

Starchild 331

Chapter 331: The Firebird Who Is Chasing After Them

Ouroboros faintly laid down beside Hydra, looking at the Sword Palace team together with Phoenix.

“You just let your little bride be kidnapped by Casina? It’s not like you Hydra.”

“What’s our relationship actually? Daughter? Lover? Enemy? What should I call him? Darling? Bastard?” Phoenix blushed. She was still in a mess.

“As a good lady, I won’t constrain my bride to stay with me. As long as it’s necessary, I can see him at any time.” Hydra’s White Emperor avatar showed a mysterious smile.

Behind her back, the three High Priestesses were kneeling on the ground gingerly, and reluctantly looked at the Sword Palace team sailing away.

They could feel that a part of themselves were leaving this world together with a person.

“Whoa! Can anyone tell me who he is? Why do I have such a strange feeling? No, I can’t wait. I must know the answer now!”

Phoenix opened her wings, chased after the Sword Palace team and flew away from this world.

“Oh, our little Phoenix will be badly battered by love.” Ouroboros didn’t need to predict and it had known that Phoenix would have a disastrous journey.

“Not really. Phoenix’s lucky point is always high, as long as she doesn’t get involved with ‘that person’ later.” Hydra smiled.

The thing is becoming interesting!

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“Oh, a problem is chasing after us...” Laying on her throne, Casina felt a headache looking at Phoenix, who was flying after the Sword Palace team but didn’t dare to get close.

Being chased by such a legendary fantasy creature, the tutors of the Sword Palace were almost scared out of their pants.

Even though the immortal bird meant no harm, but, how can anyone see a prodigious bird with burning feathers flying around them and feel at ease? If it wasn’t because there was a Sky Sword in the team, they would be utterly routed.

“Phoenix, what are you doing?” Casina looked at Phoenix in confusion. The firebird flew around them but didn’t get close, what the hell was she doing?

“I... I... want to know... his name.” Phoenix stumbled.

“Yun Xi. Remember, his name is Yun Xi.” With a faint smile on her face, Casina looked at a black-haired maid who had been forced by his childhood sweetheart to wear the maid uniform again.

Oh, I didn't notice that my disciple has such a great "talent"!

No wonder that he has such a great "Soft Body", it's a talent that can't be learned through practice.

As the sixth Sky Sword, she almost didn't recognize that the black-haired maid was actually the White Emperor in the Water God's world when she first saw Yun Xi's "new appearance".

Did Hydra find this a long time ago?

"Yun Xi... Yun Xi... Yun Xi..." Phoenix repeated this name several times, then flew into the sky, leaving the Sword Palace team.

Only Casina could see that Phoenix didn't fly away but just rolled in the higher sky with excitement.

Oh, she behaved like a girl in a burning love! Casina thought.

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Like all the stars that twinkled around the bright moon, the Sword Palace team, the Starwing Knights girls were all surrounding one person.

Being forced by his childhood sweetheart, Yun Xi had to become the black-haired maid "Mei" again.

“Mei, are you all right?”

“Mei, it’s so nice to see you again?”

“Mei, did you also sign that ‘contract’?”

Yun Xi looked at them with embarrassment. He had to be silent, because he couldn’t tell them that he was the White Emperor who married them all!

Naturally, his silence was interpreted as a sign of acquiescing.

“It was really a strange feeling, when I agreed to the White Emperor’s proposal, I felt that it wasn’t our first meeting.”

“Oh, the White Emperor’s bread tasted good! It was very similar to Mei’s bread!”

“Yes, yes, I was captured by his bread, so I agreed to marry him.”

“Unfortunately, we won’t be able to eat his bread again.”

“Thinking again, the White Emperor is actually a gentleman. He signed the contract with us for saving his world but didn’t do anything rude.”

Remembering their experience in the Water God's world, the girls chatted.

Most of them were seduced by Yun Xi's hero ranked bread, so they were reluctant to part with his bread.

Only "one person" was different.

She not only had tasted Yun Xi's bread, but also decided to stay in the Water God's world, living there as the White Emperor's wife. However, she eventually decided to return to the Sword Palace, coming back with the other Starwing Knights girls.

At this moment, she gazed at "Mei" with a very strange look.

Seeing her eyes, Yun Xi suddenly had an ominous presentiment.

Lu Lu was the only girl who had skin on skin experience with him in the Water God's world. From the first village to the Caelian City, they had become so familiar with each other, that they could discern each other's smell with their eyes shut.

Only in front of her, Yun Xi was shy to say that he was still an upright gentleman.

Chapter 332: Beneath the Moonlight

"Welcome... back..." With mixing feelings in her heart, the shy little rabbit, Lu Lu stood forward bravely and hugged Yun Xi proactively.

“Tok! Tok!” Hua Huo’s body suddenly shivered while talking with the twin witches. She took a glance at the Starwing Knights girls and saw a rabbit-ear girl was hugging her Little Xi.

No, no, it must be my delusion! My Little Xi’s disguise is perfect, it isn’t possible even for a legend ranked being to see through his disguise!

She hasn’t even reached the hero rank, how can she be a threat!

Hum, hum, how can anyone expect that I dressed up my lover as a maid?! Nothing is safer than this, my decision!

No problem, my Little Xi is an upright gentleman, how can he be tempted by such a “little rabbit”! He isn’t that shameless White Emperor, who didn’t refuse the girls from all races!

“Bang! Bang!” Yun Xi could clearly feel that Lu Lu’s heart was pounding heavily.

Her fingers lightly slid across his black hair and stealthily pressed on his back, as if she was confirming the figure of his body.

No, she can’t recognize me. After all, my body now is different than when I was the White Emperor. She can’t recognize me using this method!

Yun Xi sweated profusely for fear of being exposed in the next moment.

Fortunately, Lu Lu hesitated for a while and finally gave up.

“Mei, can I eat your yummy bread again?” Lu Lu asked tentatively and looked at the black-haired maid in front of her, trying to find the truth through his eyes.

“Well, of course!” Yun Xi let out a sigh of relief and made a decision in his heart that he would never make the special golden bread for these girls again. His identity would be immediately exposed if they tasted his hero ranked bread!

Fortunately, he had only made them in the Water God’s world. As long as he didn’t make them in the outside world again, he wouldn’t expose himself.

