

## **Immortality Cultivation: I Farm in the System Space**

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And the cultivator guarding that place spoke up:

“The young master is currently cultivating, let them leave first,”

“Besides...”

“This time calling them here was merely a test.”

“Before the young master began his training, he had already made arrangements, that after a few days he will personally visit the Li Family, so they should prepare themselves.”

“Alright, I will return now and notify them.”

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The housekeeper nodded and then directly turned around and left.

As for the two cultivators, they did not pay any more attention to him, continuing to faithfully guard the front of the courtyard.

Lin Jing and the others did not wait too long before the housekeeper came back, and spoke directly to Lin Jing and the other two:

“Our young master is currently cultivating and it is inconvenient for him to meet with you.”

“You should leave for now.”

“The young master said that, in a few days, he will personally visit the Li Family regarding today’s matter; you should prepare yourselves in advance.”

As these words were spoken, the housekeeper’s expression was quite arrogant, as if he did not put Lin Jing and his party in his eyes at all.

Offering Priest Luo became angry on the spot:

“What do you mean by this?”

“Our family head has already come in person, and yet your Yun Family dares to leave us hanging like this?”

Li Qingqing also frowned slightly.

However, she did not say anything but looked towards Lin Jing.

And it was at this moment that Lin Jing spoke up, saying:

“If that’s the case, then we should leave for now.”

Offering Priest Luo was startled for a moment, and then looked at Lin Jing with some surprise:

“Senior Lin...”

“Are we just going to leave like this?”

Lin Jing nodded.

Seeing this, Li Qingqing did not say any more but spoke up directly:

“Then let’s do that, we’ll leave first.”

After speaking, without waiting for Offering Priest Luo to say anything else, she stood up first and walked outside.

And Lin Jing also followed behind Li Qingqing and went out.

Offering Priest Luo, with no other choice, shook his head and also followed behind Lin Jing and left.

As the group stood up and left, Lin Jing once again felt that Divine Sense sweeping over him.

That must have been a test by the Yun Family patriarch.

Yet Lin Jing acted as if he hadn’t noticed, with no unusual behavior, continuing to follow Li Qingqing and walking out.

Before long, the three of them left the Yun Family.

And the Divine Sense that had enveloped them also withdrew.

After they came out from the Yun Family, Offering Priest Luo was the first to bid farewell to Li Qingqing, stating he had other matters to attend to.

Naturally, Li Qingqing agreed.

After Offering Priest Luo had left, Li Qingqing couldn't help but express her curiosity to Lin Jing:

"Why did we leave earlier?"

Lin Jing replied:

"There's something off about the Yun Family."

Li Qingqing, puzzled:

"Something off?"

"Could it be dangerous?"

Lin Jing thought for a moment and said:

"When we entered the Yun Family just now, there was a Divine Sense examining our every move."

"That Divine Sense has reached the Nascent Soul Stage, it must be that Yun Family patriarch."

"Of course, that's only one thing."

"Additionally, the entire Yun Family also seemed somewhat off."

"I think it's better to investigate first before saying anything..."

After saying this, Lin Jing turned to Li Qingqing and said:

"Qingqing, you go back first."

"Hmm..." Li Qingqing nodded.

"Lin Jing, be careful."

Lin Jing smiled and said:

"Don't worry..."

“The entire Yun Family combined is not my match, what’s most important is the Nanming Immortal Sect behind the Yun Family.”

After Li Qingqing had left, Lin Jing did not choose to leave.

Instead, he took a detour and found a secluded place not far from the Yun Family, and entered the System Space.

Since the Yun Family was protected by that great Formation, if Lin Jing wanted to investigate without alarming them, it would definitely be more appropriate to use Observation Mode.

Upon entering the System Space, Lin Jing immediately activated Observation Mode.

After entering Observation Mode, Lin Jing continued probing towards the Yun Family under Observation Mode.

However, as soon as Lin Jing’s probe touched the Yun Family, he detected a person.

It was the Offering Priest Luo who had just been with Lin Jing and the others.

At this moment, Offering Priest Luo was conversing with the butler from before.

“Second Steward...”

“What is going on with Young Master Yun Long, wasn’t he supposed to be bringing over Li Qingqing?”

“How come after I brought Li Qingqing here, they immediately let them go?”

The butler began to speak:

“This was merely a test by the young master.”

Upon hearing this, Offering Priest Luo immediately said:

“The young master is being too cautious.”

“I’ve said before, that Lin Jing is definitely posing as someone else, he surely doesn’t have Nascent Soul Stage cultivation.”

At this point, Offering Priest Luo’s face was full of contempt:

“Given his performance today, surely the Second Steward also saw it, with the way he acted, he doesn’t resemble a Nascent Soul True Monarch in the least.”

“If he were truly a Nascent Soul True Monarch, he probably would have turned hostile on the spot.”

The Second Steward, with a calm expression on his face, straightforwardly said:

“This is the young master’s decision, there’s no need for you to worry about it.”

After listening, Offering Priest Luo was left speechless.

Upon hearing this, Lin Jing decided not to continue eavesdropping any further.

Following that.

Lin Jing controlled the Observation Mode to probe deeper into the Yun Family’s inner courtyard.

With such tight security in the Yun Family’s inner courtyard, there must be secrets unknown to the public.

Lin Jing, using the Observation Mode, arrived at the inner courtyard of the Yun Family and proceeded to investigate several courtyards in succession, finding nothing out of the ordinary.

However, after exploring these courtyards, Lin Jing raised the perspective of Observation Mode and noticed there was a courtyard within the deepest part of the inner courtyard, protected by a Formation.

Seeing this courtyard, Lin Jing immediately understood...

He must have found the target of his search.

Afterward, Lin Jing controlled the Observation Mode to probe towards that courtyard.

At the entrance of this courtyard, there were two cultivators standing guard.

As Lin Jing probed through, a voice emerged from within the courtyard.

“Someone...”

Upon hearing this, the two cultivators immediately took out a Token from their bodies and stuck it onto the Formation.

Following that.

With a wave of ripples, the Formation became elusive, and then the two men, holding the Token, directly passed through the Formation and entered.

Lin Jing followed the two men inside as well.

Once inside the courtyard, Lin Jing saw a square hall in the center of this courtyard.

The entire hall was enveloped by the courtyard's internal Formation, and atop this Formation, there were red, slightly eerie threads being funneled into the hall.

The doors to the hall were already open.

Inside the hall was a huge Formation, with a person sitting in the middle of it.

That person was Yun Long.

Apart from Yun Long, there was also a female cultivator lying motionless at one side, completely nude.

This female cultivator appeared to have gone through inhuman torture, as there wasn't an inch of her body that was intact.

However, she was still alive, not dead yet.

Through Observation Mode, Lin Jing could even clearly see the slight movements of her eyelashes.

But after the two of them entered,

they directly produced a piece of black cloth and swiftly wrapped up the female cultivator with it.

Then.

They immediately lifted the wrapped woman and left.

After the two left, they carried the woman behind the grand hall.

Thereafter, the two took out the Token they had used before, performed a set of hand seals in the void, and then the Token emitted a bright light. After the bright light passed, a hole appeared instantly.

When the hole appeared, the two men frowned and then quickly removed the black cloth from the female cultivator's body, lifted the woman they had just wrapped, and threw her into the hole.

Witnessing this scene, Lin Jing was very curious, so he controlled the Observation Mode to peer into the hole.

Following the hole inside, Lin Jing suddenly discovered that it led to a very large blood pool.

Inside the blood pool were numerous female cultivators' corpses—how many, Lin Jing couldn't tell...

But from what Lin Jing could see, there were at least dozens.

Some of these bodies were intact, while others were decomposed and looked extremely horrifying.

Above the blood pool was a Formation.

This Formation seemed to be constantly absorbing the malevolent energy from the blood pool, transferring it to somewhere else.

Lin Jing looked upward and then directly controlled the perspective to pass through that Formation.

Afterwards, he went through the blood pool below and appeared within the grand hall.

So it turned out that the blood pool was connected to the Formation inside the grand hall.

And the malevolent force accumulated in that blood pool was naturally supplied to the Formation within the grand hall.

Moreover.

At this time, the Formation inside the grand hall was flashing with red light, and Yun Long was sitting in the middle of the grand hall's Formation, his eyes closed as he cultivated...

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However, within a mere moment, Yun Long had absorbed the red glow and then opened his eyes...

At this time, the red glow in Yun Long's eyes appeared and disappeared intermittently.

The aura surrounding his body had also become extremely sinister and strange.

Some time passed, and the red glow in Yun Long's eyes completely vanished, along with the aura around his body.

After the aura disappeared, the cultivation aura on Yun Long's body burst forth; clearly, it had become several degrees mightier than before.

At this time.

