

Spatial Ability 621

Chapter 621 It Is That Poisonous

However, as An Jiuyue had previously stated, finding medicinal herbs was not simple. Even if one saw medicinal plants everywhere they went, they would only be seedlings.

She had yet to discover any medicinal herbs she could use on the spot.

“Jiuyue, there’s a Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng here.”

Suddenly, she heard Qian Jiyun’s voice.

An Jiuyue’s eyes lit up when she heard “Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng”. She quickly dug up the herb in her hands and threw it into her space. Then, she stood up and walked towards Qian Jiyun.

In the space, Wei Na muttered indignantly, “I was the one who discovered it first.”

However, before he could alert his master, Qian Jiyun beat him to it.

“Let me see. Where is the Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng?”

An Jiuyue walked up to the man and looked in the direction he pointed with one hand.

“It’s really a Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng! There’s also an Insidious Rain Flower beside it.”

Her eyes lit up even more. She was overjoyed to find the two medicinal herbs she needed immediately.

“Are you talking about this purple flower?” Qian Jiyun reached out to the flower.

“Don’t move!” An Jiuyue immediately reached out to grab his wrist to stop him.

“Insidious Rain Flowers are very poisonous. Your skin will become infected quickly even if you touch them lightly. You won’t even be able to treat it,” she reminded.

These two medicinal herbs were partially complementary and partially conflicting with each other. However, the Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng was not as poisonous as the Insidious Rain Flower.

If the average person touched the Insidious Rain Flower, they would be unable to detoxify the poison unless they took medicinal pills refined using Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng concentrate.

However, refining medicine using the Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng required time. If the average person were poisoned by the Insidious Rain Flower, the only way to survive would be to cut off the affected part of the body.

Otherwise, they would be turned into pus soon.

“Don’t doubt it. It is that poisonous,” she maintained when she saw Qian Jiyun looking at her in confusion.

At the same time, she took out a clean handkerchief from his space and wrapped it around her hand, ready to dig out the roots of the Insidious Rain Flower.

However, Qian Jiyun did not let her dig. Instead, he snatched her handkerchief and shovel and dug up the Insidious Rain Flower himself. How could he let her do something so dangerous?

“Watch from the side. I’ll dig.”

An Jiuyue looked at him and did not say anything. She let him dig.

Her tools to dig for medicinal herbs had been snatched away. What else could she say? She would have nothing to do.

The Insidious Rain Flower was actually not a flower. In fact, it was a medicinal herb that could not bloom.

However, when its leaves grew, they would coil themselves into the shape of a flower. They were purple and very beautiful. There were dew-like crystalline components on them, so the herb was named the Insidious Rain Flower.

Its crystalline components were its most poisonous concentrated liquid component.

Its excessive dominance and poisonous nature gave it the name “insidious”. Many people had been poisoned by the Insidious Rain Flower while digging for the Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng.

This was because these flowers looked very attractive. Many medicine refiners were women, and they loved beautiful things like flowers and plants. Those who did not know about it would want to pick one up to collect it.

“I’ve never seen Uncle Wang use these herbs. Jiuyue, what medicinal pill are you refining?”

“I’m refining a junior-level Nine Suns Pill,” An Jiuyue replied.

“Nine Suns Pill?”

Chapter 622 Junior-Level Nine Suns Pill

Qian Jiyun looked up in surprise. He was so excited that his hand trembled, and he almost touched the Insidious Rain Flower. Fortunately, he retracted his hand in time and did not touch it.

“Is it the Nine Suns Pill I know? Is there a prescription for the Nine Suns Pill in the Building of Years?” he asked.

An Jiuyue heaved a sigh of relief when she saw he was not injured.

However, she glared at him worriedly and reminded him softly, "Be more careful."

She could not detoxify the poison if he really touched the Insidious Rain Flower. She would have to do it the original way.

"I don't want to chop off your hand either!"

"I know. I got too excited just now." Qian Jiyun nodded in understanding.

The Nine Suns Pill was the most effective pill for boosting Original Soul energy. He had never actually seen it; he had only heard about it. It was rare, even in planes higher than theirs.

They did not have Nine Suns Pills on Huayan Peak. Firstly, no one had the prescription. Secondly, there were not many decent medicine refiners here.

Advanced medicine refiners were rare, let alone supreme ones.

