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### Chapter 1281 - Extreme Strength

Everyone raised their heads, watching as Cao Yusheng's figure disappeared, turning into a small black point. His body traveled further and further, eventually completely disappearing.

This was extremely shocking. Cao Yusheng excelled in both the Engravement and Formation Arrangement cultivation realms, making inconceivable breakthroughs in both of them, carving down the Third Killing Formation.

He possessed powerful destructive force, yet this type of scene appeared now, leaving everyone stupefied. His entire body disappeared without a trace from a single fist.

"He's unconscious!" The witch said quietly.

It was because everyone saw how distressed Fatty Cao was when he was flying into the distance, punched unconscious by a single fist strike. His eyes were rolling back, going unconscious.

"Really is embarrassing." The Lunar Jade Rabbit didn't feel any sympathy, giggling and laughing, because she knew that fatty wouldn't die, just suffering a bit.

At this moment, everyone looked at the ground, searching for the culprit!

They all became petrified, speechless. That place... was too outrageous.

After a long time had passed, this place remained extremely quiet. Everyone's expressions were full of shock, as if they saw living ghosts!

It was because right now, everyone noticed what kind of creature it was. It was a fella the size of a finger segment, looking incredibly proud and complacent.

It was an ant. Its body was golden, around the size of an inch. This was precisely the creature who sent Cao Yusheng flying!

"Wu, the fatty really is good-for-nothing, really losing us face!" The little rabbit covered her face, feeling embarrassed in his place. This really left them speechless. It was just an ant, yet a single fist knocked the fatty unconscious.

At this time, it was unknown where Fatty Cao fell. From the looks of it, he was at least several dozen li out.

No one knew what to say. This scene was too comical, extremely strange, yet they couldn't laugh even if they tried.

"If you aren't convinced, then this is the result!" Next to that divine pool, auspicious multicolored light surged, indistinct watery mist pervading the air. That place was extremely brilliant, the ant incredibly arrogant.

The golden body was extremely sturdy, as if it was polished from a grain of sand. Its small body stood upright, looking like a person. Its arms were crossed before its chest, its head raised, large eyes like golden lights, one foot in front, one foot in back, standing in a rather carefree manner.

“Haha...”

Finally, someone couldn't help but roar with laughter.

It was precisely this 'bean' that sent Cao Yusheng flying, his figure directly disappearing. This was just too laughable, how was that fatty supposed to show himself in the future? Would he still dare boast shamelessly or act cockily?

“What are you laughing at? If you are unwilling, then all of you can come over as well!” The golden ant reached out an arm that was just like a human arm, five fingers on that arm as well.

This was, without a doubt, a bizarre ant. Even though it was extremely small, it was a bit similar to a person. It moved its hand, taunting everyone, its intention as if challenging everyone.

When they heard its immature sounding voice and saw its jumping motion, everyone felt like it was a bit ridiculous. Even such a little thing dared act so frivolously, this arrogant.

“You said that this pool was what you used for showering?” A disciple from Heavenly Deity Institution asked.

“Correct!” This golden ant nodded, behaving ostentatiously. It was clearly still young and tender, but it put on a mature look, saying, “It is precisely this king's place of bathing. Do you all have nothing better to do, drinking my bath water?”

This fella really needed a spanking. Everyone felt the urge to throw themselves over and strike it with their shoes, their shoes might just directly cover its body.

Of course, if it was a normal ant, it would definitely be crushed into a paste under their shoes.

“Luckily, I didn't drink it.” The Lunar Jade Rabbit stuck out its tongue, Feng Wu and the others also feeling glad.

It was because as women, they were all extremely reserved, there was no way they would just follow along and jump in to drink it, that type of appearance would really lack beauty, and it wouldn't make them look like wise and virtuous women.

As a result, a few people remained silent, all of them staring at the ant. Meanwhile, Shi Hao treated this golden divine bug seriously the moment he saw it.

Chang Gongyan, witch, Mo Dao, and the others were all carefully observing as well.

“Heavenly Horned Ant!” Shi Hao said softly. After observing for a long time, he came to this type of conclusion.

When these three words sounded, everyone's expressions immediately changed. Then, their minds surged greatly. It was actually this type of immortal ant? It was too inconceivable. Didn't they long go extinct?

If one were to discuss who was number one in courage and strength under the sky, they would all think about the Heavenly Horned Ant. In terms of strength, there was no one who could compare. It was known to be able to sweep through all enemies.

Not even the True Dragon was stronger than it. This was a bug race that was the greatest not only in name but also in reality.

Of course, the Heavenly Horned Ants of the Immortal Ancient years were different from the present descendants. When they matured, there was no way they would only be the size of a bean, at the very least a zhang in size.

There were some that could turn into human forms, carrying some ant characteristics. At that time, they would become exceptionally terrifying!

Before they matured, they could easily collapse giant mountains, kick down mountain ridges. They were incredibly powerful, incomparable!

Everyone carefully examined it, feeling like they overlooked something. There was a small bulge where its head was, if one didn't look carefully, there was no way they would notice anything.

That was precisely the Heavenly Horned Ant's 'Heavenly Horn', able to split apart the heaven and earth, break apart the universe. This was the mature Heavenly horned Ant's most powerful weapon in this world!

It was still young, and that was why it didn't completely take form and grow out.

The golden body was full of power. Even though it was still extremely small in size, there was still a domain that formed around it, purely created through power.

This type of creature had matchless divine strength, able to dominate this entire world through its extreme strength!

This left everyone horrified. Was one of the archaic vicious ten going to appear in this world?

A few people's expressions were unpleasant, including the few young supreme beings in the back, their faces serious. It was because the temperaments of the archaic vicious ten were all quite bad, or else why would they have this type of title?

Only Shi Hao's eyes released green light, staring at that little golden ant, the corners of his lips carrying a smile, saliva about to fall out.

For him, this was heaven-defying natural luck, something that he wanted even while dreaming. This represented the unmatched precious technique of the Heavenly Horned Ant, representing the supreme divine ability of the dao of strength.

If he grasped this small ant, Shi Hao's strength would definitely advance by leaps and bounds!

It was because his flesh was already domineering to begin with, extremely strong, more like a body refiner than a body refiner. If he grasped this type of matchless divine ability, who would be able to stop him under the heavens? He would be unstoppable in the Nine Heavens Ten Earths, travel unhindered through the world!

At the same time, he remembered that when he was in the three thousand provinces, when Immortal Ancient Remains opened, didn't Exiled Immortal enter a Heavenly horned Ant's nest? He had previously killed hundreds of thousands of people. Wasn't that the residence of the Heavenly Horned Ant?

How could there be one here? Moreover, a young one.

It seemed like there was more than one nest, and this was an extremely important place!

Shi Hao never dared to look down on Exiled Immortal, because he knew that this person should have successfully cultivated the extreme strength precious technique, moreover grasping an ancient horn.

Back then, if not for the Ten Thousand Spirit Diagram he had, he would have definitely been easily destroyed by that mysterious ancient horn!

“Little ant, where are your parents?” A female cultivator smiled, calling out to the young bug before her.

“Remove the word little, call me king! This king is here, yet you all dare belittle me, treating me like a child?!” That golden ant had its arms behind its back, standing with its head held up high, as if it was proud of its age and experiences.

However, its voice was just too young and tender, appearing extremely immature no matter how they looked at it.

“How old are you really?” Someone asked. Even though they knew that it was astonishing, perhaps could even be said to be terrifying, they still lacked respect for it, because it was too little.

“This king has already lived longer than a great era, you tell me how old I am!” The little ant said coldly.

“What?!” Everyone became shocked.

A great era? Was it talking nonsense? Just how ancient was this, how many years had passed? There shouldn’t be anyone in this world who is that old.

Unless it was an old monster who had undergone rebirth, otherwise, how could it be this ancient?

Everyone broke out into a shiver. This wasn’t an impossible thing, because according to some legends they heard, a few old monsters acquired the essence of heaven and earth, seizing life energy in this world, from this recovering youth from a fundamental biological level.

“Where is the bean?” Right at this time, Cao Yusheng appeared. He fainted quickly, but recovered quickly as well. His condition was quite miserable, limping as he returned, his clothes in tatters, really looking like he was trampled on by a barbaric cow, almost falling apart, his injuries not light.

“With this king here, a fatty like you still doesn’t come over to bow down in respect?!” The little golden ant said proudly.

Cao Yusheng was furious, his eyes even turning green. It was different from Shi Hao’s excitement, the fatty was feeling gloominess. The veins on his forehead were jumping. He was actually sent flying by an ant, making him feel completely humiliated. Even though he was thick skinned, this was still too shameful.

“Fatty, don’t act recklessly, this is a Heavenly Horned Ant, so being sent flying by it isn’t shameful!” Shi Hao reminded.

“Heavenly Horned Ant?” Cao Yusheng’s voice immediately rose an octave, his mood completely shifting. That chubby face gradually produced a smile, becoming even more dazzling than a flower.

He wiped away a mouthful of saliva in a rather unsightly manner, tapped Shi Hao with his shoulder, and then said quietly, "Extreme strength blood! Doesn't this mean that we don't lack this type of precious blood in the future?"

Cough! Shi Hao coughed, having him shut his mouth.

"Hahaha..." Cao Yusheng laughed in an unbridled manner, his eyes green, not holding any grudge at all, instead feeling happy and excited.

In Sacred Academy, there was a bit of extreme strength blood, but it was all occupied by Jin Zhang, Little Saint, Daoist Qi Gu and others. It was too difficult for others to obtain even a drop!

For a body cultivator, if they wanted to transform and undergo rebirth, that was the most rare and precious blood, able to allow one's strength to become boundless, changing their constitution through the most shocking transformation!

"Fatty, what are you muttering about? Do you want to get beat up? Be careful not to be blasted apart by a second fist from me!" The golden little ant said in an extremely blunt manner.

Cao Yusheng was a bit gloomy. He lowered his head towards that miniature creature. There was such a huge difference in their size, so why was their strength not also proportionate?

Ta! Ta! Ta...

Footsteps sounded. Several city defenders walked over, dressed in dark armor that carried a mysterious and cold radiance. They held heavy weapons, looking like extremely serious war gods.

"There is natural luck here, seize it with your own abilities. However, the true inheritance is only left for the two descendants of kings with the purest ancient bloodlines!"

One of the defenders was extremely direct, speaking like this.

Everyone looked towards the young Qilin beast, as well as that little golden ant. They immediately knew that the two Immortal Ancient bloodlines definitely referred to them.

"Seniors, are you all immortals?" A young supreme being at Great Xu Tuo's side said, wishing to learn the answer to this.

Everyone listened carefully, all of them wanting to know as well.

"We are just a few old soldiers. In the past, waves of blood rushed into the heavens, the entire world wiped out, all experts dying in battle. Our wills have struggled to this day, turning our bodies into puppets to carry out the final protection." One of them said.

In a daze, it was as if they could hear the shouts of war fill the world, corpses piling up into mountains, blood flowing like rivers, all species reaching their final days, walking towards the end.

That type of terrifying scene seemed to be rushing straight at them.

Several old soldiers dragged their ruined bodies here, all for the sake of protecting the final source of flame. They were truly worthy of respect.

"After exhausting all of our efforts, we finally resurrected the descendant of the Heavenly Horned Ant. It slept for millions and millions of years, and then it revived, completing its rebirth in this world." One of them said.

When everyone heard this, they couldn't help but sigh.

"Great one, the bloodline of Immortal Ancient is important, but that doesn't mean that the descendants are inferior to the predecessors. The main force of the future battle will depend on us, so you all should not be biased, and instead grant us the most important inheritances and opportunities." Lan Xian spoke, trying to fight over the opportunities.

"Fine, you all will get a chance. Whoever can raise that Origin Source Cauldron, I will acknowledge that person!" The one in the lead said, pointing out with the large black halberd in his hand.

There was a stone mountain over there, immortal energy released strand after strand from it. This was clearly an extremely important cave.

At the top of the mountain was a cauldron. It wasn't extremely grand, only three foot tall. It rested there, releasing a simple and ancient aura.

"Origin Source cauldron, I seemed to have heard of it before..." Lan Xian frowned.

"It is the number one treasure of Immortal Ancient, unimaginable heavy. It is because it is the weapon of the Heavenly Horned Ant, forget about brandishing it, normal people can't even lift it, just touching it would send them flying." Great Xu Tuo said.

"Is there anyone who wishes to try? If anyone can move it, then I will acknowledge that person!" An old soldier spoke in a stiff and blank manner. He had long become a puppet, lacking spirituality, only some of the ruined defender will infused into the puppet body remained, which was why it was so machine-like.

"I'll give it a go!" A young supreme being stood out, wishing to give it a try. n.)OveℓBIn

"Huang, you have to go as well! You possess extraordinary strength, I feel like you have a chance of succeeding!" Heavenly Deity Institution's disciples all wanted him to give it a try.

## Chapter 1282 - Raising the Origin Source Cauldron

Green multicolored light scattered down. An individual with a wonderful physique walked over, body swaying like a lotus, leaves fluttering about in her surroundings. There was a great feeling of vitality.

In addition, there were some seeds that floated up, taking root in the void, growing into divine vines, precious trees, and other things, crowding her within, carrying out protection.

The first young supreme being who was taking action was actually female, her dress extremely long, dragging on the ground, her figure swaying about, extremely beautiful.

She had a head of green hair, her skin snow-white, her eyes extremely large, full of spirituality. Her pupils were deep green, as if she was a spirit that emerged from the most primitive mountain forest depths.

She was astonishingly beautiful, and also full of spirituality, even more so having a type of unimaginably rich life force, as if a boundless source of life accompanied her.

"It's her!" Someone said quietly, recognizing her.

"Who is this woman?" Many people didn't recognize her, because there were a few young supreme beings who kept a low profile. After truly merging with a perfect seed, even though there were rumors, the number of times they took action was limited.

"The woman called the Goddess of Life!" Someone said.

When has this type of person appeared among young supreme beings before? Everyone was stunned. However, just now, she really did walk together with Great Xu Tuo, Lan Xian, and the others.

"Someone who recently came out from seclusion. At first, many people didn't know about her, but an elder from Immortal Academy personally stated that in the era of divine dao, she could perhaps claim the title of being Lord of Life, imperishable through endless generations."

Everyone was stupefied. How high of an evaluation was this? Just what kind of seed did this female supreme being merge with?

Many people were discussing things privately, more and more rumors spreading.

This woman came from a long life family, her entire clan descendants of Immortal Ancient. They had previously produced immortals, even though those individuals now might have long died, their bones even rotten.

However, all long life families were giants no one dared to look down on, even more so wouldn't provoke. They held frightening trump cards left behind by immortals!

A young female supreme being who came from this type of clan was naturally frightening. Together with the evaluation that Immortal Academy's elder gave, it was too hard not to feel fear.

"Her name is Lu Hong."

At this moment, everyone knew what clan she was from. They weren't a human clan, but had humanoid forms, no one knowing what their original forms were, just that they possessed overflowing magical force, their divine might able to oppress the world!

Lu Hong strolled over gracefully towards that stone mountain in the city. She didn't dare fly, instead walking with her own two feet.

It was because this kind of place wouldn't tolerate anyone acting recklessly. There were long rumors that the void had a few formations. If one behaved too recklessly, they might incur punishment.

