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Chapter 841: The Collapse of the Origin Realm, the Unification of the Dimensional Worlds

"Kill!"

A gigantic ape, towering tens of thousands of feet tall, manifested a massive hand and reached out towards the Huaxia Continent of the human race. Its power far surpassed that of a typical Earthly Venerable, clearly reaching the level of a ten-star Earthly Venerable.

"Not good!"

The numerous Earthly Venerables hovering above the Huaxia Continent all had drastic changes in their expressions. Their bodies seemed suppressed by the giant hand, unable to move at all.

The surrounding space solidified, and even though they exerted all their strength, they couldn't resist.

The disparity between the two sides was too vast. No matter how many ordinary Earthly Venerables there were, they couldn't contend with a ten-star Earthly Venerable.

At the critical moment, a blade light slashed through the sky, directly killing the giant ape, and the overwhelming giant hand dissipated.

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One by one, the Earthly Venerables of the human race expressed their gratitude.

Within the territory of the human race, numerous origin beasts assaulted the starry sky continents one after another. The Earthly Venerables couldn't kill them all, and the Dominators and Universal

Gods of the human race also stepped in, turning various parts of the starry sky into battlefields and continuously fighting the origin beasts.

Simultaneously, many strong humans also ventured into the fragmented continents. While slaying origin beasts, they collected resources from those continent fragments.

This slaughter lasted for several millennia. Some of the smaller and medium-sized cosmic races that had previously survived by luck were completely annihilated in this turmoil.

Human race.

At this moment, most of the origin beasts had been killed, and the remaining ones were under control, confined to those continent fragments, which could later serve as trial grounds for the human race.

The human race suffered significant losses in this upheaval, with many Earthly Venerables and Dominators falling. However, overall, the strength of the human race had instead increased.

The battles and conflicts had caused some human geniuses to rise, and the fragments of the continents contained an abundance of resources including some spiritual medicines that could enhance talents, leading to the continuous birth of Earthly Venerables within the human race.

Additionally, the blood of origin beasts could temper the physical body. Now, cultivators could refine their physical bodies, making the entire body of an origin beast a treasure for the human race.

The blood of origin beasts could temper the body, origin cores could be used for cultivation, and origin beast bones could be crafted into weapons.

Thus, the human race greatly enhanced their strength by utilizing origin beasts.

For example, the Tian Pavilion, now the foremost power of the human race, had hundreds of Earthly Venerables, thousands of Dominators, and tens of thousands of Universal Gods. These were staggering numbers.

In the past, the combined strength of the entire human race was not as great as that of the current Tian Pavilion.

Notably, the human race gave birth to two ten-star Earthly Venerables, namely Earthly Venerable Primordial and Earthly Venerable Kunwu. They used the blood of countless origin beasts and a remarkable technique to temper their physical bodies to the limit. With the comprehension of the Innate Dao Stele, their Dao advanced significantly, and their strength leaped to the ten-star level.

Of course, they had nearly exhausted their foundations and found it difficult to progress further unless they encountered incredible opportunities and astonishing inheritances.

The strength of the human race skyrocketed, while other forces faced misfortune, especially without someone as powerful as Ye Tian among them.

For instance, the Immortal-Demon Race suffered greatly.

Although the First Divine Lord and the First Demon Lord of the Immortal-Demon Race reached the level of ten-star Earthly Venerables, the clan only had these two. The territory of the Immortal-Demon Race was vast, far exceeding that of the human race, as they were a super race that once occupied the center of the universe. This position also attracted incredibly powerful origin beasts.

A large number of Earthly Venerable-level origin beasts appeared in the Immortal-Demon Race's territory. Even with the full effort of the First Divine Lord and the First Demon Lord, they couldn't withstand the onslaught and were held back by several top-tier origin beasts.

After several millennia, despite the origin beasts being scattered and lacking intelligence to cooperate, the Immortal-Demon Race still suffered severe losses. Over seventy percent of their population died, and nearly half of their Earthly Venerables fell, even counting the newly advanced ones.

It could be said that nearly seventy to eighty percent of their old Earthly Venerables perished, and both the First Divine Lord and the First Demon Lord were heavily injured.

To ensure the continuation of their race, the First Divine Lord and the First Demon Lord had to reduce their territory, abandoning vast areas.

These lands were then occupied by origin beasts, becoming forbidden zones.

