

Talent 621

Chapter 621: Ye Tian's Arrival!

The rules of the Twilight Forbidden Zone restricted Planetary System-level and higher realm experts from entering, but it also limited the growth of Slaughter Devil Soldiers.

Within the Twilight Forbidden Zone, the energy limit of Slaughter Devil Soldiers could only reach the peak of the Great God level. They could grow in other aspects, such as increasing their speed, defense, and binding capabilities, or developing other strange abilities.

However, no matter how they increased, the strength of the Slaughter Devil Soldiers could not reach the level of a Supreme Prince. At most, they could only be just below a Supreme Prince.

Of course, some Slaughter Devil Soldiers might match a Supreme Prince in speed or in a momentary burst of power. If such Slaughter Devil Soldiers gathered together, they could indeed pose a threat to a Supreme Prince.

However, the Slaughter Devil Soldier Ye Tian had just encountered was not very powerful at all. It was not even worth Ye Tian's attention, nor did it pique his interest in researching it.

After killing this Slaughter Devil Soldier, Ye Tian sped up towards the direction sensed by the Parent Dragon Blood Jade Pendant.

Along the way, Ye Tian continuously encountered some Slaughter Devil Soldiers, all of which he instantly killed.

Half an hour later...

"Almost there!"

Ye Tian sensed through the Parent Dragon Blood Jade Pendant and found that the connection between the Parent Dragon Blood Jade Pendant and the Child Dragon Blood Jade Pendant was becoming stronger. This indicated that the distance between the two was rapidly decreasing and they were not far apart.

In a certain part of the Twilight Forbidden Zone...

A young Dragon Race girl with golden horns was fighting at the entrance of a dilapidated temple. Outside were countless Slaughter Devil Soldiers, and commanding them was not another Slaughter Devil Soldier, but a true living being.

“A congenital divine being in the Twilight Forbidden Zone, and it’s a Slaughter God. Damn it, his divinity is the same as these Slaughter Devil Soldiers, so he can control some of them. If it were one-on-one, I could escape from this Slaughter God. But there are too many Slaughter Devil Soldiers here; I have no hope of breaking through!”

The Dragon Race girl frowned. She was trapped, and if not for the Slaughter Devil Soldiers’ fear of the temple, not daring to enter, she would have already perished.

Even so, she could not hold on for much longer.

She knew very well why these Slaughter Devil Soldiers dared not enter the temple. It was because this was an abandoned Dragon Race temple, which forbade non-Dragon Race members from entering.

But the temple was very dilapidated, and under the constant assault of the Slaughter Devil Soldiers, the formation was gradually collapsing.

Once the Dragon Race’s formation disappeared, it would become an ordinary temple. The Slaughter Devil Soldiers would no longer fear it and would rush in.

At that time, she would be in grave danger.

Suddenly, she sensed the Child Dragon Blood Jade Pendant on her body starting to tremble.

“The Child Dragon Blood Jade Pendant is trembling, could it be...”

The Dragon Race girl became excited.

Under normal circumstances, the Child Dragon Blood Jade Pendant would not exhibit any abnormal conditions and could not sense the location of the Parent Dragon Blood Jade Pendant. However, if the Parent Dragon Blood Jade Pendant was very close to the Child Dragon Blood Jade Pendant, the latter could sense the location of the former and emit a trembling anomaly.

At this moment, the Child Dragon Blood Jade Pendant was trembling continuously, indicating that the Parent Dragon Blood Jade Pendant was approaching her.

“Is Father coming?”

The Dragon Race girl entertained the thought but quickly shook her head.

Her father was a Supreme. If a Supreme dared to step into the Twilight Forbidden Zone, it would be tantamount to opposing the entire Twilight Forbidden Zone. It would cause the entire land to tremble, and the resulting shockwave would be enough to annihilate all living beings in the Twilight Forbidden Zone.

Not only would this not save her, but it would also endanger her.

So, her father could not come to the Twilight Forbidden Zone and would even prevent other Supremes from entering.

“It should be someone sent by my father to the Twilight Forbidden Zone. But the Twilight Forbidden Zone only allows those of the Great God level at most.”

“My strength ranks among the top in the Dragon Race’s Great God level. Did Father send a large number of Dragon Race Great God-level geniuses into the Twilight Forbidden Zone, or did they bring powerful secret treasures?” the Dragon Race girl pondered.

Though she doubted the newcomer could save her, it was still a glimmer of hope.

She did not want to perish here; even a slight chance of survival was better than none.

“They’re here!”

The Dragon Race girl sensed through the Child Dragon Blood Jade Pendant that the person holding the Parent Dragon Blood Jade Pendant had arrived.

With a swish, she scanned the distance and saw a figure rapidly approaching.

“That’s a human!” she exclaimed in surprise.

Not far away, Ye Tian arrived and scanned the area with his divine sense, quickly spotting the Dragon Race girl, Jin Shan, surrounded by numerous Slaughter Devil Soldiers.

“A real living being!”

Ye Tian also noticed the congenital divine being, who looked back at him.

Their eyes met.

Ye Tian quickly discerned the identity of this congenital divine being, sensing the intense and unmasked aura of innate divine power.

“A congenital divine being, likely born in the Twilight Forbidden Zone, possessing slaughter divine power and able to control some Slaughter Devil Soldiers. No wonder these Slaughter Devil Soldiers are so united. Without this congenital divine being, these soldiers wouldn’t be able to band together to attack the Dragon Race’s Princess Jin Shan!” Ye Tian thought.

“Kill him!” the congenital divine being commanded a portion of the Slaughter Devil Soldiers to attack Ye Tian.

The Dragon Race girl saw Ye Tian coming alone and realized the Parent Dragon Blood Jade Pendant was with him.

“Why did Father send a human to save me, and only one person at that? His strength might not even match mine. Now there’s no hope at all!” Princess Jin Shan despaired.

But in the next moment, she was stunned.

Ye Tian swung his saber, and all the attacking Slaughter Devil Soldiers were blasted to pieces.

With a series of loud crashes, Slaughter Devil Soldiers fell one after another, unable to stop Ye Tian's advance.

At this point, the congenital divine being panicked.

He wasn't foolish; he could tell Ye Tian's strength was immense, far beyond his own.

If Ye Tian came for him, he might not be able to resist.

But he had a trump card!

"Rush in, all of you, self-destruct!" the congenital divine being ordered.

Slaughter Devil Soldiers were humanoid weapons capable of self-destructing, causing explosions far more powerful than their full-force attacks. If a large number of Slaughter Devil Soldiers self-destructed, it would create a terrifying blast.

Normally, he wouldn't resort to such measures.

He couldn't easily control a Slaughter Devil Soldier; he had to find ones with compatible attributes and use special means to control them.

These Slaughter Devil Soldiers were accumulated over long ages and were too valuable to lose.

But now, Ye Tian's power terrified him, leaving him no choice.

With swishing sounds, numerous Slaughter Devil Soldiers rushed at Ye Tian and self-destructed upon nearing him.

The resulting explosions shook the area, even causing the Dragon Race temple to tremble. The temple's protective formations rapidly dissipated.

In an instant, the temple's formations vanished.

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"Not good!"

The Dragon Race girl, Jin Shan, turned pale.

If the temple's formation disappeared, the Slaughter Demons could rush in.

As for Ye Tian, although she previously believed in his immense strength, the recent self-destruction of so many Slaughter Demons made it uncertain if he could survive.

If Ye Tian died, she would be doomed.

The only good news was that the Innate Deity targeted Ye Tian, temporarily sparing her from the Slaughter Demons' attacks.

At present, they just needed to confirm if Ye Tian was still alive.

Boom! A powerful aura emanated from the center of the explosion.

Next, countless fragments of Slaughter Demons flew out.

"Innate Deity, these Slaughter Demons are too weak to threaten me. Even if they all self-destruct, they can't break through my defense!"

Ye Tian emerged with his saber, completely unscathed.

Clearly, the Slaughter Demons couldn't harm him.

At this moment, the Innate Deity was stunned, eyes filled with fear.

“You’re very strong. I admit defeat. I’m willing to offer you some treasures. There’s no need for us to kill each other!” The Innate Deity pleaded.

“If I kill you, all your treasures will naturally be mine!” Ye Tian responded with a smile.

Swish! The Innate Deity tried to flee, manipulating the Slaughter Demons to stop Ye Tian.

However, he grossly underestimated Ye Tian’s strength.

“Spatial Imprisonment!”

The void instantly turned into a swamp, making it difficult for the Innate Deity to escape.

“Heavenly Moon Saber, die!”

The saber energy of the Heavenly Moon Saber pierced through space, instantly impaling the Innate Deity.

In the next moment, the deity turned into a corpse, falling to the ground.

Although the Slaughter Demons lost control, they reverted to their nature, still attacking Ye Tian.

Boom! Boom! Boom! Ye Tian slayed a group with each strike, quickly annihilating all the Slaughter Demons.

After dispatching the Slaughter Demons, Ye Tian approached the Innate Deity’s corpse and took his spatial storage equipment.

As for the treasures inside, he didn’t have time to check them now.

Swish! Ye Tian teleported next to the Dragon Race girl, Princess Jin Shan, and said, “You must be Princess Jin Shan of the Dragon Race.”