"Those who are not foreign cultivators may fly in this city, however, no killing intent is allowed to be released." An old soldier protecting the ancient city said.

"Understood!" Lu Hong didn't act pretentiously either, rushing into the air, flying towards that stone mountain.

When everyone heard this, they all followed her.

The metal gate was extremely large, the nine stone mountains extremely grand.

The one before them was cast and majestic. It wasn't shockingly tall either, but it just had a type of loftiness that made one feel reverence, as if it was a great immortal dao peak.

There was an ancient cave halfway up the mountain that was releasing immortal energy strand after strand, but no one was able to approach it, because there was an enormous domain there that blocked everything.

The bluestone steps led straight to the top of the mountain. On the mountain was a three foot tall ancient cauldron that poured out white mist. There were even reflections of the sun, moon, and stars within.

It was as if there was an expanse of cosmos inside, vast and boundless.

It was extremely peaceful, nothing unexpected happening along the way. Everyone landed on this mountain peak smoothly, ascending this immortal mountain, all of them extremely excited.

"Rise!" Lu Hong walked up, forcefully grabbing an ear and a foot of the cauldron, wishing to lift it.

She looked like she was extremely delicate and gentle, but her power really was extremely great. Around her snow-white fingertips, the void completely ruptured, forming a terrifying great crack that ran through this place.

However, she failed. Even though she used heaven-overflowing strength, it was still too hard for her to move the cauldron in the slightest.

"Move!"

Lu Hong released a light shout, her entire body shining, life force surging like an ocean. Moreover, she used precious techniques this time, all types of bone texts interweaving, merging together, forming a great divine ability, trying to raise up this cauldron.

She didn't believe in the supernatural. Could it be that even after relying on her own divine abilities, long life clan's exceptional precious technique, she still couldn't move this artifact?

Honglonglong!

A giant noise sounded here, all types of lightning radiance erupting, electricity interweaving, the scene extremely terrifying. Even though she was known as a life goddess, she still had her wild side.

However, in the end, the great cauldron didn't move at all, still situated above the mountain peak, calm like a boulder. Chaotic energy surged from within, sun, moon, and stars shining.

"Attacking this cauldron with divine abilities is useless. No matter how powerful you are, don't tell me you think your power is greater than this magical artifact whose name has reigned glorious throughout the ages. It can neutralize all, and can only be raised through true strength." An old soldier said.

Everyone suddenly understood. This was the weapon of the Heavenly Horned Ant, so it was naturally something that required great strength to wield. All attempts to raise it through divine abilities and precious techniques would most likely result in failure.



Lin Hong tried several times, but she had no choice but to admit that she failed, unable to move this cauldron in the slightest.

Origin Source Cauldron, it was as steady as Mount Tai, calm and unmoving.

“Senior, this is not fair. This is the weapon of an immortal, even if our aptitudes are unordinary, we are still too far from Immortal Dao Realm, so how can we possibly raise it?” Lu Hong found this a bit hard to accept. n()0v**El**bn

“The true Origin Source Cauldron is something you all can’t even touch, or else you would have been directly blown to pieces. This is merely its projection.” An old soldier said.

When they heard these words, many people became stupefied. This wasn’t the true Origin Source Cauldron?

It looked just like the real thing, no difference at all. It was similarly ice-cold to the touch.

The city defenders immediately stated clearly that the Heavenly Horned Ant’s weapon was incomparable, perfectly preserved from the Immortal Ancient battle. This was one of the most frightening immortal artifacts.

Forget about other inheritances and opportunities, just this weapon ending up here alone was already incredible, the meaning great. This was an unmatched ancient treasure!

When the true battle came in the future, whoever could come here and awaken the weapon, use it in attack, they would definitely produce world-shaking matchless divine might!

“This weapon is a condensed projection. It isn’t that heavy, but it isn’t that light either, at the perfect weight for the past Heavenly Horned Ant great one when he was young.” An old soldier explained.

Everyone sighed with admiration, finding it hard to calm down. It was worthy of being a Vicious Ten, already this frightening when it was young, its power able to oppress the masses!

It was clear that the young female supreme being Lu Hong couldn’t compare to the Heavenly Horned Ant when it was young.

“I am not a match for it!” She said in dejection.

The other young supreme beings behind her also frowned, feeling like it would be extremely difficult for them to succeed as well.

“Let me try!”

Right at this time, Purple Sun Heavenly Monarch spoke. He bathed in purple energy, wrapped within purple multicolored light. He walked forward, now long calmed down. He didn’t even give Shi Hao a glance, starting to raise the cauldron.

“Rise!”

He shouted loudly, using all of his strength. The bones within his body released ga zhi ga zhi noises, purple light erupting like thunder. However, in the end, it was all useless!

That cauldron didn't move at all, not leaving its original location at all.

"Again!" Purple Sun Heavenly Monarch released a loud roar. A sparkling purple seed appeared, turning into a streak of Great Mist Purple Energy, hanging from that cauldron, about to raise it.

Pu!

Then, an alarming event happened. That purple energy burst open, Purple Sun Heavenly Monarch coughing out large mouthfuls of blood, directly flying out.

This place became dead silent, everyone horrified. This was just too frightening! After Purple Sun Heavenly Monarch rashly used the perfect seed, he suffered a severe retaliation, being seriously injured as a result.

"I failed!" Purple Sun Heavenly Monarch sighed, slowly withdrawing. He found this truly hard to accept, but he couldn't do anything to this cauldron.

"Is there anyone else who is going to give it a try?" The old soldier asked.

"This is my weapon, who can move it?!" On the ground, that little golden ant that was less than an inch long curled its lips, putting on an arrogant look.

"I will give it a try!" Lan Xian walked up. Her entire body surged with blue multicolored light. As a result, the corners of her lips fluttered about. As she used all of her strength, her face turned pale, unable to move this cauldron in the slightest.

Then, Cao Yusheng and the others refused to believe things without trying it out themselves, giving it a try one after another. However, in the end, their faces all turned red, unable to move this cauldron.

"Let me try."

At this time, Great Xu Tuo spoke. He slowly walked up, grabbing this cauldron. Then, he chanted sutras, the chanting ringing into the horizon.

Golden resplendent light appeared on his body, his skin as if cast from gold, his body like a golden unbreakable body.

Dong!

Right at this time, the Origin Source Cauldron released a trembling sound, actually making a noise.

Everyone was shocked. Great Xu Tuo was formidable after all. Was he going to raise it?

However, this was all he managed to accomplish. Great Xu Tuo lowered his arms, not trying any further.

"What a pity, why didn't you continue? You even made it release a sound, about to move it, so why did you give up?" Many people felt regret.

"I failed." Great Xu Tuo shook his head, not saying too much.

Then, Qi Gu took action. This individual from Sacred Academy, a man of few words, the young daoist who was rather inflexible directly walked up, facing this cauldron.

Dong!

The great cauldron rumbled, releasing a noise, rumbling here like thunder.

Everyone was shocked. This quiet daoist really was strong, actually able to go this far, not weaker than Great Xu Tuo.

Only, even though the cauldron released deafening noises, it still didn't move, unable to be lifted.

Daoist Qi Gu sighed. He also walked to the side, admitting defeat.

Then, there were two more young supreme beings who walked up, but they both failed, no one able to raise the cauldron.

The scene became a bit cold, everyone silent. Was there no one in the present world generation who could compare to the Heavenly Horned Ant during its youth?

Didn't this mean that the present world was inferior to Immortal Ancient, that they were destined to be wiped out even sooner?

Forget about others, just those young supreme beings were silent, extremely quiet.

"There is no need to feel downcast, strength doesn't mean everything, let alone the fact that the dao of strength is where the Heavenly Horned Ant is at its best. Just because this is its forte doesn't mean that it is where you all are strongest, and it cannot serve as a standard for weighing whether one is strong or weak. For example, the True Dragon, when it was young, its strength similarly couldn't compare to the Heavenly Horned Ant, but did this represent its fighting prowess? It is definitely among the very best among the Vicious Ten!" An old soldier said.

When everyone heard this, their moods became much better. This was indeed the case. The powerful True Dragon couldn't even compare to the Heavenly Horned Ant in strength, so there was no need for them to feel a sense of defeat.

"This is destined to be a weapon only I can use, no one else can move it!" That little golden ant stuck out its chest, looking down on everyone.

Unfortunately, everyone had to lower their heads to look at it.

"Is there anyone else who wishes to give it a try?" The old soldier asked one last time.

At this moment, many people's eyes looked at Shi Hao. Perhaps only he still had a chance.

"You did not merge with a perfect seed, but... you are also quite strong. How could this be?" One of the old soldiers was extremely curious, frowning, extremely confused.

"I'll give it a go." Shi Hao chose to try. Even if he failed, he had to give it a try, weigh how great of a difference there was between himself and the Heavenly Horned Ant during its youth.

All eyes gathered on his body.

"Strange, you indeed don't have a perfect seed, so why are you still so strong?" The old soldier leader carried puzzlement, carefully examining him.

Dang!

A clear metal sound was transmitted. The Origin Source Cauldron was grabbed by Shi Hao, and then he fiercely exerted strength.

“Rise!”

He released a loud roar, using his physical body’s greatest strength, exceeding the past, truly displaying how strong his body was after its endless tempering!

His body was slender, but it was extremely sturdy, his entire body erupting with heaven-overflowing blood energy!

At this moment, everyone involuntarily stepped back. How could one’s physical strength be that great, forming a domain of its own, affecting the surrounding time and space!

Everyone was stupefied!

Honglong!

The Origin Source Cauldron left the ground and rose up, pulled from the ground!

“How could this be, could it be... there is someone who finished that path in this great era?” An old soldier said with a trembling voice.

“My weapon, how could it have been lifted by someone else?!” The little golden Heavenly Horned Ant cried out. It was given a fright, feeling like it was seeing things.

#### Chapter 1283 - Imperishable Scripture

The golden little ant rubbed its eyes, and after making sure that it wasn’t seeing incorrectly, it was stupefied. It still hadn’t matured yet, which was why it still couldn’t move this cauldron.

However, this person in front of it moved the cauldron first. This left it completely shocked, and then it felt annoyed.

“What is wrong with you? Fighting with me over my weapon, is it that fun? If you aren’t convinced, just come and we can fight it out!” It said angrily.

Right now, everyone was greatly alarmed. Huang was actually this terrifying! Those young supreme beings were all defeated, unable to move this cauldron, while he could actually directly raise it!

Just how terrifying was his divine force? It really was generation dominating!

Everyone had already placed quite a bit of their attention on Huang. They knew that he had been laying low for three years, that he was still powerful, still one of the supreme beings of this generation.

However, no matter what, they just never expected him to be this strong!

If it was only in terms of physical bodies, he was likely in the top three, right? Aside from Sacred Academy’s Jin Zhan, Little Saint, and others who stressed body refining, not even the few unmatched individuals from Immortal Academy had flesh shells this strong!

“He clearly exhibits an aura from my Immortal Ancient bloodline, walking this path, yet he didn’t merge with a perfect seed. How did he achieve this?” An old soldier said softly, expression serious.

“Impossible, that path is something no one could take, a broken one. It should have been a path everyone gave up on.” The old soldier leader’s eyes were deep and cold.

They had long seen that Daoist Qi Gu cultivated the present world methods, different from the inheritance of Immortal Ancient. His divine force was exceptional because his methods were different, there was a reason for this.

However, that young man named Shi Hao used immortal energy. The symbols that covered his body and surged from his flesh displayed that he walked the path of Immortal Ancient bloodlines.

Meanwhile, this path, if one didn’t merge with one of those unmatched seeds, no matter what he did, he wouldn’t be able to compare to the Heavenly Horned Ant. The power of his flesh wouldn’t be this frightening.

“Seniors, you all guessed correctly. This brother of mine is extremely awesome, taking that path you all speak of, moreover succeeded, transcending the ancients!” Fatty Cao acted cockily there, as if he himself was the one who succeeded and basking in glory.

Moreover, he even specially pointed out Immortal Academy’s people, saying that their elders’ eyes couldn’t judge others properly, too stingy to grant Shi Hao a precious seed, forcing him to take this path of death.

Outside the city, the elders who were surveying this place from above saw this scene, feeling their skin become hot.

“You... used the body as the seed, continuing a broken road, breaking through the trial of death?” An old soldier widened his eyes, simply unable to believe everything he was seeing.

“Succeeded through a fluke.” Shi Hao nodded.

In that instant, several old soldiers became petrified, unable to say anything.

Right now, Shi Hao’s entire head was covered in sweat. This cauldron really was too heavy, crushing his arms until they felt like they were going to break. The entire stone mountain was swirling with immortal mist, unexpectedly lightly trembling as well.

This was just too shocking. Everyone felt like the ground below their feet was unstable, rocking intensely!

This was but an immortal mountain! There were immortal formations here, yet it was still like this right now, just how heavy was that cauldron? It was just too terrifying!

Meanwhile, this was only a projection, not the true Origin Source Cauldron!

“Hurry and lower it, you are quite excellent, already meeting the requirements!” The leader of the immortal city guards said urgently, fearing that Shi Hao would become injured due to the weight of the ancient cauldron.

The old soldiers had already recovered from their petrification. They were incomparably shocked, staring at Shi Hao as if they were looking at a rare treasury, making him shiver inwardly.

Shi Hao lowered the cauldron, making the entire mountain shake intensely, as if an earthquake happened. He felt his arms becoming sore, in a bit of pain.

He couldn't help but sigh, the Heavenly Horned Ant Race was too freakish, using something this heavy as a weapon. How could ordinary people even raise such a thing?

Even someone like him could only raise it, definitely not brandish it as he wished, use it like a weapon. That wasn't realistic.

Shi Hao felt like his own physical body was already strong enough, but when he encountered this race, he clearly experienced the phrase 'in the wider world, there are people more talented than oneself!

When they saw his face of dissatisfaction, as if he achieved nothing, everyone became speechless. Cao Yusheng was still boasting loudly for him, campaigning for him, but when he saw how he was now, he didn't know what to say.

The young supreme beings all became inwardly vigilant, feeling a great pressure. On the path of physical bodies, Huang now took the lead. If they wanted to suppress and surpass him, they could only try to do so through dao skills!

Right now, those old guards' eyes all released green light, staring at Shi Hao as if they were sizing up a priceless treasure.

The leader laughed in an extremely mechanical manner, as if seeing through his thoughts, saying, "There is no need to feel disappointment. The Heavenly Horned Ant, in terms of strength, is number one in the world!"

Shi Hao nodded, not saying anything.

The leader then added, "In reality, you are also extremely astonishing, to the extent where your achievements have surpassed the past and present. It is because you didn't truly forge your flesh shell, not a pure body cultivator. If you take that path, you can definitely become comparable to the Heavenly Horned Ant, perhaps even seize the advantage."

On the side, that little golden ant didn't like the sound of this, saying, "What are you saying? He's just a human, how can he compare to us? When I grow up, I will definitely swing this cauldron around, treat it like a toy!"

"Little Jin[1], you are unmatched, extremely strong. In the future, you will definitely exceed your ancestors. However, this human is not simple either. He is also extremely strong, not necessarily weaker than your race." The leader said.

When they heard such a high evaluation given to Shi Hao, everyone was surprised. They actually rated Huang so highly, putting him side by side with the Vicious Ten's Heavenly Horned Ant!

