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Chapter 4601 Killing Lei Hong

“It’s Lord Lei Hong!”

“Lord Lei Hong, are you trying to kill Zhang Shan?”

Those few people who were just about to leave but came to watch the show recognized Lei Hong and Zhang Shan immediately.

Lei Hong was a top World supreme powerhouse in the Sun Bright World before he became a level-seven supreme powerhouse, after all. Moreover, he also attended many important events in the Transcendence World in the past.

As for Zhang Shan, although he was not among the strongest World supreme powerhouses, he was still a famous World supreme powerhouse.

The most important thing now was that Zhang Shan was the only World supreme powerhouse in his clan. Currently, it was not just the Three Upper Worlds, but most of the World supreme powerhouses in the 18 Middle Worlds had gone into hiding, afraid that Lei Hong would kill them.

Lei Hong had always been overbearing, belligerent, and ruthless. Before his breakthrough, no one feared him like they did now because there were many who could keep him in check. However, now that he had broken through, as long as he did not provoke the God Defying World, he was like an overlord in the Myriad Worlds. Apart from the duo from the God Defying World, no one in the Myriad Worlds was a match for him at all.

“Lord Zhang Shan actually came here? Isn’t he afraid of death?”

“That’s right. Even the World supreme powerhouse from the Profound Law Heavenly Set left the sect and went into hiding after Lord Fang’s death was confirmed.”

“Who are the two people standing in front of him? With Lord Zhang’s status, he’s actually willing to stand behind them. Are they powerful World supreme powerhouses?”

“I don’t know about the other young man, but one of them is the first level-seven supreme powerhouse after the historical gap from the God Defying World!”

A few of the onlookers recognized Feng Qing Yang immediately.

Previously, when the Heaven Traversing Pagoda appeared, Feng Qing Yang guarded the pagoda and prevented others from entering the pagoda. At that time, in addition to the Saints and World supreme powerhouses, many demi Saints and imminent World supreme powerhouses went to have a look as well.

“It turns out to be Lord Feng Qing Yang!”

“Then, the person next to him should be Lord Duan Ling Tian, right? I heard that Lord Duan is a disciple of Lord Feng. Those two have become famous in the God Defying World...”

“No wonder Lord Lei didn’t kill Lord Zhang immediately. No wonder he asked those two for a favor... They’re not weaker than him after all”

“There are only four level-seven supreme powerhouses now. I didn’t expect to be able to meet all of them at once today!”

Many people were amazed and felt fortunate. They had just met Meng Han from the Jade Tide Heavenly Mansion in the Outer Boundary, who was also the only level-seven supreme powerhouse in the Outer Boundary. As soon as they stepped out, they met Feng Qing Yang, Duan Ling Tian, and Lei Hong.

“Lord Lei obviously wants to kill Lord Zhang. Will those two agree to his request?”

“I think so. They’re peers after all. There’s no need to burn bridges for an outsider.”

Most people thought that Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang would give in to Lei Hong.

At this time, Feng Qing Yang and Duan Ling Tian silently exchanged a look.

Then, Duan Ling Tian looked at Lei Hong as though he was looking at a fool and said disdainfully, “Who do you think you are? Why must we do you a favor?”

Although this was Duan Ling Tian’s first time meeting Lei Hong, he had heard of Lei Hong long ago.

Lei Hong’s expression changed drastically upon hearing Duan Ling Tian’s words.

The onlookers were shocked as well.

Duan Ling Tian was too domineering after all. Not only was he not polite to Lei Hong, who was on par with him, but he also seemed a little hostile.

“Lord Duan!” Zhang Shan’s eyes lit up with gratitude. He had felt uneasy until Duan Ling Tian had spoken. After all, he was not sure if Duan Ling Tian and the others would give up on him.

“Duan Ling Tian, are you going to burn bridges with me?” Lei Hong asked in a deep voice.

“So what if I am? Who do you think you are?” Duan Ling Tian said with a sneer.

Duan Ling Tian did not have a good impression of Lei Hong at all. Put aside Lei Hong’s recent deeds, after Duan Ling Tian overcame the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation, Lei Hong was one of the World supreme powerhouses from the Three Upper Worlds who had threatened the God Defying World to hand him over. If it were not for their fear of him after his breakthrough, they would have already destroyed the God Defying World, which would inevitably affect his family and friends.

“You!”

Lei Hong did not expect Duan Ling Tian to be so hostile. After all, this was the first time they met. There was no reason for Duan Ling Tian to be hostile even if Duan Ling Tian did not agree with him.

Duan Ling Tian scoffed coldly and took a step forward. In just an instant, his energy surged out along with his law of space, and a sword appeared in his hand.

Buzz!

A huge sword ray flew out, illuminating the sky and parting the clouds. It was so huge that it covered the sun and the sky. It shot toward Lei Hong at lightning speed.

Swoosh!

Spatial cracks appeared in its wake, and it generated a storm as it flew. It was as though it was going to destroy the entire Transcendence World.

In the distance, the Profound Law Heavenly Sect's Guarding Formation rose up, barely blocking the shockwave of the attack and alarming everyone inside.

"This aura... Is it Brother Duan?!"

Meng Han was the first one to come out to see what was going on.

At this moment, Lei Hong bellowed, "Duan Ling Tian, what are you doing?"

It was too late for Lei Hong to dodge so he mobilized all his energy and his law to block the sword. Alas, after a brief stalemate, he could no longer hold on and was beheaded.

Boom!

Lei Hong's body exploded, but there was no flesh or blood. It was as though he had just vanished into thin air.

Feng Qing Yang sneered. "He's quite careful. It's just a doppelganger."

Duan Ling Tian remained indifferent. As early as when he detected Lei Hong, he could already sense something was amiss. Later, when Lei Hong boldly targeted Zhang Shan in his and his master's presence, he had already guessed that Lei Hong's true body was not here.

However, even if it was just a doppelganger of the law, with the Dao of Heaven and Earth Lei Hong mastered and the other laws he comprehended to the perfect form, it was still much stronger than World supreme powerhouses.

On the contrary, the doppelganger was no match for Duan Ling Tian at all. This was obvious by how Duan Ling Tian beheaded the doppelganger with just one strike. It was not just Duan Ling Tian, even Feng Qing Yang could easily destroy the doppelganger.

"As it turns out, it's just a doppelganger."

At this moment, the onlookers also recovered from their shock. Earlier, when Duan Ling Tian struck and killed Lei Hong with just a strike, they had been thoroughly shocked. Now that they found out that it was just a doppelganger, they naturally were no longer shocked.

Chapter 4602 Lei Hong Goes Into Hiding

“Lord Lei’s doppelganger is really lifelike!” a few people exclaimed.

Let alone imminent World supreme powerhouses, one could easily distinguish between the doppelgangers of a World supreme powerhouse and the real person. Their eyes were usually lifeless.

However, Lei Hong’s doppelganger was different. They could clearly see the emotions in its eyes. There were also no abnormalities that they could find with their Divine Consciousness.