Jin Shan, both curious and fearful, stared at Ye Tian and asked softly, “Who are you? Did my father send you to rescue me? I sense the Parent Dragon Blood Jade Pendant on you, which has always been with my father.”

“That’s right!”

Ye Tian confirmed. “Your father indeed sent me to rescue you, but it’s merely a transaction between us. As for who I am, it’s no secret. I am the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws from the Human Race. Let’s go, I’ll take you out!”

“Human Race, Prince of Ten Thousand Laws!”

Jin Shan’s pupils contracted sharply.

As a God level herself, she had naturally heard of the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, frequently from the high-ranking members of the Dragon Race.

The Dragon Race even assessed that the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws had likely reached the Supreme level and was not just any Supreme level but one of the top in that realm.

She considered herself among the top Great Gods in the Dragon Race, but compared to a Supreme level, the difference was vast.

“No wonder he could sweep through those Slaughter Demons!” Jin Shan thought to herself.

“Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, could we stay in the Twilight Forbidden Zone a little longer?” Jin Shan asked.

“No.”

Ye Tian replied sternly, “I have limited time and can’t stay in the Twilight Forbidden Zone. I must take you back to the Golden Blood Dragon Hall. If any accidents occur, I won’t be able to explain!”

Jin Shan hesitated, seemingly conflicted.

Suddenly, she spoke, “Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, I didn’t come to the Twilight Forbidden Zone on a whim. I learned of a great opportunity here. I didn’t want to disclose it to the other princes of the Dragon Race, so I brought a group of elite God level subordinates. But the dangers of the Twilight Forbidden Zone far exceeded my expectations. All my subordinates perished, and I exhausted most of my life-saving treasures. But if I don’t seize this great opportunity, I won’t be able to forgive myself! I can promise that if you help me, we’ll split the opportunity evenly. What do you think?”

“What kind of opportunity?” Ye Tian asked calmly.

“World Source Stones!” Jin Shan replied.

“What? World Source Stones? Are you serious?” Ye Tian was visibly moved.

World Source Stones were nearly useless to Dominators and Supremes, merely a pile of worthless rocks. However, for those at the Great God level, they were extremely valuable, even priceless.

Great God level cultivators needed to open up a dantian world to reach the Planetary System level. The quality of the world they created varied, and typically, the worlds they opened were quite ordinary. Special items could enhance the world’s quality.

For example, Ye Tian’s Ancient Chaos Tree or the World Tree could both help in creating a world and improving its quality.

World Source Stones were also such items. They could stabilize the world’s foundation and enhance its essence, making the dantian world indestructible.

It was rumored that some worlds, fortified with a large number of World Source Stones, could even withstand attacks from Supremes without being destroyed.

However, World Source Stones were incredibly rare. One or two stones were practically useless, and the number of Great God level individuals attempting to reach the Planetary System level was so vast that it was nearly impossible to preserve any World Source Stones.

Take the Human Race, for instance. The number of Great God level individuals needing World Source Stones was countless. Even with his status, Ye Tian found it difficult to acquire a significant number of them, and the few he did obtain were not very useful to him.

To obtain a large quantity of World Source Stones, one had to rely on luck.

“How many World Source Stones are there?” Ye Tian asked.

“A lot!” Jin Shan replied. “Enough for both of us to use, but the place is very dangerous. I can’t get them on my own, so I need your help!”

“How did you find out about this?” Ye Tian asked again.

“Actually, this secret isn’t much of a secret to the high-ranking members of the Dragon Race. However, the Twilight Forbidden Zone is extremely dangerous. If the Dragon Race were to send a large number of God level individuals to mine the stones, the losses would be severe.

I found out from my father’s secret archives and thought that with my strength and a large group of elite guards, I should be able to obtain the World Source Stones.

But I didn’t expect the dangers of the Twilight Forbidden Zone to be beyond my imagination. All my subordinates perished, and I used up most of my life-saving treasures.

But if I don’t get those World Source Stones, I won’t be able to forgive myself! I promise, if you help me, we’ll split the stones evenly. What do you say?”

Ye Tian now understood.

In short, Princess Jin Shan had overestimated her own abilities and underestimated the dangers.

“Alright, I’ll go with you, but I want seventy percent of the World Source Stones. Otherwise, the deal is off!” Ye Tian stated.

“What? Seventy percent?” Jin Shan frowned deeply.

If Ye Tian took seventy percent, she would only get thirty percent. That was far too little.

But if she didn't agree, she wouldn't dare to go! Now that she knew the dangers of the Twilight Forbidden Zone, if she went there alone, she was almost certain to die.

"Alright, I agree!" Jin Shan nodded in agreement.

"Good, then lead the way!" Ye Tian smiled.

He felt this deal was very worthwhile. Not only could he obtain a large amount of Golden Blood Jade Liquid from the Dragon Race, but he also had a chance to acquire a significant quantity of World Source Stones.

If he obtained a large number of World Source Stones, he could elevate the quality of his dantian world to a very high level.

If he gained other opportunities, he might even improve further.

In short, the more treasures that could enhance the world's quality, the better.

Immediately, Jin Shan led Ye Tian deeper into the Twilight Forbidden Zone.

Along the way, they encountered many Slaughter Demons, but Ye Tian easily dispatched them.

At one point, Jin Shan suddenly spoke up, "Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, according to the Dragon Race's information, there are undead creatures ahead! These undead are fragmented souls trapped here, fused with corpses over countless years, forming a different kind of life.

These undead creatures are at the God level, but their bodies are the corpses of past Planetary System level, Galaxy level, Universal Gods, and even Dominators. They might retain a small portion of their previous power, allowing them to briefly unleash terrifying combat strength. They are even more dangerous than Slaughter Demons.

Initially, I didn't think much of it, but after seeing the power of the Slaughter Demons, I believe these undead might be very tough to deal with!"

“Leave it to me!” Ye Tian said confidently, moving ahead while Jin Shan followed cautiously, fearing a sneak attack by the undead.

After walking for a while, Ye Tian’s eyebrows twitched, and he looked towards a certain direction.

“There should be an undead creature approaching!”

Hearing Ye Tian’s words, Jin Shan tensed up.

Chapter 623: The Poison Curse Talent Unleashed!

Boom!!! A skeletal dragon flew rapidly from afar, its entire body pitch black, clearly an undead creature formed from the corpse of a black dragon.

Its aura was incredibly strong, far surpassing that of a typical Great God. Even the previous slaughter soldiers paled in comparison to this skeletal dragon.

“It’s a bone dragon formed from the corpse of the Universal God Black Dragon!” Jin Shan immediately recognized its origin and exclaimed urgently.

“The corpse of the Universal God Black Dragon,” Ye Tian murmured.

Due to the limitations of the cosmic rules, it was difficult for beings above the God level to enhance their physical strength. Although the physical bodies of Universal Gods seemed no different from Great Gods, in reality, the differences were substantial.

Firstly, the physical bodies of Universal Gods were immortal, while those of Great Gods had a lifespan limit. In terms of life level, Universal Gods were pseudo-fourth tier beings, while Great Gods were at most pseudo-third tier. This difference in life level directly resulted in a significant disparity in physical defense.

The skeletal remains of the Universal God Black Dragon possessed formidable defensive capabilities and remarkable regenerative abilities, far beyond what a Great God could compare to.

Additionally, the bones of this skeletal dragon likely contained the Dragon Power of the Universal God Black Dragon. Even if this power lay dormant and the bone dragon struggled to control it, a sudden outburst could still unleash a terrifying impact.

Moreover, this skeletal dragon carried a faint pressure of a Universal God, which could impose tremendous pressure on Great Gods, hindering their ability to exert their full power.

At this moment, Jin Shan was affected. Being from the Dragon Race, specifically the noble Gold Dragon Race, she still couldn't resist the dragon might of a Universal God.

Thus, when the bone dragon approached, the faint dragon might of the Universal God caused her face to turn slightly pale.

"Leave it to me," Ye Tian said calmly.

Then, he made his move. "Six Paths Chaos Palm!"

A six-fingered hand appeared in the void, with each finger containing the power of a Dao. The six powers circulated and intertwined, forming a formidable suppression force of the Six Paths of Reincarnation. Combined with the power of the Chaos Dao, the Six Paths Chaos Palm became an incredibly terrifying divine secret technique.

Boom!!! The Six Paths Chaos Palm descended, and although the bone dragon resisted with all its might, its power was suppressed by the Six Paths. It couldn't fully unleash its strength and couldn't even escape.

"Roar!!!"

Black light erupted from the bone dragon, representing the power of the Universal God, bursting forth in this moment.

Unfortunately, this power, having endured countless ages, was no longer as formidable as it once was. It could only deal with other Great Gods and couldn't shake someone like Ye Tian, a Child of the Era.

Crack, crack, crack!!! In an instant, the bone dragon was shattered by Ye Tian's Six Paths Chaos Palm, fragments scattering everywhere.

After the strike, Ye Tian said, “Princess Jin Shan, let’s continue.”

“Uh, okay!” Jin Shan nodded blankly.

Although she had witnessed Ye Tian’s strength before, seeing him annihilate a bone dragon formed from a Universal God in an instant still left her utterly shocked.

“Too strong!” She couldn’t fathom Ye Tian’s true limits and finally understood why the high-ranking members of her clan spoke so highly of the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws from the human race.