However, the worst hit was the Myriad Races Alliance, with over ninety percent of the races wiped out. They lost too many Earthly Venerables, and the alliance was fragmented by the origin beasts, unable to unite.

Thus, the Myriad Races Alliance fell apart, becoming small factions surviving in the crevices of the universe.

Naturally, the number of origin beasts also decreased by seventy to eighty percent. The remaining origin beasts gathered in clusters, forming origin beast continents. Although the battles between cultivators and origin beasts continued, large-scale wars ceased, leaving only smaller skirmishes.

The Eternal Universe suffered heavy losses, but the Cangyu Universe fared no better.

The Cangyu Universe was initially stronger than the Eternal Universe, and its Origin Realm was naturally more powerful. The origin beasts there even rivaled Divine Generals in strength. Over the millennia, several sacred lands in the Cangyu Universe were devastated.

Due to endless slaughter and countless beings perishing, their energy fused into the universe, accelerating its integration.

Furthermore, the Origin Realm was among the last dimensional worlds, and soon, the remaining dimensional worlds also collapsed, merging into the main world. Fortunately, no other powerful beings descended.

Thus, all dimensional worlds of the universe unified, expanding the entire universe by tens of thousands of times. Large areas of the universe were now empty, but there were no forces to occupy them.

The population of the universe had decreased significantly, and with the universe expanding by tens of thousands of times, occupying so much territory was impossible.

However, it was foreseeable that in the coming years, major forces would accelerate population growth, marking a period of rapid development.

During this time, besides occasionally cultivating, Ye Tian roamed various places, constantly copying and merging talents. He kept searching for physical body-related talents. Even if he

couldn't find Super God-level physical body talents, he aimed to copy multiple God-level ones, hoping to eventually give birth to a Super God-level physical body talent.

In a flash, fifty thousand years passed.

The once empty universe had now become initially prosperous. The population of the human race increased dozens of times, and their strength grew rapidly, with Earthly Venerables continuously emerging.

Previously, it took a long time for the human race to produce an Earthly Venerable, but now it was quite common.

The number of ten-star Earthly Venerables among the human race was no longer single digits but had reached double digits.

As for how strong Ye Tian had become, no one knew except himself.

Chapter 842: Peak Three-Star Divine General

In the Human Race's Origin Well.

Ye Tian was in seclusion within the Origin Well, which he had seized. When the Origin Realm shattered and merged into the main world, an Origin Well naturally fell into the main world as well.

Origin Wells were extremely rare and difficult to find. Despite this, Ye Tian managed to obtain information about one and forcefully took it, relocating it to the territory of the Human Race.

Unfortunately, he did not know the whereabouts of other Origin Wells. Otherwise, he would have been able to procure more origin energy to strengthen the Human Race's foundation.

After five thousand years of seclusion in the Origin Well, Ye Tian made tremendous progress, surpassing everyone's expectations.

He advanced to the peak of the third layer of the Burning Fire Soul Refining Technique, completing its third transformation. The Eternal Light Divine Ability reached the pinnacle of the minor realm.

Both the Great Immortality Technique and the Great Destruction Technique entered the minor realm, their power surging dramatically.

Additionally, the Void Sky Diagram showed some improvement. Through his efforts, he finally comprehended about twenty percent of it. Unfortunately, he still didn't understand its purpose, and it seemed to yield no significant results despite his comprehension.

Nevertheless, it was his only way to become a personal disciple. Even if it proved useless, he would continue to study it.

At this moment, Ye Tian was striving to break through to the fourth layer of the Profound Void Technique.

After five thousand years of arduous cultivation and with abundant resources, the bottleneck between the third and fourth layers of the Profound Void Technique finally showed signs of cracking. He was just one step away.

Now, he aimed to shatter this bottleneck and advance to the entry stage of the fourth layer.

If he succeeded, his strength would surely see a remarkable increase.

Time passed slowly. Ye Tian's aura grew stronger as a large amount of origin water merged into his body, helping him break through the bottleneck.

Finally, at a certain moment, Ye Tian's aura surged, his body cracked and healed repeatedly.

"Profound Void Technique, break through to the fourth layer!" Ye Tian silently shouted.

Boom! Ye Tian's body truly broke through its limits, entering a whole new level.

At the same time, countless top-grade Divine Crystals, Chaos Crystals, and other energy crystals he had prepared turned into energy and surged into Ye Tian's body, aiding his rapid transformation.