If he just made common bread, it shouldn’t cause any problem, after all, it’s a natural thing to be good at cooking as a maid.

It just looked like Lu Lu doubted him, but wasn’t sure about it.

If possible, Yun Xi hoped that she would forget everything that had happened in the Water God’s world. He felt embarrassed about the things he had done before.

If he knew that it wasn’t just a dream, he would’ve never made those mistakes!

Fortunately, he still could make a fresh start, he decided to be an upright gentleman!

Just treat the things in the Water God's world as my dream! At any rate, it was a too ridiculous experience.

Well, that's all. Even though I have done this thing and that thing with Lu Lu, the three High Priestesses, the... No, I shouldn't keep thinking! Forget them, forget them!

From now on, I will begin my life anew, I will study hard, then escape again and get free to explore the vast god's domains!

I should never forget that the threat from my four ex-girlfriends, still exists. If they catch me, everything will be over!

He wasn't really going to abandon his one million brides in the Water God's world, he just knew that he couldn't undertake this responsibility now.

If it wasn't because his four ex-girlfriends were still hunting him or Hua Huo suddenly appeared, perhaps he would've really stayed in the Water God's world as the White Emperor.

Even though he had saved an entire world and married a million brides, Yun Xi was just a boy who was being troubled in matters of love.

Walking along the road the stars made for him, he still needed to practice and study harder!

"Life is full of sufferings..." Yun Xi wiped off the sweat from his forehead, then suddenly heard a voice echoing beside his ears.

“Little guy, come to my room this night.”

“Who?” Yun Xi looked around alertly, then surprisingly found that the voice was from the person on the throne.

The sixth Sky Sword, the Battle God, Casina.

Apparently, she wasn't being deceived by his disguise and clearly knew his real identity.

Oh, no, I'm done for!

If she exposes my identity, what will my life become?!

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In the night, Yun Xi stealthily walked out of his room and looked for Casina's room.

At present, the Sword Palace team was on a floating ship which was far bigger and faster than the floating ship White Lotus.

Its name was “The Sands of Time”. From the name, Yun Xi knew that it must be Casina's ship.

“Don’t look around, I’m on the top of this ship, and don’t afraid that anyone will see you, I have closed this area. Come here and drink with me, little guy.”

A lazy voice appeared. Yun Xi looked up and saw Casina laying on a bed made of transparent jellyfishes. She was only wearing a dancer dress and looked at him with a spurious smile.

“Ok... well... why me...?” Yun Xi walked to her nervously. He wasn’t the White Emperor at this moment and wasn’t wearing the three artifacts, he was lacking in self confidence when facing Casina.

“Because it’s you, so I choose you.” Casina drank a blood colored wine and looked at Yun Xi with her hazy eyes.

“Do you remember the words I said before? You have a great talent... you should be my disciple...”

“But I refused.” Yun Xi pretended to be innocent. He couldn’t be the Battle God’s disciple, no matter whether he was in the identity of the White Emperor or Yun Xi.

“Ha ha...” Casina laughed.

“You can’t refuse me. Don’t you know even Hydra doesn’t dare to refuse me?”

“Ah!” Yun Xi was dumbfounded.

“When you used my Magnificence of Sky Dance, you were doomed to be my disciple.”

“No matter whether you are Yun Xi or Mei, and I don’t mind whether you are a boy or a girl.”

“I want you to be my disciple, this is what I want, nothing more.”

Chapter 333: The Practice of the Battle God Genre

She was persistent and even much more persistent than Hydra. Yun Xi realized that Casina wouldn’t change the decision she had made, no matter what his decision was.

His refusal meant nothing to this Battle God.

“But I had never learned any martial arts, the reason why I could use the Magnificence of Sky Dance before was because your will possessed my body at that time.” Yun Xi was still struggling, trying to change his doomed fate.

“Everything happens for a reason. No matter whether it is your martial arts or talent, some things are doomed in this universe. What we humans can do is to find the rules of the universe and control those rules.” Casina shook her head.

It wasn’t just an accident.

When she explored deep inside the highest realms of the legend rank, she found a rule that all accidents were just the results of the endless necessities.

It was rare that a human could obtain the “Soft Body”. Moreover, this owner of the “Soft Body” could reproduce her “Magnificence of Sky Sword” with his body memory, how could he lack any talent in martial arts!

The fact was that Yun Xi had a great talent for martial arts, which was so great that it was far beyond his own imagination.

The Magnificence of Sky Dance wasn't a common martial arts that could be learned by anyone. Although he had the help of the will of the Water God's world at that time, but the fact that he could reproduce this skill again, had proved that he had a godlike understanding about martial arts.

In other words, although he refused to admit it, his body had told her the right answer honestly.

How can any martial artist let go of such a good disciple?

“Pa! Pa! Pa! Pa!” Before Yun Xi realized it, Casina had patted dozens of times on his body.

All her pats contained a gush of heat flow. These heat flows permeated into his body and went deep into his muscles and nerves, finally forming a special circulating system.

“Whoa! Why is my body moving uncontrollably?!”

Yun Xi's hands stretched out and pressed down on the ground. His body bent at a ninety degree angle and his legs did the split naturally.

Quickly, his body made a position like a duck sitting by the road.

“Hum, remember this position, it’s the first step to start practicing your Soft Body, which is called ‘Sitting Duck’.” Casina explained with a show of seriousness, “Generally, only female humans can make this sitting position after practicing. If you want this position to look more beautiful, you need to increase the tenacity of your knee-joint and hip-joint.”

“The basics of the Battle God Genre starts from practicing your legs instead of building your muscles.”

“Sitting Duck is the basic of all basic trainings.”

Of course, it was also the cutest, “feminine might” position, Casina decided to ignore this and said nothing.

“But... I’m a man...” In front of Casina, Yun Xi stopped pretending. He had never really regarded himself as a maid.

“I don’t mind.” Casina patted his shoulders with a generous attitude.

I mind it! Yun Xi almost went crazy. No one wouldn’t go crazy in the face of such a “teacher”!

“Tsk! Tsk! Not bad! Not bad!” Casina ignored his word and walked around him with her naked feet, lightly kicking his body from time to time.