The pair continued their journey.

Deep within the Twilight Forbidden Zone, there were many undead creatures. At one point, they even encountered an undead army composed entirely of ferocious beast skeletons, including those of Universal God-level beasts.

Although Ye Tian was confident he could confront the undead army head-on—his power was infinite, supported by the Ancient Chaos Realm, so he didn’t fear exhausting his strength—he chose to avoid them to save time and prevent being surrounded by the undead army.

Finally, Ye Tian and Jin Shan reached their destination, the place containing the World Source Stone.

“Your Highness of Ten Thousand Laws, this is the place!” Jin Shan pointed to a river not far ahead.

Ye Tian looked over and quickly realized that this river wasn’t an ordinary one, but a river of blood.

From this river of blood, Ye Tian sensed a faint threat. Although it was just a slight sense, it was enough to prove that this place was extremely dangerous.

“Princess Jin Shan, do you know the origin of this blood river?” Ye Tian asked.

Jin Shan recounted the information she had gathered from ancient texts: “I know a bit. It’s said that during ancient times, there was an internal war among ferocious beasts. Countless beasts died, and their blood flowed here, forming this blood river.

This blood river also gave birth to a special type of creature known as blood beasts. These blood beasts depend on the blood river, and as long as they’re in the river, their power is nearly inexhaustible and they’re very hard to kill.

It’s said that there are many blood beasts in the river, but I don’t know the exact number. I originally prepared some special weapons specifically for dealing with these blood beasts, carried by my guards. However, those guards died protecting me shortly after entering the Twilight Forbidden Zone.”

“The World Source Stone should be at the bottom of the blood river, right?” Ye Tian asked.

“Yes,” Jin Shan nodded.

“Wait outside the blood river. If you enter, I’m afraid I won’t be able to protect you,” Ye Tian said seriously.

“Alright,” Jin Shan nodded reluctantly.

In the Dragon Race, her strength was among the top even among Great Gods. She was used to considering others as burdens, but now, it seemed Ye Tian saw her as one. There was no choice; her strength was indeed weak, making it difficult to reach the bottom of the blood river without being overwhelmed by the numerous blood beasts.

With a swift movement, Ye Tian flew into the blood river. As soon as he entered, a large group of blood beasts swarmed towards him.

Ye Tian used his copy talent to envelop the area, observing the talents of these blood beasts. They all shared a common talent—the Blood Source Talent. This talent was clearly related to the blood river, allowing them to draw power from it. Without the blood river, these blood beasts wouldn’t pose a threat even to someone like Jin Shan, a Peak Child of the Universe.

In essence, without the blood river, these blood beasts would be useless. As they attacked, Ye Tian released a barrage of spatial blades.

Puff, puff, puff!!! Each blood beast struck by the spatial blades was torn into pieces, but their bodies quickly regenerated under the river's power.

“They’re indeed hard to kill, but let’s see if they can withstand the Poison Curse Talent!” Ye Tian thought to himself.

Immediately, Ye Tian unleashed his Poison Curse Talent, releasing a curse poison onto the blood beasts.

Soon, the curse poison spread, and the blood served as a perfect medium, infecting many blood beasts.

Gradually, green spots appeared on the blood beasts’ bodies, spreading at an incredible speed.

In no time, many of the blood beasts were completely invaded by the curse poison, transforming into poison beasts.

Moreover, Ye Tian could control these poison beasts, showcasing the terrifying aspect of the Poison Curse Talent.

However, this was because these blood beasts were inherently weak, relying entirely on the blood river for their strength. The Poison Curse Talent was their nemesis.

“Any blood beast that approaches me, go and attack them!” Ye Tian commanded.

Thus, with the blood beasts under his control, Ye Tian continued his journey to retrieve the World Source Stone.

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With these cursed poison beasts, Ye Tian no longer needed to worry about other blood beasts.

If any blood beasts approached, they would be attacked by the cursed poison beasts, spreading the curse and poison, creating more cursed poison beasts.

However, Ye Tian couldn't control these cursed poison beasts forever, nor could he control too many of them at once. Additionally, the lifespan of cursed poison beasts was very short; without special methods to seal them, they would quickly die.

This was a flaw of the poison curse talent. For example, the poison people encountered in the Yuan Ancient Hall were modified and sealed to survive for so long; otherwise, they would have died long ago.

Soon, Ye Tian reached the bottom of the Blood River.

After a brief search, he quickly detected the fluctuations of a World Source Stone.

“There really are World Source Stones, and it's a whole vein of them! Its value is immeasurable!”

Ye Tian was quite excited.

These World Source Stones were more than enough, not just for him, but for dozens or even hundreds of people. Even if his consumption far exceeded that of others, he would never have to worry about running out of World Source Stones.

Immediately, Ye Tian began mining the World Source Stones at the bottom of the Blood River.

Time passed slowly, and soon a few days had gone by.

Outside the Blood River.

Jin Shan was extremely worried. She wasn't concerned about Ye Tian's life or death, but about herself.

If Ye Tian perished in the Blood River, not only would she be unable to mine the World Source Stones, but it would also be very difficult for her to leave the Twilight Forbidden Zone.

At the very least, she believed she didn't have the strength to contend with those undead creatures.

“Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, please don’t die in the Blood River!” Jin Shan thought to herself.

Suddenly, the Blood River surged, and a figure flew out of it. Jin Shan looked closely and was overjoyed. “Prince of Ten Thousand Laws!”

With a flash, Ye Tian teleported in front of Jin Shan and said, “Princess Jin Shan, there is indeed a World Source Stone vein down there. I’ve been mining for a few days and have extracted all the World Source Stones from this area.

However, this Blood River is very long, and there should be more World Source Stones in other areas, so we need to search around.”

“Your World Source Stones...” Jin Shan looked at Ye Tian with longing, hesitant to speak.

“Don’t worry, I won’t covet your thirty percent share of the World Source Stones. Here, take these that I’ve just mined!”

As he spoke, Ye Tian took out a spatial ring and handed it to Jin Shan.

Jin Shan accepted the spatial ring and, upon inspecting it, found it contained a large number of World Source Stones.

She counted them silently, astonished by the quantity. “This amount is truly incredible. To impact the planetary system level, even for improving the world’s quality, a few hundred stones would suffice. For worlds with high potential, a thousand stones might be used, but now I’ve obtained over 300 stones!”

Such a vast number of World Source Stones were enough to elevate the world she had created to its potential limit, an advantage and benefit unimaginable to other God-level beings! Moreover, Ye Tian might continue to find World Source Stones, allowing her to obtain even more in the future.

However, thinking about the larger number of World Source Stones Ye Tian had made her feel a twinge of envy and jealousy.

If Ye Tian were weaker, she might have considered seizing them. Unfortunately, Ye Tian's strength far exceeded her imagination. It was already fortunate he didn't take her World Source Stones; how could she dare to snatch his?

In the following days, Ye Tian continued to search for World Source Stones. After some time, he finally discovered two more World Source Stone veins.

He mined all these World Source Stones as well.

In the blink of an eye, a month had passed.

On this day, Ye Tian tallied his World Source Stones and found he had collected 1820 stones. (number may not be accurate)

Such a large number of World Source Stones was more than sufficient for his use, and he could even provide them to his wife, sister, and others.

After searching for a few more days without finding any more World Source Stones, Ye Tian suggested, "Princess Jin Shan, it seems there are no more World Source Stones. We should consider leaving.

You have been in the Twilight Forbidden Zone for a long time, and your father is likely very worried by now. If we stay here any longer, it would be a waste of time and might cause your father even more concern."

"Alright!" Jin Shan nodded repeatedly.

She had long wanted to leave the Twilight Forbidden Zone, but she stayed only for the World Source Stones. Now that she no longer lacked them, she had no desire to stay any longer.

"Let's go!"

Ye Tian led Jin Shan, traversing the area with ease. Along the way, no undead creatures or killing demonic soldiers could stop Ye Tian; he killed them all effortlessly.

Before long, Ye Tian successfully led Jin Shan out of the Twilight Forbidden Zone.

Outside the Twilight Forbidden Zone, the Dragon Race soldiers stationed there spotted Ye Tian and Jin Shan and immediately approached.

“Greetings, Princess Jin Shan!” The Dragon Race soldiers spoke with reverence.

Soon after, a powerful aura emanated around them.

Boom!!!! A manifestation of the Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor descended, its terrifying aura permeating the surroundings but quickly retracted.

Upon seeing the Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor, Jin Shan excitedly called out, “Father!”

The Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor feigned anger, “You little girl, always running off. The Twilight Forbidden Zone is not a place you should be. If you do this again, I’ll ground you for a hundred thousand years!”

“Father, I was wrong. I won’t dare do it again!” Jin Shan lowered her head.

The Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor didn’t scold Jin Shan further and instead turned to Ye Tian, “Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, I owe you a great debt this time.

Might you have time to stay for a day or two so that I can host a banquet to thank you?”

Ye Tian pondered for a moment, then nodded, “Alright! Then I shall trouble you, Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor!”

Ye Tian knew the Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor’s offer was more a gesture of goodwill than genuine gratitude. However, refusing might offend the Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor. Since humanity and the Dragon Race had not yet truly clashed, it wasn’t wise to offend one of the three supreme beings of the Dragon Race. Hence, he agreed.

