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#### Chapter 841: Madly Striving In The Battle

A corner of the street outside the shop.

"Next time, you better be careful. Don't try to argue with him. From the moment we cured Bao Ao and the other two, we've been walking on the same side as him. You know his power. Why do you need to get mad at him?" rebuked Ka Tuo.

"Da-ge, he gave ten thousand top-quality divine crystals to a useless granny! He used your fortune!" Ka Fu was so angry that his face was turning red. His resentful aura shot up into the sky. "I don't want to see your accumulation of many hard-working years get used up like that. How many adverse situations have we been through to survive until today? Can you count the number of wounds on our bodies? We had only several hundred thousand top-quality divine crystals! And he just threw away ten thousand pieces for free! How generous he is! But this asset isn't his. We have to exchange our lives for that. With ten thousand divine crystals, we could have bought ten tiger shark war chariots!"

"Of course I know this," nodded Ka Tuo then sighed begrudgingly. "But if we don't invest in it, how can we profit from it? Ten thousand top-quality divine crystals are nothing compared to the power Upanishad Inheritance he gave me. Wait until I've entered the Original God Realm, we will have a position in the Heaven Punishment City. Won't the fortune come to us then?"

"Forget it, I can't quarrel with you. I don't want to do that. But it would have been okay if he invested it well. However, that granny Fei Lan has only the True God Realm. I can't think of any way she would be useful to us. He said that she was one of us. Was that a joke? I think he treats us as his subordinates. Who is that man? Although he's strong, he doesn't have a background force. I think he will barely survive the star map expedition," Ka Fu shook his head.

"Maybe he knows something extraordinary about that old woman." Ka Tuo contemplated, his face stern as if he suddenly recalled something.

"No way! Da-ge, do you also think that Fei Lan has something strange? Did he convince you?" Ka Fu was so surprised.

"Do you think I am that easily influenced like that?" Ka Tuo laughed. "Anyway, because of his words, I've asked some of my friends. I think that it's true that we have an amazing hermit in the Land of God Punishment. I heard the other leaders say that when the Land of God Punishment had almost fallen many years ago, it was saved miraculously. No one could explain why. Fei Lan is the oldest living person in the Heaven Punishment City. If we have such a character, she would be an obvious suspect."

Ka Fu didn't dare agree with him. He just shook his head with a forced smile. "Impossible. If she's that intimidating, why does she need to stay in the Heaven Punishment City? The Raging Flame Star Area' is vast enough for her to rule right? Why does she only want our divine crystals?"

"We can't guess what she is thinking" Ka Tuo also couldn't explain it.

"Who's that?"

However, right at that moment, Shi Yan's shout came from the garden behind the shop. A torrential, bursting energy immediately shot up into the sky.

Ka Tuo and his brother were astounded. Without much hesitation, they dashed towards the garden behind the shop.

This garden had some big trees and they were shaking inaudibly at the moment. Leaves fluttered everywhere. Shi Yan floated in the middle of the rolling leaves, his face solemn.

A scorching air current flooded the garden from an unknown source. The big trees in the garden were quickly ignited. The flame rose high in the air.

Shortly after, the backyard of Ka Fu's shop was burning, creating a vivid red sea of fire.

While Shi Yan's thought flickered, an extremely cold energy shot out from his body. His body now had a thick layer of crystal clear ice. Each of his pores had a cold current oozing out.

A strange barrier, which was an invisible net, covered Ka Fu's shop shortly. The furious flame burst out furiously. The temperature was so high that blood in people's body would have evaporated.

As soon as Ka Tuo reached the backyard, his face changed dramatically. He shouted in fright, "It's Barrette! He dares to attack us in the Heaven Punishment City!"

Ka Fu couldn't help but scream. "Oh sh\*t! My shop!"

Staying within three meters of ice created by his ice power, Shi Yan's eyes were like sabers. He shouted, "If you dare to attack us, show yourself!"

A fire cluster appeared distinctively in the fire sea. Barrette, one of the top leaders in the Land of God Punishment, appeared in that scorching fire cluster. With a ferocious face, he laughed like crazy. "You're brave, kid. Too bad though. You won't escape death today!"

Boom!

Tens of thousands of flames fired like fire ribbons, entangling Shi Yan's God Body.

Sizzle Sizzle Sizzle!

The three-meter-thick ice layer melted rapidly.

"You guys should just let me kill you. Don't resist. Or else, don't blame me for having no mercy." Barrette's face was crazy and savage. His cold eyes raked through Ka Tuo and his brother. "Don't move. I won't kill you two. If you even move your fingers, I will believe that you are going against me and I won't show you mercy!"

The extremely cold energy circulated around his body. The melted ice layer was built up again. Shi Yan was trying to resist the flames.

At this moment, he didn't use all of his energy. He just watched Ka Tuo coldly. He wanted to see what Ka Tuo and Ka Fu would do.

"Da-ge, we can... just neglect him," Ka Fu lowered his voice.

"Damn it!" Ka Tuo was enraged. His soul altar spun. The furious, distorted energy burst out from his God Body. Rocks and countless miscellaneous items in Ka Fu's shop rolled up into the sky, gathering in his God Domain.

"Court death!" Black Horn's loud and frank voice arose from a corner of the fire sea. Countless icicles flew out immediately, aimed at Ka Tuo and Ka Fu.

Black Horn was hiding to watch the two brothers. Seeing that they had made up their mind, he attacked them immediately. The icy cold energy exploded, creating so many icicles, ice sabers, and ice swords that flew around the brothers.

"Kill them all!" Barrette was furious. He shouted and attacked instantly like a fire giant.

A fire punch like a volcano pounded on Shi Yan's God Body.

Bang!

The thick ice layers created by the Ice Cold Flame shattered under one punch. Ice rocks shot out everywhere.

Shi Yan screamed as though he was hit by a giant hammer. His veins and bones were shaken. He couldn't help but urge the energy of the Immortal Demon Blood, entering the Third Sky of Rampage instantly. His eyes became garnet. He faced the sky and roared like a savage beast.

Starlight dots fell from countless stars in the sky. In just a moment, they formed the star armor, which was fused perfectly with his nebula.

The flames swarmed over, covering his God Body. However, they couldn't burn his star armor immediately.

At the same time, Shi Yan touched his forehead, making his soul altar spin.

Boom Boom Boom!

Hundreds of rough lightning strikes shot out from his God Body like a bunch of dragons. The lightning strikes twisted in the air, darting furiously toward Barrette.

Some strange flames also flew out from his glabella, dancing like spirits in the sea fire. They were all aimed at Barrette.

In his savage roar, Shi Yan's God Body withered. An evil, seething energy rocketed furiously. His aura now was like a Demogorgon. While his power Upanishad changed, a Dead Seal condensed in the Sky. He showed a sad, shrill, face that grimaced. He hissed and screamed in pain, flying towards Barrette.

At this moment, Shi Yan's energy in his entire body had burst out. His momentum was like a rainbow. He wasn't inferior to Barrette.

Barrette turned into the fire giant. With his First Sky of Original God Realm, he couldn't kill Shi Yan at his first attempt. As Shi Yan was able to counterattack, Barrette became more furious.

Swish Swish Swish!

The flames condensed into fire snakes. Tens of thousands of those fire snakes were swimming in Barrette's God Domain. They carried the nature of Fire that crazily flew towards Shi Yan.

The scorching temperature had melted Ka Fu's shop shortly. All items were burned. The torrential, frightening flame seemed to melt the soul altar once.

"Confine!"

Shi Yan's God Domain changed one more time. Now he was using Space power. All objects in his area halted for one second. A massive space crack was formed, swallowing half of the flames Barrette had created.

Boom Boom Boom!

More and more fire snakes bombarded Shi Yan's God Body. He had to back off as more than one hundred fists were punching him at the same time. His bones resounded as if they were about to crack. His face reddened like there were flames on it.

He took this attack on his own.

Anyway, his real competence was inferior to Barrette's. Under such a powerful attack, he felt like a giant was bullying him around.

"Not dead yet?" Barrette's eyes were radiant with ruthless light. He was using his true flame. It was the first time he had to struggle hard fighting a Second Sky of King God Realm warrior.

In the screams, Barrette energy rose once again. He had finally released all of the energy that a First Sky of Original God Realm warrior could have. The intimidating aura was really earth-shattering.

"Star moves!"

Shi Yan's soul altar changed again. Star energy was sent out thickly from the nebula in his body. It had formed a connection with the nine-tiered galaxy. The glorious star inside the nebula also flew out visibly in front of Shi Yan.

The starlight of outer space gathered and shone on that marvelous star. The rice-sized star enlarged shortly. It was now a complete crystal ball, which was constantly taking in the star energy. It became so dazzling that it hurt to look at it.

This star had a subtle magical connection with Shi Yan's God Soul. His hand flicked the star that barged into Barrette.

Boom!

Just like a mountain falling from the sky hitting Barrette, sparks were sent everywhere. Barrette was struck and he fell on the ground. His aura was subdued for a moment.

But it was just a short moment.

In Barrette's infuriated roar, flames rose from the ground. He seemed to urge the flame underground, flying savagely toward Shi Yan.

The fire resembling Barrette emerged from the fire sea. They all stretched their arms out to snatch Shi Yan as if they wanted to tear Shi Yan into pieces. Each of these fire figures had the soul energy fluctuation. They seemed to be the magical fire clones of Barrette.

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#### **Chapter 842: The Value Of Ten Thousand Top Quality Divine Crystals**

More than ten flame figures as vague as the giant God of Fire flooded from everywhere, bringing the tremendous fire altogether.

The giant fire surged violently, bursting uncontrollably from the ground as if it was going to cover the entire Heaven Punishment City. The scorching energy was about to destroy the entire city.

At this moment, Barrette released the complete power of the Original God Realm, launching his formidable attacks.

The fire snakes wound around Shi Yan's God Body. In the furious flames, his energies gathered in his meridians and streamed strangely.

With a gap between an entire realm, Shi Yan had the right to be proud that Barrette had to use all of his strength to try to deal with him.

Any warrior at the Second Sky of King God Realm fighting a warrior at the Original God Realm would not have a different result as someone who committed suicide. He would never have the luck to escape death.

For Shi Yan, since he was able to stand until this moment and force Barrette to use all of his powers, he had actually reached an unimaginable level for his realm.

Barrette's power and understanding of power Upanishad were much more profound than what Fan Ye had. Shi Yan had used the Immortal Demon Blood, his different powers Upanishads, and even all of the heaven flames to resist the savage man. However, he had to struggle a lot.

Seeing the fire figures swarming over, Shi Yan pulled himself together, using the soul altar to revolve the heaven flame tier.

Shi Yan released the heaven flames. Shortly after, they created a multilayered heaven flame shield. It dazzled gloriously like a rainbow.

At first glance, Shi Yan was floating in the middle of a five-colored nimbus. Divine light radiated brightly around him. Although divine layers made of heaven flames couldn't fuse with his God Body or God Soul, they still looked godly and magical.

The fire giants touched the heaven flames shield and bounced back. They couldn't attack Shi Yan.

Sizzle Sizzle Sizzle!

The heaven flame shield made contact with the fire giants. Colorful lights and sparks were sent out dazzlingly.

Floating in the center of the heaven flame defense, Shi Yan quickly urged the energy in his body, exploding the energy of the Immortal Demon Blood. His aura didn't decrease even a slight bit. He condensed the star energy to create the Star Shield the second time. The star that had flown out revolved for a while in the ground before exploding outward and attacking Barrette violently.

As his God Soul was blocked, no matter how fast Barrette moved, he couldn't escape the star's pursuit.

Starlight flooded the place. A flying star chased after Barrette, troubling him. Barrette didn't have a free moment to strengthen his attacks.

The grimaced ghost face created by the Dead power appeared from nowhere once again. Just like that peculiar star, it started to fly after Barrette. At the same time, Shi Yan's surging negative energy all poured into that ghost face.

