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Chapter 4411 The Birth of a Supreme Powerhouse

In the Divine Sand Realm's Green Billow City.

Green Billow City was also a big city in the Divine Sand Realm with supreme powerhouses ruling it. Its status was as high as that of Dancing Sun City and Blue Dawn City.

However, recently, Dancing Sun City had been turned into a ruined city. With the annihilation of the five major clans and the destruction left behind by the fierce battle, the city was no longer prosperous like it was in the past.

Similar things often happened in the Outer Boundary. A big city could be flourishing one day, but it could turn into a ruined city overnight. That was why there were so many ruined cities, like the one Duan Ling Tian encountered, in the Outer Boundary. In the past, the ruined cities were once prosperous and flourishing as well.

In Green Billow City, there were five first-rank clans, and each of the clans had a supreme powerhouse. The five major clans naturally monopolized the best resources in the city, and the more than a dozen second-rank clans could only submit. After all, the second-rank clans were weaker than the first-rank clans. There was nothing they could do even if they were unhappy.

As such, many members of second-rank clans strove hard to become a supreme powerhouse. Once a supreme powerhouse appeared in a second-rank clan, the clan would be promoted to a first-rank clan.

Today, there was a huge commotion in Green Billow City.

Boom! Boom! Boom!

Dark clouds gathered in the sky above Green Billow City as lightning flashed accompanied by the sounds of thunder. It seemed like it was going to rain, but the rain did not fall for a long time.

At this time, an incomparably bright light suddenly flashed, lighting up the dark and gloomy Green Billow City for a moment.

Boom!

A thunderous explosion that seemed capable of shaking heaven and earth rang in the air, sending shockwaves through Green Billow City.

Following that, under everyone's watchful gazes, a figure rose into the sky from a mansion in Green Billow City. Lightning bolts flashed around the figure as the void rippled and twisted. All of a sudden, the clouds, the lightning bolts, the sounds of thunder, and even the figure disappeared.

Everyone was confused when they saw the turbulent sky suddenly turn calm. The change was too abrupt.

“What's going on?”

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At the same time, five figures appeared in the sky above the inner city of Green Billow City and began to chat among themselves.

Someone said with a sigh, “I didn’t expect the sixth supreme powerhouse in Green Billow City to be that person from the Meng clan!”

“That old man is from the same generation as I am. His talent and comprehension weren’t any weaker than mine back then. However, due to the Heavenly Tribulation, his breakthrough was delayed. Otherwise, he would’ve become a supreme powerhouse a long time ago.”

“That guy is really lucky. He was injured during the Heavenly Tribulation. Although it was just a minor injury, it would’ve affected him since he was only almost comparable to a peerless top advanced Supreme God. If he didn’t break through and become a supreme powerhouse, it would only be a matter of time before he was killed by the Heavenly Tribulation.”

“In any case, he’s broken through, and there’s now a sixth supreme powerhouse in Green Billow City. The Meng clan will also be the sixth first-rank clan in Green Billow City.”

“Let’s inform the members of our clans. Let the juniors distribute some of our properties to the Meng clan. From today onward, the Meng clan is a first-rank clan just like ours...”

Unlike the others, the five supreme powerhouses of the five major clans in Green Billow City, who had gathered, naturally knew early on that someone had become a supreme powerhouse. Moreover, they also knew the identity of the other person. They were all supreme powerhouses and had experienced this before, after all. They had experienced this phenomenon before. They were brought into space briefly, where their energies were completely transformed, before they were sent out again, becoming a true supreme powerhouse. There was no danger involved at all during this process.

Needless to say, it was difficult to cultivate to this point. Apart from cultivating, one needed to meet many requirements to become a supreme powerhouse. Only if one met the requirements would the phenomenon appear. At that time, one would be struck by lightning before one's body was refined in space.

As for the person from the Meng clan who became a supreme powerhouse, when he returned from space, he would become a supreme powerhouse, standing on even ground with the other five supreme powerhouses of Green Billow City. Although he had just broken through, he might not be any weaker than them even if some of them had broken through tens of thousands of years ago.

After entering the realm of supreme powerhouses, it was an extremely difficult process to continue raising one's strength. For this reason, most supreme powerhouses were evenly matched. The differences in strength were usually because of their unique physiques or even species.

Humans, in this regard, were at a disadvantage. When humans became supreme powerhouses, their bodies would be refined and tempered by heaven and earth. However, due to human physique that was inferior to that of demons and other beings, the effect of the transformation was also weaker compared to other species.

However, needless to say, even the weakest human supreme powerhouse was far stronger than any demons or beings who had yet to enter the realm of supreme powerhouses.

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At this time, the other inhabitants of Green Billow City finally figured out what the phenomena meant. A few of them caught on quickly and realized that someone from the second-rank Meng clan was about to become a supreme powerhouse.

“The Meng clan is about to rise in power!”

“A supreme powerhouse finally appeared in the Meng clan!”

“The Meng clan will become the sixth first-rank clan in Green Billow City!”

Similar remarks could be heard everywhere in Green Billow City.

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In the Meng clan’s estate.

Joyous laughter could be heard everywhere.

“Our ancestor has become a supreme powerhouse! Our Meng clan is going to rise to prominence!”

“I didn’t expect our Meng clan to have a supreme powerhouse! The ancestor is the first supreme powerhouse in the history of the Meng clan, right?”

“That’s right... Our Meng clan had many powerhouses in the past, but even the strongest powerhouse was a peerless top advanced Supreme God. There has never been a supreme powerhouse in the clan until now!”

“After our ancestor returns, our Meng clan will become a first-rank clan in Green Billow City!”

“Earlier, I received messages from my friends in the five major clans. They said that their clan members have already called for a meeting to discuss the distribution of properties to our clan!”

“I got to see our clan rise to prominence! Even if I die now, I’ll have no regrets!”

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At the same time, in a luxurious courtyard in the Meng clan’s estate.

A young man’s eyes flashed with a strange mix of excitement and malice. He sneered as he muttered to himself, “The Wang clan in Blue Dawn City looked down on me when I went to propose marriage. Did they think I wasn’t good enough because my clan didn’t have a supreme powerhouse? Look, now our Meng clan has a supreme powerhouse. Moreover, he’s the founder of the faction I belong to, and I’m his only direct descendant!”

The young man was aware that his ancestor valued him greatly. In the past, when he needed a rare medicinal herb during his cultivation, his ancestor traveled to a place fraught with danger to obtain the rare medicinal herb that would help him cultivate smoothly. He knew that his ancestor placed all his hopes on him.

“When the ancestor returns, I’ll tell him that I want to marry that woman from the Wang clan in Blue Dawn City. Even if the ancestor doesn’t personally visit the clan, I’m sure he’ll send a member of the clan to do so. Let’s see if the Wang clan that no longer has a supreme powerhouse dares to refuse my proposal this time! Previously, I wanted to marry Wang Luo Yu as my legal wife, but now, I’m going to make her a lowly concubine!”

The young man, a direct descendant of the Meng clan, was Meng Yu Zheng.

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Regardless if it was the deaths of the supreme powerhouses in Dancing Sun City, the destruction of the five major clans in Dancing Sun City, or the birth of a new supreme powerhouse in Green Billow City, they were all major news in the Divine Sand Realm. As such, news of them traveled very quickly to Blue Dawn City.

While news of the incidents continued to spread, at this time, the Clan Leader and the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan and another person entered the spatial artifact that had been in the Wang clan for generations.

The space in the spatial artifact was vast, and it seemed like there was no end in sight.

At this time, a purple-clad young man hovered in the air across from an old man dressed in a pale green robe. The old man had a ruddy complexion.

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“You’re not even 10,000 years old, but you’re already so strong. You’re truly a peerless prodigy. Where did you come from?”

The green-clad old man was one of the two Supreme Elders of the Wang clan, a second-rank clan in Blue Dawn City. He was also one of the two powerhouses in the clan who was almost comparable to a peerless top advanced Supreme God.

The old man did not believe that Duan Ling Tian was just a sectless cultivator. After all, it was impossible for him to be a sectless cultivator with such strength at such a young age. Even if Duan Ling Tian was extremely lucky, he did not think it was possible for Duan Ling Tian to possess such strength without the help of a powerful force.