Swish! Dominator Dark appeared before Ye Tian, “Your Highness!”

“Dominator Dark, let’s go to the Golden Blood Dragon Star first. We’ll return to humanity after the banquet,” Ye Tian suggested.

“Since you’ve decided, Your Highness, I’ll accompany you for a few more days,” Dominator Dark nodded.

Shortly after, Ye Tian and Jin Shan returned to the Golden Blood Dragon Star together.

The Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor then arranged accommodations for Ye Tian and Dominator Dark in a pavilion.

Meanwhile, the Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor began preparing the banquet, not only to celebrate Jin Shan’s safe return but also to thank Ye Tian.

Since it wasn’t a particularly high-level banquet, the other two supreme beings of the Dragon Race didn’t attend. Most of the guests were strong members of the Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor’s lineage and some talented young Dragon Race members.

On this day, the banquet commenced. Ye Tian sat next to Princess Jin Shan at the head table, surrounded by many Dragon Race strongmen. The entire banquet was very lively.

“The Dragon Race is not weak at all!”

Ye Tian scanned the area, seeing numerous Universal Gods and Dominators. Although they couldn’t compare to humanity, the Dragon Race was undoubtedly a very powerful race among the higher races.

At the banquet, a Dragon Race True God noticed Ye Tian at the head table and was stunned.

“It’s him!”

The Dragon Race True God exclaimed in surprise.

Ye Tian also noticed this Dragon Race True God and smiled slightly, recognizing him immediately.

“Long Tianlin, I didn’t expect he had cultivated to the peak of the True God level. It seems his luck has been good these years,” Ye Tian thought to himself.

Chapter 625: Long Tianlin’s Shock!

Long Tianlin left a deep impression on Ye Tian.

Back on Earth, Long Tianlin led a faction of dragons in an attempt to occupy the planet. Though Ye Tian eventually defeated him, initially, Long Tianlin was invincible among his peers on Earth.

Unfortunately for Long Tianlin, he was too weak in comparison to the later stages of Ye Tian’s power.

At that time, Long Tianlin wasn’t even considered a Heavenly Pride.

However, judging by Long Tianlin’s current talent and aura, it seemed he later advanced to the level of a Heavenly Pride and had significant opportunities. Otherwise, he wouldn’t have been able to cultivate to the ninth stage of the True God level in such a short time.

Of course, even at the ninth stage of True God level, Long Tianlin wasn’t considered a genius among the dragons.

“Long Tianlin standing next to the True God level golden dragon must be one of that True God’s many guards,” Ye Tian mused.

He then stopped paying attention to Long Tianlin. After all, someone as insignificant as Long Tianlin couldn’t hold his interest for long; he only glanced at him because they had crossed paths before.

On the other side, Long Tianlin was utterly shocked and couldn’t recover for a long time.

“Ye Tian? How could he be on our Dragon Race’s Golden Blood Dragon Star, and sitting with those important dragons?” Long Tianlin thought, astonished.

Out of curiosity, he quietly asked his current master, “Young Master Jinlan, that person should be human, right? Why is he on our Dragon Race’s territory? As far as I know, our Dragon Race and humans have a very poor relationship.”

Young Master Jinlan glanced at Long Tianlin and replied calmly, “Tianlin, you were born in a relatively backward area of the Dragon Race, so it’s normal for your knowledge to be limited. But this human is not someone you or I can provoke. His status among humans is incredibly high, and his strength far exceeds our imagination. All I know is that even our Dragon Race’s

Great God-level figures are no match for him. Not to mention, even among the Great God-level figures of the Universe’s major clans like the Immortal Race and the Demon Race, none can compare to the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws. You could say he’s the strongest Great God in the universe!”

“What!!” Long Tianlin was dumbfounded.

He remembered that although he had lost to Ye Tian before, at that time, Ye Tian was just a Heavenly Pride, and not even the strongest one, just an ordinary Heavenly Pride.

Above the Heavenly Pride, there were the Children of the Universe, with numerous tiers among them. Even the human race was just an ordinary major race in the universe, and it was rare for such a race to produce a powerful Child of the Universe, let alone one comparable to those of the Immortal Race and Demon Race.

But now, Young Master Jinlan claimed that Ye Tian was the strongest Great God in the universe. Such a title seemed too exaggerated!

Young Master Jinlan continued, “The reason the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws is here is because of Princess Jin Shan. You’ve heard of her, right? She’s one of the top Great God-level figures in our Dragon Race. Not long ago, she entered the Dragon Race’s Twilight Forbidden Zone and got trapped. Many of our Dragon Race’s Great God-level figures entered but all fell. Out of options, they collaborated with the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, who entered the forbidden land and rescued Princess Jin Shan. That’s why the Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor is hosting this banquet. In fact, even I rarely get to meet the Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor. This time, we owe our chance to meet the Golden Blood Dragon Ancestor to this human Prince of Ten Thousand Laws!”

Long Tianlin lowered his head, no longer asking questions, but his heart was filled with shock and bitterness.

Once, Ye Tian had been beneath him when he invaded Earth. But in such a short time, Ye Tian had surpassed him. Without the help of his grandfather, Long Tianlin might have perished on Earth. Seeking greater power, he left his area and came to the core region of the Dragon Race. By chance, he became a Heavenly Pride and rose quickly.

Long Tianlin had thought he could surpass Ye Tian, but now, in comparison, he realized not only had he not surpassed him, the gap had grown even wider to an unimaginable extent.

The banquet lasted an entire day. After it concluded, Ye Tian left the Dragon Race. As the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws was of the Human Race, it wasn't safe for him to stay long among the Dragon Race. If the Dragon Race decided to turn against him or if other major cosmic clans attempted to assassinate him, the Dragon Race might not protect him wholeheartedly. Therefore, it was wise to leave the Dragon Race as soon as possible.

Escorted by Dominator Dark, Ye Tian returned to the Supreme Hall of Humanity. The journey was safe and uneventful.

Upon his return, Ye Tian immediately took out some of the Glazed Golden Wave Liquid given to him by the Golden Blood Dragon Race.

"With this much Glazed Golden Wave Liquid, I should be able to cultivate the third layer of the Chaos Golden Desolation Technique to the perfected realm," Ye Tian thought.

He then initiated a 100-fold time acceleration and continuously consumed the Glazed Golden Wave Liquid to cultivate the Chaos Golden Desolation Technique. In the blink of an eye, a century passed in the outside world, while Ye Tian cultivated for a full ten thousand years under time acceleration.

With such a long period of cultivation, aided by the Glazed Golden Wave Liquid, Ye Tian finally perfected the third layer of the Chaos Golden Desolation Technique, significantly enhancing his physical limits.

Afterward, Ye Tian spent some time tempering his body further, eventually pushing his physical strength to its limits, making him much stronger than before.

Next, Ye Tian continued to compress his celestial force. He discovered that the Chaos Golden Desolation Technique could also assist in compressing celestial force. With the third layer perfected, his speed in compressing celestial force increased considerably.

One day, Ye Tian received a message from his wife, Xiao Yue.

“Yue’er is going to attempt the Planetary System level!”

Upon hearing this, Ye Tian hurried to the headquarters of Tianlan Giant City.

At the headquarters, Ye Tian met Xiao Yue.

“Yue’er, are you sure you want to attempt the Planetary System level?” Ye Tian asked.

“Yes!” Xiao Yue nodded. “I have already cultivated to the peak of the Great God level, and with your repeated enhancement of my talents, my current strength is comparable to an ordinary Child of the Universe. Spending more time at the Great God level won’t increase my strength much more. It’s better to try for the Planetary System level. Moreover, the Tian Pavilion needs more strong individuals. If there’s one more at the Planetary System level, it would give Tian Pavilion more influence.”

“Alright, I support you!” Ye Tian said, patting his wife’s head.

He then took out some World Source Stones.

“These are World Source Stones, which will improve the quality of the world you create. Additionally, I will guard you during this crucial time. Attempting the Planetary System level is critical and must not have any mistakes!” Ye Tian said earnestly.

“Okay!” Xiao Yue smiled happily.

Subsequently, under Ye Tian’s arrangements, Xiao Yue entered a Heaven-reaching Tower in Tianlan Giant City to undergo seclusion and attempt the breakthrough. This place was ideal for such a significant endeavor. Normally, very few people had the privilege to use it for attempting the Planetary System level, but due to Ye Tian’s high status, Xiao Yue was granted access.

Chapter 626: The Lingyun Heavenly Realm!

At the top of the Heaven-reaching Tower, Xiao Yue began to establish her dantian world. Surrounding her was a massive pile of World Source Stones, totaling around two thousand pieces.

Ye Tian never hesitated to provide for his wife. He possessed an abundance of World Source Stones, so offering two thousand pieces was nothing to him. He estimated that Xiao Yue might not need all two thousand stones, but in case she did, he would provide more. If she needed fewer, he would take the excess back.

Time passed slowly. The process of creating a world was extremely meticulous and time-consuming; there was no room for carelessness. Although Ye Tian worried about his wife, he dared not interfere. Everything depended on Xiao Yue.

If he intervened, causing her to be distracted and create an incomplete world, it would directly affect her future combat abilities and cultivation speed. Thus, he could only watch over her quietly, ready to intervene only if she encountered any unusual problems.

Three days passed in the blink of an eye.