Vaguely, Shi Yan and the ghost face seemed to merge into one. That ghost face then turned into his appearance and figure. It turned into a miniature version of his soul, a version that was filled with negative, cunning, and wicked emotions. Those emotions were terrifying enough to corrupt people.

At the Original God Realm, Barrette's soul altar was also affected. From time to time, his mood affected his power, preventing him from increasing his energy.

While they were battling, Shi Yan's energy drained crazily. Ka Tuo and Ka Fu were entangled with Black Horn so they couldn't have a moment to help him.

Boom!

It sounded like some hard shell broke. The barrier outside of the fire sea was broken.

Barrette's God Body that was floating upright in the fire sea halted all of a sudden as if an invisible hand had grabbed him.

The flames covering the entire sky disappeared rapidly at speed naked eyes couldn't observe. After three breaths, the entire sea of fire vanished.

Barrette was dumbstruck. He just stood dully as if he couldn't move a finger.

Swish!

His God Body flew backward as if a strong, ferocious beast was dragging him back to his base.

Black Horn's ice covering his entire body turned into small fragments, shooting out. He spurted blood. He was also frozen like Barrette, dragged out of this place. He couldn't control his God Body to resist.

It was so strange that the earth and heaven energy around them was sucked away. No one could feel any beam of energy or aura.

Barrette and Black Horn couldn't move a finger. They were petrified as they were sprung towards the Black Curtain's base. Blood trickled from their mouths while they were still flying in the sky.

Shi Yan was dumbstruck.

Ka Tuo and Ka Fu gawked.

Many warriors around them realized the bizarre situation. They looked at the sky and saw Barrette and Black Horn being thrown to Black Curtain's base. A grumbling sound echoed afterward. A one-hundred-meter-tall building in the Black Curtain's base collapsed. Giant rocks fell and covered Barrette and Black Horn.

The shop had been burned into ashes. A strong smell of burned things permeated the air. Shi Yan, Ka Tuo, Ka Fu shivered in fear. They looked at each other, not knowing what was going on.

Barrette at the Original God Realm and Black Horn at the Peak of the King God Realm had prepared well and attacked them. They were easily defeated like that. At the same time, they were wounded and pressed down by their own base. What they witnessed was extremely bizarre.

Shi Yan's face was uncertain. Light continuously sparkled in his eyes. He pondered for a while then bowed respectfully to the void. "Thank you, precursor, for saving me twice."

The earth and heaven energy that had disappeared slowly flooded into the ruined shop, leaving the burnt and charred items on the cracked ground.

Ka Tuo looked around with fright. He opened his mouth but didn't know what to say.

"Quick, show your gratitude!" Shi Yan's face darkened, shouting.

Ka Tuo and Ka Fu were shaken. They finally pulled themselves together. Just like Shi Yan, they bowed to the void respectfully. "Thank you, precursor, for granting us your grace."

"Hmm. It's because of the weight of ten thousand divine crystals. Otherwise, I wouldn't have cared about your lives!" A hoarse female voice came to them in the air. "Shi Yan, make these two fools shut their mouths. One more disrespectful word from them and they will die! You fools!"

Ka Tuo and Ka Fu were extremely scared and they dropped their jaws.

It was Fei Lan's voice!

She had heard their resentment when they were talking with each other outside the shop. Just a moment ago, they had doubted Shi Yan's decision. Now everything was clear.

Ka Fu wanted to cry. He slumped on his knees and said nothing while he kowtowed on the rocky ground. Shortly after, his forehead bled.

Ka Tuo was perplexed for a while. He kneeled down too. He stooped like a kid receiving his parents' teaching and didn't dare snap back a word.

At this moment, they were totally convinced. Now they weren't suspicious anymore.

Barrette at the First Sky of Original God Realm was dragged away in just a blink. They couldn't wiggle out as they were pressed into their lair. What kind of power was this?

"Fan Ye is dead. However, Barrette is a member of the Heaven Punishment City. I just taught him a lesson. I won't kill him. One thousand divine crystals were enough to exchange for Fan Ye's life. Because of the ten thousand divine crystals you gave me, I helped you out this time. We don't owe each other anything now."

Fei Lan's voice arose the second time. Her faint, floaty voice came from nowhere.

After she had finished, it was like she stopped paying attention to this area. No matter how hard Ka Tuo and Ka Fu pounded their heads on the ground, she didn't answer them.

Shi Yan was calm from the beginning to the end. He wasn't surprised at all. The moment Barrette was bound, he suspected that Fei Lan had helped him one more time.

He also knew the reason why Fei Lan helped him. It wasn't because of the divine crystals. He suspected that it was because of the blood mark.

After a while, hearing nothing else from Fei Lan, Shi Yan said faintly, "You guys should get up. She's gone. Ah no, perhaps she has never left her shop. With her realm and cultivation base, the entire Heaven Punishment City is in her hand..."

Ka Fu was upset, his eyes gloomy as he lowered his head. He sighed weakly. "I understand now. I was so wrong."

"So was it worth giving those ten thousand divine crystals?" Shi Yan glared at him, talking coldly.

"It was worth it! Definitely worth it! I just couldn't see the truth. Please, don't scold me." Ka Fu lowered his head, feeling regret and shame.

Bloody Slaughterer Ka Tuo's eyes brightened up as he shot up from the ground and asked with excitement. "Senior, she... what's her origin? How is she related to us?"

"She's on our side," Shi Yan smiled mysteriously. "Remember. You must be careful while talking in the Heaven Punishment City. If she wanted to listen to you guys, no one would stop her."

Ka Tuo nodded like a rooster eating rice. "Don't worry, brother. From now on, I will respect her like she's my ancestor. I will pay close attention too."

"Only the three of us know about this. If you let someone else know... I won't be able to protect you both. She will erase you from this world personally," Shi Yan added after contemplating for a while.

The two brothers, of course, didn't dare to say anything. They pounded their chests to assure Shi Yan that they would say nothing about it. From deep inside their hearts, this pair of brothers was totally convinced.

Under the care of those like Fei Lan in the Heaven Punishment City, who would be able to touch Shi Yan?

"Hmm?" Shi Yan suddenly frowned. He squinted slightly as he changed his visage.

A dark spot appeared in a ruined corner of the shop. A magical energy fluctuation rippled, but the others couldn't feel it.

Sensing quietly for a while, Shi Yan was astounded. He then said to Ka Tuo, "Follow me. Don't mind this place."

Ka Tuo and Ka Fu didn't dare to doubt Shi Yan's decision anymore. They said nothing and followed Shi Yan to the small alley in the back of the shop. They crossed many small alleys and disappeared shortly.



Not long after that, many warriors came and investigated the ruin. They were frightened, discussing noisily.

"What happened?"

"Dunno. Was that old brother Feng Ke who defeated Barrette and Black Horn?"

"You fool! If brother Feng Ke had this kind of ability, the Heaven Punishment City wouldn't have four leaders. He would become the sole leader! This kind of power is enough to clean up anybody. Barrette didn't have a bit of energy to counterattack. Didn't you see his body shoot over our heads with a fearful face?"

"Yeah, it's true. Old brother Feng Ke can't be that intimidating. Who is that person then?"

"Dunno."

"Where are Ka Tuo and his brother?"

"Dead?"

"Perhaps, they escaped."

". . ."

Although they were discussing many things, they could only come up with one conclusion. The attacker was very intimidating!

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#### **Chapter 843: The Heart of Darkness**

A decrepit, shabby manor ten thousand miles Southwest of Ka Fu's shop.

Shi Yan's group of three sneakily arrived in this place.

As soon as they arrived, the stone gate of the manor silently opened. The yard inside had some withered ancient trees. The ambiance here was tranquil and heavy. There were no energy fluctuations. Some stone buildings were built in the deep place inside the garden.

Shi Yan just walked forward and didn't even frown. Ka Tuo and Ka Fu exchanged looks, saying nothing while quietly following Shi Yan.

After they got into the garden, the stone gate closed automatically. The sole stone door of a stone house in the manor opened inaudibly.

Shi Yan's group walked in one after another.

The stone house didn't have a window. After the three of them walked through the door, it closed. They found themselves emerged in complete darkness. It was so dark that they couldn't see their own fingers.

A gloomy light appeared little by little by the stone wall. A black figure was sitting neatly on a platform. She lifted her black veiled hat, exposing her savage scarred face.

At first glance, Ka Tuo and Ka Fu felt their legs shivering. Their faces grimaced shortly.

They knew this face!

The most ruthless woman in the Dark Firmament Divine Nation, the regimental commander of the Bloody Legion who topped the five great feudal vassals in the Raging Flame Star Area. This woman's bloody hands had killed so many people.

Any enemy of the Dark Firmament Divine Nation would have paled fearfully facing her. Ka Tuo and Ka Fu weren't exceptions.

Shi Yan slightly bent his body, his face faint. "Greetings, Madame Leona. I was wondering what you summoned me for."

Leona sat on the high platform. Her dark green eyes were gloomy, reflecting no mood. She just looked at him and said nothing.

Although she didn't say anything, an invisible pressure had pressed down on the other three. They felt annoyed as if they couldn't hold their lives in this place. It was much more frightening than facing Barrette and Black Horn.

After a long moment, Leona spoke slowly, "You took the star map from the Purgatory Star?"

Shi Yan was surprised, but he didn't deny it. "Yeah, I brought it out."

". . . It was God's will," mumbled Leona. She kept silent for a while as though she had immersed in her memory. "Did you know who saved you twice?"

"I do," Shi Yan nodded honestly.

"Do you know why she has saved you?" asked Leona.

Pondering for a while, Shi Yan peeked at Bloody Slaughterer Ka Tuo and Ka Fu. He said uncertainly, "Is it related to my mark?"

"You're smart. Your fortune is good too. You've found her not long after you've arrived in the Heaven Punishment City. Your fate is good. That is why you got the inheritance." Leona nodded, throwing a look at Bloody Slaughterer Ka Tuo. She snarled, "Ka Tuo, show your mark to me."

"What mark?" Ka Tuo was bewildered.

Shi Yan smiled, pointing at his forehead.

Ka Tuo got it. He immediately urged his energy to circulate the Chaotic God Domain. His eyes turned garnet, and the dim mark on his forehead slowly appeared. It showed the five blood clouds.

"Oh right. No wonder why you were able to sense danger and quickly change it to safe situations several times." Leona's eyes brightened up as she muttered.

"Turning danger into safe situations several times?" Bloody Slaughterer Ka Tuo was astounded. After a while, he was stirred up. "Is it... Is it..."

Staying in the Land of God Punishment for years, he had been besieged several times. His soul had almost been destroyed. However, from time to time, his enemies would fail to generate energy randomly as though they had made mistakes in their cultivation. They wouldn't be able to release their energy and their only consequence was to be killed by Ka Tuo.

Thanks to those lucky moments, he had harvested a lot and become famous among the pirates. Gradually, he had established his own organization.

Since then, Ka Tuo had doubted the possibility of someone helping him. He couldn't have been so lucky. Every time he fell into an inescapable situation, his enemy would make a fatal mistake. He thought that God favored him and didn't want him to die yet.

However, listening to Leona, he finally understood.

It was not the Mighty God who had helped him. Somebody else had saved him many times.

"Shi Yan told you to give away ten thousand divine crystals. Wasn't that worth it for you? Is your life not worth ten thousand divine crystals?" Leona wore a mocking countenance. "Did you really think that your fate was that good?"

Ka Tuo's brawny body shivered as gratitude arose in his heart, his eyes watery. He said dully, "So... she has saved me many times... I'm so dumb to have not figured it out..."

Ka Tuo gawked. He suddenly realized that something extraordinary had happened to his brother, which he didn't know.

Also, he now knew that his brother had almost died many times. Someone had saved his life, which helped him survive and gain today's position.

That person was Fei Lan.