“Senior,” Duan Ling Tian calmly said, “Why don’t we chat after we spar?”

“You’re quite an impatient child,” the green-clad old man said with a contemptuous smile as he shook his head. His eyes flashed fiercely as he said, “Very well. If that’s what you want, show me what you got.”

Following that, the old man’s energy surged up, and his entire being seemed to turn into a sword as he charged toward Duan Ling Tian.

Chapter 4412 The Man Who Was Close to Becoming a Peerless Top Advanced Supreme God

Indeed, the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan was also a sword cultivator.

As a sword ray shot out, the energy from the law of metal shone brilliantly, lighting up the dark space in the spatial artifact like the scorching sun.

Duan Ling Tian was not surprised that the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan had comprehended the law of metal to its perfect form. After all, the other party was close to becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God. However, he was surprised that the other party had also comprehended the Sword Dao, not just the rudimentary form of the Sword Dao, but the real Sword Dao. However, the other party’s Sword Dao was still inferior to his Sword Dao.

Swoosh!

Duan Ling Tian struck with his sword as well. The Seven Orifices Exquisite Sword, which was now a prime divine artifact, did not have any advantage at all since the other party's sword was also a prime divine artifact.

Duan Ling Tian channeled his Divine Energy into his sword, and a seven-colored sword ray shot out. It looked particularly eye-catching in the midst of the golden light emitted by the other party.

Swoosh! Swoosh! Swoosh!

The golden sword ray was domineering, and its terrifying sword intent seemed to make the entire place tremble.

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Meanwhile, Wang Kui, the Clan Leader of the Wang clan, watched solemnly from a distance away. He had also sparred with the Supreme Elder before, and based on the Supreme Elder's display of strength now, it was clear that the Supreme Elder had held back a lot when they sparred in the past. The Supreme Elder's law of metal and Sword Dao were much more powerful than he had imagined.

'No wonder some people say that our Supreme Elder is the hope of our Wang clan to regain a supreme powerhouse again... With this, he really has a chance of breaking into the realm of supreme powerhouses!'

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Duan Ling Tian flew toward the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan. When the white-haired and rosy-cheeked old man used his bloodline power, he could sense the other party's frightening strength. As expected of someone who was almost comparable to a peerless top advanced Supreme God. Not counting supreme powerhouses, the other party was the strongest opponent he had encountered since he came to the Outer Boundary. Not many of those under the realm of supreme powerhouses were a match for the other party.

"Senior, your strength is impressive... However, I'm afraid it's impossible for you to defeat me with your Sword Dao," Duan Ling Tian said.

In just a moment, Duan Ling Tian had already exchanged more than a hundred blows with the old man. Although he briefly fell into a disadvantageous position, he quickly regained the upper hand. He had also used his Sword Dao, which was stronger than his opponent's Sword Dao. It was only natural that those who had a higher comprehension of the Sword Dao would gain the upper hand.

Meanwhile, the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan also discovered the problem. Since he and his opponent comprehended the Sword Dao and his opponent's comprehension of the Sword Dao was superior to his, it was only natural that his opponent was able to find the flaw in his Sword Dao and evade his attacks over and over again. Most importantly, the opponent's Sword Dao was significantly stronger than his even if his opponent's strength was weaker than his. Even if the Sword Dao they mastered was not the same, there were still many similarities.

'Even if I mastered other Weapon Dao such as the Saber Dao or the Spear Dao, I still won't be able to defeat him unless I comprehend one of the other three Daos of Heaven and Earth...' the old man thought to himself with a sigh before he said, "Alright, let's end this. If we continue, we'll only be wasting our energies. It's unlikely for any of us to win. I admit it's impossible for me to defeat you, but it's also impossible for you to defeat me. After all, my strength is stronger than yours."

Following that, the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan withdrew his prime divine sword and looked at Duan Ling Tian with a complicated gaze. If he had not witnessed it with his own eyes and experienced it himself, he would not have believed a young man who was not even ten thousand

years old possessed such strength. He was certain that it was only a matter of time before Duan Ling Tian became a supreme powerhouse unless Duan Ling Tian died prematurely. Moreover, he had no doubt that Duan Ling Tian would not be an ordinary supreme powerhouse.

The Supreme Elder of the Wang clan knew a lot about supreme powerhouses. He knew that there were many outstanding and talented cultivators who had difficulty growing stronger after becoming supreme powerhouses. This was because they took too many years to become supreme powerhouses. He, himself, was a good example. If he became a supreme powerhouse in the future, it would be difficult for him to continue raising his strength. He was already very old, after all. Saying that, he was not even sure if he could become a supreme powerhouse.

When the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan recalled the earlier battle again, his eyes suddenly lit up. Earlier, he had ended the fight early not only because he felt it was pointless to continue, but it was also because he seemed to have gained some enlightenment regarding the Sword Dao when he was fighting Duan Ling Tian. If he could improve his Sword Dao, he would be one step closer to becoming a supreme powerhouse.

At this time, Duan Ling Tian already had a basic understanding of the opponent's strength. He nodded and said, "Indeed. Senior, if you comprehended another Dao instead of the Weapon Dao, I'll definitely lose if the fight drags on. We'll end the fight as you suggested. Senior, I have a request, and I hope you'll agree to it."

"Tell me."

Duan Ling Tian had given the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan a chance to improve his Sword Dao. Even if Duan Ling Tian did not do it intentionally, he was still grateful. As such, when he heard that Duan Ling Tian had a request, he did not refuse Duan Ling Tian immediately. As long as it was within his ability, he would not refuse Duan Ling Tian. He had always been magnanimous, and if he refused Duan Ling Tian now, who knew if it would impede his growth in the future?

"Senior, I hope you'll match me and Miss Luo Yu from your clan. I have seen many beauties in my life, but Miss Luo Yu is the only person who made me fall in love at first sight. I'm deeply

enchanted by her. If I don't marry her, I'm afraid it'll be a stumbling block in my path to becoming a supreme powerhouse. Senior, I'm sure you understand my feelings since you've cultivated to this point. One small misstep can lead one down the wrong path. It won't be easy going back to the right path after that..." Duan Ling Tian said as his expression grew more and more solemn. Needless to say, his words were all nonsense. However, it had to be said that no flaws could be found in his words.

The old man was briefly stunned. Then, he looked at Duan Ling Tian intently and said, "I've heard about this from the clan leader. I really didn't expect a member of our clan to be lucky enough to catch your eyes..." He paused for a moment before he continued to say, "It's her blessing if she can marry you. As such, I'll take it as a joke when you said that you'll join the Wang clan. If there's anything you need from our clan in the future, just let us know. We'll be family after all..."

Clearly, the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan had agreed to Duan Ling Tian's request. Not only that, but he planned to do Duan Ling Tian a favor. He and the clan would not suffer any losses from doing Duan Ling Tian a favor.

On the other hand, Duan Ling Tian was taken aback by how easygoing the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan was. The other party was frank and agreed immediately, causing him to feel guilty.

'Forget it... I'll just owe him and the clan a favor. In the future, I'll definitely repay them,' Duan Ling Tian consoled himself inwardly and pulled himself together.

At the same time, the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan also expressed his intentions to the Clan Leader and the Grand Elder of the Wang clan. He told them to go along with Duan Ling Tian's wishes.

No one objected. After all, in their eyes, 'Li Feng' was an extremely powerful peerless prodigy who came from outside of the Divine Sand Realm.

“I understand, Supreme Elder. I’ll deal with this matter properly,” Wang Kui, the Clan Leader of the Wang clan, said.

Following that, Wang Kui led Duan Ling Tian out as he said, “Young Master Li Feng, I’ll arrange for a place for you to stay first. After that, I’ll send someone to bring Luo Yu over to meet you...”

Chapter 4413 The Furious Ye Qiang Wei

Before leaving, the Supreme Elder of the Wang clan also told Duan Ling Tian that his name was Wang Jing Rao. This could be considered an act of approval and recognition of Duan Ling Tian’s strength. If Duan Ling Tian was not strong, it would be impossible for someone like him who was much older than him to be polite or give his name to Duan Ling Tian.