A surge of world energy emanated from Xiao Yue. Although Ye Tian had never attempted to reach the Planetary System level, he knew very well the situation when a Great God was breaking through to this level. This was a clear sign of the formation of a dantian world.

“Yue’er, quickly absorb the energy of the World Source Stones to stabilize your dantian world and enhance its quality!” Ye Tian transmitted his thoughts.

Xiao Yue did not respond verbally, but her actions indicated that she had heard Ye Tian’s words. One by one, the World Source Stones were absorbed and refined by her. Their energy flowed into her dantian world, stabilizing and enhancing its quality.

As time passed, the World Source Stones were continuously consumed. Xiao Yue spent an entire day refining the World Source Stones.

“Your dantian world’s potential looks quite promising!” Ye Tian commented. Then, with a wave of his hand, he collected the remaining World Source Stones.

He waited a few more hours. Xiao Yue slowly opened her eyes and looked at Ye Tian. “Husband, I have successfully advanced to the Planetary System level!”

“Let me test the quality of your world,” Ye Tian said, taking out a bead.

This bead was specifically designed to test the quality of dantian worlds, providing an accurate measure of the divine beings’ dantian worlds.

“Alright,” Xiao Yue said as she took the world bead and channeled her world energy into it.

Soon, the world bead began to glow faintly. After a moment, a number appeared inside the bead—
“Three!”

“Husband, what does this ‘three’ signify?” Xiao Yue asked curiously.

She wasn’t very familiar with the quality of worlds but knew that the world bead categorized world quality.

“The various races in the universe classify dantian worlds in detail, ranging from ninth-grade to first-grade worlds, with ninth-grade being the lowest and first-grade being the highest in this classification.

Above the first-grade world, there are three higher levels: the Lesser Thousand World, the Greater Thousand World, and the Heavenly World.

Although these three levels are higher than first-grade worlds, surpassing the first-grade world is extremely difficult. Even some Eternal Princes may not necessarily form a Lesser Thousand World.

Yue’er, forming a third-grade world is already a significant achievement!” Ye Tian praised.

Hearing his praise, Xiao Yue felt very happy. She actually didn’t care much about the grade of her world; as long as Ye Tian was happy, that was all that mattered to her.

In the following days, Ye Tian spent more time with his wife, leaving her some resources before returning to the Supreme Hall of Humanity to continue his cultivation.

One day, while Ye Tian was in the midst of his cultivation, Dominator Dark came to see him.

“Your Highness, I bring great news!” Dominator Dark announced.

“What good news?” Ye Tian inquired.

Dominator Dark smiled and said, “I know that Your Highness has been focusing on compressing celestial force lately, a task that is time-consuming yet essential. Especially since Your Highness is at the Great God level, increasing your foundation requires compressing celestial force. Though you might not worry about the time, surely you wish to achieve this compression to its fullest as quickly as possible?”

“Indeed, I want to compress my celestial force to the utmost limit,” Ye Tian acknowledged.

“Now there is an opportunity that will allow Your Highness to compress celestial force to its limit in a very short time,” Dominator Dark said.

“Oh? What opportunity?” Ye Tian’s interest was piqued.

In fact, his time acceleration ability could already increase his cultivation speed nearly a hundredfold, yet he still wasn’t satisfied. Others at his current level would definitely attempt to break through to the Planetary System level, but he sought the true extreme.

Achieving the true extreme was incredibly difficult, even with the time talent. Therefore, he still needed opportunities.

“The Lingyun Heavenly Realm of the Spirit Race is about to open. The Spirit Race, a major cosmic race with the deepest research into energy, has a unique feature in their Lingyun Heavenly Realm: it suppresses the divine force, celestial force, and all other energies of Great Gods. The deeper you go into the Lingyun Heavenly Realm, the greater the spiritual pressure you endure.

Some Great Gods have already compressed their divine force to an extremely close-to-limit degree, yet they could still further compress their divine force in the Lingyun Heavenly Realm, breaking their limits.

Your Highness, your celestial force limit far surpasses that of other Great Gods, making it even harder for you to reach your own extreme. The Lingyun Heavenly Realm is an opportunity!” explained Dominator Dark.

“Dominator Dark, according to what you said, the Lingyun Heavenly Realm belongs to the Spirit Race. Can I enter?” Ye Tian asked curiously.

“Yes! The Spirit Race is a relatively peaceful and friendly cosmic race, adept at forming alliances with other major cosmic races. This time, they have allocated some slots to various races across the universe for the opening of the Lingyun Heavenly Realm. Our Human Race received eight slots.

In the past, we could only secure three or four slots. It’s likely because Your Highness shone brilliantly in the relic world last time, overwhelming the princes of other cosmic races, thereby enhancing the Human Race’s reputation. Additionally, the Human Race has now transformed into the Celestial Race, becoming even stronger, which earned us the eight slots,” Dominator Dark explained.

“I see!” Ye Tian nodded in understanding.

Among the eight slots, one was undoubtedly reserved for Ye Tian. Even the supreme powers of other forces wouldn’t dare to take away his slot. Thus, Ye Tian’s slot was secured, but the opening of the Lingyun Heavenly Realm would take some time.

Three months passed in the blink of an eye.

One day, the Supreme Hall of Humanity notified Ye Tian that it was time to head to the Lingyun Heavenly Realm!

Chapter 627: The Wager with the Immortal Race’s Prince Tianjun

This time, the Human Race sent a Heavenly Venerable to the Spirit Race, but they did not dispatch a Supreme.

After all, this opportunity in the Lingyun Heavenly Realm was not of great importance to the entire Human Race; it was only significant to the six Great Gods heading to the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

If it weren't for protecting these six Great Gods, the Human Race wouldn't even have sent a Heavenly Venerable.

However, these six Great Gods were very important Children of the Universe for the Human Race, with deep backgrounds. None of them could afford to go unprotected.

Therefore, they had to dispatch a Heavenly Venerable to the Lingyun Heavenly Realm, demonstrating the Human Race's commitment.

On the Human Race's spaceship.

Ye Tian met with the other five Great Gods and chatted briefly.

These five Great Gods were not princes from the Supreme Hall of Humanity but were inheritors from the nine Supreme-level forces.

After all, the Great God princes of the Supreme Hall of Humanity did not have deep backgrounds, making it difficult to obtain a spot in the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

Therefore, the other five Great Gods coming this time might not have been very powerful, but their backgrounds were absolutely profound.

Ye Tian gradually learned from these five Great Gods that they were all offspring of Supremes.

In terms of background, Ye Tian indeed did not compare to these five Great Gods. However, in terms of strength and importance, Ye Tian surpassed them by far.

Because of this, these five Great Gods did not dare to offend Ye Tian in the slightest and spoke very politely.

A few days later.

The Human Race's spaceship entered the Spirit Race's territory and, under the Spirit Race's hospitality, temporarily resided on Yungu Star.

Yungu Star was a star close to the Lingyun Heavenly Realm, where most of the alien races wanting to enter the Lingyun Heavenly Realm would be arranged to stay.

With several days left before the Lingyun Heavenly Realm opened, Ye Tian strolled around Yungu Star, and the only place worth visiting on Yungu Star was Yungu Tree City.

Yungu Tree City was built atop a massive spirit tree, whose scale rivaled that of a mature World Tree, though it was not a World Tree but a common spirit tree called a Giant Tree.

The characteristic of this tree was its immense size and its ability to gather yuan qi. Aside from this, it had no special qualities.

Because of its size and ability to gather yuan qi, the Spirit Race used it as the foundation for their city.

"Yungu Tree City is quite nice. If a God-level being with a wood attribute talent cultivated here, their cultivation speed would be far beyond that of the outside world," Ye Tian thought.

In Yungu Tree City, Ye Tian and the other five Great Gods from the Human Race explored various places and purchased some local specialties of the Spirit Race.

Suddenly, Ye Tian noticed a group of Immortal Race members, about ten in number.

"Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, those are Great Gods from the Immortal Race. We should avoid them!" suggested Disciple Eagle Battle (disciple = a main/primary inheritor disciple), one of the five Great Gods from the Human Race, in a low voice.

"No need!" Ye Tian waved his hand dismissively.

He knew what Disciple Eagle Battle was worried about. Their strength was far from that of these Great Gods, and since the Human Race was currently no match for the Immortal Race, it would be unwise to provoke them. However, Ye Tian had no fear! In terms of strength, he was not afraid of

these Great Gods. Moreover, these Immortal Race Great Gods did not represent the entire Immortal Race, and a conflict with a few Great Gods wouldn't start a war between the clans.

Besides, the Immortal Race and the Human Race were separated by many other large clans of the universe. If the Immortal Race truly wanted to attack the Human Race, the consequences would be unbearable for them.

"It seems we have some friends from the Human Race!" The ten or so Great Gods from the Immortal Race walked towards Ye Tian.

Suddenly, the leading Great God stared at Ye Tian and said, "You must be the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws from the Human Race."

"That's right. And who might you be?" Ye Tian responded coolly.

"How disrespectful! You don't even recognize our Immortal Race's Prince Tianjun," someone from the Immortal Race retorted.

Another Great God from the Immortal Race shouted, "You don't recognize Prince Tianjun!"

Ye Tian sneered, "I don't recognize Prince Tianjun."