“The change is really huge after becoming a level-seven supreme powerhouse,” someone said.

Lei Hong was a native of the Myriad Worlds. He did not possess bloodline power and could summon doppelgangers of the laws.

Unlike the others, Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang were naturally aware of the qualitative change in their doppelgangers after becoming level-seven supreme powerhouses. In the beginning, they only briefly extended their Divine Consciousness that touched that of Lei Hong so they did not notice unusual.

It was only Lei Hong’s boldness that made Duan Ling Tian suspect that Lei Hong was just a doppelganger. Since Lei Hong was intent on killing all the World supreme powerhouses, how could he show himself so openly and put himself in danger? Moreover, how could he have the confidence to escape two level-seven supreme powerhouses?

Even if Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang were just ordinary level-seven supreme powerhouses, if they joined forces, Lei Hong would still have to pay a high price to escape from them.

Meanwhile, Zhang Shan finally sighed in relief. Although he now knew it was just a doppelganger, Lei Hong was still capable of killing him. After calming down, he quickly expressed his gratitude to Duan Ling Tian. “Thank you, Lord Duan.”

“Don’t mention it,” Duan Ling Tian said lightly, “Not only are you a friend of Lord Xiao, but you also led us here. I can’t just do nothing if someone attacks you. If you’re killed, it’ll affect my and my master’s reputation.”

Although Duan Ling Tian spoke calmly, his words were domineering.

At this moment, a burst of laughter rang in the air before Meng Han flew over.

“Brother Duan, Brother Feng, we meet again! Lei Hong should be grateful he sent his doppelganger. Otherwise, he would’ve died today!”

Meng Han landed in front of Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang and greeted them enthusiastically.

Duan Ling Tian, Feng Qing Yang, and Xiao Mu Bai understood the meaning behind Meng Han’s words. Meng Han was aware of Duan Ling Tian’s strength and knew that even if Lei Hong was here in person, Duan Ling Tian would still be able to kill Lei Hong.

However, Zhang Shan and the others assumed that Meng Han was just being polite. After all, it seemed like he had a good relationship with Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang. Not only that, but he also seemed to dislike Lei Hong and was willing to join forces with the duo to deal with Lei Hong.

“I didn’t expect Lord Meng from the Outer Boundary to have such a good relationship with Lord Duan and Lord Feng!”

“Isn’t that normal? Didn’t you hear that Lord Meng was the first person to enter the Heaven Traversing Pagoda thanks to Lord Duan and Lord Feng?”

“I heard that before becoming famous, Lord Duan briefly joined the Jade Tide Heavenly Mansion as a disciple as well.”

“Fortunately for Lord Lei, he didn’t show up in person. Otherwise, he would have likely died today.”

Zhang Shan felt that it was a pity Lei Hong did not come in person today.

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Later, when the others came out from the Profound Law Heavenly Sect, they also learned about what happened and were shocked.

At this time, one person was hiding behind a crowd and sending a message to Lei Hong. He was an imminent World supreme powerhouse from Sun Bright World. The force he belonged to was governed by the Cyan Swan Saint Sect, which was Lei Hong’s sect.

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At this moment, Lei Hong's expression was rather unsightly. He was leaving the Transcendence World for the Sun Bright World now. He really did not expect Duan Ling Tian to be so overbearing and destroy his doppelganger. He really did not know how he had offended Duan Ling Tian.

'Was I too polite earlier so he thought I was a pushover? I need to make more preparations. Who knows if Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang will come to the Sun Bright World and join forces to kill me?'

At this moment, Lei Hong received a message, and his expression grew even more unsightly.

"What? Meng Han is also standing on their side and is willing to join forces with them to deal with me? Meng Han even said that if I were there in person, I wouldn't have been able to survive?!"

Lei Hong was confident he could escape from Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang even if they joined forces. At most, he would be injured. However, if Meng Han joined them as well, he was not confident he could escape at all.

'Meng Han, there's no enmity between us. Why are you teaming up with them against me?'

Lei Hong's unsightly expression did not ease at all as he returned to the Sun Bright World.

"It seems like I can't return to the sect at all. If the three of them come looking for me at the sect, I'll be dead."

Lei Hong did not return to the Cyan Swan Saint Sect after returning to the Sun Bright World. He sent a message to the World supreme powerhouse of the sect to inform the other party that he was going into hiding. He also told the other party that if Duan Ling Tian, Feng Qing Yang, and Meng

Han showed up to cause trouble at the Cyan Swan Sect, the other party should tell the trio that he would not let the God Defying World and the Jade Tide Heavenly Mansion go.

“How did things escalate to this point?”

The World supreme powerhouse of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect was puzzled. He did not understand how Lei Hong managed to offend all three level-seven supreme powerhouses at the same time. After all, there were only four level-seven supreme powerhouses, Lei Hong had offended three of them!

Lei Hong did not bother to explain himself. After he became a level-seven supreme powerhouse, his ego had grown even bigger. He no longer cared about anyone’s opinion, including those of his seniors and elders in the sect.

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Duan Ling Tian, Feng Qing Yang, and Meng Han were naturally unaware of what was going on.

The trio chatted for a while before they entered the Profound Law Heavenly Sect.

With that, Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang also confirmed that Fang Yi Fan, the top World supreme powerhouse of the Transcendence World, was truly dead. After all, seeing was believing. The purpose of their visit was to verify this matter.

Chapter 4603 Zhang Shan’s Decision

Meng Han's success in overcoming the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation had given hope to many Saints and World supreme powerhouses. They only found that it would be impossible to replicate his success when they found out that he had an additional Heaven Protection Talisman.

However, since Lei Hong managed to overcome the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation without a fourth Heaven Protection Talisman, everyone felt that they could replicate his success.

It was not surprising that many Saints and World supreme powerhouses were eager to break into the next realm after news of Lei Hong's breakthrough spread. Alas, unexpectedly, a few decades later, they found out that a supreme powerhouse who was no weaker than Lei Hong was killed by the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation. Needless to say, this greatly impacted their morale.

'It seems like even if we successfully obtain the Heaven Protection Talisman from the Heaven Traversing Pagoda, we can't rush to face the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation. We have to be very prepared before facing the tribulation. Initially, I couldn't wait to heal my injuries so I can enter the Heaven Traversing Pagoda again to obtain the Heaven Protection Talisman. However, it seems like there's no rush now,' a World supreme powerhouse, who failed to obtain the Heaven Protection Talisman by a narrow margin, thought to himself after learning about Fang Yi Fan's demise.

At the same time, two World supreme powerhouses from the Three Upper Worlds who recently obtained the Heaven Protection Talisman were filled with fright as they discussed among themselves.

"I obtained the Heaven Protection Talisman a decade ago. Fortunately, I didn't rush to face the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation. Otherwise, I might have died just like Fang Yi Fan!"

"I feel the same way. I didn't expect that even Fang Yi Fan failed to survive the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation. He wasn't any weaker than me..."

Fang Yi Fan's death was like a reminder to the Saints and World supreme powerhouses in the Outer Boundary and the Myriad Worlds. They realized that even with the Heaven Protection Talisman, they might not be able to survive the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation.