Even in the Wang clan, not many members were familiar with Wang Jing Rao. They only knew of his existence and addressed him respectfully as ‘old ancestor’ or ‘Supreme Elder’.

Following that, before Duan Ling Tian left with Wang Kui, the Clan Leader of the Wang clan, the Grand Elder of the Wang clan also respectfully introduced himself to Duan Ling Tian before leaving.

Wang Kui personally arranged for Duan Ling Tian to live in the Wang clan’s estate. He led him to a vast and remote courtyard. There were a few rockeries with a small stream winding past them. All kinds of flowers, plants, and trees were planted on both sides of the stream, attracting many small birds.

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“Young Master Li Feng, if you need anything, please just let her know. She’ll be serving you during your stay. After this, she’ll arrange for several servants to attend to you as well,” Wang Kui said when an ordinary and amiable woman arrived.

After greeting Wang Kui respectfully, the woman looked at Duan Ling Tian in surprise before she quickly lowered her head.

“Aunt Qiu has been in our clan for many years, and she’s always been reliable in her work. I’m sure there’ll be no mistakes with her serving you,” Wang Kui said to Duan Ling Tian. At the same time, he also told the woman about Duan Ling Tian and what had happened earlier through Voice Transmission.

The woman’s eyes widened when she heard Wang Kui’s words. She could hardly believe that a young man who was not even ten thousand years old fought to a draw with one of the two strongest members of the Wang clan. She finally understood why Wang Kui had arranged for Duan Ling Tian to live in this courtyard. This courtyard was usually used to accommodate distinguished guests of the clan. In the past, when the Wang clan’s supreme powerhouse was still around, he would arrange for his friends to stay here. Even after the supreme powerhouse perished, only those who were powerful or had very influential backgrounds and high status were allowed to stay here. Earlier, she assumed Duan Ling Tian was just a frivolous young master from a powerful force; she did not expect him to be so powerful.

“Thank you, Aunt Qiu,” Duan Ling Tian replied with a smile.

The woman was flattered when she saw how polite Duan Ling Tian was. She hastily said, “Young Master Li, you’re welcome. Please let me know if there’s anything I can help you with.”

Wang Kui smiled and said, “Young Master Li Feng, do you want to rest first and meet Luo Yu tomorrow or do you want to meet her now? If you want to meet her now, I’ll send someone to bring her over...”

“I’ll meet her tomorrow,” Duan Ling Tian said. It was inevitable that he would meet Wang Luo Yu so there was no need to rush. Earlier, although he was not injured during his fight with Wang Jing Rao, he had exhausted some of his energy. As such he wanted to recover his energy. It would take him about ten days to half a month to fully recover the energy he exhausted.

“Alright,” Wang Kui replied. Inwardly, he was surprised by Duan Ling Tian’s reply. In the end, he concluded that Duan Ling Tian must have wanted to meet the woman he liked when he was in a better condition. After all, he was young once, and he also had someone he liked back then.

“Since that’s the case, I’ll take my leave first. Rest well. If you need anything that Aunt Qiu can’t help you with, send her to me. If there’s anything urgent, you can also ask her to call me over,” Wang Kui said. He was very polite and modest in front of Duan Ling Tian. It was to the extent that he was willing to come over to see Duan Ling Tian if there was something urgent. In the Wang clan, there were only two people who received this sort of treatment, and they were the two Supreme Elders of the Wang clan. Now, there was an extra person, Duan Ling Tian.

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On the other side of the Wang clan’s estate.

Wang Ming, an elder of the Wang clan, looked at Wang Luo Yu and said with a sigh, “The clan leader just informed me that the young man wants to rest today so he’ll meet you tomorrow. Have a good rest tonight. I’ll look for you at noon tomorrow and bring you to him.”

After that, Wang Ming shook his head and took his leave. If it was possible, he hoped that Wang Luo Yu could be free from the shackles of the Wang clan. Alas, it was impossible. The Wang clan would not give up on such a good chess piece.

After Wang Ming left, Ye Qiang Wei said, slightly annoyed, “What’s that man thinking? How can he be so rude? He said he wanted to meet you first, then now, he changed his mind and said he would meet you tomorrow. Why is he doing this? He’s intentionally making you wait!”

Ye Qiang Wei grew more and more annoyed as she spoke.

“Sister Qiang Wei,” Wang Luo Yu shook her head slightly as she said, “He must have his reason for wanting to meet tomorrow. Don’t get angry because of this matter...”

Ye Qiang Wei frowned upon hearing Wang Luo Yu’s words. Then, she sent a Voice Transmission to the old lady, asking the old lady if she was confident about bringing Wang Luo Yu away from the Wang clan.

The old woman replied with a sigh, “Miss, if Miss Luo Yu agreed earlier and we brought her away when we just arrived, I’d say we still have a chance. But now... I’m afraid it’s impossible. I can sense a few Divine Consciousness here. Clearly, the powerhouses in the clan are keeping an eye on her so she can’t leave.”

Ye Qiang Wei felt powerless upon hearing this, and at the same time, her anger grew. She muttered, “Tomorrow, I’m going to follow Sister Luo Yu to see the man who shamelessly forced another woman to marry him!”

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Alas, the next day, Ye Qiang Wei was stopped by Wang Ming when he came to bring Wang Luo Yu away. He said, “Miss Ye, the clan leader asked me to bring Luo Yu there alone. You can’t follow us there.”

Ye Qiang Wei was about to protest when the old woman next to her quickly said, “Miss, we’ll stay here and wait for Miss Luo Yu to return.”

The old woman had spoken up because she could feel several different terrifying Divine Energies in the surroundings. It was as though they were going to attack at any given moment.

Chapter 4414 Straight to the Point

In the elegant and quiet courtyard, where the birds were singing and the flowers were fragrant, and the stream was constantly flowing.

Duan Ling Tian, who was wearing a purple robe as usual, crouched down by the stream and reached out to pick up a small fish that had washed up the bank before he returned it to the stream. He looked at the little fish he released and murmured, “Little one, be careful of where you go. If you swim in the wrong place, you might meet your own demise...”

A dazed expression could be seen on his face at this moment. He was a stranger in the foreign Outer Boundary. It was far away from the God Defying World, and there were tens of thousands of places connected to the Outer Boundary, including the God Defying World.

At this moment, a woman’s voice rang from behind him.

“Young Master Li Feng, the clan leader has brought Miss Luo Yu over.”

Duan Ling Tian rose to his feet and turned around to look outside the courtyard.

Wang Kui, the Clan Leader of the Wang clan, walked in with two people behind him, an old man and a beautiful young woman.

With just a glance, Duan Ling Tian sighed inwardly. ‘As expected of the number one beauty in Blue Dawn City. She’s indeed quite beautiful.’

Wang Luo Yu did not resemble Wang Yi Yuan at all. If Duan Ling Tian were unaware that the duo was siblings, he would not have believed the beautiful young woman was Wang Yi Yuan’s sister. It was not that Wang Yi Yuan was not good-looking, it was just that they did not share any similarities in their appearances at all.

Wang Kui chuckled and greeted Duan Ling Tian enthusiastically as soon as he walked into the courtyard. He said, “Young Master Li Feng, you must have been waiting for a long time.”

Wang Ming and Wang Luo Yu followed behind Wang Kui.

Wang Ming took the initiative to greet Duan Ling Tian. “Greetings. I’m Wang Ming, an elder of the Wang clan. This is Wang Luo Yu, a member of my faction.”

From Wang Ming’s greeting, Duan Ling Tian found out that Wang Ming was the leader of the faction that Wang Yi Yuan and Wang Luo Yu belonged to.

“Clan Leader Wang, Elder Wang,” Duan Ling Tian responded with a slight smile before he turned to look at Wang Luo Yu with a dazed expression on his face. After that, it seemed as though he did not hear what Wang Kui said at all.

Upon seeing this, Wang Kui was not upset. He only smiled before he gestured to Wang Ming and the servants in the courtyard to leave, leaving Duan Ling Tian and Wang Luo Yu alone in the courtyard. In his opinion, what Duan Ling Tian wanted most now was to be alone with Wang Luo Yu.