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The two cultivators had finished dealing with the female cultivator and came back from the back of the great hall.

After the two returned, they clasped their hands towards Yun Long and said:

"Young Master..."

"Just now, while you were cultivating, the Second Steward came to report that Li Qingqing had already visited."

"We delivered the message you told us to give him, as previously instructed by you, Young Master."

Upon hearing this, Yun Long nodded.

"Okay..."

"I know."

"You two stand guard here, I need to step out for a moment."

After saying this, Yun Long walked out.

Seeing Yun Long leaving, Lin Jing soon controlled the observation perspective and followed along.

After leaving the small courtyard, Yun Long skirted around the yard and continued towards the deeper parts of the Yun Family's inner residence. Before long, he arrived at a secluded corner in the inner court and entered another slightly shabby courtyard.

This courtyard, unlike the one where Yun Long resided, contained only a flower garden and a lone room in the center of the yard.

That was all there was.

Upon entering the courtyard, Yun Long approached the front of the room.

He bowed respectfully towards the room:



“Old Ancestor...”

As Yun Long finished speaking, the door of the room automatically swung open, and then a voice came forth from inside.

“Come in...”

Then.

Yun Long got up and stepped inside.

Lin Jing, controlling the observational view, also followed in.

Inside the room, Lin Jing scanned the area and saw that there were not many items inside.

A table, two chairs, and a somewhat old bed.

These were all the furnishings within the room.

In the center of the room sat an old man with white hair and beard, sitting on a chair, holding a carving knife in one hand and a piece of wood of unknown material in the other.

Bowing his head, he was engrossed in his carving.

This wood carving was mostly completed; its overall contours were already evident, and it appeared to be the figure of a person.

After entering the room, Yun Long clasped his hands again and said to the old man:

“Old Ancestor...”

“With Li Qingqing’s arrival, I presume you’ve already been informed, Old Ancestor.”

As it turned out, this old man was indeed the Yun Family Old Ancestor.

The Yun Family Old Ancestor, without lifting his head, spoke directly:

“I’ve been informed; there’s nothing remarkable about it...”

Yun Long then asked:

“What about Lin Jing, what cultivation level is he really at?”

“Is it truly Nascent Soul?”

The Yun Family Old Ancestor did not reply but picked up the carving knife and continued to carve into the wood for a while...

After finishing the carving, the Yun Family Old Ancestor blew out a breath of air, blowing off the wood shavings from the wood.

Once the wood shavings were gone, the carving took shape.

It was a lifelike, human-shaped wood carving with clear and discernible facial lines.

And this wooden carving depicted none other than Lin Jing.

The Yun Family Old Ancestor looked over the wood carving and then spoke:

“Although I did not expend much effort, it should be sufficient to deal with a mid-stage Golden Core cultivator.”

The tone of the Yun Family Old Ancestor was casual, as if he had only undertaken a trivial task.

After finishing speaking, the Yun Family Old Ancestor lifted his head.

He directly tossed the wood carving to Yun Long.

Yun Long hurriedly caught the carving and then carefully put it away.

The Yun Family Old Ancestor then spoke again:

“In a few days, go to the Li Family by yourself.”

“The Li Family doesn’t have anyone who could threaten you.”

Yun Long nodded and then clasped his hands:

“I understand, Old Ancestor...”

“Please rest assured, Old Ancestor; in a few days, I will surely acquire the Li Family’s Inheritance Elixir Technique for you.”

The Yun Family Old Ancestor nodded slightly.

Then.

He raised his head again, looking towards Yun Long in front of him.

Yun Long immediately sensed something amiss and quickly spoke up:

“Old Ancestor, may I ask if you have further instructions?”

The Yun Family Old Ancestor then said:

“Our Yun Family, although not weak, still needs to rely on Nanming Immortal Sect for reassurance. Whatever we do, we must consider the Nanming Immortal Sect’s stance and not bring trouble down upon them...”

“Do you understand?”

With these words, the Yun Family Old Ancestor’s gaze was penetrating as it focused on Yun Long.

Yun Long immediately bowed his head and clasped his hands:

“Old Ancestor, I understand...”

However, no sooner had Yun Long spoken when the Yun Family Old Ancestor’s aura surged, and that chilling gaze had already shot over.

Yun Long broke out in a cold sweat and dropped to his knees on the ground.

The Yun Family Old Ancestor’s face was icy as he looked at Yun Long:

“I allowed you to cultivate those Demonic Techniques; do you think you’ve become so powerful that you no longer need to take me into account?”

Yun Long hastily defended himself:

“Old Ancestor, Yun Long wouldn’t dare...”

The Yun Family Old Ancestor snorted coldly:

“Humph!”

“Not dare?”

“Even the Qingyuan Sword Sect you dared to provoke, what wouldn’t you dare to do?”

“Do you know the consequences of provoking the Qingyuan Sword Sect?”

Yun Long raised his head to look at the Yun Family Old Ancestor and hurriedly explained:

“Old Ancestor...”

“The matter with the Qingyuan Sword Sect was an act of desperation.”

“At that time, I was just visiting Fang Market to take care of some business when I happened to experience a breakthrough. My Demonic Techniques became uncontrollable, the Yin Sha aura surged, and I could not suppress it.”

“This is why she noticed me.”

“If I had left her be, she would surely have reported it to the Qingyuan Sword Sect, and then they would definitely take action to investigate.”

“By that time, it would have been too late.”

“That is why I took preemptive action.”

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“I beg father to kidnap her, then silence her forever, and blame it on the Howling Sky Wolf Clan of the Night Mist Mountain Range.”

After speaking, Yun Long’s expression was sincere as he continued to add:

“Ancestor...”

“Our Yun Family has come this far with great difficulty, and I cannot let this incident doom our family.”

“If they find out we have this Demonic Technique in our hands, they will definitely not let our Yun Family off.”

Hearing Yun Long’s defense, the complexion of the Yun Family’s old ancestor eased considerably, and his imposing aura receded as well.

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“Alright, stand up.”

“Your father has already explained it to me.”

“Otherwise...”

“Do you think you’d still be able to stand here unharmed?”

Upon hearing this, Yun Long breathed a sigh of relief, then respectfully stood up.

Looking up at Yun Long, who stood respectfully, the Yun Family's old ancestor spoke again:

"Your handling of the situation, although a last resort, has ultimately covered up the incident."

"However..."

"Because of this, it has caused panic outside, so for the next while, you should keep a low profile and stop kidnapping people."

"You've kidnapped so many, it has already alerted the three major Sects, who have begun to investigate the matter."

Yun Long was startled for a moment, then asked:

"Ancestor..."

"Then what should I do next?"

"If I don't kidnap people, how can I improve my cultivation?"

The Yun Family's old ancestor looked at Yun Long and then said:

"For now, take care of the Li Family's matter first. After that is done, I plan to send you to the Demonic Monster Sea."

"Within the Demonic Monster Sea, there are many Demon Cultivators and Demon Cultivators, and moreover, the territory of the Demonic Monster Sea is much larger than the Nanming Domain."

"There, with many Cultivators, even if some go missing, it will not attract attention. You practicing this technique will surely be more appropriate there."

"As long as you can successfully break through to Divinity Transformation, our Yun Family will no longer have to be subservient to others."

"If you advance beyond Divinity Transformation, our Yun Family will become the foremost noble family controlling the entire Nanming Domain."

After hearing this, Yun Long quickly bowed and said:

"Ancestor, I understand."

The Yun Family's old ancestor nodded, then continued to instruct Yun Long:

“Alright...”

“You may leave now.”

“In a few days, the matter with the Li Family will be entirely up to you.”

“The Li Family doesn’t have a Nascent Soul; they pose no threat to you. You must handle this matter well for me.”

Yun Long bowed quickly and said:

“Rest assured, Ancestor.”

“I will handle this matter well.”

The Yun Family’s old ancestor nodded, and then gestured with his hand...

Seeing this, Yun Long promptly bowed and then slowly exited the room.

After Yun Long left, the room’s door automatically closed.

Yun Long then bowed toward the room and left the courtyard; upon exiting the courtyard, he turned and departed from there.

After Yun Long left, Lin Jing followed behind, continuing his observation.

Next,

Yun Long met with the Offering Priest Luo, and after chatting for a few moments, they went together to see Li Qingqing’s third uncle.

Li Qingqing’s third uncle.

was forcibly controlled by the Yun Family.

In Observation Mode, Lin Jing listened to their conversation and understood that Li Qingqing’s third uncle had not colluded with the Yun Family.

He was deceived by Offering Priest Luo and Offering Priest Yang, merely being used by the Yun Family.

Indeed, Li Qingqing’s third uncle was originally an incapable fool.

He was fine for indulgence in eating, drinking, and merrymaking.

But if he were to commit these acts of betraying the Li Family, with his intelligence, he couldn't manage it at all.

