

Swordsman 831

Chapter 831: To Be One of the Royal Guard

Clang!

The sound of metal on metal was heard.

The straight-faced Asura changed his expression when the two weapons collided together. He quivered and fell one step backward.

As for the black figure, he was not dead as others had expected. He wasn't even injured, he had merely fallen several steps backward as well. After regaining his balance, he immediately rushed away to battle other experts.

"This man... actually managed to take my blow?"

Asura paused and looked toward the black figure with a frown.

The onlookers outside the battlefield were all shocked.

"Who is that guy?"

"He managed to take Asura's blow and wasn't even injured. He just fell a few steps backward?"

"Go find out who he is," someone ordered.

The commanders from the 36 prefectures immediately started investigating.

A moment later, an expert came up to the commander of the Blood Hades Prefecture and reported to him, "Commander, the man is Blood Mountain, a Divine Realm expert in our prefecture."

"Really? He is from our prefecture?"

The commander was startled at first but then showed a big smile. "Hah hah, it's Blood Mountain from the Blood Hades Prefecture! Good Boy!"

"Blood Mountain from the Blood Hades Prefecture?"

"This Blood Mountain is indeed powerful. So far, he is the only one who has managed to take a strike from Asura without being killed. Given that, he is second only to Asura."

"Well, he really has something. He has hidden his power to make himself look normal all this time. Until he encountered Asura, without whom, we would not have learned of the boy's power."

"We should have noticed him earlier. In this crazy battle, except for the extremely powerful experts like Asura, the rest have been busy fighting with others, always frustrated like drowned mice. However, this boy keeps his own pace and looks at ease all the time."

"Yeah, I can see it now that you've pointed it out."

The commanders chatted and laughed.

The black figure who had just taken Asura's strike was none other than Jian Wushuang.

He had gone now to battle other experts, but he could not help glancing back at Asura.

"This man is powerful. Even I can't defeat him unless I transform into an Ancient God," Jian Wushuang thought to himself, *"Now that we've fought, the onlookers must have figured out that I've been restraining my power."*

Jian Wushuang shook his head and stopped pondering over it.

He wanted to avoid attracting too many eyes. He did not want to be spotted by the Xia Clan.

But he was not too worried. Aside from the selection of the Royal Guard, he had not participated in any other public activities, plus he had used an alias. The Xia Clan would not find him yet.

The wild battle had been going on for almost an hour, and the experts on the battlefield were becoming fewer and fewer.

When there were a thousand experts left in the Restriction, the beautiful lady's voice echoed.

"Everybody stop fighting now!"

The voice resounded like thunder.

The experts stopped fighting when they heard the voice.

The Restriction covering the place slowly disappeared, and the remaining one thousand experts walked out of the battlefield.

Among them, a few appeared to be okay, but most looked embarrassed and were panting heavily, as if they almost could not have made it to the end.

Jian Wushuang was among the former.

"This man..."

Asura could not help looking toward Jian Wushuang with his arms crossed over his chest, furrowing his eyebrows slightly.

He was impressed by him, the only person who had managed to take his blow on the battlefield.

In view of this, he thought Jian Wushuang was extraordinarily powerful, almost at the same level as him.

"The one thousand people who have made it to the end can join the Royal Guard. As for the rest, you can return home now." The lady's voice echoed again.

The experts who had failed felt bitter about their results, but there was nothing they could do about it.

Some of them could have passed the round, but due to bad luck, they had encountered more powerful opponents or been besieged and lost the battle.

The Royal Guard showed them no mercy.

To join the Royal Guard, one had to be powerful first, then, smart. Luck also counted.

Those who were powerful enough to join the Royal Guard but failed only had themselves to blame.

“Commanders, please give me the details on the experts from your prefectures who passed the test and take the failed men back.” The lady looked at the commanders as she spoke.

The commanders exchanged looks before doing what they were told.

After they left, the campsite became cold and quiet.

The lady waved her hand and brought out several pieces of golden armor. Each piece had the Golden-dragon Mark on it.

The armor looked exactly the same as what the soldiers of the Royal Guard wore. In fact, there were two types of gold armor—inner armor and outer armor.

“From this moment on, you are members of the Royal Guard,” the lady said in an icy voice. “This is your armor. Whether you’re carrying on a mission outside or inside the camp, you must wear it at all times. This is a regulation.”

“The armor is specially made and can protect you to some extent,” the lady continued. “You can change its size if you want. Now, each of you can come here to receive your armor.”

The one thousand experts who had passed went over to receive their armor.

Jian Wushuang was no exception. When he received his armor, he found it was, in fact, a treasure and that he had to bind it before putting on it.

Chapter 832: Blood Eagle Guard

“This armor is so solid and resilient, yet so light.”

Putting on the gold armor, Jian Wushuang was surprised at how light it was.

“Now, follow me to our camp.” The beautiful lady led the one thousand new recruits to the camp of the Royal Guard.

The camp was located outside the imperial palace of the Tang of the East. It covered a large area and was heavily guarded.

When Jian Wushuang and the others arrived, the first thing they saw was a huge barracks. Inside, they could see several soldiers wearing the same gold armor.

Just as they were about to enter the barracks...

Phew! Phew! Phew!

Three red lights ignored the Restrictions and flew directly into the barracks from above. The soldiers in the barracks all looked at the lights with reverence.

“It’s the Blood Eagle Guards!”

A new recruit standing next to Jian Wushuang cried out excitedly.

“Blood Eagle Guards?”

Jian Wushuang looked at the recruit. “Brother, what’s a Blood Eagle Guard?”

Hearing their conversation, several nearby recruits looked toward them with interest.

Most of the new recruits only knew that the Royal Guard was the most elite army in the Tang of the East. They had never heard of the Blood Eagle Guard.

Nothing about the Blood Eagle Guard had been mentioned in any of the information Jian Wushuang had read about the Tang of the East.

“Blood Eagle Guard belongs to Royal Guard and is called as its sharpest claw.” The recruit beside Jian Wushuang explained to them, and his eyes betrayed his fever.

“All of you must know that the Royal Guard is the strongest and most elite army in our country, but in fact, there are two types of soldiers in the troop.

“The first is called the Dragon Guard, responsible for the public security inside and outside the imperial palace.

“99 percent of soldiers in the Royal Guard belong to this group, and us new members will join them as well.

“The second type is called the Blood Eagle Guard, and they act as a special organization in our troop.”

“A special organization?” Jian Wushuang and the others were puzzled.

The recruit explained further, “If members of the Dragon Guard are all elites, the members of the Blood Eagle Guard are the elites of the elites. They are in charge of the dangerous and secret missions for the Imperial House.

“For example, assassinating families in the Tang of the East!