After leaving, Wang Kui frowned slightly as he looked at Wang Ming and said, “Brother Wang Ming, Li Feng is not only good-looking, but he’s highly talented as well. It’s not a shame for Luo Yu to marry him. Put away the frown on your face.”

Wang Kui had long noticed the stiff expression on Wang Ming’s face.

Wang Ming smiled wryly and said, “Clan leader, it’s Luo Yu’s blessing if she’s able to marry Young Master Li Feng. I was only frowning because I’m worried he’ll get tired of her in the future and abandon her. She lost her parents at a young age, and she only had Yi Yuan... But now, Yi Yuan...”

Wang Ming did not finish his words; he only sighed and shook his head.

Wang Kui’s frown eased slightly upon hearing this. He said, “No one was happy about what happened to Yi Yuan. After all, the two Supreme Elders had high hopes of him becoming a supreme powerhouse in the future. Among the younger generation, they think he had the highest potential.”

As the Clan Leader of the Wang clan, Wang Kui was naturally distressed when something happened to Wang Yi Yuan. Wang Yi Yuan was an outstanding prodigy in the history of the Wang clan even if Wang Yi Yuan could not compare to the monstrous prodigy ‘Li Feng’. Wang Yi Yuan could be considered a rare prodigy even in the Divine Sand Realm.

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Due to the noise-canceling Formation in the courtyard, Duan Ling Tian did not hear the conversation between Wang Kui and Wang Ming.

Similarly, Wang Luo Yu did not hear the conversation either.

After confirming that Wang Kui and the others had left and were not looking at them, the dazed expression on Duan Ling Tian's face disappeared immediately and was replaced with an expression of indifference. He said, "Please have a seat."

Duan Ling Tian walked to the stone table and took a seat after inviting Wang Luo Yu to take a seat.

At this time, Wang Luo Yu was slightly confused. She had seen the dazed expression on Duan Ling Tian's face earlier when he looked at her, and it caused her heart to skip a beat. Then, his attitude changed abruptly, leaving her baffled.

Wang Luo Yu walked over, but she did not dare to sit down. Instead, she stood in front of the stone table and asked with her head lowered, "Li... Young Master Li Feng, what are your orders?"

"Sit down," Duan Ling Tian said again. This time, his voice was slightly louder, and it sounded a little more commanding.

Seeing that Wang Luo Yu was trembling in fright and still did not sit down, Duan Ling Tian shook his head helplessly and said, "Sit down. I'm a friend of your brother, Wang Yi Yuan."

“My brother’s friend?” Wang Luo Yu looked up at Duan Ling Tian in disbelief. She said, “I... I’ve never heard of you, and my brother had never mentioned you. I know all of my brother’s friends...”

Despite her words, Wang Luo Yu felt that Duan Ling Tian had no reason to lie to her due to his high status unless he was using this as an excuse to get closer to her. However, that was not necessary as well since the Wang clan would not allow her to refuse this marriage.

“I met your brother shortly before he passed away,” Duan Ling Tian said.

Wang Luo Yu’s expression changed immediately. Then, she mustered up her courage to ask Duan Ling Tian, “Young Master Li Feng... You... Do you know how my brother died?”

Wang Luo Yu had lost her composure at this moment.

“Sit down, and we’ll talk.”

Wang Luo Yu finally took a seat. She asked anxiously, “Young Master Li Feng, do... do you know?”

Wang Luo Yu knew nothing about the circumstances regarding her brother’s death. Even the Wang clan did not know anything.

“I do.”

Wang Luo Yu's eyes brightened upon hearing Duan Ling Tian's words, and at the same time, she grew even more anxious.

Duan Ling Tian recounted how he met Wang Yi Yuan and the situation they were in honestly.

When Wang Luo Yu found out that her brother died due to a supreme powerhouse's scheme, apart from helplessness, she also felt indignant and aggrieved. Once again, she grieved for her brother. Her hands were tightly clenched, and she bit her lip hard until it bled. Clearly, she had lost her composure and was agitated.

"I came this time to fulfill your brother's final wish. He wanted me to bring you away from the Wang clan so you won't be used as a tool by the clan. My real name is Duan Ling Tian, not Li Feng. I naturally didn't reveal my name and purpose to the others. Otherwise, it'll be difficult to bring you away," Duan Ling Tian said without beating around the bush. He thought it was best to be straightforward so Wang Luo Yu would not resist him.

"D-do you... Do you have evidence proving you know my brother? You said earlier that he gave you his spatial ring, right?" Wang Luo Yu asked, seeking one final confirmation. When she saw the spatial ring that Duan Ling Tian brought out, all her doubts vanished. Since her brother gave up his ownership of the ring to Duan Ling Tian, it showed that her brother trusted Duan Ling Tian, and she believed in her brother's judgment.

After confirming Duan Ling Tian was not lying, she asked in a slightly trembling voice, unable to hold back her tears, "Brother Duan, my brother... Was he in a lot of pain before he died?"

Chapter 4415 Duan Ling Tian's Plan

"He did not suffer when he died," Duan Ling Tian said with a sigh to Wang Luo Yu, "You were the only one he worried about before his death. His wish was for you to be free, and he entrusted me with this matter at that time even though he was not sure if I'd be able to escape from that supreme powerhouse. After I escaped, I searched for you and came to Blue Dawn City. After learning about

your current situation, I decided to join the Wang clan and bring you away from Blue Dawn City. After that, I'll look for a place for you to settle down where the Wang clan won't be able to find you."

Wang Luo Yu nodded slightly. Tears streamed down her cheeks again when she recalled that her brother was gone.

Duan Ling Tian continued to say, "I hope you'll cooperate with me to fulfill your brother's wish... I'll arrange for us to leave the Wang clan."

Duan Ling Tian did not have time to pity Wang Luo Yu. After all, he was trying to think of a plan for them to leave the Wang clan. The Supreme Elder of the Wang clan had high regard for him due to his high innate talent and comprehension skills, which revealed his great potential in becoming a supreme powerhouse in the future. As such, the supreme elder was very kind to Duan Ling Tian, hoping to ally with Duan Ling Tian through an arranged marriage. However, he knew the supreme elder's attitude would change once the supreme elder found out that he was only here to bring Wang Luo Yu away. After all, he was not yet a supreme

"Rest assured, Brother Duan," Wang Luo Yu said solemnly, "I won't let my brother down. I'll listen to your instructions."

"That's good," Duan Ling Tian said with a smile. Things would be easier if Wang Luo Yu cooperated with him. After a moment, he reminded her, "Do not tell anyone about this. Not a single person can know that my name isn't Li Feng."

"Don't worry, Brother Duan. I understand," Wang Luo Yun hastily said as she nodded. She trusted Duan Ling Tian completely. After all, he could have easily ignored her brother's final wish. No one could hold him accountable, and there was no witness when he gave his promise to her brother. However, he chose to fulfill her brother's final wish. This was enough to prove that he was a trustworthy man.

Duan Ling Tian nodded and said, “We’ll pretend like we have feelings for each other in front of the others, and I’ll ask for your hand in marriage from the clan. After that, we have two options. One, we can leave Blue Dawn City before the marriage takes place. Two, we’ll continue with the show, and you’ll be married to Li Feng, which is my fake identity. There aren’t many risks with the first option, but it’ll sever all your ties to the Wang clan. There’s no risk with the second option since we can leave the clan under the pretext of going on our honeymoon. The Wang clan won’t suspect anything.” After a beat, he added, “I’ll cooperate with you regardless of which option you choose.”

In the end, Duan Ling Tian let Wang Luo Yu make the decision.

After a few moments, Wang Luo Yu said, “Brother Duan, let’s put on a show and leave the Wang clan naturally. I don’t want those who care for me in the clan to be worried...”

“Alright, we’ll go with the second option then,” Duan Ling Tian said with a smile, “I’ll send you out now. You’re just as smart as your brother so I trust you know what to do later...”

Duan Ling Tian rose to his feet and sent Wang Luo Yu out of his courtyard. Earlier, he had cast a noise-canceling Formation so no one could eavesdrop on their conversation. With his current strength, it would be impossible even for the Clan Leader and the two Supreme Elders of the Wang clan to bypass his Formation and eavesdrop on them.

