## **Spatial Ability 1041**

Chapter 1041: Agreed Out of Courtesy

No one wanted to remain subordinate for a long time. Although the Long family had been suppressing them all these years, they could at least catch their breath.

However, the Demon Heart was different—a master who could kill at any time!

What happened 20 years ago was a lesson learned.

"Qian Jiyun is already powerful enough. If the Flame Fox helps him cultivate, how many people on Wulong Mountain will be his match in a few years? I'm afraid even the ancestors of the various family heads won't be able to kill him, right?"

Qian Liuguang saw everyone's hesitation and added, "Everyone knows that the Demon Heart is bloodthirsty. Qian Jiyun is also very violent. If we let him live, we won't have a place on Wulong Mountain anymore."

"Master Ling, although you're right, there are benefits to having the Demon Heart. Wulong Mountain can't be without the Demon Heart," one of the family heads reminded him.

There were too many things the Demon Heart could do. They came from various planes, and like Huayan Peak, they could not go to other planes.

However, the Demon Heart could. As long as they had him, they could easily transport items to other planes or go to other planes to retrieve things.

And this was not the only benefit.

The Demon Heart, though bloodthirsty, would more often than not uphold justice for small families like them.

The Demon Heart would not give anyone face. No matter how powerful aristocratic families were, they would be punished for their mistakes. Justice would definitely be served.

"The next successor hasn't appeared yet. If we kill Qian Jiyun, the Demon Heart won't exist on Wulong Mountain anymore."

"That's right, Master Ling. I'm afraid we can't do anything about this."

Qian Liuguang nearly vomited blood. It seemed like these people still looked forward to the Demon Heart!

But he could not let this happen. He had to stir up trouble.

"I didn't say we must kill the Demon Heart! I just hope his strength won't increase too quickly." He shifted from his earlier resolve to kill Jun Lin Hall and adopted a more gentle approach.

"I just hope Qian Jiyun will admit his mistake and uphold justice for the many lives of the Ling family. Besides, I don't want the Flame Fox to be in his hands. It's a demonic beast that can help Qian Jiyun improve his demonic energy!

"I only want to weaken Qian Jiyun and prevent him from controlling the lifeline of Wulong Mountain.

"So the most important thing to do is to make him hand over Flame Fox. That demonic beast must not be in Qian Jiyun's hands. Don't you all want the Flame

Fox?"

"Well...

Who would not want it? No one would say something like that.

They wanted to weaken Jun Lin Hall too. However, if the Long family was not in a hurry, then why should they be anxious about this?

"I can loan people to you, but I won't get involved personally."

The family heads initially considered stepping forward and snatching the

Flame Fox that Qian Liuguang mentioned. However, they did not dare to do so now.

If they got involved personally, it would mean that they were openly going against Qian Jiyun, the Demon Heart. However, if they were not involved personally, they could say that Master Ling had borrowed people from them, and they had agreed out of courtesy.

Chapter 1042 - 1042: Better Things

They could also say that they did not know why Qian Liuguang wanted to borrow their people.

This would save them a lot of trouble.

As for the Flame Fox...

Everyone looked at each other, their eyes filled with calculations that would be in their best interest.

To put it bluntly, Master Ling was now an empty shell. Even if he obtained the Flame Fox, he would not be able to snatch it away from them. They could wait for Qian Liuguang to obtain the Flame Fox before snatching it away from him.

A family head said to Qian Liuguang straightforwardly, "Master Ling, I can only loan my people to you. I don't know what you want to do with them. Even if you expose me in the end, I won't admit it."

Qian Liuguang was speechless.

That family head's shameless words and the unanimous nods of agreement from the other family heads left him speechless.

How could such brainless words be spoken and find the support of so many people?

However, he did not say anything else in the end.

His goal was to send more people to Jun Lin Hall to cause trouble and fluster Qian Jiyun. He wanted to capture Qian Jiyun amidst the chaos and use him to threaten An Jiuyue.

He would not be bothered about anything else.

"Master Hong, why do you think Ling is in such a hurry to deal with Jun Lin Hall?"

After leaving Qian Liuguang's place, the family heads departed in groups. Most of them were discussing what Qian Liuguang might want from Jun Lin Hall.

"Who knows?"