With this, quite a few Saints and World supreme powerhouses decided to face the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation only after they had fully comprehended two laws to the paramount stage and the Dao of Heaven and Earth they comprehended to the seventh stage. With these, the probability of them surviving the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation would be higher. One should know that even without comprehending two laws to the paramount stage, one could still trigger the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation by comprehending two laws to the perfect form.

Many people were aware of Lei Hong's strength. Since he was able to become a level-seven supreme powerhouse, it meant that he did not suppress his Dao of Heaven and Earth, and when he was a World supreme powerhouse, he must have at least comprehended two laws to the paramount stage. He was considered one of the strongest World supreme powerhouses because he had comprehended at least one law to the perfect form and the others to a high degree, not counting the two he had comprehended to the paramount stage.

Most of the other World supreme powerhouse comprehended one law to the paramount stage and had a profound comprehension of the Four Daos of Heaven and Earth.

Although a World supreme powerhouse who comprehended two laws to the paramount stage was not unprecedented, most of their comprehension of the Four Daos of Heaven and Earth was not very high.

Many of them focused on comprehending the laws to the paramount stage and neglected their Four Daos of Heaven and Earth. For this reason, their strength was only ordinary.

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After leaving the Profound Law Heavenly Sect, Meng Han bade farewell to Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang.

When only Duan Ling Tian, Feng Qing Yang, Xiao Mu Bai, and Zhang Shan were left, Xiao Mu Bai smiled and said to Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang, “My lords, Senior Zhang Shan plans to move his clan from the Sun Bright World to the God Defying World. I wonder what your thoughts are about this?”

As a Lord of the God Defying World, Xiao Mu Bai naturally wished for there to be more World supreme powerhouses in the God Defying World even if they were not natives of the God Defying World. Previously, Zhang Shan had expressed his envy that the God Defying World had two level-seven supreme powerhouses. At that time, Xiao Mu Bai had jokingly said that Zhang Shan could also bask in the glory by moving to the God Defying World.

Zhang Shan cupped his fists together at Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang as he said earnestly, “My lords, I genuinely wished to join the God Defying World. Please fulfill my wish!”

Zhang Shan had considered it thoroughly before making this decision. Previously, he did not take Xiao Mu Bai’s joke seriously. Although the God Defying World had two level-seven supreme powerhouses, he thought that the glory might not last long. After Meng Han and Lei Hong broke through one after another, he thought that he would eventually break through as well. He also believed that the World supreme powerhouses from the Three Upper Worlds would take that crucial step forward.

However, Fang Yi Fan’s demise had made Zhang Shan realize how difficult it was to overcome the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation even with the Heaven Protection Talisman. Even Lei Hong was severely injured after facing the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation. Otherwise, he would not have gone into seclusion for so many years before returning to the Sun Bright World. He knew that Lei Hong was arrogant and liked to show off. If Lei Hong was not injured, Lei Hong would have returned to the Sun Bright World to show off immediately.

Apart from that, Duan Ling Tian also saved his life from Lei Hong's doppelganger. He also heard from Xiao Mu Bai that Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang shared their knowledge regarding the Four Daos of Heaven and Earth with the supreme powerhouses of the God Defying World. He learned that Duan Ling Tian not only had a profound comprehension of the Sword Dao, but Duan Ling Tian also had a profound comprehension of the Mastery Dao and the Limitless Dao.

For all these reasons, after leaving the Profound Law Heavenly Sect, Zhang Shan decided to move his clan to the God Defying World. The God Defying World was one of the 18 Middle Worlds, but everyone knew the God Defying World was now stronger than the Three Upper Worlds.

"My master and I naturally welcome World supreme powerhouses to join the God Defying World," Duan Ling Tian said with a smile. He could tell from Xiao Mu Bai's gaze that Xiao Mu Bai had likely enticed Zhang Shan to join the God Defying World.

Feng Qing Yang laughed and said, "The God Defying World finally has a World supreme powerhouse again!"

"Thank you for the support, my lords!" Zhang Shan bowed and expressed his gratitude to Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang as he said, "I'll send a message to my good-for-nothing son and ask him to lead our clan to the God Defying World. Please take good care of us, my lords."

Then, Zhang Shan turned to Xiao Mu Bai and said with a smile, "Lord Xiao, we're like a family now. Please look after us as well."

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Xiao Mu Bai laughed happily. "That's right, Brother Zhang. We're a family now."

Xiao Mu Bai did not expect that after a long time, the God Defying World's first World supreme powerhouse would be an outsider. He was naturally aware it was all thanks to Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang that this happened and that it had nothing to do with his charm.

Xiao Mu Bai's gaze softened as he thought about his father who had passed away many years ago.

'Father, do you see this? The God Defying World finally has another World supreme powerhouse after you...'

Xiao Mu Bai did not consider Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang when he thought about this. After all, the duo was not World supreme powerhouses when they left the God Defying World, and when they returned, they had already surpassed World supreme powerhouses.

"Lord Xiao," Duan Ling Tian said through Voice Transmission, "The Divine Offering Land is safe under my protection. Let's arrange for Zhang Shan to settle down in another Realm of Gods so he could protect it."

"That's what I had in mind as well," Xiao Mu Bai quickly replied through Voice Transmission.

Apart from wanting Zhang Shan to protect another Realm of Gods, Xiao Mu Bai also planned to let Zhang Shan settle down in another Realm of Gods to avoid the chances of the members of the Zhang clan unknowingly offending Duan Ling Tian's family and friends. After all, it was not an easy decision for the Zhang clan to move to the God Defying World. As such, Xiao Mu Bai did not want the Zhang clan to suffer any slight after moving to the God Defying World.

Shortly after, Xiao Mu Bai brought Zhang Shan back to the God Defying World and prepared to introduce him to the other Lords of the God Defying World.

Before they left, Zhang Shan sent a message to his son, an imminent World supreme powerhouse, to lead the clan to the God Defying World.

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“Move to the God Defying World? Father, are you serious?”

Zhang Shan’s son was puzzled by his father’s decision. His father had left the Transcendence World to avoid Lei Hong so he was surprised to learn that his father had returned to the Transcendence World but did not return to the clan. Then, he was further shocked when he learned about his father’s intention to move to the God Defying World.

Zhang Shan explained, “I was fortunate this time because I had the protection of Lord Duan. However, I might not be so lucky next time. Even Fang Yi Fan failed to overcome the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation. You should know how powerful Lei Hong is now. With my current strength, it’s hard for me to obtain the Heavenly Protection Talisman in the Heaven Traversing Pagoda. Even if I manage to obtain it, I’m not confident about facing the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation. At least not until I’m stronger than Fang Yi Fan or my time is approaching...”

Zhang Shan was naturally referring to the once-in-10,000-year Heavenly Tribulation that would grow increasingly strong. He had already found his previous Heavenly Tribulation somewhat challenging and was injured. Although the injuries were minor, who knew if it would be the case during his next Heavenly Tribulation? His strength did not improve much since then. Although he was confident about surviving his upcoming Heavenly Tribulation, he knew he would pay a great price.