"I have also studied a bit of body refinement techniques." Shi Hao spoke things as they were, correcting the other party. It wasn't that he hadn't taken this path before.

“Oh? What technique have you studied?” The guard leader asked, appearing quite shocked.

“Bone Tempering Method.” Shi Hao said. It was something the Great Elder passed down to him, at the time saying that it originated from Sacred Academy, so he had to search for the latter portions from them later.

“I have never heard of it. Could you describe it a bit?” The leader was quite direct, actually speaking about this type of requirement.

One had to bear in mind that all techniques were precious. How could it be easily leaked to others?

However, Shi Hao didn’t hesitate, secretly passing it over through his divine consciousness, telling it to him.

“It is not bad, but still not enough. This is a scripture method derived from the Imperishable Technique, far from being comparable to the true scripture.” The leader said.

“What? You know the Imperishable Scripture?” Before Shi Hao spoke up, someone from the side already asked about this, moreover sounding extremely urgent.

It was precisely Daoist Qi Gu. He normally remained quiet, rarely speaking, almost like an old-fashioned elder. However, right now, his breathing was rushed, extremely agitated.

It was because when he was in Sacred Academy, a few people had mentioned that ancient scripture before, talking about its inconceivable power.

“I do not understand it, and in Immortal Ancient, there weren’t many who did either, at most two or three great ones reading it in the past. Meanwhile, we only know some superficial bits.” The leader spoke as things were.

“How great is the difference between the Bone Tempering Method and the Imperishable Scripture?” Shi Hao asked.

“If I have to speak the truth, then I can only say that compared to the Imperishable Method, this piece of scripture of yours is extremely shallow, not profound enough.” That leader said.

This left everyone shocked. The Bone Tempering Method was already extraordinary, yet it could only obtain this evaluation.

“If there is no body refinement technique in the present world comparable to the Imperishable Technique, then this era is inferior to the last, undoubtedly in danger!” The leader said with a sigh.

“There is one established by a senior from Sacred Academy, but my academy is still searching for the Imperishable Scripture to compare and verify.” Daoist Qi Gu explained directly.

“The Imperishable Scripture could also be said to be one of the most powerful scriptures of Immortal Ancient Era, and in the path of body refinement, it is even more so an unmatched canonical text.” An old soldier said.

Based on what he said, once the complete Imperishable Scripture was cultivated, heaven would be difficult to bury, earth difficult to extinguish, flesh spiritual. Even if the divine senses are wiped out and

scattered, the body would remain undecaying, unbreaking, forever imperishable. It was to the extent where there were rumors that once one achieved perfection through it, even if the primordial spirit was destroyed and wiped out, after a long period of accumulation, the day would come when the flesh could reconstruct a divine soul!

In other words, this was imperishable in the truest of meaning!

It was to the extent where there was someone who explained that after several decades to centuries later, when the flesh body produced a primordial spirit again, it wouldn't be a new body, still having memories prior to the reconstruction.

Everyone listened carefully to what he said. All of them were stunned.

"This is more formidable than that unmatched canonical text of Sacred Academy!" They sighed with praise.

"In reality, if it is assessed based on its rumors, then the Imperishable Scripture can also rank within the top three in the last great era, just that there is no proof that it truly can make one imperishable." The leader said with a sigh.

That was why it wasn't ranked in the top three.

When he spoke up to here, the old soldiers' eyes burned with passion, looking at Shi Hao. One of them said, "If you have the chance to cultivate it, after you reach perfection you might be able to verify if one can truly become imperishable, the heavens difficult to bury, the earth difficult to extinguish!"

It was because Shi Hao used the body as the seed, having enough potential himself already. If he cultivated the Imperishable Scripture, he would definitely travel even further!

"Where is the Imperishable Scripture?" Shi Hao asked. He really was moved, feeling that he needed it quite badly.

Even the others' eyes burned with desire. Even if they weren't body cultivators, reforging the body was still essential.

"It disappeared." The leader said with a sigh.

Everyone was surprised. Their interests were all stirred up, yet in the end, this type of reply was given. It truly left them feeling disappointed.

The leader said, "back then, Heavenly Horned Ant great one could only raise this cauldron, but after cultivating that Imperishable Scripture, he could already brandish this cauldron in his youth, treating it like a firewood rod, his power matchless!"

This was why they acknowledged Shi Hao. Being able to lift the cauldron meant that he was already just like the Heavenly Horned Ant before it studied the Imperishable Scripture, equally matched!

"It definitely hasn't disappeared. I still have to learn it in the future!" On the side, the little golden ant shouted.



"We have searched through this city, scoured this ancient place, but we still didn't find the Imperishable Scripture Heavenly Horned Ant great one obtained. It really is regretful and something difficult to accept." The leader sighed.

Everyone felt disappointed. If such an important scripture was lost, then that would just be too pitiful.

Many times, just having great ambition wasn't enough. The so-called forging new methods, treading on completely new paths were all established on the glory of predecessors. Only by having enough experiences to borrow from could one produce even more dazzling martial dao enlightenment.

"Based on our suspicions, there are only three possibilities as to where the Imperishable Scripture is, the first is right here, to be left to the Heavenly Horned Ant's descendant to discover as soon as he matured to a certain step. The second is that it was lost on that cruel battlefield. Heavenly Horned Ant great one fought until the heavens collapsed and earth ruptured back then, killing many undying beings, yet at the same time suffered injuries that were too severe, continuing until the last drop of blood flowed out from his body. Many things great one carried were lost. The third possibility is that it might have fallen into a restricted land within the Nine Heavens Ten Earths!" The leader said with a serious tone.

There were three possibilities, difficult to say which one it was.

However, there was a chance right before their eyes. If it was here, if these old soldiers couldn't find it, that didn't mean that others couldn't.

If outsiders like them were destined to do so, they might be able to get in touch with it, draw out the Imperishable Scripture!

1. Jin=gold

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The Imperishable Scripture was this inconceivable, possessing such wondrous brilliance!

Once one cultivated it to perfection, the flesh would become impervious to all methods. Even if the divine consciousness was scattered by another, the flesh shell wouldn't be destroyed, several hundreds of thousands to millions of years later, a new primordial spirit would be produced!

How heaven-defying was this?

All of them were shaken up without exception, everyone staring at the ancient and magnificent giant city, hoping that they could gain some benefits.

"Since Shi Hao passed the trial, what kind of reward will seniors grant him?" Cao Yusheng's skin was extremely thick, directly asking.

"You are permitted to enter Heavenly Horned Ant Great One's cave. If you can find the Imperishable Scripture, then it is your natural luck!" The leader said. He wanted to smile, but his body had been turned into a puppet, so his expression was rigid.

This type of promise made many people feel envious, producing a great commotion. However, most people could still understand this, because this was an opportunity Huang obtained by relying on his own skills.

After all, most of them were brought in by Shi Hao, like the witch, Chang Gongyan, Lunar Jade Rabbit, as well as Heavenly Deity Institution's disciples and others.

However, there were still some who felt jealous, but there was still nothing they could do. For example, Purple Sun Heavenly Monarch, Lan Xian, and a few other young supreme beings, the ones known as the most powerful of this generation, still couldn't enter the cave.

"Can I bring some people with me?" Shi Hao asked.

"You may not!" The leader strictly refused.

Where was the cave? Was it the immortal mountain beneath their feet?

There were nine stone mountains here in total, every one of them releasing immortal energy, looking like there were nine caves in total. They really wanted to know what exactly they were hiding.

"Please leave this immortal mountain. No one is permitted to remain here." An old soldier said, showing everyone down the mountain.

"Even though you all are not permitted to enter Heavenly Horned Ant Great One's cave, there are other areas in the city, as well as medicinal herbs, divine stones, and other things outside the mountain that you all can acquire based on your own opportunities." The leader turned around and said.

When he heard this, Shi Hao didn't say another word, turning around to leave. Everyone was a bit stunned.

Chi!

Shi Hao turned into a streak of light, rushing in the direction they had just entered the city from.

Quite a few people immediately realized what was happening, quickly chasing after him. Even Lan Xian and Lu Hong, these fairies from long life families were no exception. They knew what he wanted to do, so they chased closely behind.

"Soul Guiding Lotus!" Cao Yusheng cried out strangely, running out together with everyone.

When they entered the city, they saw a pool that had three stalks of divine medicine inside that could nourish the primordial spirit, nurture the soul. They were rare precious medicines.

"You bastard, are you going to destroy my bathing place?!" The little golden ant cried out. With a sound, it pierced through the void, leaving behind a streak of golden afterimages, also chasing after them.

Hong!

Shi Hao went all out, a pair of Kun Peng wings moving behind him, tearing apart the sky. Lightning radiance curled about, Lightning Emperor Precious Technique was activated as well as he moved, incomparably fast.

He was the first one to get here, grabbing towards it with a raise of his hand.

The young supreme beings behind him attacked, several great experts taking action to stop him. If it were other divine medicines, then it was one thing, but these were Soul Guiding Lotuses! They would help them tremendously.

Even if one's primordial spirit was scattered, if one could eat this type of thing, the scattered primordial spirit could still be gathered and reconstructed. It really was seizing the natural luck of heaven and earth!

With this stalk of medicine, it was equivalent to having an additional life!

Back then, Shi Hao had obtained this type of medicine. At the crucial moment, he handed it over to the Great Elder to refine his body, so it was used up. Now, he managed to find more.

Om! Great Xu Tuo shouted, even someone as aloof as him tried to fight over it. This was the dao sound passed down by the ancient monk inheritance, ringing out like heavenly thunder here.

Hong!

Where Shi Hao stood, the void directly exploded. One could vaguely make out a Zhang Six Golden Body ancient monk condensed from symbols, currently suppressing everything.

It was said that the ancient monk line's ancient syllables perhaps displayed the most profound dao sounds of the universe. It looked like there was a reasoning behind this after all.

However, Shi Hao didn't feel fear, his flesh undamaged. After the heavenly passage was opened, he stood in a sphere of divine light, impervious to all methods!

At this time, he retaliated. His single heavenly passage was compressed, turning into an extreme point, and then it fiercely exploded, expanding in all directions.

An expanse of light specks erupted like a river of stars, rushing at Great Xu Tuo.

This really was like a galaxy itself sweeping out, a myriad of different scenes, majestic and astonishing. It made everyone shiver with coldness.

Moo!

Great Xu Tuo released a shout, his hands forming magical imprints. His body reacted as well, as if an ascetic instantly achieved enlightenment, becoming an immortal monk, entering a seated posture.

Hong!

Golden ripples were released, the tangible light rays like blades as they randomly bashed about between heaven and earth. There was divine radiance everywhere, brilliant and dazzling.

Shi Hao forced him back, quickly taking action, picking the three Soul Guiding Lotuses. His movements were extremely fast, pu pu pu three sounds rang out, all of them removed and then sealed in jade containers.

He didn't damage the roots, leaving them, because this type of thing was too precious, so he wasn't willing to damage the source of these plants' vitality.

The other young supreme beings found this result difficult to accept. There were others who took action as well.

Streak after streak of blue light flew over, the radiance incredibly dazzling. These were all arrows, every one of them ten li in length, thick and astonishing. They collapsed the clouds, penetrating the void as they quickly arrived, shooting towards Shi Hao.

These were divine arrows, the condensed natural reasoning a Void Dao Realm expert comprehended from heaven and earth that was fired out!

Lan Xian appeared to be aloof and spiritual, as if she was a solitary immortal, but when she now moved her hands, it was terrifying and astonishing, her stance wonderful, as if she was dancing. Her blue dress fluttered about. The power of this attack was frightening.

These arrows were all released by her, not fired from a bow. With a move of her hand, large amounts of blue light filled the skies, ultimately gathering towards Shi Hao.

The attack power was terrifying. When some experts who exceeded the heavenly deity level saw this, they were horrified, because those arrows were simply impossible to defend against, able to kill large amounts of void dao level individuals!

"All of you, stop him and seize the Soul Guiding Lotuses!" Lan Xian transmitted sound to the other young supreme beings.

A stalk of Soul Guiding Lotus was equivalent to an extra life, so no one could ignore this type of benefit. Even if they had to offend the powerful Huang, they still didn't hesitate to do so if they could obtain these divine medicines. That was why she began to collude with the others.

There were several individuals who took action, releasing divine light, forming a terrifying screen of light that covered heaven and earth. It began to move down towards Shi Hao, creating spatial fetters to bind him in place!

Everyone was shocked. The young supreme beings were working together, wishing to suppress Shi Hao like this. Things happened too suddenly!

Right now, the old soldiers remained indifferent, none of them showing any signs of interfering. They all quietly observed from the side.

Kacha!

Electrical light overflowed into the sky, blazing electrical arcs rising and falling like True Dragons streak after streak, drowning the area Shi Hao was standing in. These were irregular scenes, he wasn't displaying the Lightning Emperor Precious Technique.

Then, gates opened one after another within him, all of them cracking open, clear light flowing out.

Afterwards, he supported the single heavenly passage. He also began to chant true scriptures, operating the True Primordial Record, producing terrifying symbols.

The single heavenly passage was as resplendent as a blazing sun, surrounding him within. He stood in the divine light, innately undefeated, impervious to all methods. The young spatial shackles released by the young supreme beings could not do anything to him.

It was because the single heavenly passage was covered in the bone texts of the True Primordial Record, densely filling its surface like unmatched armor.

Together with the gates within his body that continuously released clear light, endless power pouring out, Shi Hao stopped their attack with three heaven shocking methods.

“What else do you all have? Feel free to use them all!” Shi Hao said coldly.

The blue divine arrows over ten li in length were incredibly frightening, piercing through the void one after the other, all of them blasting straight at Shi Hao. However, they were all stopped outside his heavenly passage.

In addition, these giant arrows all began to break down inch by inch outside the single heavenly passage, and then they exploded, the scene terrifying!

The single heavenly passage, True Primordial Record’s bone texts, and the clear light that flew out from the gates in his body, the three were merged together, neutralizing all types of attacks, all methods unable to approach him!

Everyone was stunned, completely stupefied.

Even the young supreme beings were alarmed, feeling like things were extremely problematic. This person was too terrifying!

Sou!

In the blink of an eye, Shi Hao disappeared. Then, world shaking divine radiance erupted, his body already appearing at the side of those young supreme beings, starting to take action fiercely.

Everyone was baffled. Just how domineering and wild was this? A single person dared to barge into a group of supreme beings, fighting against them head-on, fighting them all alone!

Everyone knew that from this day forth, Huang’s power would definitely resound through the Nine Heavens Ten Earths. Once he was allowed to properly grow up, he would definitely become one of the most powerful individuals.

Dong!

After several exchanges, these individuals split up. Shi Hao swaggered off, walking towards the Heavenly Horned Ant’s cave, no one stopping him. It was meaningless to continue this, because there was no way they could get the Soul Guiding Lotuses back.

“Bastard, you destroyed my bath pond, take a fist from me!”

A golden speck of light suddenly appeared from the void, and then a fist was brandished. It was like a little sun as it smashed towards Shi Hao.

Following a loud noise, a figure was sent flying into the horizon.

"Ah..." A long cry sounded, becoming more and more distant. A golden line was drawn in the air. The little ant's fist was met with Shi Hao's, its body directly sent flying.