Although Li Qingqing's third uncle was controlled by the Yun Family, his life was not in danger, Lin Jing did not bother further.

After some more investigation, with no further gains,

Lin Jing ended his observation.

After ending the observation, Lin Jing left the System Space and headed toward the Li Family, organizing the information he had obtained along the way.

The Yun Family's affair involved the Nanming Immortal Sect and Qingyuan Sword Sect, complicating the matter significantly.

Having sorted out the situation, Lin Jing decided to return to the Li Family first to discuss the matter with Li Qingqing.

Upon returning to the Li Family, Lin Jing went straight to Li Qingqing, and when he relayed the information he had gathered,

Li Qingqing was shocked and speechless.

After all, the matter of Cultivators disappearing had been causing quite a stir recently, and naturally, Li Qingqing had also heard about it.

Many of these missing cultivators' disappearances were blamed on the Howling Sky Wolf Clan, but it was unexpected that the Yun Family was behind it all.

The Yun Family had one Nascent Soul, and three Golden Cores.

They were formidable, and the family's influence was significant.

It wouldn't be an overstatement to call them the number one family of Nanshan Immortal City.

If this matter were to be exposed,

it would likely not only affect the Yun Family but also the Nanming Immortal Sect backing them.

After all, it was common knowledge that the Yun Family was supported by one of the three great sects, the Nanming Immortal Sect.

If this incident were exposed, it's feared that without the need for others to intervene, the Nanming Immortal Sect would act in its own interests and clean up the Yun Family.

After discussing with Li Qingqing, Lin Jing decided to let this information out.

However...

Although they needed to disclose this, it could not come directly from the mouths of the Li Family or Lin Jing; they needed to have someone else spread the word.

After all, the Li Family still needed to establish itself in the Nanming Domain.

They could not rashly offend one of the three great sects of the Nanming Domain, the Nanming Immortal Sect.

Moreover,

the person spreading the news had to have certain influence for it to be credible.

After pondering for a moment, Lin Jing immediately thought of an organization...

The Heavenly Secrets Association.

If this information was revealed by the Heavenly Secrets Association, that should suffice.

Next, Lin Jing shared his thoughts with Li Qingqing.

Li Qingqing immediately agreed, saying it was most fitting to have the Heavenly Secrets Association handle the matter.

However, although the Heavenly Secrets Association could receive the information, their bases were generally well-hidden and shrouded in mystery.

To spread the news, they still needed to find someone from the Heavenly Secrets Association...

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Just as Lin Jing and Li Qingqing were discussing how to find the Heavenly Secrets Association,

suddenly someone came to report that someone was looking for Lin Jing outside the Li Family's doors, and according to the messenger, the person's last name was Wei.

Lin Jing immediately understood that it was Wei Zhengqing who had come.



After that,

Lin Jing headed for the Li Family's gates, with Li Qingqing following behind him.

At the entrance, Lin Jing saw Wei Zhengqing and his companions.

"Brother Wei..."

Lin Jing approached them in greeting.

Wei Zhengqing spoke,

"Brother Lin..."

"We have now settled down in Nanshan Immortal City, and, moreover, I have joined an organization through the introduction of a friend and am helping them..."

"We heard that the Li Family has been going through some tough times lately, so we came to see if there's anything we can do to help."

Lin Jing replied with a smile:

"With me here, none of those problems amount to much."

"By the way..."

"Brother Wei, may I ask which organization you've joined?"

Wei Zhengqing replied,

"You've heard of the organization."

"The Heavenly Secrets Association!"

Upon hearing this, Lin Jing then turned and exchanged a glance with Li Qingqing...

"You've joined the Heavenly Secrets Association, Brother Wei?"

Wei Zhengqing nodded and said,

"Yes..."

"We can't return to the Demonic Monster Sea for the time being, and in the Nanming Domain, I always have to find something to do. For now, I plan to join an organization, practice cultivation, and find a way to gather some cultivation resources."

“After all, Si Yue is still young; we cannot continue to wander.”

Lin Jing then said,

“Brother Wei, your joining the Heavenly Secrets Association is actually timely.”

“I have some information here that I’m looking to pass to the Heavenly Secrets Association...”

Without asking further, Wei Zhengqing directly said,

“I’ve just joined the association and am but an outer member; there are many things I do not have the authority to decide.”

“However, if Brother Lin wants to sell information, I can help put you in contact with the people in charge at the association.”

Lin Jing responded,

“That would be great, Brother Wei! Thank you.”

Wei Zhengqing then said,

“No need for thanks, Brother Lin, there’s no need for such formalities between us...”

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The Yun Family was finished!

As news of the Yun Family’s Young Master, Yun Long, abducting female cultivators to cultivate Demonic Techniques spread, it took less than two days for everyone to become aware.

Of course, the Yun Family denied it and quickly issued a statement to refute the rumors.

They also offered a reward, seeking to capture those spreading the falsehoods.

However,

just as everyone was wondering whether it was only a rumor or if the Yun Family was lying,

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a mysterious Nascent Soul Cultivator took action at this time.

This Nascent Soul Cultivator directly stormed into the Yun Family.

The Yun Family's Patriarch fought to stop him, but was no match for this person at all. With only one strike, the Patriarch was gravely injured.

Afterward, the person did not harm any other members of the Yun Family but went straight to shatter the Defensive Array of the Yun Family's inner courtyard and split one of the great halls in half with his hand...

As the great hall split open, the blood pool beneath it was exposed for all to see.

In an instant, Demonic Qi soared to the sky, and the stench of blood spread for miles.

The lies of the Yun Family collapsed under their own weight.

At that time, when people forced their way into the Yun Family, the managers of Nanshan Immortal City naturally detected it and promptly appeared at the Yun Family's location.

However, those who came had such high cultivation that they were unable to intervene effectively.

It wasn't until the blood pool was exposed that the managers of Nanshan Immortal City fell silent.

They were, after all, individuals appointed by the three major Sects specifically to manage Nanshan Immortal City.

It was their duty to maintain the order of Nanshan Immortal City.

The emergence of the blood pool caused them to lose face; the exploding scandal involving the Yun Family also implicated them.

Nevertheless,

after completing this deed, the mysterious Nascent Soul Cultivator simply left.

They wanted to stop him, to clarify the matter,

however, the mysterious Nascent Soul Cultivator didn't give them the chance, leaving immediately after the deed, and they dared not pursue him.

So they just let the mysterious Nascent Soul Cultivator leave.

After the Nascent Soul Cultivator's departure, they discussed the matter and decided to first seal off the Yun Family and then report the incident to the three major Sects.

The news spread...

In just one day, representatives from the three major Sects arrived.

Given the involvement of the Yun Family, all those sent by the three major Sects were Nascent Soul Stage Elders.

Even the Nanming Immortal Sect sent a Nascent Soul Peak Stage Grand Elder.

After investigating at the Yun Family, the Elders of the three major Sects interrogated the main family members before taking them away.

And the Yun Family was sealed off by the three major Sects.

The three major Sects' involvement made this matter widespread, known throughout the entire Nanming Domain.

It wasn't until three days later that more news came.

For cultivating Demonic Techniques and harming numerous fellow daoists, to bring justice to the cultivation circles of the Nanming Domain, all associated with this matter were executed.

The Yun Family was to be thoroughly eradicated.

This announcement was made jointly by the three major Sects, so it quickly spread far and wide.

The matter became the subject of endless discussion, particularly in Nanshan Immortal City.

Many of the female cultivators who had gone missing were from the Nanming Immortal City Cultivators,

and even relatives from other families had vanished. As the scandal broke, many harbored deep hatred toward the Yun Family.

They wished they could tear them limb from limb.

When the three major Sects issued their execution orders against the Yun Family, many Cultivators praised the three major Sects.

While praising the three major Sects, there were also many speculating about the identity of that mysterious Nascent Soul Cultivator.

Some said it was an enemy of the Yun Family, taking action specifically for revenge.

Others argued that the Nascent Soul Cultivator was a chivalrous figure with a sense of justice, who accidentally stumbled upon the Yun Family's evil deed.

He initially released the news to make the Yun Family confess, but the Yun Family refused to see reason.

So he took action to expose the Yun Family's vile face to the world.

Of course, opinions varied, with all sorts of conjectures.

Naturally,

the one who did all this was Lin Jing.

Lin Jing had previously sought out the person in charge of the Heavenly Secrets Association in Nanshan Market through Wei Zhengqing.

He intended to spread the news.

However, credible evidence was necessary to disseminate such news.

Otherwise, without solid proof, no one would believe the message.

With no other choice, Lin Jing had to personally take action.

The great hall of the Yun Family was protected by a Formation.

An ordinary Cultivator would not be able to break through that Formation and obtain the evidence.