"If you didn't have the mark and she didn't know about your mark, you would have been dead already," said Leona faintly.

"I got it. I finally got it. Thanks for telling me all of this," Ka Tuo was so grateful. He bowed respectfully with tears falling from his eyes.

No one understood his labor and effort for many years. From the point of view of an anonymous warrior in the Land of God Punishment, he had suffered so many adversities, which Ka Fu, his blood brother, didn't even know about.

Ka Tuo understood that it was not easy for him to have today's attainment. He always thanked God for taking care of him that he could survive stubbornly for so many times.

However, until today, he finally knew that he had a pair of eyes watching over him and taking care of him. The feeling of having someone protecting him was something he had never had for his entire life.

All of a sudden, someone woke him up from his perplexed life. Ka Tuo's feelings couldn't be expressed once with words.

"Do you know why you stayed alive after breaking my battleship? Do you know why I had to protect you when Ao Gu Duo wanted to kill you?" Leona's line of sight shifted to Shi Yan.

"I know why" Shi Yan chuckled. "At the moment I saw you use your power Upanishad, I suspected a little of it. Thank you." He bowed to show his gratitude.

"Eh?" Leona was surprised. Her eyebrows twitched. "How come you got it that fast? What did you depend on?"

"I've seen your Dark power Upanishad," explained Shi Yan.

Leona's eyes brightened, but she didn't say anything, waiting for his explanation.

"I met a War Devil in the Grace Mainland. It's a black iron puppet. As far as I've known, it's the dark clone of Lao Luo. I think... your Dark power Upanishad is somehow related to it?" Shi Yan tried to ask for more information.

"Lao Luo?" Leona shook her head. It seemed like she didn't know this person. "I've never heard about him before. Does he also cultivate Dark power Upanishad?"

"True. The same power," Shi Yan was astounded. "If you don't know Lao Luo, how are you able to also comprehend Dark Upanishad? It doesn't seem right..."

Then, his mind flickered, releasing the War Devil from the Blood Vein Ring.

It's been a long time since his last use of the black puppet. The War Devil's power was limited. Even if it used all of the power, it could use the energy of the Peak of Spirit Realm. Compared to Shi Yan at the moment, it was trivial. That's why he had forgotten the puppet.

Leona's eyes sparkled. Her dark power moved. She landed by the War Devil, her face excited. "The Heart of Darkness. Oh my, this puppet has the Heart of Darkness! I know it. I know the reason!"

While talking, her soul altar spun, releasing a magical suction force.

The Heart of Darkness inlaid on War Devil's chest turned into a dark light cluster, flying towards Leona. In just a blink, it disappeared into Leona's body as though it had become a part of her.

A gust of dark and wicked aura shot out from Leona. She didn't say anything while she sat down, closing her eyes. She seemed to try to fuse the Heart of Darkness, her visage stern.

After the Heart of Darkness detached from the iron puppet, it collapsed grumblingly, turning into fragments on the floor. There was no beam of energy remained.

The War Devil was totally broken.

Leona was excited. She closed her eyes to feel, smiling as she was stirred up.

"Brother, it seems that she's taking in the Upanishad Inheritance, just like I did before," said Ka Tuo gingerly.

Shi Yan nodded as he also saw the clues. The Heart of Darkness looked crucial to Leona, a warrior cultivating Dark power Upanishad. It seemed to contain the mysteries of the Inheritance, which was like the star nucleus in his case.

At this moment, Leona was fusing the Heart of Darkness into her body and making it part of her like what Shi Yan had done with the star nucleus. "What's going on?" Ka Fu was bewildered. He thought that what happened today was very mysterious and yet exciting. It made him baffled. He started to wonder if all that he'd seen today was just a dream.

". . . Oh, I don't know. You have to ask my senior." Ka Tuo also wanted to know, looking at Shi Yan.

Shi Yan's face was odd. He didn't understand clearly either. It seems that there was a line that connects everybody together. But Shi Yan couldn't explain Ka Tuo and his brother. He hesitated for a while then said, "Don't rush. Wait until Madame Leona wakes up, we will ask her."

Ka Tuo and Ka Fu were surprised, but they didn't ask more. All then looked at Leona quietly, waiting for her to complete her fusion with the Heart of Darkness.

Gradually, a dim mark enlarged and became clearer on Leona's glabella.

Five blood clouds.

It was exactly the same as Ka Tuo's mark and the mark on the small shield in Fei Lan's shop.

Ka Tuo was shaken, pointing at Leona's forehead with fright. "That... that mark..."

"Yes, that mark, I know it." Shi Yan had doubted it before. As soon as he saw the mark on Leona's forehead, he confirmed what he was thinking. Shi Yan beamed a smile.

"We all have that mark, right? Brother, do you have that mark, too?" Ka Tuo was astounded, shouting.

"It's true. I got one," Shi Yan nodded. "Anyway, your mark appears on your God Body's forehead, and my mark is in my God Soul's center. This is the only difference."

Ka Tuo was perplexed.

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### **Chapter 844: What Can We Do Then?**

Black Curtain Pirates' headquarter, Heaven Punishment City.

Crushed stones were scattered on the ground. The center of the large yard was concaved. Barrette and Black Horn sat neatly in the middle of the crushed stone. Blood covered their bodies, their eyes gloomy.

Feng Ke, Russell, and Jie Nong were here. They stood around the large yard, looking at Barrette and Black Horn. They were in a fix with a little bit pleasure of seeing people in misfortune.

Many Black Curtain pirates were also looking at their bosses with dark faces.

The battle that happened in the Heaven Punishment City had caught the attention of many people. They all saw Barrette and Black Horn being dragged through the sky of the Heaven Punishment City and thrown to their headquarters. The two of them couldn't even wiggle.

Everybody knew Barrette and Shi Yan had a battle taken place in Ka Fu's shop. Of course, it wasn't hard to guess whom Barrette and Black Horn had attacked.

However, Shi Yan had only the Second Sky of King God Realm. Ka Tuo and Ka Fu were just the King God Realm warriors. Barrette was an intimidating existence since he was at the Original God Realm. Not only could he accomplish this deed, he also fell into this helter-skelter situation. People who saw them couldn't reason what had happened.

No one knows who had attacked these two in the dark. However, at this moment, people all knew that a formidable hermit had stayed in the Heaven Punishment City.

This hermit was like an invisible giant towering the Heaven Punishment City, watching and keeping the order of the city quietly.

The Heaven Punishment City banned fighting. People who broke the rules would be taught a lesson. Even if Barrette was a big leader, he couldn't be an exception.

"Do you think this is funny?" Barrette was so angry. He looked at the others as if he could shoot flames with his eyes. He gritted his teeth. "Yeah, I've broken the rules. So what? Are you going to expel me from the Heaven Punishment City?"

He could see the unfriendly mockery of Feng Ke, Russell, and Jie Nong. As he was enraged, he wasn't polite to them.

"No, we're not here to solve your rule-breaking case," Feng Ke twitched his mouth, making a bizarre smile. "Moreover, you've got your punishment. We won't trouble you more. Haha, Barrette. Your fortune isn't good I think. You've always been disgruntled?"

Jie Nong and Russell also sneered, their faces showed their inaudible ridicule.

"Did you come here to see how funny my situation is?" Barrette darkened his face. The flame of anger rose in his eyes. "I used to think that in the Heaven Punishment City, the four of us were the strongest. I've never thought that we're just the order keepers in daylight. Someone in the dark is much stronger than us. That person seems to use his or her own methods to control the city. Are you willing to let someone else take your powers?"

"What can we do then?" Jie Nong shook his head begrudgingly. "When we aren't as strong as this night character, we can't do nothing but stoop our heads. Although that mysterious expert has a high realm, he or she isn't hostile to us. Why should we find the way to lose our faces altogether? I think it isn't a bad thing to have a character like that to enforce the rules of the Heaven Punishment City."

"Yeah, it's true. Even if we don't like it, what can we do then?" Russell beamed a forced smile. "That hermit could subdue people easily. We're not the equal opponents that we were back then. This person has been in the city for so many years. If he wanted to attack us, how would we have been safe during those years? Apparently, he just wants to keep the order of the city. It's also our initial purpose. If something happens, why should we find trouble ourselves?"

"How come I didn't know such a tremendous existence in the Heaven Punishment City?" Barrette still had a grimace.

"We've known it not for long," Jie Nong and Russell exchanged looks, showing the depressed countenances.

"I've known it earlier," Feng Ke, the one belonging to the previous generation, took a deep breath. "I always thought that it was just a rumor. I didn't put it in my mind. If I didn't know about you and Fan Ye, perhaps... I would still think that it was just a rumor. However, today... I believe that it is true."

"So you are here for what? Giving me advice to not swagger in the Heaven Punishment City? Are you asking me to let that kid go?" shouted Barrette.

"Nope. We didn't want to talk about it. Anyway, if you still want to chase after him, go ahead. We will be happy waiting for your result." Russell laughed oddly as if he wasn't afraid of the protector in the dark of the Heaven Punishment City.

"I don't want to die early," Barrette said with a stiff face as he tried to control his mood.

Black Horn was more despondent, talking with a grimace, "That hermit just wanted to teach us a lesson. He didn't strike us hard. If it happens again, I'm not sure if we will survive."

"How is Shi Yan? Is he okay?" Feng Rao contemplated behind Feng Ke for a while. Eventually, she couldn't hold her worry anymore, frowning and asking.

"That kid lives well!" Barrette suddenly got enraged badly. "Feng Rao, what's so good about him? He's just a lucky kid. He doesn't have a background force to support him. Why did you choose him?"

Feng Rao gave him a cold smile. "It has nothing to do with you!"

She wanted to know whether Shi Yan was alright or not. She didn't have any good feelings towards Barrette. Knowing Shi Yan was safe, her heart quieted down. Of course, she wouldn't give Barrette a nice face.

"Buzz Buzz Buzz!"

All of a sudden, something buzzed low and hurried in Feng Ke's sleeve like a hasty mosquito.

Feng Ke arched his brows. One hand of his retracted into the sleeve. He closed his eyes as if he was sensing something.

His face changed dramatically afterward. He couldn't help but bawl, his face frightened. "Fan Ye is dead!"

Hearing him, everybody else was shaken, looking at him disbelievingly.

"I just got the news. The Headmaster of the Fan family, Fan He, is going to the Land of God Punishment alone. The Nine Star Chamber of Commerce isn't far from us. With Fan He's competence, if he travels at the max speed, he will be here shortly." Feng Ke took a deep breath. His face was very solemn. "The intelligence I got from the Nine Star Chamber of Commerce says that Fan He's enraged because his blood brother Fan Ye was killed in the Heaven Punishment City."

"Good! He's dead! Good! Haha!" Russell was bewildered. He burst out laughing like crazy.

"He deserved that! Haha!" Feng Rao's beautiful eyes also brightened, yelling excitedly.

Those pirates who had been attacked by the Fan family got excited hearing the news.

Many pirates of the Land of God Punishment had disgusted the Fan family the most. Recently, the Fan family had always covered and attacked the pirates. If they hadn't hidden in the forbidden lands, many pirates would have been killed.

Russell and the Fan family had a deep grudge. Feng Rao's big brother also was killed by the force of the Fans. Many friends and beloved ones of the pirates were also killed by the Fans.

Thus, hearing the news made them all excited, yelling happily.

"Fan He arrived," Feng Ke pondered for a while then shouted, his face grim.

The noisy cheering vanished with his words. People became gloomy instantly. They looked extremely anxious and tense.

In the Raging Flame Star Area, Fan He, the Headmaster of the Fan family, was like Du Tian Ji: He was the most dangerous existence at the Third Sky of Original God Realm. Their names were heard in every corner of the life stars in the Raging Flame Star Area. He was deemed the peak of existence.

Today, this character was about to arrive in the Heaven Punishment City personally. Who wouldn't be tense?

