks flew in all directions. The Nine Netherworlds Ao's black scales flickered about, defensive force astonishing, creating a black-colored barrier of light, stopping those golden feather swords.

Ao...

Moreover, at this time, behind it, nine tails stabbed over at the same time, as if they were scorpion tails, fast and vicious. These tails were far more frightening than scorpion tails, because every single tail had a dragon head, malicious and frightening.

At this moment, the nine dragon heads all opened their mouths, revealing sharp teeth that flickered with cold light, biting at Shi Hao.

They were too fast, with so little distance between the two of them, there was simply no way to evade!

Shi Hao released a grunt, supporting his single heavenly passage. Under peng peng sounds, the nine tails' heads all bit down on that brilliant heavenly passage light screen.

Dragon cries resounded, the surrounding space collapsed!

"It truly is a Nine Netherworlds Ao! Heavens! The nine dragon heads on its tails aren't just for show, able to devour unmatched experts!" Someone released a great shout. They previously had their suspicions, but now, they were sure.

It was rumored that once these nine tails appeared, all giants would be forced back. It was as if there was the power of nine dragons, able to devour the stars, eat unmatched experts, tear through undying beings.

Shi Hao was shocked, the dragon heads on the nine tails were too frightening, almost able to tear apart his single heavenly passage! This was something that had never happened before.

He believed that if it was anyone else, without the protection of the single heavenly passage, if their bodies were bitten at nine different locations, they would definitely be torn to pieces.

This made his expression change. He never expected the Nine Netherworlds Ao to be this powerful, worthy of being a powerful vicious ten being.

However, this was definitely not the vicious ten of the past, but rather a descendant!

Not far out, Lu Tuo, Yao Yue, and the others' expressions changed, feeling the fatal danger of those nine tails. They most likely possessed the power to tear through young supreme beings with three strands of immortal energy! If one didn't have anything saved, any other trump cards, it would be extremely difficult to defend against the Nine Netherworlds Ao's divine ability.

The Nine Netherworlds Ao was too powerful!

"Yu Wudi was actually a Nine Netherworlds Ao, truly never expected this!" Someone said with a sigh.

Shi Hao's body shook. The single heavenly passage shone, exploding like a sun, temporarily forcing the nine heads back, seizing freedom once more.

"Kill!"

Shi Hao used the Kun Peng's extreme speed, lightning also starting to revolve around his body, breaking through the extreme. He circled around the Nine Netherworlds Ao, attacking it.

In reality, the Nine Netherworlds Ao's speed wasn't slow. The two claws struck out, bull horns splitting space. Lightning interweaved, nine tails reached into the skies, great collisions erupting continuously.

They fought at close quarters, blood splashing out from time to time. It was incredibly intense. As time went on, a thousand five hundred moves had already been exchanged in this great battle.

For Shi Hao, this was a bitter battle, very few able to force him to this extent. The other party was too strong, difficult to kill, his life force astonishing.

Dong!

Shi Hao took an ao claw, meanwhile, his own fist also blasted the Nine Netherworlds Ao's body, releasing a deafening sound.

During this exchange, under the support of the nine tails, that ao claw finally reached into the single heavenly passage, leaving behind a bloody gash on Shi Hao's body.

Shi Hao's fist also struck the other party until his red hair were shed, a few black scales falling.

The scene was extremely astonishing!

Shi Hao really was shocked. The other party's black scales' defensive power was too astonishing, actually stopping his fists. If it was anyone else, they would have definitely been blasted through by his fist.

Nine Netherworlds Ao, its scales indistinct, as if cast from Darkness Immortal Gold, difficult to shatter.

Ao...

The Nine Netherworlds Ao went crazy. Shi Hao's fist struck down on its head, this time avoiding the bull horns. It was in so much pain it felt as if its head was going to split open.

Following the sky-splitting roaring sounds, not only did his Ao head charge forward, even the heads on its nine tails were like this, finally breaking through Shi Hao's heavenly bassage barrier for the first time.

Pu!

Blood splashed outwards, the nine dragon heads biting down on Shi Hao's limbs, waist, chest, and other areas, nine places in total, and tore at him viciously, wishing to directly rip him apart and dye the skies in blood.

"Heavens!"

Many people cried out in alarm. These changes happened too quickly! They widened their eyes in alarm, watching this battle nervously.

Meanwhile, Qing Yi, Cao Yusheng, Gu Jianyun and the others' expressions changed as well. They clenched their fists tightly, feeling like they were going to suffocate. Shi Hao actually might die here!

Everyone knew how frightening the Nine Netherworlds Ao was. Once one was bitten by the nine heads, they would be torn up almost instantly, immediately dismembered.

"He's done, Huang's era has ended, about to be ripped apart by the Nine Netherworlds Ao! He is definitely going to die!"

"The ferocity of a vicious ten truly is unmatched after all!"

Heavenly Deity Institution's people felt like they couldn't breathe. Meanwhile, Immortal Academy's people were pleasantly surprised. With the battle reaching this state, they had long become worried, now, a result that made them satisfied finally appeared. As for Sacred Academy's people, their expressions were serious, feeling a great pressure. That Nine Netherworlds Ao was simply impossible to defeat.

"En?"

Suddenly, the crowd felt as if something wasn't quite right. Even though Shi Hao suffered serious injuries, blood flowing in long streaks from his body, flesh about to be torn apart by the nine heads, his condition actually stabilized again.

In addition, a layer of ripples spread out, locking the nine heads down there, about to crush them.

It was the single heavenly passage!

"No, he was baiting his opponent in, purposely scattering the heavenly passage, and then suddenly displayed it again! The Nine Netherworlds Ao is trapped!" Someone cried out in alarm.

It was actually not a situation of inevitable death, but rather because of an ulterior motive!

Honglonglong!

Shi Hao erupted with full power, precious techniques blasting out streak after streak, from Kun Peng force to lightning, and then to Reincarnation Fist and others, all of it smashing into the Nine Netherworlds Ao.

Ah...

The Nine Netherworlds Ao cried out, three of the nine imprisoned tails broke, and its ao head took a strike from a fist. It finally broke out after risking everything, blood flying from its entire body.

Shi Hao followed him, fully releasing his trump cards, wishing to end this battle here.

However, the Nine Netherworlds Ao really was extremely strong, actually stabilizing its body. It was incredibly mad, blood-colored hair standing on end, many black scales separating, turning into black flying blades. They flew about everywhere, shattering the void, staking it all in this fight.

This was a miserable struggle. The Nine Netherworlds Ao tried to recover from its disadvantage, slowly recover its vital energy, not being struck down.

It used the phoenix' rebirth force, trying to regenerate those broken tails. It was still incredibly ferocious.

However, during this process, Shi Hao's body was bitten in nine areas, also taking serious injuries. It could be said that both sides weren't having it that easy, blood flowing everywhere from their bodies.

In the blink of an eye, the two individuals reached three thousand moves, leaving everyone shocked. They were evenly matched after all, a battle at the summit, the highest level young supreme being battle.

Hualala!

Golden ripples rose and fell, golden willow branches rising and falling in his surroundings. Then, a myriad of divine chains of order were created, rushing outwards.

Everyone knew that the final moment had arrived. Both sides' consumption was too severe. The rebirth force looked like it could restore the body, but they still had to pay a great price. Now that they fought to this extent, they were both exhausted, victory and defeat about to be decided soon.

Hong!

The divine chains created through Willow Deity's technique wrapped around the Nine Netherworlds Ao to refine it.

"Phoenix' rebirth from death, endless netherworld flames!" The Nine Netherworlds Ao roared. Black flames overflowed the heavens, burning all of the golden divine chains of order.

Hong!

A great explosion erupted between them, rumbling noises continuously sounding.

Suddenly, a blinding streak of light shot out. The vertical eye between the Nine Netherworlds Ao's brows was brilliant, a streak of light flying out and striking Shi Hao, piercing through, its power endless, carrying tremendous death energy.

"En, that is... the Eye of Death!" Someone cried out in alarm.

The Nine Netherworlds Ao was incredibly formidable after all, actually cultivating an Eye of Death, a single look able to end one's life, killing them imperceptibly.

There was even less of a need to describe this type of light that flew out and directly struck someone!

The others still thought that this was just its Heavenly Eye that was opened, never expecting him to actually have refined an Eye of Death.

This type of great divine ability really was world shocking, but the Nine Netherworlds Ao previously concealed it, only suddenly releasing this strike now when both sides' strength were exhausted, this move can be said to be a fatal blow.

"Huang... is going to be defeated?" Someone said with a trembling voice.

"He is definitely going to fall!" Someone said coldly.

Hong!

Within Shi Hao's flesh, a vortex appeared, unexpectedly wrapping around that streak of light. These were the effects of his Reincarnation Divine Ability. Time fragments flew about, as if making time flow in reverse.

Then, the inside of Shi Hao's body shone, Reincarnation Force and Willow Deity Technique interweaving, forcing that streak of light out.

"Reincarnation!"

Shi Hao shouted. The Reincarnation Method erupted, bone texts concentrated as it rushed out, all of it blasting at the Nine Netherworlds Ao.

This time, his third type of strange divine ability was incredibly active, raising the reincarnation force to an unprecedented level, the power of time world shocking!

Peng!

The Nine Netherworlds Ao immediately flew out, continuously shouting. It shrunk, in the end turning into a foot in length, looking just like a little puppy.

Dong!

Shi Hao's foot descended, crushing it underneath, blood flowing from its mouth and nose. It continuously struggled about.

"We admit our loss, please show mercy!" Many people from Immortal Academy's side immediately cried out.

This battle was incredibly bitter, actually fighting over three thousand moves, truly too astonishing. Shi Hao had no choice but to treat this battle with the utmost seriousness. There really was no lack of extraordinary talent in the Nine Heavens Ten Earths!

Chapter 1235 - Destroying All Opponents

Immortal Academy's people all cried out in alarm, their arms moving about, shouting for him to stop. They were all extremely worried, scared that Shi Hao would directly trample the Nine Netherworlds Ao to death. If that happened, the losses would be just too great.