"Haha..." Cao Yusheng erupted with laughter, feeling like a bit of resentment was vented. He shouted, "Little bean, how does it feel to be punched into the horizon? Just stay there and clear your head for a bit!"

Among the nine immortal mountains, there was one that had more caves, like a hornet's nest. They released strand after strand of immortal mist, forming a hazy expanse. White mist lingered about, giving off an immortal dao feeling.

Shi Hao arrived in this place, led here by a few old soldiers.

Meanwhile, the others also followed them here, but they could only watch now, unable to go further. It was because up ahead was where Heavenly Horned Ant Great One's cave was.

"Divide these up amongst yourselves and strengthen your primordial spirit!" Shi Hao turned around, handing two jade cases to Chang Gongyan, Cao Yusheng, and the others.

There were two stalks of Soul Guiding Lotus inside. These were incredibly rare divine medicines!

He left one for himself for the future just in case.

Directly eating this medicine to strengthen his primordial spirit wouldn't do too much for him, because he already did it before, long developing resistance to its effects.

Shi Hao turned around, walking towards this manor. This was the Heavenly Horned Ant Great One's residence, an extremely important ancient palace.

"Ah, bastard, you better stop right there!" A little golden ant rushed over from the horizon, arguing noisily, "What kind of skill is this, are you bullying me for not maturing yet? If you have the guts, then fight me again in a few years. Also, don't step through my family's door!"

Shi Hao revealed a faint smile, and then said, "If you are unwilling, then just follow me at my side. You can compete against me at any time! If you have the guts, then just come!"

"Bastard, you... stand still! Fine! I will still challenge you again in the future!" The little golden ant was furious, diving down from above.

Everyone sighed, feeling envy, yet there was nothing they could do.

In everyone's eyes, even though this little Heavenly Horned Ant had a vicious background, when facing Huang, he was undoubtedly pure like a little white rabbit. It was going to fall into his hands!

The inside of the stone mountain was like a giant labyrinth. Countless ancient caves were linked up together, extremely easy to get lost inside.

Shi Hao and the little ant wandered about inside, walking an entire day and night, and only then did they visit every corner. However, they really didn't discover the Imperishable Scripture.

However, there were a few precious immortal items inside, but they were difficult to move away, the items heavy like the heavenly dome.

“As the descendant of the Heavenly Horned Ant, do you really have no doubt that the Imperishable Scripture left for you exists? Where exactly is it stored?” Shi Hao asked.

“If I knew where it was, then I would have long cultivated it already!” The little ant said with an upset tone.

Soon afterwards, it widened its eyes again, feeling a bit of fear. It muttered, “There is one other place. Do you dare follow me there?”

In the depths of the cave was an ancient path that led to a stone wall. When the golden little ant arrived here, it gently touched it with the little bulge on his head, that small golden horn that hadn’t fully grown yet. That stone wall slowly showed a response, and then an ancient door finally revealed itself.

“What kind of place is this?” When Shi Hao first stepped inside, he was immediately shocked, his fine hairs standing on end.

It was because there were traces of blood on the ground, as well as all types of scales and feathers. When standing here, his entire body uncontrollably went taut, about to break apart!

Soon afterwards, he understood. These were the blood, scales, and feathers of unmatched beings!

Moreover, he saw an ant leg here, within the golden color complex patterns, as if it could crush the entire world.

Soon afterwards, he was even more shocked. He saw more and more feathered wings, strange horns, and blood of all different colors, making his body feel like it was going to collapse, about to explode here!

In the end, he even more so saw the head of an ant, golden light resplendent, as if a giant sun was resting here!

“Heavenly Horned Ant Great One?!” Shi Hao couldn’t help but cry out.

Where was this place? Was it the final area of death where Heavenly Horned Ant Great One dragged down numerous enemies?

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When he saw this head and the blood covering the ground, Shi Hao couldn’t help but shiver inwardly. This was especially the case when his own skin was already splitting, his bones feeling as if they were going to break. This place had a terrifying pressure that attacked at one’s flesh and bones, hacking at one’s soul!

What was a so-called unmatched expert? It was precisely someone who after he died, he would still have lasting effects, his blood, his bones, to the extent where even his hair could kill others, make those who came later feel suffocated.

Shi Hao was inwardly shaken. When he saw the giant head, his entire being became petrified, not moving at all. His body was cracking apart, blood flowing out.

“This really is... Heavenly Horned Ant Great One?” He muttered to himself, feeling as if he was dreaming.

That ant head releasing blinding golden radiance, as if it was cast from Immortal Gold. After millions and millions of years had passed, it continued to shine, the strand after strand of light simply about to blast through one’s flesh.

Heavenly Horned Ant, it was known as an unmatched being, so how could it have died so miserably? It was even stronger than a True Dragon, yet someone removed its head!

Shi Hao shivered inwardly. When he looked at the golden blood, the scales, feathers, horns, and other things in the distance, he was even more shaken up.

The battle back then was just too miserable!

They actually fought to this extent! Was this the result of it wishing to take down its enemies with it?

The blood here was all extraordinary, containing astonishing spirituality and immortal energy. All of this was left by those of the highest cultivation realm.

“Hey, what kind of expression is that, does my old man really look that pitiful?” From the side, that finger-sized golden ant cried out, seeming quite dissatisfied. ~~nove~~**IB**/In

“You ungrateful kid, after seeing your elders die, how could you not feel sentimental at all?” Shi Hao reached out two fingers, picking it up.

The little golden ant was furious, struggling intensely.

If it was anyone else, how could they pick it up so easily? One shouldn’t judge it from its size. It was extremely strong, able to directly break one’s fingers.

However now, it was held in place, unable to struggle free, in an extremely embarrassing state.

“Let go! If that was my old man’s corpse, how could I not feel bad?!” The little ant cried out.

Shi Hao stared blankly for a moment. He let it free.

The little golden ant was furious, punching him with everything it had. As a result, powerful winds stirred, the void cracking, this bean-sized thing actually having this type of might. It was just too shocking.

“This is only my old man’s shed skin, not his true body!” The little ant was panting with rage.

Shi Hao was shocked. Even an ant could shed skin, just like a snake? He really had no idea.

However, this was the Heavenly Horned Ant, not a normal type of strange bug, so it wasn’t unusual at all for it to have special skills. It might very well be the most powerful bug in this world!

He endured the intense pain he felt, and then walked a circle around that head. He discovered with shock that the inside was empty, really just an external shell.

“If this isn’t the Heavenly Horned Ant’s true body, then where is the great one?” Shi Hao asked.



“Dead, body and spirit erased, no longer in existence.” The little ant muttered. It didn’t cry, didn’t reveal great grief, only a type of dejectedness, as well as a type of silence.

According to what the little ant said, the Heavenly Horned Ant alone held up too many enemies, fighting everyone with his own strength, sweeping through all before it, fighting viciously against the best from the other side.

In the end, however, there were still too many. After killing many foreign top level figures, the injuries it suffered itself were too great, sinking into the abyss of death.

Before losing all of his fighting strength, he dragged down enough enemies with him!

“This great one is extremely admirable. In the end, he fell in battle.” Shi Hao said with a sigh.

Without thinking about it too much, without needing someone to explain the events of the battle in the past, just from this place, he could feel how those final days were like. Blood definitely flowed like rivers, bones piling into mountains. The great battle between the Heavenly Horned Ant and the enemy was world-shaking!

“He dragged his ruined body over, not immediately dying, struggling all the way until the start of this great era before turning into blood and ashes.” The little ant said softly.

This left Shi Hao greatly shocked. Heavenly Horned Ant Great One actually persisted until this great era?

However, the Heavenly Horned Ant was extremely lamentable, his death extremely tragic. He didn’t directly ascend, but instead first turned into a pool of blood, and then it burned into ashes. Just how great of a suffering was this?

This was an unmatched expert who had cultivated the Imperishable Scripture, yet in the end, he fell to this extent!

The main thing was that his injuries were too serious, back then suffering injuries that could not be recovered from. His vital parts and primordial spirit had been continuously pierced by foreign powerful enemies.

It was a pity, too lamentable!

The Heavenly Horned Ant’s physical body was unmatched, extraordinarily strong, yet in the end, not even a physical body was left behind.

From the Imperishable Scripture’s legends perspective, he likely didn’t cultivate to a consummate level, or else he wouldn’t have fallen like this.

“In reality, my old man could’ve lived a bit longer, and he didn’t have had to suffer the way he did when he died, but he did it all to save me.” The little ant silently shed tears.

Even though it didn’t cry loudly, this type of grief was even more heartrending. It felt incredibly bad.

That year, its mother was killed in battle, its brothers and sisters also completely murdered. At that time, it was still in its mother’s stomach, so it also suffered serious injuries.

The Heavenly Horned Ant Race was clearly fundamentally different from a normal ant. Their reproduction and maturation process were all entirely different.

If not for the Heavenly Horned Ant being heaven-defying, there was no way it could continue living. It would have long turned into scattered ashes and dispersed smoke.

Despite this being the case, its father still had to exhaust the last of his foundational essence to defy the heavens, change his fate, thus finally completing the final portion of the birth.

“Were you able to meet him?” Shi Hao asked.

“I haven’t. When I truly emerged in the world, he had already died a long time ago, turning into thick blood, burning into ashes. It was those old soldiers who told me all of this.” The little ant wiped away his tears.

Shi Hao didn’t know how to console this little ant. His father was powerful, and even though he never saw his father, the Heavenly Horned Ant already did enough. He used his own essence blood to revive his child, not asking to be able to meet one last time.

At the same time, Shi Hao was a bit puzzled. Since the Heavenly Horned Ant lived until this great era, why did it not leave behind the Imperishable Scripture?

When he voiced his doubts, the little ant thought for a bit, and then said, “There might only be one reason, and it is that I am still not strong enough, so I cannot obtain the inheritance!”

Then, Shi Hao and the little ant searched through this place together. The enticement of Imperishable Scripture was too great, not even Shi Hao able to remain calm.

Shi Hao forcefully endured the pain his body felt in this place, blood flowing out. This was produced by the pressure of the energy here!

He couldn’t help but gasp with admiration. The Heavenly Horned Ant’s shed skin was already like this, if its true body was here, just how terrifying would he be?

Of course, this wasn’t the only reason for the great pressure. There were other creatures’ blood, crushed bones, feathers, horns, and other things scattered about here, making this place feel like hell itself.

Comparatively speaking, the little golden ant wasn’t affected all that much, because he had the Heavenly Horned Ant’s aura on its body, thus protected by those remains.

“Is this immortal dao power? Even though it is only what has remained until now, most of the power long scattering, just some skin and hair left, it still affects me so greatly!” Shi Hao said with a sigh.

The main reason was because this place had remnant wills that gathered murderous energy, this place not peaceful. This was why his body suffered injuries.

They searched every corner of this place, but there were still no signs of the Imperishable Scripture, absolutely nothing. Shi Hao found this difficult to accept, but there was nothing he could do.

In the end, he shifted his attention to those horns, feathers, and other things. He wanted to collect them and refine them into weapons.

"I advise you not to rashly try things. These things have all been refined by the old soldiers through formations, used to temper my body. It is because I suffer from inherent deficiencies, so their nourishment was needed to make up for those faults." The little ant said.

Shi Hao was speechless. There were so many heavenly materials and earthly treasures. They were all unmatched divine goods, yet he couldn't use any of them?

"There is only baleful energy left, they cannot provide much value anymore." When he spoke up to here, the little ant carefully pointed out a gray feather, saying, "Maybe this one can still be used, you can put it away."

A bird feather?!

He gently moved it, but discovered that it didn't hack apart the void. When he activated divine force, his energy disappeared with no signs of returning. It didn't shine, didn't release symbols, not displaying anything.

"Forget it, I'll just put it away for now. Back then, I wanted to refine a Five Bird Fan, but have been putting it off this entire time. When the time comes, I'll add this one and see what happens." Shi Hao said to himself.

Shi Hao felt that it didn't make sense for them not to find the Imperishable Scripture. How could Heavenly Horned Ant Great One not show consideration for his own child, leave behind the scripture for him?

"Maybe only when I mature and become strong enough can I open up some type of imprint, obtain the true scripture." The little golden ant said.

"There is no time, your birth was too late. If things continue the way they are, the foreign army is going to come again. We have to become stronger as soon as possible." Shi Hao said.

When the foreign side was mentioned, the little ant's eyes immediately became bloodshot, terrifyingly red. His father, mother, and brothers and sisters all died in battle, the grudge he felt too great.

"Do you have any methods to make yourself stronger, stimulate and trigger your body?" Shi Hao suggested.

"I have tried before, but that type of forceful method isn't a power I can control right now, I might lose myself. Also, this place would become extremely terrifying, even those old soldiers unable to approach this place, no one able to get close. When I am in an involuntary state, I have no idea what is going on at all." The little ant was dispirited.

"No harm, try it again, I will protect this place." Shi Hao said.

"We can't, you will be torn apart, not even the powerful supreme beings and others can stay here, things will become extremely dangerous. Those old soldiers have been turned into puppets, long becoming inferior to their past selves. They wouldn't be able to support this place."

“My true body will withdraw, only leave behind a strand of divine consciousness, attach it to a piece of supreme treasure. It should be okay.” Shi Hao persisted.

He produced the True Primordial Record’s Ten Thousand Spirit Diagram. This sparkling white bone was able to block what was suspected to be the Heavenly Horned Ant’s horn Exiled Immortal used!

In the end, after discussing things over, Shi Hao’s true body withdrew, leaving a strand of primordial spirit on the Ten Thousand Spirit Diagram, protecting this place.

The little golden ant’s eyes became bloodshot, his body shining. Golden multicolored light surged, and then his entire body quickly grew, enlarging.

Hou!

A world-shaking great roar sounded. The Shi Hao on the Ten Thousand Spirit Diagram remained in place. The little ant was previously only the size of a large bean, but now, its transformation was too frightening.

In that instant, he became as large as a mountain. It was still golden, like an archaic divine peak, crushing down from above, his aura surging!

Just by relying on this type of power, right now, he could definitely match Great Xu Tuo, Daoist Qi Gu and the others, his true strength terrifying.

One had to understand that the current little ant still didn’t mature yet!

Immediately afterwards, that head on the ground, or it could be said to be remains, immediately trembled. Then, it released an imperishable aura that engulfed the world!

At this moment, the bones, blood, feathers, and everything else all exploded, some even more so directly shattering, nothing able to stop this power.

Shi Hao was stupefied. What kind of power was this? One had to understand that these were all immortal dao remains, yet everything broke apart at this moment!

The golden ripples and other things released by the Heavenly Horned Ant’s remains didn’t harm the little ant, but the other things weren’t that lucky.

The Ten Thousand Spirit Diagram shone, protecting Shi Hao’s strand of primordial spirit, ensuring that he wasn’t wiped out.

Shi Hao couldn’t help but feel fortunate. If not for this bone diagram being special, if it was any other defensive armor, they wouldn’t be able to hold on, definitely shattering!

At this time, he saw an astonishing scene. A middle-aged man’s figure appeared from within the Heavenly Horned Ant’s remains, floating up. He was tall and heroic, golden hair scattering down, his gaze sharp like cold lightning!