From her foot feelings, Casina found that Yun Xi's body was more soft than when he was wearing the White Emperor Mask. Yun Xi himself didn't realize that when he wore the maid uniform, he had a quiet, gentle temperament.

This was "soft", the core of practicing the "Soft Body". Yun Xi had mastered this key point without learning.

"Keep this position for two hours, then you can start to practice the next position." Casina laid back down on the bed and picked up the wine from Hydra. It was a wine made of Hydra's virulent blood, which could kill a million people with its poisonousness.

Only the legend ranked beings like Casina, whose body had entered the Battle God realm could enjoy Hydra's poisonous wine without any worry.

After taking a sip of the wine, Casina felt a hot feeling run down along her tongue through her esophagus into her stomach. It was a gift and also a reward from Hydra.

Compared to Casina who was enjoying the wine, Yun Xi was suffering.

A gust of heat flowed one after another. The gusts shuttled back and forth in his body. He felt as if he was soaking in a lava pool, but didn't drip a drop of sweat. The uncomfortable feeling made him feel a painful torment.

He didn't only feel hot, but also felt sore and numb. He could feel that his body parts were becoming soft when the heat flows passed through.

Why does such a simple position make me feel so painful?

Two hours later, Yun Xi finally toppled down to the ground and gasped for air.

“Very good, you just created the longest record of keeping the Sitting Duck position amongst all my disciples.” Although Casina was drunk, she still praised him with appreciation.

Although it was the basic of the Battle God Genre, none of her disciples could keep this position longer than one hour.

The heat flows she transferred into Yun Xi’s body weren’t something simple. They could help Yun Xi adjust his body breathing and were the essential factors to test his physical quality.

Yun Xi could keep the Sitting Duck position two hours as the heat flows shuttled through his body, it was really a great Soft Body talent.

It seems that my Battle God Genre finally has a qualified successor! Casina thought with joy.

Chapter 334: Treasure Ship Style

“Can we change to other cultivation methods that are much more ‘common’?” Yun Xi felt that his body was like a rusty machine of gears, groaning with creaking sounds and pain.

“Oh, what kind of cultivation method do you like?” Casina looked at him curiously. At present, he was so tired that he didn’t even want to move a finger.

Teaching students according to their aptitude is also very important.

“I did several rounds of limit practices before.” He answered honestly.

One thousand push-ups, one thousand sit-ups, one thousand squats, and ran a hundred kilometers and brandish sword for ten thousand times. It was a classic limit practice that could only be finished after using up all one’s strength.

If he didn’t use the Green Hippo’s Seed to refresh himself, he probably couldn’t finish one round of limit practice.

“Limit practice... you mean that...” Casina shrugged her shoulders and touched his head with a pity.

Fortunately, it’s not too late to stop that practicing method. No, it’s not a bad practicing method, however, there is a strong side effect with it.

Well, I don’t need to tell him about it. Anyway, with my guidance, he doesn’t need to practice that skill that would make him lose hair... cough, cough, that secret skill with a strong sequela.

“Well, can you try push-ups first?” It was such a basic practicing method, but it was undeniable that it was a thoroughly tempered skill that worked best for mankind.

“Ok.” he stretched out his arms and legs. He found that his resilience had really been increased and the rhythm of his breath had also been changed.

The blessing of the Water God was changing his body unconsciously. This process was still ongoing.

Hydra was still with him.

“One, two, three...” Yun Xi naturally put his hands on the ground and started to do push-ups. After three times, he felt something heavy was put on his back, instantly, a fragrance with alcohol and the feeling of warm skin came from his back.

“Master Casina?”

“Call me teacher from now on. Keep going.” Casina stretched out her toes and stepped her feet on the acupressure points on Yun Xi’s back.

“Gee?” An aching cold feeling spread through his whole body from his spine. He couldn’t help but emit a strange groan from his mouth.

His body parts that were being stepped on by her shivered and twisted. He found out with shame that his body had a reaction that should never appear at this moment.

“Little guy, be more attentive to your practice.”

She smiled and tapped her foot at the back of his neck. Her naked toes didn’t contain any smell of sweat but had a nice smell like a blooming flower in the dry desert.

“Remember, this is the second position of the basic Battle God Genre: Treasure Ship Style.” Compared to the first position Sitting Duck, which was used to increase the resilience of one’s body, the second

position Treasure Ship Style requires a higher coordination degree of all body parts, especially the connection points of joints. If Yun Xi practiced without any guidance, he would probably hurt himself.

Casina didn't like the disciples who learned by rote but liked the disciples who learned using their own body.

Through her toes that were pressing on his back, she guided his body to shake regularly.

His hands supported by the ground and his body shook like a tiny boat in a tempestuous storm.

"Ha... ha..." he felt as if he was being drowned in an endless sea. His hands were indeed supported by the ground, but he could feel that the whole world was shaking.

No, it wasn't his imagination. The area around him was indeed shaking like in a storm.

She could even reverse the rules of the sky and earth, to accomplish this was just a piece of cake for her.

"Don't stop, keep moving!" Once his moves slightly slowed down, she would scold and punish him relentlessly.

Once her soft toes increased strength on his back, he would feel a mind-blowing pain like a ship that was going to fall.

However, every time "this ship" would really fall, she would infuse new energy into his body and let him feel the cold feeling on his back, arousing him from a faint.

Therefore, he had to suffer the circulation of dying, being saved by her energy, dying over and over again.

This kid is more tenacious than I guessed! Sitting on his back and drinking the wine from time to time, she observed his performance with surprise.

Generally, people with great talents were prideful, so they didn't like to pay too much attention on fundamental training.

None of her disciples were common people. They were all great geniuses in the eyes of the public and after becoming her disciples, they became more confident and rushed courageously when learning her skills.

However, only when they did fundamental training, they all thought that it was unnecessary and didn't need to pay too much attention to it.

In some sense, they were right. As super geniuses with godlike talents, they could understand the elements of combat skills three times faster, or even faster, than ordinary people, and they also knew the importance of laying a good foundation for their bodies. This was the reason why they could be Casina's disciples.

Since I have built a wonderful foundation for my body, I don't need to waste more time on this. They all thought.

"It would be great if they can be patient like you." Casina shook her head at her past disciples, although they were already good enough in the eyes of others.