No one expected the battle to end like this. The terrifying Nine Netherworlds Ao, a beast whose viciousness was renowned, was now like a little puppy, only a foot long.

Its entire body was contorting, continuously barking out, wishing to struggle free, but after being struck by Shi Hao's most powerful strike, it changed back to its childhood form.

It possessed exceptional divine abilities, yet now, it couldn't display them at full force at all. No creatures were that strong when they were young, but streak after streak of marks were scratched on the arena floor.

This scene left many people shaken up. Even the young Nine Netherworlds Ao was this formidable? One had to know that that arena was covered in protection patterns!

Even with its current state, it could still tear apart a vicious beast with a single claw!

"Ao..." The Nine Netherworlds Ao roared angrily, unwilling to accept this result. Someone who was as powerful as him, holding the title of number one in the Heavenly Deity Realm within Immortal Academy, ended up suffering a huge loss here, being stepped on under the foot of another. What kind of humiliation was this?

Shi Hao lowered his head to look at this vicious beast. His attitude changed slightly, relaxing a bit. This battle really had been extremely difficult, the injuries he was left with not light!

Shi Hao exerted force beneath his feet. The Nine Netherworlds Ao's entire body immediately shook, wounds continuously splitting open, blood splashing out, suffering extremely serious damage.

Shi Hao definitely didn't want to fight another great battle with this vicious abnormal beast after the reincarnation force scattered. Right now, he directly stripped it of its greatest combat strength.

"Stop!" The faces of many people from Immortal Academy paled, crying out several times, but Huang didn't pay them any attention, still taking action, making them feel waves of panic.

The Nine Netherworlds Ao was a key figure of Immortal Academy, the Great Elder's second disciple, as well as his last, his strength exceptional, one of the key forces in the future battle. He was extremely powerful and couldn't be lost.

However now, help definitely wouldn't arrive in time. If anyone rushed over, they might very well end up making Huang act out, directly trample the Nine Netherworlds Ao to death.

Shi Hao didn't deal the killing blow, because the old monsters were all watching. Meanwhile, Heavenly Deity Institution's elders even more so transmitted sound to warn him not to kill this creature, or else there would be great trouble.

Shi Hao naturally complied. Even though they stood on different sides, sparking conflict, even fighting while covered in blood, in the end, they were still both from the Nine Heavens Ten Earths. They had to fight a common enemy in the future.

He raised his foot, lifted the puppy-like vicious beast, then forcefully pinched its vital points with his large hand to prevent it from suddenly recovering and acting out.

"Wu..." The Nine Netherworlds Ao howled, the noise not much different from that of a wolf's, baring its snow-white sharp fangs and glaring viciously at Shi Hao.

Only now did Immortal Academy's people release a breath. They knew that Shi Hao's killing intent was withdrawn, that he wouldn't act murderously.

How did it end up like this? The Nine Netherworlds Ao was actually left in this type of sorry state. Before they fought, no one thought that this would be the result. This made everyone from Immortal Academy feel an extremely bitter feeling inside!

When they saw that foot long 'pup' struggling about in Shi Hao's hands, everyone felt as if they were seeing things, feeling sad for the Nine Netherworlds Ao.

Immortal Academy's people were the most disappointed. They were previously full of confidence, waiting for the Nine Netherworlds Ao to beat Shi Hao up, yet now, it was this type of result, embarrassment not enough to describe their moods, their faces all turning green and red. npve-lb-In

Sacred Academy's people revealed grave expressions. Regardless of whether it was the Nine Netherworlds Ao or Shi Hao, they were both exceptional rivals in their eyes, individuals worthy of respect. They had to be faced seriously.

"Huang was actually this strong!" There were some among them who sighed softly, continuously frowning.

As for Heavenly Deity Institution, everyone was alarmed. This result was completely unexpected for many of them. In the hearts of many, they felt that Immortal Academy was too high to reach, their disciples unmatched.

The appearance of the Nine Netherworlds Ao raised even greater of a commotion. When Heavenly Deity Institution's people saw the descendant of one of the Vicious Ten appear, they all felt that no one could match him.

However, this was the result!

Everyone felt extremely conflicted, because Huang used his battle accomplishments to speak of his own strength once again. He was powerful enough! Even if it was someone from Immortal Academy, he would still come out undefeated!

"Heh heh, my Heavenly Deity Institution's disciple came out on top."

In the distance, an elder was all smiles, currently chatting with Immortal Academy's old monsters.

"Immortal Academy's backing is deep. Mysterious techniques, divine medicines, precious artifacts, all of these things are shockingly abundant, able to create incredible experts, so why did you all suffer such a great defeat today?" An old man from Sacred Academy said with a smile.

"If you all have the skill, then have someone from Sacred Academy come up and give it a try." Immortal Academy's old monsters were angered until they glared out.

"Sect master level figures are not allowed to enter!" An elder from Heavenly Deity Institution hurriedly added.

"My academy's most stunning individuals have naturally all became sect master level cultivators." That old man said.

"My Immortal Academy's Little Sky King and others have already reached that level. Why don't our academies have an exchange?" Immortal Academy's old monster said with a chuckle.

Shi Hao flung out his arm, throwing the Nine Netherworlds Ao out of the arena. Meanwhile, at this time, the Reincarnations Divine Ability lost its effects, that foot long little wolf enlarged, becoming a terrifying vicious beast once more.

It howled into the sky, its voice mournful, the sound making everyone's blood run cold. It was as if a wounded beast king was roaring angrily at the sky, about to completely go mad.

Everyone's minds were shaken, feeling incredibly worried. That was the descendant of a vicious ten, its bloodline astonishing. If it truly went crazy, then many of the young disciples would be in great danger.

Fortunately, it quickly calmed down again, looking at Shi Hao with an ice-cold gaze. Then, its body became blurry, turning back into a male, becoming Yu Wudi.

He turned around and left, activating that leaf boat to rush towards that stone celestial body.

Sigh! Immortal Academy's people sighed, all of them feeling disappointed, feeling regret for Yu Wudi. He clearly had unmatched talent, pretty much known as number one in Heavenly Deity Realm, yet he ended up suffering a defeat in Heavenly Deity Institution, definitely dealt quite the serious mental blow.

On the arch bridge formed from divine rainbows, Immortal Academy's heroic talents were quiet. After a long time had passed, they all looked towards Little Sky King.

Little Sky King's temperament was exceptional, peaceful like a solitary immortal, carrying an otherworldly aura that made this place seem like an immortal realm. Brilliant flower petals fluttered about.

"Yu Wudi was defeated. I am one who keeps my promises, so the azure armor will temporarily be left with you. When you have successfully merged with a dao seed, becoming a sect master level figure, I will come for it." Little Sky King said, his gaze peaceful.

At his side, Princess Yao Yue's eyes swirled about, revealing a surprised expression. She looked towards Little Sky King, and then towards Shi Hao.

On the arena, Shi Hao laughed loudly, not saying anything in response.

"Is there anyone else who is going to enter the arena? The title of number one in Heavenly Deity Realm is about to be snatched by Huang." Someone secretly said, harboring malicious intentions.

These words were spoken to incite Immortal Academy's people, and also adding enemies for Shi Hao, even more so trying to drag Sacred Academy's people into the mix, have them participate.

Everyone looked towards the arena, looking at that tall and slender figure.

Shi Hao behaved as if there wasn't anyone around, sitting down to operate his inner techniques. Bone texts extended strand after strand, surrounding his entire body, absorbing the essence of heaven and earth. He began to quickly recover.

"I will fight you!"

Someone from the enormous white bone gourd shouted from above.

"I'm going, I want to see who's better between me and him!"

"Forget it, I should go!"

Several individuals began to dispute with each other, all wishing to take action themselves and fight Shi Hao. They were people from Sacred Academy.

Everyone raised their eyebrows. Shi Hao was this powerful, yet there were people who dared contest him?

"I think you all should just let me go!"

Someone jumped out from the white bone gourd.

"Come back, let me fight with him!" Another person cried out.

Everyone didn't know whether to laugh or cry. These people truly were daring, fighting over the right to fight first. Who were they treating Huang as? Was he someone anyone could take on?

Wang Xi revealed a look of worry, her pretty brows deeply furrowed. She saw Shi Hao's terrifying potential. The behavior of Sacred Academy's disciples made her worried.

"You all already saw just now how formidable his methods were. If you take action recklessly, you will only be defeated!" Wang Xi warned.

"Sister-in-law, relax, we also have our methods. Moreover, we already said those words before, so if we don't fight, wouldn't we become a laughing stop and be looked down upon?"

They were quite frank, admitting that Huang was strong. However, there was no way out. They had previously ridiculed Huang, so if they backed out now, it really would be shameful.

A streak of scarlet light landed on the arena. An expert from Sacred Academy appeared, brilliant red multicolored light wrapped around him, the radiance extremely dazzling.

"Scarlet Flame Child will fight against you!" The one who came shouted, immediately attacking when he got on the arena, raising his fist and smashing it out, incredibly forceful as he pressed forward.

This was someone who had two strands of immortal energy. However, this wasn't the key point, because Sacred Academy's people didn't focus on immortal energy, their true power rested in breaking through the limits of the present world methods, reforming a peak.

His blood energy was like droplets of liquid, simply as if a vast body of water was moved over. All of it was produced from blood energy, scarlet multicolored light filling the sky, drowning out the arena.

"What terrifying blood energy strength! This person is not simple!" An elder from Heavenly Deity Institution even sighed with praise.

Shi Hao was shocked. This person evolved the Blood Transformation Realm, blood energy extraordinary, too frightening. He had never seen someone with such abundant flesh strength. He was almost not like a living creature, but a sea of blood!

"He is someone among the best of Sacred Academy's disciples who reforged the Blood Transformation Realm!" in the distance, there were Sacred Academy's people who said quietly, giving commentary for Scarlet Flame Child.

Hong!

Blood energy turned into waves of flames, the fire raging, an intense blaze surging, burning the nine heavens. This was a great blood energy method, an unmatched techniques established by Sacred Academy.