The prescription for the Nine Suns Pill was a secret. Only a few medicine refiners had it. It was an exclusive secret recipe and would not be leaked.

He recalled a year when the demonic beasts at Huayan Peak violently rioted. When his close friend Zhan Beiye heard there was a supreme-level Nine Suns Pill in his plane, he would rather cede his position as a lord to Zhan Xinye to acquire it.

Unfortunately, he could not obtain it because he could not obtain his family's support. In the end, the Nine Suns Pill benefited a Zhan family grandchild.

Because of this, Zhan Beiye had not returned to the Zhan family for several years, focusing on Huayan Peak. Qian Jiyun knew that Zhan Beiye was still angry at his family.

"Not in the Building of Years, but in the Suspended Pavilion," An Jiuyue replied.

“However, this prescription requires too many medicinal herbs. Moreover, junior-level Nine Suns Pills are ineffective.”

Upon hearing that, Qian Jiyun almost spat out his saliva.

It did not matter if it was effective or not. It might be junior-level now, but that did not mean it would always stay as such.

Besides, who said that junior-level Nine Suns Pills were ineffective?

“Jiuyue, junior-level Nine Suns Pills are the best medicinal pills to increase our cultivation level on our plane. I’m afraid they won’t be able to eat it if it’s of any higher level.”

He reminded An Jiuyue that the Nine Suns Pill was no ordinary pill.

“Pfft!” An Jiuyue could not help but laugh.

“I haven’t even gathered all the medicinal herbs, but you’re already thinking of benefiting the people in your camp?”

Refining Nine Suns Pills was very challenging. Medicine refiners of the same level could refine several other pills in one batch, but they would fail to refine Nine Suns Pills batch after batch.

Moreover, they would still fail even if they refined Nine Suns Pills a level. or two lower than their skill level.

That was why the Nine Suns Pill was so precious.

She had not prepared the herbs and had yet to try refining them!

“Do you have so much faith in my ability to refine a Nine Suns Pill?” she asked him.

“Who else can I have faith in if not you?” Qian Jiyun asked with a smile.

He no longer had any relatives in his life. He only had her, An Jiuyue, by his side.

Chapter 623 Budding Icy Heart Worm

He had never told An Jiuyue that, although Qian Yiyun had always addressed him as “Big Brother,” she was not related to him by blood.

“Heh, keep amusing me.”

An Jiuyue shook her head with a smile and looked down at the Insidious Rain Flower that was about to be dug out.

“Be careful. Don’t touch it. The crystalline substance on it is very poisonous. One drop can poison a gigantic demonic beast.”

Qian Jiyun did not respond. He slowly dug out the entire stalk of Insidious Rain Flower from the ground and watched her store it in her space.

Once inside the space, Wei Na took over. He was not afraid of anything. Poison was useless to him. Everything was illusory.

After dealing with the most poisonous herb, they began digging up the Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng.

The Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng’s poison was milder. It was not as poisonous as the Insidious Rain Flowers, but they should avoid touching it too.

An Jiuyue gave Qian Jiyun a new handkerchief before burning the one they used to wrap the Insidious Rain Flower. They must not leave any traces of its poison.

Yan Jin, carrying a bamboo basket on his back, saw the black smoke and flames. He could not help but ask, "Mistress, what are you burning?"

He had never seen such a fire. It was black! If not for the black smoke, he would not have guessed what was going on. What was she burning?

"A handkerchief that was stained with poison. You dug up so many medicinal herbs?" An Jiuyue looked up at Yan Jin and the bamboo basket on his back. It was nearly half full.

"Mhm." Yan Jin nodded and turned to look somewhere.

"There are many medicinal herbs there, but they're all ordinary ones. I dug them up according to your instructions. Their roots are well preserved. Yan Nuo is still digging."

"Let me see what you have," An Jiuyue said as Yan Jin removed the bamboo basket from his back and handed it to her.

"Take a look, Mistress. I'll help Master."

"Alright, be careful," An Jiuyue reminded him.

She looked into the bamboo basket. Yan Jin had picked a lot of medicinal herbs, and their roots were well preserved.

"It'll be easy for you to plant them," she said to Wei Na in her mind.

"Even if they're not well-preserved, it'll be easy for me to plant them," Wei Na said leisurely.

It was true. The spiritual energy in the space was sufficient, to begin with.