“Father, I understand,” Zhang Shan’s son said. He did not expect so many things to happen. Thinking about the death of Fang Yi Fan, the top World supreme powerhouse in the Transcendence World, he longer questioned his father’s decision.

He did not waste time and began to make preparations to move the clan to the God Defying World. He knew that some stubborn members would be unwilling to leave their home and could only let them be, considering them a branch of the Zhang clan.

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Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang did not return to the God Defying World with Xiao Mu Bai and Zhang Shan. Instead, the master and disciple went to the Cyan Swan Saint Sect in the Sun Bright World.

Earlier, Duan Ling Tian had killed Lei Hong's doppelganger. Although there was no serious damage to Lei Hong, it would take some time for Lei Hong to form a new doppelganger. There was no doubt that there was now a grudge between them, and it was only natural for them to confront each other.

"Lei Hong might not even be at the Cyan Swan Saint Sect," Duan Ling Tian said as he shook his head, "Based on his previous mode of operation, it's only natural for him to consider the possibility of us coming to the Sun Bright World to look for him and settle the scores."

Feng Qing Yang said, "I don't think he'll be at the sect as well. However, we should still visit the sect. Who knows if he's bold enough to stay at the sect?"

"If he's at the sect, he can only blame himself for being unlucky," Duan Ling Tian said with a smile.

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When Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang finally arrived at the Cyan Swan Saint Sect, Duan Ling Tian raised his hand. He did not bother to explain himself to his enemy's force.

A huge sword ray descended from the sky immediately, and the Cyan Swan Saint Sect's Guarding Formation was immediately triggered. Alas, it was easily crushed, looking like stars falling from the sky.

"I'm looking for Lei Hong," Duan Ling Tian said. A hint of killing intent could be heard in his otherwise indifferent voice.

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"That's Feng Qing Yang!"

"That person next to him who just spoke also made the move earlier. He must be Duan Ling Tian! He's Feng Qing Yang's disciple and the second level-seven supreme powerhouse in the God Defying World!"

When the supreme powerhouses flew up to the sky, they saw Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang. In just a moment, their anger seemed to drain out of their bodies, replaced by a sense of helplessness. What could they do? Even the strongest World supreme powerhouse needed at least 15 minutes to destroy their Guarding Formation, but a level-seven supreme powerhouse could do that in just a blink of an eye. They were angry but powerless and could only resign to their fate.

Despite their feelings, they naturally had to greet Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang, not wanting to further provoke the duo.

There were a few who glared at the duo and refused to show respect. They were not afraid. After all, in their opinion, if the duo dared to attack them, their sect's level-seven supreme powerhouse would seek revenge from the God Defying World.

Meanwhile, after extending his Divine Consciousness, Duan Ling Tian said, "He's indeed not in the sect."

At this moment, the Clan Leader of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect stepped forward and relayed Lei Hong's threatening message to Duan Ling Tian.

Duan Ling Tian sneered. Then, he extended his Divine Consciousness to the World supreme powerhouse of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect, causing the latter to turn pale. His eyes shone with killing intent as he raised his hand.

A sword ray shot toward the World supreme powerhouse as Duan Ling Tian said, "I'll be waiting for Lei Hong in the God Defying World then."

Chapter 4605 The Death of a World Supreme Powerhouse

For the longest time, World supreme powerhouses and Saints were peerless in the Myriad Worlds and the Outer Boundary. However, today, when faced with Duan Ling Tian's attack, the World supreme powerhouse from the Cyan Swan Saint Sect showed fear on his face.

Boom!

The World supreme powerhouse quickly mobilized all his energy to block the sword ray. At the same time, he cursed the Sect Leader of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect inwardly for relaying Lei Hong's

threatening message to Duan Ling Tian. In his opinion, the latter could have conveyed the message in a better tone.

Apart from that, the World supreme powerhouse thought that Duan Ling Tian attacked him because Duan Ling Tian was young, inexperienced, and arrogant. He thought that Duan Ling Tian was really rash for attacking him.

‘Isn’t he worried about Lei Hong wreaking havoc in the God Defying World?’ the World supreme powerhouse thought to himself. He did not think that Duan Ling Tian would be able to stop Lei Hong if Lei Hong ambushed the God Defying World.

Bang!

A loud explosion rang when the World supreme powerhouse from the Cyan Swan Saint Sect blocked Duan Ling Tian’s sword ray. The collision immediately generated a huge shockwave that swept in all directions.

The imminent World supreme powerhouses were shocked by the strength of the shockwave and hurriedly retreated. Those who were weaker were immediately sent flying. Their faces turned pale, and they were horrified, caught in the battle between two powerhouses.

The Sect Leader of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect was dumbfounded. He did not expect Duan Ling Tian to make a move against the sect’s World supreme powerhouse, who was his junior granduncle, as soon as he relayed Lei Hong’s message.

“Is this all you’ve got?” Duan Ling Tian asked.

Although the World supreme powerhouse managed to block the attack, Duan Ling Tian undoubtedly had absolute control over the fight. Moreover, he did not even use full strength. Nonetheless, he was rather disappointed in the strength of his opponent. His opponent was much weaker than Zhao An Yi, the Saint of the Azure Cloud Saint Sect in the Outer Boundary, and was slightly weaker than Guo Lin, the other Saint of the Azure Cloud Saint Sect.

“L-lord Duan... L-let's talk...”

Based on Duan Ling Tian's casual demeanor, it was obvious to the World supreme powerhouse that Duan Ling Tian had been holding back. Perhaps, Duan Ling Tian did not even use half his strength. On the contrary, he had used up every ounce of his strength and barely blocked Duan Ling Tian's attack.

Before Duan Ling Tian could respond, the Sect Leader of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect said loudly, “Lord Duan, don't forget that my senior brother, Lei Hong, isn't any weaker than you! If you dare to kill my junior granduncle, Senior Brother Lei Hong won't let you get away with it!”

Duan Ling Tian only raised an eyebrow when he heard these words.

On the contrary, the expression of the World supreme powerhouse of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect changed drastically.

‘Why didn't I realize before this that the sect leader is so stupid? Can't he tell that his words are only further angering Duan Ling Tian? Do all young people have such a short temper?’

The World supreme powerhouse did not even have time to appease Duan Ling Tian before Duan Ling Tian made a move again.

“I’ve said it before, and I’ll say it again: I’ll be waiting for him in the God Defying World.”

As soon as Duan Ling Tian’s voice fell, a sword ray that was brighter and stronger than before shot out.

Swoosh!

The terrifying sword ray broke through the World supreme powerhouse’s attack and devoured it in just a blink of an eye, leaving spatial tears in its wake.

“No!”

A harrowing and resentful cry rang in the air before the sword ray multiplied and killed the World supreme powerhouse, reducing him to ashes that were swept away by the spatial turbulence.

Boom! Boom! Boom!