“Secretly wiping out strong experts.

“And also, protecting some of the most powerful people in our country, those secretly who hold special positions.”

“I see.” Jian Wushuang and the others could not help gasping in admiration.

The Dragon Guard was only responsible for public security, therefore, their lives would be easier and more comfortable.

The Blood Eagle Guard had to hide in the dark to carry out a variety of special and dangerous tasks.

In short, the Dragon Guard was public, and the Blood Eagle Guard was secret.

It was clear that the latter faced more danger.

“Because most of the tasks the Blood Eagle Guard has to accomplish are quite dangerous, only the really powerful are qualified to join. As far as I know, to be one of them, one has to be above Step Four of the Eternal Realm,” said the recruit.

"What?"?Jian Wushuang was amazed.

"To become a member of the Blood Eagle Guard, one has to be above Step Four of the Eternal Realm?"

"Do you know how many people there are in the Blood Eagle Guard?" Jian Wushuang asked out of curiosity.

He wanted to know how many people were in the Blood Eagle Guard as its standard was so high.

"I don't know the exact number, but the estimated number should be more than a thousand," the recruit answered.

"Even with such a high bar, there are still more than a thousand people in the Blood Eagle Guard?"?Jian Wushuang secretly admired the Tang of the East. It was indeed a powerful country.

"I also heard that the remuneration the Blood Eagle Guard offers to its members is far above that of the Dragon Guard," the recruit continued. "Many experts from the Dragon Guard want to join the Blood Eagle Guard, but they are unqualified."

"The remuneration the Dragon Guard offers is better?"?Jian Wushuang remained indifferent.

He was not interested in money; what he cared about was the dangerous missions the Blood Eagle Guard carried out.

In comparison to the Blood Eagle Guard, the Dragon Guard was only responsible for the public security of the imperial palace. Life would be too comfortable for Jian Wushuang.

That was not what he wanted.

Soon, led by the beautiful lady, Jian Wushuang and the other new recruits entered the barracks and were later assigned to numerous small teams.

Jian Wushuang and seven other people were assigned to a normal team of 10 members.

To Jian Wushuang's surprise, he and the recruit who had introduced the Blood Eagle Guard to him were on the same team.

"Haha, brother, it seems that fate has brought us together again. What's your name?" The recruit, a lean man, asked Jian Wushuang with a grin.

"Blood Mountain. What's your name?" Jian Wushuang replied flatly.

"My name is Ouyang Xu, from the Ouyang clan," he replied with a smile.

"From the Ouyang clan?"?Jian Wushuang raised his eyebrows.

There were many ancient families in the Tang of the East. Since Ouyang Xu was from one of them, it was not surprising that he knew so much about the Blood Eagle Guard.

"Let's go. Our team is in front of us, and our captain must have been waiting for us for a while," said Ouyang Xu.

"Waiting for us, why?" Jian Wushuang asked, puzzled.

"I've heard from my family elders that life in the Royal Guard seems to be comfortable, but in fact, it doesn't forbid internal conflict," Ouyang Xu replied. "Power speaks loudest in the Royal Guard. Do you really think that the old members will be that welcoming?"

"Is that so?" Jian Wushuang raised his eyebrows and a smile appeared at the corner of his mouth.

A moment later, when Jian Wushuang and the seven other new recruits arrived at their camp, just as Ouyang Xu had said, their captain and two old members were waiting for them.

"Haha, after waiting for so long, you guys are finally here."

"Finally, I have someone to practice my skills with. I've had enough of practicing with the captain."

The two older members looked at Jian Wushuang and the other new recruits with great interest. As for their captain, he was sitting at a table with a wine gourd in his hand, glancing at them occasionally.

From the man's aura, they could tell that though he was only the captain of a small team, he was in the Eternal Realm and very powerful.

Chapter 833: The Duel!

This was the kind of army the Royal Guard was!

Even the captain of a 10-soldier squad was an Eternal Realm expert.

The captains of the 100-soldier squads had to be Step Three or Four Eternal Realm experts.

As for the captains of the 1000-soldier squads, it was said that the weakest ones were the top Step Five Eternal Realm and even Step Six Eternal Realm experts.

The Royal Guard was indeed full of experts.

Even if Jian Wushuang showed all his power, he would barely be able to be captain of a 1000-soldier squad. And in higher rankings, there were many people in charge of tens of thousands of soldiers, such as commanders.

"Hey guys, from this moment on, we're one team. How about we introduce ourselves to each other first?" a triangular-eyed old soldier said with a smile.

"Introduce ourselves? How?" asked Jian Wushuang.

"By using our power, of course." The man sneered and continued, "It's been just the two of us and the captain for several years. Now, you guys have finally joined us. How can we not communicate closely with you?"

Jian Wushuang and the other new recruits felt excited.

Some of them looked full of expectation.

As new recruits, they were looking forward to exchanging moves with the experienced older soldiers.

"Don't get too excited. It won't be just a casual battle. We need to make a wager first," the man continued.

"The duel starts."?Ouyang Xu raised his eyebrows.

"Wager? Duel?"?Jian Wushuang smiled slightly.

"Come on, one by one, each of you has to have at least one fight with us," the man continued with a sneer.

The new recruits looked at each other with a frown.

One of them walked forward and asked the man, "How much you wanna bet?"

"Not much, just 200,000 Divine Gems," he answered casually.

"What?!" The new recruit was startled.

200,000 Divine Gems?

Normally, a superior Divine Realm expert's total assets were only about 100,000 Divine Gems. The amount he wanted was too much.

"Well, it's only 200,000 Divine Gems, you can't afford it?" the man asked, staring at the recruit.

"Of course, I can, but..." the recruit muttered. He hesitated.

"Well then, what are you waiting for? Come on, take them out. Considering that you are a new recruit, you can choose any one of us as your opponent, including the captain," the triangular-eyed man said in a contemptuous manner.

The new recruit changed his expression slightly; he had spotted the man's disdain and was enraged by it. He nodded heavily. "Then, I choose you."

"You want to fight against me? Very good." The man grinned. In no time, the two came to blows.

Both of them were Divine Realm experts. The new recruit had to be powerful to have been able to join the Royal Guard.

However, after they had exchanged several moves...

Clang! Clang! Clang!

A series of fierce clashes sounded. It was a close battle at first, but after several minutes, the triangular-eyed man suddenly launched a powerful attack and defeated the new recruit.

"How could this be?"

The new recruit could not believe that he had lost.

He had clearly felt that he was about to win, but then he lost.

"If I lost, I lost."?The new recruit took out 200,000 Divine Gems, handed them to the man, and walked back to his companions bitterly.

"Haha, let's move on. Who's next?" The man smiled wildly.