Shi Hao didn't underestimate him. His single heavenly passage was opened up in defense, he himself rushing over, clashing intensely with his opponent.

"Peak body refinement cultivator!" Shi Hao was astonished, encountering this type of person for the first time. This person's body was like diamond, releasing precious light. Scarlet multicolored brilliance overflowed. When they clashed, dang dang sounds rang out!

"Heavens, he could actually compare to Huang's body! Worthy of being someone from Sacred Academy!"

There were disciples from Heavenly Deity Institution who sighed with praise, because they knew how freakish Shi Hao's body was. However now, there was actually someone who could match the strength of his body!

Scarlet Flame Child cocked his leg back, and then with destructive power, smashed against Shi Hao's arm, the sound that was produced deafening. Then, he leapt up, diving down with ferocious might. His palms continuously smashed down, palm figures everywhere, battering down with mountainous force.

Hong!

The two individuals' fists crossed. Blood energy overflowed, an expanse of blood clouds surging here, fluctuating intensely, shattering the skies.

Pu!

After several hundred moves, Scarlet Flame Child was sent flying, a fist from Shi Hao smashing his chest in, seriously injuring him. He fell off the arena, blood continuously spraying from his mouth, already defeated.

"Let me have a go!"

Someone rushed out from Sacred Academy again. In that instant, formation patterns completely covered his body. Dao bells, divine pagodas, flying sword and war spears all formed, shooting towards Shi Hao.

This was someone who broke through in the Engravement and Formation Arrangement Realms. He displayed great divine abilities, attacking Shi Hao.

Pu!

Not long after, he was struck by a leg Shi Hao sent out, thrashing against his back like a steel whip, fracturing the bones in his body. His body flew out like a kite with its strings cut. Sacred Academy's side suffered another great defeat.

Then, another three individuals entered the arena in succession, but in the end, they were powerfully defeated by Shi Hao, beaten up until they vomited blood, bodies in ruins, forced to return in defeat.

Chapter 1236 - Competing Over Geniuses

Five great experts from Sacred Academy were defeated, not a match for Shi Hao. All of them were beaten until their blood dyed the the heavens, the battles ending miserably for them.

In the sky, the people on the white bone gourd were silent. Who else could even go up now? There was actually no one at the Heavenly Deity Realm who could contend against that heroic youth!

Wang Xi's beautiful hair hung down to her waist, her beautiful eyes deep, sensing how deep and immeasurable Shi Hao was once again. Even the powerful Sacred Academy didn't have anyone who could suppress him!

She sensed a bit of pressure. Huang still hadn't truly grown up yet, not reaching the peak of his life, yet he was already like this, so what about in the future?

She felt a bit of worry for her family for the first time. Now that they provoked this type of youngster, what would it be like in the future? Will the day come when he becomes a threat to Wang Family's giants?

Immortal Academy's people were similarly speechless. Yu Wudi was defeated, not a match even after he turned into his original Nine Netherworlds Ao form. Now, there was already no one who could stand on the stage!

Unless someone like Little Sky King who exceeded the Heavenly Deity Realm took action, that black-haired youth would continue to stand alone on the arena, no one his equal.

Number one in Heavenly Deity Realm? Everyone silently thought this. Today's battle really did set off Huang! He really did vaguely seem to have this type of might!

Giving him this title didn't seem to be that excessive either, after all, his accomplishments were laid out before them, right now no one from the two academies able to keep him in check!

"Truly never expected Huang to be this valiant, his fighting strength incomparable!" Princess Yao Yue said with a sigh.

On the arch bridge, Immortal Academy's people really didn't want to hear this. Many of them opened their mouths, wishing to retort, but they felt like there was nothing to say. After all, everyone saw the results of the great battles just now.

After a short period of silence, this part of Heavenly Deity Institution erupted with noise. Huang defeated the cultivators from both academies, truly shaking up this place!

Even though the students from this academy knew Huang possessed extremely frightening combat strength, they still didn't think that he could win. After all, the two academies were just too strong.

Who would have thought that the winner in the end was Huang, the youth from Heavenly Deity Institution!

Was this the number one person in the Heavenly Deity Realm? Many people felt complex emotions, somewhat reluctant to admit that someone from a different academy could seize the number one title.

Everyone's respect for Shi Hao rose, feeling deeply shocked. At the same time, many people were a bit confused when they looked at the two academies, lacking a bit of their original adoraton.

A youth established a legend! Heavenly Deity Institution fought the strong as the weak, surpassing both academies!

"Haha, what do you all think? What is so special about Immortal Academy? What were you all saying, some Nine Netherworlds Ao being number one in the Heavenly Deity Realm, that he was going to subdue Huang, no one able to match him? Didn't he still lose to Huang? Immortal Academy, don't you all feel embarrassed? Haha, Huang is my brother!"

The little fatty Cao Yusheng was extremely brash, mocking Immortal Academy's people.

"Aiyaya, truly regretful, why did you let that Nine Netherworlds Ao go? I really wanted to have a taste, I definitely think he'll be tasty if we cooked him. That is but one of the vicious ten's descendents! Just how many of them are there in this world?" The little rabbit sighed with regret. n-p-p) $|e./\ell$)-|b.) |/) n

Everyone didn't know whether to laugh or cry. Qing Yi, Gu Jianyun and the others were all smiling.

Immortal Academy's faces were ashen, truly angered badly. What kind of words were these? They were purposely scattering salt on their wounds, leaving them incredibly resentful.

Sacred Academy's people wanted to laugh, but when they thought about how they lost too, their mouths twitched, those smiles even uglier than crying. It was because their five great experts were all beaten until they vomited blood.

Perhaps only Heavenly Deity Institution's disciples could laugh.

"Are there any others who wish to come up?" Shi Hao asked.

Everyone was silent, no one going up.

Immortal Academy's people felt extremely embarrassed. Not long ago, their words were incredibly arrogant, threatening to suppress Shi Hao, but now, no one dared face him.

In the distance, a pair of eyes flickered about, carrying deep hostility. Shi Hao sensed it, suddenly turning around.

Yuan Qing!

It was actually Yuan Qing! He came, standing right by an old monster's side, his attitude respectful. However, when he looked at Shi Hao, his gaze was not kind.

A layer of goosebumps covered Shi Hao's skin, feeling as if he was targeted by a viper, his skin extremely cold, fine hairs all standing up.

Shi Hao really wanted to hack this person down with a single blow, but he knew that he wasn't his match. The other party was already a half supreme being.

Yuan Qing revealed a faint smile, revealing snow-white teeth, nodding towards him. Right now, he looked extremely friendly, like warm sunlight.

At the very least, the feeling that everyone got was that he was admiring Shi Hao's strength, carrying an attitude of appreciation, currently observing an extremely outstanding descendant.

Yuan Qing didn't stay here for a long time. He turned around and left, seemingly having some misgivings. He only came to exchange a few lines with Immortal Academy's old monster and an elder from Sacred Academy, and then respectfully withdrew.

Shi Hao had previously heard that Yuan Qing had entered both academies to cultivate. Even though his own talent wasn't high enough, he knew quite a few upper level figures. Now, it seemed like the rumors weren't fake.

This made Shi Hao frown. If he really did enter the two academies, would the schemes Yuan Qing set in place end up affecting him? He had to seriously take this into consideration.

Cultivation wasn't easy, Shi Hao reached where he was today more so because he passed through many life and death trials. He did not wish to bring disaster onto himself because of the schemes of another, dying along the path of cultivation.

Shi Hao watched as Yuan Qing left, a pensive look appearing on his face. What was the purpose of this person's visit, purposely coming to strut around, was this a type of contempt towards him, or was it a type of warning?

"Haha... you all were easy on us, letting my Heavenly Deity Institution win." An elder from Heavenly Deity Institution laughed.

The elders of the other two academies smiled insincerely, starting to speak up one after another.

"Heavenly Deity Institution isn't bad, producing a few good saplings. When these types of excellent individuals enter my academy, they will definitely be able to shine."

"Wu, this kind of youth is most suitable for my academy's growth, become even more brilliant in the future, become the pride of my academy."

The old fellas from the two academies laughed joyfully as they went on and on.

Heavenly Deity Institution's elders immediately couldn't laugh anymore. This was basically treating Heavenly Deity Institution like a nursery, the good saplings fished out, transplanted into someone else's garden.

This was like making the marriage clothes for another, really being happy for nothing.

"Little Jin, what kind of expression is that? You all should understand that it is more optimal for good saplings to be nurtured in my Immortal Academy, as we have the suitable soil for their growth." Another old monster was all smiles as he spoke, patting the shoulder of one of Heavenly Deity Institution's elders. Only someone like him dared to call an elder 'Little Jin'.

"And why should they go to Immortal Academy? My Sacred Academy is the correct path, the present world methods destined to surpass the ancient methods!" Sacred Academy's old monster shook his head, speaking with a deadly earnest expression.

"What are you talking about? Could it be that you wish to have a competition against my Immortal Academy?" Immortal Academy's old monster laughed, but his presence was still quite domineering.

"Why wouldn't we dare?"

Even though the two academies' old monsters didn't quarrel with each other, behind their smiling expressions was a hint of competitiveness, about to fight over Heavenly Deity Institution's disciples.

Through Shi Hao's display, they realized that Heavenly Deity Institution wasn't simple, having some good saplings!

Then, someone came to give a secret report, speaking quietly by the old monsters' ears, informing them of some details.

"Yi, there are others at the same level as Huang?"

"Correcct, they had previously fought against him in the three thousand provinces, but back then, there was no victory or defeat decided. After entering Heavenly Deity Institution, they did not fight any decisive battles." Someone reported, mentioning Ten Crown King and Exiled Immortal.

Moreover, one person informed the old monsters that there was one who had a World Tree Sapling, immediately drawing the old monsters' attention.

Not long afterwards, there was even someone who reported that there was someone who grasped a perfect Yin Yang Seed!

"There is another who is the descendant of the protectors, someone who is confident in being unmatched!"

"Not simple, we've made an oversight. We really underestimated Heavenly Deity Institution! This is worth attaching great importance to!" Several old monsters sighed.