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Wang Kui, the Clan Leader of the Wang clan, smiled when he saw Duan Ling Tian and Wang Luo Yu getting along as they walked out of the courtyard.

As for Wang Ming, he felt relieved when he saw Wang Luo Yu’s shy expression when she lowered her head. It was obvious to him that she liked Duan Ling Tian.

Duan Ling Tian looked at Wang Luo Yu and said tenderly, “Why don’t you follow Elder Wang Ming back first... There’s something I need to discuss with Clan Leader Wang.”

Wang Luo Yu nodded slightly and replied, “Alright, Brother Li.”

After that, Wang Luo Yu walked toward Wang Ming with a bashful expression on her face.

After Wang Luo Yu left with Wang Ming, Duan Ling Tian looked at Wang Kui and said seriously, “Clan Leader Wang, I’d like to ask for her hand in marriage. If possible, I’d like to marry her in a month. Please send the invitations out to everyone connected with the Wang clan. I want the wedding to be as grand as possible. Meanwhile, I’d like to be an interim elder of the clan...”

Wang Kui was slightly surprised at how eager Duan Ling Tian was to marry Wang Luo Yu. However, when he recalled Wang Luo Yu’s bashful expression earlier, he thought that the duo must have liked each other. His smile widened as he said, “Young Master Li, you can count on me! The Wang clan will plan a grand wedding for you and Luo Yu in a month! Congratulations!”

Wang Kui was naturally overjoyed that Duan Ling Tian, who was almost comparable to a peerless top advanced Supreme God, would become part of the Wang clan soon. Someone with Duan Ling Tian’s talent and was not even 10,000 years of age was unprecedented in the history of the Divine Sand Realm after all.

‘Our clan will be in the spotlight soon because of this wedding! I must invite all the supreme powerhouses who were friends with our ancestor as well... Even if only one of them attends the wedding, it’ll be an honor. It won’t take long for our clan to return to its former glory with such a monstrous prodigy as our interim elder...’ Wang Kui thought to himself excitedly.

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When Wang Luo Yu returned to her courtyard, she smiled broadly when she saw Ye Qiang Wei. She said, “Sister Qiang Wei, you should stay a little longer. I’ll be marrying Brother Li Feng in a month. I believe Uncle Ye will be attending our wedding as well. Why don’t you return with Uncle Ye after our wedding?”

Ye Qiang Wei looked at Wang Luo Yu in confusion after hearing these words. She asked, “Sister Luo Yu, what... what happened?”

Ye Qiang Wei could not figure out what happened to have led to such a drastic change in Wang Luo Yu’s attitude.

Chapter 4416 Meng Yu Zheng

Ye Qiang Wei was truly confused by Wang Luo Yu’s sudden change in attitude.

Wang Luo Yu smiled and said, “Sister Qiang Wei, I was truly reluctant to meet Brother Li earlier. I was even lamenting my sad life. However, after meeting him and chatting with him, I think... I think I’ve met my soulmate. It sounds hard to believe, but I like him and hope to be with him after meeting him...”

Ye Qiang Wei frowned as she looked at the expression on Wang Luo Yu’s face. Although the expression seemed to show that Wang Luo Yu was in love, she could not help but feel like something was amiss. As such, she even probed Wang Luo Yu with her Divine Consciousness to confirm that the person in front of her was truly Wang Luo Yu.

After that, Ye Qiang Wei called out, “Grandma.”

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The old woman brought out a Formation Compass and quickly set up a few Formations around the courtyard. Following that, she said, “Don’t worry, miss. Even the two supreme elders of the clan won’t be able to listen in on our conversations.”

With that, Ye Qiang Wei looked at Wang Luo Yu with a serious expression. A hint of worry and anger and worry could be seen in her eyes as she said, “Sister Luo Yu, did they force you? You must be afraid of implicating me and my father in this matter, right? Don’t worry. No one can listen in on our conversation now so you don’t have to pretend and lie to me.”

Wang Luo Yu stepped forward and held Ye Qiang Wei’s hand as she said with a sincere smile on her face, “Sister Qiang Wei, I’m telling the truth. I really like Brother Li. Although our meeting was brief, I can tell that he’s a trustworthy man. At the very least, he’s much better than those disciples from the other clans. Sister Qiang Wei, you’ll know what I mean after you meet Brother Li. He’s really different from those unreliable disciples...”

Ye Qiang Wei began to doubt herself after listening to these words.

Wang Luo Yu smiled and continued to say, “Sister Qiang Wei, you want me to be happy, don’t you?”

“Of course,” Ye Qiang Wei nodded and said solemnly, “I’ll be happy if you’re able to marry someone you genuinely like. However, if you’re doing this against your will, I’ll do all I can to help you no matter how difficult the situation is...”

Wang Luo Yu knew that Ye Qiang Wei was sincere with her words. As such, she felt moved and guilty at the same time. Ye Qiang Wei was like family to her, and she was certain if she told Ye Qiang Wei the truth, Ye Qiang Wei would not betray her. However, she had promised Duan Ling Tian that she would not tell another soul about this matter. She might trust Ye Qiang Wei, but Duan Ling Tian had no reason to trust Ye Qiang Wei. Finally, she said smilingly, “Sister Qiang Wei, don’t worry. Our wedding will be held in a month. You have to help me with my makeup...”

Ye Qiang Wei’s expression softened immediately as she said, “I’ll definitely help you with your wedding outfit and makeup... I’m really curious now about the man who managed to catch your attention...”

“Sister Qiang Wei, I’ll ask if it’s convenient for him to meet you if you’re really curious,” Wang Luo Yu replied with a smile.

In fact, Wang Luo Yu’s words were just perfunctory. She did not want to trouble Duan Ling Tian any further after all the trouble he had gone to just to fulfill Wang Yi Yuan’s final wish and bring her away from the Wang clan. After all, she was not an ungrateful person.

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Previously, when Wang Kui left the Wang clan’s spatial artifact, he had already heard about what happened in Dancing Sun City and Green Billow City. However, he was unaware of Duan Ling Tian’s connection to the incident in one of the cities. He had also forgotten that the Meng clan in Green Billow City had sent someone to the Wang clan to ask for Wang Luo Yu’s hand in marriage as well. The Meng clan was a second-rank clan in Green Billow City like the Wang clan in Blue Dawn City, but the Wang clan was once a first-rank clan with a supreme powerhouse, after all. As such, the Wang clan had a sense of superiority over the Meng clan. When the Meng clan came to propose marriage, Wang Kui only sent an elder to meet the matchmaker from the Meng clan. He would only personally meet the nobles or those from a stronger force. In his opinion, Meng Yu Zheng, the direct descendant of the Meng clan, was not worthy of his attention.

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The Meng clan in Green Billow City.

The Meng clan's ancestor who became a supreme powerhouse finally returned half a month later.

The old man dressed in a long and loose green robe was received by a group of supreme powerhouses when he appeared in the sky above Green Billow City.

"Congratulations, Brother Meng."

"Brother Meng, congratulations on becoming a supreme powerhouse!"

"Brother Meng, as the first member of the Meng clan to become a supreme powerhouse, you'll be revered by the future descendants of the Meng clan!"

The supreme powerhouses were enthusiastic with their greetings. After all, although the old man had just become a supreme powerhouse recently, his strength was not inferior to theirs. How could they ignore him?

"Thank you, everyone," the old man replied, delighted by the warm reception. A hint of excitement could be seen in his eyes at this moment. In the past, the difference between his strength and the strength of the supreme powerhouses was like that of heaven and earth even if he was very close to becoming a supreme powerhouse. As such, he had to lower himself whenever he met them. However, now that he was a supreme powerhouse as well, his status was the same as theirs. Due to his achievements, the Meng clan would also become a first-rank clan in Green Billow City.

“Brother Meng, now that you’ve become a supreme powerhouse, it’s only natural for the Meng clan to become a first-rank clan in our Green Billow City...”

“Brother Meng, we’ve already distributed some of our properties to the Meng clan. We can negotiate again if it’s not enough...”

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While the ancestor of the Meng clan was chatting with the supreme powerhouses, the members of the Meng clan eagerly awaited his return.

