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

## #Chapter 641 - Read Immortality Cultivation: I Farm in the System Space Chapter 641

Chapter 641: Chapter 272 Huang Qingling Disappeared Chapter 641: Chapter 272 Huang Qingling Disappeared Lin Jing gazed at Qinghuang Peak and paused for a moment.

Then he directly changed direction and flew toward Qinghuang Peak.

Seventy years had passed since he last left, and Lin Jing had grown from a Foundation Establishment Cultivator at the time of his departure to a Divine Transformation Cultivator now.

He wondered how the few people on Qinghuang Peak were doing after so many years.

Lin Jing wanted to go up and take a look...

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Before long, Lin Jing arrived at the foot of Qinghuang Peak.

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Standing at the base of the mountain and looking upward, Qinghuang Peak stood toweringly tall.

From Lin Jing's position below, it was as if he were an ant facing a towering tree.

Moreover, there were many formations and prohibitions on Qinghuang Peak, their purpose being to prevent anyone from reaching the summit.

When the Demon Race Secret Realm first opened, the ancestors of the three major sects had tried to reach the top.

Despite resorting to all sorts of methods at that time, they only managed to climb a kilometer in height.

They didn't even come close to reaching halfway up the mountain.

Lin Jing's current cultivation was not even comparable to theirs, so his chances of climbing up were probably even less than theirs.

But since he had come, he had to give it a try.

After that, Lin Jing hesitated no more and began to make his move.

The formations at the foot of the mountain were all of the lowest level.

Lin Jing could completely disregard them and forcefully break through them without suffering any harm.

However, Lin Jing didn't go straight ahead but instead turned to the other side of the mountain base.

This other side, thanks to the previous efforts of the ancestors from the three major sects, had a pathway paved, making it completely unobstructed to ascend from there.

Using this pre-established path to climb the mountain, Lin Jing naturally would not go through the trouble of carving out a new path.

Stepping onto that path, Lin Jing ascended all the way up, encountering no obstacles in the middle.

In doing so, he climbed a kilometer up to the end of this path.

Beyond that point was a forest, and within that forest floated countless formation patterns.

The sudden appearance of these formation patterns looked out of place against the forest.

Lin Jing took one look and knew what was going on.

This entire Qinghuang Peak was protected by many formations.

Some formations were visible in plain sight, and others had their traces concealed.

If one did not step into them, one might not even be able to detect them at all.

Clearly, the forest in front of him was one such formation.

However, this formation had already been half-solved by the three major sects, and its concealment feature had lost its effect.

Hence, the situation presented as it was now.

Upon seeing the forest, Lin Jing did not rush forward but extended his Divine Sense to scout it first.

After a while of scouting, Lin Jing didn't find anything else, so he directly gathered a ball of Five Elements Power and attacked the formation within.

This ball of Five Elements Power radiated colorful glows and swiftly advanced towards the forest ahead.

Right after it entered the forest, an intensely hot aura suddenly exploded from within.

A burst of flames fiercely appeared out of the forest and raced towards Lin Jing.

The temperature of this flame was extremely high, and even from a distance, Lin Jing already felt the searing heat.

Fortunately, the speed of the fire was relatively slow compared to Lin Jing.

At the moment the flames approached, Lin Jing had already dodged.

But just then, an unexpected change occurred...

The flame, which Lin Jing had initially dodged, suddenly changed direction and continued to chase after Lin Jing.

At the same time, another hot aura emerged from between Lin Jing's eyebrows.

And then...

A phantom image of the Divine Phoenix emerged from between Lin Jing's eyebrows and shot out.

The flame, seemingly like a long-lost child reunited with its mother, rushed toward Lin Jing with even greater speed.

No...

It was actually rushing towards the phantom of the Divine Phoenix that had appeared from Lin Jing's forehead.

Seeing this, Lin Jing no longer tried to avoid it.

Following that.

The flame arrived and collided with the Divine Phoenix phantom.

The phantom then directly engulfed the flame.

After swallowing the flames, the Divine Phoenix phantom immediately solidified, and then it seemed to be reborn from the ashes, its eyes filled with fiery flames.

It then looked towards the summit and, with a flap of its wings, flew straight towards the top of Qinghuang Peak.

Where the Divine Phoenix passed, it left behind a corridor, and the formations on either side of the corridor directly lost their effectiveness.

Seeing this, Lin Jing quickly followed after the Divine Phoenix phantom, charging towards the summit of Qinghuang Peak...

With no formations to block him, the ascent to the top was actually very fast.

In less than a quarter of an hour, Lin Jing had already arrived at the top of the peak.

At that moment, the Divine Phoenix phantom, as if it had exhausted all its energy, returned to being a phantom state and merged back into Lin Jing's forehead.

This Divine Phoenix phantom was exactly the one sent by Huang Qingling.

It had been a long time since it had last appeared, leading Lin Jing to think it might have run out of energy and dissipated.

Yet unexpectedly, it had reappeared this time.

After coming up, Lin Jing looked at the familiar Qinghuang Palace in front of him with some emotion.

After so many years of absence, he had returned to this place once again.

Then, Lin Jing stepped inside.

Entering Qinghuang Palace, Lin Jing immediately headed toward the largest hall in the center of the palace.

Whether it was Huang Qingling herself, Elder Bai, Elder Yu, or Zhang Yuan, all three were inside that hall.

Lin Jing walked quickly towards it, and it was only in front of the hall that he realized something was amiss.

The doors of the hall were wide open.

Yet despite the wide-open doors, there was no sign of life emanating from within.

Lin Jing hurriedly quickened his pace and walked into the hall.

However, to his surprise, he found that not a single person was inside the hall.

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Huang Qingling...

Elder Yu, Elder Bai, and Zhang Yuan, all three of them, had disappeared.

Inside the great hall, everything else remained the same, but the shield that had originally protected Huang Qingling's true body in the middle of the hall had also vanished.

It only left behind the empty jade platform in the center.

Lin Kai hurried forward, arrived at the jade platform in the center of the grand hall, and inspected it.

Perhaps due to the influence of Qinghuang Palace, there were no traces or dust on the jade platform.

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Lin Jing circled the platform, inspecting it, but found nothing.

Then, he stepped down from it.

He went to the side of the stone platforms where Elder Yu, Elder Bai, and Zhang Yuan had previously been placed.

At that moment, these stone platforms were also completely empty.

But after Lin Jing conducted an inspection, he found traces on the stone platform suggesting someone had lain there.

"Could it be that they have already left?"

Lin Jing couldn't help but think to himself.

No one could climb up to this Qinghuang Peak, not even the Howling Sky Wolf Clan.

And now, having suddenly disappeared, it was very likely that Huang Qingling had awakened and taken them away.

Otherwise, it wouldn't be possible.

Of course, these were just Lin Jing's own speculations and he didn't know the actual situation.

After another round inside the grand hall, Lin Jing found nothing and subsequently left the hall.

After leaving the grand hall, Lin Jing continued exploring the entirety of Qinghuang Palace.

But he still didn't find anything.

Ultimately, he returned to the teleportation array he had used to leave before.

The teleportation array was the same as it always had been.

It just hadn't been activated in a long time.

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Huang Qingling had disappeared, along with Elder Bai, Elder Yu, and Zhang Yuan.

They disappeared without leaving any message.

Lin Jing felt somewhat bewildered for a moment.

If it weren't for the fact that there were no signs of anyone coming to the Qinghuang Palace,

Lin Jing might have even suspected that they had all been abducted by members of the Demon Clan.

But Lin Jing knew that was impossible.

It was simply not possible for anyone to climb up Qinghuang Peak.

Earlier, Lin Jing had made a round below and even saw the formation; the highest-level formation that had been deciphered covered less than half of Qinghuang Peak.

Of course...

Unless someone could find a way up, similar to how Lin Jing had,

but obviously that was impossible...

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Lin Jing went back to the grand hall, lingered there for a while, and then left.

Upon leaving, Lin Jing felt somewhat empty inside.

Perhaps it was because he was in Qinghuang Palace, and the Divine Phoenix Mark between his eyebrows was very active.

As Lin Jing prepared to leave, the Divine Phoenix silhouette reappeared and then led the way in front of him, guiding Lin Jing out of Qinghuang Palace.

Descending from Qinghuang Peak, Lin Jing returned to where he had been before climbing the mountain.

The Divine Phoenix silhouette then merged back into Lin Jing's forehead and disappeared after he descended the mountain.

With the Divine Phoenix silhouette merging back into Lin Jing's forehead, the path leading to Shenhuang Peak was also concealed, once again covered by the formation.

Lin Jing stood at the foot of the mountain, looking up toward the peak.

After staring for a moment, Lin Jing then turned and walked down the mountain.

After leaving Qinghuang Peak, Lin Jing didn't linger further and left the area directly.

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At the entrance to the Demon Race Secret Realm, there was a market town that was on the verge of developing into a town.

This market existed because of the Demon Race Secret Realm.

One could say it was created by and destroyed by the Demon Race Secret Realm.

Previously, the market had developed to a certain scale, right at the time when the three major sects were preparing to invest heavily and develop it into an Immortal City.

But then the Howling Sky Wolf Clan suddenly arrived.

Because the attack was so sudden, the Howling Sky Wolf Clan quickly took over the Demon Race Secret Realm and invaded the entire Nanming Domain from the realm.

And this well-developed market was the first to be hit, completely destroyed.

Even the people who escaped from the market were few.

Afterward, Nanming Domain couldn't withstand the Howling Sky Wolf Clan and was completely defeated, with the clan invading much of the domain.

It wasn't until later, when the forces from the Western Demon Region came to aid, that they drove the Howling Sky Wolf Clan back into the Demon Race Secret Realm.

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The two Solidifying Body Realm cultivators who came to assist directly sealed the entrance to the Demon Race Secret Realm.