Standing among the new recruits, Jian Wushuang secretly shook his head.

He could tell that the old soldier had deliberately hidden his power. He had restrained his power at first to relax the new soldier's vigilance, and then suddenly launched a surprisingly powerful attack to defeat him.

"This man wants to cheat more new recruits to win their Divine Gems."

"These old soldiers were specially selected into the Royal Guard and have spent a rather long time in the army. They are much more powerful than most superior Divine Realm experts and can even battle a few top Divine Realm experts. Moreover, their magic weapons are better than others'."?Jian Wushuang gasped secretly in admiration.

He could tell that the weapon the man used was an Eternal Weapon, which earned him a great advantage.

The man had hidden his power in order to win more Divine Gems in the following battles.

"Next."

The triangular-eyed man let out a laugh of joy when he defeated the second challenger and won another 150,000 Divine Gems.

The duels continued.

Each of the eight new recruits had to fight with the old soldiers at least once, and they also had to offer a bet of no less than 100,000 Divine Gems.

After a few rounds, the triangular-eyed man had won nearly a million Divine Gems.

Jian Wushuang and Ouyang Xu were the only two who had not fought yet.

"Haha, who's next? Hurry!" the old soldier urged the recruits.

Ouyang Xu walked up to him with a frown.

"Kid, how much are you going to bet?" the man asked Ouyang Xu.

"One million Divine Gems," Ouyang Xu answered directly.

"Oh?" the triangular-eyed man was surprised.

The other new recruits stared at Ouyang Xu.

The old soldier had won six rounds. By now all the new recruits knew that he had been deliberately hiding his power.

Ouyang Xu must have known this as well, but all the same, he offered a million Divine Gems as a bet. He had to be confident about his power.

"Is this boy a top Divine Realm expert?"?The man's face grew serious.

Every time the Royal Guard recruited new members, there were at least a few top Divine Realm experts among the recruits.

This time, among the one thousand new recruits, about a hundred of them were top Divine Realm experts. It was possible that some of them were the new members of his team.

Thinking of this, his confidence was swayed.

He turned to the man beside him with a grin. "One million Divine Gems is too much for me, I can't afford it. Xie Zi, you're much richer than me and can probably afford it. I'll leave this boy to you."

Chapter 834: Eight Million Divine Gems

The other man, Xie Zi, had not battled any of the new recruits yet. Upon hearing the triangular-eyed man's words, he raised his head and walked over.

Jian Wushuang suddenly got a feeling that he was much stronger than his companion. He might even be a top Divine Realm expert.

Ouyang Xu frowned at the man. He shared Jian Wushuang's feeling, but he was still confident in his own power and not afraid.

"I accept your bet. Let's fight!" Xie Zi said to Ouyang Xu in an icy voice.

Ouyang Xu snorted. He twisted his hands and two giant hammers appeared.

The hammers were gleaming a bronze light with a powerful aura.

"Two high level Eternal Weapons?" Jian Wushuang's eyes lit up.

"Ouyang Xu is indeed from a large wealthy family with a rich background."

Ouyang Xu made his move.

He struck out fiercely with the two giant hammers as he moved forward.

One strike after another, the hammers overwhelmed their target like a mountain.

Ouyang Xu attacked without leaving a chance for his opponent to even take a breath.

Xie Zi used a sharp cyan saber. He was dodging around swiftly like a ghost.

None of Ouyang Xu's strikes managed to hit him.

Xie Zi suddenly struck out.

A dazzling blade light flashed in the air. Ouyang Xu was not expecting this and got hit. He was unable to launch an attack.

"How could this be?"

Ouyang Xu could not believe that he had been defeated.

He had completely suppressed Xie Zi first. How could he be defeated in a single sudden strike?

Jian Wushuang, who had been watching from the side, shook his head.

"Ouyang Xu is powerful and can match a top Divine Realm expert. Xie Zi is a top Divine Realm expert himself."

"However, Xie Zi is more experienced at fighting."

Jian Wushuang had an eye like a hawk; he could see everything.

Having lost the battle, Ouyang Xu paid the wager and returned reluctantly to his companions.

After Ouyang Xu had been defeated, the triangular-eyed man came forward again and looked at Jian Wushuang.

"Haha, boy, you are last. Stand up."

Ouyang Xu and the other six recruits could not help looking at Jian Wushuang.

Under their watchful eyes, Jian Wushuang remained indifferent. He slowly stepped out and walked forward. He glanced at the triangular-eyed man and shook his head. "I'm not interested in fighting with you."

"Oh?" The man smirked, unbothered, and turned to Xie Zi. "Xie Zi, he wants to battle you."

Xie Zi frowned and was about to come over again.

"Sorry, I am not interested in him either." Jian Wushuang shook his head again.

Xie Zi stopped in his tracks.

The triangular-eyed man looked at Jian Wushuang in amazement.

Who was this boy interested in?

"Is it me that you want to battle?" A cold voice suddenly echoed. It came from the elegant man who had been drinking alone at the table.

"Captain?"

The triangular-eyed man and Xie Zi looked at him.

"I've heard that both the Divine Realm experts and the Eternal Realm experts in the Royal Guard are elites. I've learned the power of the Divine Realm experts, so, I really want to know how powerful the Eternal Realm experts can be," Jian Wushuang said with a smile.

"You want to challenge me?" The captain glanced at Jian Wushuang and leaped across the table. He came up to him and said in a low voice, "To fight with me, you must wager two million Divine Gems."

"Two million?"

Everyone was amazed.

“Two million?” Jian Wushuang shook his head with a smile and continued, “Two million Divine Gems is not enough.”

“Not enough?” The captain appeared surprised.

“Eight million Divine Gems, at least. Plus, all the Divine Gems the other recruits have lost to you three,” Jian Wushuang said.

“Eight... eight million?”

A few of the recruits were startled by the number.

For a Divine Realm expert, eight million Divine Gems was simply an astronomical number.

Even for many Eternal Realm experts, it was too much.

“This guy...” His face fell.

Although he was only the captain of a small team, he had had several opportunities to earn Divine Gems, but still, he had about 10 million Divine Gems in total. The amount Jian Wushuang wanted was too much for him.

“Kid, can you afford eight million Divine Gems?” He stared coldly at Jian Wushuang.

“There are ten million Divine Gems in this Interspatial Ring. You can check it yourself.” Jian Wushuang took out an Interspatial Ring.

The Interspatial Ring had not been bound, so others could check it using their consciousness. After a simple check, everyone present indeed found 10 million Divine Gems inside.

“He actually has it.” The elegant man’s expression turned strange.

The man did not know that although Jian Wushuang was only a Divine Realm expert, he had had an unusual experience. After Jian Wushuang killed Xia Yan and got his ring, he was much richer than even a Dao Master. 10 million Divine Gems was not a problem for him.