Master Hong shook his head, a hint of darkness flashing across his eyes. "No matter what he wants, it must be something better than the Flame Fox."

If it was not something good, why would Qian Liuguang go through so much trouble to come to them just to ask for help?

"Tsk! "

Upon hearing Master Hong's reply, that family head clicked his tongue.

"What could these better things be?"

"According to Master Ling, Qian Jiyun is the Demon Heart now. He must possess something unique to the Demon Heart, and it won't be just one or two things," Master Hong said in a deep voice.

Every Demon Heart had many things that could be used to deal with the various aristocratic families.

They were treasures that small aristocratic families like them could never obtain.

"Since he's openly discussing the Flame Fox, he must want something that's not inferior to it. I wonder what it is," another family head chimed in.

"It'd be great if I could take a look."

"You want to know what Ling wants, Master Luo?" Master Hong looked at him, smiling.

"Do you have a way, Master Hong?" Master Luo raised his eyebrows and looked at him with interest.

"I don't have a way now, but that doesn't mean I won't have one in the future."

Master Hong smiled at Master Luo and the other family heads. The scheming glint in his eyes was evident.

"That's true!" Master Luo smiled and recalled that Qian Liuguang had borrowed people from them.

They had loaned so many people to Qian Liuguang, which meant that he was surrounded by their people.. Did they really have to depend on Qian Liuguang's approval if they wished to see something?

Chapter 1043 - 1043: Give Her Half of the Power?

"Don't we still have to loan people to Ling? Anything he wants to acquire will have to pass through our people, won't it? Let's just wait and see."

"Master Ling is also a cunning person. He must have thought of that long ago, right?" another family head reminded them.

It was best not to assume things would go so smoothly. If their people could really keep an eye on Qian Liuguang, would he be so at ease borrowing people from them?

"I'm afraid that Ling has no intention of returning the people he borrowed from us."

The two family heads looked at him and asked unhappily, "What do you mean?"

However, they did not require an explanation. They realized it as soon as the question left their lips.

None of the sacrificial warriors they had lent to Qian Liuguang had returned. They had all died in Jun Lin Hall. Did Qian Liuguang intend for all of their people to die in Jun Lin Hall?

"If Ling dares to do that, then he'd better not blame me for not being polite!" Master Hong said ominously.

The family head raised his eyebrows and glanced at them.

There was nothing Qian Liuguang did not dare to do. After all, the people they lent were not his own. Besides, he was even willing to give up a big aristocratic family like his, right?

Upon hearing that, Master Luo and the other family head only glanced at him briefly.

Everyone knew what kind of person Qian Liuguang was. They might seem to have had a good talk earlier, but if everyone had been calculating, no one would gain anything from it.

Who knew if Qian Liuguang had any tricks up his sleeve or had hidden some subordinates nearby?

He had to be prepared as early as possible. No matter what Qian Liuguang was up to, lending his people out was one thing, but not getting anything in return was another.

He had to get his hands on either the Flame Fox or whatever Qian Liuguang was after.

That was what Master Luo planned.

As for the other family head, how could he not share the same thoughts?

"Has Young Master Long sent a message?"

After Qian Liuguang sent everyone away, he looked at his subordinate.

His subordinate replied, "Not yet."

Qian Liuguang frowned in displeasure.

He had already agreed to send someone, but there was no news at all. When did the dignified young master of the Long family dawdle so much?

"Send someone here. I must see the people sent by the Long family by tomorrow nizht," he instructed.

"Yes, Master," the subordinate replied and left. Qian Liuguang also turned around and left through a secret passage.

As for those guarding outside and waiting to follow him, no one could even think about being able to trail him. They could only wait for tomorrow night.

In Qian Jiyun's study at Jun Lin Hall...

MO Aotian and Yan Feng came over at the same time. Yan Feng was holding an investigation report on Zhao Xiaoli, the cousin of the Long family.

An Jiuyue took the investigation report from Yan Feng and read it. Her frown deepened, but after reading it for a long time, she relaxed and sneered.

"She's certainly not to be underestimated. She managed to persuade Lord Long into giving her half of the Long family's power?"

She threw the investigation report on the table, intrigued by Zhao Xiaoli..

Chapter 1044: That's Interesting

"Sister-in-Law, are you serious?"