And this Fang Market had been rebuilt and turned into a stronghold for watching over the entrance to the Demon Race Secret Realm by the three major sects.

Until not long ago, when the seven major Demon Clan had joined hands in a raid.

As soon as the news arrived, this market had once again descended into chaos...

Within less than an hour, this market was abandoned again, with everyone previously stationed here fleeing the area.

However, this time the market was not destroyed.

For before the seven powerful beings of the Demon Clan could appear, a mysterious top cultivator entered the Demon Race Secret Realm and defeated them all.

And destroyed the Teleportation Array, expelling them all from the Demon Race Secret Realm.

Since then, the Nanming Domain no longer had to worry about invasions from the Demon Clan.

With no more threats from the Demon Clan, the market also began to develop once again.

Now it had already taken on the form of a small town.

And within this town, the ancestor of the Qingyuan Sword Sect had been constantly stationed, reportedly because that mysterious top cultivator was inside the Secret Realm.

So he was stationed here to guard against anyone entering the Secret Realm and offending that mysterious top cultivator.

This showed his deep regard for the mysterious top cultivator within the Secret Realm.

With the Qingyuan Sword Sect ancestor in place, although many were extremely curious, no one dared to rashly enter.

Otherwise, it is estimated that before the mysterious top cultivator in the Secret Realm could take action, the Qingyuan Sword Sect ancestor would have directly eliminated them on the spot.

In the blink of an eye, it had been a month since the Qingyuan Sword Sect ancestor took his post here.

That day...

The Qingyuan Sword Sect ancestor was guarding the entrance to the Secret Realm as usual.

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Just then...

Suddenly, several presences transmitted from a distance.

The Qingyuan Sword Sect ancestor then opened his eyes and looked into the distance.

He saw several figures flying towards him.

Seeing these figures, the Qingyuan Sword Sect ancestor immediately stood up.

Because...

The two people flying at the front were the two Solidifying Body Realm cultivators who supported the Nanming Domain.

Behind them, there were also a younger male and female disciple from their sects.

Following those two disciples was the ancestor from the Yiyun Pavilion.

By this time, even he had arrived.

Upon seeing this situation, the elder of the Nanming Immortal Sect immediately understood what was happening.

Previously, when the group was preparing to leave, the senior had said he would stay inside for at most a month.

Now that a month had passed, and these two from the Western Demon Region had brought sect disciples with them, it seemed likely they wanted them to meet the senior.

It was quite a normal thought.

After all, with the senior's cultivation level, just a few pointers from him would be beneficial for a lifetime.

When the group arrived near the entrance to the Secret Realm, they went directly to the elder of the Nanming Immortal Sect.

"Two seniors..."

Seeing them arrive, the elder of the Nanming Immortal Sect stepped forward and bowed his hands in salute to the two.

The two nodded gently, and then the Solidifying Body Realm cultivator from the Yuling Dao Sect spoke:

"During our time away, has there been any movement in this Secret Realm?"

The elder of the Nanming Immortal Sect then spoke,

"Aside from the initial disturbances, there have been no further movements during this time."

The Solidifying Body Realm cultivator from the Yuling Dao Sect nodded after hearing this.

"This period must have been demanding for you, Senior Shi and the others should be coming out soon, let's just wait together for Senior Shi to emerge."

"Yes..." replied the elder of the Nanming Immortal Sect.

Having said that, he turned and said to the young cultivator behind him:

"Chengxuan..."

"When Senior Shi comes out, remember to be respectful."

"Senior Shi is a Mahayana cultivator, and the Shi Family is very renowned in the Eastern Spiritual Realm.

Gaining favor from Senior Shi could be very beneficial for your future."

The young man nodded, then spoke:

"Uncle Master, rest assured..."

At the same time, on the other side, Ji Xiyue's father also turned back to address the woman behind him:

"Xiyue..."

"You are about to head to the Eastern Spiritual Realm, I won't say much else, just remember to make a good impression on Senior Shi."

"And..."

This time going to the Eastern Spiritual Realm, don't be willful again..."

It turned out the two young disciples were the talented disciples from the Xingluo Elixir Sect and the Yuling Dao Sect respectively, Ji Xiyue and Mo Chengxuan...

Chapter 643: Chapter 273: Leaving the Secret Realm Chapter 643: Chapter 273: Leaving the Secret Realm "I understand, Father."

Ji Xiyue nodded in response.

At that moment, Ji Xiyue looked modest and proper, without a trace of the laziness and relaxation she had shown in front of Lin Jing.

Mo Chengxuan also had an extraordinary presence, with his sharp eyebrows and bright eyes.

Indeed, the two of them seemed to be a match made in heaven.

However, Ji Xiyue seemed to have no interest in Mo Chengxuan at all.

From the time they arrived until now, aside from responding to her father, she had not made any other movements.

She just stayed there.

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While Mo Chengxuan also stayed in place, he glanced at Ji Xiyue a few times, intentionally or not.

And Ji Xiyue, as if she heard nothing, did not show any reaction.

Just as everyone had arrived and waited for a moment, the entrance to the Demon Race Secret Realm suddenly emitted a fluctuation.

Seeing this fluctuation, those waiting hurriedly prepared.

Even Ji Xiyue and Mo Chengxuan straightened up and respectfully looked towards the entrance of the Secret Realm.

After all, that was a cultivator from the Mahayana Realm, and they naturally did not dare to be negligent.

Shortly thereafter...

Those gathered saw the fluctuations at the entrance of the Secret Realm grow increasingly intense like ripples, and at that moment, a figure emerged from the entrance...

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After leaving Qinghuang Peak, Lin Jing did not stop but directly flew towards the exit of the Secret Realm.

Upon reaching the exit, Lin Jing walked straight towards it.

Just as he was about to step through the exit and leave the Secret Realm, he suddenly stopped...

Then, Lin Jing turned around and looked back at the Secret Realm...

Within this Demon Race Secret Realm, Lin Jing had obtained the Cleansing Spirit Liquid, eliminated his enemy Liu Yiyuan, and also encountered danger...

Too much had happened in this Secret Realm.

Now in the Secret Realm, Huang Qingling and the others had also disappeared without a trace, their whereabouts unknown.

This Secret Realm now held no more attachments for him.

If nothing unexpected happened, Lin Jing would probably leave this Secret Realm and not return.

After looking back, Lin Jing turned around and took a step out, heading towards the outside of the Secret Realm...

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Just as one foot stepped out of the Secret Realm, Lin Jing realized something was amiss.

When his entire body passed through the exit, the scene before his eyes also left him momentarily stunned.

Two body-solidifying cultivators from the two major sects of the Western Demon Region were there in the Nanming Domain; behind them stood a young man and woman.

Lin Jing did not recognize the man, but from his attire and the aura of cultivation emanating from him, he seemed to be no ordinary person.

As for the woman, Lin Jing was quite familiar with her; it was Ji Xiyue.

Behind these two were the Elders from the Qingyuan Sword Sect and Yiyun Pavilion.

"It's you!"

"It's you!"

Both Ji Xiyue's father and the body-solidifying cultivator from the Yuling Dao Sect exclaimed simultaneously.

Seeing that the first to come out was Lin Jing, they were evidently very surprised.

In their minds, even if two people were to emerge, it should have been Elder Shi San coming out first, followed closely by Lin Jing.

Just as they finished speaking, another cry of astonishment was heard, coming from Ji Xiyue.

"Lin Jing...!"

"What are you doing here?"

Upon hearing this, Ji Xiyue's father and the body-solidifying cultivator from the Yuling Dao Sect quickly turned back to look at Ji Xiyue.

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Even Mo Chengxuan, not understanding the situation, turned his head to look at Ji Xiyue.

"Xiyue, you know this fellow cultivator?"

Though Ji Xiyue's father asked the question, his tone obviously carried a hint of pleasant surprise.

Ji Xiyue nodded and softly said:

"Yes."

"I have known Lin Daoyou for quite some time now."

At that moment...

Lin Jing also reacted and clasped his hands in greeting towards Ji Xiyue's father and the body-solidifying cultivator from the Yuling Dao Sect:

"Elders."

"You are here to welcome Elder Shi, are you not?"

The two turned back to Lin Jing and nodded:

"Indeed."

"Might I ask, fellow cultivator, is Elder Shi still within the Secret Realm?"

Lin Jing shook his head:

"Elder Shi has already left the Secret Realm and gone to the Outer Spatial Void."

"So, he went to the Outer Spatial Void, no wonder..."

The two sighed, clearly disappointed.

After all, their purpose was to greet Elder Shi San here, and with his absence, their prior arrangements were all for naught.

However, they were only disappointed for a moment before regaining their composure, and then they turned their attention back to Lin Jing.

Still, Ji Xiyue's father reacted quickly, immediately smiling warmly:

"Fellow Lin, it seems, is it?

I am Xiyue's father."

"May I know when the two of you made each other's acquaintance?"

After he finished, he glanced at Ji Xiyue:

"That girl Xiyue really is quite tight-lipped, never mentioning this to me before.

I apologize for any oversight towards you, Fellow Lin."

Upon hearing this, Lin Jing appeared very courteous:

"Elder Ji is too polite."

"I have some connections with the Yan Family on Spirit Rock Island, and I met Fellow Ji during my time there."

Upon hearing this, Ji Xiyue's father suddenly realized:

"So that's how it is..."

"Xiyue went to Spirit Rock Island, to help deliver the White Jade Cleansing Spirit Grass; thinking about it, that must have been twenty years ago."

"I hadn't realized that the two of you have known each other for so long."

Just as Ji Xiyue's father was about to further inquire, the body-solidifying cultivator from the Yuling Dao Sect suddenly interjected:

"Fellow Lin!"

"Seeing you so young and already at the Divinity Transformation Stage, your future must be limitless," he said.

After finishing, he pointed to Mo Chengxuan behind him and said,

"This is Mo Chengxuan, the finest disciple of the Yuling Dao Sect.