He could afford 100 million Divine Gems, let alone 10 million.

“Kid, what is your name?” the elegant man suddenly asked him.

“Blood Mountain.” Jian Wushuang answered.

“Blood Mountain?”

The captain was rapt in thought. *“Among the 1,000 recruits, there is only one person, Asura, in Step Four of the Eternal Realm. As for the rest of them, the strongest one should be at the same level as me. And I’ve never heard of a man named Blood Mountain.”*

“This boy dares to offer eight million Divine Gems as a bet to fight with me. He must be confident about his power.”

Seeing his hesitation, Jian Wushuang showed a meaningful smile. “What? You’re afraid that you’ll lose to me, captain?”

Hearing this, the triangular-eyed man and Xie Zi shut their mouths tight, not daring to say a word.

The man's face darkened, but in the next moment, he had made up his mind. "Aside from Asura, I don't believe there is another Step Four of the Eternal Realm expert in the new recruits."

"I'll take the bet!"

Chapter 835: I Lost

Upon hearing the captain's answer, Jian Wushuang showed a meaningful smile.

"Blood Mountain."

Ouyang Xu, standing next to Jian Wushuang, and the other new recruits all looked at him.

"Don't worry." Jian Wushuang smiled at them and went forward.

On the open ground, Jian Wushuang and the captain stood several meters apart, facing each other. Jian Wushuang held the Emperor Sword in his hands. The captain had a long gold spear in his hand. He was radiating a powerful aura.

"Make your move." Jian Wushuang looked at ease.

"Humph! You're being too arrogant."

He snorted before stomping hard on the ground.

Boom!

Immediately, there was a crack where he had stomped. He approached Jian Wushuang and thrust at him with his spear. The spear spiraled under the strong force.

The wager was too high. He dared not to take Jian Wushuang slightly. When he shot, he used all his strength.

"The second level of the Spear Heart? He should have displayed a secret technique to improve his strike to the third level." Jian Wushuang smiled when he saw the man's strike.

As a captain of a 10-soldier squad, it was admirable that he had gained the power of Step Three of the Eternal Realm.

Among the Divine Realm experts, few could gain the power of Step Three. Talented as Asura was, he had only gained the power of Step Four.

However, for Jian Wushuang, such a power was nothing to fear.

The long gold spear struck out like a snake coming at its prey, with a strong strangling power behind it. It was a meter away from Jian Wushuang.

"Why didn't he make his move?" The captain stared at Jian Wushuang, surprised that he seemed to have no intention of fighting back.

He even thought Jian Wushuang was too scared to move or that he had no time to react. He was about to draw his spear back.

Suddenly, Jian Wushuang's sword struck out.

It seemed an ordinary strike, simple and neat, slashing toward the man.

The sword collided with the spear. There was a crashing sound and sparks in the air.

Jian Wushuang twisted both his hands, sending his sword forward in a strange way.

Clang!

Another crashing sound, and the captain's spear was knocked out of his hand.

"How is this possible?" The captain's eyes were full of horror.

Jian Wushuang smiled faintly. Casually, he tapped him with his sword. The captain was immediately thrown dozens of meters backwards before regaining his balance.

He had a rather complicated look on his face when he rose to his feet.

Everyone stared at Jian Wushuang in horror.

The captain had lost.

Lost in less than a minute.

"You lost."

Jian Wushuang smiled at the captain. "You lost. Give me eight million Divine Gems and return the gems the three of you won from the new recruits."

"I..." The captain trembled, biting his teeth. He took out an Interspatial Ring and threw it at Jian Wushuang.

Jian Wushuang caught the ring and nodded after a simple check. He turned to the triangular-eyed man. "Where are the gems you two won?"

Both the triangular-eyed man and Xie Zi had an unwilling look, but, thinking of Jian Wushuang's formidable power, they surrendered.

They gave all the Divine Gems they had won from the new recruits to Jian Wushuang.

Jian Wushuang returned them to Ouyang Xu and the other recruits.

"Blood Mountain, thank you!"

"Thank you!"

The recruits thanked Jian Wushuang from the bottom of their hearts.

After all, those Divine Gems had been half of everything they possessed. They would have been heart-broken if they really lost them. Luckily, Jian Wushuang had won the Divine Gems back for them.

Jian Wushuang showed a casual smile at their gratitude. The next moment, he suddenly looked toward the void beside them.

"Sir, you have been watching us for a while, it's time to show yourself." Jian Wushuang's voice echoed away.

Ouyang Xu and the others immediately looked in the same direction following Jian Wushuang's voice.

A figure immediately rushed out the void and landed in front of them.

"It's him!"

Seeing the newcomer, Ouyang Xu and the other recruits were surprised.

Anyone who had participated in the selection of the Royal Guard would not forget this face.

Asura!

The most impressive expert in the selection.

"Is that Asura?" The captain and two old soldiers also looked at the newcomer.

Dressed in a red robe, with a huge axe on his back, Asura stared at Jian Wushuang with a ferocious aura.

"It seems that I'm right," Asura spoke up.

"What do you mean?" Jian Wushuang looked at him in confusion.

"The last time we met was in the selection battle. You were the only one who managed to take my blow. Ever since, I knew that you're just as powerful as me. And I just watched how you battled your captain and I'm even more certain," Asura explained.

"So what?" Jian Wushuang smiled.

"I am a born warrior. My favorite thing is to challenge strong experts, especially geniuses who are at the same level as me." Asura's voice was indifferent. "My biggest wish has been to defeat Xia Yan, the number one Divine Realm expert in the Eternal World. But, several days ago, I heard that he was killed outside the Cercis Island."

On hearing this, Jian Wushuang could not help but touch his nose.

He had been the one to kill Xia Yan!

"Asura, you want to fight with me?" Jian Wushuang then asked.

"Yes, but I wonder if you are willing to accept my challenge?" Asura answered.

"Well, as you wish, let's fight." Jian Wushuang remained impassive.

It was normal for warlike people to challenge the top talents or strong people at the same level as themselves.

Jian Wushuang was the same.

Moreover, Asura was really powerful. Jian Wushuang was not sure he could defeat him unless he transformed into an Ancient God and used his Blood Mountain Sword.

Despite this, he decided not to do so in the following battle.

"I want to know how strong I can be without transforming into an Ancient God," Jian Wushuang murmured in secret.

As Jian Wushuang accepted Asura's challenge, Asura's eyes became sharp and an overwhelming battle intent shot up high from inside him.

Jian Wushuang was also filled with battle intent.

Chapter 836: Asura

Both Jian Wushuang's and Asura's battle intent reached a peak. A sliver of light flashed within their eyes almost at the same time.