If a leaf was about to rot off, the rotten part of it could be trimmed off before planting it in the soil inside the space. It could grow again, not to mention these medicinal herbs. They all looked pretty good.

“Keep bragging. You’re really taking credit for this?” An Jiuyue replied unhappily. She raised her hand and was about to put the herbs in her space.

Suddenly, she noticed a white worm on a medicinal herb and stopped what she was doing.

“Is that a Budding Icy Heart Worm?”

She picked up the herb and placed it in front of her to look closer.

“It is! There’s actually a Budding Icy Heart Worm here!”

“What’s a Budding Icy Heart Worm?” Wei Na asked in confusion.

He had read the prescription for the Nine Suns Pill but had never seen the Budding Icy Heart Worm in it. Why was his master so excited to see this worm?

Chapter 624 The Root System Was the Hardest to Dig Out

“Can this worm be eaten? It’s disgusting.”

“Disgusting, my foot!” An Jiuyue scolded him angrily.

Were insects inedible? They were also meat, okay? Besides, was this a matter of eating?

“Budding Icy Heart Worms are worms that can continuously produce spiritual energy. If there are a few of these worms on a medicinal herb, the spiritual energy and medicinal properties of the herbs around it will definitely be better than others. The success rate of refining medicinal pills with it will increase by over 20%,” she explained.

“Unfortunately, there’s only one.”

What a shame! If there were two of them, a male and a female, that would be fantastic!

“Master, you’re stupid!” Wei Na rolled his eyes and mocked her.

“Since there’s one here, there must be a second and third one. Where did these herbs come from? Can’t you just ask that guy?”

The person he was talking about was Yan Jin. He was the one who dug up the medicinal herbs in this bamboo basket.

“You’re right.”

An Jiuyue nodded and looked at Yan Jin, who was helping to dig up the Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng.

However, if she distracted them with her question, they might ruin the Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng they were digging up. She decided to ask later.

“I’ll ask him later.”

With that, she stored all the medicinal herbs in her space for Wei Na to plant, excluding the one with the Budding Icy Heart Worm.

Meanwhile, Qian Jiyun was struggling to dig up the Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng. They had to dig the ginseng out without damaging its roots, even though it was poisonous and could not be touched.

“Master, take this. I’ll dig.”

Yan Jin glanced at his master and handed him the main part of the ginseng.

Only the root system was left. It was the hardest to dig out, even though they had already dug out the bulk of the ginseng. They had to do it while lying on the ground.

Yan Jin thought, "I'm the subordinate, so I should be the one doing this. How can I let Master do it?"

However, Qian Jiyun did not share the same thoughts.

"No need. Hold on tight."

He did not want to switch. What if he damaged the Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng? It was very difficult to find one. He had walked to numerous locations but could only find this one.

They must not destroy the medicinal herb that An Jiuyue needed.

"Yes, Master," Yan Jin replied, looking at the large Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng in his hand.

It appeared to be several years old, but no one had dug it out. It was a good gain for their mistress!

However, he did not know what kind of medicinal herb it was. He only found out after his master told him. There was a reason why nobody dug it out.

After a while, they finally dug out the Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng.

An Jiuyue walked over and patted the dirt off Qian Jiyun before stowing the Ten Thousand Poison Ginseng. Keeping it in front of Yan Jin was no problem. After all, he had seen her stow all the snowfish.

"Yan Jin, do you remember where you dug up this medicinal herb?" An Jiuyue asked as she burned the handkerchief.

Yan Jin looked up and saw the medicinal herb in An Jiuyue's hand. He also saw a worm crawling on it.

He wondered why he brought this thing back when he had cleaned all the herbs!

Chapter 625 How Are They Rare?

"Oh my, why is there a worm? I'm sorry, Mistress. I thought I removed the worms."

He had passed on many medicinal herbs because of these worms and finally chose a few good ones to dig up. He did not expect to find a worm still.

Worms were born to eat leaves! A single worm could ruin a large medicinal herb garden!

"So there are more of these worms?" An Jiuyue's eyes lit up.

It was great news that there were more of them. She would catch a few more. In fact, she would take as many as she could.

"Uh..." Yan Jin was rendered speechless.

Qian Jiyun glared at him and reminded him, "She's asking you a question."

"Well... Mistress, is this worm useful?" Yan Jin did not understand, but he still asked softly.

They were merely white worms. They were numerous, but he thought it odd that they could only be found in that area. Other places had medicinal herbs as well, but not these worms.