Bai Ze picked up the investigation report she had thrown on the table and read it carefully. Finally, he clicked his tongue.

"Lord Long doesn't look like he's muddle-headed. Why did he make such a muddled decision regarding Miss Zhao, a cousin?"

Though she was respectfully addressed as "Miss", she was merely the daughter of Madam Long's younger sister from a different mother. Meanwhile, Young Lord Long was not born to Madam Long but to a concubine.

With such a delicate relationship, how could Lord Long hand over so much power to her?

"How did she do it?"

Yan Feng and MO Aotian did not understand either. Gu Chi, who was behind MO Aotian, pretended not to hear them and acted as a dummy. "Ah Chi, how do you think that woman did it?"

"You already know the answer." Gu Chi rolled his eyes at him.

"Huh?"

MO Aotian really did not understand. He was even more confused after Gu Chi scolded him.

"What answer?"

"Yan Feng, is Zhao Xiaoli on good terms with Young Lord Long?" An Jiuyue asked.

"No," Yan Feng and MO Aotian replied in unison.

Zhao Xiaoli was someone from Madam Long's side. How could she be on good terms with Young Lord Long? They were like fire and water.

"Is Lord Long not on good terms with Young Lord Long?" An Jiuyue asked again.

"How is that possible?" Yan Feng asked without thinking.

"Young Lord Long got his position with the firm support of Lord Long, who overrode all objections. Young Lord Long's abilities are truly outstanding, so he's able to keep those old folks in the Long family in check." After all, Young Lord Long was a concubine's son and also the second son. Be it tradition or seniority, it was not right for him to be the young lord.

Young Lord Long was only able to shut those old folks up because he was capable and outstanding.

"Ha!" An Jiuyue chuckled. "Then that's interesting!"

"Sister-in-Law, what do you mean?" Bai Ze asked An Jiuyue.

"I don't think Lord Long likes Madam Long either, right?" An Jiuyue raised her eyebrows and looked at Yan Feng and the others.

"You're right." Yan Feng nodded.

If Madam Long had Lord Long's favor, she could persuade him to make her son the young lord.

"Don't you find it strange that the niece of an unfavored wife had influence over Lord Long?" An Jiuyue continued to ask.

"Uh." The men were stunned.

They found it strange, but they could not figure out why.

However, there had to be a reason, right? Was Zhao Xiaoli too capable, or...

Suddenly, Bai Ze gasped and widened his eyes at An Jiuyue. "Sister-in-Law, you mean..."

If what he thought was true, Miss Zhao was truly remarkable!

He recalled Yan Feng mentioning that Zhao Xiaoli often came to Jun Lin Hall to see his brother. He felt disgusted immediately.

"Brother, you... Thank goodness you never saw that disgusting woman again." "Hm?" Qian Jiyun's eyes sharpened as he gazed at Bai Ze.

"Uh." Bai Ze choked and covered his mouth, no longer daring to speak.

"What are you talking about?"

Yan Feng looked at them and reached out to push MO Aotian.

"Do you know?"

Chapter 1045: What's So Disgusting About That?

"What do I know?" MO Aotian rolled his eyes.

Though he might not know, Gu Chi definitely knew. Even if it was just a guess, it was probably in line with what An Jiuyue and Bai Ze had guessed, right?

"Ah Chi, do you know? Tell me."

"If I'm not wrong, that woman should be lying down with her uncle," Gu Chi answered, his voice cold and his expression indifferent.

"Lying down?"

They did not understand what he meant immediately

"What do you mean by lying down? They... They... They're so disgusting?!" MO Aotian's eyes widened as he exclaimed.

Was it true? An aunt and her niece sharing a man? Was there anything more repulsive than this?

It was not an earth-shattering revelation, but...

Aunts and nieces sharing the same husband was not a big deal in aristocratic families; it was common for them to become entangled for mutual benefits.

However, Zhao Xiaoli had been to Jun Lin Hall many times over the years. She even appeared infatuated with their Hall Master in front of them.

Many people knew about this. They even talked about how Zhao Xiaoli was incredibly infatuated.

Who would have thought that the object of the woman's infatuation was actually Lord Long? She had even gained control of much of the Long family's forces! Her capabilities were truly remarkable!