You appear to be of similar age; you could exchange views more often in the future."

As soon as he finished speaking, Mo Chengxuan stepped forward, cupped his fists, and said to Lin Jing:

"Lin Daoyou, it's my good fortune to meet you!"

"It's my good fortune as well!"

Lin Jing returned the gesture.

At this moment, Ji Xiyue's father also timely spoke up:

"This is Elder Tao from the Yuling Dao Sect, who has reached the third layer of the Solidifying Body stage."

"So, it's Elder Tao, my apologies for any disrespect," Lin Jing then bowed with his hands clasped together.

"Lin Xiaoyou, you are too courteous," Elder Tao said with a smile.

After finishing, he opened his mouth again and asked Lin Jing:

"If I may be so bold as to ask, what is your relationship with Elder Shi?"

Having said that, Elder Tao turned towards Lin Jing, waiting for his response.

At this moment, Ji Xiyue's father also leaned in closer.

Clearly, this was what both of them were most concerned about.

Lin Jing smiled slightly and then said:

"Actually, I haven't known Elder Shi for too long either; it was after coming to the Nanming Domain that we met."

"I merely helped him with some matters."

Lin Jing's response was quite simple and didn't reveal much.

But it was enough.

Upon hearing Lin Jing's response, both men were slightly disappointed.

They had initially thought Lin Jing had a special relationship with Grandfather Shi, hoping to rely on Lin Jing to establish some connection with the Shi family of the Eastern Spiritual Realm.

After knowing Lin Jing's circumstances, their expectations were dashed.

However, after a brief disappointment, they quickly rationalized and regained their composure.

After all, that was a Mahayana cultivator; if Lin Jing truly had an extremely close relationship with him, he wouldn't have simply left Lin Jing behind.

At the very least, he would have escorted him back to the Eastern Spiritual Realm.

Having thought this over, Ji Xiyue's father spoke again:

"Xiyue."

"Since you and Lin Xiaoyou are old acquaintances, why don't you two head back together?

Elder Tao and I need to check inside the Secret Realm of the Demon Clan again."

"Alright, Father!" Ji Xiyue replied immediately.

Afterward.

Elder Tao also instructed Mo Chengxuan briefly and then entered the Demon Clan Secret Realm with Ji Xiyue's father...

After the two men had left, Ji Xiyue turned back to Lin Jing, smiling slightly as she said:

"Lin Daoyou!"

"I didn't expect you to reach the Divinity Transformation Stage so quickly, it truly amazes me."

Lin Jing then looked at Ji Xiyue, smiling as he spoke:

"Ji Daoyou, you aren't far behind either, aren't you also at the Divinity Transformation Stage now?"

The aura of cultivation on Ji Xiyue's body was the same as Lin Jing's, both at the first level of Divinity Transformation.

However, the aura of Ji Xiyue's cultivation was still not very stable, clearly indicating she had just advanced to Divinity Transformation recently.

As for Lin Jing, after passing the Heavenly Tribulation, his cultivation had skyrocketed, breaking through to the third layer of Divinity Transformation.

The level of cultivation Lin Jing was displaying was merely a disguise of the first layer of Divinity Transformation, using the Changyun Hidden Technique.

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Upon hearing Lin Jing's words, Ji Xiyue couldn't help but shoot Lin Jing a glance filled with allure...

"You can compare yourself to me?"

"I've been at the Nascent Soul Peak Stage for quite some time already."

"This breakthrough to Divinity Transformation only happened recently with the help of the Sect."

"And you..."

Ji Xiyue sized up Lin Jing from head to toe, then began speaking, her tone somewhat sour:

"You certainly have an extraordinary fortune..."

Twenty years ago when Lin Jing and Ji Xiyue met, Ji Xiyue had already reached the Nascent Soul Peak Stage, while Lin Jing was only at the seventh level of the Nascent Soul.

Now, twenty years later to meet again with equivalent levels of cultivation—and hers was only achieved with the Sect's aid—

Ji Xiyue felt quite speechless, as if all her dedicated cultivation had become a joke.

And naturally, Lin Jing understood Ji Xiyue's implication.

She didn't mention it outright also because such matters were too sensational, especially since it wasn't just the two of them here.

Moreover...

For Lin Jing to have advanced so quickly, he surely had his own secrets; Ji Xiyue naturally wouldn't disclose them, which was why she spoke that way.

Lin Jing laughed and replied:

"You had the Sect's assistance, and I naturally had help as well."

"Truth be told, neither of our fortunes are shallow."

Ji Xiyue, upon hearing this, also smiled:

"Indeed, being in a powerful Sect is my greatest fortune."

"I was overly concerned."

Seeing Lin Jing and Ji Xiyue chatting so happily, Mo Chengxuan seemed a bit upset, but didn't show it too obviously.

As soon as Ji Xiyue finished speaking, Mo Chengxuan took this opportunity to say:

"What Xiyue said is true."

"As disciples of the Sect, from the moment we were born, we received opportunities many people can only dream of.

Being born in the Sect is our fortune but also our restraint."

"On the other hand, Lin Daoyou, standing alone unencumbered, is something I truly envy."

After saying this, Mo Chengxuan turned his head to continue speaking to Lin Jing:

"Lin Daoyou!"

"Perhaps you aren't aware yet that Ji Xiyue and I will soon be heading to the Eastern Spiritual Realm."

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"Heading to the Eastern Spirit Realm, I do so for the sake of the Sect and for myself.

I just don't know how long it will be before I can return again."

Although Mo Chengxuan seemed to be reflecting, his words sounded somewhat uncomfortable to the ear.

However, Lin Jing seemed to not catch his actual intent and instead expressed surprise:

"You're going to the Eastern Spirit Realm?"

Lin Jing didn't react, but Ji Xiyue, on the other hand, seemed displeased and spoke directly:

"Alright, Mo Chengxuan!"

"We should be heading back now."

Seeing that Ji Xiyue was somewhat unhappy, Mo Chengxuan subsequently fell silent.

Afterward, Ji Xiyue spoke to Lin Jing:

"I'll tell you about this matter once we get back."

Upon hearing this, Lin Jing nodded.

Then.

The three of them prepared to leave, and the elders of the Qingyuan Sword Sect and Yiyun Pavilion also came forward.

Looking at the two elders, Lin Jing couldn't help feeling sentimental.

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Previously, he had been a Spirit Farmer for the Qingyuan Sword Sect and had even joined Yuebao Tower, becoming an Offering Pill Master.

Yuebao Tower was the property of Yiyun Pavilion.

Who would have thought that now, in terms of cultivation, he was on par with the elders of both Sects.

It was unimaginable, if he were to tell these elders of his past experiences, how they would feel.

Shock and surprise would certainly be included.

I just wonder if they would have regrets...

Of course, this kind of matter was something Lin Jing could only ponder; he was determined not to disclose it carelessly.

Of course.

As for his past experiences, he would not deliberately conceal them; if the other party wanted to investigate, it was up to them.

Thereafter, Lin Jing bid farewell to the two elders with his companions, and the trio made their departure.

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Having returned from the Demon Race Secret Realm, Lin Jing went straight back to his small courtyard in Nanshan Immortal City.

Although the Li Family had moved to Li Yan Island, the small courtyard remained.

Arriving with Lin Jing was Ji Xiyue.

Initially, Mo Chengxuan wanted to invite Ji Xiyue to return to the two Sects with him, but she outright refused.

Left with no choice, Mo Chengxuan went back alone.

The two reached the small courtyard, where layers of dust had accumulated.

The withered yellow leaves had piled up layer upon layer as well.

As for other areas, fallen withered leaves were everywhere.

The pond that had been used to keep fish was now murky and unclean.

After all, Lin Jing had not returned for twenty years, so the condition of the courtyard was somewhat understandable.

Ji Xiyue looked at the courtyard, then turned to Lin Jing with a puzzled expression:

"How many years has it been since you last came here?"

"It wasn't like this when I was around."

Lin Jing responded:

"Not long after you left, I moved away."

"During this time, I traveled around, then Master Shi gave me some guidance.

I've been cultivating for a few years, and it wasn't long after I had stepped into Divinity Transformation that I met you."

"I see..." Ji Xiyue nodded.

"But you advanced to Divinity Transformation so quickly, especially the realization right before, you managed to perfect it so fast."

"You should know, others need at least decades to achieve that."

As she spoke, Ji Xiyue couldn't help but size up Lin Jing:

"Do you have some kind of secret?

Tell me about it."

Lin Jing turned his head and glanced at Ji Xiyue.

The Ji Xiyue before him no longer held her former dignified composure.

In front of Lin Jing, she appeared as relaxed as she would be with a friend, with no need for many reservations.

"You know, I am originally from this Nanming Domain."

"After you left, I traveled around the Nanming Domain, experienced some things, and met a few old acquaintances."

"After my journey ended, my realization was close to perfection."

"So that's how it was..." Ji Xiyue suddenly understood.

"To think you perfected your realization in such a way."

Lin Jing nodded, then lifted his hand, conjuring a whirlwind.

This whirlwind, though not large, immediately began to wander through the courtyard, sweeping up the fallen leaves and dust wherever it passed.

In just a short moment, the entire courtyard was spotlessly cleaned by the whirlwind.

At this point, Lin Jing asked Ji Xiyue:

"How about some tea?"

Ji Xiyue nodded:

"That would be nice..."

Lin Jing gave a gentle nod, then walked to the pavilion in the middle of the courtyard.

He took out a tea set from his Space Ring and placed it on the table in the center of the pavilion.

Next, he simply waved his hand in the air, drawing forth a sphere of clear water, which he then led into the kettle for boiling.

After completing these actions, he finally conjured a ball of flame under the kettle, then left it to be, allowing the tea water to slowly come to a boil.

By this time, Ji Xiyue had also settled down in the pavilion.

Previously, when she came to Lin Jing to repair the Elixir Scripture, she had frequented this place.