Only Lin Jing, with his strength, could easily break the Formation.

Even with the Yun Family's Nascent Soul Stage Patriarch on guard, he did not care.

After all, that patriarch was merely at the early Nascent Soul Stage, which was far inferior compared to Lin Jing.

However,

to avoid subsequent troubles, he disguised himself as a mysterious Nascent Soul Cultivator.

After taking action, Lin Jing then withdrew,

leaving the matter in the hands of the three major Sects.

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After the incident with the Yun Family, some of the industries they controlled were absorbed by the three major Sects and made their own.

Other portions were divided among the remaining forces.

The once great Yun Family disappeared in a puff of smoke within a few days.

In the end, Yun Long failed to make further trouble for the Li Family.

Following the Yun Family's downfall, the two Offering Priests of the Li Family, Luo and Yang, were implicated.

After the Yun Family's incident emerged, knowing that trouble was coming, they fled beforehand.

Their whereabouts remain unknown to this day.

Additionally, Li Qingqing's uncle was rescued from the Yun Family.

Since returning from the Yun Family, he has been behaving very discreetly, staying within the Li Family and not going out.

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After the Yun Family incident, the crisis facing the Li Family was resolved, and Lin Jing no longer needed to stay with them at all times.

After explaining to Li Qingqing, Lin Jing went to the small courtyard he had once lived in.

It had already been bought by Li Qingqing, specifically kept aside for Lin Jing.

Lin Jing moving here was something Li Qingqing was naturally very happy about.

After all, it wasn't far from the Li Family residence, and she could come to find Lin Jing whenever she wished.

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After Lin Jing moved to the small courtyard, Lin Jue and Ye Yun initially wanted to follow him.

However, they were sent away by Lin Jing.

Lin Jing was now at the later stages of Nascent Soul cultivation, and he needed to start preparing for Divinity Transformation.

Lin Jing had long heard that advancing to Divinity Transformation was not an easy feat.

To enter Divinity Transformation required comprehending the essence of heaven and earth, absorbing their forces for personal use.

This comprehension process was indispensable and could not be remedied solely through cultivation.

Even with the System Space allowing rapid cultivation, it wouldn't work.

Many cultivators with outstanding talent had been stuck at this stage, unable to advance for the rest of their lives.

Therefore, Lin Jing had already started preparing for his entry into Divinity Transformation at this time.

The reason he chose this place was also because of his sudden enlightenment during his last visit.

That epiphany left a strong impression on Lin Jing.

He realized that the key to his entry into Divinity Transformation lay right here in the Nanming Domain.

Of course, beyond that, Lin Jing knew no more.

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Soon, half a month had passed.

Lin Jing had lived in his former small courtyard for half a month.

Over this half month, he hadn't rushed to cultivate.

When he was free, he would carefully flip through the book of Cultivation Insights he had obtained before.

Of course.

Occasionally, Lin Jing would also start his cauldron to concoct some Elixir Medicine.

He had been a Fifth-Rank Pill Master for quite some time.

Since the proficiency required for a Fifth-Rank Pill Master was so high, and Lin Jing had not concocted many Fourth and Fifth Rank pills,

he had not been able to advance to the Sixth Rank.

But he was close.

After all, he had been accumulating experience for decades, and the Elixir Medicine he had concocted over the years was not insignificant.

These experiences combined were about to push Lin Jing to the Sixth Rank as an Alchemist.

Stepping into the Sixth Rank would require even more proficiency.

Lin Jing estimated that to advance further, he would need at least several hundred to a thousand years to reach the Seventh Grade.

There was no way around it, concocting Elixir Medicine only granted proficiency for pills one rank below the level of the Pill Master.

If the concocted Elixir Medicine ranked any lower, then no proficiency would be gained from their creation.

Higher-level pills were even harder to come by,

Accordingly, without access to materials, Lin Jing naturally could not perform alchemy nor gain proficiency from concocting, hence unable to advance in rank as an Alchemist.

Although slow, this was still much better than most people.

After all, not everyone had a proficiency panel for Alchemy.

For others to advance their alchemy level, talent, power, and luck were indispensable.

They would even need continuous practice and only then could they become higher-level Alchemists.

And there were many people who, just lacking a bit in talent or fortune, were stuck forever at a certain level, unable to advance their entire lives.

But Lin Jing didn't have to worry about that problem.



As long as he expanded his space and acquired more High-Grade Spiritual Plants to cultivate within the System Space, then he wouldn't worry about his alchemy ranking not increasing.

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That day.

Lin Jing was sitting in the courtyard, lying on a rocking chair, enjoying the warm sun of spring.

Ever since the dream incident, the scenes from his childhood he had experienced kept haunting his mind.

So, after arriving at this small courtyard, an idea struck Lin Jing, and he thought of the rocking chair from the past.

As a result,

Lin Jing made one with his own hands.

Lying on the rocking chair, basking in the warm spring sun, and savoring the Spiritual Tea that Li Qingqing had brought over, Lin Jing found great comfort.

However, just at that moment,

there came a knock on the door at the entrance of the courtyard.

Upon hearing the knock, Lin Jing immediately sat up.

Then he extended his Divine Sense to check.

As soon as Lin Jing's Divine Sense extended outward, he was immediately surprised.

Because the visitor was Ji Xiyue.

Accompanying Ji Xiyue by her side was Li Qingqing.

It seemed Ji Xiyue had gone to the Li Family looking for him.

Lin Jing hadn't seen Ji Xiyue since the two of them parted ways in Sea-Watch City more than half a month ago.

He knew that Ji Xiyue was supposed to be getting engaged to the number one talent of the Yuling Dao Sect, Mo Chengxuan.

Yet for over a month, there had been no news whatsoever.

Of course, it was possible that the two had already gotten engaged, and the news simply hadn't spread yet.

Lin Jing then got up, went to the door, and opened it.

The door opened, and Li Qingqing spoke first:

"Lin Jing, brother..."

"This Miss Ji from the Xingluo Elixir Sect said she's your friend and came looking for you, so I brought her over."

Lin Jing nodded and then said to Ji Xiyue:

"Ji Daoyou, how come you are here now?"

Ji Xiyue gave Lin Jing a white look before she said:

"Why?"

"My coming here isn't welcome?"

Lin Jing then said:

"Ji Daoyou, what are you talking about, of course, you're welcome..."

"I heard before that Ji Daoyou was betrothed to the number one talent of the Yuling Dao Sect, and considering the arrangement concerns both sects, it shouldn't have been concluded so quickly."

"And with Ji Daoyou suddenly showing up, naturally, I'm a bit curious."

As Lin Jing's words fell, Ji Xiyue looked at him suspiciously:

"You actually know about this?"

Lin Jing nodded and said:

"I've heard some things."

Ji Xiyue nodded her head and then continued:

"It's true that the Yuling Dao Sect approached the Xingluo Elixir Sect for a marriage proposal, but I refused."

Having said that, Ji Xiyue didn't wait for Lin Jing to respond and continued:

"Lin Daoyou, I'm here this time because I have a favor to ask of you."

Lin Jing nodded and then said:

"Let's go inside and talk then."

At this moment, Li Qingqing spoke up:

"Lin Jing, brother..."

"You go in and chat; I have some family affairs to deal with."

After listening, Lin Jing nodded.

"Alright..."

Suddenly.

Li Qingqing left.

And Lin Jing took Ji Xiyue to his own courtyard.

Once inside the courtyard, Ji Xiyue looked at the setup and couldn't help but express her admiration:

"Lin Daoyou..."

"You really know how to enjoy life."

"Lounging on a recliner, sipping on Spiritual Tea, such days are indeed enviable."

Lin Jing replied with a smile:

"Relaxing occasionally..."

"By the way..."

"What do you need from me?"

Ji Xiyue then said:

"Actually, this matter is still related to the marriage proposal from the Yuling Dao Sect."

"Oh?"

“Please go on,” said Lin Jing.

Ji Xiyue nodded.

Then, she took out two Spirit-Quelling Boxes from her Space Ring and handed them to Lin Jing.

Afterward, Ji Xiyue said:

“Previously, when we made a bet on Spirit Rock Island, I said I would give you two White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grasses.”

“Here they are...”

“Everything’s in here.”

Lin Jing was surprised and delighted, not expecting Ji Xiyue to actually bring the two White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grasses.

Lin Jing, without much ado, took the Spirit-Quelling Boxes and opened them, only to see two spirit grasses that were as white as jade lying inside.

This Spirit Grass had been harvested a while ago, yet the essence inside was perfectly preserved.

In addition to the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass, beside it were two seeds, as white as jade as well.

At this time, Ji Xiyue said:

“I heard from Yan Daoyou that you like to grow High-Grade Spiritual Plants yourself, so I went out of my way to get you two seeds of the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass, which are also in here.”