Shi Hao’s fine hairs stood on end, feeling like he couldn’t move, as if he was suffocating. Even with the protection of the Ten Thousand Spirit Diagram, he was still about to fall apart, his divine senses about to freeze here.

Just how frightening of a figure was this?

He... should precisely be the human form of the Heavenly Horned Ant!

It had to be said that this middle-aged man was too heroic in appearance, possessing a type of mountains and rivers devouring aura, as if he was the sole sovereign between the Nine Heavens Ten Earths. His body was straight and powerful, golden hair thick, brilliant and intimidating.

His pair of eyes were dazzling and brilliant, as if they could peer through endless time!

Right now, the little ant was going berserk, roaring crazily. He lost his real will, unable to see his most intimate loved one.

This middle-aged man stood in the void, around him a boundless stellar region. It was as if an ancient universe was circling around him, his body standing at the very center.

As the golden hair moved about, stellar rivers were destroyed streak after streak behind him, growing dim, disappearing, this scene leaving Shi Hao utterly horrified.

Was this the Heavenly Horned Ant? In the past, when he was alive, he was this powerful!

When his hair moved, the stars of the cosmos were destroyed, suns falling when his eyes opened and closed.

"This..." Shi Hao simply didn't dare believe everything he was seeing.

The middle-aged man's divine might was matchless, his vicious might oppressing ten thousand generations!

"Millions and millions of years ago, i have met you..." Right at this time, that middle-aged man spoke.

#### Chapter 1286 - Dark Future

Met before? This really was like something out of a fantasy. How could this be? It was too absurd!

One lived millions and millions of years ago, the other in the present world, a great era separating them, so how could they have encountered each other?

However, this was one of the Vicious Ten, one of the most powerful long life beings of the past, his status venerable, so this shouldn't be a lie.

This was extremely contradictory. Shi Hao became momentarily distracted, not knowing whether he should believe this. He was extremely puzzled. What kind of unforeseen events had taken place during this period?

Hou...

From the side, the little golden ant released a great screech. He really wasn't small anymore right now, as large as a mountain peak, his entire body golden. Each time he moved, there would be a great disturbance raised, making the void crack apart.

Unfortunately, he didn't know that his father's imprint had appeared, unable to face him. Right now, he went berserk, losing his own will.

The middle-aged man's long golden hair fell down to his waist, his figure tall and sturdy, the starry sky as a backdrop, illuminating his body. He was unspeakably dignified, his eyes brilliant, overlooking all heroes from past to present!

His gaze slowly became gentle, looking towards the little Heavenly Horned Ant. It was different from the temperament a matchless expert should have, no longer exhibiting a mountain and river devouring might.

This was familiar affection, the love of a father. When looking at his own child, even the matchless Heavenly Horned Ant had a soft side. This was originally an overlord, a matchless monarch!

"I know what happened." Shi Hao said to himself. He recalled a few matters. It was because he recalled the scene three years ago when he was searching for opportunities in Immortal Battlefield. Back then, a long river of time stretched across, a giant from endless years ago had previously crossed the great river, meeting him!

If not for the white clad woman appearing, forcing back the foreign ancient ancestor, then Shi Hao would have undoubtedly been in danger.

That woman stood far away, style unmatched, leaving Shi Hao with too deep of an impression. Unfortunately, he didn't see her true appearance, the only thing he had to distinguish her was that face mask.

Since there were two people who could tower above the great river of time, overlook endless generations, then the Heavenly Horned Ant mostly likely saw him like this as well.

It was because the Heavenly Horned Ant was one of the most powerful beings of that generation. It was number one if they were strictly talking about the flesh, able to overlook the masses, its might unstoppable!

"Senior has peered through the future and met me?" Shi Hao asked.

"You don't seem to be too slow." The Heavenly Horned Ant said. It turned around and looked at him. The sun, moon, and stars fell within its golden pupils, immortal dao creatures tearing at each other could be seen. This was the scene of past great worlds collapsing, turning into the Nine Heavens Ten Earths!

Hong!

In a flash, Shi Hao felt a wave of terrifying energy sweep over him. It was as if he was now standing in Immortal Ancient's final days, star systems torn apart, the world collapsing, all things withering.

Chi!

Suddenly, he saw a world-shaking sword. It was green without luster, but it directly penetrated the cosmos, and then it entered the space between his brows, bringing intense pain.

"Ah..." Shi Hao cried out, feeling his entire body become ice-cold, covered in sweat. His fine hairs stood on end.

Immediately afterwards, he knew that this were Heavenly Horned Ant Great One's experiences. When he was fighting, someone ambushed him, a sword striking him between the brows, blood dyeing the starry sky.

This was a type of message that was passed onto Shi Hao, to make him more careful when dealing with that unmatched powerful enemy!

There was previously a creature who held a long green sword just like that, tearing open the space between the Heavenly Horned Ant's brows, injuring his body that was known to be number one in the world.

"That person is still alive." The Heavenly Horned Ant said.

These words made Shi Hao certain that the other party was trying to guide him, tell him who the most terrifying opponents would be!

Hong!

Immediately afterwards, a black shadow appeared in the Heavenly Horned Ant's pupils. His large hand covered the sky, smashing down, covering the dome of heaven.

Shi Hao felt like he was about to suffocate, momentarily confined, unable to move!

"En?" This feeling was extremely familiar, incredibly clear.

It was that person, the giant who had overlooked endless time, previously peering through the upper reaches of the great river of time to kill him. In the end, he was forced back by that white clad woman.

This should also be someone the Heavenly Horned Ant faced, someone that had given him trouble!

Chi!

A streak of sky-shocking radiance tore through the everlasting, wiping out the cosmos. That was a spear, the golden speartip about to directly slice through one's soul, the radiance making one's eyes about to turn blind.

This was the foreign side's number three expert who was attacking!

This spear was too fast, tearing through everything unstoppably, impossible to block. With a pu sound, blood splashed out. Shi Hao felt as if it pierced his own chest, breaking all of his bones, shattering all of his veins and arteries, the killing energy engulfed towards his soul!

This was a world shattering spear!

It was clear that these were the Heavenly Horned Ant's experiences.

When facing this spear, the Heavenly Horned Ant had previously roared furiously, many great stars in the sky falling, even more so launching and intense counterattack, fighting this enemy murderously.

"The original world was destroyed, turning into the Nine Heavens Ten Earths, it seems like it was tied closely to this." Shi Hao sighed with astonishment.

Then, he felt everything before his eyes go dark, as if he went unconscious.

Shi Hao knew that this was the result of the Heavenly Horned Ant's serious injuries, leaving the battlefield. As a result, he also withdrew from this type of feeling.

"I killed countless enemies, wiped out so-called undying beings one after the other, but these three creatures were extremely frightening, all of them managing to survive." The Heavenly Horned Ant said.

Those were definitely the most frightening creatures of the other side. Whether or not there were more formidable enemies now, the Heavenly Horned Ant couldn't say for sure. After that battle, he was already half ruined.

He was originally a heaven warping individual, matchless and unequalled, but he fell in the last phase of that age.

Needless to say, that battle was definitely brilliant and gorgeous, glorious enough to enter the records of history. The scenes were world shocking, the intense battles bitter, a true competition between existences at the peak.

Unfortunately, everything returned to the earth, not much recorded. Those of the later world didn't know about this battle, forgetting about it.

Perhaps only when one went to the other side's prosperous world would one learn about some events of the past from the mouths of the enemy, hear about how lamentable yet brilliant it was.

"I do not know what kind of opponents the others faced, but the other party really did take care of me well! Three great world shaking experts emerged, bringing numerous undying beings, heh!" The Heavenly Horned Ant laughed coldly, feeling a bit of regret and unwillingness. In the end, he still fell.

"I saw from your body the image of your youth. You pursued the extreme dao, exceeding the most powerful, if you were also of the Heavenly Horned Ant Race, then I would be even happier!" The Heavenly Horned Ant said.

At this moment, his aura was oppressive, his thick long golden hair falling down. At his side, those stars shattered, erupting, the scenes frightening to the extreme! ~~no~~(18-1n

He towered at the center of the cosmos, overlooking the prosperity and decline of endless generations, watching the Nine Heavens Ten Earths' rise and fall. He was without joy or worries, as if he already transcended above, no longer concerning himself with any of these matters.

"Senior, what kind of things have you seen?" Shi Hao asked. He really wanted to know what the future would be like.

"For the sake of seeing my child, I have also seen you. He is together with you, experiencing bloody battles, the flames of war engulfing the Nine Heavens!" The Heavenly Horned Ant's eyes burned like flames, his aura oppressive, as if he recovered the majestic and imposing aura of the past, about to enter the battlefield himself.

Unfortunately, only a damaged soul was left of him.

"What happened in the end?"

"I was not able to see it clearly." The Heavenly Horned Ant shook his head.



“How could you not be able to see it?” Shi Hao didn’t really believe this.

“The war isn’t too far off, this time even more frightening than what we experienced, involving too many. I truly never expected those things to jump out in the end!” The Heavenly Horned Ant said.

Shi Hao was shocked. There were other things in the future great battle? This... made one shiver with fear. Was there a way for the Nine Heavens Ten Earths to survive?

“The darkest era since the beginning of history is about to come. It is greater than Immortal Ancient Great Era, more terrifying than what we experienced. Have you properly prepared yourself? Are you scared?!” The Heavenly Horned Ant shouted.

“What is there to be scared of? We don’t even know what kind of things they are, all of them can just come!” Shi Hao said.

“A day will come when no one can help you, war ravaging the world until no sounds remain, only a deathly stillness. When that time comes, do you still dare withstand the enemy?”

“I dare!” Shi Hao spoke without any hesitation.

“The world is boundless, yet you are all alone. It is a battlefield you have to fight in alone, the blood that flows yours alone, fight from youth to early gray hairs, and then to the bleak declining years, blood energy dried-up and withered, all the way until the flames of life flicker. Do you still dare fight?” The Heavenly Horned Ant asked.

“These things you have seen, are they of my life?” Shi Hao calmly asked.

“It is but a passing question.” The Heavenly Horned Ant said.

“What about the others? Why am I the only one left?” Shi Hao asked loudly.

“I saw two endings, this is merely one of them.” The Heavenly Horned Ant said.

Even someone as powerful as him, when he saw the youth before him, he also felt complicated emotions. He never expected to meet someone who would suffer things even more frightening than their great era.

“There is only one real situation, there is no way there can be two!” Shi Hao said.

“It is because what I saw wasn’t clear, some things overlaying, indistinct. There were two scenes, scenes of others, and of you. I could only view them as two different situations.” The Heavenly Horned Ant explained as things were.

“I do not believe in a future that is peered into now, I only believe that my two fist will forge their own future, smash open a brilliant world!” Shi Hao clenched his fists, his tone incredibly resolute.

It was because others had foretold inauspicious futures more than once. He wouldn’t accept this, believing firmly in his own strength. He was going to reverse the world, change that ‘result’!

“What kind of enemies will there be in the future?” Shi Hao asked.

“There are many, some of them perhaps not even those that Immortal Ancient Great Era’s people have thought of. They have existed all this time, and all of them will jump out.” The Heavenly Horned Ant’s eyes burned like torches.

“For example, the Nine Heavens Ten Earths’ protectors race, why is there golden blood within their bodies, where does it come from? When the time comes, everything will be clear! There are also those who come from the same place as them.”

The Heavenly Horned Ant gave him a serious warning. He felt a type of regret, a great sigh released from his mouth. He truly wished he could borrow another five hundred years from the heavens so that he could truly fight a great battle against those people!

He was an unyielding expert, a matchless figure, longing for battles against the most powerful in this world.

“When the time comes, you will discover that the Nine Heavens Ten Earths aren’t all that large. The true battlefield is vast and boundless, the scope that it involves unimaginable!” The Heavenly Horned Ant said.

He didn’t wish to talk about the rest, because Shi Hao hadn’t reached that level yet. Speaking about those things now might only make him feel a sense of gloominess.

“I want the Imperishable Scripture!” Finally, Shi Hao only had this sentence.

Those who dared to speak like this, directly asking for the scripture, there really weren’t that many. He was extremely candid and straightforward.

“Fine, I will show you where to obtain it!” The Heavenly Horned Ant replied in a rather pained manner. It was because he had seen a corner of the future. That type of great world was too frightening, the battle too fierce.

He hoped that someone from this area of heaven and earth could rise up, able to compete, and then truly win!

It was precisely because the future was cruel, and the Heavenly Horned Ant attached importance to Shi Hao, which was why he wouldn’t waste time, nor would he act overly politely.

Chi!

The Heavenly Horned Ant’s finger pointed out. An expanse of stars appeared, directly rushing into the space between Shi Hao’s brows!

“In the past, I cultivated this method, but I was still unable to achieve perfection. It might very well be because I didn’t obtain the complete scripture! I hope that when you head to that place, you can obtain the complete ancient scripture, and thus not share the same regret as myself!” The Heavenly Horned Ant warned.

#### Chapter 1287 - The Entire Opportunity

The Heavenly Horned Ant’s regret was precisely that it couldn’t truly obtain an imperishable body. Otherwise, he wouldn’t have experienced this type of end.

However, even though he didn't fully cultivate the Imperishable Scripture, reaching its perfect level, whether or not those effects really did exist was hard to say. It really made one develop doubts, because that kind of result would be too inconceivable.

No matter how the flesh was hacked, it would remain unbreaking, completely overturning common knowledge. If this was the case, wouldn't it make the body even sturdier than Immortal Gold?

The physical shell unbreaking, all methods undecaying, able to coexist with the world, to the extent where even when the stars shattered, he would forever remain!

The flesh would become the 'place of origin', able to reproduce the previous spiritual consciousness. This was an absolutely inconceivable corpse transformation, or it could be said to be primordial spirit transformation!

A few imprints fell into Shi Hao's mind, incomparably deep and indelible.

At this moment, he knew why the Heavenly Horned Ant didn't directly pass on the Imperishable Scripture. It was because the Heavenly Horned Ant suspected that there might be something missing inside, so he wanted those of later generations to seek it themselves.

If there was an opportunity, he could acquire the perfect ancient scripture. When the time came, perhaps he might really be able to create a miracle, display the imperishable divine legend!

Shi Hao was extremely shocked. This ancient scriptures was too ancient, ancient to the point where not even the Heavenly Horned Ant knew who the founder was, to the extent where he didn't even know if it was left for Immortal Ancient Great Era's people.

It was because those characters were extremely special, as long as one's understanding of the dao was profound enough, they could be understood, interchangeable for any great era!

All things to one, hundred rivers gathered into a sea. Many paths, when they reached their end, were interlinked, sharing characteristics at the very end!

This was inconceivable, yet it was the truth. Based on the information Heavenly Horned Ant gave him, all individuals would ultimately undergo extreme transformations.

"Senior, shouldn't we wake him up and have him meet you?" Shi Hao calmed down. He spoke to Heavenly Horned Ant, and then looked towards his child.

"There is no need, I have already died, now just a remnant will, there is no point in adding to his grief. My child does not need to be one who cries continuously, I want him to tower between heaven and earth, stand in that place alone, able to support the heavenly dome with his own strength!" Heavenly Horned Ant refused, decisively choosing to alienate himself.

Shi Hao became quiet. This was perhaps the temperament of the domineering. In the past, those at the very peak usually had extremely serious temperaments, cold to the point where it was difficult to accept.