“There’s a commotion outside. The old ancestor must have returned!”

“There’s a group of people there... They must be the supreme powerhouses from the major clans!”

“They must have come to receive our ancestor! Let’s wait here until the old ancestor returns! It’s inappropriate for us to go there after all...”

At the same time, in another part of the Meng clan’s estate.

Meng Yu Zheng wore a sinister expression on his face as he thought to himself, “The Wang clan from Blue Dawn City didn’t only reject my marriage proposal, but they even invited us to attend Wang Luo Yu’s wedding. How preposterous! I’ll speak to the old ancestor and make them regret their decision! Wang Luo Yu, it doesn’t matter if the Wang clan has agreed to your marriage; you’re mine! Even if the Wang clan has connections with other supreme powerhouses, do you think they’ll really stand up for you? What a joke!”

Chapter 4417 Duan Ling Tian's Ambition

Blue Dawn City.

News of the annihilation of the five major clans in Dancing Sun City and the emergence of a new supreme powerhouse from the Meng clan in Green Billow City spread through Blue Dawn City and became the hottest topic. However, these matters were quickly forgotten by the public when the Wang clan announced the wedding that would be held a month later. Even after two weeks, everyone was still fervently discussing the wedding.

“Rumors have it that the groom, a prodigy, isn’t a noble or from a strong clan. At least, that’s not the case in the Divine Sand Realm. Who knows if he has an extraordinary background outside of the Divine Sand Realm?”

“He must be outstanding since the Wang clan allowed him to marry Wang Luo Yu.”

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“That’s right. The Wang clan wouldn’t agree to the marriage if they couldn’t benefit from it.”

“The wedding will be held in half a month... All the major cities and major clans in the Divine Sand Realm will definitely send their representatives to attend the wedding.”

“I wonder if any of the supreme powerhouses the Wang clan invited will attend the wedding?”

“As long as one supreme powerhouse agrees to attend, the others will likely attend as well... If that’s the case, the wedding will be extremely grand!”

The people in Blue Dawn City were all curious about the young prodigy who successfully proposed to Wang Luo Yu, the number one beauty of the city.

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Duan Ling Tian was aware that the wedding had become a hot topic in the city since he frequently strolled the streets of the city. However, he did not pay attention to it and was focused on gathering information about the Wang clan and the four major clans of Blue Dawn City.

The four major clans of Blue Dawn City each had a supreme powerhouse and ruled the city. Although they despised the Wang clan, they were still courteous to the Wang clan due to the connections the Wang clan had with a few supreme powerhouses in the Outer Boundary. As such, it was likely that the four clan leaders of the four major clans would attend the wedding in the Wang clan as a show of courtesy. Even if the clan leaders did not personally attend, they would definitely send representatives with high status to attend the wedding.

The Wang clan used to have a supreme powerhouse, after all. Even if the supreme powerhouse was no longer around, the descendants were still enjoying the benefits. For example, the four major clans of Blue Dawn City owned the most properties in the city. The Wang clan was only second to the four major clans in that regard. As a second-rank clan, it owned more than double the properties that the other second-rank clans owned.

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“Hmph! Did that kid put Wang Kui under a spell? How the hell did he convince Wang Kui to allow him to marry Wang Luo Yu when there are many more suitable candidates in the Divine Sand Realm?”

“Young master, in my opinion, that kid can’t even withstand more than three moves from you!”

Duan Ling Tian was strolling the streets as usual when he overheard this conversation. He was briefly stunned before he shook his head and smiled.

‘The Wang clan is quite good at keeping my identity a secret. No one even knows that I’m almost as strong as a peerless top advanced Supreme God...’

After learning more about the Outer Boundary, Duan Ling Tian had only realized recently how remarkable his current strength was at his age. It had to be said that someone like him was not unprecedented in the Outer Boundary or even the Myriad Worlds. Due to their young age and great potential, they were very famous even if they were not a peerless top advanced Supreme God or a supreme powerhouse.

After all, if Duan Ling Tian was in his twilight years, his strength that was almost comparable to a peerless top advanced Supreme God would not be considered extraordinary. Moreover, if he were old, his potential of becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God or a supreme powerhouse would decrease greatly since he carried a greater risk of dying during his Heavenly Tribulation. Moreover, although it was possible to become a supreme powerhouse without becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God first, the chances of doing so were not very high. Apart from that, it was also more difficult for one to achieve a breakthrough in one’s old age unless one had fortuitous encounters.

After coming to the Outer Boundary, Duan Ling Tian’s knowledge about cultivation had also grown.

‘There’s a difference in strength even for new supreme powerhouses...’

Before becoming a supreme powerhouse, one could only be a top peerless advanced Supreme God or close to becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God. As expected, the former would be stronger than the latter once they both become supreme powerhouses. In fact, the former was considerably stronger than those who were only almost comparable to peerless top advanced Supreme Gods before becoming supreme powerhouses even if they were already supreme powerhouses for tens of thousands of years.

‘One’s innate talent and comprehension skills are crucial in becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God. Since I have two Supreme Powerhouse Divinities, I have a chance of becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God. They’ll be able to help with my cultivation greatly, but they won’t be able to guarantee that I’ll become a peerless top advanced Supreme God...’

Duan Ling Tian naturally knew that the two Supreme Powerhouse Divinities he possessed would guarantee his chances of becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God. If it was so easy to become a peerless top advanced Supreme Gods, there would have been more of them in the Outer Boundary and the Myriad Worlds. Based on what he had learned, he found out that not even 10% of supreme powerhouses were peerless top advanced Supreme Gods before they became supreme powerhouses.

Duan Ling Tian was rather shocked when he first learned how difficult it was to become a peerless top advanced Supreme God.

‘There were rumors that those who were only almost comparable to peerless top advanced Supreme Gods deliberately suppressed their breakthrough into the realm of supreme powerhouses. They wanted to wait until they became peerless top advanced Supreme Gods before breaking through into the realm of supreme powerhouses. I heard that raising one’s strength after becoming a supreme powerhouse is very difficult. As such, becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God before becoming a supreme powerhouse would give one the advantage over others who did not. Needless to say, if one were young, it’s best to strive to become a peerless advanced top Supreme God first instead of a supreme powerhouse. Apparently, the sense of achievement when becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God is much greater than when becoming a supreme powerhouse. That aside, supreme powerhouses look highly upon peerless top advanced Supreme Gods since the latter

possess great potential to become a top supreme powerhouse. Moreover, there are many fortuitous encounters in the Outer Boundary that supreme powerhouses aren't able to access. As such, it'll be beneficial for these supreme powerhouses to have peerless top advanced Supreme Gods on their sides and could help them...'

At this time, Duan Ling Tian was filled with the ambition to become a peerless top advanced Supreme God. The idea had taken root so firmly in his mind that he felt that he was being constantly reminded to cultivate and grow stronger until he became a peerless top advanced Supreme God.

'Yun Qing Yan is now a supreme powerhouse after being possessed by that person from the Soul Imprisonment Clan. However, according to the Xia Clan's ancestor, he's just an ordinary supreme powerhouse... If I become a supreme powerhouse without becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God first, I might not be stronger than him. At that time, it would be difficult for me to force him to release Ke'er...'

Duan Ling Tian's expression turned grim when he thought of his wife, Ke'er. He naturally did not forget his purpose for coming to the Outer Boundary.

'Even if I manage to become a peerless top advanced Supreme God, it'll take some time for me to become a supreme powerhouse... However, once I become a peerless top advanced Supreme God, some supreme powerhouses might approach me. At that time, I might be able to strike a deal with them; I'll ask them to capture Yun Qing Yan and force him to release Ke'er. With that, I'll be able to save Ke'er before I become a supreme powerhouse.'

'There's a chance that the top supreme powerhouses in the Outer Boundary or the Myriad Worlds can release Ke'er from the technique themselves. There might not be a need to capture Yun Qing Yan at all. A member of the Soul Imprisonment Clan who's stronger than Yun Qing Yan can easily free Ke'er!'

Duan Ling Tian's eyes lit up when he thought about this. He clenched his hands tightly as his eyes shone with determination to become a peerless top advanced Supreme God so he could save Ke'er!