There is no “enough” when building a foundation for one’s body, it’s a work of a lifetime! When my previous disciples understand this, they will finally find the door of the legend rank and create their own godlike martial arts.

Compared to them, this little guy can even use my Magnificent of Sky Dance, and he is still practicing hard on the basic positions of Sitting Duck and Treasure Ship Style.

Probably he himself hasn’t realized what a great talent he has.

The blessing from Hydra can’t be something simple.

“The ship is going to capsize!” Yun Xi felt as if his hands were pressing on the sea surface. His body was so limp that he couldn’t even squeeze out one last bit of energy.

His strength had given out after the long practice!

“Let’s bring this to a close for today.”

Casina leapt back to her throne and looked down at him, who was lying on the floor faintly.

“Not bad, you are a good ship!”

Chapter 335: A Small Temptation

After finishing the unexpected practice, Yun Xi slowly walked back to his room with fatigue and fell on his bed.

Tired, I'm too tired! He didn't even want to open his eyes. If he hadn't eaten the last golden bread on his way back to his room, he would have fainted about half way.

Casina's martial arts, especially the second position Treasure Ship Style even squeezed out the remaining energy from his body.

Fortunately, he didn't tell her that he was also a hero ranked Baker and ate his last fourth ranked bread, otherwise, he would probably sleep on the floor.

Although he complained, he still accepted the fact that he had become Casina's disciple.

Since I can't refuse her, I have to accept it and adjust myself.

Moreover, Casina means no harm, doesn't she?

"Good night, to myself. Everything will be fine tomorrow. I can't concede!" After encouraging himself, he closed his eyes and went off to dreamland.

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I smell, a very nice and familiar fragrance.

A light smell of herb, a strong smell of milk, and the smell of honey. They are all mixed up dexterously.

No, there is other smells, the delicate fragrance of a young girl.

He opened his eyes, seeing a “flower” blooming in the garden of a hundred flowers, swaying in the wind.

For a moment, he thought that he was still in the Water God’s world and this was another roseate night.

He habitually stretched out his hand that was a heartbeat away from the cute “little rabbit”.

No, it isn’t right!

I have left the Water God’s world!

Looking at Lu Lu’s eyes full of hope and expectations, he trembled and realized that he had almost made another mistake.

Finally, his fingers lightly dropped down and pinched a strand of Lu Lu’s hair. This behavior shouldn’t have overstepped the boundary.

“Mei... good morning...” he could see that she was slightly disappointed. It seemed that she was looking for something to happen.

Danger! Danger! I had almost exposed myself! His back soaked in cold sweat.

Lu Lu shouldn't know that "Mei" was the "White Emperor". She didn't even know the name "Yun Xi".

She closed her eyes and waited for something... It must be just her instinct.

Her cute, meek look almost made him think that he was still in the Water God's world and he was still the "White Emperor" who married a million brides.

Fortunately, he wasn't wearing the White Emperor Mask and reined in on the brink of a precipice, so he could still keep his secret.

The White Emperor Mask didn't disappear. Hydra's White Emperor avatar was just wearing a replica of the mask, and because it was Hydra's avatar, no one could find that the mask was a fake.

The real White Emperor Mask was still in Yun Xi's hands and was his exclusive artifact as the only reward he obtained from the trial of the Water God's Fantasy Island.

In other words, once he put on the silver mask, he would become the "White Emperor" again, who could control the Water Mist Field and the Mist Soul Army.

After leaving the Water God's world, the power of the mask was decreased, but could still let him enter the hero rank, becoming the perfect White Emperor.

“Lu Lu, good morning.” Looking at Lu Lu whose appearance didn’t change after leaving the Water God’s world, he felt as if a generation had passed.

He just spent a month in the Water God’s world, but he felt he had lived a lifetime there.

The White Emperor was the savior of the world and the Water God’s bride. If he didn’t still have the mask, he would doubt if the White Emperor was really himself.

“Mei, we will arrive at the Sword Palace soon.” After that small temptation, she quickly returned to normal. However, her shaking rabbit ears exposed her true emotion.

Before entering the Water God’s world were just “common acquaintances”. To him, she was just one of the girls who had his seed.

However, they both had a feeling that they had a different relationship now.

Yun Xi obtained a new talent from Lu Lu’s seed, Pharmacist.

He had never learned pharmaceuticals, but through her seed, he mastered this knowledge totally.

At the same time, she also obtained his sword skill talent and his strong mentality talent.

Lu Lu wasn't the only person who obtained his mentality talent but the entire Starwing Knights girls. It happened after he became a hero ranked Baker in the Water God's world.

After that, over ten new girls reached the third rank.

Lu Lu had the highest intimacy with Yun Xi, so she obtained the most benefit and reached the peak of the third rank. She wasn't a girl who was good at sword skill in the past, but she had touched the edge of the hero rank as a female swordsman at this moment.

Not only that, through the seed, he could see that she had also touched the edge of the hero rank as a Pharmacist.

Apart from Yun Xi, she would probably become the second member who obtained two hero ranked careers in the Starwing Knights.

Her rabbit ears were proofs of her Pharmacist talent. Amongst all members of the Starwing Knights, only she still kept her appearance from the Water God's world.

Chapter 336: Sky Tower

The rabbit ears not only stood for her aroused Pharmacist talent, but was also a symbol of her choice and belief.

Originally, she had decided to live in the Water God's world as the White Emperor's bride, but finally changed her mind and left.

No one knew the reason behind it. After that, she returned to the Sword Palace camp together with the other Starwing Knights girls.

It looked like they didn't change too much from before entering the Water God's world.

However, only they themselves knew that something had changed, like a white paper which was discoloured, it couldn't be called white paper again.

The two characters in Lu Lu's heart had blended, the two distinct paths had combined into one.

At this moment, she only looked at Yun Xi silently and gently, remaining indifferent whether granted favours or subjected to humiliation.

The common Lu Lu had disappeared, at this moment, the girl who looked at Yun Xi with her gentle eyes was the princess of the White Emperor, the core of the Mist Soul Army.

Being gazed at by Lu Lu, although he believed that his disguise was perfect, he still wondered whether she had found something.

"Have we arrived at the Sword Palace?" Yun Xi felt guilty and changed the topic stiffly, but he indeed felt a bit surprised.