Following that, the clear blue sky above the Cyan Swan Saint Sect darkened as dark clouds gathered. Lightning flashed in the sky accompanied by the sounds of thunder. Soon enough, the dark clouds turned red as blood began to rain down.

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This phenomenon, which was much more intense than the phenomenon that heralded the death of imminent World supreme powerhouses, by everyone near the Cyan Swan Saint Sect.

“What is that?”

A World supreme powerhouse from a top force nearby led a few people and flew up into the sky as they looked in the direction of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect. Their eyes widened when they saw the scene. From afar, they saw a figure shattered into pieces under blood-red clouds. Blood rained down heavily as a harrowing cry rang out.

“It came from the Cyan Swan Sect!”

“I’ve seen the phenomenon when an imminent World supreme powerhouse died. It’s really nothing compared to this one.”

“We wouldn’t have been able to see this phenomenon if an imminent World supreme powerhouse from the Cyan Swan Saint Sect died. If I’m not wrong, this is the phenomenon that declares the death of a World supreme powerhouse!”

“That figure and voice are very familiar... I think it’s the World supreme powerhouse of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect!”

The onlookers decided to brave the blood rain and moved closer to the Cyan Swan Saint Sect to have a look. When they arrived, they saw two people in the air staring at the group of people from the Cyan Swan Saint Sect indifferently.

Although the spatial tears in front of Duan Ling Tian were already sealed, they could still sense the terrifying spatial energy lingering in the air.

Duan Ling Tian looked at the Sect Leader of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect before he said, “I’m going to send your sect leader to accompany your World supreme powerhouse as well. The rest of you should go and inform Lei Hong that I’ll be waiting for him in the God Defying World.”

The onlookers were shocked when they found out that the purple-clad young man in front of them was Duan Ling Tian, the second level-seven supreme powerhouse after the historical gap. Apart from that, according to the heavenly text, he was also the first person to overcome the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation after the historical gap.

Chapter 4606 Young and Rash?

“No! If you dare to kill me, Senior Brother will definitely not spare the God Defying World!”

Panic set in when the Sect Leader of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect heard Duan Ling Tian’s words and saw the killing intent in Duan Ling Tian’s eyes. Moreover, his junior granduncle, who was a World supreme powerhouse, had also been killed by Duan Ling Tian. It was easy as killing a chicken for Duan Ling Tian to kill a World supreme powerhouse, let alone an imminent World supreme powerhouse like him.

“You can’t kill me!” the Sect Leader of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect roared at the top of his lungs. These were his final words before his demise.

As soon as his voice fell, the space around him suddenly began to distort even though Duan Ling Tian was motionless. Following that, he mysteriously shattered into pieces, and his aura vanished immediately.

Boom!

The blood clouds in the sky had yet to disperse, but blood rained down even harder than before as the phenomena that announced the deaths of a World supreme powerhouse and imminent World supreme powerhouse overlapped.

Silence permeated the entire place.

The supreme powerhouses of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect and the onlookers felt chills running up their spines after they witnessed Duan Ling Tian killing the World supreme powerhouse and the imminent World supreme powerhouse of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect.

No one from the Cyan Swan Saint Sect dared to speak, afraid that it would cost them their lives. Seeing that Duan Ling Tian acted without caring about the consequences his actions might bring to the God Defying World, they wondered if Duan Ling Tian was truly not worried about Lei Hong wreaking havoc in the God Defying World.

Both Lei Hong and Duan Ling Tian were level-seven supreme powerhouses. In the eyes of the members of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect, Duan Ling Tian could not possibly be stronger than Lei Hong because Duan Ling Tian was much younger. In their opinion, the years of experience that Lei Hong had accumulated would give Lei Hong an advantage over Duan Ling Tian. Although the God Defying World had two level-seven supreme powerhouses, they believed that even if the two joined forces, Lei Hong would still be able to escape from them.

Naturally, these people did not dare to voice their thoughts. The tragic death of their sect leader served as a warning to them. They knew that if their sect leader had spoken and acted more diplomatically, perhaps Duan Ling Tian would not have killed their World supreme powerhouse and their sect leader.

They were in despair at this moment. The Cyan Swan Saint Sect's level-seven supreme powerhouse did not dare to return to the sect, and their World supreme powerhouse was dead. With this, would they still be considered the top sect in the Sun Bright World? Thankfully, as long as Lei Hong was still alive, they would still be a force to reckon with in the Sun Bright World no matter what.

"Master, let's go back," Duan Ling Tian said as he glanced at the silent members of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect.

After Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang vanished from sight, the onlookers finally regained their senses. A few of the supreme powerhouses from the neighboring forces finally had courage to come forward and asked about what happened. However, they did not get any answers since the supreme powerhouses of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect were not in the mood to talk. However, one or two supreme powerhouses with connections to the Cyan Swan Saint Sect soon found out about what happened after speaking to their friends in the Cyan Swan Saint Sect.

"What? Lei Hong confronted Duan Ling Tian then he fled because he was worried Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang would look for him in the Cyan Swan Saint Sect?"

"Before Lei Hong fled, he told the sect to tell Duan Ling Tian that if Duan Ling Tian dared to make a move on the sect, he would not let the God Defying World go? However, it seems like his threat didn't hold much weight at all."

"Indeed, his threat was useless! Otherwise, Duan Ling Tian wouldn't have killed the sect's World supreme powerhouse and imminent World supreme powerhouse. The Cyan Swan Saint Sect is really unlucky this time!"

"I heard that the sect leader rashly conveyed Lei Hong's threat to Duan Ling Tian. That must have angered Duan Ling Tian."

“Was he out of his mind? Although Duan Ling Tian is a level-seven supreme powerhouse, he’s still very young. Does the sect leader not know that young people have a short temper? They value their reputation more than their lives, and it seems like Duan Ling Tian isn’t any different from them.”

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Not long after, news of what happened spread like wildfire in the Sun Bright World, shocking and scaring everyone.

“What?! Duan Ling Tian from the God Defying World went to the Cyan Swan Saint Sect and killed Lei Hong’s junior granduncle who was a World supreme powerhouse? He also killed the Sect Leader of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect?!”

“What happened? Even when Duan Ling Tian and his master were the only two level-seven supreme powerhouses around, they did not kill indiscriminately. Why did Duan Ling Tian suddenly act against Lei Hong’s Cyan Swan Saint Sect?”

“I heard from a reliable source that Lei Hong tried to kill a World supreme powerhouse from the Transcendence World. Unfortunately for him, that World supreme powerhouse is acquainted with Duan Ling Tian. I also heard that World supreme powerhouse has moved his clan from the Transcendence World to the God Defying World.”

“It’s unprecedented for World supreme powerhouses from the Sun Bright World to be killed by another person, right?”

“It’s not just the Sun Bright World. It’s unprecedented in the Three Upper Worlds. Those who were killed were from the 18 Middle Worlds....”

“Once Lei Hong learns about this, he’ll probably go crazy, won’t he?”

“Oh, he’ll definitely lose it! He might even go on a killing spree in the God Defying World!”