Shi Hao jumped off the arena. Qing Yi, Cao Yusheng, and the others immediately welcomed him. They were all happy, celebrating Shi Hao's great victories. Even the witch appeared, not bickering with Qing Yi.

Someone came to look for Shi Hao, privately contacting him, inviting him to join Immortal Academy.

Shi Hao gave the people on the arch bridge a look. Many of them had stupefied expressions, but Little Sky King smiled, nodding towards him.

Princess Yao Yue also nodded in his direction, offering her congratulations.

Shi Hao didn't immediately express his decision, because he wanted to know what Immortal Academy could provide him with, if they would offer a perfect ancient seed.

Sacred Academy's people also came, lowering their stance, formally inviting him to join them.

In the distance, Wang Xi's exceptional appearance revealed a strange look. She never expected Shi Hao to reach this step, actually having one of Sacred Academy's elders invite him. Right now, she really felt a bit uneasy, should she enter Sacred Academy or Immortal Academy?

Ten Crown King, Exiled Immortal, Lu Tuo, Xuan Kun, and the others were also surrounded, becoming immoral saplings that were fought over by the two academies, both wishing to bring them away.

Even the foreign cultivator Shi Hao subdued, Mo Dao, became a target of the two academies' scrambling, as they wanted to obtain valuable information from him.

Apart from this, because Qing Yi merged with a green moon, seemingly a reincarnated true immortal, this also produced a huge uproar. Immortal Academy desperately tried to get her in their academy!

Heavenly Deity Institution immediately became extremely lively. Immortal Academy and Sacred Academy started to fight over disciples, their faces flushed with excitement. Neither side was willing to back up as they fought over the geniuses.

Shi Hao was surrounded, pulled away once more, brought to a comparatively remote place. However, there was still a lot of people here, powerful figures from both academies still around him.

At the same time, Second Elder also came, remaining at his side, helping Shi Hao with his future plans.

"I wish to know, if I enter Immortal Academy, what kind of ancient seed will I obtain? Will it be a perfect one?" Shi Hao was extremely direct. This was something that he was greatly concerned with.

"Don't worry. Little friend, with your natural talent, if it isn't matched with a perfect precious seed, wouldn't that be a waste of potential? You will definitely be given the best of conditions, allowing your cultivation to reach its greatest heights!" An elder slapped his own chest as an act of promise.

Cough! Heavenly Deity Institution's Second Elder coughed, and then seriously reminded, saying, "Why do I recall that Immortal Academy's few ancient seeds have long been previously arranged for others?"

This was clearly an act of undermining Immortal Academy's words, and also for Shi Hao's sake, wishing to help him acquire a perfect dao seed.

"Old fella from Immortal Academy, you really shouldn't cheat others. The ancient seeds have long been completely divided up between Little Sky King and the others. If this young man is brought into your academy, yet there isn't an unmatched precious seed to merge with, wouldn't that only harm him?" Sacred Academy's old man said with a sneer, seizing the opportunity to throw stones at them while they were down.

"Nonsense, there are still precious seeds that haven't been used, one of them guaranteed to Heavenly Deity Institution's best disciple!" Immortal Academy's old monster flew into a rage out of humiliation.

"I've heard that even though that seed is going to fall into my Heavenly Deity Institution's hands, wasn't it already planned to be given to that child from the long life family?" Second Elder interrupted again.

Immortal Academy's old monster's complexion fluctuated between green and red. "I will think of a way! I'll quickly contact Immortal Academy to have them find a perfect seed."

"In the end, those seeds all have owners chosen, and you cannot make the decision, unable to alter things, even saying that you will find another one! This really is easier said than done, can you be certain that you can find one?!" Sacred Academy's old man ridiculed, and then looked towards Shi Hao, saying, "Child, this Immortal Academy, it's not a big deal even if you don't go there. Many things have long been decided behind closed doors. If you go there, you won't be able to win over others!"

Chapter 1237 - Choice

"You..." Immortal Academy's old monster's expression was not good, as if two snow-white streaks of lightning shot out from his eyes. Only, what could he say in retort? Those unmatched seeds had long been promised to others, so they couldn't go back on their words now.

In reality, there were some that were already merged with others, so where would they even look for them?

"Old fella, you have to think it through. Are you cherishing geniuses by doing this, or are you wasting their time." Sacred Academy's elder 'added another cut' to the wounds.

"So you're saying that if he doesn't go to my Immortal Academy, going to your Sacred Academy is better?" Immortal Academy's old monster laughed coldly, also aiming right for the other party's weakness, saying, "Walking the path of present world methods, this type of body cultivation needs all types of unmatched immortal treasures. Are you all willing to part with your immortal medicines? They were long given out, right? Also, the True Dragon heart blood, I believe that it has also been assigned to certain people right? As for the Heavenly Phoenix' rebirth essence blood, it has already been inherited by others. There's no way the few other things can be given out either."

These words not only left Shi Hao extremely shocked, even Heavenly Deity Institution's Second Elder's mind was shaken up. Sacred Academy's backing really was astonishing, actually having these types of things!

True Dragon's heart blood, essence blood after a phoenix' rebirth, Heavenly Horned Ant's extreme strength blood... these were not normal types of blood, but rather the essence of their respective spiritual blood!

Just how many drops of heart blood could a single dragon have?

These types of resources, this type of accumulation truly left one moved!

"My Sacred Academy's resources are abundant, heavenly treasures countless, gathered the natural luck of the nine heavens above. Shi Hao's share will not be missing!" Sacred Academy's elder powerfully patted his own chest.

"Haha... can you make that decision for your entire academy? Those things have long been prearranged, don't think that I don't know!" Immortal Academy's old monster laughed loudly.

Shi Hao became silent. The two academies weren't simple after all, having heaven-defying precious resources, only, neither side could guarantee anything.

Heavenly Deity Institution's Second Elder spoke up, helping Shi Hao fight for various heavenly treasures, saying, "All of you already know that this child's natural talents are exceptional, but if he enters Immortal Academy or Sacred Academy, yet can't obtain ancient seeds, unable to receive True Dragon's heart blood, what is the meaning in going? As for scriptures, we can find them for him as well."

"Don't worry, Sacred Academy still has some Heavenly Horned Ant extreme strength blood that can be gifted to Shi Hao. He is like a body cultivator to begin with, so with this, it will be like adding oil to an inferno." Sacred Academy's elder said with a smile.

"It's better if you give up on that. I've already heard a long time ago that this type of blood was extremely precious, no way it was saved, definitely long been designated for others. Your plan was just to go back and try to bargain for a bit back, is there any meaning in doing such a thing?" Immortal Academy's old monster mocked.

"Seniors only need to express their sincerity, I will serve as the auctioneer's hammer for where Shi Hao will pursue his studies!" Heavenly Deity Institution's Second Elder said.

Soon afterwards, Immortal Academy and Sacred Academy's people took action, each leaving, producing a small bone altar and starting an offering.

The white bone altars shone, becoming a bit indistinct. They passed the bone books they wrote onto the altar, and then waited for the result. This was a type of long distance communication.

What followed was a seemingly endless wait. Shi Hao's area now became quiet.

Meanwhile, at the same time, Heavenly Deity Institution was bustling with activity. A few talented disciples were surrounded, the two academies' cultivators doing their best to rope them in.

"The so-called achieving the dao and becoming an immortal is the highest realm of cultivation, the ultimate goal for all cultivators. If you don't choose Immortal Academy, it will definitely be your life's greatest regret!" This was how Immortal Academy's people promoted their school, currently roping in geniuses.

"Forget it, Immortal Ancient has already been wiped out, this alone already proves enough things. Those types of methods have long lagged behind, the pile of old books not worthy of being viewed as sacred scriptures." Sacred Academy's people laughed and said, moreover, stressing that choosing present world methods was the only path, where their hopes laid.

The two academies were in dispute, those geniuses becoming what they fought over.

Soon afterwards, many people from Heavenly Deity Institution made their choices, not hesitating any longer. In reality, they had already long made their decisions.

Ten Crown King, Exiled Immortal, Lu Tuo, and the others chose Immortal Academy, while the white-clothed Ning Chuan, Wang Xi, and others chose Sacred Academy.

Wang Xi originally planned to go to Immortal Academy, but under the family's urging, she ended up choosing Sacred Academy. There was an exceptional hero who might become her fiance there.

"Stop trying to rope me in, there's no way I'm going to Immortal Academy! I already made my decision to go to Sacred Academy a long time ago!" The little fatty Cao Yusheng shouted out.

Immortal Academy's people were angered to the point where their noses almost became crooked. He never said anything good back when Shi Hao was fighting the Nine Netherworlds Ao, so why would they come to invite him.

"Can you not act like we want you?!" A young man from Immortal Academy showed disdain.

"If you aren't inviting me, then why did you all come?" Cao Yusheng spoke from a high attitude.

"We came to invite this young fairy." Immortal Academy's young cultivators looked towards the Lunar Jade Rabbit. $n-p-p)(\mathbf{e}./\ell)-\mathbf{b}.)\mathbf{l}/n$

"What? This rabbit was still muttering about eating the Nine Netherworlds Ao's meat, wondering if it should be steamed or roasted. You all want her?" Cao Yusheng exposed her.

The corners of Immortal Academy's people's lips twitched. They really didn't want to come and invite this little girl. However, when they saw the pure-blooded young Qilin beast in her arms, they braced themselves and came over.

Moreover, an old monster followed them here, personally hurrying over.

"My little Qilin beast normally likes to eat divine medicines, needing about one stalk every ten days. Do you all have enough?" The little rabbit giggled.

Did she treat them like radishes?! Everyone immediately felt disdain.

However, that old man instead revealed a smile, saying, "We can try to find a way to settle these issues."

"Little friend, are you willing to join my Sacred Academy?" An elder came, inviting Cao Yusheng and the others.

"Of course!" The little fatty immediately jolted his buttocks over, angering Immortal Academy's people to the point where they wanted to beat him up.

Soon afterwards, Heavenly Deity Institution calmed down. Many people made their decision, making a choice.