Prince Tianjun laughed heartily, "The Prince of Ten Thousand Laws is reputed to be the universe's greatest genius. It's normal not to recognize me. However, Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, you were only dominant during the Emperor level period. It seems you haven't had any significant battle achievements since then. How about we compete in the Lingyun Heavenly Realm this time? As for the stakes, let's wager ten Origin Artifacts!"

"Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, you mustn't bet with him," Disciple Eagle Battle hurriedly communicated via voice transmission. "Prince Tianjun of the Immortal Race is a Great God who has cultivated for three hundred thousand years and is the descendant of one of their Supremes, with very high talent. Although his talent isn't as high as the up-and-coming talent of the Immortal Race, Prince Tianxuan, Prince Tianxuan hasn't truly risen yet, whereas Prince Tianjun has fully matured. It's rumored that Prince Tianjun has already ascended to a Supreme Great God and will inevitably become a Supreme in the future. Right now, he is in the process of compressing his divine power. Once he compresses it to the limit, he will advance to the Planetary System level. While your talent surpasses that of the Immortal Race's Prince Tianjun, there's no need to contend with him now!"

“Supreme Prince, huh!” Ye Tian chuckled inwardly. He wouldn’t take a Supreme Prince seriously. As a Child of the Era, even the top Supreme Princes were like ants to him, let alone an ordinary Supreme Prince like Prince Tianjun.

“Thank you for the warning, Disciple Eagle Battle, but a mere Prince Tianjun is not worth my concern,” Ye Tian transmitted back.

Disciple Eagle Battle was stunned, looking at Ye Tian in shock.

At this moment, Ye Tian said to Prince Tianjun, “I can bet with you, but how should we wager? We can’t just duel on the Spirit Race’s territory, can we?”

“No need for a duel!” Prince Tianjun replied. “Let’s see who can venture deeper into the Lingyun Heavenly Realm. The Lingyun Heavenly Realm is very unique, capable of compressing divine power. The deeper one goes, the more terrifying the suppression becomes. It’s said that even the Spirit Race hasn’t entered the true center of the Lingyun Heavenly Realm; the pressure there is unbearable for Great Gods. We’ll compete to see who can go further. The one who goes deeper wins. How about that?”

“Agreed!” Ye Tian nodded in agreement.

In truth, this wager didn’t mean much to him, but if he could suppress the Immortal Race’s Prince Tianjun, it would boost the Human Race’s reputation. In small matters, any chance to crush the Immortal Race or other major clans of the universe was welcomed by the Human Race’s upper echelon, as long as it wasn’t excessive.

“Hmph, Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, don’t renege when you lose. Let’s go!” Prince Tianjun waved his hand and left with the other Great Gods of the Immortal Race.

After Prince Tianjun left, Disciple Eagle Battle said, “Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, Prince Tianjun is not to be underestimated. His divine power has been compressed to an extremely high degree, while you have only recently begun compressing your divine power. This wager puts you at a disadvantage!”

“You’ll see in a few days,” Ye Tian replied calmly, offering no further explanation.

Perhaps his celestial power compression was not as advanced as Prince Tianjun's, but Ye Tian's total celestial power was far superior. His physical limits, bolstered by the Eighteen Golden Bodies Technique and the Chaos Golden Desolation Technique, had reached an unimaginable level. Therefore, this wager was less a competition and more Prince Tianjun gifting him ten Origin Artifacts.

Chapter 628: Compressed Celestial Force, Rapid Progress!

In the blink of an eye, three days had passed.

At this time, the Spirit Race notified Ye Tian and others to proceed to the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

The Lingyun Heavenly Realm was about to open!

Whoosh!!!

Ye Tian, along with the other five Great Gods from the Human Race, boarded a spaceship arranged by the Spirit Race to head towards the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

As for the Heavenly Venerables accompanying the Human Race, they protected them in secret.

Soon, Ye Tian arrived at the Lingyun Continent where the Lingyun Heavenly Realm was located.

“So many Great Gods!”

Ye Tian glanced around, discovering a multitude of Great Gods. Half were from the Spirit Race, while the remaining half were Great Gods from various major clans across the universe. Each clan had anywhere from one to over a dozen representatives.

This time, the Human Race brought six Great Gods, which was considered a relatively large number!

Whoosh!

A woman dressed in white suddenly appeared high in the sky, overlooking the multitude of Great Gods below.

Normally, someone overlooking these Great Gods in such a manner would surely provoke their displeasure.

After all, the Great Gods present here held significant status and backgrounds. Few would dare to look down on them like this, even a Universal God would stand on equal footing when conversing with them.

However, the one who appeared this time was a Dominator of the Spirit Race. Being on the Spirit Race's territory, the Great Gods naturally didn't dare to act presumptuously.

"All Great Gods, listen carefully. I am Ling You, a Dominator of the Spirit Race. Half of you here are Great Gods from other clans, but since you are entering the Lingyun Heavenly Realm, you must abide by our Spirit Race's rules.

Once inside the Lingyun Heavenly Realm, no killing is allowed. Anyone who violates this rule will face punishment from our Spirit Race.

Additionally, the Lingyun Heavenly Realm will be open for one year. After one year, everyone must leave; no one is allowed to remain in the Lingyun Heavenly Realm."

After Ling You finished speaking, she disappeared.

Next, a massive portal appeared in the void, serving as the entrance to the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

"Enter!" Ling You's voice echoed.

Whoosh, whoosh, whoosh!!! One by one, the Great Gods flew into the portal.

The portal was enormous, so there was no sense of crowding.

In no time, few Great Gods remained on the ground.

"Let's go in too!"

Ye Tian said to Disciple Eagle Battle and the others.

“Alright!”

Disciple Eagle Battle and the other five nodded.

Whoosh, whoosh, whoosh!!! Ye Tian and his companions flew into the spatial portal, entering the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

Lingyun Heavenly Realm

A group of Great Gods entered, converging together.

At the same time, the Great Gods sensed a mysterious suppression.

This suppression didn't act on their bodies but rather on their Celestial Force or Divine Power.

“Such strong suppression!”

Ye Tian also felt it.

Under this mysterious suppression in the Lingyun Heavenly Realm, even moving was somewhat difficult.

Moreover, this suppression compressed their Celestial Force, making it more refined.

“Even ordinary Great Gods, if they stayed here for a year, would have their Celestial Force significantly compressed. No wonder the Lingyun Heavenly Realm attracts the attention of so many Great Gods from major clans across the universe. This place is indeed a rare opportunity for Great Gods!” Ye Tian murmured to himself.

However, the pressure at this current location wasn't too strong for Ye Tian. His Celestial Force was far more powerful and abundant compared to others.

Just staying at this spot for a year would be of little help to him.

Therefore, he needed to delve deeper into the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

At this moment...

Not far away, Prince Tianjun glanced over and said, “Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, let’s compete. I’ll head out first!”

After saying that, Prince Tianjun flew deeper into the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

Ye Tian ignored Prince Tianjun and slowly flew with the other five Great Gods from the Human Race.

Along the way, the sky was filled with Great Gods flying at high speed.

However, soon, some Great Gods were forced to stop, unable to continue flying.

They had reached their limit and couldn’t withstand the mysterious pressure any longer.

If they pushed forward, their Divine Power would become chaotic and explode, causing their bodies to burst as well.

Gradually, the other five Great Gods from the Human Race also couldn’t continue. They chose to stay in one place and quietly endure the suppression of the Lingyun Heavenly Realm, compressing their Celestial Force.

Ye Tian, on the other hand, continued onward, far from reaching his limit. As time passed, Ye Tian ventured deeper into the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

Before long, Ye Tian saw Prince Tianjun’s back.

At this moment, Prince Tianjun was flying very slowly, clearly nearing his limit.

“Prince of Ten Thousand Laws!”

Prince Tianjun noticed Ye Tian approaching and frowned.

“Impossible. He hasn’t been cultivating for long. Even if he has a time-related talent, according to the information, he hasn’t been a Great God for long. His Celestial Force compression can’t be as good as mine. With his Celestial Force, he shouldn’t be able to withstand the deeper pressure. He must be nearing his limit. If I hold on a bit longer, I can definitely surpass him!”

Prince Tianjun thought to himself.

But soon, his expression changed drastically.

His speed was getting slower and slower, barely daring to fly faster for fear of succumbing to the pressure, causing his Divine Power to explode.

Yet the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws maintained a relatively fast pace, looking calm and at ease.

At this rate...

“I will lose!” Prince Tianjun thought.

Suddenly, Ye Tian swooshed past Prince Tianjun.

“Prince Tianjun, it seems you’re not doing well. Remember to give me those ten Origin Artifacts when we get out!”

With that, Ye Tian quickly pulled away, leaving Prince Tianjun behind, furious and desperate.

Soon, Ye Tian had put a considerable distance between them.

By now, Ye Tian had forgotten about Prince Tianjun. He only wanted to test his own limits.

Days passed quickly.

At this point, Ye Tian's flying speed had also slowed considerably. The suppression in the Lingyun Heavenly Realm on his Celestial Force had grown stronger, nearing his limit.

One day, Ye Tian stopped. He could have continued a bit further, but there was no need.

“Here will do!”

Ye Tian decided to endure the suppression of the Lingyun Heavenly Realm here.