What they attached the most importance to were the cardinal issues of right and wrong, not very good at individual emotions. However, this was also precisely the reason why they had their personal charm and charisma.

“Goodbye. After this period of silence, perhaps we might never meet again!” After Heavenly Horned Ant said this, he turned into a sphere of golden light, rushing towards the head remains.

That golden ant head dimmed, and then displayed many fine cracks, unknown how much longer it could continue existing for.

A price had to be paid for Heavenly Horned Ant to leave behind his remnant will.

This left Shi Hao moved. Why did this extreme existence who had previously overlooked the entire cosmos leave behind a remnant will? Could it be that he still had grievances, not willing to be completely extinguished?

He was greatly shaken up, his eyes flickering with light. He silently thought to himself, and then he raised his head.

“It’s time to wake up!” He released a loud shout, wishing to wake up that little golden ant.

The mountainous golden ant’s eyes were red, his consciousness lost, moving about here, simply about to destroy all things, destroy all life.

Just a light tremble of his body would shatter the void. Black cracks extended everywhere.

This was precisely the Heavenly Horned Ant. Once they went berserk, even if they didn’t mature yet, they all possessed this type of exceptional divine might!

It was clear that he had unlimited potential. This was not some impure descendant, but the true posterity of a Vicious Ten, his talents able to overlook past and present.

Hou!

A large golden claw slammed down. He didn’t wake up, instead acting out, attacking Shi Hao.

Peng!

Shi Hao didn’t dare act carelessly. He operated the True Primordial Record, clear light wrapping around him. His body became resplendent, raising his hand and striking out, exchanging a blow with him.

It was as if thunder struck down on this place. Not only was space shattered, it even made one’s soul tremble!

“Wu, this is a bit troublesome.” Shi Hao frowned. It was because this wasn’t his true body, just a primordial spirit imprint, so it was difficult for him to display all of his power.

Chi!

He stirred on the Ten Thousand Spirit Diagram, leaving this place, and then quickly returned to his body. He stood outside, waiting for the little ant to chase over.

Sure enough, the massive golden giant followed him out. It was world-shaking, releasing the aura of the Heavenly Horned ant, shocking the old soldiers near the cave.

Kacha!

The little ant's horn shone, destroying everything. Immortal mist rushed out, as well as large amounts of patterns, blasting through everything in the way. These were immortal horns that could tear apart the great cosmos.

With a dong sound, Shi Hao's true body rushed over, this time producing a fist imprint, displaying the Kun Peng method to subdue the little ant. They both used the power of the Vicious Ten.

After an intense clash, the giant was suppressed by Shi Hao, pressed underneath. Then, he refined him with all of his strength. The little ant released a low roar, continuously shrinking, returning to its original size.

"What happened to me? Did you find the Imperishable Scripture?" He woke up.

"I have some clues, but it isn't here. We need to go out and look for it. Do you wish to come with me?" Shi Hao asked, not mentioning its father, not wishing for him to feel more brokenhearted.

"You are trying to trick me into going out with you?" The little golden ant's large eyes were bright, a look of doubt appearing on his face, looking rather shrewd. His meaning was that he wouldn't fall for his tricks.

"Up to you!" Shi Hao turned around to leave.

"Wait, don't tell me you really know where the Imperishable Scripture is? Let me tell you right now that this is my family's scripture, you can't hog it for yourself!" The little ant cried out.

"Then just come with me. Could it be that you are scared that I'll harm you?" Shi Hao said with a smile.

"Let me think about it!" The little ant thought to himself for a bit. He felt like there was no point in staying here any longer either, the powerful never grew up in greenhouses. Those old soldiers had always told him how miserable things were going to be in the future, how bitter the great battle would be. If he didn't go out and gain experience now, when that day came, he would likely be in trouble.

"Fine, I'll go out, let's give this so-called world sensual pleasures a look, see what's special about this great era. Otherwise, it'll likely be destroyed anyway." The little ant said.

The two of them walked out. Many people looked over, their eyes burning with passion, really wishing to make them spit out everything.

"Did you obtain that... Imperishable Scripture?" Cao Yusheng swallowed his saliva, quietly asking.

Soon afterwards, he corrected himself, saying, "Of course you haven't, everyone, stop thinking about it already, just get out of here, don't stare at us like this."

It was because he was scared of everyone here surrounding them. After all, there were several young supreme beings, so if they really joined hands, who could withstand their power?

No one spoke out. Lan Xian, Lu Hong, Great Xu Tuo, Purple Sun Heavenly Monarch, and the others were all looking towards Shi Hao and that little golden ant, wishing to find something from their faces.

Outside the stone mountain, immortal energy curled about, white mist surging. However, it wasn't all that peaceful right now, with faint killing energy pervading the air.

“There isn’t much to hide, I didn’t obtain the scripture from the cave.” Shi Hao said directly.

Up ahead, those people didn’t say anything, none of them expressing anything. They still stared at him and the little ant.

Behind him, Cao Yusheng, witch, Chang Gongyan, and Heavenly Deity Institution’s people all stood by his side, intending to move with him.

“There’s no need to do this. Then, he walked up alone and looked at those supreme beings, saying with a cold laugh, “I am someone who says what I mean, I don’t wish to hide anything. If you all don’t believe me, then you can just assume that I obtained it. I am standing right here, which one of you dares come at me?”

In that instant, the eyes of those people from Heavenly Deity Institution widened, hot blood surging, feeling extremely excited.

Huang was domineering after all, this bold and powerful, feeling that it was beneath him to try and explain himself, completely giving off a ‘if you don’t want to accept this result, then just come over and fight’ type of feeling, his bearing imposing.

Recently, Heavenly Deity Institution’s people had always been suffering humiliation, bullied intolerably, so they had always been on the receiving end of humiliation and enduring, having a wave of pent-up resentment.

“What are you implying? Do you want to provoke the dignity of everyone here?” Someone said coldly.

“Don’t want to accept this? Then feel free to come at me!” Shi Hao directly pointed out, having him accept the challenge. Meanwhile, he himself already moved, pressing forward, about to take the initiative to attack.

“Forget it, we believe you.” Great Xu Tuo spoke, mediating this situation that was about to erupt into battle.

“Brother Shi, why is there a need to do this? The day will come when we have to work together, we are not enemies. There is no need to fight amongst ourselves.” Lan Xian revealed a faint smile.

Shi Hao remained indifferent, not saying anything. Not long ago, these individuals had even taken action against him, their change in attitude really was fast. However, he didn’t wish to completely have a falling out either.

“Go!”

Shi Hao walked forward. Heavenly Deity Institution’s people all followed him. None of the young supreme beings followed him, allowing them to leave.

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Soon afterwards, a group of people jumped into a lake, this place full of watery mist, forming a boundless white expanse.

“This is where I bathe, there are a few stalks of divine medicines planted within.” The little ant said. With this ‘undiscovered traitor’ among their ranks, their gains really were too great.

Unfortunately, only two mountain peaks were opened, one was the Heavenly Horned Ant’s residence, which was the place everyone had just headed to.

There were nine stone mountains in the city, the second one precisely in this area, adjacent to a divine lake.

It was extremely regretful. Only one creature was allowed to enter the depths of this place, which was the little snow-white Qilin. It was the descendant of one of the vicious ten.

Those old soldiers had long said that Qilin Great One left some things here, and those things should be left for its posterity, others could not fight over it.

As for the other seven stone mountains, some were empty, some a bit strange, having immortal dao formations around them, no one able to forcefully enter.

As for those seven, the old soldiers’ words were all rather vague, not saying exactly what was going on. They didn’t suggest the people here to search for opportunities there.

The so-called immortal king inheritances were partial towards the two direct Immortal Ancient descendants after all!

“Yi, the mud pool here is a bit strange, able to help one cast off their old skin, close to a type of rebirth transformation.” Someone discovered a wondrous location not too far from the lake.

“Back then, there was a long life medicine growing there, as well as all types of divine medicines, this place previously a medicinal field. Many medicinal herbs rotted here, turning into nourishment for the soil, which is why even though it has become mud, it still possesses astonishing effects.” An old soldier said.

Soon afterwards, Cao Yusheng, Zhen Gu, Teng Yi, and others rushed over, not worrying about appearances as they jumped into the mud, covering themselves in it.

It had to be said that this place possessed astonishing effects. Many people’s old skin were shed on the spot, producing new skin.

In the end, even a few female cultivators couldn’t hold themselves back, rushing over.

Apart from this, Lan Xian, Purple Sun Heavenly Monarch, as well as Wang Xi, Lu Tuo, Princess Yao Yue and others also moved over, more and more people filing up this place.

Shi Hao also gave it a try, but he discovered that the effects weren’t that great. It was because in the three years of changes, his flesh’s refinement had been too freakish.

While everyone cheered in excitement, Shi Hao interacted with some old soldiers, asking them to help take care of Heavenly Deity Institution’s people. Then, he brought the little ant with him, leaving this place.

When faced with what might very well be the ancient land of an immortal king's inheritance, he decisively left, heading there with the Heavenly Horned Ant!

"Where are you going? Can we really obtain the Imperishable Scripture?" The little golden ant was incredibly excited and stirred up.

"We definitely can, and it might be the perfect Imperishable Scripture. However, it will most likely be extremely dangerous!" Shi Hao replied.

#### Chapter 1288 - To Vie Over

On the surface, there were many people, most of them from Immortal Academy and Sacred Academy, the number of true Heavenly Deity Institution disciples instead few. They were previously even rejected.

Right now, Shi Hao brought the little ant with him to the surface, immediately drawing everyone's attention. They all stared at the mud pool's entrance, watching them closely. Huang came out!

What did he obtain from the underground cave? This was what many people were paying attention to. In addition, why did he come up so early? What about the others?

"Huang is the first one who came out. Did he obtain a great harvest, or did some type of unforeseen change happen? Did the others encounter danger?"

There were quite a few people who were nervous, speaking softly here. Even the expressions of a few old monsters from the three great academies became serious. Even though there were several living fossil level existences who went down, they still haven't returned yet.

"En? He brought out a creature with him!" The eyes of an elder from Immortal Academy narrowed. He stared at Shi Hao's shoulder, seeing a golden speck there. If one didn't look carefully, they wouldn't see anything at all.

However, when one reached their level of cultivation realm, they could clearly sense that even though that creature was extremely small, less than an inch long, it carried terrifying blood energy within it. Once this energy erupted, it would become extremely astonishing.

"An ant!" An elder from Heavenly Deity Institution said quietly. A look of shock appeared on his face. He immediately thought of the Great Elder.

Several years ago, the Great Elder sat here every day, using fragrant bait here to fish for a creature, wishing to draw it out. Could it be precisely this thing?

"Inconceivable. That creature was an ant?" That elder said softly.

However, when everyone else heard this, the result was completely different. It was as if it was thunder striking down.

It was because the Great Elder protected this place year-round, angling from time to time, this wasn't a mystery. Many people knew that there was a living creature in the underground immortal cave.

In that instant, everyone's imaginations went wild, thinking all different types of things!



Those who could stand here were all geniuses, or else how could they enter Immortal Academy or Sacred Academy? There were no stupid people here, which was why they immediately made shocking associations!

“Heavenly Horned Ant!”

Finally, someone spoke these three words. It was immediately as if a meteorite was thrown into a great sea, producing a tremendous commotion!

Correct, many people had already come to this type of speculation. How could a creature that came out from the cave of an immortal king be commonplace?!

From past until now, those who were in the form of an ant, yet still possessed unmatched strength, there was only one species: Heavenly Horned Ant!

“Heavens!”

This was one of the true Immortal Ancient races, the descendant of the Vicious Ten, not a descendant with impure blood. A true long life bloodline holder appeared!

This really was huge news, leaving everyone shocked.

In that instant, Shi Hao and the little ant on his shoulder became the focal point of attention. Everyone’s eyes began to burn fiercely. This was definitely the greatest reward for entering the underground immortal manor! No wonder Huang came out so quickly!

Right now, forget about the others, just Immortal Academy and Sacred Academy’s old monsters’ eyes revealed horrified expressions. They all stared at that young Heavenly Horned Ant.

No one understood more clearly than them how astonishingly precious this type of creature was.

In reality, the others also knew that the small ant’s entire body was precious, its innate precious technique world-shaking and matchless!

Also, the blood within its body was even more so an inexhaustible treasury. If one used its extreme strength blood to carry out a body refinement, the benefits would be unimaginable!

Which one of Immortal Academy’s young supreme beings didn’t receive a baptism in precious blood?

As for Sacred Academy, there is even less of a need to talk about them. The True Dragon heart blood and Heavenly Horned Ant’s extreme strength blood were the best that they had to offer!

It was precisely because Sacred Academy had several types of world shocking precious blood that could allow one to change, undergo complete transformations again and again that their present world method cultivators advanced further and further.

And now, Huang caught a true Heavenly Horned Ant. It was still young, but if it was raised at his side, and the things it needed for growth were provided, wouldn’t he have as much blood as he wanted?

Everyone’s eyes immediately became red!

It wasn't just the youngsters, even the breathing of some old monsters became rough. For their own later generations, for their respective academies, they had more than enough reasons to seize the Heavenly Horned Ant!

"This is a Heavenly Horned Ant?" Finally, Immortal Academy's elder was the first to speak up, asking Shi Hao.

"It is precisely this king!" Before Shi Hao replied, the little golden ant already raised his head, his arms carried behind his back, doing his best to imitate a mature appearance.

"Truly is... the Vicious Ten's descendant?" The voice of an old monster from Sacred Academy even began to tremble. This was just too moving.

Even though the hair on the head of the elder from Immortal Academy was already sparse, his complexion was still rosy. Apart from his two eyes, there was also a vertical eye on his forehead. At this moment, he looked towards an elder from Heavenly Deity Institution, saying, "Dao friend, this is a Heavenly Horned Ant, an extremely important existence. It should be sent to my Immortal Academy."

In the distance, after Shi Hao arrived on the surface, he watched in indifference like a bystander this entire time, but at this moment, his face immediately became cold. It was because this elder was too direct, actually scheming against the little ant.

Moreover, this three-eyed elder actually didn't ask him or the little ant, directly asking for it from Heavenly Deity Institution's elders.

This was a clear act of arrogance, not placing a younger generation individual like himself in his eyes!

"If this truly is a Heavenly Horned Ant, then we cannot make the decision. We do not have the right to interfere. You should be asking Shi Hao or the little ant if they are willing to follow you."

At this moment, Heavenly Deity Institution's number two walked out. Second Elder spoke calmly.

"Young man, are you willing to join my Immortal Academy?" The three-eyed elder asked. He looked at Shi Hao and the little ant with an amiable countenance. He already realized that he was too direct just now, ignoring the feelings of those directly involved.

"I am not willing!" Shi Hao was extremely straightforward, decisively rejecting this offer.

It was precisely at this time that someone from Sacred Academy stepped out at the same time, fearing that Immortal Academy's people would try to bring them away first. n)-⊙/ )v.-E.(L/-b.-1-/n

"You cannot join them, even if you join some place, you have to enter my Sacred Academy!" A purple-haired old woman from Sacred Academy said. Even though she was already quite aged, her hair was still purple and sparkling, only her eyes carrying traces of endless time passed, unable to conceal the feeling of great changes.