"Shi Hao, are you going to Immortal Academy? You just defeated the Nine Netherworlds Ao, and you will fight against Little Sky King too! If you go there, they'll make things difficult for you!" Cao Yusheng ran over, urging him to come to Sacred Academy.

Then, a group of old friends all appeared. Apart from Qing Yi who was going to Immortal Academy, the others were all going to Sacred Academy.

"I am waiting for more information." Shi Hao responded. He wanted to see how the two academies were going to treat him.

Soon afterwards, Immortal Academy's old monster appeared, his complexion not all that good, brows furrowed. He opened his mouth, appearing extremely troubled.

"Senior, please tell me what is on your mind!" Shi Hao could see his hesitation.

"The ancient seeds have already been previously designated, one of them given to your Heavenly Deity Institution's person, but this is a favor to repay the gratitude a long life family had previously shown to Immortal Academy." The old monster said with a sigh.

Then, he quickly added, saying, "However, don't worry, as long as a new ancient seed is found, it will definitely be given to you."

Shi Hao shook his head, not saying anything.

Cao Yusheng and the others were all discontent, speaking out about the unfairness for Shi Hao.

"You all saw that Shi Hao defeated the Nine Netherworlds Ao too, with this type of talents, how many people can compare? Can even someone like him not have an unmatched ancient seed? Then who is worthy? Not going to this type of academy isn't even that big of a deal, too unfair!"

The others were also upset, feeling like Immortal Academy wasn't fair to its disciples.

"Come to Sacred Academy, it's not like there's nowhere you can go!" They all shouted.

Immortal Academy's old monster felt embarrassed. He felt quite vexed as well, but those above just didn't agree, saying that those seeds have already been given out, things cannot be changed now.

Shi Hao sighed. In the end, Immortal Academy was a place of great talents, having someone like Little Sky King, most likely not just one or two people like this too. That was why the old monsters wouldn't make an exception to change their plans.

Sacred Academy's elder also returned, similarly embarrassed. He directly beated his chest and stamped his feet, saying, "I was a step late, the true blood have all been divided."

This time, the little fatty Cao Yusheng and the others were even more dissatisfied, saying, "Elder, what is the point in us going to Sacred Academy then? The good things have already been divided up, so what meaning is there in studying there?"

"We can help you cleanse your marrows and wash your vessels, and we can help you open up inner treasuries as well. When more immortal blood is obtained, we can help you all establish your great dao foundations!" The elder made a solemn vow.

The group of people were discontent, still feeling dissatisfied.

"Don't worry, when the time comes, all types of unmatched ancient texts can be viewed by you all, this can serve as compensation." Sacred Academy's old man promised. Not only did he attach importance to the little rabbit, Cao Yusheng and the others, he also wanted to rope Shi Hao in through them.

"Then let's just do this, Shi Hao can just remain in Heavenly Deity Institution. If it is just to temper a single person's dao foundation, my academy can still do it." Right at this time, Heavenly Deity Institution's Second Elder suddenly spoke up.

This made the faces of both Immortal Academy and Sacred Academy's old monsters change. They never expected Second Elder to be such a hindrance, stopping them here.

Shi Hao said with a smile, "Fine, I will just stay behind in Heavenly Deity Institution!" He made this choice without any hesitation.

"Youngster, you need to think this through. Immortal Academy is the most suitable place in the Nine Heavens Ten Earths for cultivating immortality!"

"Little friend, sacred academy have all types of caves as well, as well as countless divine treasures, even more secret texts. This is the place you need to pursue your studies!"

The elders of the two academies urged, wanting to bring him away.

"Forget it, those places are full of geniuses, what difference will it make if it doesn't have me? I'll just stay behind in Heavenly Deity Institution." Shi Hao turned them down.

He felt like this really was the case with the two academies. They had too many great geniuses, so that was why it was a bit difficult for them to support him as well, not able to attach too much importance to him. As such, he might as well just stay behind.

"Just stay inside my Heavenly Deity Institution for now, if there is nothing else we can teach him here, then he'll go over to your academies." Second Elder said.

"Wu, alright. Someone from the higher levels decided that the three academies' caves might be shifted to another unmatched immortal earth in a few years together, so when that time comes, it will be quite easy for us to meet again." Immortal Academy's old monster said after thinking for a bit.

These news were quite astonishing, shocking Cao Yusheng, Gu Jianyun, Feng Wu, and the others.

"Correct." Sacred Academy's elder nodded.

When it was time to leave Shi Hao stood at the entrance of Heavenly Deity Institution, seeing off those old friends, watching them leave, giving them his most sincere blessings.

With heaven and earth about to become chaotic, this might be the final time of peace. They didn't have much time left, an extremely crucial period of time for them. They had to quickly rise up!

Heavenly Deity Institution became quiet. Shi Hao walked in an unhurried manner along the cobblestone path, silently comprehending his own methods and future path.

A figure shrouded in mist appeared from within the purple bamboo forest. The Great Elder's true body appeared.

"I will give you ten days of time for you to to figure out your path from here on forward. After you have thought things through, come and see me." After saying this, the great elder disappeared.

He rarely appeared. This was one of the Nine Heavens Ten Earths' most powerful individuals, someone even Immortal Academy and Sacred Academy's old monsters felt restraining fear towards. He was also one of the most ancient existences in the Nine Heavens Ten Earths.

Heaven and earth became peaceful. Shi Hao sat down, starting to think to himself. Then, he produced some things, lowering his head to look at them.

There was an ancient coffin that was brought up from the three thousand provinces, within it a sealed jade book. This was something he obtained from Immortal Ancient Remains.

Then, he produced a stone box. This was something that was extremely mysterious, something he obtained from the innermost depths of Immortal Ancient Remains during the great battle between the three thousand provinces' geniuses, something that should be even more precious than the jade book in the ancient coffin.

Then, Shi Hao's body shone slightly, a seed appearing. It changed from large to small, not having a set form, surrounded by chaotic energy, strands of mysterious light surging from it.

This seed was like a heaven and earth placenta, containing an immortal treasure that hadn't matured yet, not time for it to emerge in this world yet. This was something he obtained from the three thousand provinces, obtained from Celestial Clan's ancient mine.

These things were extremely important, possibly related to his future path. Shi Hao began to think to himself.

Chapter 1238 - Body as the Seed

The purple bamboo forest was extremely peaceful, no one coming to disturb Shi Hao. Every single bamboo was purple and sparkling, the leaves gentle, carrying purple splendor and faint purple mists.

The cobblestone laid out a small path, a creek murmuring about, flowing past the jade-like translucent bamboo roots, occasionally releasing ding dong sounds, extremely pleasant to listen to.

Shi Hao sat quietly in meditation, carefully examining the things before him. He began to seriously think to himself; what kind of path was he going to take from today forth?

Would he be able to tread on the path of ancient methods cultivation through these things?

He didn't know what this strange seed was like, to the extent where he didn't even know what exactly it contained within. Back then, Qi Daolin also only said that it was Immortal Gold or something of the sort.

Strictly speaking, he still had room for change, not necessarily having to walk the path of ancient methods. There were present world methods awaiting him as well.

He cultivated a single heavenly passage, surpassing the ancients. If he took the perfect seed element into consideration, he could abandon the ancient method and steadily continue along the present world path.

Only, Shi Hao was a bit unwilling to just abandon cultivating the ancient methods. He wanted to cultivate the ancient methods first, and then practice present world methods, both wings taking flight at the same time, using both sides as reference, from this comprehensively mastering the art of cultivation.

He was extremely ambitious, not because he was arrogant or had too much self-confidence, but rather because he was forced to do this. The foreign side's people were too strong, completely crushing the residents of Immortal Ancient Great Era, to the extent where they killed immortals!

This result really was bloody, leaving everyone horrified. They couldn't help but feel apprehension, needing greater strength and power to contend against them!

Shi Hao desired strength, wishing to become one of the most powerful, to stand at the very peak. Only then could he protect himself, have hope to win the war against the foreign side.

It would be a vast and boundless battlefield, true immortals descending into this world to fight a great battle against the undying beings of the last great era! Just the thought alone made Shi Hao's blood boil. Only this was a world shaking battle!

He didn't wish to become weeds to be mowed down, didn't want to become the ashes of history. He wanted to continue living, to participate in that battle, protect his close ones and friends!

If he could, he wanted to be able to twist the world, alter history, seize a glorious victory, not let this world wither away, watch as all things fell into ruin.

Shi Hao put away the scripture, Everlasting Immortal Sword, True Primordial Record, and other things, only leaving behind that seed. It was still changing, fluctuating between large and small, chaotic mists surrounding it.

This type of seed couldn't remain stable, its level unknown. He always felt some confusion inside, could this be used as a seed to harmonize with the dao?

"Should I cultivate the present world methods first, and then practice the ancient methods?" Shi Hao said to himself. If there were no suitable seeds, then this was the only option.

However, when one cultivated the present world methods, one needed all types of heavenly materials when breaking through the limit. He recalled that when he was establishing the single heavenly passage, Willow Deity's essence descended, helping him break through.

Now, it was still the case. Based on what Sacred Academy's people said, it was best when supplemented with True Dragon heart blood, Heavenly Horned Ant extreme strength blood, using these things to help open up the heavenly passage, spiritual transformation, and other divine treasuries.

Did Heavenly Deity Institution have these things?

Shi Hao knew that the academy had impure phoenix blood, but it had pretty much all been distributed. However, what he needed the most right now was this type of spiritual blood's essence!

He didn't use up ten days, seeking out the Great Elder that very day. He didn't want to waste time, because every second of time was precious for him, couldn't be squandered away.

The Great Elder's residence was extremely simple, not a spiritual mountain, nor was it a garden area full of spiritual wood, but instead a marsh.

There was a thatched cottage, extremely simple looking. There was no great dao aura, no immortal energy, extremely simple in appearance.

There were a few mud ponds around the cottage, not connected to each other. They surrounded this place, a few loaches and dragon fish making an appearance from time to time.