She was quite familiar with it.

And now, it was still the two of them, in the same courtyard.

Only, they were somewhat different from before.

Staying in this courtyard, they both felt as if they were experiencing a sense of déjà vu.

"Let's talk about you, how have you been?" "If I'm not mistaken, you've become a Sixth Grade Alchemist and successfully nullified your betrothal, haven't you?" Lin Jing looked at Ji Xiyue, then spoke. Ji Xiyue nodded: "Yes!" "As for Mo Chengxuan whom you met today, I don't like him at all. If it weren't for the fact that I can't ruin the relationship between our two sects, I wouldn't even want to deal with him." Lin Jing smiled: "I actually think he quite likes you." Ji Xiyue gave Lin Jing a white look: "Him? Better forget it." "The good attitude he showed you today is probably because of Senior Shi." "Usually, he is quite different from how he was today." After hearing this, Lin Jing nodded. After all, he had only met Mo Chengxuan once and naturally could not claim to understand him. Nor could he make a groundless judgment based on this one encounter. "Gurgle...

Gurgle..."

The tea water kept rolling in the pot, already boiling.

At this moment, without waiting for Lin Jing to take action, Ji Xiyue had already taken the initiative, lifting the teapot to start brewing.

Until the brewing was finished, Ji Xiyue pushed one of the tea cups in front of Lin Jing.

Only then did Lin Jing speak, asking:

"Are you going to the Eastern Spirit Realm?"

Ji Xiyue had just picked up the tea cup, paused for a moment, then put down the tea cup and said:

"Yes..."

"Since the last time I went back, I immersed myself in studying the Elixir Scripture you helped me repair, and after several years, I finally advanced to a Sixth Grade Alchemist."

"After advancing to a Sixth Grade Alchemist, I participated in the Alchemy Competition of our Western Demon Region and got second place."

"It was only after the Alchemy Competition that I found out that people from the Elixir Alliance in the Eastern Spirit Realm had also observed the competition."

"They noticed my talent for alchemy, specifically invited me to join the Elixir Alliance, to obtain better opportunities, and to have the chance to reach the real peak of Alchemy Dao."

"Elixir Alliance?"

Lin Jing had not heard of this organization, so he was a bit puzzled.

"It sounds like a purely Alchemist organization."

Ji Xiyue nodded:

"It's normal for you not to have heard of it."

"Even I heard of it for the first time."

Having said that, Ji Xiyue picked up the tea cup, took a small sip, and then continued:

"The Elixir Alliance is indeed an organization consisting only of Alchemists."

"Moreover, it is an organization that only those true high-level Alchemists can join."

"To join the Elixir Alliance, one must at least possess the strength of a Sixth Grade Alchemist, and if they are too old with no hope of breakthrough, the Elixir Alliance will not accept them, even if they are long-standing Sixth Grade Alchemists."

"Everyone who joins the Elixir Alliance is a pill refining talent with exceptional potential."

"I see..." Lin Jing said, coming to a realization.

"If that is the case, the strength of the Elixir Alliance must be extraordinary indeed."

"Naturally." Ji Xiyue said.

"The Elixir Alliance itself already possesses impressive strength, and I heard that there are legendary Ninth Grade Alchemists within the Alliance."

"What's more important is that the Elixir Alliance is an extremely special organization within the Eastern Spirit Realm."

"The Elixir Alliance typically only focuses on alchemy and does not join in the disputes of other forces."

"And..."

"Since the Elixir Alliance is essentially made up of Alchemists, they can refine some of the top tier Elixir Medicines that are extremely difficult to concoct."

"Therefore, the Elixir Alliance has good relations with many other forces, and if anyone foolishly provokes them, many forces will take the initiative to help without the Alliance having to act."

After listening, Lin Jing nodded gently.

"This Elixir Alliance is indeed extraordinary!"

Then, Lin Jing continued to ask:

"So, if you join the Elixir Alliance, there won't be any problems with the Xingluo Elixir Sect, right?"

Ji Xiyue nodded:

"After joining the Elixir Alliance, the Xingluo Elixir Sect won't be at a disadvantage."

The Elixir Alliance will not only gift some resources to my current sect but also provide some other compensations."

"Besides, joining the Elixir Alliance is one of the most proud achievements for us Pill Sects.

Many sects spend a considerable amount of resources to train a disciple to join the Elixir Alliance."

"Yet, in the end, very few succeed in joining."

"My ability to join the Elixir Alliance is a positive development, so naturally, my sect wouldn't obstruct it."

"This is also why my marriage withdrawal went so smoothly."

"No wonder..." Lin Jing nodded.

It made sense.

Joining the Elixir Alliance was a joyous event all Pill Sects yearned for, and since Ji Xiyue had been recognized by the Alliance, she naturally couldn't become Dao companions with Mo Chengxuan.

Otherwise, the Elixir Alliance would probably be the first to disagree.

Understanding all this, Lin Jing was relieved.

After a while, Lin Jing suddenly remembered another matter.

He then asked Ji Xiyue again:

"Ji Daoyou!"

"You were seen by the Elixir Alliance and recruited as a disciple, and now you are heading to the Eastern Spirit Realm.

What about Mo Chengxuan?"

"Didn't he say he was also going to the Eastern Spirit Realm, could he have another opportunity?"

Ji Xiyue said:

"Mo Chengxuan is different from me.

He is going to the Eastern Spirit Realm because the Yuling Dao Sect paid a price for him to cultivate in the better-resourced Eastern Spirit Realm."

"Our paths aren't even the same."

"I see." Lin Jing suddenly understood.

"Ji Daoyou, your joining the Elixir Alliance means your accomplishments will surely be extraordinary in the future."

"I would like to offer my congratulations in advance." Lin Jing said with a smile.

Ji Xiyue then looked at Lin Jing, her expression serious:

"Lin Daoyou."

"Other people may not realize it, but I am well aware that your achievements will in no way be inferior to mine."

"I believe it won't be long before I see you again in the Eastern Spirit Realm..."

Chapter 645: Chapter 275: The True Spirit of the Five Elements Chapter 645: Chapter 275: The True Spirit of the Five Elements Lin Jing and Ji Xiyue talked for a long time, not parting until dusk was nearing, when Ji Xiyue bid farewell and left.

After Ji Xiyue left, Lin Jing cleaned up the other areas of the courtyard.

Once done, he went back into the room to ensure even the interior was tidied up.

Next.

Lin Jing also planned to reside there for a while, taking the opportunity to try to understand his divine skills.

Having entered the Divinity Transformation Stage, it was time to comprehend his own divine skills.

A Divine Transformation Cultivator with divine skills and one without were starkly different beings.

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Basically, the first thing every cultivator who just entered the Divinity Transformation stage did was to comprehend their own divine skills.

Of course.

There were exceptions, such as Ji Xiyue.

After cleaning up, Lin Jing returned to the room, and then directly summoned the System.

"Enter the System Space."

As Lin Jing's words fell, in the next moment he vanished from the room and entered the System Space.

Inside the System Space, as soon as Lin Jing's vision cleared, he saw a vibrant array of colors before him.

In front of Lin Jing, various Spirit Plants in the Spirit Field were ripe in abundance.

There were crisp and translucent Spirit Grass; there were brightly colored flowers dripping with hue; and of course, there were the red and luscious Spirit Fruits hanging on the branches, almost bending them with their weight.

Ever since he began his travels, Lin Jing had not entered the System Space again.

During his travels, immersed in the mundane world, perceiving the heavens and the earth, he naturally put the System Space to the back of his mind.

After returning from his travels, he had been with Grandpa Shi San the whole time and hadn't had the opportunity to enter the System Space again.

Therefore.

It wasn't until now that he reentered the System Space.

Twenty years had passed in the outside world, but with the seventh-level Flow of Time Speed in the System Space, one hundred and forty years had passed inside.

One hundred and forty years was indeed not a short time.

In his Spirit Field now, apart from those Fourth-Rank special Spirit Plants and some Fifth-Rank Spirit Plants,

All the other Spirit Plants had ripened.

Some had even outlived their lifespan, causing tremendous changes to the whole plant.

Like the Blood Red Vermilion Fruit tree in front of Lin Jing.

Several massive Blood Red Vermilion Fruits hung on the branches.

These Vermilion Fruits were at least half as large as the others and were as freshly spilled blood – vivid and striking.

Even just standing at the edge of the Spirit Field, Lin Jing could smell the light fragrance emanating from the Blood Red Vermilion Fruits.

This was a sign that the Blood Red Vermilion Fruits were already fully ripe.

With the Spirit Plants mature, it was time to harvest.

First, Lin Jing activated his Divine Sense to envelop the entire Spirit Field, and then he classified all the ripe Spirit Plants.

Since these mature Spirit Plants were different, after sorting them out, Lin Jing further divided them based on the types of Spirit Plants.

Some plants only needed to have their fruits picked without harming the plant itself, while others, like Spirit Grass, needed to be cut from the root, leaving some stems, which could continue to grow.

Then there were some, like the vine-type Spirit Plants, that required the use of the plant's roots, so these needed to be uprooted entirely, after which a section of the rootstock could be planted back in the Spirit Field to continue growing.

Under the might of Lin Jing's Divine Sense, it took only a moment to sort these Spirit Plants.

After that, Lin Jing began the harvesting process.
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"Ding!"
"System Notice: Congratulations to the host for harvesting the High-Grade Spiritual Plant, Blood Red Vermilion Fruit, and receiving a reward of 420 Harvest Points."
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"Ding!"

"System Notice: Congratulations to the host for harvesting the High-Grade Spiritual Plant, Thousand Spirits Divine Leaf, and receiving a reward of 560 Harvest Points."

"Ding!"

"System Notice: Congratulations to the host for harvesting the Low-Tier Spirit Plant, Moon Crow Root, and receiving a reward of 280 Harvest Points."