"Budding Icy Heart Worms are useful in increasing the medicinal properties of medicinal plants. They can also increase the production of medicinal plants," An Jiuyue explained.

"They're that useful?" Yan Jin's eyes lit up.

He recalled how he had spent a lot of effort to get rid of these worms and had even abandoned a large patch of medicinal herbs.

However, these worms ended up being useful! Fortunately, An Jiuyue noticed it. He would have destroyed it if no one did.

“I’ve never heard Shui Liu and the others mention it before.”

“They probably don’t know about this either,” he added inwardly.

“Budding Icy Heart Worms are rare,” An Jiuyue explained.

“How are they rare?”

Yan Jin was indignant. He had seen a large group of them.

However, these worms had large appetites. They had eaten such a large patch of medicinal herbs until only the stems were left.

“Lead the way,” Qian Jiyun instructed.

“Alright, alright. Mistress, I’ll bring you there.” Yan Jin nodded repeatedly and brought them there.

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Yan Nuo had been digging for medicinal herbs near the patch of herbs that had been eaten by the worms down to the stems.

He was also puzzled. The two patches of medicinal herbs were so close to one another, but one had all its leaves eaten by worms while the other was worm-free.

Moreover, the herbs grown on the two patches were similar.

Maybe that patch of medicinal herbs is on land with excellent feng shui? So no one is interested in this patch I'm currently standing on? It seems a little strange.

"Mistress, this is the place. Look, the worms ate everything. I didn't want these herbs."

Yan Nuo looked up and saw his master and the others walking over. Yan Jin had even introduced that medicinal herb patch to their mistress.

Yan Nuo was silent.

Is it really just as I thought? Does that piece of land really have excellent feng shui?

"Master, Mistress, are the medicinal herbs here still usable?" he asked as he walked over after digging up a stalk of medicinal herb.

We can dig up all the herbs if they're useful. It'll be easy to remove the worms later anyway.

However, he was unaware that Yan Jin had spent 15 minutes removing two worms from a medicinal herb. These worms were not easy to deal with.

Chapter 626 Frostbitten Because of Them

An Jiuyue was speechless when she saw so many stems of herbs.

She was also surprised to see so many Budding Icy Heart Worms here. It made sense that they could eat so many medicinal herbs—this was a large family of Budding Icy Heart Worms!

Budding Icy Heart Worms lived in groups. She had read about them in books from the Suspended Pavilion.

However, she had never seen so many Budding Icy Heart Worms or such a large family of them.

It seemed like... She had never seen a Budding Icy Heart Worm before. She only received an impression of it after entering the Suspended Pavilion's Medicine Spirit. It was all from the Medicine Spirit.

"Ahem, Yan Nuo, Yan Jin, dig up all these herbs and pile them here."

With that, she took a white cloth from her space and laid it out, gesturing for them to place the medicinal herbs on it.

"You don't have to remove the worms. I'll do it later."

"Okay," Yan Nuo and Yan Jin replied in unison. They rolled up their sleeves and got to work.

Qian Jiyun also came to help. Of course, An Jiuyue would not let the three men do it alone. She also began digging for the herbs.

She looked up and reminded everyone, "Remember to shake off the soil and put it on the white cloth."

"Alright, don't worry, Mistress. I promise I won't leave any soil on it," Yan Nuo replied.

"Go rest at the side. We'll do it."

Qian Jiyun frowned when he saw that she was about to dig for herbs.

"No need. I'll dig too. After all, these herbs are all for me. It'll be too embarrassing if I don't do my own things."

An Jiuyue smiled at him and got to work.

The four of them dug up the herbs quickly. Despite their meticulous digging, they finished in under an hour.

“Mistress, how are you going to get rid of these worms? Let me do it.”

Yan Nuo took the initiative to help. He wanted to remove the worms, but Yan Jin stopped him.

He turned to look at Yan Jin and asked, “What are you doing?”

“It took me 15 minutes to remove two worms,” Yan Jin said.

“What?” Yan Nuo was shocked and in disbelief.

They were only a few small worms. Would removing them be that difficult?

“These worms are ice-types. They might be a type of demonic beast,” Yan Jin said.

He finally realized that these were not ordinary worms. They were ice-type demonic beasts. Even if they were small, they would be difficult to deal with.

“Look at my fingers.”