“However, the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass has very stringent environmental requirements and can only grow near a Cleansing Spirit Spring.”

“Even with these seeds, you probably won’t be able to grow them, so I’m letting you know in advance.”

Lin Jing nodded, unable to hide his excitement:

“I understand...”

Now having both the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass and its seeds,

he could refine Cleansing Spirit Elixirs to improve his and his companions' Spiritual Root qualities.

Then, Lin Jing, without any hesitation, put away the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass.

Afterward,

Lin Jing asked Ji Xiyue:

"Ji Daoyou, what do you need me to do for you?"

Ji Xiyue then said:

"It's about the matter we discussed before; I want you to help me repair that Alchemy book..."

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After hearing this, Lin Jing spoke directly:

"Repairing the pill book, we have discussed this matter before, and I will certainly do my best to help you repair it."

Ji Xiyue's pretty face blushed, seemingly slightly embarrassed, and then she said:

"This time, I might have to trouble you to make it as quick as possible."

"I am quite in a hurry this time."

Looking puzzled, Lin Jing turned to Ji Xiyue:

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"Ji Daoyou, have you encountered some special circumstances?"

Ji Xiyue nodded and then said:

"You have also heard about the marriage proposal from Yuling Dao Sect. I won't hide it from you."

"This time, Yuling Dao Sect has proposed to my Xingluo Elixir Sect, wanting an alliance through marriage, and many within our sect are supportive of it."

"Even the attitude of the Sect Master is ambiguous."

"I also know Mo Chengxuan. He has expressed his fondness for me before, but this man is too arrogant for my liking."

Lin Jing looked at Ji Xiyue and asked:

"So, you refused?"

Ji Xiyue nodded and said:

"Yes..."

"I refused."

After saying this, Ji Xiyue sighed in resignation and continued:

"However, for someone like me, born and raised in a sect, it is not easy to refuse such an arranged marriage."

"A suitable reason must be found."

"Otherwise, if I outright reject the proposal from Yuling Dao Sect and compromise the relationship between the two sects, causing damage to our sect, I will surely not escape punishment from the sect."

"So, I came up with a reason!"

"That is to wager on my talent, betting that I can advance to a Sixth Rank Pill Master within twelve years."

"In twelve years, there will be an Alchemy Conference in the Western Demon Region, and all the top Pill Masters of the region will participate."

"Only by advancing to a Sixth Rank Pill Master will I have a chance to place in the top three in the competition and show my value to the sect, thus freeing myself from this marriage alliance."

"I have been secluded in the sect recently just for this matter..."

Lin Jing, looking at Ji Xiyue, said:

"Twelve years to advance to a Sixth Rank Pill Master will not be easy."

"Also, is that pill book really so important? Are you sure that with that book, you can become a Sixth Rank Pill Master?"

Ji Xiyue nodded and said:

"I've been studying that pill book for at least a hundred years, and it has given me a great deal of inspiration, including my previous advancements, which are also related to that book."

"Plus, I have a hunch."

"To continue advancing, I can only rely on that pill book."

After listening, Lin Jing fell silent for a moment.

After the silence, Lin Jing nodded and said:

"I can try to help you repair that pill book, but you must understand that the book is only a part of it."

"To become a Sixth Rank Pill Master requires a lot more hard work."

Ji Xiyue nodded and responded:

"I am well aware of that."

"My father said he would support me."

"With my father around, there's no need to worry about alchemy ingredients."

"..."

Facing the wealthy Ji Xiyue, Lin Jing found himself at a loss for words.

"Alright..."

"I will repair your pill book as soon as possible."

Upon hearing this, Ji Xiyue quickly expressed her gratitude:

"Then I must thank you, Lin Daoyou."

"Lin Daoyou, if you help me repair the pill book, I naturally can't let you suffer a loss. May I know what you would like in return?"

Lin Jing looked at the earnest Ji Xiyue, thought for a moment, and then said:

"Ji Daoyou..."

"You are at the Nascent Soul Peak Stage of cultivation now; you must be preparing for the Divinity Transformation."

Ji Xiyue replied:

“It has only been a little over twenty years since I reached the Nascent Soul Peak Stage, which is not very long. To advance to Divinity Transformation stage, it will likely take decades or even a century.”

As soon as she finished speaking, Ji Xiyue hastily added to ensure Lin Jing understood:

“Advancing to Divinity Transformation involves understanding the ways of heaven and earth, and it cannot be rushed. Some may achieve it quickly, while others might spend their entire lives without succeeding.”

Having said this, she turned to Lin Jing and offered:

“Lin Daoyou...”

“If you wish to inquire about advancing to Divinity Transformation, I can share with you what I know.”

“Even, I can help you obtain insights from the predecessors in my Xingluo Elixir Sect who are near Divinity Transformation for your reference.”

“But since you have only recently advanced to the later stages of Nascent Soul, it’s better to focus on improving your cultivation to Nascent Soul Peak Stage before considering Divinity Transformation.”

“Being too hasty might affect you negatively, preventing you from achieving Divinity Transformation.”

“Advancing to Divinity Transformation cannot be rushed...”

After hearing this, Lin Jing nodded and said:

“Alright...”

“I understand.”

“Do you have that damaged pill book with you? I will take a look at it now.”

“I have it here.” Ji Xiyue said, taking out a Jade Slip from her Space Ring.

This Jade Slip was somewhat damaged, with several cracks crisscrossing its surface. Some parts even appeared stained with various colors, making it look like it had been dug up from underground.

After taking out the Jade Slip, Ji Xiyue said to Lin Jing:



“This Jade Slip, I stumbled upon in the sea not far from the Western Demon Region.”

“It is very likely that it washed up from some Secret Realm or a ruined site within the Demonic Monster Sea.”

“Most of the content in the Jade Slip is intact, but some key parts are missing. Lin Daoyou, you just need to find a way to fill in those damaged parts.”

“Let me take a look...”

As Lin Jing said this, he sent his Divine Sense into it and began to inspect the pill book.

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As Lin Jing's Divine Sense entered, the contents of the Jade Slip began to unfold in his mind.

Slowly, Lin Jing became completely immersed in it.

About half an hour later, Lin Jing finished looking through the pill book and then withdrew his Divine Sense from the Jade Slip.

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In the pill book contained within this jade slip, Lin Jing had also gained some understanding.

The alchemy techniques recorded in this pill book share some similarities with the Lin Family's alchemy path, but there still exists a gap.

Although some key parts had already been lost, Lin Jing could still make out that these alchemy techniques likely had some connection to the ancient alchemy arts.

It was very possible that these were techniques recorded by a descendant of a family from the ancient alchemy path.

Even though these alchemy techniques were incomplete, they were not beyond repair.

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Lin Jing was fully confident that he could restore them.

After looking over it, Ji Xiyue approached with hopeful eyes and asked Lin Jing,

“Lin Daoyou, what do you think?”

“Can this pill book be repaired?”

Lin Jing nodded and said,

“It may be a bit troublesome, but there is no problem in repairing it.”

Ji Xiyue immediately became joyful,

“Then I will have to trouble Lin Daoyou...”

Lin Jing waved his hand and said,

“No need for politeness.”

“I will keep this jade slip with me for the time being, and once I have repaired it, I will return it to you.”

Ji Xiyue promptly responded,

“No problem.”

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In the following period, Lin Jing’s tranquil life once again became busy.

On normal days, Lin Jing was either helping Ji Xiyue to repair the pill book or occasionally concocting some elixir medicines himself.

During this period, Ji Xiyue often visited Lin Jing.

Sometimes, the two of them would discuss the alchemy techniques.

Other times, Lin Jing would ask Ji Xiyue about the matters of advancing to Divinity Transformation.

Although Ji Xiyue had once warned Lin Jing not to aim too high too soon, she still answered all of his inquiries.

Through Ji Xiyue, Lin Jing learned...

that to advance to Divinity Transformation, every cultivator must go through this stage of enlightenment.

This enlightenment generally starts when one enters the Nascent Soul Peak Stage.

Yet, Lin Jing was somewhat different.

He was currently only in the latter stage of Nascent Soul, but had already experienced an epiphany once before, entering a period of enlightenment.

Which means, Lin Jing's enlightenment had begun since that epiphany.

Ordinary cultivators typically spend at least a hundred years in this state of enlightenment.

They remain at Nascent Soul Peak for a hundred years, then successfully comprehend the power of heaven and earth and ascend to Divinity Transformation.

This, even for those with impressive talents.

Of course, there are also those with duller talents who, after several hundred years of comprehension, still fail to fully understand and thus remain at the Nascent Soul Peak.

There are those with keen talents, naturally, and they usually comprehend much faster than others, with the especially swift possibly needing only a decade or two to fully comprehend.