Swish! Swish!

They suddenly disappeared from where they were standing.

"Where have they gone?" Ouyang Xu and the others were watching them attentively.

The next moment...

Clang! A loud noise echoed in the center of the battlefield.

A dazzling sword light and a towering axe collided together.

The power of his Sword Heart reached a peak in his sea of consciousness. Jian Wushuang had given full play to the Star-river Secret Skill and increased his offensive power 33 times.

However, he did not gain the upper hand. He merely blocked Asura's strike.

With a hint of ardor in his eyes, Asura glanced at Jian Wushuang and snorted coldly. Then, he struck again.

Swoosh! Swoosh! Swoosh! Swoosh!

Every time he moved, there were axe shadows. They looked as if they could break mountains and crush experts in Step Three of the Eternal Realm.

In just a short period of time, he had launched, at least, a dozen strikes.

He was suppressing his opponent with pure power!

"You want to play tough? I'm not afraid of you." Jian Wushuang was not afraid at all.

Asura's Axe Heart had reached Level Four, a level higher than Jian Wushuang's Sword Heart.

However, by displaying the Star-river Secret Skill, Jian Wushuang had increased his offensive power 33 times. Relying on his secret skill, Asura could only increase his by 10. That was Jian Wushuang's

advantage. Moreover, because of the Heavenly Creation Skill, he was more powerful than ordinary experts.

A battle of strength?

He was not afraid!

Jian Wushuang met the axe shadows with his longsword.

It was a fierce battle of pure power.

Clang! Clang! Clang! Clang!

There were dozens of loud noises in succession, meaning that the two had exchanged dozens of moves in a short time. And with every sound, a blast wave swept toward the surroundings.

"I'm right. Your power is not weaker than mine. Since that's the case... take my three strongest moves!" Asura roared. His muscles bulged, and his right arm grew a size bigger. He was holding his axe.

"Your three strongest moves?" Jian Wushuang looked serious.

He knew that Asura was going to display his best moves.

"The first move—Sky Splitter!"

Asura looked cold. He held up his axe with his right hand; terrifying power was gathering in it.

The next moment, the giant axe struck out.

Axe shadows smashed toward Jian Wushuang.

As soon as the axe shadow appeared, it seemed to have split the sky into two parts.

Jian Wushuang narrowed his eyes. He struck out his Emperor Sword. He displayed the first move of Boundless Heaven Sword Art— the Annihilation Sword Move.

Bang!

With a loud bang, they both fell backward at the same time.

"Let's continue."

Asura's eyes sparkled as he raised the giant axe again. "Second move—Earthsplitter!"

Another axe shadow struck out, cracking the ground. Obviously, it was more powerful than the previous one.

Jian Wushuang instantly performed the second move of the Boundless Heaven Sword Art— the Demon-slaying Sword Move.

Bang!

Jian Wushuang fell back several steps, but Asura was thrown straight back.

After regaining his balance, Asura had a stronger battle intent in his eyes. “Haha, I didn’t expect that after my second move, I’d still be at a disadvantage. For that, you must take my third move.”

This time, Asura raised his axe with both hands, a more overwhelming power gathered in them.

He attacked.

It was a strike that looked like it could destroy the world.

Jian Wushuang was extremely careful as he displayed the strongest move of the Boundless Heaven Sword Art he had mastered.

“The third move—Red Shade Sword Move!”

It became a battle of pure power again.

With a deafening sound, the void seemed to explode completely.

This time, Jian Wushuang was thrown back like a shooting star. He even had a trace of blood at the corner of his mouth.

As for Asura, he fell back rolling, and it took great effort for him to regain his balance. His face was extremely pale.

“This, this...”

“Blood Mountain can fight with Asura?”

“Is he really that strong? He wasn’t that impressive in the previous selection, was he?”

The onlookers were stunned. The recruits exchanged looks of disbelief.

The three old soldiers, especially the captain who had fought with Jian Wushuang before, were in shock.

It was obvious that both Jian Wushuang and Asura were powerful beyond his imagination.

Even after Asura had displayed his three strongest moves, the battle was still in a draw. There was no need for them to continue fighting.

“Blood Mountain.” Asura looked at Jian Wushuang with frenzied eyes. “You are really strong. I’m fortunate to have been able to fight with you before joining the Blood Eagle Guard.”

“*Blood Eagle Guard?*”?The words aroused Jian Wushuang’s interest. “Are you saying you’re going to join the Blood Eagle Guard?”

“Yes.” Asura nodded. “I participated in the selection of the Royal Guard in order to join the Blood Eagle Guard. It is a place for the strong, while the Dragon Guard, it is a place for the weak.”

“Whether you can join the Blood Eagle Guard is not up to you, is it?” asked Jian Wushuang.

“Of course, but I have broken through the Military Pagoda the Blood Eagle Guard set up for challengers, and there is no problem with my identity. So, it’s certain that I can join.” Asura was confident.

“Oh?” Jian Wushuang was starting to understand better.

“Asura’s words show that he has a good knowledge of the Blood Eagle Guard.

“He knows how to join the Blood Eagle Guard, and he is quite confident in himself.”

“Blood Mountain, you’re no weaker than me. I could pass the test set by the Blood Eagle Guard, so could you. Aren’t you going to try?” Asura asked him.

“Does the test you mentioned refer to the Military Pagoda?” Jian Wushuang responded with a question.

“Yes.” Asura nodded. “There are a total of eleven floors in the Military Pagoda. If you pass through the first nine floors, you’ll meet the requirements to join the Blood Eagle Guard. If you want to try it, I can take you there.”

Jian Wushuang raised his eyebrows.

The Blood Eagle Guard was the elite of the elite, and just as Asura had said, it was a place for the strong.

The Dragon Guard was for the weak.

Jian Wushuang was longing to join the Blood Eagle Guard.

Chapter 837: Breaking Through the Military Pagoda

“I’ll seize every chance to join the Blood Eagle Guard. I want to try in the Military Pagoda. Could you show me the way?”

“Come with me then,” Asura consented.

Jian Wushuang explained his plan to Ouyang Xuan and the others and followed Asura to the Military Pagoda.

The Blood Eagle Guard was a special organization in the Royal Guard, the elite of the elite.

To join, first one had to be powerful.

The Royal Guard had specially set up the Military Pagoda to test the challengers’ power.

The black pagoda stood towering in the center of the barracks.

“Here it is.”

Asura led Jian Wushuang to the front door of the pagoda. “The test in this tower is very unusual, but it should not be a problem for you to make it to the ninth floor. Once you succeed, you can apply to join the Blood Eagle Guard.”

“I see, thanks.” Jian Wushuang nodded.

“Go on then,” Asura said.