"With our forces, we're Fan He's matches. What should we do?" Jie Nong asked gingerly as if he got a headache.

"Arrange your members. We will retreat from the Heaven Punishment City immediately. Yeah, tell the leaders of the other forces to prepare. We will leave at the fastest speed and head directly to the area that the star map points to. This is good. It's time to move," Feng Ke said after pondering for a while. "If the hermetic expert in the Land of God Punishment wants to protect the Heaven Punishment City, even Fan He won't be able to destroy the city, which has been standing firm for several thousand years. Wait until we explore the mysteries of the star map and get stronger. Then, Fan He won't be a threat to us anymore."

People nodded in agreement with his words. They hurried to arrange their formations and people.

"Father, Shi Yan... We don't know where he is," Feng Rao said softly.

"We have so many people here. We can't wait for only him. We don't have much time though. It will be good if he can come before we leave. Otherwise... we can't do anything about it," Feng Rao frowned. "It's not a bad thing if he can't join our expedition. As long as we can harvest something, we won't be mistreating him..."

Feng Rao also understood that they wouldn't take risks to linger and wait for Shi Yan. She could only nod her head reluctantly and listen to her father. However, she still hoped that Shi Yan would show up soon.

Another hidden manor in the Heaven Punishment City.



Carthew was talking with Zi Yao discreetly. Suddenly, he arched his brows, jolted up and walked to the garden of the manor.

Ao Gera appeared there, speaking to a man. His face was bright.

"Sir Ao Gu Duo!" Zi Yao greeted the man as she was shaken seeing him.

"Your Highness, you're still stunningly gorgeous." Ao Gu Duo, one of the five feudal vassals, laughed cheerily. "No wonder Ao Gera wanted to go with you, no matter how hard I've tried to keep him. Haha, from the ancient time until now, heroes are attracted to beauties and beauties are attracted to heroes. You and this kid are perfectly matched."

Zi Yao felt resentful, but her face was calm. However, she didn't reply.

"You've come just on time. Those pirates seem to have some strange commotions. They want to leave the city quickly," said Carthew. "Once they leave the Heaven Punishment City, it would be hard to find them in the forbidden lands. They are more familiar with the topography there than we are. If we want to attack them, the next two days are the best chances."

"Attack them?" Ao Gu Duo shook his head, his face grimaced. "I don't want to die unaccountably like Fan Ye."

Hearing him, Carthew, Zi Yao, and Ao Gera were startled.

They knew that Fan Ye had disappeared mysteriously, but they didn't know that he was dead. It wasn't a joke when an Original God Realm warrior died. It would be spread over the Raging Flame Star Area.

"We can confirm that a terrifying hermetic expert is dwelling in the Heaven Punishment City," said Ao Gu Duo with a solemn countenance. He looked scared, too. He seemed too afraid of that person to show any offense.

#### Chapter 845: Darkness Shrouding

"He died just like that?" Carthew was frightened, his face changed slightly.

He was also at the First Sky of Original God Realm like Fan Ye. Fan Ye was killed in the Heaven Punishment City. If he was careless, his soul would perish, too.

"Yeah, he's dead. He was killed in the Heaven Punishment City. I got the intelligence from the Nine Star Chamber of Commerce," Ao Gu Duo nodded, confirming the news. "Fan He is enraged. He has departed alone from the Nine Star Chamber of Commerce, heading to the Heaven Punishment City. He wants to take revenge for his brother. Hotshots of the Fan family will arrive shortly. The Heaven Punishment City will be active when that happens."

Pausing for a while, Ao Gu Duo continued, "We're now sure that the Heaven Punishment City does have an intimidating existence. That person is watching over the order of the city. Anybody who dares to fight will be punished strictly. I don't dare to let such a powerful expert lay his eyes on me. If we want to plot the star map, we have to wait until Feng Ke has left the Land of God Punishment."

Carthew and Zi Yao darkened their face.

“Where’s Leona? If I count correctly, she should have been here before my arrival. Didn’t she contact you guys?” asked Ao Gu Duo curiously.

Carthew and Zi Yao shook their head, indicating that they hadn’t met the Commander of the Bloody Legion yet.

“I’m sure she’s in the city already,” Ao Gu Duo darkened his face. “Let me see where she is now.”

Ao Gu Duo released his Soul Consciousness. The sky of the Heaven Punishment City now seemed to have his eyes looking for Leona’s aura.

Ao Gu Duo and Leona were archenemies. They had been competing fiercely for many years. He was very familiar with Leona’s aura. And his realm wasn’t lower than Leona. That’s why he had the confidence to say so.

However, not long after he had released his Soul Consciousness, and he hadn’t search carefully enough, he found a tremendous energy fluctuation emitting from a corner of the Heaven Punishment City.

A dark halo expanded from that area. Wherever that halo passed by, darkness fell, shrouding everything.

Energy fluctuations or any other movements became unclear inside that dark light curtain. The Soul Consciousness couldn’t sense anything, either.

Ao Gu Duo was shaken. He gathered himself immediately.

“It’s Leona!” Carthew cried in fear.

That wave of energy was too powerful. Not only Ao Gu Duo but also Carthew could feel it. “She’s in the Heaven Punishment City, indeed!”

“Go get her! Damn it! Such tremendous dark energy fluctuations will alert all Original God Realm warriors! Big trouble!” Ao Gu Duo grimaced, getting infuriated. “Once she’s exposed, they will know we’re here. We can’t sneak in anymore.”

Carthew and Zi Yao didn’t say anything. They just flew after Ao Gu Duo. They headed to the area where dark energy fluctuated strangely and visibly.

At the same time.

Some Original God Realm experts in the Heaven Punishment City were scattered in different areas. All felt that the dark power had engulfed them. Having a little hesitation, they then dashed toward that area.

They were Feng Ke, Russell, Jie Nong, Barrette, Jester, the Master of the Li family, Li Yue Feng, and Bi Tian, the Commander of the Underworld League. The high existence at the Original God Realm had confirmed Leona’s identity immediately when they sensed that aura.

Leona was infamous in the Raging Flame Star Area. The dark power was her flagship. As soon as they saw it, they immediately knew who was the maker of this commotion.

Pirates of the Heaven Punishment City hated the members of the three big forces. Leona was the best executioner of the Dark Firmament Divine Nation. Of course, they would hate her the most.

Especially since the dark energy rippled this time differently somehow. It was stable as if Leona was at the critical moment of her subtle power comprehension.

If they could take this chance to attack Leona, she wouldn't be able to use all of her power. It was possible that they could kill her this time.

Everybody was excited, accelerating towards her location.

It was because of the darkness that they couldn't see their own fingers.

Leona was shrouded in the darkness that was more like black ink. A flow of terrifying dark energy was released, sweeping everywhere.

Shi Yan, Ka Tuo, and his brother couldn't see each other or Leona's figure. They were all shrouded in the absolute darkness.

However, they could feel that Leona's location very clearly. She was like a massive dark sun appearing in their Sea of Consciousness, which was emitting earth-shaking energy fluctuations.

Darkness expanded, reaching every direction. After a couple minute, the entire Heaven Punishment City, an area of tens of thousands of square miles, was covered by the dark!

The entire Heaven Punishment City was sunk into absolute darkness, darkness so black that people couldn't see their own fingers!

The warriors couldn't see each other. They could only use their souls to sense.

No matter what crystal or energy source was used, once a beam of light sparkled, the darkness would swallow it immediately. It seemed that dark power didn't want to let any beam of light appear.

"She... She's comprehending her Dark power Upanishad!" Ka Fu's voice trembled in the dark. "We are near her. Should something unexpected happen to us?"

Although they couldn't see each other, their verbal communication wasn't restrained. They could also use the Soul Consciousness to locate the others.

"What are you worried about?" Shi Yan snorted. "If she wanted to kill you, you would be dead now. Don't talk nonsense."

"I'm afraid that her power couldn't be controlled well, and while she's comprehending her power, she forgets about our existence. With her realm and power, as soon as she urges her energy, we will die immediately. I'm afraid that she would kill us accidentally." Ka Fu was anxious in the dark. His voice even trembled.

Leona was notorious, indeed. She was famous for her bloodthirsty instinct. Ka Fu was scared of her. Today, she was revealing her earth-shattering energy. Of course, this man got more frightened.

"No, she could control the dark power easily. At her realm, she wouldn't fall into such an unconscious condition." Although Ka Tuo wasn't so confident, he still tried to comfort his brother.

“Some experts are coming!” Shi Yan bawled.

Ka Tuo could also feel it. “Not only one! Oh, f\*ck! It seems like all the Original God Realm experts in the Heaven Punishment City are coming! We got big trouble this time!”

“What should we do?” Ka Fu wanted to cry. “She’s the regimental commander of the Dark Firmament Divine Nation, the top executioner. If Feng Ke knows we’re here with her, I’m afraid that we won’t be able to stay in the Heaven Punishment City anymore. If they accuse us of cooperating with the enemy, our career will be destroyed shortly!”

Ka Tuo was frowning. He stayed quiet as he couldn’t think of anything to calm his brother down.

“She’s learning the Dark Upanishad. We can’t say anything now... If someone disturbs her now, it will affect her progress in advancing her Upanishad,” said Shi Yan. Pondering, he continued, “We should... try our best to protect her. No matter what happens in the future, we’re on the same side. We should help each other.”

“Senior, I also want to help her. But the three of us aren’t a match for Barrette alone. People who are heading here are all the Original God Realm experts of the Heaven Punishment City. I think even the outsiders! How can we help her? You tell me!” Ka Tuo couldn’t help but yell.

Listening to him, Shi Yan fell into silence.

Yes, it’s true. How could they help her? How could they resist the incoming forces? Depend on them, the three King God Realm warriors?

He suddenly had a headache as he felt so helpless.

It was because of their low realm and insufficient energy. If he could have Leona’s competence, he could stay outside and resist the enemy to give her time. However, he was just a small warrior at the King God Realm. Facing so many Original God Realm experts, what could he do?

While the three of them had no solution, a hoarse voice arose in the dark room. “That damn girl knows I won’t just stand and stare. That’s why she dares act recklessly like that.”

The voice stopped. The only dark halo that wasn’t affected by the darkness appeared clearly, illuminating this chamber. Fei Lan didn’t stand in the dark anymore.

“Pre...Precursor!” Ka Tuo was shaken. He got emotional, kneeling down and pounding his head on the ground. “Thank you for caring about me those recent years. Ka Tuo will never forget your favors during the rest of my life!”

Fei Lan snorted. “You don’t need to thank me. I just did it because of the mark on your forehead. Otherwise, I wouldn’t have cared about your death or life.” Pausing for a while, she looked at Shi Yan. “You’re not bad. You didn’t ignore it but try your best to help when the dangers come.”

Shi Yan felt embarrassed. “My realm and powers are too low. Although I want to help, I can not do much. I was just talking. If they come, I will be their target soon.”

“It’s enough that you have this thought,” Fei Lan nodded, talking faintly. “You three are standing on the way. Your staying here will just distract the others. You should leave.”

A tender flow of energy bound the three of them, directly bringing them away from this house. They were thrown away in the dark, unknowing of their destination.

After they landed, they couldn't sense Leona's existence anymore, which meant that they were brought too far away from that area.

"Brother, it was her. It was really her!" Ka Tuo was still flooded with emotions. "She admitted it. She admitted that she has always taken care of me. She's saved me several times. For my whole life, I have never been taken care that way." He was so touched.

Because, for his whole life, he had always struggled near the Death. He had never had anyone treated him with care. Once he knew her, the gratitude overflowed, flooding his heart.

Shi Yan believed that after this encounter, no matter how strong Ka Tuo could become in the future, he would never forget Fei Lan's favor. Even if Fei Lan asked him to die, he probably wouldn't hesitate to fulfill her order.

Although this man was fiery and brutal, once he appreciated someone, he carved his gratitude to the heart. He would treasure that favor for the rest of his life.