Beyond those mentioned, some individuals achieve enlightenment in a single moment and directly transform into divinity.

Once such people appear, they become legends, usually accompanied by great fortunes and not to be compared with ordinary folks.

This enlightenment, depending on each individual's life experiences and chosen methods, naturally differs.

Lin Jing had inquired about it, and Ji Xiyue had told him some of the methods used by the Divine Transformation Cultivators from the Xingluo Elixir Sect in the past.

Some, upon reaching this step,

would temporarily leave the sect or their family, immersing themselves in the natural world and seeking understanding of heaven and earth.

Others would cease their cultivation, devoting themselves to a certain passion, researching it with zeal and intoxication and using it as a medium to comprehend the power of heaven and earth.

Yet others self-impose a seal, turn into a commoner among mortals, integrate with the world, and cultivate the Dao in the mundane.

In short, there are various methods.

After reaching Nascent Soul Peak Stage, the significance of cultivation diminishes greatly.

If one cannot comprehend the power of heaven and earth, they will be stuck at the latter stage of Nascent Soul for life.

Moreover, Ji Xiyue's father, the Grand Elder of the Xingluo Elixir Sect who was at the Body Consolidation phase, had also said,

after entering Nascent Soul Peak Stage, one should no longer prioritize increasing one's cultivation level.

Because by that time, even without active cultivation, one's cultivation level would slowly and automatically increase.

If at this stage one continues to meditate to enhance their cultivation level, not only would it not be very effective, but it might even interfere with their own enlightenment.

After Ji Xiyue's explanation, Lin Jing had gained some understanding of advancing to Divinity Transformation.

However, regarding that enlightenment,

Lin Jing still fell far short, still somewhat clueless about it.

And Ji Xiyue, having reached Nascent Soul Peak only over twenty years ago, also had a vague understanding and could not fully answer Lin Jing's question.

Hence, Lin Jing did not inquire further.

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Time rushed by in a flash.

Before they knew it, a year had passed.

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Within that year, Ji Xiyue often came to Lin Jing's place.

The two frequently discussed the Alchemy Dao and affirmed each other's cultivation insights; their relationship, without them realizing, had grown much closer.

A year had passed, and Lin Jing finally restored Ji Xiyue's pill scripture.

When Ji Xiyue got the pill scripture back, she was extremely excited.

After all, her previous wager was for a mere twelve years.

During the year of restoring the pill scripture, although she often discussed the Alchemy Techniques with Lin Jing, which greatly enhanced her own understanding of the Alchemy Dao,

without the pill scripture, she still felt somewhat uncertain.

After receiving the pill scripture, Ji Xiyue couldn't wait to start checking it.

After checking it, Ji Xiyue was even more elated.

She couldn't control herself and rushed over to hug Lin Jing in excitement.

"This is wonderful."

"Lin Daoyou, I really can't thank you enough."

Ji Xiyue, hugging Lin Jing, said excitedly.

Lin Jing, caught off guard by the sudden embrace, was at first unresponsive.

After he collected himself, Lin Jing coughed lightly.

"Ahem..."

"Ji Daoyou..."

Ji Xiyue then came to her senses, quickly let go, and stepped back.

Ji Xiyue's face was slightly red, and it took a while before she regained her composure.

Then,

Ji Xiyue looked at Lin Jing and said:

"Lin Daoyou..."

"I'm going to return to the Western Demon Region now."

"There are eleven years left before the alchemy conference begins, and I need to advance to become a sixth-grade Alchemist within these eleven years."

"I estimate that for the next few years, I will need to stay in the Sect continuously, so I won't have the time to come here again."

Lin Jing nodded and then spoke:

"Your advancement to sixth-grade Alchemist requires a large amount of high-grade spiritual plants, which only your Sect can provide."

"Go ahead..."

"I hope that the next time we meet, you will have achieved your aspiration and become a sixth-grade Alchemist."

Ji Xiyue smiled broadly:

"Thank you!"

After saying this, Ji Xiyue took out a jade slip from her space ring and handed it to Lin Jing.

"Inside, are the cultivation insights about advancing to Divinity Transformation, from the elders of our Xingluo Elixir Sect before achieving Divinity Transformation."

"I'm giving it to you now."

"These cultivation insights will be of great help to you as you advance to Divinity Transformation, and you may refer to them."

Lin Jing looked at the cultivation insights and was astonished.

"This..."

"These insights are invaluable, gifting them to me like this seems inappropriate, no?"

A Sect's rise requires a solid foundation.

Besides the resources for cultivation techniques, these insights left by Sect predecessors are indispensable.

They can also be considered part of a Sect's foundational heritage.

With these insights, younger disciples can save a lot of detours.

And Ji Xiyue had given all of these to Lin Jing.

How could this not shock Lin Jing?

Moreover, these things are usually not allowed to be disseminated, and if discovered, Ji Xiyue could face punishment.

Ji Xiyue then spoke up:

“I am well aware of this.”

“What I gave you is merely what I compiled based on my understanding after studying it, which differs somewhat from what is preserved in the Sect”

“So it doesn’t go against the Sect’s rules.”

“Besides...”

“I’ve placed a restriction on that jade slip, so once you’ve looked it over, it will self-destruct, leaving no chance of it being passed on.”

“This way...”

“Even if the Sect finds out, they won’t say anything.”

Lin Jing looked at Ji Xiyue, asking doubtfully:

“Are you sure this won’t be a problem?”

Ji Xiyue, smiling, said:

“Of course...”

“Lin Daoyou, just relax.”

“Just remember not to rush it for now, wait until you’ve reached the Nascent Soul Peak Stage, and then try to comprehend the heavens and earth to ascend to Divinity Transformation...”

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Ji Xiyue left and returned to the Western Demon Region.

After Ji Xiyue’s departure, Lin Jing’s life once again resumed its former routine.

Aside from staying in the small courtyard, he spent his time alchemy.

Of course, Lin Jing would occasionally go out for a stroll.

Places like Yuebaolou and several markets near Nanshan Immortal City were among Lin Jing's casual destinations.

As for the advancement of his cultivation, he was not in a rush.

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Sometimes, with nothing pressing at night, Lin Jing would enter the System Space and take out the Great Dream Ancient Mirror he had obtained from the Moon Demon Sect Leader to meticulously study and try to refine it.

However, the Great Dream Ancient Mirror was a magical treasure of the Dao level, and with Lin Jing's current cultivation, it was not easy to refine. It was estimated that it would take at least several decades.

After all, he was not the Moon Demon Sect Leader and lacked those special methods that would enable him to control the Great Dream Ancient Mirror prematurely.

But now in Nanshan Immortal City, where he was not going out or engaging in fights, there was no urgency to refine the Great Dream Ancient Mirror.

And so, another year went by.

In that year, although Lin Jing spent most of his time attempting to perceive the power of heaven and earth,

his insights sadly remained largely unchanged.

However,

Lin Jing's cultivation was steadily increasing.

Even without much dedicated practice, Lin Jing still made another breakthrough and advanced to the eighth level of Nascent Soul.

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This day,

Lin Jing was sitting in the shop in front of the courtyard, staring blankly outside, his thoughts drifting somewhere far away.



The shop in front of the courtyard had been there since the street was rebuilt.

Li Qingqing had renovated the residence inside, but the shop front was preserved.

Previously, Lin Jing had left the shop unused, not wishing to make a public appearance or operate it in any fashion.

It was not until Ji Xiyue left that Lin Jing's cultivation seemed to hit a bottleneck, showing no signs of progress.

With time on his hands, Lin Jing then spruced up the shop and opened an Elixir Pavilion that specialized in high-grade elixir medicines.

Typically,

Lin Jing would sit inside the shop, playing the role of a leisurely shopkeeper.

Although Lin Jing had opened the Elixir Pavilion, due to the low foot traffic on this street and his lack of interest in the business, it did not do particularly well.

But these matters were of little concern to Lin Jing.

Because he hadn't opened the Elixir Pavilion to make it flourish; it was simply another way for him to pursue enlightenment and seek a breakthrough.

As Lin Jing was lost in thought, a person walked in from outside.

Upon entering, the man approached Lin Jing and gave a cupped fist salute:

"Master..."

This voice instantly pulled Lin Jing back to reality.

After a moment of bemusement, Lin Jing looked at the visitor.

The newcomer was none other than Ye Yun.

"Master, I've returned," Ye Yun spoke again.

Then, Ye Yun took out a Storage Bag from his person and handed it over to Lin Jing.

"These are the Fourth and Fifth-Rank spirit plants you asked me to acquire; they are all here."

Ye Yun and Lin Jue had spent nearly a year in the Nanming Domain before returning to Li Yan Island a year ago.

Before they left, Lin Jing had given Ye Yun an assignment to gather some Fourth and Fifth-Rank High-Grade Spiritual Plants.