Originally, if he took the White Lotus floating ship, the trip from the Eye of Storm to the Sword Palace would spend several days.

But now, Casina's floating ship "The Sands of Time" only flew a day and a night and now they had arrived at the destination.

It deserved to be the sixth Sky Sword's floating ship. The crashed White Lotus could fly at a supersonic speed, and "The Sands of Time" was ten times faster than the White Lotus.

"Yes." Lu Lu nodded and held his hand naturally. They walked out of the room and came to the floor.

"Look, it's the Sword Palace, the peak-point of the entire White Lotus Sword Domain!"

"Oh god, it's really a lotus! I thought that it was just a tale!"

"It's said that the White Lotus Secret Treasure is hiding there, but no one has found it."

The girls gathered together and exclaimed looking at the buildings under the floating ship.

"It's... beautiful..." Basking in the sun, Yun Xi squinted his eyes and saw the real appearance of the White Lotus Sword Palace.

Amongst all lower-level sword domains, the Sword Palace in White Lotus Sword Domain was the most special one.

Sword-shaped mountains were all over the Sword Palace and these mountains formed a layer of sword formations one layer after another.

The core of the Sword Palace was a huge white lotus formed by these sword formations.

Looking down from the floor of the floating ship, the entire White Lotus Sword Palace was like a lotus blooming at the peak of this world, emitting infinite sword-shaped lights.

“No wonder that it’s Yun Hai, the Sword Master’s heritage. Even a lot of middle-level sword domains don’t have such a special Sword Palace.”

“A lot of students will come to this Sword Palace year after year, and some of them are even from other god’s domains.”

“Look, the Sky Tower!” Quickly, everyone shifted their attentions to the core of the Sword Palace, where there was a tall tower.

It was made of unknown materials, soaring into the sky. It was even taller than the height of the floating ship and even though they raised their heads, they couldn’t see the top of the tower.

Even in daytime, people could see countless mysterious lights that crossed, gathered and spread out from the tower to the end of the boundless starry sky.

“This is... the Sky Tower...” Yun Xi bated his breath and looked up at the tall tower, which was known as the symbol of the endless god’s domains.

In the Eastern God’s Domain, people called it “Sky Tower”.

In the Western God’s Domain, people called it “God Tower”.

In the Dragon God's Domain, people called it "Dragon Tower".

No word was exaggerated in describing this tower, because it was the crystallization of wisdom of the endless god's domains, one of the biggest wonders in the entire universe.

It was said that the technique that was used to build this tower was derived from the first era of the endless god's domains.

Only the god's domains with massive intelligent beings and advanced civilization had the material and financial resources and energy to build a Sky Tower.

Sky Tower was the symbol of high civilization and the sign of the "Star Bridge", which connected countless god's domains.

No one knew how vast the entire universe was, and amongst different god's domains, there were boundless void measured in lengths of light years.

By the use of the "Star Bridges", people in different god's domains could travel to other worlds. Because of the Star Bridges, the countless god's domains could be connected together, forming this vibrant union of god's domains.

Without Star Bridges, common people didn't have any method to move between two god's domains. And a Star Bridge could only be built between two Sky Towers. The Star Bridges were the threads of the traffic network of the god's domains, and the Sky Towers were the nodes of this universe-class network.

Who built the first Sky Tower? And when was the first Sky Tower built? It was an untraceable history. But they had become the indispensable parts of this vibrant universe.

A Star Bridge corresponded to two Sky Towers. Originally, White Lotus was just a lower-level sword domain and it was not worthy to build a Sky Tower here. At the most, it could only have a transfer station between two Star Bridges.

Fortunately, because of Yun Hai the Sword Master, White Lotus Sword Domain once upgraded to be a middle-level sword domain in the past, and this Sky Tower was built in that period. Even a lot of middle-level sword domains couldn't obtain a Sky Tower of their own!

Every Sky Tower stood for the civilization of the god's domain. Sky Tower would only be built at the most prosperous region of a civilization.

The Sword Palace was such a core of the entire White Lotus Sword Domain, the king on the tip of this "sword".

Chapter 337: The Legend of Seven Towers

"Bang! Bang!" For a reason Yun Xi didn't know, his heart pounded fast when he saw the Sky Tower and Star Bridge.

Why? He didn't think that he had seen them before, but he felt like he did see them in the past.

The lines on the tower and the clouds around the tower were just inorganic materials. Although it was a Wonder that connected different worlds and couldn't be alive, he could hear a special breathing from it.

The breathing was old and long, filled with a trace of time, which made him feel as if it was even older than this world.

“How do you feel about it? Did you get shocked?” Casina walked to Yun Xi’s side.

“My teacher, the Sky Tower... what is it?” He had a strong feeling that there was a connection between himself and the tower at the peak of the entire White Lotus Sword Domain.

“Well... I only know a few tales...”

“It’s said that long, long ago, an unknown person built the first Sky Tower for some reason. It was a beautiful, vibrant green tower.”

“However, some people felt that it was a pity that only one Sky Tower existed in this universe, and it was unfair, so they forced the person to build a second tower. It’s said that it was a magnificent tower guarded by dragons.”

“After that, the third, the fourth... a total of seven towers were built in that era. The Sky Towers now are all the seven towers’ projections. For example, the Sky Tower in front of us is the projection of the Sky Tower of Sky Sword God’s Domain.”

“As for who built the seven towers and for what purpose... no one now knows.” Casina shrugged her shoulders. It was a legend above legends, which happened even before her tribe formed.

Everything had been buried under the surface of the long river of history. Perhaps only the masters of the seven towers knew who built the towers.

“By the way, it’s still unclear which of the seven towers is the first tower, and people have fought for making this clear many rounds. From ancient times to the present, the battle of the seven towers is still going on.”

Due to a reason Yun Xi didn’t understand, a drop of sweat dripped to the ground from his forehead.

He had a really bad feeling about the battle of the seven towers.

“What’s the rank of the original, of our Sky Tower?” He knew it wasn’t wise to ask this, but he couldn’t stop his curiosity.

“Well, the sixth. There are many elements when determining the rank of a Sky Tower and they will be re-ranked every one hundred years.” Casina said embarrassedly, “However, it wasn’t because we are weak. I never lost a game in Battle God’s Championship Contest and I earned a lot of points for our tower.”