The Great Elder was dressed in hemp garment, currently sitting on a large brown rock, in his hand a bamboo staff, currently angling, looking extremely relaxed and peaceful.

Shi Hao displayed an act of respect, not disturbing him, quietly waiting. It was because he saw something was biting.

The bait was extremely fine, releasing a fragrance, actually a stalk of holy medicine that swirled with brilliance! If not for it being in the water, a sweet fragrance would have definitely scattered out.

This left Shi Hao shocked. What was he fishing for? Why did he need a stalk of holy medicine as bait? It was just too extravagant!

The bamboo pole sunk, clearly something biting. The Great Elder gently lifted upwards, and then a creature jumped out, currently biting rigidly on the holy medicine without letting go.

This was a white turtle that was a foot in length, its white shell like fine jade, extremely strange looking. Meanwhile, its snow-white head was actually a tiger head, completely different from the normal turtle head.

As for the tail, it was a meter in length, like the tail of a snake. n-(o(.V(-e-)l.)B--l(/n-e-)l.)

Was this still even a turtle? It was so strange. The holy medicine was for the sake of catching it?

Shi Hao's mind moved. He suddenly thought of something, a flash of light passing through his eyes. "This is... the Octadic Treasure Tortoise?"

"Precisely that gluttonous fella, ruining my angling mood." The Great Elder said with a smile. With a light swing, he released that snow-white tiger-headed tortoise back into the swamp.

"Octadic Treasure Tortoise, this is but a great mending medicine!" Shi Hao wiped at his saliva in a rather unsightly manner. This thing was too precious, known as one of the archaic octadic treasures, a rare delicacy in this world!

Apart from this, it had blood enriching effects. Whenever one's blood energy dried up, one could use it as a medicinal primer, producing miraculous effects, make up for deficiencies.

This was the biggest headache of old cultivators. No one could resist the power of time, the day when their blood energy dried up, bodies withered would inevitably arrive. This Octadic Treasure Tortoise could slow down this decline. Even though it couldn't stop the aging of the primordial spirit, it could nourish the flesh and strengthen it.

Shi Hao didn't expect to see this kind of thing in the swamp. No wonder the Great Elder used holy medicines to lure it in, it really was worth it.

Only, what he was confused about was why did the Great Elder let it go?

"The one I am aiming for is not that tortoise, but rather a creature inside a cave. However, that thing is too cunning, not taking the bait even after several years of angling." The Great Elder smiled, seeing through Shi Hao's thoughts.

Shi Hao was shocked. Something that is even rarer than the Octadic Treasure Tortoise, wouldn't its value be even more astonishing? What was this thing?

His mind shook, thinking back to the rumors he heard when he first arrived in Heavenly Deity Institution. The entire academy was located on historical remains, beneath some immortal caves that hadn't been opened yet, waiting to be broken through.

When he thought of this, he understood a bit. This swamp might be connected to an immortal cave!

This wasn't that surprising, because otherwise, with the Great Elder's skills, would he need to use bait? He could just directly grab at it. Only that cave could stop him.

"You came so quickly, have you already thought through your future path?" The Great Elder asked.

"Yes!" Shi Hao nodded. In an extremely serious tone, he said, "Regardless of whether it is the ancient method or the present world method, I want to learn both!"

The Great Elder's eyes released a hint of brilliance, raising his head to look at him for the first time. The hemp clothes fluttered about in the wind. His age was great, white hair fluttering about, an imposing aura naturally exuding from his calm exterior.

However, this might quickly disappeared.

Meanwhile, it was precisely in that instant that Shi Hao felt as if he fell from the human world to the netherworld, and then returned, that instant too terrifying.

The instant he was observed by the Great Elder, all of his blood stopped moving, his mind going blank, as if he was facing a resurrected Vicious Ten. A living being could actually be this frightening!

"You are quite greedy." The Great Elder said, becoming calm once more.

"It is because I know that this great era might wither away once more, all creatures wiped out! I cannot accept this, Great Elder, you do not want to accept it either, no one in the Nine Heavens Ten Earths are willing to resign themselves to such a fate. Meanwhile, all we can do is to start from ourselves. I want to become strong, change everything!"

Shi Hao's voice was downcast, expressing his resolution, speaking about his reasoning. He wanted to become stronger, to the point where he didn't fear any foreign enemies!

"To cultivate the ancient technique, one needs a dao seed. Lacking a perfect ancient seed when you have such talent truly is a pity." The Great Elder said, raising this problem.

Shi Hao frowned, and then said bluntly, "I thought that the academy had me stay behind because you all can help me find a seed."

He indeed had this type of thought before, especially when he saw the Great Elder angling just now, thinking that there might still be an immortal cave waiting to be opened up, feeling like he had more hope.

"There is a cave underground, but it might not have a perfect seed. Those things are rarely seen, even in Immortal Ancient Great Era, difficult to find." The Great Elder said with a sigh.

"I have a seed prepared for myself, only, I do not know if it is suitable." Shi Hao produced a seed that was wrapped within primal chaos, continuously changing.

"Yi, this seed is rather interesting, still not taken form and in a growth stage. It contains the natural luck of heaven and earth!" The Great Elder's eyes immediately became incredibly deep, as if he was going to peer through the nine layers of hell.

"Great Elder, what do you think about this seed?" Shi Hao asked for guidance.

"It's not simple, extremely precious. However, it is still being nurtured, unknown when we will have to wait until." The Great Elder said, attaching great importance to this seed.

In addition, he took the initiative to ask about where it came from.

Shi Hao responded earnestly, and then said, "Previously, I tried to seize its benefits for myself, taking its place, connecting the heaven and earth placenta to my body, not waiting for it to mature, merging it into my body."

"Quite creative, it is similar to the dao harmonizing method I wanted to pass onto you. Perhaps it truly might succeed." The Great Elder's eyes erupted with sharp divine radiance!

"En?" Shi Hao was shocked. That was merely an idea he had before, one that he didn't even know what to do with.

"How many unmatched precious seeds could there be in this heaven and earth? Since the ancient times until now, the number can be counted. The reason why Immortal Academy was able to find a few is all because they were purposely sealed and left behind from the last great era, or else it would be difficult to find even a single one!" The Great Elder said.

He had travelled the Nine Heavens Ten Earths, indeed also wishing to find one, but he failed, unable to find a perfect seed.

They existed in Realm Tomb. He also went there to take a look, but the All Dao Tree, heavenly seed, and others couldn't be seized, all guarded by others, couldn't be touched. Otherwise, there would be heaven-shocking changes.

Apart from this, there was nothing else!

Meanwhile, this further proved the exceptional rarity and value of perfect dao seeds!

This was precisely why the Great Elder had flipped through countless ancient texts, searching through the experiences and wisdom of predecessors, trying to find another way.

In the end, he finally obtained something, but that path was one that was cut off.

"When there is no perfect dao seed, then the body will become the seed, refine the true self!" This was what the Great Elder said.

Shi Hao was shocked. This idea was extremely shocking. Using the body as the dao seed, not borrowing any external objects, directly achieving the dao through the flesh, primordial spirit returning to one, evolve the true self.

How could this be accomplished? The reason why one chose the Yin Yang Seed, World Tree Sapling, Nascent Cosmos Seed was because they were without flaws, perfect, innately interlinked with the dao!

Only with that type of merging can one step onto the perfect path, harmonize with the dao, tread on a path of no equal.

This sounded easy, using the body as a seed, but would it work? Could he himself exceed the Nascent Cosmos Seed, surpass the All Dao Tree, be more powerful than the heavenly seed?

"Has anyone from Immortal Ancient Great Era succeeded?" Shi Hao asked.

"They all failed, became crippled, or refined themselves to death." The Great Elder calmly replied.

Chapter 1239 - The Road Waiting to be Taken

This was a broken path, the heroes unable to return. In that brilliant era where exceptional individuals emerged in large numbers, outstanding heroes died on their paths one after another, falling on their own paths.

Many people died, those who survived also half crippled, silently departing, their ring of light thus erased from existence.

Using the words recorded on the bone books, this path was a broken one, severed by a black abyss. One could vaguely see immortal energy rising up ahead, enticing one to take it. However, heaven warping geniuses set out one after another, yet all of them fell into the abyss, entering that land of eternal damnation.

Shi Hao frowned. This path was too dangerous! Would he even be able to succeed?

"In the ancient era, just how many perfect seeds could be found? From past until present, they could be counted. Occasionally, generation dominating talents reached that step, but didn't have a dao seed to merge with. They weren't willing to remain mediocre, and thus could only take the broken path." The Great Elder said with a sigh.

Shi Hao thought silently to himself. He knew how those people felt, all of them just like him right now, unwilling to accept their fate, not willing to be ordinary, wishing to merge with the most powerful ancient seed. They didn't want to fall behind.

He wanted to transcend above, wishing to stand at the highest peak of the divine dao. The bumpiness of the path had to be crossed. He couldn't stop here, he had to continue forward!

"It is precisely because they didn't have the Yin Yang Seed, All Dao Tree and other things that some people decided to take this path. Do you wish to take it?" The Great Elder asked.

The path was extremely difficult, death waiting at every corner. It was difficult to see hope. This was a choice only those without perfect precious seeds could take. If one didn't wish to remain ordinary, they had to brave the dangers and press forward.

"I want to take this path!"

Shi Hao finally made his decision, his eyes resolute.

Instead of living as a mediocre person, he would rather ignite his life, let everything go, if he died, then so be it. If he lived, then he would transcend above, able to break through the cocoon and rise up.

He knew where the world was headed, only knowing how cruel the future was, and that was why he didn't fear death, instead wished to produce a true self that transcended above.

At the same time, Shi Hao also understood that the Great Elder wouldn't suggest a path of death to him. He definitely had some confidence, or else he would die for no reason. Why would he even bother keeping him in Heavenly Deity Institution?

"Excellent! Since you already set your resolution, daring to take this path, then I also feel reassured. What I feared the most was you being indecisive, worrying about personal gains and losses!" The Great Elder said.

Brilliance appeared on his eyes, his eyes carrying praise as he said, "If there is no path, then we will forge one, exceed the ancient people. Otherwise, what qualification do we have to win over the foreign region?!"