After a long while, Ye Tian stabilized his realm.

"I finally broke through. With my body's transformation and the enhancement of my divine abilities, my strength has probably reached the peak of the three-star level!" Ye Tian speculated. $\dot{R}\dot{\alpha}N\ddot{\delta}\beta\dot{E}\dot{s}$

The power of a Divine General increased significantly with each minor layer. Although the Profound Void Technique was formidable, it wasn't enough to elevate his strength by an entire star level with just one breakthrough. That was unrealistic.

However, now that the Profound Void Technique had reached the entry stage of the fourth layer, if it advanced to the major realm of the fourth layer, even without improvements in other aspects, he might break through the bottleneck and become a four-star Divine General.

The progress from the entry stage to the major realm of the fourth layer of the Profound Void Technique involved no significant bottlenecks, just a matter of time. Therefore, becoming a four-star Divine General would not be too challenging for Ye Tian.

In essence, Ye Tian was now equivalent to a quasi-four-star Divine General.

When Ye Tian emerged from the Origin Well, several Earthly Venerables appeared before him.

These Earthly Venerables were Earthly Venerable Kunwu and Earthly Venerable Primordial, the current pillars of the Human Race. They were the true administrators of the Human Race, as Ye Tian rarely managed the Human Race himself.

"Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws, some races have expressed their desire to ally with our Human Race," said Earthly Venerable Primordial.

"Some races want to ally with us?"

Ye Tian was not surprised. In the current cosmic environment, many races in the universe were struggling to survive. Without a powerful backer, they faced the constant threat of extinction.

And the Human Race was undoubtedly the greatest power in the universe now, so naturally, many forces wanted to ally with them.

"Accept them for now, but if there are any races that have a very bad relationship with the Human Race or only want to ally without following orders, reject them," Ye Tian said.

"Understood!" Earthly Venerable Primordial responded.

"Any news from the Cangyu Universe?" Ye Tian asked again.

Since his fourth and third incarnations had already been recalled, he was not very clear about the situation in the Cangyu Universe. However, the Human Race had some powerful individuals in the Cangyu Universe, and Earthly Venerable Primordial and the others could contact them to keep up with the information.

Therefore, Earthly Venerable Primordial and the others were very well informed about the Cangyu Universe's situation.

"Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws, the Cangyu Universe is developing well, but since it was already at a peak, the progress is not significant. Our Eternal Universe, apart from having fewer Divine Generals, is gradually catching up in the Earthly Venerable tier.

However, we recently received information that a two-star Divine General from the Cangyu Universe was killed, seemingly by a joint attack from several Divine Generals of the Hidden God Organization. The killing happened so fast that the other Divine Generals couldn't rescue him in time," Earthly Venerable Primordial reported.

"What, a two-star Divine General was killed in a short time?" Ye Tian was shocked.

"Yes!" Earthly Venerable Primordial nodded. "The reason is unclear, but that two-star Divine General was killed at the entrance to a forbidden zone in the Cangyu Universe. Now, many Divine Generals have entered that forbidden zone. Perhaps they discovered some opportunity that led to the clash with the Hidden God Organization, but the two-star Divine General didn't have time to escape and was killed!"

"An opportunity, huh!" Ye Tian felt a twinge of excitement.

Although he was now a peak three-star Divine General, becoming a four-star Divine General would probably take several tens of thousands of years. However, with a great opportunity, he might break through in just a few thousand years.

In the universe, without opportunities and resources, even the best legacies would find it hard to rapidly ascend to the four-star Divine General level. But with a great opportunity, even with an average legacy, one could become a four-star Divine General in a short time.

With less than ten million years remaining until the fusion of the two universes, he had to seize every opportunity.

"Earthly Venerable Primordial, Earthly Venerable Kunwu, I am preparing to make a trip to the Cangyu Universe. Take good care of the Human Race, and if anything happens, notify me immediately!" Ye Tian instructed.

"Understood!" Earthly Venerable Primordial and Earthly Venerable Kunwu nodded.

They knew Ye Tian's strength. In the dual universe, he was absolutely invincible. Even in the Cangyu Universe's forbidden zones, Ye Tian wouldn't be in danger unless all the Divine Generals besieged him, which would only cause him slight trouble.

But it would only be a minor inconvenience. If Ye Tian wanted to leave, no one could stop him.