“However, we lost a lot of points in other things in the last 1000 years.”

“5000 years ago, our tower was often in the top 3 and sometimes was the number one.”

“The reason why the rank of our tower has dropped to the sixth is complicated. The main reason is the god’s domains attached to other towers developed a lot of special careers, which greatly increased the score of their towers.”

Yun Xi listened to Casina's words but was not fully understanding. He looked at the Sky Tower and quietly remembered this in his heart.

It seemed that the rank of a tower didn't only depend on the fighting capacity it had, it had relationships with a lot of other factors.

However, why did the masters of the seven towers fight for the rank of their towers? Does it mean anything?

It's hard to understand.

Why did the "Sky Tower" of Eastern God's Domain drop to the second last?

Besides, apart from the "God Tower" of Western God's Domain and the "Dragon Tower" of Dragon God's Domain, where are the remaining four towers? Why didn't I hear anything about them?

As the Wonders of the entire universe, shouldn't they all be famous?

Without any noise, although the speed of "The Sands of Time" was extremely fast, it flew in quiet, as if it wasn't having a high-speed descent in the sky.

Standing on the floor, Yun Xi didn't feel any change in the gravity. The floating ship smoothly landed on the core area of the White Lotus Sword Palace. Immediately, one light bridge after another fell down to the ship, forming corridors for the passengers.

“Go on and enjoy your new life here, but don’t forget to come to my room this night!”

Casina patted on Yun Xi’s shoulders and stretched out herself after that. She straightly ignored the greeting part of the Sword Palace and went back to her room.

Looking at his teacher who was going to have a short doze, Yun Xi smiled bitterly.

My teacher is really willful!

Perhaps this is her right as a strong being.

“Mei, let’s jump down!” Hua Huo was unhappy with the fact that her “Mei” was exclusively possessed by Casina and she couldn’t do anything about it. Finally, Casina left and she found this opportunity, so she pulled his hand quickly.

“Jump down from this place?” Yun Xi was confused.

Aren’t there light bridges? They are long but definitely safe.

“Yes, let’s jump down here!” Hua Huo laughed. She had decided to do this before they set out.

Isn’t it good to do daring and interesting things with my lover?

“One, two, three!” Before he could complain, she had jumped down from the 1000 meters height while holding his hand tightly.

“Whoaaa!” Yun Xi screamed in the air. Hua Huo, can’t you be a gentle girl?!

“My Little Xi is the best!” Hua Huo laughed in the air and forgot everything unhappy before.

In the sensation of asphyxia due to the high speed descent, there were only him and her in the world. This was a big big world, but in the range of one meter, this was their own private space for two lovers.

No matter whether it is the Battle God Casina or the Water God Hydra, none of them could tear us apart!

Let the endless blue sky be our witness, he and I will never part!

Chapter 338: Announcement

Flying was forever a dream of all mankind. Because humans weren’t born with wings, they could only live on the ground and look at the winged beings with envy.

Mankind was given a scorned word for a name from the winged ones, “Landworm”. People were angry about it, but couldn’t retort.

Only when the humans who had reached the hero rank could surpass the limit of flesh and blood and fly in the air, however, it was just a privilege that belonged to very few humans.

Even amongst a hundred hero ranked beings, it was hard to find one person who could fly freely like winged beings. Even the Lamia Queen, the Mermaid Queen and the Caelian Queen couldn't do it.

It was too difficult to accomplish the dream of flying for the races who had no wings.

Fortunately, Yun Xi was one of the few people who had the experience of flying.

Stepping on the Crane Wings Twin Swords, he could overcome the pull of gravity and fly in the air momentarily.

However, it wasn't a "fall" he was experiencing now.

The pull of gravity, the hollow feeling after losing any supporting point, and the sensation of asphyxia due to falling, all proved that Yun Xi was still a mortal who couldn't fly.

Compared to him, she looked more comfortable. Although she had no wings, she was indeed enjoying the pleasant sensation of falling.

Yun Xi was clearly sure that it was her true feelings.

Unlike ordinary humans, she could be considered as another being. The falling to your death, was just a simple and interesting game to her.

She was born with a super power and flying was like an instinct of her body. If he didn't know she really didn't have wings, he would think that she was an angel in the tales of Western God's Domain.

Dropping to the ground from 1000 meters height would only take a few seconds, but with his sensations, he felt as if he had spent a whole life with Hua Huo.

From life to death, they held each other's hand, working together toward a far away world.

He almost subconsciously put on the White Emperor Mask and summoned the Water Mist Field to support himself and stop in the air.

He never expected that she would do this. It was unusual.

He felt as if she was acting rashly because she felt wronged. In his memory, he only saw her like this once, when his sword skill teacher tried to teach him something that wasn't in any textbook in her room.

Is she being jealous? A vague idea, which was close to the right answer appeared in his mind.

"Boom!" When they were about ten meters away from the ground and could see the frightened tutors' pale faces clearly, a transparent light halo appeared under her feet.

The dream of all mankind, the miracle of a lifetime, the barrier even to hero ranked beings was broken by Hua Huo at this moment.

Flying! The power of the Sky Flying Bloodline!

She stepped on the light halo, suspended in the air. She could go to any place she wanted using this method.

As the light halo broke down into sparkles and disappeared, Hua Huo held Yun Xi's hand, nimbly jumping to the ground.

The tutor's started shouting, "What?"

"How can this be possible?"

"What is happening?"

To the people who hadn't witnessed Hua Huo's Sky Flying Sword, even if they were hero ranked people, they couldn't understand how she did it.

"I'm coming White Lotus Sword Palace!" Hua Huo announced to the entire Sword Palace proudly.

No one could stop her footsteps!

She would bring victory!

No matter if it was the White Lotus Secret Treasure or Yun Xi, she was confident enough to have them all.

From now on, she wouldn't hide her power, she wouldn't hide her light!

After her experiences in the Water God's world, she realized that she suppressed her power too much in the past.

She wouldn't suffer another such failure again!

"Look, she is my maid, "Mei". She is my private property, none of you can have any designs on her!"
Lifting up Yun Xi's hand, Hua Huo triumphantly announced her ownership of this beautiful black-haired maid in front of everyone.