"Yeah," Shi Yan replied, closing his eyes to release his Soul Consciousness. It was added to space power. He wanted to see the commotion inside the Heaven Punishment City where absolute darkness shrouded it.

He knew that a battle that could shake the entire Raging Flame Star Area would take place shortly. He was so excited, looking forward to it.

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#### **Chapter 846: The Giant Pale Hand**

The battle took place earlier than he had estimated!

As soon as his Soul Consciousness was released, he immediately felt a formidable energy fluctuation rocketing through the air from Leona's area.

An energy wave shook the mountain and cracked the ground. It was powerful as ten volcanoes erupting at the same time, bursting out grumblingly in the Heaven Punishment City. They could feel a terrible quake almost instantly.

A pale flame arose in the absolute darkness. It expanded over the entire city. Under that energy wave, all rules and principles of the mortal world seemed to be subdued.

The aura of this force could snatch away any creature's life. It shrouded the entire city, making every single warrior in the city fearful. They almost knelt down.

All warriors in the city, regardless of their realms, realized that they were facing a character in the Heaven Punishment City who could even discolor the earth and sky. That erosive aura wanted to destroy everything else.

Ka Tuo and Ka Fu paled. They knew the battle has begun. They were instinctively anxious.

"Senior... is that our precursor's power Upanishad?" Ka Tuo's voice slightly trembled. "It's frightening. That corroding power is very powerful. It seems like it could melt all kind of energy. My God. I have never thought the Heaven Punishment City has those with such incredible abilities."

Ka Fu was so scared that he couldn't talk. He finally understood why Shi Yan was so generous to her, asking him to give her ten thousand top-quality divine crystals.

When this thought popped up in his mind, he saw something dazzling floating up into the sky at Leona's shabby manor. He gawked, seeing what was happening.

They were the divine crystals he offered her himself!

The crystal clear divine crystals glowed gloriously like bright stars. They lined up, arranging neatly in the sky of the Heaven Punishment City and spinning continually. The energy inside the divine crystals was all taken. The ear-piercing whistle and hissing resounded from the crystals as their energy was stirred up, falling like rainfall.

The divine crystal stored thick earth and heaven energy. The quantity of energy in a crystal could be compared to the amount of Essence Qi in the body of a Third or a Second Sky of King God Realm warrior.

However, it was hard to release the energy inside the divine crystal at once, let alone use it to attack in a battle. Even the strong experts couldn't use the energy all at once. They had to absorb the energy little by little and blend it into their body.

Nobody knew that the divine crystal could be used this way. The divine crystals were triggered then arrayed into a natural, magical formation, creating an unpredictable movement of energy.

More than ten thousand divine crystals bigger than raindrops fell and turned in the sky like blazing white meteors. The dark energy didn't affect them. From time to time, the crystals collided with each other, sending radiant sparks into the air.

A divine crystal could provide the energy of a King God Realm warrior. When more than ten thousand pieces fell altogether, it was equal to more than ten thousand King God Realm warriors attacking at once with all of their best powers.

Shortly after, the explosions reverberated in the Heaven Punishment City densely. Most of them came from Leona's manor. It seemed like all the experts had been affected, and they were trying their best to resist.

Giant hands appeared in the void of the Heaven Punishment City, which looked more like the hand seal of the Death. It slowly pressed down, snatching over the silhouettes there.

Each hand was eccentrically pale and wielded corroding power. White mist hovered, sending shivers down people's spines and rising the hair on their nape. When the hands pressed down, the divine crystals exploded, contributing the energy into that giant pallid hand and strengthening the corroding power.

Rumble Rumble Rumble!

Just like a terrible earthquake, horrifying explosions echoed in an area of the Heaven Punishment City. The shockwaves expanded, turning houses into debris.

Not long after that, they could hear the miserable screams and whines in the loud explosions. It seemed like many people were subdued under those pale hands. They couldn't even move.

The noisy commotions of the Heaven Punishment City oddly quieted down all of a sudden.

No sound was made in the darkness. No one knew why the energy commotions in Leona's area halted.

It seemed like the Original God Realm warriors who came to this area had been pushed to the ground by the pale hands. Their powers were restrained so they couldn't use their powers Upanishad to counterattack. They could only try their best to resist the erosive power. Basically, they couldn't affect Leona.

After a while, screams and yells arose from another section of the Heaven Punishment City.

Dozens of thousands of warriors with different realms in the city had been alerted to the earth-shattering battle. Instinctively, they dashed in the dark and approached the area. They screamed and yelled to show the others their locations.

Contemplating for a while, Shi Yan said all of a sudden, "We should go there and check."

Ka Tuo nodded, agreed with him immediately. "Yes. We should go and see what's happening."

It was hard to observe the encounters between the Original God Realm warriors. As this battle gathered so many Original God Realm experts, it was a rare chance to watch a formidable battle scene. If they missed it, they would regret it for the rest of their life.

If they could watch the battle between the Original God Realm warriors to learn their techniques and the way they use their powers, it would benefit the low-realm warriors in comprehending their realm later. Perhaps, they could have a chance to break the restraint and enter the new realm.

This is the reason why even though they knew it was very dangerous, they wanted to still go and see.

They wanted to see the tremendous details of this battle. They wanted to see how the strong experts control their powers, and to which level the unimaginable intimidation of those experts had reached.

Shi Yan, Ka Tuo, Ka Fu and many other warriors congregated at that area through the darkness. That area had the brilliant divine crystals marked the location in the sky. This battlefield was obvious. They didn't need to worry about not finding it.

As they couldn't see each other, they could only release the Soul Consciousness to sense. Instantly, the Soul Consciousness created a mess in the Heaven Punishment City. Different power classes Soul Consciousness collided and scattered. Sometimes, they created a tremendous soul collision, leading to a soul attack.

The Heaven Punishment City had just been quiet for a moment but now it fell into an even louder bustle. Warriors living in the city often had a lot of enemies. Once they sensed the Soul Consciousness of the opponent, they would immediately attack in the dark.

Today, the Heaven Punishment City's warriors were fighting each other. The rule of fighting prohibited in the city was temporarily broken. Many people had seized the chance and killed the ones they didn't

like. More and more battles took place in the city. Screams, yells, grunts, hisses, whine, and bloodthirsty roared sounded at the same time.

Rumble Rumble Rumble!

A series of terrifying quakes sent out from the center of the battle. The earth-shattering shockwaves created the exaggerated scene of the day the earth explodes.

Rocks, big trees, and other miscellaneous debris were sent into the air with frightening energy. Many warriors, who just came, got hit before they could steady their body. Their God Body exploded instantly.

When their realms and energy weren't enough, taking risks and jumping into the center of the battle resulted in soul-shattering consequences.

On the way to the battle, Shi Yan found many corpses along his way, and he could even see the soul altar fleeing away from the Heaven Punishment City.

His eyes brightened.

The Blood Vein Ring's reminder echoed in his mind. The thought of devouring the soul altar appeared uncontrollably in his head and he couldn't ease it off.

Hesitating for a while, Shi Yan quietly detached from Ka Tuo and Ka Fu. He concealed his aura and hid in a corner. He triggered his soul altar, making the black hole section emerge. In this absolute darkness, the black hole wasn't really distinctive. Nobody could find it.

A soul altar flew out from its smashed God Body. It flashed then disappeared into the darkness, flying out of the Heaven Punishment City.

However, at this moment, Shi Yan's Soul Consciousness had locked it. His mind flickered and the black hole in his soul altar immediately released a powerful suction force.

The flying soul altar was stopped and bound by an invisible rope. It was pulled toward Shi Yan's black hole.

Souls couldn't scream or yell. They could only send the soul thought. However, under the suction force created by the black hole in Shi Yan's soul altar, that person couldn't even generate a thought. While no one was watching, that soul altar was devoured.

A cool, refreshed feeling flooded his Sea of Consciousness and the soul altar. The blood mark on his God Soul glowed brilliantly as if it had just received a marvelous supplement.

At the same time, the Essence Qi from many God Bodies of the dead warriors flew out. However, it didn't disperse. It streamed into Shi Yan's acupuncture points, making the vortexes inside spinning crazily.

In this darkness, the Heaven Punishment City didn't have only the battle at Leona's manor. Warriors were fighting against each other in small alleys of the city. Whenever they sensed their enemy's Soul Consciousness, they would attack immediately. People continued to die.



Warriors staying in the Heaven Punishment City had at least the True God Realm cultivation base while the King God Realm warriors made up a large portion of the city's population. When Shi Yan spotted a dead warrior, he was like the ferocious beast inhaling the fresh scent of blood. He would sneakily use the black hole in his soul altar to wolf down the other's soul altar. At the same time, his acupuncture points would take in the Essence Qi of the dead.

When he targeted a killed warrior, he would absorb the energy of the dead body and soul before they scattered.

The Heaven Punishment City was now unbearably chaotic. Warriors died unceasingly. At this moment, Shi Yan was the one receiving the greatest benefit. He wandered around the city like a savage beast devouring the Essence Qi and soul energy of the dead experts.

He didn't spend any bit of his energy or join any battle, but he became the person to continue to gain. He kept walking and absorbing energy.

Gradually, his acupuncture points enlarged. The negative energy was torrentially surging in his acupuncture points. The vortexes were revolving to filter and refine the energy. Each of his acupuncture points was shaking, sending unstable ripples.

Some strange but marvelous change had quietly happened while he didn't notice.

#### Chapter 847: A Bloody Grand Banquet

Shi Yan's acupuncture points swelled while the vortexes inside him spun crazily, generating abundant negative moods.

He entered the Third Sky of Rampage uncontrollably. The Dead Upanishad was released, creating the God Domain. The thick blood sea appeared outside his God Domain.

The Blood Soul Sea, the magic power of the Dead Upanishad!

Shi Yan wore a cold face, walking slowly in silence.

On his way, any warriors standing near his God Domain became perplexed. Then, they acted as if they were under a deadly spell. They had lost their prior thoughts. Now, only the simple desire of slaughtering was in their minds.

Warriors inside the Dead Upanishad's Blood Soul Sea had negative moods flooding their Sea of Consciousness. Their soul altars shook anxiously while their minds were controlled.

Shortly after, those warriors started to kill each other, whether they were friend or enemy. They all fell into bedevilment. Only the thought of killing remained in their minds. They wanted to destroy everything, killing every creature.

The massacre became fiercer because of Shi Yan. With his divine ability called the Blood Soul Sea, the battle became bloodier!

Shi Yan was numb as though he had no emotion at all. He looked like he was enjoying this bloody grand banquet.

Sauntering forward, Shi Yan didn't attack anyone or have any strange movement. His God Domain was instinctively released. The negative moods were like invisible robes tying down everybody come near him.

The crowd of warriors near him became dull and perplexed, seeing that they just acted by their most basic fighting instinct.

Naturally, more warriors fell. Under the Blood Soul Sea, they had lost their minds, slaughtering each other until one died.

When a soul altar escaped the God Body, Shi Yan would release his soul altar with the black hole to engulf it.

Shortly after, five soul altars disappeared into the black hole in Shi Yan's soul altar. His eyes became as red as blood.

Whenever a warrior died, the warrior's Essence Qi, which hadn't scattered into earth and heaven yet, would be absorbed into Shi Yan's acupuncture points.

Gradually, his acupuncture points felt more painful. He was shaking.

Trying to press down the annoyance in his God Body, Shi Yan still moved forward, wandering around the area where there were more battles. He was using a method which made him undetectable. His God Domain was getting more soul altars as more people dead.

The God Domain of the Dead Upanishad had the Soul Burial Ground on the outside, which could absorb the soul aura of living people. Shi Yan's vigorous God Body stayed inside. When the energy rolled into his body, his mind became calm and lucid. He didn't need to worry about falling into bedevilment.

And he walked like that around the Heaven Punishment City. Wherever he passed by, the battles became wilder and fiercer.