Swish! Ye Tian traversed through space, taking some time to reach the black hole node of the dual universe.

At this moment, many areas of the two universes had already merged. The merged area had turned into large continents, where countless giant cities had been built for trading between the forces of the two universes.

Some people even lived there, treating it as their home.

This place had also been given a name—New Universe! Ye Tian did not linger in the New Universe but quickly traversed into the Cangyu Universe.

Chapter 843: True Blood Tree, True Blood Fruit

The Cangyu Universe, Blood Sea Forbidden Zone.

This place was a notorious forbidden zone within the Cangyu Universe. It was truly a forbidden zone where anyone below the Divine General level would inevitably perish upon entry. The Blood Sea Forbidden Zone contained a Blood Sea Barrier, and within it was an aura potent enough to cause an Earthly Venerable to fall instantly.

Under normal circumstances, even Divine Generals were reluctant to enter the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone. It was filled only with blood energy and had no other resources, making it pointless to venture in.

However, many Divine Generals had entered the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone recently.

Due to Earthly Venerables being unable to enter, the specific situation inside was only known among the Divine Generals. Thus, Ye Tian currently did not know what had happened within the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone.

Soon, Ye Tian arrived at the entrance of the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone.

"What a massive Blood Sea Barrier, occupying nearly an entire star field. Strange, the previous Blood Sea Forbidden Zone was never this large. The unification of the universe's dimensional world shouldn't have any connection with the forbidden zone, so why has it expanded?" Ye Tian was astonished.

Swish! Ye Tian passed through the Blood Sea Barrier and entered the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone.

As soon as he entered, a large amount of blood energy surged towards him, filled with corrosive power. However, it had no effect on Ye Tian, equivalent to ordinary air. Even if he inhaled the blood energy, his powerful body could refine it.

Boom! A blood-colored creature resembling a wolf charged at Ye Tian from within the blood sea.

Its strength was not weak, roughly equivalent to an ordinary Earthly Venerable. Ye Tian pointed a finger and killed it instantly.

The blood-colored creature exploded, leaving behind a blood-colored crystal.

Ye Tian grabbed the blood-colored crystal, instantly understanding its purpose.

"Blood Crystal, capable of enhancing blood energy, refining blood energy, and strengthening the body." Ye Tian spoke calmly.

He found it strange. Previous information indicated that the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone had no living beings, hence no such blood-colored creatures. He decided to call them Blood Beasts for now. But now, Blood Beasts had appeared here.

"Could it be that the change in the cosmic rules led to the birth of Blood Beasts here? However, even if Blood Beasts exist, it shouldn't lead to Divine Generals fighting. There must be more precious opportunities and treasures!" Ye Tian speculated.

Along the way, some Blood Beasts attacked Ye Tian, all of which he killed. He collected the Blood Crystals as well.

Blood Crystals were a valuable energy resource, highly beneficial for body refinement. Ye Tian's practice of the Profound Void Technique consumed a lot of energy, and Blood Crystals were much better than other energies and resources. Hence, he naturally wanted to collect as many as possible.

Moreover, Blood Crystals could also help the human Earthly Venerables refine their bodies and enhance their strength. Such valuable items were highly sought after. Using his Life Heavenly Eye, Ye Tian knew the Divine Generals were in the center of the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone, but he didn't rush to catch up.

"Ten thousand Blood Crystals should be enough. It's time to head to the center of the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone before the real great opportunity falls into someone else's hands!"

With this thought, Ye Tian quickly made his way there.

In no time, he reached the center of the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone.

Here, many Divine Generals were injured and hostile towards each other.

Ye Tian's arrival caused all the Divine Generals to change their expressions. Ye Tian's strength had already been partially exposed, and the other Divine Generals knew he had the power of a three-star Divine General.

A three-star Divine General was incredibly terrifying.

Among them, the strongest were only at the peak of two-star Divine General, and no one had yet broken through to three-star Divine General.

For a moment, many Divine Generals considered teaming up. If Ye Tian dared to make a move against them, they would undoubtedly unite against him.

Ye Tian paid no attention to these Divine Generals, his gaze fixed on the blood tree at the center of the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone.

This blood tree had many fruits, but most were unripe.

"This is the True Blood Tree and True Blood Fruit!!!" Ye Tian was astonished.

He had considerable knowledge and had learned about many treasures from ancient texts within the chaos, one of which was the True Blood Tree.