Without hesitation, Jian Wushuang strode into the black tower.

He arrived on the first floor.

This floor was a wide ground made of special materials, very hard, and in the center stood a cold figure.

At a glance, Jian Wushuang could tell it was a Puppet Fighter.

The moment Jian Wushuang went in, the puppet Fighter immediately opened his eyes and started speaking. "Challenger, you only need to hold up under my attacks for half an hour, then you can enter the next floor."

"Half an hour?" Jian Wushuang repeated.

"Let's begin."

Without another word, the Puppet Fighter made his move.

Woosh!

The Puppet Fighter crossed 60 meters in one step, striking out his saber at the same time.

The blade light went straight for Jian Wushuang.

"Well?"

Jian Wushuang had a rather strange look.

He could tell that the Puppet Fighter was in Step Three but not powerful. He could defeat him directly, let alone holding on for half an hour under his attacks.

"It is not difficult to pass the first floor of this Military Pagoda," Jian Wushuang thought to himself.

He defended himself casually without beating down the Puppet Fighter.

When half an hour had passed, the Puppet Fighter immediately stopped attacking and let Jian Wushuang pass to the second floor.

Walking along the stairs, Jian Wushuang came to the second floor of the tower.

Same as the first floor, the second floor was also a large ground, and his opponents were at the same level as the Puppet Fighter on the first floor. The only difference was that there were two Puppet Fighters waiting for him.

It was the same on the third floor, only there were four Puppet Fighters.

On the fourth floor, there were eight Puppet Fighters.

And so on.

Jian Wushuang was so powerful that even though he had not transformed into an Ancient God, he still overpowered the Puppet Fighters regardless of how high the floor was, or how many more Puppet Fighters he encountered.

Before long, he reached the ninth floor of the tower.

The Puppet Fighters on that floor were in Step Three as well, and there were 256 of them in total.

The Puppet Fighters joined hands to attack Jian Wushuang. They worked together well. Normal Step Four Eternal Realm experts would barely be able to hold on for half an hour, however, Jian Wushuang was extraordinarily powerful and good at dealing with joint attacks.

Back when he was in the Ancient God Clan, he had gained a lot of experience in fighting against joint attacks.

Jian Wushuang looked at ease as he fought with the 256 Puppet Fighters. Soon, half an hour had passed.

He passed through the ninth floor.

On the tenth floor, he encountered 512 Puppet Fighters.

Heavily outnumbered, Jian Wushuang could not fight as leisurely as before. He was suppressed by the Puppet Fighters and struggled for half an hour.

Finally, he passed through the tenth floor.

As for the eleventh floor, since Jian Wushuang did not intend to turn into an Ancient God, it was impossible for him to pass it.

In just a few moments, he was defeated and his challenge ended.

He walked out of the tower.

"How did it go?" Asura immediately asked him.

"Not bad, I made it to the tenth floor." Jian Wushuang answered with a smile.

"What?! The tenth floor?" Asura was surprised. He looked at Jian Wushuang in amazement.

He had only made it to the ninth floor and failed to pass the tenth after a moment of struggling.

He was surprised that Jian Wushuang was at the same level as him but had made it further than him in the tower.

"Asura, I have passed the tenth floor and met the requirements for joining the Blood Eagle Guard. What should I do next?" Jian Wushuang asked.

"Soon, the Blood Eagle Guard will know that you have broken through the tenth floor. Someone will come to find you and ask if you want to join the Blood Eagle Guard. If you say yes, they will ask you some questions and you will give them your basic information. After they check and confirm it, they will let you join," Asura replied.

"Is it that simple?" Jian Wushuang frowned hard.

According to what he had heard from Ouyang Xu before, the Blood Eagle Guard's standards were very high.

However, now it seemed that it was not that high.

"Of course, it's not that simple." Asura continued, "To join the Blood Eagle Guard, first you have to be powerful. Generally, you have to have reached Step Four. Another requirement is regarding your identity."

"Identity?" Jian Wushuang was confused.

"The Blood Eagle Guard is a very special organization. They carry out missions for the royal families, and many of the missions are about the internal conflicts between those families, therefore, they have to act in secret. Naturally, they have some special requirements regarding the identities of their members."

Asura immediately started explaining.

Chapter 838: Investigation

"Anyone who has been against the Tang of the East or is in conflict with the royal families, such as experts from the other three countries, will be excluded first.

"Those who come from the clans or have a close relationship with the clans will be excluded next.

"And finally, those whose identities remain unknown and can't be tracked will be excluded as well.

"Any of the above can't join the Blood Eagle Guard."

After saying that, Asura was silent. He looked at Jian Wushuang.

Jian Wushuang also pondered silently.

He understood that the Blood Eagle Guard dealt with the royal families' secret matters and the clans might be their targets.

As a result, no one from the clans could join.

It was the same for experts from other countries.

As for the last type, the unidentifiable people...

Jian Wushuang belonged to this group of excluded people. Blood Mountain was an alias. If they actually checked into it, they would find that this person did not exist.

"That's to say, if I want to join the Blood Eagle Guard, I have to tell them my real name?" Jian Wushuang's brow furrowed slightly.

"Blood Mountain, you looked worried. Are you one of the three types of people?" Asura spotted Jian Wushuang's worry.

"To tell you the truth," Jian Wushuang replied, "I'm not from the clans nor the three big countries. But, I have a grudge against a large force in the Tang of the East, so, I can't tell others my real name or it might cause trouble."

“Well,” Asura looked at Jian Wushuang with a smile. “Don’t worry about that. As long as what you have done will not endanger the royal families, the Blood Eagle Guard will not care about it. Moreover, they will keep your secret from others.”

“Really?” Jian Wushuang raised his eyebrows.

“I’m sure of this because I have a feud against a big clan in the Tang of the East as well. But as long as I will not endanger the royal family, the Blood Eagle Guard will accept me all the same. They will definitely keep secrets for me and will never let it out. This is a rule that has continued since its creation.

“This rule is as unshakable as iron, and no one can change it, not even His Majesty.” Asura smiled.

“If that’s the case, I don’t need to worry anymore.” Jian Wushuang was relieved.

He had been worried that if he told the Blood Eagle Guard his real name, the Xia Clan would find out and come to take revenge. Now, it seemed that his concern was unnecessary.

Just as Asura had said, not long after Jian Wushuang passed through the tenth floor of the Military Pagoda, a scarlet-robed elder came to find him.

The elder held a token from the Blood Eagle Guard, which confirmed his identity.

“Blood Mountain, I just learned that you have passed through the tenth floor of the Military Pagoda, so I came here to ask you if you’re willing to join the Blood Eagle Guard,” the elder asked indifferently.

“Of course, I am.” Jian Wushuang nodded.