“You really can’t mess with young people. They have such a short temper!”

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In a remote corner of the Sun Bright World.

The people’s speculations were proven right.

Before news of what happened in the Cyan Swan Saint Sect spread, Lei Hong had already received several messages from the sect, and he was furious.

‘Young and rash?’

Lei Hong did not think Duan Ling Tian was rash.

‘To achieve so much at a young age, how could he be rash? Could he have come this far if he was rash?’

Although Lei Hong was furious, he quickly calmed himself down. He began to wonder if there was a conspiracy behind Duan Ling Tian's actions. He wondered if Duan Ling Tian was trying to lure him to the God Defying World? If he went on a killing spree in the God Defying World, it would give Duan Ling Tian a legitimate reason to kill him.

Lei Hong had always been arrogant, and he had also suffered many losses due to his arrogance. After facing several near-death experiences due to his arrogance, he also learned from his mistake. From then on, he learned how to retreat and admit defeat if he was not a match for his opponent. If he could not afford to provoke his opponent, he would endure it.

For example, back when Feng Qing Yang was guarding the Heaven Traversing Pagoda, Lei Hong swallowed his pride and did not make a fuss, retreating silently even though he was displeased. If he were arrogant and kicked up a fuss, he would have already died at that time.

After becoming a level-seven supreme powerhouse, he was confident about his ability so he dared to act arrogantly again when he went after the other World supreme powerhouses. It was not a rash decision. Because of his experience, he believed that Duan Ling Tian did not kill the two powerhouses from the Cyan Swan Saint Sect rashly.

Chapter 4607 The Return of the Heavenly Emperor of the Solitary Destructive Heaven

“However, Duan Ling Tian acted so brazenly, wouldn't it be humiliating if I didn't do anything?”

From the beginning of his cultivation journey until now, he had only been humiliated once or twice when he was weak and young. It had never happened again since then. It was only natural that he was infuriated by Duan Ling Tian's actions. Moreover, if he did not do anything about it, this unresolved hatred would likely cause a Heart Demon to grow in his heart, which would harm his cultivation.

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While news of the death of the World supreme powerhouse of the Cyan Swan Saint Sect spread in the Sun Bright World, Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yang returned to the God Defying World.

“Little Tian, are you planning to lure Lei Hong to the God Defying World to kill him?” Feng Qing Yang asked with a smile. He went to the Sun Bright World and watched Duan Ling Tian kill those two people from the Cyan Swan Saint Sect without saying anything because he knew Duan Ling Tian must have a reason for doing so.

“If only Lei Hong could be lured so easily,” Duan Ling Tian said as he shook his head. Although Duan Ling Tian acted ostentatiously and ruthlessly this time to anger Lei Hong, he did not think Lei Hong would be so foolish as to send himself to his death. During his time in the Transcendence World, he had seen how cautious Lei Hong was. Lei Hong only sent his doppelganger out at that time. Whether it was true or not, he was certain that Lei Hong was confident about escaping from him and Feng Qing Yang. However, Lei Hong still did not let his guard down and only sent a doppelganger. Lei Hong was much more cautious than the average person.

Not only that, but after their encounter, Lei Hong did not hesitate and went into hiding instead of returning to the Cyan Swan Saint Sect. However, he assumed that Duan Ling Tian would not dare to take action against the sect, thinking that Duan Ling Tian would be afraid of the repercussions that the God Defying World might suffer.

“I really didn’t expect him to be so cautious and decisive. If I had known earlier, I would’ve killed him when I first saw him,” Feng Qing Yang said icily when he heard Duan Ling Tian’s words.

Previously, Feng Qing Yang had seen Lei Hong outside the Heaven Traversing Pagoda when it just appeared. Lei Hong was among the first group of World supreme powerhouses and Saints to come to the Heaven Traversing Pagoda. He even spoke to Lei Hong briefly at that time.

At that time, Lei Hong was just a World supreme powerhouse. This meant that his doppelgangers would still have lifeless and blank eyes. For this reason, Feng Qing Yang was certain the Lei Hong he had met at the Heaven Traversing Pagoda was not a doppelganger.

Meanwhile, upon hearing Feng Qing Yang's words, Duan Ling Tian said with a smile, "Master, there's no need to be angry. It's only a matter of time before we kill Lei Hong."

Duan Ling Tian wanted to kill Lei Hong for a long time now. Apart from the things he had heard about Lei Hong, he had never forgotten the fact that Lei Hong wanted to kill him and pressured the God Defying World to hand him over after he overcame the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation.

"You're right," Feng Qing Yang said with a laugh, "Even if we can't kill him now, it doesn't mean we won't have a chance to do so in the future... unless he decides to stay in hiding forever."

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After returning to the God Defying World, the master and disciple parted ways.

Duan Ling Tian returned to the Xia clan while Feng Qing Yang returned to the Solitary Destructive Heaven, a Devata Realm, and continued being the Heavenly Emperor of the Solitary Destructive Heaven.

After leaving the Heaven Traversing Pagoda, Feng Qing Yang stayed in the Xia clan for a few days but found that he could not get used to living there. Subsequently, he returned to the Solitary Destructive Heaven and continued being its emperor. Moreover, his subordinates were still alive.

The current Feng Qing Yang was no longer the Feng Qing Yang of the past. He was now among the strongest people in the Myriad Worlds and the Outer Boundary.

When the heavenly text appeared to announce Feng Qing Yang's breakthrough, there were a few people who doubted if the Feng Qing Yang in the heavenly text was the same person as the Heavenly Emperor of the Solitary Destructive Heaven. However, after his return, no one doubted it anymore.

Not long after Feng Qing Yang returned to the Solitary Destructive Realm, the Heavenly Emperors and Celestial Emperors from various Devata Realms came to pay their respects. However, except for a few whom he and Duan Ling Tian were acquainted with, he did not meet them.

Unfortunately for one of them, despite his soft voice that could only be heard by the Celestial Emperor next to him, he suddenly trembled before he began to age from a middle-aged man to an old man in just an instant before he turned into dust and disappeared. All this happened in just a blink of an eye.

The Celestial Emperor standing next to him almost peed himself when he saw this. This was not surprising since it was a terrifying method. His doubts vanished immediately at this moment, and he quickly fell to his knees as he pleaded for mercy.

Earlier, everyone saw what happened as well and felt chills running up their spines. At that time, realization had not dawned on them. They had been wondering what kind of person could kill so silently and quickly. The person who made a move had to be someone highly skilled in the law of time and was likely at a higher realm than rudimentary Supreme Gods and intermediate Supreme Gods. Even ordinary advanced Supreme Gods might not be capable of that. However, after the Celestial Emperor fell to his knees and begged for mercy, realization finally dawned on them; the man who died had offended Feng Qing Yang, the Heavenly Emperor of the Solitary Destructive Heaven who had just returned to his throne.

"How dare he offend Heavenly Emperor Feng? He was courting death!" someone scolded angrily.

At the same time, another person said mockingly, “Ha! He deserved it! Celestial Emperor Liu Chuan, that person next to you was really ignorant!”