He stretched out his hand for Yan Nuo to see. His right thumb and index finger were red.

“They’re frostbitten because of them,” he admitted.

Yan Nuo was silent.

Could a worm freeze people?

Moreover, Yan Jin was an Original Soul cultivator. His Original Soul energy was not low. How could he be frostbitten because of a worm?

“If what you said is true, it’ll be even more important for us to do it. Mistress, you—”

“No need. I have my ways.”

An Jiuyue shook her head at them. She took a bag of fine salt from her space and sprinkled it over the stems. Then a miracle happened.

Chapter 627 It Increases Original Soul energy?

The salt-stained Budding Icy Heart Worms shrank one by one, quickly transforming into the shape of buds.

They stopped crawling on the stems and fell onto the white cloth.

As they fell, two buds colliding would make a crisp thud like iron balls.

After a while, all the Budding Icy Heart Worms fell from the medicinal stems. An Jiuyue kept the stems and placed them in her space for Wei Na to plant.

She took out a few bamboo tubes and picked up the buds on the white cloth one by one, placing them into the bamboo tubes.

Qian Jiyun and the others also came to help. They collected four bamboo tubes full of Budding Icy Heart Worms.

Yan Nuo looked at the many Budding Icy Heart Worms and recalled the medicinal stems from before.

Startled, he reminded her, “Mistress, there are so many worms. If we raise all of them, won’t they eat all the medicinal plants?”

“We won’t raise all of them. As long as we don’t give them enough medicinal plants, they’ll be fine even for 100 years. They’ll still be alive if we throw them into the medicinal plants 100 years later.”

An Jiuyue covered the bamboo tubes and explained.

“Moreover, grinding these Budding Icy Heart Worms will produce the best medicinal catalyst. Any medicinal pill can be refined with twice the results and half the effort. Not only will the success rate increase, but the pill production rate will also increase significantly.

“It’s rare to see so many Budding Icy Heart Worms. It’s all thanks to you.”

“Hehe.” Yan Jin and Yan Nuo smiled in embarrassment.

They had thought that these worms were pests. They did not expect them to be treasures. They would not have been so lucky if she had not told them about it.

“What about the salt?”

An Jiuyue raised her eyebrows and said, “You can share it between yourselves.”

“Huh?”

They were both stunned. Did they have to share the salt between them?

“Maybe we’ll send it to the kitchen?”

But wouldn't it be immoral to send worm-contaminated salt to the canteen?

"That works too." An Jiuyue nodded, looking as if she was about to cause trouble out of nothing.

"Salt touched by the Budding Icy Heart Worms has a lot of spiritual energy. Since you don't want it, we can use this salt to make a meal for everyone. That's a good idea too. You might even be able to increase your Original Soul energy."

"It increases Original Soul energy?"

Their eyes widened in disbelief.

How could they share the salt that could increase their Original Soul energy with other people? They had to split it among themselves.

"Um... Master, Mistress, look... There's only so much salt. Why don't I share it with Yan Jin and Yan Qin? There won't be much left if we leave some for Yan Shen too. What do you think, Mistress?"

They accompanied their master and needed to increase their Original Soul energy the most. As for the others, they faced off against demonic beasts every day. They would eventually increase their Original Soul energy, right?

An Jiuyue smiled and said, "Why are you asking me? You can decide for yourselves."

She did not care about this. She was only concerned with how she had obtained a lot of good things today. As for the salt, it was intended for Yan Nuo and the others anyway.

"Master..."

They looked at Qian Jiyun. He had yet to say anything.

“You can keep it.” Qian Jiyun nodded at them.

“Thank you, Mistress. Thank you, Master.”

The two of them quickly thanked him and put away the salt on the white cloth before continuing to search for herbs.

Chapter 628 Chase After Us

“Let’s search over there.”

Qian Jiyun held An Jiuyue’s hand and walked in another direction.

“Jiyun, don’t you think there’s an unusually large number of medicinal herbs here? I suspect somebody planted these herbs,” An Jiuyue remarked.

The place Qian Jiyun took her to was brimming with medicinal herbs. Even if these herbs were not planted by anyone, someone should know of their existence, right?

She had dug up numerous medicinal herbs at once. Would people criticize her if they came here next time and found no medicinal herbs?

It seemed possible.