They felt instantly disgusted at the thought.

"Which aristocratic family doesn't have some dirty business? What's so disgusting about that?" Gu Chi's gaze remained unchanged as he spoke calmly to MO Aotian.

MO Aotian was shocked.

He oddly felt like he was Gu Chi's subordinate. Even his calm composure was a hundred times better than his.

"Ah Chi, you..."

MO Aotian wanted to say something, but Gu Chi clearly did not want to discuss these boring topics. He looked at Qian Jiyun.

"Hall Master, I don't think Zhao Xiaoli did those things. At least, she didn't do it alone."

"Did you find anything?" Qian Jiyun asked.

"I found out that Zhao Xiaoli and Eldest Young Master Long have a good relationship," Gu Chi replied.

"When did you investigate all this?" MO Aotian asked Gu Chi, speechless.

He had never thought of investigating Zhao Xiaoli's relationship with Eldest Young Master Long. After all, they were first cousins, so having a closer relationship was normal.

Yan Feng thought so too. He spread his hands at Gu Chi and asked, "They're cousins. Isn't it good that they have a closer relationship?".

Gu Chi turned his head silently and looked back and forth between them. He was speechless. These two truly deserved not to be able to find wives. They could not even understand his obvious words.

"What's wrong? Ah Chi, why are you looking at me like that?"

MO Aotian scratched his head and asked in confusion. Why was he looking at him like that? He would be embarrassed, even if he were a man.

The entire Jun Lin Hall knew his feelings towards Gu Chi, except for Gu Chi himself.

"Did you suddenly realize that you like me?" he raised his eyebrows and asked with sparkling eyes.

"Scram!" Gu Chi spat angrily.

"Aotian, I think your subordinate means that Zhao Xiaoli's relationship with

Eldest Young Master Long is no different from her relationship with Lord

Long.."

Chapter 1046: Found by the Dozen on the Streets

Yan Feng finally understood. Even if he had not earlier, he understood when he saw Gu Chi's obvious expression.

"Ahem!" MO Aotian really choked on his saliva.

No different?

That type of relationship where there really was no difference?

So, was it really the same as he had thought earlier?

"Is that woman crazy? How can she do such... disgusting things? Is she even a woman? Why isn't she openly entertaining guests outside?" he criticized angrily.

"She did, though not as openly as you say." Gu Chi looked up at MO Aotian and then at Qian Jiyun.

"Hall Master, I found out that Zhao Xiaoli has an ambiguous relationship with many family heads and young lords of over ten families, including the Dongfang family, the MO family, the Luo family, and the Yang family." Everyone was speechless.

They were no longer repulsed by Zhao Xiaoli. Instead, they were impressed.

How could a woman form relationships with so many family heads and future family heads of aristocratic families while they remained unaware of one another's involvement?

An Jiuyue touched her chin and asked Qian Jiyun, "Is Zhao Xiaoli incredibly gorgeous? How devastatingly beautiful must she be to make so many men infatuated with her and support her? She's a role model for women." But she was more of a negative role model. She was too disgusting.

Upon hearing her question, Qian Jiyun glanced at her and shook his head.

"Don't ask me. I don't even remember what she looked like."

He had a strong will to live, but he was also just stating facts. Why would he remember the appearance of a woman he had only met once? He had plenty of other things to do.

"Mhm." An Jiuyue looked at him and nodded.

She shifted her gaze to MO Aotian and finally to Gu Chi. "Gu Chi, what does

Miss Zhao Xiaoli look like?"

"Not that great," Gu Chi replied bluntly, without thinking."

An Jiuyue was speechless.

She looked like the kind that could be found by the dozen on the streets? Unbelievable! She was a lady who had charmed countless men. How could she be so common?

"Pft!"

Bai Ze, on the other hand, chuckled after hearing Gu Chi's words.

"Gu Chi, stop teasing Sister-in-Law. Sister-in -Law, don't listen to Gu Chi. He has face blindness. All women look the same to him. Even if he meets a woman multiple times, she still looks like a new person to him, like he's meeting her for the first time."

"You're like that?" An Jiuyue looked at Gu Chi and blinked.

Upon hearing their conversation, Gu Chi's face flushed red—a rare sight.