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On the floating ship "The Sands of Time", Casina rocked with laughter after hearing Hua Huo's surprising announcement.

"Ha ha ha ha, this is too dramatic. She deserves to have that bloodline!"

"The Sword Palace will become hustle and bustle soon."

"How big a storm will she bring to the entire Sword Palace?"

On the floor, the Starwing Knights girls looked at the girl who just announced her ownership of their “Mei” with a strange look.

“Hua Huo...” Hua Yue clenched her White Golden Crossed Sword tightly. Her shivering golden hair showed how agitated her heart was.

“She is the strongest genius...” Xiao Cao gazed at Hua Huo with a burning will in her eyes.

“No! Mei belongs to us all!” Ling Ling raised her hand and protested. It is too much to take away our “Mei” in this manner!

“Strange... why...” Mei Lan pressed her hand to her chest, looking at “Mei” with a puzzled expression.

“...” Lu Lu took a deep breath. The will in her eyes became firmer as her rabbit ears hung down.

“Enemy... strong enemy...” White Lotus stared at Hua Huo with a serious look. Her fingers counted, trying to calculate and find a method to defeat this strong enemy.

Quickly, “Enemy? Where?” Red Lotus looked at her sister in confusion. They were at the White Lotus Sword Palace, their home field! Where did the enemy come from?

“Sister... you don’t understand...”

Chapter 339: Challenge

“I, Hua Huo, am the strongest freshman!”

“I don’t like weak people, or the people who don’t know their limitations and dare to challenge me!”

“I will become the new owner of the White Lotus Secret Treasure, and that’s my purpose for coming here.”

After her first failure in the Water God’s world, some special character was aroused inside Hua Huo’s body.

Her talent was far beyond the limit of everyone. In the small town, she was the undoubted strongest genius.

Because of this, including Yun Xi, they knew just how strong she was, but no one had realized to what degree her real talent and combat power had reached.

Until they came to the Water God’s world, and he had become the “White Emperor” who was blessed by the entire world and was wearing three artifacts, he finally realized just how strong her real strength could be.

Common hero ranked people couldn’t even hold out against her for a few seconds in the face of her attacks. With her Sky Flying Power, she could launch a surprise attack against her enemy at any time and from any angle.

Even if she was forced into a corner, her body contained almost endless energy, and she would become stronger and stronger while being trapped in that dilemma.

She was like a hero in the fairy tales of the Western domains or an immortal in the stories of the Eastern domains. As the only person who once drove her into a tight corner, he was the only person who knew just how invincible she was!

Her future is unlimited!

Even now, her power was sufficient to beat down most beings in the White Lotus Sword Domain!

Apart from Casina and Hydra, who were at the legend rank, it was very likely that none of the other people could defeat her.

And now, she was only 16 years old. No one could predict what kind of achievements she would make in the future, because she was doomed to become the most eye catching, brightest star in the starry sky.

The small failure in the Water God's world didn't get her down. Instead, it stimulated her belief of becoming stronger to a higher degree.

At present, she stood in front of everyone, facing all eyes from disciples and tutors of the Sword Palace alike, she announced her heartfelt feelings proudly, which would definitely push her to everyone's opposite side.

The White Lotus Secret Treasure was the deepest, most secret desire in everyone's heart. Not one of the disciples of the Sword Palace didn't dream of obtaining this legendary secret treasure.

There were a lot of tales about the secret treasure. As time went by, the tales didn't reduce but increased at a stable speed.

No one knew the real look of this secret treasure, because the secret treasure in the White Lotus Sword Palace was just a projection of the original, which couldn't even be regarded as the tip of an iceberg.

However, the projection had helped hundreds of people reach the hero rank. More or less, the people who touched the projection all obtained amazing benefits.

All of them did try to find the original of the projection, but none of them had succeeded.

Over time, the White Lotus Secret Treasure not only became a symbol of White Lotus Sword Domain, but also become famous in the entire Sky Sword God's Domain.

Every time the Sword Palace started to recruit disciples, a lot of elites would come to White Lotus Sword Domain from other domains. There were even students from foreign high-level sword domains, and the reason they came here was all for the projection of the secret treasure.

At this moment, Hua Huo's words, was a challenge to the entire White Lotus Sword Palace.

Even the tutors of the Sword Palace thought that she was too pretentious.

"Is there anyone who disagrees? No problem, I accept challenges from everyone. I know there is a ring for accepting the challenge, why don't we go there?" She was already itching to beat down the disciples who were looking at her with displeasure.

There was actually a reason she chose the White Lotus Sword Palace.

Her talent was so great that she could choose all Sword Palaces at will, even if she wanted to go to the Great Xia Sword Palace, the number one Sword Palace of this god's domain, she wouldn't be refused entrance.

However, no one had found the original of the secret treasure, but everyone knew it was indeed in the White Lotus Sword Domain. To be precise, in the sword tip area of this sword domain.

Even her Sky Flying Bloodline longed for it, because it was a treasure that Yun Hai the Sword Master didn't obtain.

Only this treasure was good enough for her and could become a part of her bloodline!

"If any of you can defeat me, I will give up my pursuit of the secret treasure. Now, come on, come here, let me see how strong you are!"

"Oh, incidentally, the people who will be defeated by me must swear that they will never have designs on my Mei. I will kill anyone who doesn't keep his word!"

"Mei is mine, no one can pursue her!"

She was proud and confident, perfect and persistent. Yun Xi just witnessed a brand new side of his childhood sweetheart.

He wasn't the only person who learned something in the Water God's world. After experiencing her failure, Hua Huo was also transforming.

From the strongest genius in the small town to the strongest genius in the entire White Lotus Sword Domain, she was doomed to step on a road that no one could catch up on.

Ordinary people couldn't be compared with her, a super genius... no, she shouldn't even be called a "genius", she should be called a "monster"!

"Are you trying to make me laugh? Who are you?! How dare you challenge your predecessors?!"

"Humph, interesting. Let me see what gives you the guts to challenge us all!"

"Yes, it seems that it's the time to teach this freshman a lesson!"

"Even if you are the strongest freshman, you are just a freshman. I advise you to be more modest!"