The True Blood Tree was undoubtedly one of the supreme treasures for Divine Generals, greatly enhancing strength and solidifying the foundation of the physical body.

A single mature True Blood Fruit could refine a Divine General's blood many times over. Strong blood naturally led to a powerful body.

Ye Tian had practiced the Profound Void Technique and had condensed a semi-chaotic life form, making his physical foundation extremely strong. His blood far surpassed that of other Divine Generals, but it was still at an ordinary level. There was still a slight gap between him and the descendants of True Spirit Realm and Grand Dao Realm geniuses.

For example, some Divine Generals who had completed the inheritance of their ancestral bloodlines possessed blood with traces of True Spirit aura. Such blood could be called True Blood.

Naturally, no true descendants with True Blood existed in the universe since they lacked powerful ancestors. Unless one practiced some terrifying bloodline techniques, their blood could not transform into True Blood.

The Profound Void Technique mentioned that if one practiced it to the sixth level, all their blood would transform into True Blood, even purer and stronger than that of ordinary True Blood descendants.

However, reaching the sixth level of the Profound Void Technique was extremely difficult. Ye Tian was currently only at the entry stage of the fourth level.

If he could transform his blood into True Blood in advance, he could quickly enhance his Profound Void Technique. This was blood replenishing the body.

To Ye Tian, these True Blood Fruits were genuine treasures. To other Divine Generals, the True Blood Fruits would undoubtedly drive them crazy! That was why they fought over the True Blood Fruits.

However, the True Blood Tree was rooted in the Blood Sea. If uprooted, it wouldn't survive. Therefore, they didn't dare to take the True Blood Tree, fearing they might destroy it.

"These True Blood Fruits aren't fully mature, but a few are close to ripening. Usually, if the True Blood Fruits aren't mature, they wouldn't be fighting. It seems that more than one True Blood Fruit has already matured here. That peak two-star Divine General was probably killed over a True Blood Fruit, and now that the True Blood Tree is exposed, the Divine Generals of the Hidden God Organization can't keep the news sealed." Ye Tian pondered.

"Everyone, how many True Blood Fruits have you obtained?" Ye Tian asked.

"Hmph, those who got the True Blood Fruits have already fled!" a Divine General replied coldly.

Through conversation, Ye Tian learned that three mature True Blood Fruits had emerged here, taken by three peak two-star Divine Generals, one of whom was at the peak of the two-star level.

After all, once someone obtained a True Blood Fruit, they would undoubtedly become a target. If they didn't leave, they might be besieged and killed.

"One True Blood Fruit can only make the blood significantly stronger, but it's far from enough to transform all my blood into True Blood. I need to seize more True Blood Fruits!" Ye Tian thought.

So, he sat cross-legged, waiting for the True Blood Fruits to mature.

Time passed slowly, and in the blink of an eye, five hundred years had gone by.

On this day.

A fragrant scent wafted from one of the True Blood Fruits. This True Blood Fruit had matured.

Swish, swish, swish!!! Numerous Divine Generals rushed towards the True Blood Fruit with all their might. Some even used forbidden techniques, all in an effort to seize the True Blood Fruit.

"Get lost!" A cold snort resounded.

Then, a terrifying domain pressure descended.

"Primordial Domain!"

In an instant, Ye Tian made his move, overwhelming the Divine Generals and sending them flying. He himself grabbed the True Blood Fruit, plucking it from the tree.

Chapter 844: Occupying the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone!

Ye Tian put away the True Blood Fruit and stood there, silently gazing at the other Divine Generals.

If an ordinary Divine General had seized the True Blood Fruit, these Divine Generals would not have let it go, but since Ye Tian had taken this True Blood Fruit, none of the present Divine Generals dared to attack him.

Ye Tian was too powerful. Just now, without unleashing his full strength, he had easily knocked all of them away. If it had come to a real fight, they didn't know how many of them would die.

Moreover, there was more than one True Blood Fruit on the True Blood Tree; they could wait for another opportunity.

Divine General Canglong stepped forward. At the beginning of the fusion of the two universes, he had only been an early two-star Divine General, but over such a long time, he had gained several great opportunities, significantly improving his strength. Now, he was a late two-star Divine General.

"Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws, you have already obtained one True Blood Fruit. We won't fight for it, but you must leave here immediately," Divine General Canglong said.