This situation was too good for his development.

While Leona comprehended the Dark Upanishad to use the absolute darkness to shroud the entire Heaven Punishment City, Fei Lan was battling many experts on the other side. They drew away most of the attention. That was why nobody had noticed Shi Yan's stealthy and lethal deeds. Since Fei Lan was too intimidating, no one paid attention to Shi Yan.

He could wreak as much havoc as he pleased.

The battles continued. Eventually, however, they started to calm down.

On Fei Lan's side, the Original God Realm experts had to bear the loss. As they now knew it was hard to break that tough defense to attack Leona, they gradually ceased their attacks.

At the moment, it seemed like Leona had passed the critical point of her fusion with the Heart of Darkness and understanding the Dark power Upanishad. She was able to control the situation now.

The absolute darkness that had shrouded the Heaven Punishment City was expanding, covering the whole Land of God Punishment.

When her progress came to the last phase, she could control that dark power, shrinking the darkness coverage towards her location.

After a while, a light appeared near the edge of the Heaven Punishment City. The light that was confined shined one last time.

Seeing this sign, people understood that Leona's comprehending progress was about to be complete.

After a while, an unknown soul energy fluctuation shot out furiously from Leona's location.

After a second, all the dark powers seemed to find the drain port, overflowing massively into Leona's area. Then, the space above that location twisted and the manor collapsed into the ground. Instantaneously, Leona's aura disappeared into thin air.

The absolute darkness that had covered the Heaven Punishment City for two hours vanished.

Light appeared again over the Heaven Punishment City.

At Leona's area, people were sitting on the ground. They looked distressed and pale. Many bodies were scattered around.

The ones who were still alive were the most intimidating existences of the Heaven Punishment City, which included Feng Ke, Russell, Jie Nong, Jester, and Barrette. Surprisingly, Carthew, Li Yue Feng, Ao Gu Duo, and Bi Tian were also in this group. However, their situation was really terrible. Ao Gu Duo, Carthew, Bi Tian and Li Yue Feng had obviously been through fierce battles. They had blood all over their body.

Feng Ke, Russell, Jie Nong, Barrette, and Jester were the local Original God Realm of the Heaven Punishment City, but their situation wasn't so good. They had to catch their breaths, their faces tired.

Ten miles away from them stood Ao Gera, Zi Yao, and Feng Rao, the juniors with lower realms. They stood on the ruins of the houses, looking at that area with fright.

The earth-shaking battle seemed to have settled. However, no one knew what happened in that battle or how fierce it was except for the ones who had joined it.

Zi Yao, Ao Gera, and Feng Rao were the first ones to arrive in this area. They could feel the energy impacts but they didn't know who was battling whom.

Due to the darkness shrouding, they could only use the Soul Consciousness to sense. However, the King God Realm Soul Consciousness would be affected, resulted in the damage to the soul. Thus, no one dared to take risks to go nearer.

Those who were at the Original God Realm gathered outside of Leona's stone room. They all participated in this battle. However, none of them showed the happiness of a victory. They seemed to be damaged, standing or sitting with a grimace. No one knew what they were thinking.

Leona's garden wasn't large. It was around ten mu of land. At this moment, an abyss that they couldn't see the bottom appeared in the garden, giving people a wicked and strange feeling.

Around one hundred houses were crushed into nothingness. Dust hovered in the air that hadn't settled yet. At first glance, this area seemed to be ground. Everything was destroyed.

The Original God Realm experts stayed in ruins, looking at each other with hostility, saying nothing.

Standing outside the scene, Zi Yao, Feng Rao, Feng Xiao, Ao Gera, Yalan, and Tie Mu gawked in fear.

Several thousand warriors of the Heaven Punishment City gathered around the area of the Original God Realm experts, but no one dared to approach. They stood there, looking anxiously.

The eroding energy that had scared the entire Heaven Punishment City had disappeared. In the void, the exhausted fist-sized divine crystals turned white-gray. They were still floating and hadn't fallen down yet.

Those crystals had created a vague net with a thick mesh, enveloping ten miles. All the Original God Realm experts were standing inside the coverage of that stone net.

From ten miles outside, several thousand onlookers weren't included in the coverage of the big net. The hermit who had created the net seemed to aim at only the Original God Realm experts. Warriors who didn't cross the line wouldn't be affected.

However, the ones who dared to jump in all died, except for those at the Original God Realm.

Hundreds of corpses from different forces were the harsh evidence for this theory.

Everybody kept silent. Whether they were the experts at the Original God Realm or the onlookers at the King God Realm, they all had grimaced at the shattered aftermath of the battle. They felt bitter, their eyes worried.

No one knew whether that hermit had left or not.

Thus, since they couldn't see or sense that hermit's aura, none of them dared to act rashly.

Feng Ke, Li Yue Feng, and Ao Gu Duo didn't dare to jump into that deep abyss to find Leona, even though they were intimidating experts at the Original God Realm.

As Zi Yao, Feng Rao, Feng Xiao, and the others had only the King God Realm cultivation base, they didn't dare to intrude the ten-mile area to ask for their precursors or family members' situation. They just watched from a distance, waiting for something.

"He... must have left already, right?" Feng Ke sat on a pile of crushed stone. He talked uncertainly after a while.

Russell, Jie Nong, and Barrette sat near him. They just beamed a forced smile and answered nothing.

"We... were treated differently. He didn't consider us his enemies. He just didn't want us to come near," Feng Ke contemplated for seconds then said, "We can confirm that he's a member of the Heaven Punishment City. As long as we, the local warriors, stay honest, he won't touch us." Pausing for a while,

he continued, "Those who wanted to take advantages of the situation, of course, didn't receive a decent ending..."

While he was talking, he raked through the bodies scattering around, frowning.

"It's my luck that I survived this time as well," Barrette sighed, shaking his head. "Too powerful. Today, I finally know that we're too weak compared to the real experts."

While they were talking, Ao Gu Duo, Carthew, Li Yue Feng from the Li family, and Bi Tian from the Underworld League on the other side were looking at each other, furrowing their brows. They were trying to restore their aura while pondering.

Fei Lan didn't show mercy when attacking them. They were all wounded; their condition wasn't good.

"Look! Over there! Over there!" Suddenly, the noise arose from the onlookers outside.

More warriors turned around to look behind their back.

"Ah!" Feng Rao and Zi Yao turned around to look. They were shaken immediately with fear.

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#### **Chapter 848: I'm Sorry, I Will Choose Him.**

People stared at the place where the battles were the most fierce.

Dozens of King God Realm warriors attacked each other as though they were all crazy, not knowing whether the opponent was from their side or not. They seemed to not feel pain as well.

A thick blood colored mist and sea of blood released brutal and wicked energy fluctuations. It seemed that the red hue could affect people's soul altar at once. Just at first glance, their souls looked like they were sinking deep into it.

Only a lucid man was floating in the middle of the blood sea.

It was Shi Yan.

Wicked energy flooded the blood sea. Shi Yan hovered with a cold face and garnet eyes. He just watched the battles idly as if he didn't know that he was the one who had initiated this.

Inside the blood sea, blood splashed everywhere. Parts of human bodies were scattered on the ground, which belonged to those who had battled to the death.

Looking further, they found more withered corpses on the road. They seemed to be bled to death. Someone counted almost one hundred corpses on the street!

Blood mist hovered and wound around. The eccentric, evil aura slowly arose. Looking at the blood mist and the blood sea, the warriors couldn't help but feel very anxious and uneasy as if they had to jump in there and fight as well.

The onlookers were frightened, seeing the young man with his bizarre and wicked energy fluctuation. A chill went down their spines.

So odd and cunning!

After all, what kind of power could make people act crazily like that? They didn't recognize their comrades who had been fighting with them for so many years. They were all battling fiercely until someone died.

"What is going on?"

"That man is the boy who has defeated Black Horn. He has competed with Barrette for Young Lady Feng Rao."

"Ah, it's him again? But why does he look so evil right now? Look! Many people are dying on the street. Did he kill them all?"

"Who knows? But I'm sure this kid isn't ordinary. At the Second Sky of King God Realm, he was able to create this bizarre situation, which is enough to prove that his power Upanishad is one of the most mysterious and wicked powers!"

"We shouldn't mess with this kid anyway. Oh sh\*t, he's a real slaughtering machine!"

"Right, we should stay away from him. Or else, I'm sure we will be involved in something terrible."

". . ."

Everybody discussed boisterously. They temporarily forgot that the Original God Realm experts were sitting behind them to adjust their condition in silence. Now, they kept their eyes on Shi Yan.

"Little sister!" Feng Xiao was bewildered for a while. Suddenly, he became stiff and serious. He cried out, "Our people are being attacked and killed!"

Feng Rao discolored. She cleared her mind, taking in a cold breath before flying out and heading towards Shi Yan. As soon as she was about to reach him, she shouted, "Stop it!"

Zi Yao's bright eyes got colder looking at the woman. She couldn't help but snort as she disliked her.

This was the first time Zi Yao saw Feng Rao. Studying the woman, she felt more annoyed.

Feng Rao's evil charm and her care for Shi Yan made Zi Yao instinctively upset. She couldn't explain why she felt irritated. She just thought that she should be the one who tried to stop him, not Feng Rao.

However, she didn't dare expose herself. She was a princess of the Dark Firmament Divine Nation, the enemy of the Heaven Punishment City. She also didn't have the Original God Realm cultivation base. If people spotted her, it would be hard to escape.

"Stop it! Quickly!" Feng Rao shouted hastily.

Hearing her frightened shout, Shi Yan's blood eyes flashed. He took a deep breath as if he had been awakened from a strange realm.

After fifteen minutes, the God Domain he had released was retrieved. The blood mist wound around the sky disappeared as if it was sucked into a space slit.

His garnet eyes gradually resumed their normal color. However, the bloody aura on his body was still terrifying and intimidating.

Bloody Slaughterer Ka Tuo and Ka Fu stood in the crowd, looking at him from a far distance, their visage baffled.

They had come with Shi Yan originally. However, they lost him along the way.

Staying in the darkness and a chaotic place of disorderly Soul Consciousness, they couldn't find Shi Yan. As most of the warriors were heading toward Leona's location, they thought that they would meet him there.

They didn't expect that after being separated briefly, Shi Yan would change so much. He surprised and frightened the crowd of the warriors in the Heaven Punishment City.

"I need to go for a while," Shi Yan suddenly extended one arm. An unknown flow of murderous aura congregated in his palm. An invisible force snatched Feng Rao's soft body, preventing her from approaching him. "I'll be back shortly. If you want to depart the expedition to explore the star map, just go. You don't need to wait for me."

Shi Yan didn't wait for Feng Rao to respond. He faced the sky and screamed. The void echoed a whistle just like a sharp sword tearing the sky.

A dazzling space slit appeared above his head. He immediately flew into the crack, not waiting for the others to react. He disappeared in a blink.

Feng Rao hurried to come to him but a barrier had stopped her. She could only see him leaving, unable to do anything else.

That space slit just flashed then closed. That area was flat, having no streaks of being torn once.

As soon as Shi Yan disappeared strangely, the negative energy had gone altogether. Those insane warriors gradually resumed their clear minds. They stopped fighting.

"Dude! My brother! Why are you dead?!?"

"Brother!"

"Damn! What's happened?"

"What happened? Why did we fight with each other? How come?"

"Who? Who did it? You will be our enemies forever!"

". . ."

After the warriors regained control of themselves, they looked around and found that their death-or-life opponent were their friends and brothers who they shared many memories with.

They burst out angrily, shouting and cursing. They were so enraged that they wanted to find the person who caused all these things to take revenge and make him pay a big bloody price for what he'd done.

Too bad, Shi Yan had left a long time ago. They couldn't find him.

"Young Lady, our master does have sharp eyes. I couldn't understand him, but now I got it. I'm totally convinced." Allard put on a strangely solemn visage, speaking.