The Celestial Emperors in the surroundings knew how unruly and arrogant this person was usually. However, seeing how cowardly he was at this moment, they naturally treated him as a laughingstock.

At this moment, an indifferent voice rang from the Heavenly Palace of the Solitary Destructive Heaven.

“Get out. From now on, you’re not allowed to step foot into the Solitary Destructive Heaven. Otherwise, I’ll destroy you along with your soul!”

Chapter 4608 The Asura Hell Is Also One of the Three Deadliest Places in the God Defying World

“Yes, Lord Feng Qing Yang!”

“All of you should leave as well,” Feng Qing Yang said indifferently, “I returned to the Solitary Destructive Heaven because I have a deep love for this place after staying here for so many years in the past. There’s no need for you to worry too much. Just continue on like you did before. My existence will not affect you in the slightest.”

Upon hearing this, the Celestial Emperors in the Devatal Realms felt more at ease. Then, they quickly bade farewell and left, worried that they would become like the man next to Celestial Emperor Liu Chuan.

They vaguely remember that the man was the strongest person under Celestial Emperor Liu Chuan's command. Although he was not yet a Celestial Emperor, he was almost as strong as one. He was almost among the strongest in this Devata Realm. It would take them at least more than a dozen moves to defeat him. However, such a person was killed by Feng Qing Yang so easily and so quickly. They were shocked and terrified.

After everyone left, Feng Qing Yang reminisced about the old days with several Celestial Emperors who had a good relationship with him and Duan Ling Tian in the past.

"Heavenly Emperor Feng, you and your disciple are really shocking. I didn't expect both of you to take the crucial step and surpass the high and mighty existence in the Realms of Gods!"

"That's right. I've always known your disciple is powerful, but I really didn't expect him to come this far. I wonder if he'll return? I haven't seen him in a while."

"Not much time has passed, and my cultivation didn't progress much. However, you and your disciple have already reached such shocking heights. I can't believe I knew you from before. Otherwise, I'd be among the group of people who were asked to leave, Heavenly Emperor Feng."

Everyone laughed, but their laughter was a little restrained. Although they had known Feng Qing Yang and Duan Ling Tian for a long time and used to joke around with the duo, they were also very self-aware. The duo was now in another league. It was a great blessing that the duo even remembered them.

"If Little Tian visits, I'll let you know, and we can meet again," Feng Qing Yang said with a slight smile.

"Alright!"

Everyone's eyes lit up. They were also eager to meet the young man they knew in the past. Thinking of how cautious Duan Ling Tian was in front of them in the past, they could not help but sigh inwardly. So much had changed with the passage of time. Currently, the young man who used to look up to them had far surpassed them, standing on top of the world.

They did not stay in the Heavenly Palace of the Solitary Destructive Heaven. They stayed for a few days and declined Feng Qing Yang's invitation to stay a little longer before they left.

Before leaving, they reminded Feng Qing Yang again to inform them if Duan Ling Tian came back.

"Heavenly Emperor Feng, remember to inform us if your disciple comes back!"

"That's right. I haven't seen him for so long. I really miss him!"

"I want to see that kid again and see how much he has changed. His aura now is likely to make me bow my head!" someone said jokingly.

Feng Qing Yang smiled and responded to them.

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Feng Qing Yang stayed in the Solitary Destructive Heaven for a few more days before he left for the Asura Hell.

‘Previously, I heard Lord Xiao say that he and the other imminent World supreme powerhouses wouldn’t simply enter the Asura Hell. His father was injured in the past when he went to the Asura Hell as well...’

The first was called God’s Grave; it was the deadliest place among the three. The second was the Bottomless Abyss, and the third was the Asura Hell. There were various entrances to these places in the Realms of Gods of the God Defying World.

When he was in the Asura Hell, he obtained the inheritance of the Sword of Time, a late supreme powerhouse of the God Defying World. Although the Sword of Time was only an imminent World supreme powerhouse, it was not due to his lack of talent. He had died before he could rise to greater heights because he was targeted by a World supreme powerhouse who was afraid of his potential. He was widely recognized as the most promising candidate to become a World supreme powerhouse in the past. With time, he would definitely become a World supreme powerhouse if he did not die.

“I didn’t expect there to be places in the God Defying World that are dangerous even to World supreme powerhouses...”

This time, Feng Qing Yang planned to visit the place in the Asura Hell where Xiao Mu Bai’s father was injured. According to Xiao Mu Bai, it was one of the most dangerous and mysterious places in the Asura Hell. As an imminent World supreme powerhouse, he could go to most places in the Asura Hell without much risk, but the same could not be said for ordinary supreme powerhouses.

“Even a World supreme powerhouse was injured... I wonder what kind of place it is. Does it have something to do with the time before the historical gap? Is it a secret realm or death trap left behind by a supreme powerhouse above the seventh level from before the historical gap? However, that shouldn’t be the case. According to Little Tian, everything before the historical gap was destroyed and reconstructed. Even the most powerful powerhouses could only hide in the Realms of Gods and defend against the will of heaven.”

Feng Qing Yang was not with Duan Ling Tian in the past, but he had learned what Duan Ling Tian had learned as well.

“This should be the place...”

Feng Qing Yang finally arrived at the place that Xiao Mu Bai told him about. The entire place was shrouded in mist, and when he extended his Divine Consciousness, he could not sense anything at all.

Chapter 4609 The Roar of the Beast

“This place is really mysterious...”

He learned from Xiao Mu Bai that Xiao Mu Bai’s father, who was a World supreme powerhouse, was injured here. He had yet to recover from his injuries when he had to face the once-in-10,000-year Heavenly Tribulation. For this reason, he was killed by the Heavenly Tribulation. If it were not for those injuries, he would have been able to survive at least two or three more Heavenly Tribulations.

After his passing, the God Defying World kept his death a secret, not wanting the other Worlds to know that the God Defying World no longer had the support of a World supreme powerhouse.

“I should explore the place...”

Since a World supreme powerhouse was injured here, Feng Qing Yang did not underestimate this place. In fact, he was extremely cautious despite his current strength.

Swoosh!

With a flash, Feng Qing Yang entered the land that was shrouded in mist with agile movements. In the next moment, his expression changed drastically. He could sense a terrifying energy surging toward him as soon as he passed through the mist.

Following that, a huge commotion rang in the air as more than a dozen distinct energies surged toward Feng Qing Yang. It sounded as though there were more than a dozen people attacking him at the same time.

Feng Qing Yang's expression turned solemn, and he quickly regained his composure. His energy surged out along with his seventh-stage Sword Dao and the law of time at the paramount stage. Then, he released a sword ray to counter the attack that came from the dark mist.

Swoosh!

The fierce sword ray, which seemed to carry earth-shattering power, flew in the air, leaving spatial tears in its wake. The spatial tears did not mend immediately, briefly frozen by the law of time.

Roar!

From behind the mist, a ferocious roar rang in the air, causing Feng Qing Yang's blood to surge in his body.