“Record your name, background, and experiences in this token, and I will bring it back to the commander for investigation. If you pass the investigation, I will come to take you to the Blood Eagle Guard’s camp in person.” The elder handed him a token.

Jian Wushuang did what he had been told. Before he gave the token back to the elder, a Restriction appeared on the token, locking his information.

“The Blood Eagle Guard really does do a good job in guarding secrets.”?Jian Wushuang nodded secretly and felt more assured.

“Please wait in your camp. You will receive our answer in a few days.” After saying this, the elder left with the token.

For the next few days, Jian Wushuang stayed in his camp waiting.

Meanwhile, the elder submitted the information on Jian Wushuang and Asura to the supreme commander.

There were several commanders in the Dragon Guard, and all of them were top Step Six of the Eternal Realm experts.

In the Blood Eagle Guard, however, there was only one commander, and he was a Dao Master.

The Dao Master’s last name was Hong, therefore, the experts in the Tang of the East addressed him as Commander Hong or Master Hong.

Blood Eagle Guard was the royal families' sharpest weapon, and each of its one thousand members was a rare talent.

Most importantly, to join the Blood Eagle Guard, one's information had to be reviewed by this commander first.

After receiving the applications from Jian Wushuang and Asura, Commander Hong had some people track both of their backgrounds in person.

It only took a day.

In a scarlet palace, a handsome and indifferent, two-meter tall man wearing a red cloak was carefully reading the two reports he had just received.

The first report was about Asura.

"It turns out that Asura is the survivor of the evil Bei Clan, the man the Dongyan Clan has been hunting for."

"The Dongyan clan has a deep background in the Tang of the East. They were very well prepared when they wiped the Bei Clan from this country. However, Asura somehow still escaped from their hands.

"Over the years, the Dongyan clan has tried hard to kill him, but he, on the contrary, has grown stronger through the hardships. He has now become a Step Four expert and applied to join the Blood Eagle Guard?"

Commander Hong sighed in secret as he read the report.

A moment later, he turned to read the information on Jian Wushuang.

"Jian Wushuang..." As soon as he started reading the report, he could not help but widen his eyes.

"This boy is even more amazing. He is the guy the deadly Xia Clan is looking for?"

"In the Blood Battle Arena of the Cercis Island, he wounded Xia Yan with three strikes. Then when he was on his way back, alone, Xia Yan tracked him with two guards at Step Six of the Eternal Realm all the way to the sea."

"There, they had a secret fight. The others only knew that Xia Yan and his two guards were killed!"

Chapter 839: Blood Eagle Armor

"All of them were killed?"

"The second master of the Xia Clan had a high status, so he should have had some special lifesaving tricks. But it says that Xia Yan used his lifesaving item, but was still killed by Jian Wushuang."

As Commander Hong read the information, he could not help but sigh.

The Xia Clan was considered a magnate in the Tang of the East.

Even the Imperial House of Tang of the East was in awe of it.

Jian Wushuang had killed Xia Yan. It was terrible enough to provoke the Xia Clan.

“However, both Blood Mountain and Asura, their origins are clear. Although they have a great grudge against the Xia and Dongyan Clans, it has nothing to do with the Imperial House, so they’re acceptable.”

Commander Hong carefully checked the information about the two candidates, and then ordered, “Accept Blood Mountain and Asura.”

The scarlet-robed elder who had met Jian Wushuang set out to pick up the two men.

Three figures rushed across the azure sky.

Jian Wushuang and Asura followed the elder with a flicker of expectation in their hearts.

They had learned about the Blood Eagle Guard, but they had never actually been there before.

The scarlet-robed elder led them into an ancient forest. They crossed several Restrictions before they finally saw a large military camp.

This was the Blood Eagle Guard’s secret hideaway.

Instead of tents, they had built numerous towering residences and courtyards.

In the Blood Eagle Guard’s lair, each Blood Eagle Guard had his own mansion or courtyard.

The scarlet-robed elder landed on the ground with Jian Wushuang and Asura.

“Here you are, your ID tokens.” The scarlet-robed elder handed a bronze token to each of them.

The scarlet tokens were engraved with a lifelike bloody eagle. They looked very mighty and domineering.

“This token certifies your identity as a Blood Eagle Guard, but unless it is absolutely critical, don’t expose your identity while doing a task outside, understand?” said the scarlet-robed elder.

“OK.”

Jian Wushuang and Asura both nodded. They quickly received the tokens and then used their blood to bind them.

“Both of you have just joined the Blood Eagle Guard, so I will give you a brief introduction of our organization.” The scarlet-robed elder started talking about it as he walked forward with the newcomers.

“Since both of you are from the Royal Guard, you have definitely heard a lot about the Blood Eagle Guard, so I don’t need to talk more about what the Blood Eagle Guard is responsible for. I’d like to tell you some rules.

“First of all, the Blood Eagle Guard has a rigid hierarchy. Blood Eagle Guards are divided into three levels: One-Clawed, Two-Clawed, and Three-Clawed. More claws means higher level, so Three-Clawed Blood Eagle Guards rank highest among our guards.”

“From One-Claw to Three-Claw?” Jian Wushuang was surprised.

When he was still in the Ancient World, there were Golden Dragon Guards in the Tianzong Dynasty whose ranks were marked by “Claw”.

However, Blood Eagle Guards and Golden Dragon Guards were completely different.

The scarlet-robed elder continued, “You have just joined and have not yet accepted any tasks, so it is natural that both of you are One-clawed Blood Eagle Guards. In the future, once you’ve accepted enough tasks and obtained brilliant battle achievements, you’ll be promoted to Two-clawed Blood Eagle Guards.

“In addition, the Blood Eagle Guard belongs to the Royal Guard, but our treatment is completely different from Dragon Guards’.

“The Blood Eagle Guard is a trump card for the Imperial House, so we’re more important than ordinary Dragon Guards. Each Blood Eagle Guard can receive the best training from the Imperial House. In addition to privileges, you can enjoy three types of special treatment after joining the Blood Eagle Guard.

“Three types of special treatment?” Jian Wushuang thought with a hint of expectation.

“The first is the Blood Eagle Armor,” the scarlet-robed elder said as he waved his hand. Two scarlet suits of armor embroidered with a blood eagle pattern appeared in front of them.

“Armor?”

Jian Wushuang frowned.

“A suit of armor is regarded as superb treatment?”

“First you bind it to yourself and then put it on.” The scarlet-robed elder did not explain much.

Jian Wushuang and Asura followed his order without hesitation. After binding it to himself, Jian Wushuang immediately perceived its peculiarity.

“This is...”