The devil deeds Shi Yan had performed today was much more dazzling than his battle against Black Horn. Many King God Realm warriors were dead under the effects of his powers. Many warriors had gone insane, killing each other.

And Shi Yan acted unnaturally calm, floating in the bloody mist. He looked like a Judge of Hell casually looking at the scene that scared people out of their wits.

Allard was now convinced and admired him. He suddenly said with emotions. "If you marry this man, he will be a great support to our master's hegemony. My Young Lady, this man won't be a frog in the pond. Sooner or later, he will become the hottest star in the Raging Flame Star Area."

The beautiful eyes of Bi Rou showed that she was stunned. She looked in the direction Shi Yan had disappeared, her mind in disorder.

She still remembered when she first met Shi Yan...

On the Sixth Herbal Star of the Underworld League, Shi Yan was just a human body cauldron at that time that Nita had been using. She hadn't put him in her eyes. They just wanted to use his abundant Blood Qi to produce medicines and break through to the Second Sky of King God Realm.

That year, Shi Yan was just a small character not worth mentioning. At that time, he hadn't been eligible to talk to her.

However, it has not been a long time...

Not more than ten years later, that small character had entered the Second Sky of King God Realm from his Second Sky of True God Realm. They were at the same realm but his real competence had surpassed hers!

After this short period, that small character had thrived intimidatingly at a speed they couldn't imagine. To recruit this man, her father wanted to sacrifice her life's happiness. She couldn't understand why. She bore a grudge against her father for his ruthless and heartless deed. She hated her father because he had cruelly interfered with her life.

However, seeing the cold man floating in the middle of the blood mist, she didn't know why her heart suddenly shivered. The lake in her heart rippled marvelously as if someone had thrown a rock in it.

She understood that no matter what her future would be, that scene would always be engraved in her heart. A cold and unfeeling man could always catch the eyes of women in the Raging Flame Star Area, and she wasn't an exception.

"Your Highness, if you can't recruit him one more time, you have to destroy him at any cost," said Ao Gera in a low tone while stooping down so nobody could see his real emotions.

Zi Yao's body shivered. Her beautiful eyes were misty.

"Ao Gera's correct. Carthew suddenly stormed out. He was the first one leaving that area. He seemed to not be afraid of the hermit in the dark.



Carthew's visage was grim. "He's too dangerous. He's much more excellent than His Majesty when he was young. If he marries Feng Rao, the Heaven Punishment City will become the fourth strong force of the Raging Flame Star Area. It will threaten the overlord position of the divine nation."

"Sir, but Shi Yan..." Yalan opened her mouth as if she wanted to say something.

"If he works for the divine nation, it will benefit our fortune. If he becomes our enemy, it will be a big disaster," Carthew sobbed, talking with emotions.

Zi Yao's beautiful eyes sparkled with a dim light. Looking at the place where Shi Yan had disappeared, her heart was beating hard. However, she kept quiet.

"Your Highness..." Ao Gera lifted his head, his eyes sharp.

Zi Yao's soft body shook. She turned around to look at him. With an ice-like visage, she said deliberately, "If I could choose only one between you and Shi Yan, I'm sorry. I would choose him."

Ao Gera looked like he was struck. He paled, clutching his heart. He then said with a miserable smile. "So, that's it. I'm a fool! I'm a f\*cking fool!"

"If you haven't attacked him and if you haven't joined the other to attack me, I wouldn't have said that. What did my brother Du Jia promise you that resulted in you giving him my information? Why did you end up waiting by my side?" Zi Yao suddenly became strong. She didn't hide her disgust anymore, speaking coldly, "Compared to you, he may be callous and wicked, but at least he wouldn't have acted so stealthily to manipulate me. He wouldn't have many faces like you, and he wouldn't change his face behind my back."

"Good! Good talk!" Ao Gera smiled miserably. "Turns out I'm such a person in your heart. I finally wake up today. My Uncle is right. In the eyes of the sort of woman like you, it is only about benefits and values. Every man has clear value in your eyes. Today, his value is greater than mine. He has surpassed me. That's why you chose him, right?"

"It's your business no matter how you think about that," Zi Yao sighed, waving her hand as she felt so heavy inwardly. "You should go. My Glorious Amethyst Star isn't a good place for you. I hope you can have a better world staying with Sir Ao Gu Duo."

"Alright! I also want to see if Shi Yan ends up giving you all that you want in the end. We should clean our eyes and see!" Ao Gera nodded. He turned around and left resolutely.

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### **Chapter 849: Burn Your Hand, Feel the Heat**

"Uncle Carthew, how did you dare to get out?" Zi Yao quietly saw Ao Gera leaving. She knew that from now on, this man would walk the same way with Ao Gu Duo. He might become her biggest obstacle in the future.

She didn't know why she felt relief as if she had finally thrown away the weight on her shoulder. She was so happy she couldn't say why.

Ao Gera had been with her for many years. For her, he had gone against Ao Gu Duo's calls. He had helped her manage the Glorious Amethyst Star well.

However, she understood that ambitious Ao Gera also had many wild schemes working for her.

Because he liked her and he wanted to have her, Ao Gera could give up everything to work for her. However, since she knew he had done many dark schemes behind her back, and she finally got to know his real character, she couldn't feel comfortable facing him anymore.

As Ao Gera had reminded her today of dealing with Shi Yan and killing him, he had eventually enraged her. Thus, she didn't hesitate to retort.

"I dared get out of there because I know that person wouldn't harm me." Carthew beamed a faint smile, his look strange. "That hermit wants to protect Leona. Although I don't know why I can understand him."

Pausing for a while, Carthew lowered his voice. "Those Original God Realm experts who came here, all had the thought of killing Leona. It's obviously to Feng Ke, Russell, Jie Nong, and Barrette of the Heaven Punishment. Anyway, Bi Tian, Li Yue Feng, and even Ao Gu Duo wanted to kill Leona."

Zi Yao's face changed as she nodded silently. "This is also why I want to make the limit with Ao Gera. Ao Gu Duo's an overlord of a force of the divine nation. However, he got the bad scheme of ambushing Madame Leona while she was advancing her divine nation, which goes against the interest of the divine nation. Since they have a close relation, he and Ao Gera will stand on the same side at the critical moment. They... seems to have some other plot."

"It's true that Ao Gu Duo wants Leona to die. He didn't want her to advance her power Upanishad. In the recent battle, he was attacked the most. Hence, he got the most serious wounds." Carthew sneered, his face strange. "And me, among many people in that garden, is the only one that didn't want Leona to get hurt. I wanted to protect her. Maybe that hermit got my intention. He didn't attack me from the beginning to the end. In that crowd of Original God Realm experts, I'm the only one who wasn't affected."

Listening to him, Zi Yao's eyes brightened, yelling lightly. "You're saying that... Is the person protected Madame Leona a precursor of our divine nation?"

"No way," Carthew beamed a forced smile. "Your Highness, you're overthinking. If he had worked for the divine nation, Feng Ke and Russell wouldn't have been at ease like that in the Heaven Punishment. I can say that he has some relationship with Madame Leona, and nothing related to the divine nation."

"Oh," Zi Yao nodded, looking at the further area. "Seems we don't need to worry about being disclosed."

"Yeah, many hotshots are gathering in the Heaven Punishment. Bi Tian, Li Yue Feng, and Ao Gu Duo are all at the Second Sky of Original God Realm. With Feng Ke's forces, he couldn't control the whole situation. And, as we have a hermit staying in the dark to guard the place, no one would dare to ignite the war again," Carthew smiled then added, "It's good that you have a clear line with Ao Gera. Perhaps that kid won't have doubts anymore. With your talent and appearance, it shouldn't be a hard task to recruit that kid one more time. Right?"

Carthew smiled and said nothing else. Zi Yao's face blushed. She cursed under her breath then bit her lower lip. "It's good that he's alright."

Carthew just smiled, didn't talk more.

"Uncle," Ao Gera walked alone in piles of debris. He stopped by Ao Gu Duo and said, "Princess Zi Yao and I broke up."

Ao Gu Duo had so many wounds on his legs, his face pale. Listening to his nephew, evil light sparkled in his eyes. "What happened?"

Ao Gera squeezed a smile, sighing. "She's chosen Shi Yan."

Ao Gu Duo snorted. "Women. Especially the ones born in the royal family, they have only interest in their eyes. They don't have true loves. Seems you just wasted your time for nothing."

"I woke up. I won't put her in my heart anymore," nodded Ao Gera.

"Yeah, it's good then. Having no knot in the heart, you can increase your power easier. With your natural endowment, you will surpass everyone else in the divine nation. Until that day, that woman won't escape your hand. However, it will come with the premise that you are powerful enough!" said Ao Gu Duo in a low tone. ,

"I got it. I will wholeheartedly follow powers. Just like you, I will seek the breakthrough to the acme of the martial path," Ao Gu Duo said solemnly.

"We should go," Ao Gu Duo slowly got up. Looking at the abyss in the middle of ruins, he turned around shortly, leaving with Ao Gera without any hesitation.

Bi Tian and Li Yue Feng of the Nine Star Chamber of Commerce exchanged looks. Then they got up, leaving without saying anything.

Bi Rou, Allard, and the warriors of the Nine Star Chamber of Commerce gathered from different directions, following the two Second Sky of Original God Realm experts. They disappeared shortly.

Feng Ke's group just stared at them leaving. They didn't stop the others. However, their face was solemn and heavy.

No matter it was Ao Gu Duo, Bi Tian, or Li Yue Feng, they were all at the Second Sky of Original God Realm, their real competence should be stronger than Feng Ke's. At this moment, the Heaven Punishment wasn't controlled by the four leaders anymore. If those three didn't want to quarrel with Feng Ke, he would want to burn some incense sticks already. Of course, Feng Ke's group didn't dare to act rashly.

Those warriors, who shouldn't appear in the Heaven Punishment, left arrogantly. Along their way, many pirates were scared, making way for them proactively as if they were afraid that they would welcome trouble to their life.

No one dared to explore that dark abyss. Although they knew it's possible that Leona was still in that chasm, they decided to not to mind it. They acted as if nothing had happened. People detached, leaving quietly.

The protector in the dark was too scary. It's obvious that he wanted to protect Leona. Unless they were confident of their realm, if they provoked the other, they couldn't bear the consequences.

"Why did you guys scream just previously?" On the way back, Bi Tian turned around, asking Bi Rou and Allard with a little surprise.

Allard was shaken. He hastened to lively narrate what he had witnessed. His face was full of excitement and respect. "Commander, you have such a bright vision! That kid has an imposing potential. Now, I'm convinced that if he marries our Lady Bi Rou, it will be a big assistance to your hegemony."

Listening to Allard, Bi Tian's eyes brightened, but then, he sighed. "Young hero."

Bi Rou bit her lower lip, her face pale strangely. She didn't say anything so they didn't know what she was thinking.

"Little Rou, what do you think?" asked Bi Tian all of a sudden.

"What?" Bi Rou was bewildered, lifted her head anxiously. "I didn't hear you clearly."

"What do you think about that kid?" Bi Tian smiled, repeating his question.

"He's... a little bit excellent..." Bi Rou mumbled her answer, her beautiful eyes bright. "More dangerous than anyone I've met. I'd wronged him. If I had known he could have such performance, I would have kept him at any cost."

"Including getting married to him?" Bi Tian chuckled, teasing his daughter.

"Father! Don't tease me! You're annoying!" Bi Rou stooped shyly. She seemed to be touched, didn't resist furiously anymore.

Women in the Raging Flame Star Area would enthrone the strong. Wild and stubborn young hotshots would attract their eyes better. Bi Rou wasn't an exception. Shi Yan's performance made her see him in a new aspect. The annoyance she got about him seemed to be smashed down.

The lake in her heart now had a hunky figure, who was playing the strings of her heart, making her uneasy.

"Alright, I'll be on this. When we see him again, I will force him to marry you!" Bi Tian laughed as his mood wasn't bad.