"I will not join your academy either!" Shi Hao was extremely direct, not hesitating at all, not wishing to beat around the bush.

There were many people here. Geniuses from both academies hurried here, and there were some people from long life families as well. However, right now, they were all extremely quiet, not a single person speaking.

Huang was actually this decisive, directly refusing them!

At the same time, they immediately revealed strange appearances, feeling like the two academies' elders really were direct, actually stirring up this type of play.

Back then, regardless of whether it was Immortal Academy or Sacred Academy, neither of them took in Huang. One didn't want to give out a perfect seed, the other directly stated that all of the extreme strength blood already had owners.

However now, they actually calmly gave out this type of request, inviting him to join.

As a result, Shi Hao straight up refused them. This left them in quite the ugly situation, returning the favor right back.

It was to the extent where some people felt like this was a slap to the face, moreover extremely resounding, fiercely smacking the faces of the people from the two academies.

Back then, the two academies didn't attach enough importance to Shi Hao. Now, Huang powerfully returned, not only had he defeated their young supreme beings, he even directly brought back a Heavenly Horned Ant, truly making them feel jealousy, their minds burning greatly.

"Huang, you are a genius. You should carefully reconsider. You should join my Immortal Academy, in that place, you can go further, your achievements can become more profound, open up a whole new world for you!" Immortal Academy's three-eyed elder spoke kindly, maintaining his smile.

"There is no need. I understand my own path well. I didn't fritter away my time during these past three years. This proved that even when I rely on myself, I can still forge ahead!" Shi Hao shook his head.

Quite a few students from Immortal Academy felt embarrassment in their elder's place. When one grew old, they became crafty and cunning, but they still couldn't just be this thick-skinned, right?

Even their own students felt embarrassed. Back then, they didn't attach enough importance to Huang, yet now that they saw Huang rise up, stepping on a path no one had ever succeeded in before, they were actually this direct. It truly was a bit unscrupulous.

"Huang, I can see that your body is powerful like an unbreaking body, powerful to the extreme, extremely suitable to head down the path of present world methods. You should enter my Sacred Academy, because we have a world shocking scripture -- Sovereign Scripture. It is a work that will take you to the very limits of this path. If you join us, we can allow you to read it. It will allow you to be like a tiger that sprouted wings, a fish that turns into a dragon!" Sacred Academy's purple-haired old woman also tried her best to rope him in.

"Much thanks for your kindness. Currently, I have not finished polishing my own path yet, so I cannot get distracted." Shi Hao shook his head.

Sacred Academy's geniuses all felt their faces turn hot. Even though Huang's refusal was tactful, no longer as forceful, the result was the same.

"Truly annoying, the people of this world are just too enthusiastic, just shouting and asking others to join them, so senseless!" The little golden ant couldn't help but mutter like this.

"Haha, Heavenly Horned Ant Race's little fella, are you willing to join my Sacred Academy?" The old-woman was all smiles.

"This won't do, the Lunar Jade Rabbit already brought that young Qilin beast into your Sacred Academy, the Heavenly Horned Ant must join my Immortal Academy!" The three-eyed elder stopped her.

"That Qilin..." The old woman's face was bitter. She had also wished to research it, but she couldn't truly find out the little Qilin's secrets. It was because there was a terrifying seal within its body that, once touched, would become incomparably terrifying.

"Alright, let's go. These people are too boring." The little golden ant urged on Shi Hao. His voice was soft, extremely tender, but in everyone's ears, it would undoubtedly sound ear-piercing.

"No, the Heavenly Horned Ant is related to too much. This is but the descendant of the Vicious Ten, so we definitely cannot allow anything unexpected to happen to it. It has to be strictly protected and cannot be allowed to take risks with Huang. It has to stay behind!"

Right at this time, there was someone from a long life family who spoke.

Shi Hao suddenly raised his head in that direction, immediately recognizing that this was someone from Wang Xi's family. The two sides had old grudges, so now that the other party stopped him like this, they clearly feared that he would obtain Extreme Strength Blood as well as the Heavenly Horned Ant's matchless divine ability, fearing that his evolution would become even more immeasurable.

"I also feel like this makes sense. The Heavenly Horned Ant Race can be considered extinct. Now that one has finally appeared, it has to be properly protected. A long life family might not be a bad choice." A middle-aged man spoke, his figure tall and heroic, imposing in appearance, his bearing extremely outstanding.

Cold light flashed past Shi Hao's eyes. This person left him with too deep of an impression; it was precisely Yuan Qing. He became quite a bit younger, previously harming him and almost killing him in Origin Ancient Mine, one of the main culprits who prevented Shi Hao from joining Heavenly Deity Institution.

After Shi Hao arrived in the Nine Heavens, his first enemy was this person. He wanted to cut short his dao path, suppress him for ten years. For a young cultivator, this was an incredibly severe persecution!

However, Shi Hao already killed Yuan Qing's grandson, so he could be said to have gotten some revenge.

"Wu, I think you make a valid point. The Heavenly Horned Ant's safety is indeed something that has to be paid attention to, it cannot be lost, best if it stays behind." Right at this time, another elder spoke.

He also came from a long life family, precisely people from Wind Clan.

Shi Hao's eyes became cold. There was definitely no way for this family and himself to get along anymore, because back then, Yuan Qing acted precisely due to this family's inciting, and that was why he was going to suppress Shi Hao for ten years.

From a certain perspective, the one from this long life family was the giant he ought to oppose the strongest against!

Shi Hao suspected if the Wind Clan and Stone Clan's ancestors had some hidden grudge, having some kind of different relationship with the sinner's blood descendents. Otherwise, there was simply no reason for them to target him that early.

Heng!

Right at this time, Heavenly Deity Institution's Second Elder released a cold snort. His eyes scanned over them and said, "You all are concerning yourself over too much. My Heavenly Deity Institution is enough to ensure Huang and the Heavenly Horned Ant's safety!"

"Dao friend, we had good intentions, because this truly involves too much!"

"Correct, we must be extra careful!"

The Wind Clan and Wang Family, two great long life families expressed their opinions one after the other. These were two giants, families where long life families came from before. They overlooked the Nine Heavens Ten Earths, every word carrying great importance!

It could be said that the voices of long life families carried frightening influence. They were the largest powers!

"Get lost! You all dare to sink your claws into my Heavenly Deity Institution, all of you will be chopped up all the same!" Right at this time, a cold shout sounded, the aura terrifying, covering heaven and earth, descending from above.

To dare berate those of a long life family in such a manner, it truly was domineering to the point of leaving one stupefied. The other party didn't leave them with the slightest bit of face, humiliating them in an undisguised manner.

"Who dares?" Wang Family's person was shocked and furious.

Hong!

A figure descended here, straight like a pillar that supported the heavens, his aura able to devour mountains and rivers. Gray clothes fluttered about, this individual facing everyone.

"Great Elder!" Heavenly Deity Institution's people were all overjoyed. The Great Elder who had disappeared for three years also came back! This was quite the fierce person, someone who didn't fear anyone else in the Nine Heavens Ten Earths!

"Haha, Great Elder has returned! It truly is a joyous event. I approve of having the Heavenly Horned Ant remain in Heavenly Deity Institution!" Right at this time, a middle-aged man who wore a crown roared with laughter.

Everyone was shocked. This person's background was extraordinary, coming from an undying imperial court, also from a long life family. He was Princess Yao Yue's father!

Immediately, quite a few people agreed, feeling great respect for the Great Elder, some of them from long life families!

#### Chapter 1289 - Opposing With Equal Harshness

The Great Elder's gray clothes fluttered about, his face thin, hair scattered about. His figure was tall and lanky. As he stood there, he actually looked calm, not all that intimidating.

However, everyone had a feeling that this person's aura devoured mountains and rivers, overlooking the Nine Heavens. He truly was someone they couldn't anger, or else there would likely be an absolute disaster.

This was a type of vigilance, more so a type of instinctive feeling. All of the experts here felt apprehension, to the extent where it could be considered fear. They couldn't bring themselves to calm down when facing the Great Elder.

It really was strange. The Great Elder's expression was calm, not showing joy or worry, but this type of intimidative force was silent, formless. It was internal, making quite a few people tremble inwardly.

"Turns out to be senior." The one from Wang Family who had just shouted out was now embarrassed, not daring to oppose him directly, and even more so wouldn't act overbearingly.

Not long ago, him and his clansmen were still setting their eyes on Shi Hao, wanting him to hand over the Heavenly Horned Ant, but now, when they saw this elder return, they threw everything aside.

When faced with this person, who among the Nine Heavens Ten Earths wouldn't feel restraining fear? This would most likely be the case even if the clan's eldest few individuals were invited out, only if that 'ancestor' whose life or death was currently unknown came out would the Wang Family have enough confidence.

The Great Elder gave him a cold look, not saying anything. The Wang Family's people immediately shivered inwardly.

"After not meeting for a long time, dao brother's spirit is hale and hearty, bearing even greater than the past!" An elder from Wind Clan said. His status was extremely high, a senior figure from this clan.

Great Elder only nodded. Even though he was disgusted with this clan's way of doing things just now, he couldn't show too much coldness towards this person whose background couldn't be considered that low.

"Great Elder truly has raised a good disciple. His age is not great, yet he is already stunning, rising above outstanding individuals of past generations!" Princess Yao Yue's father, the ruler of a long life imperial court spoke.

He was dressed in golden robes with True Dragon embroiderings. Golden light shone resplendently. He wore a crown, appearing incomparably dignified. This was an extremely powerful cultivator, his age already extremely great, but he still looked young, as if he was middle-aged, blood energy flourishing.

Everyone knew that this person had achieved the supreme being status many tens of thousands of years ago, his strength deep and immeasurable. He was one of the creatures with the greatest authority in the nine heavens above!

At the very least, this was the case on the surface. The clan's former emperor who withdrew regarded him as extremely important, placing a great amount of authority in his hands, having him deal with various important matters.

No one expected the ruler of a long life imperial court, the emperor himself even appearing, moreover not long ago clearly expressing goodwill towards the Great Elder.

Were they going to form an alliance?

One had to understand that the imperial court and the Wang Family didn't get along, always opposing each other. Otherwise, Princess Yao Yue wouldn't have always been going against Wang Xi in Heavenly Deity Institution.

That was why Wang Family immediately trembled inwardly, revealing a look of alertness!

"Our Heavenly Deity Institution should have prepared a grand welcome if we knew Emperor Xu was coming." The Great Elder smiled, his attitude completely different from when he was dealing with the two individuals from before.

This type of difference made Wang Family feel even more uncomfortable.

Wind Clan was still alright, always maintaining rather peaceful relations with Heavenly Deity institution. Apart from dealing with Shi Hao just now, they had always remained rather low-profile.

"Haha, Great Elder is too courteous! Your distinguished self is a senior, wouldn't this be showing a younger generation undeserved attention?" Xu Mingxuan laughed loudly, displaying another act of etiquette.

Many people walked up to greet the Great Elder formally. Only now did all of the geniuses suddenly discover with shock that almost all of the long life families sent people here.

One could see just how astonishing that immortal king manor underneath Heavenly Deity Institution was!

And now that Shi Hao brought out the Heavenly Horned Ant, this also proved how extraordinary the cave was, definitely making their eyes turn red, making a big fuss over it!

However, with Great Elder's return, those restless individuals had no choice but to hold back a bit, fearing that they would be suppressed if they went against this old monster.

In the nine heavens above, Great Elder was one of the most powerful individuals!

This was definitely the case, because he had lived for just too long, to the extent where some even speculated that he might have touched upon the immortal dao domain, already having one foot into being a long life being.

If this was the case, then he might be the first person in this great era who had a chance of achieving immortality!

Of course, there were even more people who were certain that Immortal Academy, Sacred Academy, few great long life families, and a few other individuals could stand toe to toe with him.

However, regardless, this type of living fossil level figure who had lived for an endless amount of time was worth treating with great importance by people of all sides. None of them dared to recklessly offend him.

“Worthy nephew, you really are quite leisurely, coming here as well to join the liveliness.” Great Elder said to Xu Mingxuan.

“I had to see for myself if there really was an immortal king cave that appeared. I had no choice, this is just too astonishing, the temptation of an immortal king inheritance too great for anyone.” Xu Mingxuan said calmly.

Then, he changed the topic, saying, “Actually, I came this time to pick an outstanding youth, see if he could become dao companions with my little girl.”

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This triggered a huge commotion. No one expected this Emperor Xu to be this direct. Wasn't this just too easygoing? Was he going to determine his daughter's marriage right here?

The pearl of a long life family, the princess of an undying imperial court, the weight of this was just too great! If one married and lived with her family, wouldn't divine medicine resources, precious method treasures, and all other things be in reach?

One has to understand that this type of imperial court has existed since the ancient times, never being overthrown, surviving from the last great era. It had previously produced true immortals!

No one knew just how extraordinary their backing was. This was simply world-shaking, perhaps something that would devastate the entire great world!

“Worthy nephew, you must be joking. This type of event concerns your daughter's entire life, how could you just casually mention it?” Great Elder said.

“I was just casually mentioning it, the crucial part will still depend on my daughter. It is because I heard that the young supreme beings of the present world have pretty much all gathered here, so I wanted to pick one that was more outstanding.” Xu Mingxuan laughed loudly, extremely free and at ease. Then, he even more so gave Shi Hao a look.

“He's going to pick you as a son-in-law!” The little golden ant stood on Shi Hao's shoulder, clearly less than an inch tall, yet it still held its hands behind its back, putting on the appearance of some important person. He spoke quietly to Shi Hao.

Everyone's mind trembled. Just now, Xu Mingxuan's eyes were too direct. Could it be that he favored Huang?

Wang Family's people's minds even more so jumped. They couldn't help but shiver with coldness. It would be extremely difficult for them to endure this type of thing.

One had to understand that back then, Shi Hao had been treated by them as a slave. They placed a diamond band on his head, about to send him to his death in Origin Ancient Mine just to excavate some type of Life Stone.



They viewed Shi Hao as their servant for an extremely long time, someone who was of inferior status. Even later on when they found out his talent was extraordinary, they still felt a bit of arrogance, as if they were inherently superior.

Of course, this was also the reason why Shi Hao had a falling out with them. He broke the diamond band, captured Wang Xi, and subdued her for a night, using this to wash away his humiliation.

Both sides had already had a falling out, becoming enemies. If they saw Shi Hao join the Xu Family, becoming their ideal son-in-law, Wang Xi wouldn't be able to accept it no matter what.

It was because all of them already knew that Huang had incomparably frightening talent. If he truly married into the Xu Family, he would be like a tiger with wings. That would become a type of extremely frightening alliance!

If that happened, the outside world might say that Wang Family had eyes but no pupils, forcing away an extraordinary genius, chasing him into their opponent's sect. At that time, Wang Family would most likely become a laughingstock.

"I have always had respect for the wise Xu Family, feeling great admiration. Huang had previously mined for my Wang Family, this truly a bit of a waste of talent. Is Xu Family attaching importance to him? Really is quite extraordinary temperament."

Right at this time, a young man from Wang Family spoke up. He was a student from Immortal Academy, his words at this moment unclear, hiding some implications.

He was praising Xu Family on the surface, yet was actually mocking them. Within these words, he even more so ridiculed Shi Hao, saying that he was previously a servant of their family. Meanwhile, Xu Family wanted to choose this person as a son-in-law, wouldn't that be shameful?