The Great Elder spoke candidly, saying that he wouldn't deliberately harm Shi Hao.

The wisdom of the past was accumulated generation after generation, continuing along this broken path. Eventually, many methods appeared in the later stages, verifying this method of using the body as the seed of great dao.

The Great Elder had previously opened immortal caves, moreover more than one place. The reason why Heavenly Deity Institution was able to reach its current step was precisely because of these resources that had been gathered.

That was why he grasped quite a few ancient secret texts, some of the jade books recording unimaginable cultivation methods, these methods extremely strange. n()Ovel 1n

The Great Elder continuously gathered all types of knowledge on using the body as the seed, as well as true experiences, and then consulted with some unmatched experts of the present world, previously obtaining some prospects.

This was especially the case when he saw the strange seed Shi Hao gathered, making him feel as if the hope of success was strengthened. This was a heaven and earth placenta that could nourish the self, turning it into a dao seed.

"Take these books and look them over!" The Great Elder said, giving him a pile of jade books, all of them records written in Immortal Ancient language.

Shi Hao immediately sat down and earnestly studied them. What was recorded weren't secret methods, only all types of derivations when using the body as a seed, as well as matters that had to be paid close attention to.

"These books are only an introduction. When you are truly going to merge with the dao fruit, using the body as the seed, achieving the level of sect master, there are other specialized jade scriptures!" The Great Elder said seriously.

If one wanted to break through the Heavenly Deity Realm, it wasn't that easy. This was especially the case with Shi Hao who was taking a different path, walking an unusual road, needing to be even more careful. This was going to be a nine deaths one life experience!

"These are for you to look at, they point at the approximate direction. When all of the conditions have been met, you can study the cultivation realm breakthrough scriptures, refine the true self, and thus become a sect master level expert."

Shi Hao carefully read through them, seriously thinking about everything, roughly understanding the difficulty of this path.

However, he wasn't scared, to the extent where he was a bit happy. It was because when he cultivated immortal energy back then, he had previously taken the most difficult path, different from everyone else. This time, this would be the foundation, allowing him to undergo a profound transformation.

Of course, when he walked to the end of the broken path, there would be nothing else to depend on.

The Great Elder warned him seriously that when he reached the very front of this broken path, a few strange and frightening things would happen, things that are unimaginable. Every single person's experiences weren't that alike.

For example, at the critical juncture, there was one who saw a furnace that suddenly appeared refining all things in heaven and earth; there were some who saw countless feathers drifting about, some people from the past sprouting wings and ascending to immortality; there were others who saw a pair of eyes, as if carrying the boundless heavenly dao, incredibly large, staring at them; there were others who...

It was extremely strange, that moment unable to be explained. Many people fell precisely because of this.

Shi Hao used three days of effort to earnestly read through this pile of sacred texts. He closed his eyes and thought for a long time, and then he told the Great Elder that he already understood everything.

"Your body and mind are already ready, but it is always better to prepare against the unexpected. Once you fail, you might very well have your body and dao extinguished!" The Great Elder said.

"I'm not scared!" Shi Hao said.

Rather than being someone mediocre, he would rather just die in the process of becoming great; this was his conviction. He refused to be an ordinary cultivator on the future battlefield, one whose life would be reaped by the enemy like a farm crop.

He understood well that the people of the past were defeated, even immortals killed. If he couldn't transcend above, it would be difficult to change the situation, only repeating the tragedy of the past.

"En, still have to make preparations!" The Great Elder said, at the same time also wanting to allow him a smoother breakthrough.

"What is needed?"

"All types of heavenly materials are needed. If you fail, they can preserve your life, and if you succeed, they can help you a step further, speed up the process." The Great Elder's expression was serious.

The heavenly materials he was talking about were all formidable things, not a single one of them ordinary items, all terrifyingly rare. Shi Hao's complexion immediately turned green after hearing a few of them.

Those things were too difficult to find, for example, Heavenly Phoenix Blood. Fortunately, the academy still had some. Even though it wasn't pure, some could be refined.

Back then, Heavenly Deity Institution drew countless geniuses precisely because there was a phoenix blood pool!

"Sun God Vine, Heavenly Deity Tree, Rebirth Grass, Evil Warding Divine Bamboo..." The Great Elder listed more than ten types of heavenly treasures in a single breath.

Shi Hao's complexion immediately paled. These things were all divine level, where would he go to look for them? This was just too terrifying, ridiculously extravagant, making his heart jump greatly.

Apart from this, there were many other wondrous herbs, ores, and other things, all extremely rare goods.

"I have a Soul Guiding Lotus, Heavenly Deity Tree, and Rebirth Grass." Shi Hao braced himself and listed these things.

The Great Elder was extremely shocked, Shi Hao was even able to find these things! It really was unexpected, not simple at all.

These were spoils of war Shi Hao brought out from Immortal Ancient Remains during the battle of three thousand provinces' geniuses, his greatest harvest.

"Being able to bring out a few is already not bad. Don't worry, only a few leaves and branches are needed from the Heavenly Deity Tree, the roots won't be harmed." The Great Elder said.

In addition, he told Shi Hao that most of the heaven and earth essence has already been prepared. Right now, they only lacked a few types, waiting for him to pick them himself.

"Which ones are missing?" Shi Hao asked.

"Evil Warding Divine Bamboo, needing ancient bamboo that has at least twenty sections." The Great Elder spoke about this type of divine bamboo.

Evil Warding Divine bamboo, this plant was pure white like jade, producing one node every five hundred years, so twenty nodes would be an old bamboo over ten thousand years in age! This was something that was even difficult to find a sprout of, let alone this type of ancient bamboo.

"Yellow Springs Fruit, at least nine thousand years in a place of extreme yin." The Great Elder listed another plant.

This is a legendary fruit. Many people don't even think it really exists, so you can imagine just how difficult to find it is.

"These are the only two items you need to find yourself. I can help gather everything else." The Great Elder said.

When Shi Hao heard this, he took a deep breath. This favor was too great! These were all but divine items between heaven and earth, any one of them enough to make one go crazy. However, in the end, the Great Elder was this generous, helping him settle these issues.

"Many thanks to Great Elder." Shi Hao performed a great act of respect.

"The Evil Warding Divine Bamboo and Yellow Spring Fruit are rumored to both be in the same place. There is no need for you to go to too many places." The Great Elder said, actually pointing out the place.

This left Shi Hao extremely shocked, the Great Elder actually knew where they were. Why didn't he go and pick it himself, needing him to go? There was likely something else going on.

"This is a different place. When you head there, it can already be considered preparing to break through, taking the first step there, using the wondrous ancient land to refine your flesh, reforge your primordial spirit. Your cultivation will start from there!" The Great Elder's expression was serious!

"Understood!" Shi Hao was moved. This was the case after all, everything began from that place.

If these heavenly treasures were gathered, it could help Shi Hao get twice the effect with half the work, as well as add a layer of security on this broken path. Even if he failed, he could still live.

"I won't fail, there is already no way back. I will definitely surpass the ancient people, continue the broken path, step on a new unmatched path!" Shi Hao strengthened his own conviction.

"It is good that you have confidence!" The Great Elder said. He then looked towards the heavens, his gaze deep. He was a bit absent-minded, recalling the events of his own youth.

Then, the Great Elder sighed, saying, "Do not repeat my tragedy."

"What?" Shi Hao was shocked, his eyes widening to the limit, staring at this elder whose hair was white like snow.

The elder also walked this path? He... failed!

Only, wouldn't a normal failure die or become crippled? However, the Great Elder still reigned over the world beneath the heavens, becoming a matchless figure few could compare to.

This didn't seem to make sense. The fact that he could reach this step could be considered a miracle!

"The reason I was able to survive and have my accomplishments today is because of an opportunity. Otherwise, I would be just like those of the past, all of them defeated." The Great Elder seemed to be a bit disappointed and frustrated.

Shi Hao finally understood why the Great Elder wanted him to walk this path. It was because the Great Elder previously took it himself, deeply understanding this path, having a set amount of confidence. Apart from having the ancient people's recordings to guide them, he also had his own experiences to pass down!

"What a pity that the Dao Harmonizing Flower couldn't be found. Otherwise, there would be no problems!" The Great Elder sighed.

"Dao Harmonizing Flower, what is that?" Shi Hao asked in confusion.

"The number one wondrous flower of heaven and earth. It isn't a stalk of long life medicine, but it is even more precious!" The Great Elder said.

Dao Harmonizing Flower, this was a flower prepared by unsurpassed great emperors and immortal daoist level figures, able to allow one to truly become one with the dao, achieve an unmatched dao fruit. There had only been one stalk since the ancient times.

Shi Hao used the body as the seed, so if he could ingest this type of flower, he would definitely succeed without anything unexpected happening!

Even if he failed, if he found this type of flower, even if he himself had long become half crippled, as long as he had one final breath in him, he could still immediately live, moreover succeed!

Chapter 1240 - Destination

Dao Harmonizing Flower, this plant was just that miraculous, possessing heaven-defying strength, able to help one directly harmonize with the dao!

This type of thing was effective even for a clan's great emperor or true immortal, so one could see just how precious it was. However, from the ancient times until now, there was only that single stalk, something that couldn't be sought.

This type of thing was only recorded in the books, no one from past until present seeing it before. If not for a True Immortal from the last great era speaking about the wonders of this flower, the rest of the world wouldn't even know about it.

"Are there no clues about its whereabouts at all?" Shi Hao asked. He wasn't really entrusting his hopes on this flower, just that he was curious, wishing to understand a bit more.

Shi Hao felt that if he wanted to transcend above, it was still best for him to rely on his own strength.

Only by letting the true self have true experiences can one break through, understand that type of miraculous state. Otherwise, it would just be like getting charity, difficult for him to achieve supreme enlightenment.

"In the past, there were great emperors who have tried to find it, dying true immortals seeking it, but none of them found anything. It was rumored that only two or three creatures since the beginning of time had the fortune of eating this flower." The Great Elder said.