Ye Yun continued,

“This acquisition took me beyond the Demonic Monster Sea; I even made a trip to the Western Demon Region.”

“I’ve used up all the fifteen million Medium Grade Spirit Stones you gave me on this venture.”

Lin Jing reached out, took the Storage Bag, and surveyed it with his Divine Sense. After inspecting, he stored it away and spoke:

“Hmm, you’ve done well.”

Then, Lin Jing looked at Ye Yun and asked,

“How are things now in the Thousand Islands Domain?”

Ye Yun replied,

“The Thousand Islands Domain remains as it was, with the three Island Masters still seeking Li Mingwu, who has yet to appear.”

“What about our Flame Island, how has it been doing recently?” Lin Jing inquired further.

“Flame Island is much the same; Yue Qi has been managing things, with Lin Jue occasionally lending a hand.”

As Ye Yun spoke, his tone suddenly shifted,

“Oh, Master...”

“Zhang Jian should be nearing his tribulation soon.”

“You promised him a Nirvana Elixir for his advancement, didn’t you...”

“I had it prepared for him long ago,” Lin Jing replied.

“I thought he needed more time before his tribulation to ascend to Nascent Soul, but it turns out he’s ready much sooner than I expected.”

Then, Lin Jing took out a Pure Jade Box and several small jade bottles from his Space Ring and handed them to Ye Yun.

“Hand these elixir medicines over to him once you get back,”

“And ask him when exactly he will face his tribulation. I’ll go back then to act as his protector.”

Ye Yun accepted the elixir medicines and stowed them away, then gave a cupped fist salute to Lin Jing,

“Yes, Master...”

Lin Jing nodded, then spoke,

“For the next few days, don’t return just yet; go to the Li Family and help your sister Qingqing with some tasks.”

“Once you’re done with the Li Family’s business, you can come back here. I need to concoct some elixir medicines; you’ll bring them back to Flame Island.”

Ye Yun nodded,

“Understood, Master...”

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Afterward, Lin Jing and Ye Yun exchanged a few more pleasantries. Then Ye Yun took his leave to go to the Li Family.

Following Ye Yun’s departure, Lin Jing closed the shop and returned to the small courtyard.

Given the seclusion of his shop and the lack of visitors, and with tasks awaiting him, it made sense for Lin Jing to shut the shop outright.

Chapter 589: Chapter 246 Promotion to Sixth Grade Alchemist\_2 Chapter 589: Chapter 246 Promotion to Sixth Grade Alchemist\_2 After closing the shop and returning to the small courtyard, Lin Jing did not delay and directly entered the System Space.

Ye Yun had purchased the Spirit Plants, so Lin Jing was going to start Alchemy.

After entering the System Space, Lin Jing immediately called out to the system:

“System!”

“Open the system panel.”

As Lin Jing’s voice fell, a system panel appeared in front of him.

Lin Jing glanced at it and directly pointed to his name in the host column, then Lin Jing's own panel popped up:

Lin Jing (77/1000)

Spiritual Root: Five Elements Spiritual Root (Medium Grade)

Cultivation: Nascent Soul Eighth Layer (5%)

Cultivation Technique: Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique, Five Elements Divine Art, Ling Yin Imperial Sword Technique, Controlling Fire Technique, Divine Fire Triple Realm, Lin's Alchemy Dao, Overlord Divine Physique, Changyun Hidden Technique.

Sub-Occupation: Fifth Grade Alchemist (99552/100000)

Looking at the age above, Lin Jing could not help but feel a bit reflective...

Unknowingly, he had already been in this world for over fifty years.

Now, Lin Jing had reached the 'advanced age' of seventy-seven, which could be considered as an elderly age.

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Of course, that is according to the calculation method on Planet Blue.

With Lin Jing's current realm at the Nascent Soul Stage, his lifespan was a thousand years, more than ten times that of his previous life on Planet Blue, so his current age wasn't considered very old.

When he had just transmigrated, Lin Jing was only a Qi Refinement first layer Junior Cultivator; now, more than fifty years had passed,

Lin Jing had advanced step by step, becoming a Nascent Soul Eighth Layer Nascent Soul True Monarch, one of the top existences in the entire Nanming Domain.

This speed could not be called slow.

Keep in mind, for ordinary cultivators, reaching the Nascent Soul Stage in three to four hundred years would be considered fast.

Even for a genius like Ji Xiyue, it took nearly two hundred years, and this was with an endless supply of Sect resources to cultivate her that fast.

Yet Lin Jing had reached Nascent Soul Eighth Layer in just over fifty years, unimaginable.

Of course, the System Space had played an indispensable role in Lin Jing's rapid advancement.

After all, not only was the Spiritual Energy rich in the System Space, but it also benefited from the multiple time speed flow boosts.

Additionally, the System Space's Alchemy Room allowed Lin Jing to produce countless Flawless Elixir Medicines.

This enabled Lin Jing to disregard elixir poisoning, continuously consume Elixir Medicines, and increase his Cultivation.

This was what allowed Lin Jing to rapidly reach the Nascent Soul Eighth Layer in such a short period.

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After reflecting, Lin Jing continued looking down, and at the bottom of the system panel was the Alchemy Proficiency.

Lin Jing's Alchemy Proficiency was almost full, and as soon as it was, Lin Jing could be promoted to a Sixth Grade Alchemist.

Lin Jing had Ye Yun purchase High-Grade Spiritual Plants to refine Elixir Medicines, gain proficiency, and be promoted to Sixth Grade Alchemist.

Once promoted to a Sixth Grade Alchemist, Lin Jing would start the production of the Cleansing Spirit Elixir.

Ever since he obtained the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass from Ji Xiyue, Lin Jing had been contemplating how to refine this Cleansing Spirit Elixir.

Lin Jing had once taken the Cleansing Spirit Liquid and used it to improve his aptitude once.

This time, to elevate further, an ordinary Cleansing Spirit Elixir probably would not be effective.

At least a Flawless grade Cleansing Spirit Elixir would be necessary to have a chance at improvement.

This was what Ji Xiyue had told him when they previously discussed the Cleansing Spirit Elixir.

It was then that Lin Jing had learned about this.

Therefore,

Lin Jing wanted to further elevate his aptitude, and at the very least, he needed to refine a Flawless grade Cleansing Spirit Elixir.

And the refinement of the Cleansing Spirit Elixir was much more difficult than other Elixir Medicines.

Currently, Lin Jing only had two White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grasses, and with them, he could refine two furnaces of Cleansing Spirit Elixir.

If luck was on his side, he could refine Flawless or Supreme grade Cleansing Spirit Elixir and let himself and those close to him use it.

But if luck was not on his side, that would be another story.

Thus, Lin Jing decided to advance to a Sixth Grade Alchemist first before starting the refinement of the Cleansing Spirit Elixir.

Even though,

Ji Xiyue had once given Lin Jing two seeds of the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass.

But that seed, now simply cannot be planted.

After obtaining the seed, Lin Jing had already tested it; the Cleansing Spirit Liquid in the Cleansing Spirit Pool of his System Space was just too little, nowhere near enough to support the growth of the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass.

If he wanted it to grow, he would need at least several hundred thousand Harvest Points to stimulate the Cleansing Spirit Pool to produce more Cleansing Spirit Liquid, forming a small Cleansing Spirit Spring, then he could plant the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass.

With hundreds of thousands of Harvest Points, Lin Jing was far from sufficient, he could only count on those two White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grasses.

After checking, Lin Jing closed the system panel and went to the Alchemy Room in the System Space.

Entering the Alchemy Room, Lin Jing directly went to the center of the room.

Then...

Lin Jing swiped over the Space Ring, took out the Cloud Pattern Purple Gold Furnace from within, and after the Cloud Pattern Purple Gold Furnace appeared, it directly enlarged and landed in the center of the Alchemy Room.

After setting down the Cloud Pattern Purple Gold Furnace, Lin Jing took out the Storage Bag that Ye Yun had given him just now.

Opening the Storage Bag, Lin Jing plunged his Divine Sense into it once again.

Inside the Storage Bag, various kinds of Spirit Plants were vividly colorful, each placed separately.

Lin Jing's Divine Sense swept over them and roughly estimated there to be about three to four hundred plants.

Fifteen million Midium Grade Spirit Stones could only buy so many Spirit Plants.

So many Spirit Plants could support Lin Jing in refining about twenty to thirty batches of Elixir Medicine.

It couldn't be helped, all these were high-grade Spirit Plants of the Fourth Rank and above.

The price of Fourth Rank Spirit Plants was not cheap per plant.

Moreover, there were some even more expensive Fifth-Rank Spirit Plants inside.

Being able to buy so many was already rather good.

Although they could only refine twenty to thirty batches.