Chapter 4418 Ye Qiang Wei Meets Duan Ling Tian Again

Duan Ling Tian stood motionlessly at the side of the street, lost in his thoughts. His handsome appearance and extraordinary bearing naturally drew the attention of many passersby, but no one dared to approach him. After all, in their opinion, he likely had an extraordinary background. Moreover, it was clear that he was occupied at this moment, and if they were to disturb him, they might offend him.

At the same time, a young woman and an old woman were strolling down the same street.

“Grandma, do you think Luo Yu is really willing to get married?” Ye Qiang Wei asked. Although half a month had passed, she still felt skeptical.

“Miss,” the old woman said with a sigh, “Does it matter? In any case, there wasn’t anything strange with Miss Luo Yu’s behavior so it’s likely that she’s willing to marry that man. Even if she’s not willing, she’s already made up her mind. I might not know her as well as you do, but I know she’s very resilient even if she looks soft and gentle. You should follow her wishes and not stir up trouble for her...”

Ye Qiang Wei fell silent as she mulled over the old woman’s words. After a while, her eyes suddenly landed on a familiar figure at the side of the street.

‘It’s him!’

Ye Qiang Wei recognized the mysterious young man who saved her previously in just an instant. Previously, she had planned to ask the Wang clan to investigate his identity, but she had forgotten about it due to Wang Luo Yu’s matter.

At the same time, the old woman exclaimed, “Miss, it’s our savior!”

The old woman recognized Duan Ling Tian as well. A hint of gratitude and reverence could be seen in her eyes when she looked at him. After all, he was much stronger than her despite being much younger than her. He was not even ten thousand years old, but he was almost comparable to a peerless top advanced Supreme God. Such a person was unprecedented in the history of the Divine Sand Realm.

Seeing the blank expression on Duan Ling Tian’s face, Ye Qiang Wei wondered outwardly, “Did he receive some enlightenment regarding his cultivation?”

As soon as Ye Qiang Wei’s voice fell, the old woman appeared near Duan Ling Tian in just a blink of an eye. She did not disturb Duan Ling Tian. Instead, she looked around vigilantly in case someone tried to harm him. Although they were strangers, she was indebted to him since he saved her and Ye Qiang Wei. Without him, she would have been killed and Ye Qiang Wei would have been kidnapped by the members of the Blood Sea Organization half a month ago. For this reason, she wanted to protect him.

When Ye Qiang Wei returned to her senses, she quickly joined the old woman and protected Duan Ling Tian as well.

Duan Ling Tian was naturally oblivious to the duo’s presence. He was completely immersed in his thoughts of becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God at this moment, but it did not mean he had let his guard down. He would still be able to react in time to threats. Finally, after sorting out his thoughts and calming down, he opened his eyes. When he saw the young woman and the old woman guarding him, a hint of warmth appeared in his heart. He cupped his fists together at the duo and said, “Thank you, ladies.”

“You’re awake?” Ye Qiang Wei’s expression eased when she looked at the previously aloof young man.

The old woman sighed in relief and said, “I thought you were in the midst of enlightenment. It seems like we were worried for nothing.”

Based on Duan Ling Tian’s actions, it was clear to the old woman that Duan Ling Tian did not let his guard down and was still aware of his surroundings.

“In any case, I still want to thank the both of you,” Duan Ling Tian said with a smile that contradicted his previous indifference.

Ye Qiang Wei seized the chance and asked, “Then, can you tell me your name?”

Duan Ling Tian was slightly stunned. Then, he nodded slightly and said, “Of course. Miss Ye, my name is Duan Ling Tian.”

Duan Ling Tian was naturally unaware that Wang Luo Yu and Ye Qiang Wei were best friends. Otherwise, he would have thought twice about revealing his identity.

Ye Qiang Wei silently committed Duan Ling Tian’s name to her memory before she asked curiously with a smile on her face, “Brother Duan, where are you from? Are you from the Outer Boundary or one of three major Worlds?”

Duan Ling Tian shook his head and replied, “None of the above. I came from one of the 18 Worlds under the three major Worlds...”

Ye Qiang Wei and the old woman were surprised by Duan Ling Tian's reply. They did not expect that such a monstrous prodigy came from one of the 18 Worlds under the three major Worlds.

Chapter 4419 The Malicious Meng Yu Zheng

Duan Ling Tian only disclosed his name and origin out of courtesy. Although he did not speak about his origin in detail, Ye Qiang Wei and the old woman were still shocked that he was not from one of the three major Worlds.

Ye Qiang Wei and the old woman exchanged a glance as Ye Qiang Wei said through Voice Transmission that she could not believe a person of such caliber like Duan Ling Tian was not from one of the three major Worlds.

"Perhaps, he's the direct descendant of an extremely powerful supreme powerhouse... He might have inherited the legacy of his ancestor," the old woman speculated through Voice Transmission.

Ye Qiang Wei nodded inwardly in agreement. It was the only theory that made sense to her.

After a moment, the old woman asked on behalf of Ye Qiang Wei, "Young Master Duan, do you have matters to attend to in Blue Dawn City?"

Duan Ling Tian nodded and replied, "Yes. Once I'm done, I'll leave Blue Dawn City..."

After a short and casual conversation with the old woman, Duan Ling Tian nodded at her and Ye Qiang Wei before he bade farewell to them and left.

Ye Qiang Wei had mixed feelings as she watched Duan Ling Tian leave. She had feelings for the mysterious and highly talented young man. He was unique and different from the young men she knew.

The old woman said with a sigh, “Miss, you’re both from different worlds...”

The old woman could tell Ye Qiang Wei was curious about and admired Duan Ling Tian. Ye Qiang Wei was exhibiting signs of falling into the sufferings of love. After all, Ye Qiang Wei was still young and was easily carried away by her feelings.

“Grandma, what are you talking about?” Ye Qiang Wei asked as her cheeks flushed red, “I don’t have any feelings for him. I just think he’s different from all the men I’ve met...”

The old woman nodded and said, “Alright, alright, I believe you. I just wanted to remind you so that you won’t be confused by your curiosity. He’s just a passerby in your life. You may never see him again after he leaves Blue Dawn City...”

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Duan Ling Tian was unaware of the duo’s conversation. He returned to the grand courtyard that the Wang clan had arranged for him to stay in after his stroll in the city. After this, he did not plan to leave his courtyard again until the day of his wedding.

After acting out a show with Wang Luo Yu, he would bring Wang Luo Yu away from Blue Dawn City, and after he found a place for her to settle down, he would continue pursuing his goal to become a peerless top advanced Supreme God.

Previously, Duan Ling Tian wanted to become stronger so he could capture Yun Qing Yan, who had been possessed by a supreme powerhouse from the Soul Imprisonment Clan. However, he was not certain when he would become a supreme powerhouse or if he would be strong enough to deal with the other party after he became a supreme powerhouse. As such, he thought that the best way was for him to become a peerless top advanced Supreme God first. At that time, he might be able to catch the eye of a powerful supreme powerhouse, and in exchange for his service, perhaps, the supreme powerhouse could help him save Ke'er.

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Days before the wedding, two uninvited guests suddenly showed up at the Wang clan. They were from the Meng clan in Green Billow City. The Meng clan had been a hot topic recently among the people after the emergence of the clan's first supreme powerhouse. Everyone knew that the Meng clan would soar to great heights now that the clan had a supreme powerhouse.

Outside of the Wang clan's estate, an elder of the Wang clan led a young man and a middle-aged man through the main entrance as he said, "Young Master Meng, this way please. Our clan leader has been informed of your visit, and he's waiting for you at the reception hall."

The young man was Meng Yu Zheng, a direct descendant of the Meng clan. Not long ago, he had also visited the Wang clan. However, his treatment at that time was very different. Wang Kui, the Clan Leader of the Wang clan, did not even bother to meet him, and he was also rejected. After a supreme powerhouse appeared in the Meng clan, the treatment from the Wang clan had changed drastically. He believed that if Wang Kui knew that the Meng clan's supreme powerhouse doted on him the most, Wang Kui would definitely personally receive him.