This illness was out of his control. He would not want to be like this if he had a choice. He could remember a man's face clearly, but not a woman's.

"Let's not talk about this anymore. Let's talk about Zhao Xiaoli. Gu Chi, who do you think is backing her?"

"My bold guess is that it's Qian Liuguang," Gu Chi voiced his opinion.

An Jiuyue and Qian Jiyun looked at each other. They also felt that it was highly likely that Qian Liuguang was responsible. However, why did Qian Liuguang insist on having Qian Jiyun return to Wulong Mountain? "It seems like we have to capture Qian Liuguang quickly."

"He'll appear soon," Qian Jiyun said..

Chapter 1047: Dangled the Information as Bait?

"That's true. He'll appear soon."

How could Qian Liuguang not show up if he wanted to take the Life Stone from her? He probably could not wait any longer, right?

The Long family...

A stunning young lady stood behind Eldest Young Master Long, gazing up at his back.

"Cousin, are you really going to send people to help Master Ling?"

"What do you think?"

Eldest Young Master Long did not lower his head. His eyes remained calm as he gazed into the water in the distance. The waves appeared calm, but who knew what billows were hidden beneath the surface?

"I think that Master Ling is very scheming. We've helped him so much, but we can't even figure out what he wants from Qian Jiyun. This could potentially lead to trouble."

Zhao Xiaoli did not look too good.

She had been using her greed to deal with Master Ling all these years, pretending to be used by him to infiltrate the Long family.

She wanted to find out something from Master Ling, but she could not. Master Ling was really tightlipped.

"Even the hypnotic medicine is useless to him. Cousin, do you really think he even has any secrets?"

Upon hearing Zhao Xiaoli's words, Eldest Young Master Long only smiled.

Did Master Ling have any secrets? Certainly. Master Ling was from the Demon Heart Hall back then. Other people might not know this, but he did. Although he did not know what position Master Ling held in the Demon Heart Hall, he had indeed seen him leave the Demon Heart Hall.

He also knew why he became the Ling family's head. However, he was the only one who knew the reason. He had never even mentioned it to Zhao Xiaoli, who was standing behind him. "He has secrets."

He was absolutely sure of that.

After breaking away from the Demon Heart Hall and becoming the head of the Ling family, Master Ling should have known his place, right?

However, he was restless and insisted on going against Qian Jiyun. Ever since Jun Lin Hall became famous on Wulong Mountain and Master Ling heard Qian Jiyun's name, he had been going against him.

"Xiaoli, don't you think Master Ling knows a little too much? He should know about what the Demon Heart possesses, right? How can the Demon Heart have only one demonic beast, the Flame Fox?"

Zhao Xiaoli's eyes lit up.

"Cousin, are you saying that Qian Jiyun has other things, and Master Ling is after them? Is that why he dangled the Flame Fox's information as bait?"

It made sense. Master Ling wanted many things but only used one to bargain with them. This person was truly scheming!

"Isn't this something Master Ling would do?" Eldest Young Master Long asked softly.

"That's right. Master Ling would do this." Zhao Xiaoli nodded.

She had been working for Master Ling for a long time. He had opposed Qian Jiyun in every way and even sent her to deliberately catch Qian Jiyun's attention, hoping she would stay by his side.

Unfortunately, Master Ling's plan had backfired. Qian Jiyun never paid her any attention.

This was also the first time in her life that a man had ignored her. It was a great humiliation.

"Should I try again?"

She would not send anyone else this time. She would go to Master Ling personally. If doubling the amount of the hypnotic powder would not work, she would triple or quadruple it. She should be able to make Master Long delirious and somehow obtain the information they wanted..

Chapter 1048: He Might Lose His Life Over This

"Don't startle him."

Of course, Eldest Young Master Long would not let Zhao Xiaoli take the risk. He rejected it decisively.

It was not that he could not part with Zhao Xiaoli, but they were now intertwined. If anything happened to her, Master Ling would definitely suspect that he was the one behind Zhao Xiaoli's actions.

He wanted to be the oriole, not the one that startled the snake in the grass. "Okay." Zhao Xiaoli nodded. "When are we sending people over?"

Eldest Young Master Long thought for a moment and said, "Let's wait a little longer."

He was not in a hurry—Master Ling was the only one who was. Let him be anxious. He must not let him think that borrowing these people from him was easy.