"Nasty," Bi Rou screamed in a low tone. Apparently, she didn't oppose this opinion.

"Father, what happened?" Feng Rao and Feng Xiao walked behind Feng Ke, couldn't help but ask.

"We were trying to kill Leona. We thought that the experts of the three forces would disturb us. We didn't expect that all had the same purpose. Then, we joined hands to fight. What a pity the hermit had dissolved our attacks. He even hurt us!" Feng Ke took a deep breath, his face strange. "I didn't know that the three forces have an internal problem like that. They seized the chance when darkness fell on the Heaven Punishment to attack Leona. Ao Gu Duo of the Dark Firmament Divine Nation also did that. Haha, I used to worry that our business couldn't be alright when so many warriors came like that. But now I feel more secure."

At the moment, the Heaven Punishment had three forces, including the Nine Star Chamber of Commerce, the Dark Firmament Divine Nation, and the Underworld League. However, none of them was strong enough to resist the local forces of the Heaven Punishment.

If they joined hands, Feng Ke couldn't keep the star map, let alone carrying the expedition.

However, after this battle, Feng Ke realized that the three big forces didn't like each other. They would never unite. They were different from Feng Ke, Russell, Jie Nong, and Barrette. At the critical moment when the latter had to face the three forces, they would unite without any barrier of grudges.

Moreover, the hermitic expert of the Heaven Punishment was on their side, apparently. Thus, Feng Ke was confident that he could engage in the war with the three forces.

"Shi Yan appeared, and he created a big commotion..." Feng Xiao intervened, narrating what he had seen, his face grim. "Father, Shi Yan's absolutely a dangerous person. He's a two-bladed sword. If we can use him, he will be a tremendous support. But if we make a mistake... I'm afraid the damage would be doubled."

Feng Ke listened to his son seriously, his face became solemn. "That kid isn't easy to deal with. I'm so surprised he could be so powerful. Little Rao, what do you think?"

"As long as I'm here, he won't consider us enemies. Father, if we can find the new star area and give him a star life, I think he will appreciate us, and it will make him on our side honestly," said Feng Rao solemnly.

"I won't be stingy. Don't worry. He has proven himself. Who in the Heaven Punishment or even in the Raging Flame Star Area dares to look down on him?" Feng Ke said with a stern face. "His name will be spread over the Raging Flame Star Area. No one would dare underestimate him. I know what to do."

"Thank you, father," smiled Feng Rao.

"He disappeared. We don't know when he will show himself again. This kid is truly mysterious," sighed Feng Ke.

"He will reappear. I think, when he shows himself, it will be a big surprise. Perhaps... he will be even stronger!" Feng Rao mumbled to herself. Her beautiful eyes were filled with tender affections.

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### **Chapter 850: Blood Formation!**

Shi Yan didn't hide too far away.

He was floating in the vast starry sky outside the Land of God Punishment. He was still, not moving a finger. However, bloody murderous Qi was still hovering around his body. Negative moods were moving disorderly in his soul altar, surging his Sea of Consciousness.

Starlight from the immense starry sea and from the unknown, further areas came and congregated in his body. Besides the thick murderous Qi, he also felt cool, which helped him relax.

It contained the energy of the stars in outer space.

The nebular inside the vortex at his lower abdomen slowly moved. The star floating amidst the nebula became more dazzling, releasing a strong suction force that was continually pulling and absorbing starlight.

Starlight sprayed like rain, gathering at the vortex in his lower abdomen before rolling massively into that star. Shi Yan felt the effects of the negative moods get reduced.

The vortexes in seven hundred and twenty acupuncture points were revolving and refining the Essence Qi massively. During this process, his acupuncture points were enlarged and swollen, giving him annoying pains. After the black hole in his soul altar had taken in the soul energy, it was carrying out the same refining process. Shi Yan's God Soul couldn't calm down even for a moment.

At this moment, his situation wasn't good.

After an unknown time, the thick murderous Qi in his body diluted and faded away. The evil moods that nibbled at his soul stopped. Then, he used the God Soul to discharge them from his heart.

Gradually, the mysterious energy started to ooze out from his acupuncture points, flowing towards his God Soul. Shi Yan then guided it toward the Essence Qi ancient tree to refill the energy he had consumed.

Fishing in troubled water in the Heaven Punishment City gave him great benefits. Twenty-three King God Realm warriors were dead by furious fights under his deadly influence.

He had discreetly absorbed the Essence Qi of those dead warriors. It was so thick and abundant he had never had before.

He understood that he needed time for the refining process and that he couldn't be safe waiting in the Heaven Punishment City for a long time. Thus, he used space power to leave instantly to the vast starry sea outside the Land of God Punishment. In there, he wouldn't be disturbed while calming down the seething changes in his body.

Shortly after, more and more mysterious energy gushed out from his acupuncture points. They murmured like invisible streams through his veins.

The mysterious energy started to restore his flesh body miraculously. Shi Yan's Immortal Martial Spirit started to create the Immortal Demon Blood with the supply of the mysterious energy.

A large amount of mysterious energy seeped into his God Body. His body started to swell like a gas balloon. At this moment, his entire body had turned blood-red, which looked scary and ferocious at the same time.

The mysterious energy moved quickly in his veins. It was then condensed by the Immortal Martial Spirit. A drop of Immortal Demon Blood full of vigorous energy was produced, hiding deep inside his flesh body.

Closing his eyes, Shi Yan didn't think much and just tried to maintain this condition. His God Soul was crystal clear, free of any impurities. His God Body was instinctively producing Immortal Demon Blood.

After A While.

Slowly, no more mysterious oozed out from his acupuncture points. At this moment, Shi Yan looked like he had just woken up, opening his eyes.

His Soul Consciousness started to check his body. He found that his body had produced several hundred drops of Immortal Demon Blood!

This time, the quantity of Immortal Demon Blood produced was much more than any previous time!

His thought flickers as he tried to put the drops of Immortal Demon Blood into the veins to replace his own blood.

Crack Crack Crack!

Clear cracking sounds echoed in his body like thunder or much more like dashing drum beats.

With the cracking sounds in his bones, his garments suddenly exploded, turning into dust and scattering. His blood-red naked body was exposed together with his refined intimidating. Each muscle of his seemed to be brimming with the earth-shattering energy. They were enlarging, triggering more energy.

His blood veins became tremendously tenacious and his bones were like the toughest metal that would never be broken by even divine weapons.

Vigorous energy rolled torrentially in his internal organs. The Blood Qi was so thick and dense it made him shiver. It seemed that he now had an infinite source of power that he could use or simply waste.

The Immortal Demon Blood flooded his veins. At this moment, Shi Yan couldn't control his body but enter the Third Sky of Rampage. His eyes became bloodshot. The brutal, violent thoughts immersed in his mind. He suddenly wanted to kill all kinds of creatures.

It seemed like the meaning of his existence was to destroy. He came to end every creature, taking away their life prestige.

This frightful thought appeared like a seal in his head, like a cruel whisperer in his ear, making him slaughter without thinking. It felt like when he killed something, he gained the marvelous happiness.

It was like bedevilment.

Thump Thump Thump Thump Thump Thump!

His heart beat strongly and vigorously. The vibration gradually expanded to his whole body. He started to shake. The blood-red mist hovered around his body while the thoughts of slaughtering creatures multiplied in his head.

The negative moods he had struggled to stop had burst out ten times greater as if they wanted to devour his mind at once.

He was scared, petrified because of the vehement killing desire. He didn't want to lose his mind and become a monster that only wanted to kill.

Taking a deep breath, he lifted his head to look at the sky. Starlight sparkled brilliantly in his eyes. He had to make his mind lucid. Then, he used the God Soul to control the nebula in the vortex in his lower abdomen to take in more star energy.

Star energy fell like a dense sprinkle, covering his God Body. The starlight was bright and cool. It was like an invisible hand stroking and calming down the devil's thoughts and negative emotions, preventing him from falling into bedevilment or losing his mind forever.

He suddenly understood that he had absorbed too much Essence Qi from the dead this time. It was over his endurance. That was why he couldn't keep his mind as clear as he used to do.

The cool star energy circulated in his body while Shi Yan thought about the trajectory of the nebula in his lower abdomen and the change of the galaxy his God Soul could feel, trying to match them.

All of a sudden, Shi Yan and countless stars in outer space had a vague connection. The starlight zoomed over his eyes, turning into the meteors shootings toward his God Body.

The God Soul was shaken. The soul altar revolved fast while the Star power fluctuation in the soul altar's tier of power Upanishad became mysterious and hard to detect. His chaotic consciousness was suppressed, becoming quiet.

Deep inside his eyes was where the starlight sparkled. In his body, the nebula in the vortex in his lower abdomen became dazzling. Numerous star dots started to form a connection with the stars in outer space. It seemed like the nebula in his body had included all the stars in outer space.

The small stars twinkled brightly inside the nebula in his lower abdomen. Just like lit-up lanterns, they surrounded the biggest star in there, moving in the magical course of the stars.

His consciousness became panicked. Starlight sparkled in his eyes, but he was baffled as if he had fallen into an unknown condition, wishing to answer some questions for his cultivation.

At the same time, a large amount of starlight that fell from the sky congregated in his God Body, making him a glorious star, which seemed to have gravity applied to other stars.

Negative moods that multiplied in his head had left unknowingly. The mysterious energy oozing from his acupuncture points was wandering around his body like stars scattered in the sky. And the Immortal Demon Blood in his body gradually quieted down, no longer giving him more desire to kill.

Shi Yan watched the starry sky. He seemed to be enchanted by the gorgeous marvel of the galaxy in the dome of heaven. Then, he fell into the mysterious phase of understanding Star power Upanishad.

Thump Thump Thump Thump Thump Thump!

The strong heartbeat didn't stop. The vibration from the heart expanded to his entire God Body, making him sway in rhythm.

After each shake, more starlight shot towards him, sending sparks into the void while the energy entered his body.

His God Body became translucent like a massive garnet jewel. It was dazzling, gorgeous, and beautiful in an eccentric way, giving people some intimidation from looking at it.

His acupuncture points became swollen, giving him a vessel-tearing pain. He felt extreme pain in his internal organs. All burst out together, but the pain couldn't flood into his Sea of Consciousness. He



couldn't feel anything. Shi Yan didn't realize the pain or the fact that his God Body was changing, carrying out the magical quenching process one more time.

Gray smoke fumed out from pores in his entire body, vanishing in earth and heaven.

That gray smoke was the contaminants generated in his God Body during the current period. It was the dregs left after he had absorbed energy from different things. If they stayed in his body for a long time, it would reduce the quality of his God Body. If he got hit, his bones would crack easily.

However, after this time of quenching, his God Body changed as if he had experienced resurrection.

It was like what happened when he sank into the blood pond when he had just arrived in this world. At that time, his body was shrouded in a bloody cocoon as if he was a chrysalis that hasn't turned into a beautiful butterfly yet.

Inside the garnet pupa, he could hear the heartbeat and the violent vibration. It also had the aura of his energy and his circulating star energy.

However, this big pupa didn't hinder the star energy from seeping into his God Body. While he was under this circumstance, the starlight was still congregating into his body.

Not only that, inside the cocoon, his absorbing speed and the productivity had increased several times.

Shi Yan stayed inside the blood-red pupa, learning the truth about his Star power Upanishad. In the power Upanishad tier of his soul altar, the star energy movement was clear and vibrant.

While he didn't recognize it, the extreme pure star energy started to flow out of the black hole in his soul altar. It seeped into the soul altar while a big part of it flooded the heaven flame soul altar.

The heaven flames staying in his soul altar became thrilled. That kind of energy had given them a big boost for their growth and ascension.

Just like Shi Yan, the heaven flames started to transform.

Apparently, at the time he broke this pupa, he would have a marvelous transformation. His realm and power would be upgraded for the second time!