To maximize his time, Ye Tian activated the time acceleration ability of his Space-Time talent, instantly accelerating time to 100 times the normal rate! This way, Ye Tian could stay in the Lingyun Heavenly Realm for what would feel like 100 years.

With this much time, he could easily compress his Celestial Force to its limit.

In the following days, Ye Tian continuously compressed his Celestial Force.

In just a few months under accelerated time, Ye Tian compressed his Celestial Force to 11 times its original amount, allowing him to withstand even stronger suppression.

“Keep moving forward!”

Ye Tian advanced a bit further, continuing to compress his Celestial Force.

This cycle repeated, with Ye Tian moving forward every few months and increasing the compression of his Celestial Force.

One time! Another time! Again! Ye Tian had no idea what his compression limit was, but given this opportunity, he pushed himself to the utmost, compressing his Celestial Force as much as possible.

In the blink of an eye, a year in the outside world was almost up!

Chapter 629: 36 Times Celestial Force!

“19 Times Celestial Force!”

Ye Tian saw that he had already compressed his Celestial Force nineteen times and revealed a satisfied smile.

The higher one's cultivation, the harder it became to compress Celestial Force. For instance, for those at the level of Universal God and Dominator, compressing Celestial Force or Divine Force became even more challenging.

Among the Great Gods, those capable of compressing their Celestial Force seven or eight times were considered extraordinary. Ordinary Great Gods found it difficult to compress even twice.

Ye Tian's total Celestial Force far exceeded that of other Great Gods, even surpassing the Celestial Force of Supreme Princes.

Therefore, it was even more difficult for Ye Tian to compress his Celestial Force.

However, Ye Tian's limit was higher, so the multiple he could compress naturally far exceeded others.

This time, with the help of the Lingyun Heavenly Realm, he managed to compress his Celestial Force nineteen times, which was undoubtedly an extraordinary achievement. Other Children of the Universe could not achieve this.

“This time, if I hadn't entered the Lingyun Heavenly Realm, it would have taken me an extremely long time, even tens of millions of years, to compress my Celestial Force to nineteen times on my own!” Ye Tian murmured.

At this moment, there was still some time left before he had to leave the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

Ye Tian prepared to attempt compressing his Celestial Force to twenty times. He felt that his Celestial Force could still be compressed a bit more, and he had hope of reaching twenty times.

“Let’s give it a try!”

Under a hundredfold time acceleration, Ye Tian fully concentrated on compressing his Celestial Force.

Time slowly passed.

One day, Ye Tian’s aura suddenly strengthened, and the Celestial Force within him began to emit a golden glow.

“20 Times Celestial Force!”

Ye Tian opened his eyes, revealing a look of amazement.

Originally, he only intended to see if he could reach twenty times Celestial Force, but unexpectedly, he succeeded. However, he also felt that his Celestial Force had reached its limit and could no longer be compressed further.

“I’ve reached the limit. It is enough!” Ye Tian thought.

He calculated the time and found there were about ten days left before he had to leave the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

Given his current level of Celestial Force, returning would not take long, so he wasn’t in a hurry to head back to the exit.

“Why not go deeper into the Lingyun Heavenly Realm? I’m probably not far from its core, and maybe I can enter the core area!” Ye Tian thought.

Immediately, he continued to fly forward slowly.

After about twenty minutes of flying, Ye Tian felt he was approaching his limit, and at this point, he had arrived at the core area of the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

“What is this...”

Ye Tian saw a sea of clouds enveloping this area.

“I must go in!”

This thought instantly formed in Ye Tian’s mind and lingered.

Clearly, this place attracted Ye Tian.

Thus, Ye Tian forcibly suppressed the agitated Celestial Force within him and flew a bit further.

Finally, Ye Tian barely managed to enter the sea of clouds.

As soon as he entered the sea of clouds, Ye Tian was shocked to find the suppression had vanished.

“What’s going on? There’s no suppression within the sea of clouds of the Lingyun Heavenly Realm!”

Ye Tian was greatly surprised.

Immediately after, something even more astonishing happened.

Countless liquid substances within the sea of clouds surged into Ye Tian’s body. These were energy bodies belonging to the sea of clouds, forming part of its composition.

As these energies poured in, Ye Tian’s already maxed-out Celestial Force began to absorb these energies, slowly transforming.

The originally golden-glowing Celestial Force started turning into true golden Celestial Force, becoming purer and stronger.

Two times! Two times! The force, initially only compressible to twenty times, continued compressing, leaving Ye Tian astounded.

He didn't even need to actively compress his Celestial Force; the energy from the Celestial Cloud Sea was doing it for him.

“Opportunity!” Ye Tian thought.

Immediately, he fully absorbed these energies, compressing the Celestial Force within him.

Instantly, the speed of Celestial Force compression increased significantly.

Under a hundredfold time, Ye Tian immersed himself in compressing his Celestial Force, completely unaware of how much time had passed.

Suddenly, one day.

Ye Tian opened his eyes and stopped compressing his Celestial Force.

At this moment, Ye Tian's Celestial Force had already transformed into a semi-golden color, and the compression degree had reached thirty-six times.

“The energy from this cloud sea is no longer effective for me. I might be the only one in history capable of achieving thirty-six times Celestial Force!” Ye Tian murmured.

He calculated the time and found that only three days remained before the Lingyun Heavenly Realm closed.

“I must leave now!”

Ye Tian flew out of the cloud sea, swiftly heading towards the exit of the Lingyun Heavenly Realm.

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At the entrance and exit of the Lingyun Heavenly Realm, several Great Gods emerged. The Celestial Clan and other cosmic races' Heavenly Venerables watched the exit. Once all the Great Gods from their races came out, they would take them away.

Not long after, Disciple Eagle Battle and four other Great Gods came out one after another, followed by others.

“Has the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws not come out yet?” Disciple Eagle Battle scanned the area and asked.

“There is still some time left. I guess the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws wants to cultivate a bit longer,” another human Great God said.

“Hmm, I suppose so,” Disciple Eagle Battle nodded.

After some time, with only twenty hours left before the Lingyun Heavenly Realm closed, a figure walked out of the portal in the sky.

It was none other than the Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, Ye Tian! With a flash, Ye Tian teleported to Disciple Eagle Battle and the others and said, “I’m back!”

“Then let’s leave!” Disciple Eagle Battle said.

Following this, the human Heavenly Venerable took Ye Tian and the others away, boarding a spaceship to leave.

A few days later, Ye Tian returned to the Supreme Hall of Humanity.

After resting for a few days, Ye Tian prepared to break through to the Planetary System level.

However, before doing so, he wanted to meet Kunwu Supreme.

After all, his breakthrough to the Planetary System level was a significant event for the human race and the Supreme Hall of Humanity. Once he became a Planetary System level powerhouse, he would no longer be a mere Prince of the Supreme Hall of Humanity.

He had initially intended to help the human race achieve more honors at the Great God level, but his growth rate was too rapid. If he remained at the Great God level, it would undoubtedly hinder his cultivation.

Moreover, once he reached the Planetary System level, Kunwu Supreme might have good advice on how to proceed on his path.

Ye Tian mentioned his intentions to Dominator Dark, who then informed Kunwu Supreme.

Subsequently, Kunwu Supreme summoned Ye Tian.

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In Kunwu Pavilion, Ye Tian and Kunwu Supreme met alone.

“Ye Tian, do you really want to break through to the Planetary System level? Wouldn’t it be better to accumulate a bit more foundation? The more you accumulate at the Great God level, the more benefits you’ll gain when breaking through to the Planetary System level!” Kunwu Supreme advised.

Ye Tian quickly replied, “Kunwu Supreme, I’ve already accumulated to the limit. There’s no need to accumulate any further!”

“Limit?” Kunwu Supreme smiled and asked, “How many times have you compressed your Celestial Force? To what level has your soul advanced?”

“Celestial Force compressed thirty-six times! As for my soul, it has reached the ninth level!” Ye Tian said calmly.

“What!!!”

Kunwu Supreme was shocked, utterly disbelieving.

Thirty-six times compressed Celestial Force, what kind of probability was that? The ninth-level soul was something even many Universal Gods and Dominators couldn't achieve. Kunwu Supreme understood this better after Ye Tian contributed the Nether King Secret Manual, which provided him with a better understanding of soul levels. The ninth-level soul was more terrifying than many Universal Gods' and even Dominators' souls.

"Are you telling the truth?" Kunwu Supreme asked in disbelief.

"It's true!" Ye Tian confirmed firmly, then projected his Celestial Force. The semi-golden Celestial Force within him overflowed with immense power, far surpassing other Great Gods' Celestial and Divine Forces.

Ye Tian also demonstrated his soul-out-of-body technique. The powerful soul entity emerged from his soul sea, causing the surrounding void to tremble, making even Kunwu Supreme feel that Ye Tian's soul was not weaker than his own.

However, that was impossible! While the total amount of a Supreme's soul might not be high, its quality was very high. Ye Tian's soul might have a higher total, but its quality was still lacking compared to a Supreme's soul.

"Very well, you can go ahead and break through to the Planetary System level. I won't stop you!" Kunwu Supreme said appreciatively.

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"Kunwu Supreme, once I break through to the Planetary System level, I won't be able to stay in the Heaven Region of the Supreme Hall of Humanity. What should I do next? Do you have any suggestions?" Ye Tian asked sincerely.