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For a time, countless System notices popped up one after another.

And so...

This harvest, taking less than four hours, saw all mature Spirit Plants in the Spirit Field reaped by Lin Jing.

After the entire harvest, Lin Jing couldn't wait to open the System panel and check it.

The System panel displayed prominently: Upgrade Requirement: (171579/1000000 Harvest Points)

From this harvest of Spirit Plants, Lin Jing had accumulated over one hundred and fifty thousand Harvest Points.

Adding the ten thousand or so he already had, his current total was now more than one hundred seventy thousand points.

One hundred seventy thousand Harvest Points were actually quite substantial.

After checking the Harvest Points, and seeing the barren Spirit Field, Lin Jing got busy again.

With the Spirit Plants harvested, it was time to plant anew; the Spirit Field couldn't be left empty.

Several more hours passed by the time Lin Jing planted the Spirit Field full again.

After the planting was complete, Lin Jing got up with satisfaction.

Then, he categorized the harvested Spirit Plants and placed them all in the Space Ring.

Having done all this, Lin Jing finally left the Spirit Field and headed towards the Alchemy Room.

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Upon entering the Alchemy Room, Lin Jing sat down cross-legged.

He wasn't there to perform alchemy, but rather, he wanted to practice divine skills.

Previously, in the Five Elements Cave Mansion, Lin Jing obtained a Jade Slip from the main hall, which had been left by a senior who had practiced the Immortal Five Elements Technique.

Lin Jing certainly hadn't forgotten about that Jade Slip.

The content within the Jade Slip was of great help to him.

More importantly, the Jade Slip had a second half that could only be accessed by a Divine Transformation Cultivator.

Now that Lin Jing had entered Divinity Transformation, he naturally wanted to take out the Jade Slip and closely examine it.

Chapter 646: Chapter 275 Five Elements True Spirit\_2 Chapter 646: Chapter 275 Five Elements True Spirit\_2 Lin Jing retrieved the jade slip from within the space ring.

He then directly delved into it.

Lin Jing was already familiar with the content of the jade slip, so he skipped over the beginning.

Instead, he searched further back and soon, Lin Jing reached the sealed area again.

The senior who had left this jade slip had once said that to continue viewing the content beyond, one must enter the state of Divinity Transformation and use the power of the Soul Spirit to break this seal.

Lin Jing didn't hesitate and immediately mobilized a strand of his Soul Spirit, rushing towards the seal in the jade slip.

## "Boom!"

The force of Lin Jing's Soul Spirit collided with the seal.

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The seemingly indestructible seal was merely touched by that slight force from Lin Jing's Soul Spirit and it shattered like a crumbling tile.

It seemed that this was also intentionally done by the senior who left the jade slip, making it effortless for Lin Jing to break the seal after entering Divinity Transformation.

Having broken the seal, Lin Jing then eagerly extended his Divine Sense to start viewing the subsequent content.

As soon as Lin Jing's Divine Sense caught sight of the content beyond, it was immediately captivated because these contents were methods for comprehending Divine Skills.

Although Grandpa Shi San had previously given him some methods to comprehend Divine Skills, this jade slip was left by a senior who had practiced the Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique, making him essentially a senior from the same sect as Lin Jing.

This method was certainly of greater help to him.

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This time.

Lin Jing delved into the jade slip for a long time until he had browsed through all the content at the back.

Only then did he withdraw his Divine Sense from the jade slip.

After withdrawing his Divine Sense, Lin Jing continued to sit cross-legged there, pondering for a long time.

Indeed, there was a set of methods to comprehend Divine Skills in the jade slip, and it was extremely suitable for Lin Jing.

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Other cultivators could be bestowed with Divine Arts from within the Sect, or they could comprehend them on their own.

But those who practiced the Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique could only rely on their self-comprehension.

The Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique and the Five Elements Divine Art, ever since they were created by the Five Elements Ancestor, those who had practiced this technique, even if they hadn't advanced to the forefront, were at least numerous.

Theoretically, since they all practiced the same technique, the Divine Skills mastered by the Five Elements Ancestor and other seniors practicing the Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique should be transmittable.

But the Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique was an exception.

Anyone practicing the Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique, regardless of what Divine Skills they had comprehended, would never pass them down.

And later generations of practitioners could only rely on their own comprehension.

Just like Lin Jing's current situation, the jade slip contained no Divine Skills left by that senior; in fact, he didn't even mention them.

Initially, Lin Jing had wanted to refer to that senior's Divine Skills.

Now, he also had to abandon this idea.

However, that senior had also mentioned in the jade slip that each cultivator practicing the Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique has Divine Skills related to their other cultivation techniques or Magical Treasures.

The Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique cultivates five types of Spiritual Powers, gathered together by the Five Elements, but precisely because it brings together the Five Elements, the balance among the five types of Spiritual Powers causes some difficulty when refining Divine Skills.

Only by focusing on other cultivation techniques or special methods as the primary and the Five Elements as a secondary, can one more easily refine their own Divine Skills.

Of course.

Over the countless years, many have cultivated the Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique, with certainly some who took the Five Elements Divine Art as the core to comprehend Divine Skills.

There were indeed those who succeeded, and the Divine Skills they comprehended were also formidable.

These individuals either devoted more time and energy than the average person or had extraordinary comprehension skills, beyond what ordinary people could achieve.

At this moment, Lin Jing was contemplating what type of Divine Skill he exactly needed.

After contemplating for a while, Lin Jing gave up.

Having just entered Divinity Transformation, it was naturally impossible for him to comprehend Divine Skills that rapidly.

This matter wasn't urgent for now, so it was still better to take it slow.

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Beyond comprehending Divine Skills, there was another part of the content related to advancing to the Solidifying Body Realm.

To advance to the Solidifying Body Realm, one must cultivate a Five Elements Spiritual Body, only by merging the Five Elements can one enter the Solidifying Body Realm.

Only after reviewing the jade slip did Lin Jing understand.

Previously, in the Demon Race Secret Realm, Xiyue's father and the giant silhouettes behind the seven great Demon Cultivators from the Demon Clan were indeed the Five Elements Spiritual Bodies they had cultivated.

Cultivators cultivating the Five Elements Spiritual Body could use it to mobilize the Spiritual Power of heaven and earth at will, using it for themselves, allowing them to exert strength several times beyond their own.

And cultivating this Five Elements Spiritual Body was not a simple task.

Five Elements Spiritual Power needed to gather together.

At this step, the advantage of having a Five Elements Spiritual Root became evident.

Those with a Five Elements Spiritual Root, harboring all five elements, found it extremely simple to condense the Five Elements Spiritual Power.

However, for those cultivators without a Five Elements Spiritual Root, it was exceedingly difficult.

They might have once been peerless geniuses with a single Spiritual Root, cultivating at a rapid pace.

Or perhaps they had dual Spiritual Roots, regarded as elites within a sect.

But at the stage of the Solidifying Body Realm...

They had to cultivate Spiritual Power of their own attributes, condense the True Spirit, and seek True Spirits of other attributes that were dispersed between heaven and earth to compensate for their missing Spiritual Roots.

Only when the True Spirits of all five attributes were gathered, could they merge together and advance to the Solidifying Body Realm.

Five Elements True Spirits are a type of Spiritual Body birthed when Spiritual Power reaches its pinnacle.

Unlike Yin Spirits or other Spiritual Bodies, they have no life, yet are immensely compatible with Spiritual Power.

Cultivators, besides relying on their cultivation, could also find some spawning in certain places in the Cultivation World.

However, the conditions for its birth are exceedingly harsh.

Only in those special places where the Spiritual Power is particularly rich is it possible for them to appear, and they are extremely rare.

Although Five Elements True Spirits possess no intelligence, capturing them is also incredibly difficult.

Therefore, for other cultivators wishing to advance to the Solidifying Body Realm, it was not easy.

Compared to those cultivators with other kinds of Spiritual Roots, Lin Jing, possessing a Five Elements Spiritual Root, only needed to continuously cultivate in order to form True Spirits of all five attributes and thus cultivate a Five Elements Spiritual Body, advancing to the Solidifying Body Realm.

Although at this step, Lin Jing's process might be much simpler than theirs, it was not necessarily faster than their speed of advancement.

Because...

All those genius disciples who joined large sects had their sects start looking for Five Elements True Spirits for them right from the outset.

Even some top-notch sects, with their terrifying resources, found a few Five Elements True Spirits to be a mere trifle.

They did not need to worry at all.

After reaching the Solidifying Body Realm, there is still some difference between the Five Elements Spiritual Root and other Spiritual Roots.

That is, the True Spirits condensed from a Five Elements Spiritual Root are more compatible with oneself than those captured from between heaven and earth.

Naturally, there will also be some difference in their combat power.

Cultivators with a Five Elements Spiritual Root in the Solidifying Body Realm will be much stronger than those who use captured True Spirits.

However...

Because all those who possess a Five Elements are classified as mixed Spiritual Roots, their cultivation speed is exceedingly slow.

Struggling to even advance to the Golden Core, let alone the Solidifying Body Realm, becomes immensely challenging.

Millions of years ago, the entire Cultivation World no longer saw a cultivator with a Five Elements Spiritual Root reach this step.

Especially nowadays, having a Five Elements Spiritual Root almost directly signifies a bleak path of cultivation.

Even those top-notch sects that are not lacking in resources would not waste their effort to nurture such a wastrel.

Although Lin Jing also had a Five Elements Spiritual Root, he had the System Space, and it was with the aid of the System Space that he had reached this stage.

Moreover...

Lin Jing had also obtained Cleansing Spirit Liquid, refined the Cleansing Spirit Elixir, and enhanced his Spirit Root aptitude.

Although it was a Five Elements Spiritual Root, his cultivation speed had already reached the pace of triple or even dual Spiritual Roots.

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The entire content of the Jade Slip covered these two aspects.