“No.” Qian Jiyun shook his head. “You don’t have to be afraid. People don’t come here often to pick herbs. Anyone who does come here must be strong. Medicine refiners won’t come here.”

Puzzled, An Jiuyue asked, “Why?”

“The Black Pact Forest is over there.” Qian Jiyun pointed in a direction.

“Black Pact Forest?”

Her eyes widened as she looked into the distance. The trees there were crowded.

“Is it the Black Pact Forest you mentioned previously?”

Is that the Black Pact Forest, home to the Auspicious Cloud Sea-Devouring Python that so many people failed to kill and injure? No way! Why did we come here?

“Will that python come out again?” she asked worriedly.

“I don’t think so.”

Qian Jiyun was not sure. In fact, he had brought An Jiuyue here to also verify his suspicions.

“You don’t think so?” An Jiuyue was even more uncertain.

If he only said “think”, did that mean the python might come out?

“Qian Jiyun, the Auspicious Cloud Sea-Devouring Python won’t chase after us, right?” she asked.

“You’re thinking too much.” Qian Jiyun smiled.

Even if the Auspicious Cloud Sea-Devouring Python found them, they would have time to leave and would not be injured.

They had to engage the Auspicious Cloud Sea-Devouring Python in combat last time because it was on its way to his camp. He was sure they could get away from it now if they had to.

“Jiuyue, I’m sure you’ve heard that the python has a master.”

“I know that.” An Jiuyue nodded.

Besides refining medicine, she had heard the most about the Auspicious Cloud Sea-Devouring Python in the camp over the past few days. It was said that someone had subdued the python many years ago.

However, no one knew who subdued the Auspicious Cloud Sea-Devouring Python.

“I really don’t know what kind of capable person can subdue a python like that. I really want to meet them when I have the chance.”

“Haha.” Qian Jiyun chuckled and patted her head. “You know him.”

“I know him?” An Jiuyue pointed at herself and smiled.

She had only been at Huayan Peak for a few days and had only left Camp Zhan Yun a few times. How many people could she know?

Unless it was someone she had met in Daqing Kingdom? However, she did not know anyone else in Daqing Kingdom besides Qian Jiyun and the others. She did not know many people because she had been staying at Huayan Peak.

However... she thought of someone suddenly and stopped in her tracks.

“You mean my father? He subdued that python?” She was really shocked at the thought of this possibility.

Is this what I think it is? Did Father Tu really subdue and raise the Auspicious Cloud Sea-Devouring Python in the Black Pact Forest?

If that's true, then Father Tu is really amazing!

Chapter 629 Made Up Her Mind

"Is this true?"

She looked at Qian Jiyun in disbelief, wondering if he was making a wild guess.

"Mhm." Qian Jiyun nodded and admitted.

"Huh? You're admitting it? That's impossible, right?" An Jiuyue looked at him in amusement and hit his chest lightly.

"If my father is so strong, how could a tiger defeat him? Don't joke around with me. You must have made a mistake. Yes, a mistake."

She did not believe her father had subdued an Auspicious Cloud Sea-Devouring Python.

After all, she had lived with her father for so long. Would she still be his daughter if she did not understand him?

"I'm not mistaken. It was Prince An Yang." Qian Jiyun shook his head and looked at her seriously.

"Prince An Yang's abilities are beyond what you think. That's why I never suspected that your adoptive father was Prince An Yang. I didn't suspect it, even though they have the same name."

After all, his impression of Prince An Yang was completely different from the person An Jiuyue had described to him.

"No, so you're saying that my father is really the one who subdued that python?"

An Jiuyue observed his serious gaze and eventually had to admit that he was telling the truth. He was not joking. Her father was really that powerful.

“It seems like there are many things I need to figure out.”

“No.” Qian Jiyun patted her head. “We’ll figure this out together. Perhaps it’s not as simple as we think.”

“Alright, we’ll do it together.” An Jiuyue nodded.

Although she had to figure things out, increasing her Original Soul energy was the priority.

She made up her mind.

“Let’s find the herbs first. I don’t know if I can figure things out, but I have to refine the junior-level Nine Suns Pill.”

She reasoned that if her father really possessed the strength to subdue an Auspicious Cloud Sea-Devouring Python, he would not succumb to a white tiger’s attack so easily.

There had to be a secret she did not know about.

However, she could not discover these secrets yet. She could only slowly find the answers by increasing her Original Soul energy and abilities.