They all knew that it was heaven-defying, even more precious than long life medicines, but no one was able to obtain it, only able to gaze at it from afar. It existed in an elapsed immortal dao legend.

However, it wasn't that the Great Elder didn't have any harvest. After excavating all types of remains, he discovered some clues from an Immortal Ancient stone engraving.

"Halfway along the path of immortality, in the nine layers of the underworld, its trail exists." This was the ruined recording the Great Elder obtained.

This was an extremely contradictory suggestion. Halfway to immortality should be sacred, so how could it involve the nine layers of the underworld? The latter should be something extremely frightening!

There was one thing that he was certain of, which was that this place most likely couldn't be approached, definitely having extremely dangerous things, or else those of the past would have already picked it, not letting any clues go!

The two of them didn't continue this topic, because they knew that this wasn't realistic. It was pretty much impossible to find a Dao Harmonizing Flower.

"Remember this well!" The Great Elder passed a method onto him. There were many tadpole like characters, bone texts interwoven and densely packed, sparkling and brilliant.

"Bone Hammering Method!" Shi Hao was astonished. This was a method that tempered the bones, able to make him more powerful from inside out, make his bones tougher and open up his inner treasury.

"Do not show contempt for this method, this is the introductory piece from the body cultivators' highest profound mysteries." The Great Elder said seriously.

"Ah, this is only the guidance piece?" Shi Hao curled his lips, starting to look down on it. He himself could already be considered a body cultivator, so did he still need an introduction to guide him?

The Great Elder warned, "You merely have a constitution that is good enough, forcefully breaking to this point, but you didn't actually undergo a systematic training. With this method, it will allow your body to become even stronger!"

In addition, the Great Elder told him that this so-called introductory piece corresponded to the Heavenly Deity Realm, not something small cultivators could cultivate!

This time, Shi Hao was moved. The introductory piece was already like this, so how astonishing would the later pieces be?

"When you break through the extreme, you can look for the complete piece from Sacred Academy. This is something only those that are sect master level or higher can cultivate!" The Great Elder said.

This time, Shi Hao focused on the Immortal Ancient methods, not placing that much emphasis on Sacred Academy and others' methods. Tempering his bones now was just to make his body strong enough to cross the upcoming life and death trial.

Shi Hao studied it for two days, remembering it well in his heart, moreover obtaining deeper insights.

Then, the Great Elder passed down something else. It was a golden bone, on it also a method, something carved with Immortal Ancient Great Era's words.

"Mind Forging Method!" Shi Hao was overjoyed. This was a method that spoke about how to forge the primordial spirit, an extremely rare and good item, not easy to find in the present world.

"Not only does one's flesh need to be powerful enough, the primordial spirit needs to be even stronger. Otherwise, when you encounter the life and death trial, you will likely lose yourself, and then ultimately fall!" The Great Elder warned.

This method wasn't complete, but for the Heavenly Deity Realm, it was enough.

Moreover, the Great Elder clearly told him that once he emerged from seclusion, he could seek the latter portion from Immortal Academy.

Ten days later, Shi Hao got up, heading to a secret place alone. He was going to look for the Evil Warding Divine Bamboo and Yellow Springs Fruit, the Great Elder not accompanying or escorting him.

Shi Hao knew that this was likely a type of trial. If he couldn't even obtain divine medicines that were clearly designated, then what dao comprehension was there to talk about?

Immeasurable Heaven, a place that was vast and boundless!

Heavenly Deity Institution was in Immeasurable Heaven, while that secret realm was similarly here. If he had to go to other places in the Nine Heavens Ten Earths, then that really would be too far.

Immortal Mound, this was the location the Great Elder pointed out for Shi Hao. It was who knew how many li from the academy, too far away, definitely an astronomical number.

Shi Hao left the academy. This was the first trip that was slightly more relaxed in Immeasurable Heaven. He passed giant cities one after another, borrowing the formations to travel through the void.

The Great Elder didn't let him use the academy's altar, instead having him personally walk around, have him familiarize himself with Immeasurable Heaven.

"There is a great battle coming, so if I don't familiarize myself with the mountains and rivers now, understand the landforms, it will definitely cost me dearly." Shi Hao said to himself.

Along the way, he practiced the Bone Hammering Method, carefully cultivated the Mind Forging Technique, not in all that much of a hurry to get to his destination. Only by properly digesting these two methods could they display their greatest uses.

"Five elements lamb kebabs, great mending good!"

"Flood dragon meat stuffed buns, incredibly delicious, good price!"

Inside an enormous city, Shi Hao felt the liveliness of the secular world, leaving him in a bit of a daze. He had already separated himself from this type of world for too long. Ever since he entered the nine heavens above, he had always remained in the academy or historical remains.

He stopped here for several days, preparing himself to enter that secret realm located just a few thousand li out in the great wilderness.

This place with mountains, rivers, and great ponds was quite vast, stretching as far as the eye could see. It was said to be a few thousand li from the city, but this was merely to its outer areas. When he really went inside, Shi Hao felt like a leaf that landed in a great sea.

He produced a jade tile. It began to shine, showing a path leading in a certain direction.

This was a jade tile the Great Elder gave him. Without it showing the way, there was no way to find that place. It was rumored that only a few old monsters knew about this place.

By following the guidance, he finally found the destination. A tall peak directly reached into the clouds, who knew how endlessly tall it was. It was grand and majestic, on it engraved two characters: Immortal Mound.

This mountain was extremely eye-catching, precisely what Shi Hao was looking for.

However, if he threw away the jade tile, this mountain wouldn't even appear before his eyes. He would pass straight through it without even knowing it was there.

This left Shi Hao extremely shocked. Was this mountain a tangible object or was it illusory? Why could he only touch it when holding the jade tile?

"A great mountain hidden in the void, only by holding the jade tile with mysterious formations engraved on it can one approach it..." Shi Hao thought pensively to himself.

It was rumored that there was a hilly area around this great peak, but he only saw unending mountains, as well this king of mountains.

"When one ascends this mountain, those with karma will see the suspended shrine, and only then can Immortal Mound be entered." Shi Hao repeated the advice the Great Elder gave him quietly.

He began to ascend the mountain. As soon a he began to approach, everything before his eyes began to sway back and forth. He felt a type of great pressure, as if stars smashed down one after another, slamming into his body.

Shi Hao immediately felt like he was going to vomit blood, difficult for him to budge an inch. His entire body was restricted, as if an invisible immortal dao mountain crushed down on him, making it difficult to even breathe.

He took steps forward with great difficulty, feeling as if he was about to suffocate!

The mountain path had steps, every single step a zhang tall, as if it was prepared for giants. Shi Hao climbed them one by one, but after only climbing several dozen of them, he was already crushed by a wave of pressure until blood flowed out from the corners of his lips.

Eventually, he opened his single heavenly passage, released three strands of immortal energy, going all out, and only then did he make progress with difficulty, ascending the mountain bit by bit.

Shi Hao didn't stop for a single day, walking for half a month of time. He silently counted, now already completing more than ninety thousand nine hundred steps.

"Ten thousand zhang tall!" He released a powerless sigh. This was just too tall! As he continued to climb, now almost reaching the peak, he felt as if his bones were about to snap.

Correct, after using up half a month to climb this mountain, an endless amount of pressure crushing down on his body, many of Shi Hao's bones even began to reveal cracks, as if they were going to shatter!

"Bone Tempering Method, heh!" Shi Hao seemed to have realized something. His bones were going to be shattered! Did he have to take some time to recover at the mountain peak?

He finally reached the summit. It was ten thousand zhang tall as expected, not more, not less!

The moment he reached the summit, Shi Hao felt golden light pour down. A great sun rose from the east; upon closer inspection, it was a Golden Crow's corpse that moved through the sky, surging with the utmost yang energy, thick smoke rising.

He perfectly caught the sun rising from the east. An enormous heavenly sun seemed to be rising precisely from this mountaintop!

In a daze, everything below the mountains seemed to be a sea surface, this great sun rising into the air from the sea, the scenery magnificent, incredibly beautiful.

Dang!

A yellow bell rang, long and drawn-out, so loud even the deaf could hear.

This great bell sound was transmitted from within the world-covering golden sunrise clouds, making one feel as if they were enlightened with perfect wisdom, have a sudden urge to verify the dao here.

There was an ancient temple up ahead, made entirely of golden bricks. It was extremely divine and auspicious, bathed in sunrise multicolored light, enveloped within the golden radiance.

Shi Hao felt a type of carefree feeling from his body down to his mind. It was as if after being weary for many days, continuing without sleep or rest, he suddenly relaxed. The surrounding golden light scattered down, bell sounds accompanying the radiance, making him feel as if he was going to sprout wings and ascend to immortality.

This was a suspended shrine, the tiles all golden, extremely peaceful and auspicious.

In the sunrise multicolored clouds, it floated there. There were many people seated on the brick floor in front of this shrine, silently comprehending, earnestly meditating, these people all comprehending the dao.

Shi Hao was shocked. There were actually this many people here!

There were people young and old here, all of them completely still. There were some who had bone hairpins inserted in their hair buns, wearing beast skin clothes, their upper bodies exposed, looking quite primitive. There were some who wore battle clothes made of Immortal Gold, the armor flowing with immortal light, making them look incredibly holy.

This was not a group of ordinary people, every one of them having a type of aura that made one feel great respect, as if they should kneel and bow down when facing them.

Shi Hao sucked in a cold breath of air, this scene making even him feel greatly alarmed, as if his status wasn't great enough to be here. Just what kind of creatures were these?

He noticed that regardless of whether it was the middle-aged individuals or the youth, great changes could be seen from within the depths of their eyes. All of them should have already grown to adulthood, none of them young.

These individuals either had giants bows behind them or ancient war spears and other powerful weapons in hand, every single one of them like unmatched war gods!

These people looked like fossils, not moving at all, as if they had existed throughout millions and millions of years of time.

It was too strange!

A divine disk emerged from behind Shi Hao. An ancient flame carrying immortal mists and surging with chaotic energy silently appeared, starting to illuminate these individuals, engraving all types of great dao imprints.