Whether it was due to the limitations of the previous cultivator's cultivation, this Jade Slip did not include some subsequent information.

But even this was enough.

In the last part of the Jade Slip, the previous owner of the slip emphatically advised Lin Jing to make a journey to the Five Elements Ruins.

He said it would be immensely helpful to him.

Actually, without the reminder from this predecessor, Lin Jing would have still gone there.

After all...

Lin Jing's current Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique only reached up to the Nascent Soul Peak, and he no longer had follow-up cultivation techniques beyond that.

The subsequent phases of the Immortal Dao Five Elements Technique were located within the Five Elements Ruins, so Lin Jing definitely needed to visit the Five Elements Ruins to seek further techniques.

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To enter the Five Elements Ruins, one must gather all five Five Elements Command Tokens.

Lin Jing currently has two of them in his possession.

The other three are distributed with Li Mingwu holding two, and Bai Yi one.

If Lin Jing wishes to enter the Five Elements Ruins and cultivate the complete Immortal Five Elements Technique, he must obtain the remaining three tokens from them.

However, the Five Elements Command Tokens are far too precious for either of them to relinquish voluntarily.

And their cultivation levels are certainly not low.

It seems unlikely that he can seize them by force.

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## Therefore,

in order to enter the Five Elements Ruins, he must find them and cooperate together to collect all five Five Elements Command Tokens and gain access to the ruins.

## Nevertheless.

Lin Jing, who has just entered the Divinity Transformation Stage, has yet to comprehend any Divine Arts and even his cultivation level is significantly lower than theirs.

If Lin Jing were to rashly reveal that he possesses the Five Elements Command Tokens, his situation would become very dangerous.

Lin Jing has no doubts that they would kill for the tokens.

Even though he now possesses the cultivation at the Divinity Transformation Stage, it doesn't necessarily mean he can match them.

Moreover, he has just advanced to Divinity Transformation and hasn't yet grasped any Divine Arts.

Lin Jing, if he wants to enter the Five Elements Ruins, needs to wait till he has fully assimilated the cultivation from the Demon Infant within him and grasped his own Divine Arts.

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After digesting the cultivation of the Demon Infant, Lin Jing should at least be able to break through to between the fifth and sixth layer of Divinity Transformation.

With the cultivation of the fifth or sixth layer of Divinity Transformation, although he may not be quite a match for Li Mingwu, he should be comparable to Bai Yi and the others.

Even with his concurrent practice of the Martial Dao, Lin Jing could have the strength to fight Li Mingwu.

With that, Lin Jing would not fear any of them.

Further, there's another point...

One of the tokens in his possession, he acquired during his last visit to the Five Elements Cave Mansion.

If he were to carelessly bring it out, it would certainly be extremely disadvantageous for him, and might even alert the others, potentially leading them to join forces against him.

Hence, Lin Jing does not plan to reveal the Five Elements Wood Command, but intends to find another way to dispose of or directly sell it.

By then, possessing the Five Elements Fire Command will be sufficient for him.

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After reviewing the content on the Jade Slip, Lin Jing put it away.

Once he stored the Jade Slip, he took out another from his Space Ring.

This Jade Slip contained the Dao Transformation Divinity Technique he obtained from Immortal Crossing Island.

Lin Jing had been cultivating this Cultivation Technique, but he had only practiced half of it.

The first half of the Dao Transformation Divinity Technique, which can reinforce one's Divine Sense, doesn't have cultivation level restrictions for practice.

The latter part, however, requires a cultivator to have reached the Divinity Transformation Stage to continue.

Lin Jing glanced at it previously, but only briefly; when he realized he couldn't cultivate it further, he gave up and didn't check it again.

Now that Lin Jing has reached the Divinity Transformation Stage, he is in the right position to cultivate it.

Therefore, he thought of taking this opportunity to look at the latter half of the technique.

If possible, he might as well start preparing to cultivate the latter part of Dao Transformation Divinity Technique right away.

After taking out the Dao Transformation Divinity Technique, Lin Jing activated his Divine Sense and probed into it.

He was already extremely familiar with the preliminary content; without hesitation, he rapidly skimmed through it to examine the latter part of the technique.

Dao Transformation Divinity, as its name suggests, is about condensing the Soul Spirit to enhance one's Divine Sense power and then separating a part of one's Soul Spirit.

Somewhat like cultivating a clone, one must first condense their Soul Spirit and, once it becomes powerful, separate a part of it.

Moreover,

the separated part of the Soul Spirit is not completely detached and normally functions as one entity.

Only at critical moments, such as during battle...

can one activate the Dao Transformation Divinity Technique, separate their Soul Spirit, and with two Soul Spirits control oneself and a Puppet to attack the enemy, creating a situation of attacking with superior numbers to quickly secure a victory.

This Cultivation Technique was created by a brilliantly gifted Puppet Master.

Ordinary Puppet Masters need to split a part of their Divine Sense to control Puppets.

Even though such a method can be used against an enemy, it's very susceptible to disturbances.

If the Puppet Master is attacked, then the Divine Sense controlling the Puppet will also be affected, thereby limiting the Puppet's performance.

Therefore, that Puppet Master put great effort into researching and creating this Dao Transformation Divinity Technique.

This remarkably ingenious Puppet Master came up with a method to separate his Soul Spirit in another way, allowing his consciousness to split into two without affecting each other.

This is akin to having another clone.

Normally, if one encounters a Puppet Master, one could directly besiege the Puppet Master to exert pressure.

Then the actions of the controlled Puppet would inevitably be heavily affected.

But after cultivating the Dao Transformation Divinity Technique, Puppet Masters and their Puppets become two separate entities.

Even if the Puppet Master is surrounded, it will not affect the actions of the Puppet and might even catch the enemy off-guard.

Although the Dao Transformation Divinity Technique is extraordinary, its cultivation is also extremely challenging.

## Firstly,

to master the Dao Transformation Divinity Technique, one's Soul Spirit must be stronger than others, and the stronger the Soul Spirit, the easier it is to succeed in cultivating Divinity.

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In severe cases, it might even lead to direct demise.

Secondly,

during the initial soul-splitting, one requires a divine sense that is stronger than one's own soul spirit as support.

The strength of this divine sense must be at least close to twice that of the soul spirit's strength.

Fulfilling this condition also presents some difficulty.

A cultivator's divine sense is generally comparable to the strength of their soul spirit.

The stronger the soul spirit, the stronger the divine sense naturally becomes.

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Wanting the divine sense to surpass the soul spirit requires external assistance.

It could be through the use of certain elixir medicines or spirit grass to stimulate, or some special magical treasures, or even certain cultivation techniques that can enhance one's divine sense in a short time.

There are even some special places that can strengthen the divine sense.

Seeing this second condition, Lin Jing felt somewhat relieved.

The Alchemy Room in the System Space just happened to be able to enhance the divine sense, so there was no need to worry further.

Inside the Alchemy Room, one's divine sense could be increased by 60%, and if upgraded once more, it could be enhanced by 70%.

With such an enhancement, even if there are deficiencies, by refining some elixir medicines that can temporarily boost the divine sense, this problem can be easily resolved.

Having solved the issue of divine sense, there is now only one problem left.

That is the elixir medicine to strengthen the soul spirit.

The soul spirit is fundamental to a cultivator, and elixir medicines that enhance it are exceedingly rare.

As far as Lin Jing knows, among fifth-grade elixir medicines, the Revival Elixir can repair a damaged soul spirit, but it cannot strengthen it.

And there's another fifth-grade elixir medicine, Gathering Spirit Elixir, which can enhance the divine sense for a short period.

As for elixir medicines that can strengthen the soul spirit, Lin Jing has never heard of any.

Afterward,

Lin Jing finished checking the entire jade slip.

At the end of the jade slip, he saw such a message:

"When cultivating to split the soul, Nascent Soul Peak is optimal.

Otherwise, if the soul spirit's strength is insufficient, failure is highly likely."

"In addition..."

"Jade Soul Algae often grows in extremely harsh sea regions and can enhance the soul spirit when consumed and refined directly."

Reading until the end, Lin Jing was quite surprised; he did not expect that there would be a method to enhance the soul spirit at the end.

Jade Soul Algae.

It seems that later, when he returns to the Demonic Monster Sea, he will have to search carefully.

After checking, Lin Jing placed the Dao Transformation Divinity Technique into the Space Ring.

This cultivation technique is also currently beyond his ability to practice.

Since he could not practice it, Lin Jing could only put it aside for the moment.

Next.

Lin Jing took out the Great Dream Ancient Mirror from the Space Ring, ready to continue with its refinement.

During the Tribulation, Lin Jing's Ling Yin Flawless Sword was already shattered.

Now, he has no usable magical treasures on him.

It was just right to try refining the Great Dream Ancient Mirror now that he had advanced to Divinity Transformation.

And for the upcoming period, Lin Jing had already made plans to refine the Great Dream Ancient Mirror while understanding his own divine arts.

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A few days later, Ji Xiyue prepared to leave the Nanming Domain and once again came to Lin Jing's courtyard to bid him farewell.

As they prepared to part, the two exchanged courteous words.

Ji Xiyue couldn't help but express her feelings,

"Honestly, I'm still somewhat short of the Elixir Alliance's standards."

"Without your help, the Elixir Alliance wouldn't have even considered me."

At this point, Ji Xiyue looked toward Lin Jing, and continued,

"I believe that with your alchemy level, if you were in the Elixir Alliance, you would definitely amaze those old timers."

"And I believe that with your skills, plus the resources of the Elixir Alliance, you would quickly surpass me, even directly reaching the Seventh Grade, or even Eighth Grade Alchemist."

Lin Jing just smiled and said,

"Ji Dao friend!"

"Don't sell yourself short.

I believe that when you're at the Elixir Alliance, with guidance from the Alchemy Dao predecessors, your alchemy will definitely become increasingly formidable."

"Who knows, when we meet again, you might have far surpassed me."