But it felt really challenging. Her father had, after all, passed away.

“Jiyun, where are you taking me? Are we going to the Black Pact Forest?”

She could not help but feel nervous when she saw Qian Jiyun leading her toward the Black Pact Forest. After all, she had almost blown one of the Auspicious Cloud Sea-Devouring Python’s eyes off.

They were going there too openly, weren't they?

"I'll take you a little bit inside. Although it's difficult to enter the Black Pact Forest, there are many medicinal herbs inside." Qian Jiyun reached out and pulled her into his arms.

"I've recently attained Original Soul Grandmaster rank cultivation and can temporarily conceal our auras. It won't be long, though. I can only do it for an hour at most. The Auspicious Cloud Sea-Devouring Python won't notice us," he explained.

"Really?" An Jiuyue quickened her pace.

"Let's walk faster and see if we can find the medicinal herbs I need."

She was not expecting to find them all, but she was hoping to find at least half of them. Otherwise, their trip would be in vain.

Chapter 630 I Will Definitely Surpass You!

"By the way, what is an Original Soul Grandmaster? Isn't Original Soul cultivation not differentiated by ranks?"

"There is no distinction between ranks for those from lower planes like us who are not skilled enough in cultivating Original Soul energy. They can only cultivate to a certain level in their lifetime and cannot advance.

"But things are different in the higher planes. The people there had the best talent and resources. Their cultivation of Original Soul energy can naturally reach the highest level they desire quickly. There, Original Soul energy cultivation is divided into ranks.

"They can advance through the ranks of Original Soul cultivation, from Original Soul Cultivators to Original Soul Masters, Original Soul Grandmasters, and Original Soul Kings. In any case, there are many ranks," he explained.

“So I’m still an Original Soul Cultivator?” An Jiuyue asked.

“Uh...”

Qian Jiyun was stunned by her question and found it difficult to tell the truth.

“What’s wrong? Is there a problem?” An Jiuyue asked, sensing that things were not that simple.

“Jiuyue, you’ve only started cultivating the Original Soul. You haven’t met the requirements for the rank of Original Soul Cultivator yet,” he said after hesitating for a while and walking a short distance toward the Black Pact Forest.

An Jiuyue was speechless.

So I’m not even an Original Soul Cultivator!

But it’s fine. I’ve just started. I have plenty of time to cultivate slowly. I don’t believe I’ll lose to Qian Jiyun.

“Just wait! I will definitely surpass you!”

“Okay.” Qian Jiyun smiled and continued walking with her.

“You work hard. Let’s find the herbs first,” he reminded her.

“Right, I’m looking for herbs!”

An Jiuyue was reminded that she had to find medicinal herbs.

“The other medicinal herbs are easy to find. If I can’t find them here, I can look for them at Points Mall. However, this Blood-colored Bodhi is too difficult to find. Can we even find it here?”

“Blood-colored Bodhi?”

Qian Jiyun stopped in his tracks, causing her to stop too.

“What’s wrong? Do you know where to find it?”

An Jiuyue knew there was a chance of finding it when she saw his reaction. Her eyes lit up.

“I think I’ve heard of it somewhere. I’ll tell you in the future. I’ll bring you to look for herbs first,” Qian Jiyun said.

“Okay.” She nodded.

Since there was a way to find it, she would ask about it next time and find the other herbs first.

They continued hurrying towards the Black Pact Forest.

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“Look, is this it?”

In the tent, Qian Jiyun handed An Jiuyue a sandalwood box and placed it on the table.

An Jiuyue raised her eyebrows and opened the box. Inside were five Blood-colored Bodhis.

Her eyes lit up as she looked at them, and she could not help but shift her gaze between the man and the Blood-colored Bodhis.

“You have five Blood-colored Bodhi? Where did you get them?”

She could not imagine how precious the Blood-colored Bodhi was if she had not come to Huayan Peak.

She only learned about the Blood-colored Bodhi after activating the Medicine Spirit.

“I only want one... No, I want two. I’ll plant one. I might be able to grow a Blood-colored Bodhi Tree.”

She wanted to ask for one but hesitated when she remembered that the Blood-colored Bodhi was both a medicinal herb and a seed. She wanted to take another one and see if planting it in her space would allow it to germinate.

After all, the soil in her space was different from that outside. It was easier to grow medicinal herbs, and seeds germinated more easily.