Jian Wushuang put on his Blood Eagle Armor and clearly sensed that this armor had the incredible defensive ability, much better than the Gold-dragon Armor that he had obtained in the Royal Guard. This armor was not only useful for defense, it also improved offensive power.

Thinking of this, Jian Wushuang clenched his right fist; an explosive force was transmitted from the armor. Obviously, his strength had improved.

“How is that possible?” Jian Wushuang thought in shock, *“Armor that can actually enhance the offensive power?”*

It was no surprise that the armor had defensive capabilities.

Extremely high-level armor could have heaven-defying defensive power.

However, Jian Wushuang had never heard of armor being able to help increase offensive power.

“It looks like you both feel it.”

The scarlet-robed elder smiled when he saw their shock. "The reason the Blood Eagle Armor is considered one of the three types of special treatment is that it not only has powerful defense ability, it also helps increase its owner's offensive power.

"Only the Imperial House of Tang of the East possesses Blood Eagle Armors. Each piece of armor is implanted with a special restriction at a huge price. When you launch an attack, the inside restriction will be activated to greatly improve your offensive power!

"Of course, both of you are just One-clawed Blood Eagle Guards, and what you get is first-rank armor. If you progress to Two-clawed or Three-clawed Blood Eagle Guards, you will gain the second-rank or third-rank armor. Then your offensive power will be even greater.

"From what I understand, the third-rank armor can help double a person's offensive power!"

Chapter 840: Yin-Yang Mirror

"Double?"

Jian Wushuang and Asura were astonished.

They didn't know how strong the third-rank armor was, but wearing the first-rank armor now, they already felt that their strength had improved significantly.

The scarlet-robed elder said, "Only Blood Eagle Guards have Blood Eagle Armor.

"The special Restriction on a piece of blood eagle armor only allows one person to bind it. That is to say, even if an outsider were to kill a Blood Eagle Guard and gain his blood eagle armor, they would be unable to bind it again. It's useless for them."

"Oh?" Jian Wushuang and Asura looked at each other with a flicker of surprise in their eyes.

"Well, now I will take you to the Treasure Vault of the Blood Eagle Guard, which is the second type of special treatment," the elder said. After a while, they arrived in front of a pavilion.

The pavilion looked ordinary, but it was heavily guarded.

"There are countless treasures in the Treasure Vault!

"The Royal Guard has a Treasure Vault as well, but it is not comparable to ours.

"Many treasures in the Treasure Vault belong to the Imperial House's collection. As for treasure quality, few in the Eternal World can match this Treasure Vault. Go have a look," the elder said.

Jian Wushuang and Asura stepped into the pavilion without hesitation.

However, at first glance, Jian Wushuang did not see any treasure. All he saw was darkness.

As he was wondering about it, a strange voice suddenly echoed.

"Blood Mountain, I'm the spirit of the Treasure Vault. There are countless treasures here. You can tell me what you need, and I will give you a list of treasures that meet your requirements."

The voice sounded like a baby.

“Spirit?” Jian Wushuang was surprised.

He did not expect that the Treasure Vault itself was a treasure with intelligence.

Jian Wushuang asked, “I want to know, how do we pay for treasures? Divine Gems?”

“You can use Divine Gems, but the value will be much higher. In normal cases, the treasures in the Treasure Vault are traded for points which can be obtained by completing tasks. You’ve just entered the Blood Eagle Guard and haven’t accepted any tasks yet, so your current points level is zero. You can only pay with Divine Gems,” the spirit of the Treasure Vault replied.

Jian Wushuang shrugged and said, “I need a treasure or Secret Skill that can help me hide my aura, so that even powerful Eternal Realm experts or Dao Masters can’t see through my real Realm.”

Jian Wushuang was only a Divine Realm expert, but he was very powerful. If his strength erupted, he was strong enough to challenge experts at Step Six of the Eternal Realm.

Furthermore, he was still far from reaching his limit, so he would be stronger in the future.

For a Divine Realm expert to have such a strength was incredible.

Xia Yan had been known as the number one Divine Realm expert in the Eternal World, but his battle strength had barely reached Step Five, far inferior to Jian Wushuang.

Being powerful was a good thing.

Nevertheless, Jian Wushuang was so strong that he might inevitably attract others’ attention, or even be targeted by wicked people.

Therefore, he needed a treasure or Secret Skill that hid his aura completely.

“There are five treasures that meet your requirements. This is a list of the five treasures with detailed information.”

The spirit of the Treasure Vault’s voice sounded in his heart before a streak of Flowing Light rushed toward him. A list of treasures appeared in his hand.

Jian Wushuang immediately read it.

The five treasures were comprised of three specially-made magic tools and two high-level Secret Skills that could hide aura perfectly.

“Wow, the five treasures can really hide the aura,” Jian Wushuang thought with a hint of joy in his eyes.

“This Secret Skill is nice. It has the lowest price among the five treasures and is relatively easy to learn, but it could only fool an ordinary Dao Master at most. More powerful experts will see through it.” Jian Wushuang shook his head slightly and started to read the information on the second one.

“This treasure has the same function as the first one.”

Jian Wushuang scrutinized the information on the first three treasures, but he was not satisfied.

When he saw the fourth treasure, his eyes lit up.

The fourth one was called the Yin-Yang Mirror. It could transform its owner's aura, like their spiritual power aura or bloodline aura.

It could help a Divine Realm expert disguise himself as an Eternal Realm expert.

Aided by a Yin-Yang Mirror, an Eternal Realm expert could disguise himself as a Divine Realm expert perfectly.

After the transformation, even a top Dao Master could not see through it if he did not check carefully.

"Perfect transformation of the aura?" Jian Wushuang was delighted. The Yin-Yang Mirror could not only hide his Realm, but also his bloodline aura.

When he turned into an Ancient God, he had to activate the Bloodline Power. It produced a dense bloodline aura that others could recognize easily.

With the Yin-Yang Mirror, his Ancient God Bloodline would not be exposed.

"Even a superior Dao Master is unable to see through it if he doesn't look carefully?" Jian Wushuang gripped his hands. He looked at the required points.

"10,000 points?"

"Too expensive!"

Jian Wushuang sucked in a breath of cold air.

The most expensive of the first three treasures was only valued at 2,000 points.

However, the Yin-Yang Mirror required 10,000 points.

"10,000 points, how many Divine Gems would I have to pay?" he asked.

"You can exchange 10,000 Divine Gems for one point. For 10,000 points, you need 100 million Divine Gems," the Treasure Vault Spirit replied.

"100 million?" Jian Wushuang touched his nose.

100 million Divine Gems was not a small sum, but Jian Wushuang was clear that the Yin-Yang Mirror was of great importance to him.

He took a deep breath before nodding solemnly. "100 million Divine Gems, I'll take the Yin-Yang Mirror."