Hearing this, Ji Xiyue gave Lin Jing a sidelong glance and pouted, saying,

"Are you not the heir of an ancient alchemy family?

Is your confidence really that lacking?"

"Well, it's not easy to say..." Lin Jing said sheepishly.

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Now when Lin Jing practiced alchemy, the proficiency he could gain was becoming less and less; even when making low-tier elixirs, he didn't get any proficiency at all.

And the proficiency needed to level up had become an astronomical figure.

Unless he took refuge in one of the top alchemy sects and continuously crafted fifthgrade, or even sixth-grade elixirs, to acquire proficiency,

Otherwise,

Just relying on his current method of cultivating spirit fields or using spirit stones to sporadically purchase spirit plants for refinement,

He wouldn't be able to refine more than a few elixir furnaces in a year, so how could he continue to level up?

It's possible that by the time they met again, Ji Xiyue would have already become a seventh-grade alchemist, while he would still be hovering at the sixth-grade.

To advance to a seventh-grade alchemist, it seemed he would need to think of more ways.

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Ji Xiyue didn't ask further, but by her expression, it seemed she didn't believe Lin Jing at all and probably thought he was being modest.

And Lin Jing didn't explain.

Afterward, the two spoke for some time.

Later, they bid farewell to each other, and Ji Xiyue left.

Ji Xiyue needed to return to the Western Demon Region first, and then from there, travel with the people from the Elixir Alliance to the Eastern Spirit Realm.

After Ji Xiyue left, Lin Jing stood in the courtyard for a long time, until the sunset began to slope westward, he seemed to come back to his senses, murmuring softly,

"It seems, I should also be heading back..."

In the following days, Lin Jing sought out Wei Zhengging for a brief gathering.

After an extensive chat with him, Lin Jing bid farewell.

After leaving Wei Zhengqing, Lin Jing went to Linxian City, met with Ning Yue, and learned from her that the Ning family had already parted ways with the Nanming Immortal Sect.

Ever since Grandpa Shi San spoke those words in the Demon Race Secret Realm, the Qingyuan Sword Sect and Yiyun Pavilion had thoroughly investigated the Nanming Immortal Sect.

If it had been any other time, given that the Nanming Immortal Sect was one of the three major sects, no one would dare to cause trouble at Nanming Immortal Sect even if the ancestor of Nanming Immortal Sect was not present,

But this time, the trouble originated from the ancestor of the Nanming Immortal Sect.

And it was Grandpa Shi San who personally revealed that the ancestor of Nanming Immortal Sect was practicing demonic techniques, so naturally, the ancestors of Qingyuan Sword Sect and Yiyun Pavilion did not dare to neglect this.

They immediately initiated an investigation.

After the investigation, indeed, significant discoveries were made.

The Grand Elder of the Nanming Immortal Sect, along with several other powerful elders, were found to be practicing demonic techniques.

Even some of the core disciples of Nanming Immortal Sect were also practicing demonic techniques.

This situation shocked both Qingyuan Sword Sect and Yiyun Pavilion, who are also among the three major sects.

The ancestors of both Qingyuan Sword Sect and Yiyun Pavilion personally took action, executing all those who practiced demonic techniques,

Not a single one of those demon cultivators, including the Grand Elder of Nanming Immortal Sect, escaped.

With the loss of these individuals, the Nanming Immortal Sect no longer had the capital to be counted as one of the three major sects.

Moreover, when this incident came to light, many disciples of Nanming Immortal Sect voluntarily left the sect.

After this ordeal, the entire Nanming Immortal Sect had completely declined.

All the families and smaller sects that were affiliated with it also left following this event.

The Ning family also departed from the Nanming Immortal Sect during this time.

Upon leaving the Nanming Immortal Sect, the Ning family not only didn't suffer any losses, but there were even signs of growth.

Upon learning of this, Lin Jing merely smiled and offered his congratulations.

Afterward, Lin Jing bid farewell to Ning Yue and then left Linxian City.

After leaving, Lin Jing set off for Sea-Watch City.

On the way, Lin Jing took a detour to Tianxin City to see Steward Cheng, then returned to Mo City, looking at Yu Yan from a distance,

And even Yu Ling, he even saw Yu Ling's son.

Although Yu Ling didn't have a spiritual root, her son possessed a three-attribute spiritual root,

With a three-attribute spiritual root, in Mo City, he could be described as having an exceptionally good aptitude.

Another ten years had passed since the last time, and Yu Ling had already become a woman in appearance.

Though she hadn't aged, her youth was no longer.

This time, as Grandpa Shi San went to the Outer Spatial Void to find a cure for Shi San, it was unknown how long it would take.

It was likely to be a long time.

It is very possible that by the time Shi San woke up again, Yu Ling would have passed away.

But this is the separation between the mortal world and immortality; it cannot be changed.

Mo City was Lin Jing's last stop in the Nanming Domain.

After leaving Mo City, Lin Jing didn't linger any longer, instead, he flew directly towards Sea-Watch City...

Chapter 649: Chapter 277: Encountering the Trade Fair Again Chapter 649: Chapter 277: Encountering the Trade Fair Again When Lin Jing came to the Nanming Domain, the journey was not very smooth, but when he left, there were no obstacles at all, and the departure was unusually smooth.

Lin Jing arrived in Sea-Watch City just as several cultivators needed to use the Teleportation Array, and he joined them conveniently.

Without any delay, they directly boarded the Teleportation Array and left the Nanming Domain.

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In Bihai City's Teleportation Array, a beam of light shot up to the sky, enveloping the entire array platform in the blinding light produced by the teleportation.

After the teleportation light faded, several people appeared in the middle of the array.

Some of them were gathered together, obviously acquainted with each other, and not far from them was another person standing alone.

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The group of cultivators seemed to be intentionally keeping a certain distance from the solitary cultivator.

And although they were together, they seemed particularly restrained.

The solitary cultivator was none other than Lin Jing.

Traveling with Lin Jing were several Golden Core Cultivators, who maintained a certain distance from Lin Jing due to the vast difference in their cultivation levels.

They did not dare to come too close, fearing they might anger Lin Jing.

This was actually quite normal in the Cultivation World.

Although Lin Jing had already advanced to the Divinity Transformation Stage, he did not reveal his true cultivation level but continued to conceal it at the Nascent Soul Stage.

The reason for this was his fear of encountering acquaintances.

Even revealing his Nascent Soul cultivation level was enough to gain considerable attention; if he were to expose his Divinity Transformation Stage cultivation level, it would be even more shocking and astounding.

It might be a bit of a hassle, but this approach was indeed effective for Lin Jing.

Just as he stepped out of the array, Lin Jing heard a voice filled with pleasant surprise:

"Uncle Lin."

"Yan Xing, look quickly…"

"It's Uncle Lin!"

As soon as these words were uttered, another voice filled with excitement followed:

"Really, it is Uncle Lin."

Hearing the voices, Lin Jing quickly turned his head to see two stunningly beautiful women waving at him from the plaza where the Teleportation Array was located.

These two women were none other than Yan Xing and Yan Yue.

Lin Jing was also somewhat surprised to see them.

He hadn't expected to run into acquaintances just after teleporting.

Lin Jing waved back at them and then left the Teleportation Array to walk toward the two sisters.

This time, the Elder in charge of the array was not the Elder Qin from before but someone Lin Jing did not recognize.

Seeing Lin Jing, the man just gave him a glance and then paid him no further attention.

Lin Jing, of course, did not bother him and instead walked directly toward Yan Xing and Yan Yue.

Approaching them, Lin Jing sized up the two sisters with a smile and asked:

"What are you two doing here?"

"Where is your father?"

It had been more than twenty years since he last saw them.

For mortals, twenty years might make up a third of their lifetime, and if they didn't see each other during that time, they would likely return with greatly changed appearances and could hardly recognize each other.

However, for cultivators, twenty years brought little change.

For instance, although Yan Xing and Yan Yue hadn't seen Lin Jing for twenty years, they didn't appear much different.

Especially since both sisters had long taken the Eternal Youth Elixir, ensuring their beauty remained unchanged, looking no different from before.

What changed visibly was probably their demeanor; Lin Jing could clearly sense that they had matured compared to the last time he saw them.

Of course, their cultivation levels had changed too.

Lin Jing had just glanced at them and immediately noticed that the sisters had both reached the early stages of the Golden Core, nearing the middle stage.

Clearly, after taking the Cleansing Spirit Elixir last time, the sisters had quickly advanced to the Golden Core stage after their Spirit Root Aptitudes were enhanced.

Lin Jing had watched these two sisters grow up, so he felt an inexplicable sense of affection when facing them.

Seeing them successfully form their Golden Cores, Lin Jing was very gratified.

The sisters, on their part, were also very happy to face Lin Jing.

Yan Yue then spoke:

"Father and our great grandfather also came to Bihai City, but they had some matters to attend to and temporarily went back to Spirit Rock Island."

"We had nothing to do, so we came out for a walk."

After hearing this, Lin Jing nodded.

Yan Xing then continued:

"We've been out for a while now, so I guess our great grandfather and father should be back soon."

"Uncle Lin, why don't you join us in returning home?

Father will surely be very pleased to know you're here."

Yan Yue nodded and added:

"And great grandfather too."

"He's also been missing Uncle Lin for a long time.

He's been saying he wants to meet you.

Last time when you came to Spirit Rock Island, it was a pity that great grandfather wasn't there, and you didn't get to meet."

The Yan Family's great grandfather was the Divine Transformation Cultivator from the Yan Family.

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He had been in the Nanming Domain the last time Lin Jing visited, so they hadn't met.

Since it was the Yan Family's great grandfather, it would indeed be right to meet him.

Lin Jing then nodded and replied:

"Alright!"

"Then I'll accompany you both back."

After hearing this, the sisters were very pleased and eagerly led the way.