"Alright, Cousin."

Of course, Zhao Xiaoli was not in a hurry either. She was only following her cousin's instructions.

"Cousin, I'm wondering if I can make a trip to Jun Lin Hall. I haven't seen Qian Jiyun in the past few years, but I can still stay there for a few days as the Long family's cousin, right?"

"You?"

Finally, Eldest Young Master Long turned around and looked at Zhao Xiaoli.

"Yes, me." Zhao Xiaoli nodded.

She could say she came to repay Qian Jiyun for saving her life back then.

Eldest Young Master Long looked around as he considered the possibility of

Zhao Xiaoli infiltrating Jun Lin Hall. Qian Jiyun was never interested in Zhao Xiaoli. Now that he had his wife, he would definitely not have anything to do with Zhao Xiaoli.

"There's no need. You'll only cause more trouble if you go to Jun Lin Hall."

It would be a problem if Qian Jiyun allowed Zhao Xiaoli to stay in Jun Lin Hall. It would be like announcing to him that they already knew about Zhao Xiaoli's relationship with Master Ling.

After all, only the Long family could train poisonous sacrificial warriors. Qian Jiyun must have suspected him when he appeared at Jun Lin Hall, right?

No, he would not have merely suspected him. He was probably certain that it was him behind it, right?

He would be exposing himself and even his relationship with Zhao Xiaoli if he sent her there. He did not want that.

"If I don't go, we won't know what Master Ling is up to, Cousin," Zhao Xiaoli said hurriedly.

She really wanted to know what Master Ling wanted from Qian Jiyun.

If she could obtain those things, she could do whatever she wanted on Wulong Mountain in the future. There would be no need for her to be entangled with those men. Even her cousin...

She looked up and glanced at Eldest Young Master Long carefully.

If possible, she wanted to dump this man and find someone reliable. They were only using each other.

She Imew that very well. She would not entrust her true feelings to him.

"Xiaoli, you still don't understand. It's not easy to obtain what Master Ling wants. He might lose his life over this." Eldest Young Master Long frowned and warned Zhao Xiaoli.

He was not like the others, who lacked discernment. He would not give up his life for something that could help him advance to a higher level.

He could obtain an item again, but he only had one life. He understood that.

"We might have plotted so much for our own gains, but we still have to cherish our lives. What's the point of having those things if we lose our lives? They're merely worldly possessions.."

Chapter 1049: Trying to Say She's Unreliable?

'Well..."

Zhao Xiaoli pursed her lips. She knew she should not say anything else.

'You're right. I understand."

Although she said that, she felt indignant. With her current status, she could not stay by Master Ling's side all the time, so she could only go to Jun Lin Hall.

But if she could not even do that, what was she supposed to do?

She also wanted what Master Ling had racked his brains to obtain from the Demon Heart. She was willing to give up half her life, even if it was just one thing.

"Cousin, I used to pester Qian Jiyun so much, but I haven't been to Jun Lin Hall since he returned. Why don't I go?"

She looked up at Eldest Young Master Long carefully.

"I used to go there often. If I don't go now, the people in Jun Lin Hall will be suspicious," she added to prevent Eldest Young Master Long from becoming suspicious.

Eldest Young Master Long looked up and glanced at her indifferently.

"Alright, make a trip there then. Don't stay too long," he instructed. Zhao Xiaoli agreed and turned to leave.

After Zhao Xiaoli left, another lady entered the pavilion. She bowed to Young

Master Long and asked softly, "Young Master, are you really letting Miss Zhao

Eldest Young Master Long's gaze darkened as he said, "She wants to go."

"But..."

The woman hesitated to speak. She wished to caution Eldest Young Master Long, but she did not dare to. She genuinely felt that Zhao Xiaoli was not a good woman. While she might pretend to help him, who knew what secret plans she might have?

Eldest Young Master Long knew what she wanted to say. He looked at her coldly and asked softly, "Are you trying to say she's unreliable?"

"I wouldn't dare." Yan Yun'er was shocked and quickly lowered her head.

Eldest Young Master Long had great trust in his cousin, Zhao Xiaoli. He liked her so much that he was willing to help her make connections with other men when she suggested interacting with them. Even though the other members of the Long family were unaware of this, she knew.