Shi Hao's expression immediately became cold. He looked towards that youngster, only having a single line for him. "Do you want to die?!"

That young man could be considered a proud and arrogant individual, or else how could he dare mock Shi Hao in this type of situation, as well as ridicule a long life imperial court, the Xu Family, so openly?

As a result, his expression immediately changed. He coldly said, "Huang, you are too unbridled. Do you truly think that you can already overlook the Nine Heavens Ten Earths, that you can do whatever you please?"

"You thing that doesn't know life or death, do you feel like a hero because you can humiliate me in this type of situation?" Shi Hao's voice was cold, immediately pressing forward.

Hong!

He didn't hesitate in the slightest. A fist smashed over murderously, immediately taking action, not trying to hide anything at all.

Many people were stunned. The Wang Family's senior was right here, so no matter what, no one thought that Shi Hao would dare do this, directly going to strike him down here!

If it was someone else, they would likely rebuke the other party first, and then incite the Wang Family's genius into taking action, and only then would it no longer be considered 'lacking in manners', tactful enough and acceptable.

"You dare take action against me?" Wang Manglong shouted, his eyes releasing cold light. He was both shocked and angry, now truly feeling a bit afraid.

"You think you are anything special?!" Shi Hao's fist smashed over murderously, powerful winds sweeping about, tearing apart the void. Before Wang Family's geniuses truly faced him, blood was already flowing out from his mouth.

It was because this was 120 percent of Shi Hao's power, going all out!

Shi Hao said coldly, "Forget about you being just one person, even if your Wang Family sent over your ten best geniuses at me, I can still completely wipe them out!"

Everyone was stunned. This place became incredibly quiet.

He really wasn't giving the other party any face at all, saying this to Wang Family's face. This type of undisguised contempt and disdain, was likely a direct slap to their faces.

"Haha... straightforward, this is just how it should be. However, you should just let me deal with this vile person!"

Xu Mingxuan laughed loudly. He had already become a supreme being level creature many tens of thousands of years ago. Right now, he was even more so deep and immeasurable. He immediately vanished from his original position, blocking in front of Shi Hao, and then sent a palm flying in Wang Family's direction.

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This slap was extremely loud and clear, smacking on Wang Manglong's face. He immediately screamed miserably, his face warping, flesh and blood ulcerating, bones fracturing, teeth completely falling out.

His entire body flew outwards, fainting on the spot, his primordial spirit almost collapsing.

This was naturally the result of Emperor Xu holding back. Otherwise, with his strength, just a slight point of his finger would wipe out this person's body and soul.

"Xu Mingxuan, you dare!" An elder from Wang Family was furious. This really wasn't giving them any face, striking his descendant's face in front of everyone, wasn't this the same as humiliating him?

"Why wouldn't I dare? Your Wang Family's discipline isn't strict enough, letting a younger generation make thoughtless remarks in this type of place. Let me ask you, do you wish to start a ten thousand year war between our two clans because of what that young man said?!" Xu Mingxuan severely berated.

At first, no one thought too much of this, feeling that as the emperor of a generation, Xu Mingxuan's action was a bit too 'trivial', not dignified enough.

However, when he spoke like this, they all sensed the severity of the situation!

“You... heng!” Wang Family’s elder was full of anger and resentment, but in the end, he could only release a cold snort. With a swing of his sleeves, he backed off, no longer pursuing this.

#### Chapter 1290 - Heading North

“You aren’t bad!” Xu Mingxuan walked over, his movements imposing, emperor aura intimidating. He patted Shi Hao’s shoulder.

The little golden ant hissed out, quickly evading, because that palm almost struck him. He even suspected that the emperor was doing this on purpose, wishing to slap it.

Xu Mingxuan’s head of dark hair was thick, his face like blades, stars collapsing within his eyes, his aura astonishing! He looked like he was middle-aged, but his blood energy was flourishing. His golden dragon robes released brilliance, illuminating the void, looking like an unmatched war god.

“Senior is wise, divine heroicness unmatched!” Shi Hao laughed loudly, praising him here.

“You brat, just now, your temper was quite fierce, yet you know how to flatter others now.” Xu Mingxuan said with a smile.

“I merely said things as they were. After seeing your distinguished self give that little brat who doesn’t know the immensity of this world a slap, it really was domineering. I was moved.” Shi Hao said with a smile.

Many people revealed strange expressions, Wang Family even more so hated it as much as they could hate it. This was directly humiliating them before their faces! Huang really was a good-for-nothing, incredibly hateful in their eyes.

“Wang Family, I hope you all stop before going too far. There are some things that cannot be randomly said, not to mention that I still haven’t decided who to choose as my daughter’s dao companion. Even if I was certain, it isn’t something you all can randomly mock.” Xu Mingxuan said.

Then, he looked at the Heavenly Horned Ant on Shi Hao’s shoulder, revealing a strange expression and saying, “Why are you looking at me like that, even displaying enmity?”

“What was you trying to do, drawing a stupid lizard on your sleeves, are you trying to show off in front of me? Even if you were going to have something on them, you should have added a great golden ant!” The little Heavenly Horned Ant said angrily.

There was always something that had gnawed at his clan’s minds, they always wanted to compete with the True Dragon to see who was stronger.

When everyone heard this, all of them began to roar with laughter. Xu Mingxuan was also speechless.

Now that Great Elder returned, no one dared act recklessly any longer. The ones who originally still desired what was in the immortal king cave below all became obedient, truly not daring to offend this old man.

After a few words of exchange, Great Elder and a few esteemed guests entered the copper palace on the divine mountain to carry out official business.

Right now, many geniuses entered the underground world, all of them searching for opportunities. It was because news came out from the underground immortal city, letting them know that that place wasn't dangerous.

"Shi Hao, you, come." Great Elder spoke to him in secret.

Shi Hao wasn't in a rush to leave all this time, because he had long received Great Elder's instructions, which was why he was waiting for him here.

After Great Elder accompanied some esteemed guests for a bit and came out from the imposing copper palace, he brought Shi Hao to the rear mountain. They arrived at a secluded place with only a few fine residences and some ancient bamboo. No one else could come here.

"Senior, what kind of creature did you end up digging up from that ancient cave exactly?" Shi Hao had always carried some misgivings inside.

That ancient land was too mysterious. Great Elder actually dug out a creature that still hadn't died from the endless skeletal remains, it truly was a bit frightening.

One had to understand that that place was extremely strange, many bones about to become ashes. These were all world-shocking experts endless years ago.

This meant that the creature buried even deeper within might very well be incomparably ancient, its age unimaginable!

After all this time passed, that creature was still alive, it was simply inconceivable. Just how tenacious was its vitality?

Moreover, back then, Shi Hao clearly sensed that this creature, even though it was weak to the extreme, it was still unimaginably terrifying. When its wings moved, heaven and earth ruptured!

If it was able to recover, then it was impossible to measure just how powerful it would become!

"I called you over precisely because of this. You must keep this matter to yourself, you cannot mention it to anyone, must not speak of it to anyone!" Great Elder's voice was incredibly serious.

"What are you two talking about?" The little ant on Shi Hao's shoulder was curious. It was because he actually couldn't hear a single word, completely covered up by Great Elder.

Then, Great Elder gave Shi Hao a ring. It was extremely simple and ordinary in appearance, not looking like anything special at all, not really glowing. It was unknown what type of material it was made out of, the entire ring a navy blue.

It was as if it was polished from a blue-green rock, not really having any aesthetics to speak of, to the extent where it was even a bit crude.

What is this? Shi Hao was confused. He looked towards Great Elder.

"Wear it on your hand, perhaps it might prove useful one day, the rest you don't need to ask about. You have to remember, you must not speak of the creature that was unearthed to anyone!" Great Elder warned seriously once more.

Originally, Shi Hao used the body as the seed, suddenly succeeding, stepping on a path none before him was able to take, so Great Elder was extremely happy and moved, wishing to celebrate.

However, because of this creature that was suddenly dug up, everything suddenly changed. Great Elder attached great importance to this matter, a great load on his mind!

Shi Hao told Great Elder that he was going to search for the Imperishable Scripture, the situation urgent. The creatures of the other side might launch an attack at any time, and once they broke past the Desolate Border, this world would undoubtedly be in danger, which was why he had to immediately leave and quickly strengthen himself.

“Just go, be a bit more careful.” Great Elder warned.

“Let’s go!” After leaving the back mountain, the little golden ant cheered, greedily breathing in the outside fresh air.

In reality, this place was far worse than the underground manor. That place was full of strong spiritual essence, to the extent where there was even immortal energy mixed in, far greater than the outside world.

However, for the little golden ant, everything outside was new, full of exuberant life force, not as monotonous as that underground world.

“Where are we going to look for the Imperishable Scripture?” The little ant asked.

“Northern Sea Forest!” Shi Hao said. This was an extremely important place that had existed from the ancient times until now, a stone forest in the great sea.

There were just too many legends related to this place.

In this great era, all those who had some accomplishments visited this place. They left their names in this stone forest, leaving an inscription on the greatest peaks to display their strength.

For example, Purple Sun Heavenly Monarch, Lan Xian, and others, after emerging from seclusion, all went there to leave their names on the divine cliff’s walls. They were all high up above, transcending many heroes of the past, extremely dazzling, auspicious brilliance shining unendingly!

It was rumored that roughly half of the young supreme beings left their names there, making some of the divine peaks in the sea resonate and tremble!

The only fortunate thing was that Northern Sea Stone Forest was in Immeasurable Heaven, or else crossing realms would be a huge problem for Shi Hao. This was something ordinary people couldn’t do.

Immeasurable Heaven was extremely large, the great wilderness full of ponds. There were many great cities, between them several tens of thousands of li.

Moreover, there were some central divine cities that were even more so astonishingly large, the distance between them easily tens of millions of li. That was why they all had giant transport formations built.

Shi Hao borrowed these formations as he advanced, passing from one transport formation to the next, each time being transported several tens of millions of li out. He headed north, about to leave this great continent and enter the Northern Sea.

It was hard to imagine just how vast this realm really was. He continued without stopping to rest, passing through transport formations continuously, yet still used up seven days of time, only then did he arrive in the northernmost region.

The great wilderness still existed here, with all types of ancient beasts roaming about, ferocious birds spreading their wings. Apes cried and tigers roared, a savage and barbaric aura filling this place.

Even though they were now close to the Northern Sea, hearing the roaring of the great sea, all types of giant beasts were still roaming about the oceanside, figures visible from time to time.

Shi Hao couldn't help but sigh with praise. Only when he entered the Void Dao Realm could he truly walk about outside in the wilderness, roam between the mountains, rivers, and great lakes. It was because there were quite a few vicious beasts that were at the Void Dao Realm!

If this was in the past, he would've had to avoid them. He definitely wouldn't have dared to press forward, needing to carefully avoid all types of divine bugs and vicious beasts.

Right now, he was also a sect master level figure, now able to act much more carefreely.

Of course, this was still far from being able to travel unhindered through the world, charging recklessly into the great wilderness. He still had to pay attention, because one of those mountain ridge depths might very well have a giant vicious being hiding within.

There might be some ancient vicious Flood Dragons hidden within an abyss. These type of existences easily lived for several hundred years, their cultivation levels profound.

The Northern Sea was extremely vast and boundless.

However, when standing by the shore, one couldn't help but feel their hearts tremble, because it was just too frightening.

When one gazed forward, they would see a great hazy expanse, the sea covered in dark mist. It was as if it was a spiritual sea, a bit deathly still.

There were transport formations that led to the depths of the Northern Sea as well, but none of them were too reliable.

Those ancient transport formations had been worn down by years of non-repair, often displaying issues. From time to time, people would be sent into the boundless great sea, and thus disappear.

Shi Hao came here precisely with the same intention as everyone else, waiting for an 'underworld ship'. Even though these ships sounded frightening, they weren't actually that dangerous.

In the mist, there were ships everywhere, like guests of the ghost realm as they moved through the black mist. There were some ancient ships that moved about on their own, bright red lanterns hanging from the front of the ships.

This was a bit terrifying, but to this day, rarely was there anything dangerous that happened.

Soon afterwards, a few underworld ships appeared, floating nearby. They were completely silent, the blood-colored lanterns at the bow of the ships flickering with cruel looking radiance.

“Are these the underworld ships?” Shi Hao said to himself.

“Really are scary!” The little golden ant couldn’t help but break into a cold shiver.

“Did you not know? These are ships that have survived from Immortal Ancient, existing from the last great era until this world, not decaying all this time. They float along the ocean surface, able to bring people from one shore to the other.” Shi Hao said.

“I didn’t know, never heard about them before.” The little ant shook his head. It was because he was born in the last great era.

In reality, Shi Hao was also quite curious, full of puzzlement. The first time he heard that they needed to rely on this type of boat to cross the northern sea, he was also shocked.

They were now close. One boat arrived at the sea, not all that large, but it was extremely sturdy. The ship body was black-colored, not being damaged even after experiencing endless time.

Was this really an ancient ship that had floated over from the last great era? Shi Hao found this a bit difficult to believe, it was just too inconceivable.

There were previously other great figures who had fished up a few boats to study them, but they didn’t obtain any special findings.

“Let’s go, we are getting on the boat.” Shi Hao said.

He was about to set out to sea. He had heard that there was one region at the center of the Northern Sea that was quite lively, flourishing with activity with quite a few cultivators living there.

“En, it seems a bit familiar!” When he ascended the underworld ship, Shi Hao frowned.

Why did the boat seem more and more familiar? It really pulled at his heartstrings, stirring up waves in his mind. He found it a bit difficult to calm down.

Suddenly, Shi Hao remembered. When he was around ten years old, he had previously set out to sea in the lower realm, heading to the Kun Peng nest to fight for a matchless precious technique. In that place, he had seen these before...

Only, back then, what he saw were paper ships, ships that had been folded by another.

This ship’s appearance was exactly the same as those paper ships!

Moreover, he was sure that this ship wasn’t transformed from paper, it was extremely real. When he touched it with his hands, it felt a bit cold.

“Bone ship!”

The ship was polished from a type of bone material. It didn’t sink into the water, and it was incredibly sturdy, definitely had an astonishing background!

As Shi Hao was baffled, this boat moved on its own, making its way through the black mist and heading towards the Northern Sea.

Shi Hao sat down. He gently struck this ship, carefully examining it. Could it really be just like the rumors stated, that they were refined from the bones of the rulers of the underworld?

Suddenly, Shi Hao was horrified, standing up with a sou sound. He saw a dark red liquid flowing along the ship's surface, seeping out.

Blood!

On the boat's ship, there was a bit of blood that suddenly seeped out.

He didn't notice it just now. He moved his hand over it, his entire hand becoming a dark red. It was extremely terrifying and sinister!

This... he had never heard of it before! When others set out to sea, this type of thing had never even happened before, everything going smoothly.

Shi Hao was horrified. What was going on?

His mind trembled, developing a type of daring speculation. Could it be that he really arrived at the root of it all, the woman who folded the paper boat was actually in this sea?!

When he thought of this possibility, Shi Hao's mind was greatly shaken!

That woman was too mysterious, previously leaving him with an incomparably deep impression, to the extent where it even exceeded the Kun Peng itself when he was near the Kun Peng nest. It was something that was hard for him to forget.