He was no longer an intermediate Supreme God after all. He was now among the strongest people in the world, a level-seven supreme powerhouse. However, just the roar of a beast was capable of making his blood surge. It was simply too unbelievable!

Even if dozens of beasts with the strength of World supreme powerhouses surrounded him and roared in his ears, they still would not be able to make his lifeblood surge.

‘Hmm?’

At this time, Feng Qing Yang discovered that his sword ray had been crushed to pieces after a brief moment of stalemate when it collided with the combined energies. He was thoroughly shocked.

Following that, Feng Qing Yang hurriedly retreated. His Divine Consciousness could sense great danger at this moment.

“This...”

Feng Qing Yang felt his heart skip a beat. When he finally left the mist-shrouded land, he saw the ground shaking before the mist dispersed briefly, revealing a translucent barrier that stopped the extremely terrifying energies.

Roar!

“This spatial barrier...”

It was not surprising that Feng Qing Yang was shocked. He had seen spatial barriers before between the Myriad Worlds and the Outer Boundary, but they were as weak as paper. He could easily tear it apart and move freely between places.

Swoosh!

Feng Qing Yang attacked with all his might before the mist-shrouded the barrier again, aiming for the spatial barrier that blocked the blood energies. Unlike the other spatial barriers he had seen before, his attack failed to land.

‘As expected...’

He was not surprised that the barrier stopped his attack. After all, not only did it stop the blood energies, but it could also absorb his Divine Consciousness.

“What’s behind this mysterious spatial barrier?”

Feng Qing Yang was extremely curious.

At this time, the mist was slowly converging again. Before the spatial barrier disappeared behind the mist, he saw the terrifying blood energies retreating.

“How strange... I can easily enter and leave the barrier. I can attack freely and use my Divine Consciousness as usual. However, there’s nothing I can do when I’m outside the barrier... Moreover, what’s with that beast roar? What beast is it? Do the blood energies belong to the beast? Did it seriously injure Lord Xiao’s father in the past?”

Question after question appeared in Feng Qing Yang's mind as he stared at the strange land shrouded in mist. Despite his curiosity, he had no plans of entering the place again for the time being. The place made him feel inexplicably uneasy.

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To learn more about this place, Feng Qing Yang decided to look for Xiao Mu Bai as soon as he left. He wanted to know if anyone else had entered this place apart from his father.

After listening to Feng Qing Yang, Xiao Mu Bai said, "Yes. From what I know, two imminent World supreme powerhouses went there, but they were never seen again. Apart from that, I don't know who else might have gone to that place before. In any case, that place has always been known as a death trap."

Chapter 4610 How Were They Ranked?

'Deathtrap...'

"Did your father tell you about what he encountered there?" Feng Qing Yang asked. Xiao Mu Bai did not go into details previously when they spoke about this matter. He was certain that Xiao Mu Bai's father must have told Xiao Mu Bai about what he had encountered inside since Xiao Mu Bai was his son.

"He did," Xiao Mu Bai said with a nod, "He said that as soon as he entered that place, he felt a terrifying blood-red energy surging toward him. Then, he was almost killed by that energy. Fortunately, at the critical moment, he managed to retreat and blocked some of the energy. According to him, the force of the energy was much stronger than that of a World supreme powerhouse. It was comparable to the energy of a level-seven supreme powerhouse."

It was also for this reason that Xiao Mu Bai did not warn Feng Qing Yang about it. After all, as a level-seven supreme powerhouse, he did not doubt that Feng Qing Yang would be able to deal with it.

Finally, Xiao Mu Bai asked, “Lord Feng, did you go to that place?”

“Yes,” Feng Qing Yang said with a slight nod, “That place is really strange. As for the energy, it’s not as simple as your father said. It’s definitely stronger than that of a level-seven supreme powerhouse. At the very least, it’s stronger than ordinary level-seven supreme powerhouses. I couldn’t go any further because of it and was forced to give up.”

Xiao Mu Bai was naturally shocked when he heard these words. His face was pale as he said, “How’s this possible? Lord Feng, even you had no choice but to leave that place?”

Xiao Mu Bai was really frightened.

‘What the hell is that place?’

Level-seven supreme powerhouses were the strongest in the world. However, even Feng Qing Yang was forced to retreat as soon as he faced that energy.

“Indeed,” Feng Qing Yang said with a wry smile.

Not long after that, Feng Qing Yang bade farewell to Xiao Mu Bai and left.

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After leaving, Feng Qing Yang looked for Duan Ling Tian.

“Master?”

Duan Ling Tian did not expect to see his master so soon after they parted ways. He knew that his master must have wanted to talk to him so he asked, “What is it, master?”

“Little Tian...”

Feng Qing Yang did not waste time and recounted his experience and Xiao Mu Bai’s words to Duan Ling Tian.

Duan Ling Tian was naturally familiar with the Asura Hell. Previously, after facing the Fatal Heavenly Tribulation, he had left the God Defying World and took a detour to the Asura Hell, worried that someone would follow him and kill him.

Similar to Feng Qing Yang, he only knew that the Asura Hell was one of the seven deadliest places in the Devata Realms. It was only later that he found out that it was almost among the three deadliest places in the God Defying World. Among the three places, he had only been to the Asura Hell.

“You were pressured by the energy?”

Until recently, it was common knowledge that there was no being stronger than World supreme powerhouses and Saints after the historical gap. The heavenly text also confirmed that his master was the first level-seven supreme powerhouse after the historical gap, followed by him, Meng Han, and Lei Hong.

Duan Ling Tian was lost in his thoughts at this moment.

‘If the Asura Hell is so dangerous, then how dangerous are God’s Grave and the Bottomless Abyss, which are even more dangerous?’

‘Hmm... What’s the ranking of the three deadliest places based on? Why are God’s Grave and the Bottomless Abyss ranked ahead of the Asura Hell? Even a World supreme powerhouse was seriously injured moments after entering that place... If you ask me, that sounds like the deadliest place...’

Duan Ling Tian expressed his thoughts to Feng Qing Yang, and Feng Qing Yang was similarly puzzled.

In the end, the duo went to look for Xiao Mu Bai, who was very knowledgeable, again. Although he was much younger than the other Lords of the God Defying World, he was the son of the World supreme powerhouse of the God Defying World after all.

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Upon hearing the duo’s question, Xiao Mu Bai smiled and said, “Actually, the places were ranked by my father. The Asura Hell is ranked third simply because of that one mist-shrouded place. However, in the Bottomless Abyss, there are two mist-shrouded places. As for God’s Grave, there are six of such places.”

Duan Ling Tian and Feng Qing Yan nodded. As it turned out, the ranking was based on this.

Feng Qing Yang frowned and asked, “How does your father know that the other eight places are as dangerous as the one in the Asura Hell?”

Xiao Mu Bai’s father was seriously injured after going to that place in the Asura Hell. After that, he died when he faced the once-in-10,000-year Heavenly Tribulation. It stood to reason that he did not visit the other eight places. Otherwise, he might not even be alive to face the Heavenly Tribulation.