However, she did not understand his perverted liking. She felt that Young Master Long was like a fool manipulated by Zhao Xiaoli.

"Then don't gossip in front of me!" Eldest Young Master Long frowned and scolded her.

"I spoke too much. Please forgive me, Young Master," Yan Yun'er apologized immediately.

"I'm tired. You may leave."

Eldest Young Master Long flicked his sleeve and turned to look at the lake, no longer looking at Yan Yun'er.

Though Zhao Xiaoli was his cousin, in a place like Wulong Mountain, he was not sure who held the greatest loyalty to him other than himself.

That was just a pretense. If he did not trust Zhao Xiaoli, would she still help him so diligently?

He eagerly anticipated Zhao Xiaoli discovering something at Jun Lin Hall.

"I'll take my leave."

Yan Yun'er looked a little hurt. She bowed to Eldest Young Master Long again and turned to leave.

She had wasted her breath. He would rather believe a dirty woman than her. She was really impressed by him.

She wanted to see how Eldest Young Master Long would react after he was betrayed by Zhao Xiaoli.

"Have you dispatched anyone?" Qian Liuguang was getting impatient..

Chapter 1050: Repay Your Hall Master's Kindness

The aristocratic families he had met had already sent their people. He was ready to take action, but there was no news from Eldest Young Master Long.

He really needed Eldest Young Master Long's people. The Long family's guards were naturally stronger than the guards from ordinary aristocratic families.

Otherwise, considering how Eldest Young Master Long dared to hinder his plans, he would not collaborate with him again.

"Master, we've already sent someone. We haven't received any news yet." The subordinate glanced up at the anxious family head before lowering his head to speak carefully.

He wanted to say that sending more people was useless. Everything hinged on whether Eldest Young Master Long was willing to give them the manpower. If he did not dare to do so, it would be useless, no matter how many people they sent.

"Send more people there. I must get the Long family's manpower today," Qian Liuguang instructed his subordinate.

"Yes, Master."

The subordinate had no choice but to agree and go out to instruct someone to head for the Long family residence again.

However, he could not guarantee whether they could obtain the people his family head needed. The manpower belonged to the Long family. They would not possibly hand them over just because his family head wanted them, would they?

The world did not revolve around Qian Liuguang, after all.

A few hours later, Zhao Xiaoli arrived outside Jun Lin Hall.

She was thrilled to see Jun Lin Hall in front of her. Regardless of whether she could meet Qian Jiyun, she would be satisfied as long as she could gather the information she wanted here.

"Go and send word that the Long family's cousin, Miss Zhao, has arrived. Say that I've come to repay your Hall Master's kindness."

She initially wanted to enter Jun Lin Hall directly as she had done so in the past. It had taken her several years to build rapport with the guards. Once they became familiar with her, she gained Yan Feng's approval, which allowed her to enter and exit Jun Lin Hall whenever she pleased. She could go anywhere except where Qian Jiyun was.

However, she was stopped by the guards today. She could not even enter the main entrance, let alone Yan Feng's courtyard.

She took a closer look and realized that the guards had been replaced. There was no one she knew in the past. She had no choice but to endure it and stand at the door to let someone pass the message.

She could not be too impudent under someone else's roof.

The guard looked at Zhao Xiaoli and asked coldly, "Our Hall Master doesn't welcome guests. If Miss Zhao wants to look for someone else, we can send word on your behalf."

Although Zhao Xiaoli did not know them, they knew her. Everyone knew that this woman had been pestering their Hall Master.

Now that their Hall Master had brought his wife here, they naturally had no reason to be concerned about this woman, who had only met their Hall Master once.

"I'm looking for ... "

Zhao Xiaoli opened her mouth. She wanted to say that she was here to look for Qian Jiyun.

However, she realized that if she said that, she would not even be able to see Yan Feng, let alone Qian Jiyun.

Hence, she could only settle for the next best thing.

"I'm here to look for Yan Feng. We're friends."

"I'm sorry, Second Hall Master is not around," the guard replied.

"He's not around?" Zhao Xiaoli was furious.

How could Yan Feng not be around? Jun Lin Hall was facing difficulties now. Where else could he be if not handling the troubles in the hall?

She knew it was just an excuse..