Lin Jing then followed Yan Xing and Yan Yue away from the plaza where the Teleportation Array was located.

After leaving the plaza, Lin Jing accompanied the two sisters to a spacious street in the center of Bihai City, where the Yan Family had set up a shop.

This shop was not small, and it was located right in the center of Bihai City, which reflected the considerable strength of the Yan Family.

The purpose of this shop was mainly to serve the Yan Family, helping them to buy and sell various Spirit Plants.

Chapter 650: Chapter 277: Encounter the Trade Fair Again\_2 Chapter 650: Chapter 277: Encounter the Trade Fair Again\_2 Lin Jing followed the two sisters into the merchant shop and was immediately greeted by members of the Yan Family.

Yan Yue briefly introduced Lin Jing, and then led him through the shop towards the back.

Behind the shop was a fairly large courtyard.

This courtyard was where the Yan Family members rested while in Bihai City.

When the three of them arrived, the old ancestor of the Yan Family and Yan Ming had not yet returned.

It wasn't until an hour later that Yan Ming came back to this place.

At that time, Lin Jing was chatting with the two sisters when he heard Yan Ming's hearty laughter:

"Haha..."

"Brother Lin, it has indeed been a long time since we last met," Yan Ming said.

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Upon hearing this voice, Lin Jing immediately turned his head and saw Yan Ming approaching.

"As soon as I got back to the shop, I was told that Brother Lin had arrived.

It's been a long time since you've appeared, Brother Lin, and your visit today is truly a pleasant surprise," Yan Ming said with a smile.

Lin Jing stood up and went to meet Yan Ming.

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"Brother Yan!"

"I've just returned from the Nanming Domain when I ran into Yan Xing and Yan Yue.

I thought it had been a long time since I'd seen you, so I came over to check in," Lin Jing said.

At that time, Yan Ming came over to Lin Jing, sized him up, and then said:

"Indeed!"

"Brother Lin, you went to the Nanming Domain and ended up staying there for over twenty years; that's quite a long time," Yan Ming remarked.

Lin Jing nodded:

"I hadn't planned to stay so long, but some matters arose that caused the delay," he replied.

Upon hearing this, Yan Ming quickly asked:

"Did you encounter any trouble?"

"If there's trouble, Brother Lin, feel free to speak up; our Yan Family will surely provide full support," Yan Ming offered eagerly.

Lin Jing then chuckled and waved his hand:

"Brother Yan, you worry too much; it was just some issues with cultivation, and there wasn't any trouble," he assured.

Yan Ming, hearing this, breathed a sigh of relief:

"That's good to hear."

After speaking, Yan Ming quickly changed the subject:

"Brother Lin!"

"Your return is timely indeed," Yan Ming continued.

Lin Jing, confused by the remark, looked questioningly at Yan Ming.

Yan Ming spoke again:

"Today there's a high-end trading conference, and those participating in this conference are all at least of the Nascent Soul Stage in cultivation."

"Such a high-end trading conference isn't easy to come by, and since you've returned today, we can go together and take a look," he suggested.

"A trading conference?"

As soon as Lin Jing heard about the trading conference, his brow furrowed instantaneously.

The mention of a trading conference immediately brought to mind Shopkeeper Shen; he had used one to deceive many cultivators into entering the Devouring Spirit Blood Realm.

And the sinister mastermind behind it all was Li Mingwu.

In the end, even Shopkeeper Shen himself was deceived by the Great Cultivator Ling Yi and was transported into the Devouring Spirit Blood Realm, where he ultimately perished.

Now that another trading conference was being mentioned, Lin Jing couldn't help but suspect whether this could be another of Li Mingwu's schemes.

At this moment, Yan Ming was eagerly looking forward to Lin Jing's response.

When he mentioned the trading conference, he saw that Lin Jing's reaction wasn't one of excitement, but rather one of concern.

This left Yan Ming quite puzzled, so he asked:

"Brother Lin, is there a problem?"

Lin Jing looked at Yan Ming and then said:

"Whenever I hear about a trading conference, I remember a major event that happened in the Thousand Islands Domain."

"The former Island Master of Yue Tian Island, Li Mingwu, used a trading conference to deceive cultivators, luring them into a secret space with the intent of using the cultivators for alchemy to aid his own breakthrough."

"Brother Yan, you must have heard of that incident, right?" Lin Jing inquired.

Yan Ming nodded in response:

"Of course."

"That incident was widely discussed; I've naturally heard about it," he acknowledged.

"Is that what you're worried about?" Yan Ming asked, and without waiting for Lin Jing to answer, he reassured him with a smile:

"Rest assured, Brother Lin, there's absolutely no problem with this trading conference."

"This is a high-end trading conference, and all the participants are renowned figures from the Southern Outer Sea, including several Divine Transformation Cultivators," Yan Ming explained.

"For instance, the God of Dongji Island from the Eastern Sea Domain and Li Chen from the Jingyuan Sea Domain are both figures close to the peak of Divinity Transformation."

"Aside from them, the Island Master of True Dragon Islandâ€"one of the three major islands in your Thousand Islands Domainâ€"is also attending this trading conference."

"And my family's old ancestor didn't come with me because he went ahead to the conference earlier."

"Moreover..."

"This trading conference is being held inside the Welcoming Immortals Tower in Bihai City, and Li Mingwu wouldn't dare to touch any of these people, even if he were bold enough."

"So don't worry, Brother Lin, this trading conference is absolutely safe," Yan Ming assured.

After hearing this, Lin Jing was relieved.

Even with all his power, Li Mingwu wouldn't dare to act against the participants of this trading conference, especially not in Bihai City.

Afterward, Yan Ming continued:

"Also, last time you helped Xing'er and Yue'er to refine the Cleansing Spirit Elixir, my family's ancestor was very grateful and has always said that he wanted to meet you,"

"This is a good opportunity."

Upon hearing this, Lin Jing nodded:

"Indeed!"

"I should indeed pay a visit to Elder Yan."

"Since that's the case, let's go to this trading event and see."

"That is how it should be," Yan Ming nodded in agreement.

"This trading event is quite high-end; I expect that many treasures that are rarely seen will appear.

Perhaps we will even find the treasures we are looking for,"

Lin Jing nodded.

"Good..."

"Then let's go take a look together."

After finishing, Yan Ming then gave some instructions to Yan Xing and Yan Yue.

After the instructions, he led Lin Jing away from the place.

Yingxianlou is the largest tavern in Bihai City and also the venue for this trading event.

After leaving the Yan family shop, Lin Jing and Yan Ming went straight to Yingxianlou.

Yan Ming, as the current head of the Yan family, was naturally very familiar with the shopkeeper of Yingxianlou.

No sooner had the two arrived than the shopkeeper of Yingxianlou came out to greet them.

Then, the shopkeeper personally led the two of them upstairs.

The venue for the trading event was on the eighth floor of Yingxianlou, which was very spacious.

Because of the trading event, the entire eighth floor had been closed off.

At the entrance of the stairs, two Golden Core Cultivators were arranged to stand guard.

The shopkeeper of Yingxianlou only escorted the two to the entrance before leaving.

Now it was the turn of the two Golden Core Cultivators standing at the entrance.

These two Golden Core Cultivators obviously recognized Yan Ming as well.

As soon as the two arrived, the Golden Core Cultivators hurriedly greeted them and then guided them upstairs.

As soon as Lin Jing entered the trading hall, they immediately caught the attention of others.

Some turned their heads to look while Divine Sense directly swept over them.

Others made no movement, as if they were indifferent to anything.

But when they saw Yan Ming, they all turned their heads away, and those who extended their Divine Sense simply swept over briefly.

After all, the Yan Family had a renowned name in the Southern Outer Sea.

Moreover, the Elder of the Yan Family was a Great Cultivator at the peak of Divinity Transformation.

No one dared to offend him lightly.

As for Lin Jing, who was beside Yan Ming, although they did not recognize him, Lin Jing himself had the cultivation of the Nascent Soul Stage and met the requirements to attend this trading event.

Furthermore, being together with Yan Ming clearly indicated a good relationship with Yan Ming, suggesting he was invited by Yan Ming.

The most they did was show curiosity and secretly note down Lin Jing's identity.

As fellow Nascent Soul Cultivators, they might deal with each other in the future.

While they were observing him, Lin Jing was also observing them.

At the moment, there were about a dozen people on the entire eighth floor.

Not one of them was in Divine Transformation; all of them had the cultivation of the Nascent Soul Stage.

The Divine Transformation Cultivators, including the ancestor of the Yan Family, were not there at that time.

After arriving upstairs, Yan Ming also took a look around and then said to Lin Jing:

"The ancestor is not here."

"Not only the ancestor, but the other Divinity Transformation Cultivators are also not present; it seems they should be together," Yan Ming stated.

Lin Jing nodded.

After that, the two of them, like everyone else, found a place to sit down and waited for the trading event to start.

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Time passed by little by little.

From an originally sparse crowd, the eighth floor gradually filled up with more people arriving.

The number of attendees at the trading event had increased to more than twenty.

At this moment, Lin Jing finally saw two familiar faces.

One of them was the True Lord of Yelin Island from Thousand Islands Domain, who also participated in this trading event.

The other was the True Lord Qi Yan.

Upon arrival, True Lord Qi Yan immediately saw Lin Jing and Yan Ming.

He walked straight towards the two of them.

Just as True Lord Qi Yan arrived, before he could speak, Yan Ming took the initiative to say:

"Previously when we searched for you, you said you wouldn't come.

Why the change of heart?"

True Lord Qi Yan seemed a bit embarrassed and spoke awkwardly:

"The Magical Treasure I was refining failed unintentionally, and I am here to see if I can find some useful materials."

After speaking, True Lord Qi Yan looked towards Lin Jing and then said with a smile:

"Lin Daoyou, long time no see."

Lin Jing also responded with a smile:

"Qi Yan Daoyou, long time no see..."