"There are two options!" Kunwu Supreme replied. "The first option is to stay in the Supreme Hall of Humanity. However, you certainly cannot remain in the Heaven Region. Instead, you would have to take on a position within the Supreme Hall of Humanity. For an ordinary prince, I would suggest this. But I advise you against holding any position in the Supreme Hall of Humanity."

"Why?" Ye Tian asked curiously.

Kunwu Supreme, who oversaw the Supreme Hall of Humanity, would logically try to keep him there. Why would he advise against staying?

“Because you’re too talented!” Kunwu Supreme sighed. “Once you hold a position in the Supreme Hall of Humanity, you’ll have to sacrifice time dealing with its affairs. Many trivial matters will interfere with your cultivation. Your path to growth shouldn’t be hindered by such distractions. Therefore, I don’t recommend you stay.”

“What’s the second option?” Ye Tian asked.

“To be nominally under the Divine Blade Alliance, moving freely as a wandering cultivator, and simultaneously developing your own power. You established the Tian Pavilion, didn’t you? You can develop it further. Once the Tian Pavilion grows, it might bring you unexpected opportunities in the future.

You might wonder why I suggest the Divine Blade Alliance. It’s because other supreme-level factions are sect-based, and you have no background. Joining them might get you some focus from the Supremes, but others will definitely resist you due to conflicting interests.

People are inherently selfish. The Supremes might not be, but others can’t help it. In a faction that ostracizes and resists you, it’s very difficult to gain more opportunities. Hence, I don’t recommend joining other supreme-level factions.

The Divine Blade Alliance is different; it’s more like a loose alliance of wandering cultivators. Its members mainly take on tasks based on equivalent exchange, with little restraint. Moreover, with your potential and status, if something happens, we Supremes won’t ignore it. Therefore, being nominally under the Divine Blade Alliance is the best choice! But the decision is yours. Being nominally under the Divine Blade Alliance means a riskier path, while staying in the Supreme Hall of Humanity is much safer but offers fewer opportunities.” Kunwu Supreme explained.

Ye Tian agreed with Kunwu Supreme’s reasoning. If he continued to stay in the Supreme Hall of Humanity, it couldn’t offer him much more.

The Supreme Hall of Humanity was meant to nurture princes, not those above the Planetary System level. For instance, a Dominator like Dominator Dark wouldn’t receive many opportunities there, nor would they have much free time.

Thus, although the experts in the Supreme Hall of Humanity seemed safe, their progress was slower compared to those in sects.

Understanding this, Ye Tian naturally chose not to stay.

“Kunwu Supreme, I choose the second path!” Ye Tian declared.

“Very well. Once you break through to the Planetary System level, go register with the Divine Blade Alliance. I’ll inform Divine Blade Supreme, but don’t expect special treatment. Any opportunities will still depend on your efforts. Divine Blade Supreme will only try to help if you’re in danger,” Kunwu Supreme replied.

“Understood!” Ye Tian nodded.

Afterward, Ye Tian left the Kunwu Pavilion.

A few days later, Ye Tian left the Supreme Hall of Humanity. This time, he chose to break through to the Planetary System level in the Origin Realm.

His breakthrough process was different from others. He had already developed a dantian world and now needed to transform it and undergo a thunder tribulation to truly become a Planetary System level expert.

In a certain void of the Origin Realm, Dominator Dark secretly guarded him while Ye Tian sat cross-legged, beginning his breakthrough.

“Planetary System level means transforming the dantian into a world. I have already created the Ancient Chaos World, but its power cannot be fully harnessed. The true power source of the Planetary System level is the world. The body and the world must merge. I need to achieve this perfect integration and become the master of the world, also known as the master of the Planetary System level!” Ye Tian thought.

He then began to try merging with the Ancient Chaos World, transferring his celestial soul into it.

Boom! His celestial soul successfully moved into the Ancient Chaos World, sitting cross-legged in its void. He then infused all his celestial force into the Ancient Chaos World, attempting to break its world barrier.

“Break!”

Boom! The world barrier broke. Under Ye Tian’s control, the Ancient Chaos World began expanding and slowly merged perfectly with his body.

This process was slow and required a lot of time for the Ancient Chaos World to truly transform.

Days passed quickly.

On a particular day, Ye Tian’s Ancient Chaos World began to transform, frantically absorbing the surrounding yuan qi.

Transforming the Ancient Chaos World required more than just his own power; even the surrounding yuan qi was insufficient.

“Wow!” Ye Tian took out a large number of World Source Stones and Divine Crystals, among other resources. His breakthrough was unparalleled, necessitating ample preparation.

Boom! The Ancient Chaos World expanded and strengthened at an astonishing speed, while Ye Tian’s aura grew increasingly powerful. The three capabilities of essence, energy, and spirit also began to slowly merge, forming strands of World Origin, bringing genuine vitality to the Ancient Chaos World.

Previously, the Ancient Chaos World was a lifeless realm, but now it birthed vitality, possessing fundamental laws and other rules, making it a true world. The quality of this world depended on Ye Tian’s foundation. This foundation was the integration of essence, energy, and spirit. Therefore, the stronger the body, the greater the compression ratio of celestial force, the stronger the soul, and the deeper the understanding of the laws of heaven and earth, the better the world formed.

As time passed, the resources around Ye Tian were gradually consumed, including a large number of World Source Stones.

One World Source Stone! Two World Source Stones! Three World Source Stones! Dominator Dark was astounded to see Ye Tian consuming so many World Source Stones without any sign of stopping.

“Prince of Ten Thousand Laws’ potential is truly astonishing. Others only need a few hundred stones. Even for a highly talented Eternal-level prince, two thousand World Source Stones are usually sufficient. But judging by his progress, he might need several thousand World Source Stones!” Dominator Dark thought.

Another day passed.

By this time, Ye Tian had consumed many World Source Stones, along with countless other resources. Even the surrounding yuan qi was completely depleted, creating a vacuum. To ensure Ye Tian had enough yuan qi, Dominator Dark even mobilized his own power to draw in yuan qi from other regions, preventing any shortage. With the support of these abundant resources and World Source Stones, Ye Tian’s Ancient Chaos World expanded hundreds of times and stabilized considerably.

Suddenly, a small sapling appeared in the Ancient Chaos World, gradually growing into a towering tree.

“The World Tree!” Ye Tian exclaimed. “No, it’s the Ancient Chaos Tree!” he realized upon seeing the chaotic aura emanating from the tree.

Back then, Ye Tian had obtained the Ancient Chaos Tree, but it was consumed during the creation of the Ancient Chaos World. Unexpectedly, as he broke through to the Planetary System level, the transformation of the Ancient Chaos World brought the Ancient Chaos Tree back, now even more majestic and robust than before.

At the moment of his breakthrough, Ye Tian’s celestial soul also grew stronger. Seizing this opportunity, Ye Tian practiced the Nether King Secret Manual, breaking through the soul’s bottleneck and elevating his celestial soul to the level of a General.

This was a double achievement! The Ancient Chaos World transformed, celestial force rapidly converted into Planetary System level celestial force, which could in turn convert into the world’s power, and vice versa. At this moment, Ye Tian truly ascended to the first stage of the Planetary System level.

As Ye Tian stood up, an immense thundercloud appeared in the void.

“The thunder tribulation is about to descend. This time, there should be twelve strikes,” Ye Tian murmured.

Soon, the first thunderbolt struck.

This thunderbolt far surpassed previous ones, capable of annihilating a powerful Peak Planetary System level expert. Yet Ye Tian merely glanced at it indifferently, grabbed the thunderbolt, and casually crushed it into nothingness.

The second thunderbolt! The third thunderbolt! One after another, thunderbolts descended. Ye Tian directly withstood them with his body, effortlessly shattering the power of the thunderbolts.

In no time, all twelve thunderbolts had descended.

Ye Tian emerged unscathed from the tribulation, with ease. If another Supreme Prince had faced such a tribulation, there was a ninety percent chance of death.

In secret, Dominator Dark witnessed Ye Tian effortlessly passing this level of thunder tribulation without a scratch and couldn't help but marvel, "Prince of Ten Thousand Laws' current strength is likely enough to kill an ordinary Universal God. Even a strong Universal God would struggle to kill him!"

Reflecting on his own breakthrough to the Planetary System level, Dominator Dark realized he was far inferior to Ye Tian, not even comparable to one of Ye Tian's fingers.

Whoosh! Dominator Dark revealed himself, appearing before Ye Tian and congratulating him, "Congratulations, Prince of Ten Thousand Laws, on ascending to the Planetary System level!"

"You're too kind, Dominator Dark. From today on, I am no longer a prince!" Ye Tian replied.

"Then I shall address you as True Monarch of Ten Thousand Laws!" Dominator Dark said with a smile.

From this moment, Dominator Dark would no longer be Ye Tian's guardian. Nevertheless, he remained very respectful towards Ye Tian, believing that with Ye Tian's growth speed, it wouldn't be long before he surpassed him.

Afterward, Ye Tian returned to the Supreme Hall of Humanity to stabilize his realm. He wasn't in a hurry to leave and planned to stay for a while longer, confident that the Supreme Hall of Humanity wouldn't rush him out.

"Let's test the quality of the world first!" Ye Tian thought.

He took out a World Pearl, infused it with his world power, and two words appeared within the pearl.