When Wang Kui met Meng Yu Zheng, he was very friendly. "Young Master Meng, you must be here to attend the wedding in our clan. However, there are still ten days left before the wedding. Why don't I arrange for my men to show you around Blue Dawn City? All your expenses will be on us."

Wang Kui's generosity and warmth were not surprising now that the Meng clan had a supreme powerhouse, propelling the Meng clan to greater heights. He naturally did not dare mistreat Meng Yu Zheng, the representative of the Meng clan. Moreover, he was not worried about Meng Yu Zheng spending recklessly since such behavior would only be an embarrassment to the Meng clan.

Meanwhile, upon hearing Wang Kui's words, Meng Yu Zheng's expression turned frosty. He asked indignantly, "Clan Leader Wang, what do you mean by this? Are you mocking me, Meng Yu Zheng?"

Chapter 4420 The Green Flame Saber King

"Are you mocking me?!"

Wang Kui, the Clan Leader of the Wang clan, was shocked and baffled by Meng Yu Zheng's sudden change of attitude. He asked solemnly, "Young Master Meng, is there a misunderstanding?"

At the same time, Wang Kui recalled his previous words. After confirming that he did not say anything inappropriate, he wondered inwardly if there was something wrong with Meng Yu Zheng. He could not help but sneer inwardly when he wondered if Meng Yu Zheng thought he could disregard the Wang clan simply because a supreme powerhouse appeared in the Meng clan recently.

The Wang clan had a supreme powerhouse in the past as well. The clan's supreme powerhouse had a close relationship with a few other supreme powerhouses, and up until now, the clan continued to maintain the relationship with them. If anything were to happen to the Wang clan, it was unlikely that those supreme powerhouses would do nothing. Otherwise, it would be impossible for the Wang clan to survive in Blue Dawn City until now.

"A misunderstanding?" Meng Yu Zheng said with a scoff, "Clan Leader Wang, previously, when I came to propose marriage to Miss Wang Luo Yu, a grand elder told me that she had no intention of getting married in the next 100 years so she could mourn the death of her elder brother. However,

now I'm told she's getting married to another man. Clan Leader Wang, do you think the Meng clan and I are fools?"

A hint of anger could be heard in Meng Yu Zheng's voice nearing the end of his words. After all, it was clear to him that the Wang clan had looked down on him. He had returned this time to vent his anger. After all, the Wang clan could not dismiss him easily now that the Meng clan had a supreme powerhouse.

Wang Kui was stunned when he heard Meng Yu Zheng bringing up the words of the elder of the Wang clan from before. His expression darkened as realization dawned on him that Meng Yu Zheng came this time bearing ill intentions. It was clear that Meng Yu Zheng was going to stir up trouble.

Finally, Wang Kui looked at Meng Yu Zheng and shook his head as he said solemnly, "Young Master Meng, if this is true, I'll punish that grand elder severely. A grand elder isn't qualified to speak on behalf of the Wang clan."

Meng Yu Zheng frowned. He did not expect Wang Kui to push the blame on the grand elder and settle the matter by punishing that grand elder. He fell momentarily silent, realizing that Wang Kui was not easy to deal with. After taking a deep breath, he looked at Wang Kui intently and said seriously, "If that's the case, it means that the Wang clan had no reason to decline my proposal. Why don't you make amends by making me the groom? No one will be the wiser if you switch the groom now since no one knows who the original groom is..."

Wang Kui was slightly taken aback by Meng Yu Zheng's words. He did not expect Meng Yu Zheng to be so shameless. He thought to himself as he looked at Meng Yu Zheng with a hint of disdain, 'Does he think he's comparable to Li Feng, a monstrous prodigy?'

Outwardly, Wang Kui chuckled and said, "Young Master Meng, you must be joking."

These words were meant to give Meng Yu Zheng a way out; they could pretend to dismiss Meng Yu Zheng's earlier words as a joke. However, if Meng Yu Zheng did not back down, he was not afraid of offending Meng Yu Zheng. Although the Meng clan now had a supreme powerhouse, the Wang clan was not a pushover as well. Moreover, the Meng clan's supreme powerhouse might not even be willing to offend the Wang clan for Meng Yu Zheng's sake. After all, it was impossible for a supreme powerhouse to favor all his descendants and stand up for them.

Meng Yu Zheng said with a sneer, "Clan Leader Wang, I'm not joking. I believe my grandfather will agree with me as well."

"Your grandfather?" Wang Kui frowned as a sense of foreboding rose in his heart. Based on Meng Yu Zheng's domineering attitude and words, he was not entirely surprised when he heard the following words.

"My grandfather is Meng Tian Feng," Meng Yu Zheng said arrogantly.

'As expected...'

Meng Yu Zheng continued to say with a smug expression, "My grandfather dotes on me the most among the younger generation in the clan. Before he became a supreme powerhouse, he had made an announcement that he would cultivate me as the next Clan Leader of the Meng clan."

How could Wang Kui not know at this point why Meng Yu Zheng dared to act so brazenly? As it turned out, Meng Yu Zheng had the support of the Meng clan's supreme powerhouse. Unlike the Meng clan, the Wang clan currently did not have any supreme powerhouse. Nonetheless, he did not think that the Meng clan alone was capable of destroying the Wang clan. After all, the Wang clan's supreme powerhouse must have left behind many secret weapons and trump cards before he passed.

Meng Yu Zheng looked at Wang Kui meaningfully and asked, “Clan Leader Wang, I don’t think you want to offend my grandfather, right?”

Wang Kui did not respond to Meng Yu Zheng. Instead, he looked at the person standing behind Meng Yu Zheng. Although he did not know the other party’s identity, he could tell that the other party was at the very least on par with him. He was certain the other party was not a descendant of the Meng clan and speculated that the other party was likely a powerhouse who joined the Meng clan after Meng Tian Feng became a supreme powerhouse.

In the Outer Boundary, it was common for many powerful advanced Supreme Gods, even those who were close to becoming peerless top advanced Supreme Gods, to join forces with supreme powerhouses. Not only would they gain the protection of a supreme powerhouse by doing so, but they would also gain many things in return such as the supreme powerhouse’s Divine Energy.

As for new supreme powerhouses, they would usually recruit subordinates after their breakthrough. However, there was a limit to the number of subordinates they accepted. Needless to say, the limit did not apply to peerless top advanced Supreme Gods.

“Clan Leader Wang, if you think I’m bluffing, you can ask the person standing behind me. He was a famous and powerful sectless cultivator in the Divine Sand Realm. I’m sure you’ve heard of him before,” Meng Yu Zheng said as he turned to look at the middle-aged man behind him. His tone turned more respectful as he continued to say, “Uncle Tan, please vouch for my words.”

The middle-aged man opened his eyes and looked at Wang Kui with a piercing gaze before he cupped his fists together and said with vigor, “Tan Xiu Teng greets Clan Leader Wang.”

Wang Kui’s eyes widened upon hearing the name Tan Xiu Teng.

Tan Xiu Teng was a famous sectless cultivator in the Divine Sand Realm and was close to becoming a peerless top advanced Supreme God.

Wang Kui was not even sure he could fight Tan Xiu Teng to a draw, let alone defeat Tan Xiu Teng, unless he used the trump cards in the Wang clan that had been passed down for generations.

Finally, Wang Kui said respectfully, “As it turns out, you’re the Green Flame Saber King. My apologies for failing to recognize you earlier.”

In the Wang clan, only the two supreme elders of the clan were capable of defeating Tan Xiu Teng. After half a month, when Li Feng, the monstrous prodigy, joined the Wang clan, there would be another member capable of defeating Tan Xiu Teng.

Tan Xiu Teng, the Green Flame Saber King, smiled faintly. However, his eyes glinted coldly as he said, “Clan Leader Wang, Young Master Meng was telling the truth. I hope the Wang clan will show my lord due respect and marry Miss Wang Luo Yu to Young Master Meng. The wedding will continue and take place in ten days.”

Tan Xiu Teng was famous for his profound comprehension of the Saber Dao. Apart from that, as an expert in the law of fire, after a fortuitous encounter, the red flames he manifested had turned green, boosting its strength greatly. For these reasons, he was called the Green Flame