But these Spirit Plants were sufficient for Lin Jing to promote his Alchemy to the Sixth Grade.

Following that.

Lin Jing took out all the Spirit Plants from the Storage Bag and then began sorting them into piles according to the Elixir Medicine that needed to be refined...

Before long, those Spirit Plants were all sorted by Lin Jing.

After sorting them, Lin Jing left a portion of the materials for refining the Qingling Pill and then stored the other Spirit Plants again.

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Having completed all these, Lin Jing immediately took that portion of materials and started the initial refinement process.

This first time of refining started from this batch of Qingling Pills.

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In the subsequent period, Lin Jing spent every day engaged in Alchemy.

Until after seven days, while he was sitting cross-legged in the Alchemy Room, intently staring at the Pill Furnace and carefully practicing Alchemy, Lin Jing finally heard a system notification:

“Ding!”

“System notification: Congratulations to the host for refining the Flawless Elixir Medicine, reward: 50 Harvest Points.”

“Elixir Medicine successfully refined, Alchemy Proficiency +70.”

“System notification: Proficiency has reached full level, Alchemy automatically upgraded.”

“Congratulations to the host for becoming a Sixth Grade Alchemist, reward: 600 Harvest Points.”

A series of system notifications popped up, greatly relaxing Lin Jing’s originally tense mood.

After several days of non-stop refinement, Lin Jing had finally elevated his Alchemist rank to the Sixth Grade.

Following that.

Once the Elixir Medicine was completely formed, Lin Jing came to the side of the Pill Furnace, while also taking out the previously prepared Pure Jade Box to collect the refined Elixir Medicine.

During these days of Alchemy, Lin Jing had consistently good luck, consecutively refining several Flawless Elixir Medicines.

After collecting the Elixir Medicine, Lin Jing opened the system panel again.

The very bottom of the panel, the Sub-Occupation section, prominently displayed:

Sub-Occupation: Sixth Grade Alchemist (30/200000)



After being upgraded to a Sixth Grade Alchemist, the required Harvest Points had doubled again.

Now that Lin Jing was a Sixth Grade Alchemist, refining any Elixir Medicines below the Fifth Rank would no longer yield any proficiency.

The next upgrade would probably be even more difficult.

It seemed that in the future, he would have to rely more on the Spirit Fields inside the System Space.

Only by gaining more Harvest Points, expanding the Spirit Fields more, and planting more high-grade Spirit Plants could he gain proficiency faster and increase his Alchemist rank.

Otherwise, relying solely on purchasing high-grade Spirit Plants, the prospect of advancement might indeed be distant.

After storing the Elixir Medicine, Lin Jing then once again sat cross-legged, starting to recover.

The refinement of the Cleansing Spirit Elixir wasn't easy, and to avoid any mishaps, Lin Jing had to first recover to his best condition before he could begin refining...

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Within the System Space, several hours had passed before Lin Jing finally recovered.

Next...

he would be preparing to refine the Cleansing Spirit Elixir.

The recovered Lin Jing opened his eyes, then stood up and walked out of the Alchemy Room.

Before refining the Cleansing Spirit Elixir, Lin Jing still needed to prepare the most important thing, which was the Cleansing Spirit Liquid.

Exiting the Alchemy Room and arriving at the outdoor Spirit Field, Lin Jing made his way directly to the third Spirit Field, the Cleansing Spirit Cave.

Entering the Cleansing Spirit Cave, Lin Jing headed straight to the side of the Cleansing Spirit Pool in the middle of the cave, a pool that had been in his System Space for decades.

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However, since it naturally produced only one drop of Cleansing Spirit Liquid each year, the Cleansing Spirit Pool did not contain much of it.

Altogether, it wasn't even half a bowl's worth.

But even this was far more than what had been in the Cleansing Spirit Pool in the Demon Race Secret Realm.

Nonetheless,

the Cleansing Spirit Pool in the Secret Realm of the Demon Clan had existed for a very long time, and surely there was more than that small amount at the beginning.

Lin Jing guessed that when it was first discovered, there must have been quite a bit, probably taken away by people from the three major Sects and preserved, hence why there was only about a teacup's worth left by the time Lin Jing entered.

Approaching the Cleansing Spirit Pool, Lin Jing took out the prepared Spirit Storing Bead.

Following that,

Lin Jing activated his Spiritual Power and manipulated the Spirit Storing Bead, guiding it into the Cleansing Spirit Pool.

Lin Jing placed the Spirit Storing Bead on the surface of the Cleansing Spirit Liquid and then used his Spiritual Power to control the bead and suck the liquid into it.

As soon as the Cleansing Spirit Liquid was absorbed, Lin Jing immediately sealed the Spirit Storing Bead to prevent evaporation of the liquid.

Having sealed the Spirit Storing Bead, Lin Jing controlled it to fly back.

After completing all this, Lin Jing did not linger any longer and returned to the Alchemy Room.

Upon his return,

Lin Jing took out the other Spirit Plants that had already been prepared for the refinement of the Cleansing Spirit Elixir from his Space Ring.

Then he began the preliminary processing and refinement.

Having refined a Cleansing Spirit Elixir before and gained experience, this second time was much easier.

Even the preliminary refinement of the Spirit Plants was quicker than before.

It didn't take long this time, and all the Spirit Plants were completely refined by Lin Jing.

With the materials refined, the next step was to start the actual refinement process.

Lin Jing first set the processed materials aside and then approached the Cloud Pattern Purple Gold Furnace.

Next,

Lin Jing ignited the Divine Fire Triple Realm, and the purple flames surged up instantly.

He then controlled the purple flames at the bottom of the furnace and began to heat it up...

After a while, as the Pill Furnace changed, it was time to start adding the ingredients.

Subsequently,

Lin Jing added the processed Spirit Plants one by one, in order, into the furnace.

Once all the materials were in, Lin Jing sealed the furnace and then sat cross-legged and sent his Divine Sense inside the Pill Furnace.

At the same time, he operated the Divine Fire Triple Realm and began the refining process.

The first step in refining the Cleansing Spirit Elixir was to refine all of these materials into a Medicinal Liquid, and then to add the most crucial White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass for the second step and continue the refinement...

During the refinement process, Lin Jing was extremely cautious and did not dare to relax in the slightest.

And so, more than three hours passed...

All the previously added Spirit Plants were refined into a dark Medicinal Liquid.

Seeing that the Medicinal Liquid had formed, Lin Jing then stood up, opened a small gap in the Pill Furnace, and added both the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass and the Spirit Storing Bead filled with the Cleansing Spirit Liquid into the furnace.

After the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass was added, Lin Jing resealed the furnace and continued with the second step of refinement.

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Inside the Pill Furnace, the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass did not last long before it dissolved into a Medicinal Liquid as clear as white jade.

It did not mix with the dark Medicinal Liquid, and both liquids kept revolving around the central Spirit Storing Bead inside the furnace...

At this point, it was the last step of the Cleansing Spirit Elixir's refinement, which was to open the Spirit Storing Bead and allow the Cleansing Spirit Liquid to flow out and merge with the two Medicinal Liquids.

Once the two Medicinal Liquids merged, the Cleansing Spirit Elixir would be considered successfully refined.

Following that, Lin Jing carefully began to slowly open the Spirit Storing Bead.

As it opened, the Cleansing Spirit Liquid inside immediately started to evaporate.

However, this evaporating Cleansing Spirit Liquid was quickly absorbed by the surrounding Medicinal Liquids.

After absorbing both Medicinal Liquids, they immediately began to change, drawing closer together until they finally merged into one.

As the Medicinal Liquid merged, a distinct Elixir Fragrance immediately emanated from it, seeping through the Pill Furnace.

The Elixir Fragrance wafted out, and at that moment, the batch of Cleansing Spirit Elixir was essentially complete.

However, Lin Jing could not afford to relax.

After all, he needed a high-quality result and could not afford carelessness.

If his negligence led to a decline in the quality of this batch of Cleansing Spirit Elixir, it would not be good.

Lin Jing then gathered up his Spiritual Power, making the flames at the base of the furnace more vigorous.

He proceeded to the final Solidifying Pill step...

As time ticked away...

The Medicinal Liquid in the Pill Furnace became more and more solid, and the Elixir Fragrance became richer.

Finally,

a System prompt arrived:

“Elixir Medicine refinement successful, Alchemy Proficiency +55.”

There was no notification for refining Flawless Elixir Medicine, indicating this batch did not produce any Flawless Elixir.

Lin Jing then extinguished the flame, waited for a moment, and stood up to open the Pill Furnace.

As the Pill Furnace opened, the rich Elixir Fragrance immediately hit the nose.

This Elixir Fragrance was exceedingly potent.

Even though no Flawless Elixir Medicine was produced, the quality of the Elixir Medicine inside would not be too low.