"Let's go to the ring! I will let you know what the meaning of 'frog in the well' is. This is the White Lotus Sword Palace, not the countryside you lived in!"

"Rustic!, learn to be modest!"

The Sword Palace disciples were all provoked. They were all young geniuses and none of them were afraid of the challenge.

They didn't notice that the black-haired maid behind her was looking at them with a mournful expression of pity, as if they were a group of prisoners under sentence of death.

You guys know nothing about power.

How dare you challenge Hua Huo when she was in such an excited state? You will soon know what an unwise choice you just made!

"Very good, will you come one after another or challenge me all together?" She looked at these "predecessors" and smiled, which was really a "tiger's smile" in his eyes.

May God help you! You poor predecessors.

Chapter 340: Carry Them Out!

Undoubtedly, Zhou Zhen was a genius in the eyes of everyone.

Since three years of age, he had shown a great sword arts talent.

In the Sky Sword God's Domain, sword arts was the most eminent. Apart from the sword, nothing else was distinguished. Therefore, as a child who was born with great sword arts talent, he lived with praise and envy from everyone.

From childhood to present, he was always the compared and praised object when other children's parents scolded them.

Whatever it was, he could do everything perfectly and easily.

No matter whether it came to study or practicing his sword skill. He was always the best amongst the children of his age. He was even far better than the children who were older than him.

When he was 16 years old, he came to the Sword Palace and was already a 3rd ranked swordsman. It was a great achievement even amongst all the Sword Palace disciples, and he was only a step away from the top ten disciples.

The hero rank was like a reachless dream for ordinary people, and even for most of the Sword Palace disciples, but it wasn't a problem for him.

Several months ago, he had touched the edge of the hero rank, and vaguely realized what road he should step on.

He didn't try to enter the hero rank immediately, because he wanted to accumulate much more experience before that. He wanted to accomplish it perfectly.

He had the wild ambition and confidence that when he entered the hero rank, he could immediately rank into the list of top ten Sword Palace disciples and let everyone know his name.

For this, he kept suppressing his true strength and accumulated his experience when practicing, because he wanted to understand the road he would step on deeper.

He would become the number one amongst all 3rd ranked Sword Palace disciples. He believed in this firmly.

He never doubted that he was born for stepping onto a higher stage. He would walk out of the White Lotus Sword Domain and witness the prosperous high-level sword domains with his own eyes.

His goal was the White Lotus Secret Treasure. He thought if he could accomplish the dream of all disciples, obtaining this treasure, he would become a great legend just like Yun Hai the Sword Master.

“Bang!” A thud stopped Zhou Zhen’s thinking. He slowly opened his eyes and looked at the bloody figure on the ground indifferently.

“Carry him out! Who is next?” Hua Huo waved her hand as a sign, then the disciples around the ring quickly came up and carried the 13th loser out.

“She defeated Childe Tai Yuan. He is an elite disciple from a high-level sword domain!”

“She wasn’t just boasting. Perhaps she is really the number one freshman.”

“Did you see how she beat Childe Tai Yuan down?”

After he was carried out, a rumpus raised amongst the disciples around the ring.

Undoubtedly, the power Hua Huo just showed shocked everyone. They realized that this “number one freshman” wasn’t simple.

The weakest disciple who challenged her was at the peak of the 2nd rank. Childe Tai Yuan was a real genius who had touched the peak of the 3rd rank, even so, he just held on for a few seconds when facing her.

For her, it was like breaking a dead branch from a tree when she beat them down! Till now, she had defeated 13 disciples who dared to challenge her, and everyone was facing the same result: being carried out laying on a stretcher made of door planks.

“It’s my show time now.” Zhou Zhen held his sword.

His sword was three feet long and called “Cold Moon”, it was a top class spirit weapon his family found for him.

From 5 years old, this sword was always with him. The sword was literally growing up with him.

After he reached the hero rank, this sword would keep growing up with him until it became his god weapon.

He had a foreboding though. Today would become a very special day to him.

As the number one disciple of the previous term, in the face of the number one disciple of this term, his heart was itching for a fight.

It was an emotion called “excitement”, because as a genius who often challenged the people that were far stronger than him, he saw his past self when looking at Hua Huo.

Oh, I'm her predecessor and the number one 3rd ranked disciple, should I teach her a lesson gently? Or show her the ruthlessness of the Rated Battles of the Sword Palace without mercy?

When he looked at her confident face, he knew she believed that she could defeat everyone here. He smiled. How similar she is with my past self when I first came to the Sword Palace!

Although he didn't challenge the entire Sword Palace in front of everyone, he did challenge all top ten disciples when he had just arrived.

Of course, his challenge ended after he was defeated ten times. The top ten disciples had all reached the hero rank, who had the chance to touch the projection of the secret treasure, and he had just reached the 3rd rank at that time. Defeating him was as easy as blowing off dust to them.

Only after reaching the hero rank, one would have the chance to enter the list of the top ten disciples. Thousands of years ago, it had almost become an iron rule of the White Lotus Sword Palace. And only the disciples in the list of the top ten would have a chance to touch the projection of the secret treasure and try to be recognized by it.

The top ten disciples now were all Zhou Zhen's challenging goals. He had decided to challenge them again after he reached the hero rank.

Now, he looked at her as if she was his innocent past self.

There were two ways to graduate from the White Lotus Sword Palace.

First, reach the peak of the 3rd rank within five years. After that, the disciple would officially graduate as an ordinary disciple of the Sword Palace.

Second, become a top ten disciple and gain acceptance from the projection of the secret treasure. After that, the disciple will be recognized as an authentic disciple of the Sword Palace and be invited to enter a “higher world”.

Apparently, there was a world of difference between the two ways of graduating. All geniuses who had confidence in themselves would feel ashamed to graduate in the first way.

Only the people who gain recognition from the projection of the White Lotus Secret Treasure were the authentic disciples of the Sword Palace, and all the other people were losers. They only got a certificate of graduation from the Sword Palace with nothing more.

As for the disciples who didn't reach the peak of the 3rd rank within 5 years? They wouldn't even obtain the certificate of graduation!

When graduating, the disciples who obtained the White Lotus Badge were the official graduates.

However, only the disciples who wore the Ice Lotus Badge on their chests at that time, were the authentic disciples of the Sword Palace!