"Leave?" Ye Tian sneered, "Why should I leave? One True Blood Fruit is not enough to satisfy my appetite!"

"You're too greedy!" Divine General Canglong frowned, and the other Divine Generals were also furious.

One True Blood Fruit was enough to greatly enhance one's strength, yet Ye Tian wanted more! Moreover, the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone belonged to the Cangyu Universe, and strictly speaking, the True Blood Tree also belonged to the Cangyu Universe. Ye Tian, being an intruder, should be content with one True Blood Fruit and leave.

The True Blood Tree didn't bear many fruits, only a few dozen in total, and only seven or eight were close to maturity. The others would take millions of years to mature.

They couldn't wait that long, so each True Blood Fruit was extremely valuable, worth fighting to the death for.

"If you're dissatisfied, then fight!" Ye Tian was fearless. A mere group of one or two-star Divine Generals dared to question him.

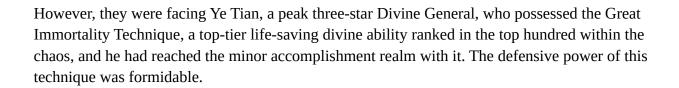
"You..." Divine General Canglong was extremely angry but did not immediately act. Instead, he secretly communicated with the other Divine Generals.

If Ye Tian didn't leave and wanted to dominate the True Blood Fruits, they couldn't stop him one-on-one.

"Everyone, what should we do now? The Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws is stronger than us. If he stays here, we won't be able to snatch the fruits from him." "Let's join forces. With our combined strength, we should be able to severely wound him. If he doesn't want to die, he'll have to flee." "But by doing this, we'll completely offend the Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws. If he comes to assassinate us later, we'll be in danger!" "Hmph, are you scared? If we get a True Blood Fruit, our chances of transcending will increase significantly. If you're afraid, you can back out. But I won't give up!" "Let's fight. Maybe if we join forces, we might even kill the Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws!" After some discussion, the group of Divine Generals decided to join forces to attack Ye Tian. "Spear of the Sun!" "Heavenly Hand!" "Endless Phantom Realm!" "Reaper's Funeral!" "Void Shatter!" One by one, the Divine Generals unleashed their ultimate techniques, along with the might of their strongest treasures, to suppress Ye Tian.

The combined attack of so many Divine Generals reached a terrifying level. Even a weaker three-

star Divine General would be severely injured in such a situation.



Boom! Boom! Boom!

Numerous attacks landed on Ye Tian, but they didn't even break through his defense.

"You dare to attack me? Bold, but your attacks are too weak!" Ye Tian said coldly.

"What? How is this possible?"

"Impossible! How can you withstand so many attacks?"

"I don't believe it. You must be seriously injured and just pretending!"

The Divine Generals were in shock and disbelief, unable to comprehend how Ye Tian could be unscathed after such a fierce combined assault.

Ye Tian swung his hand, and the top-tier Great Destruction Technique turned into a beam of destructive light that swept across the area.

Immediately, three Divine Generals were enveloped, their bodies pulverized by the Great Destruction Technique.

Although these three were only one-star Divine Generals, one of them, the peak one-star Divine General Crying Blood, was particularly adept at survival. Even a full-strength attack from a two-star Divine General could hardly injure him. Yet now, he had been reduced to dust by Ye Tian's single move.

"Run!"

The other Divine Generals turned into streams of light and fled, no longer daring to stay.

Ye Tian did not pursue them. To him, they were merely ants; it didn't matter whether he killed them or not.

Moreover, these people posed no threat to him.

Outside the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone, a group of Divine Generals fled in panic. Seeing that Ye Tian did not chase after them, they breathed a collective sigh of relief.

"The Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws is definitely not an early three-star Divine General. He is probably already at the peak of the three-star level. That move just now—forget about one-star Divine Generals—even a peak two-star Divine General wouldn't be able to withstand it!" Divine General Sun trembled as he spoke.

"Yes, if the Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws had wanted to kill us, we wouldn't have survived. It's terrifying. How can there be such a powerful Divine General?" Another Divine General was equally shocked.

"What should we do? Are we just going to give up on the True Blood Fruits?" One Divine General frowned.

"Give up. Although the True Blood Fruits are precious, we have to save our lives. Moreover, the Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws cannot monopolize all the True Blood Fruits. Those that need a long time to mature—he won't be able to wait for them. We still have a chance. And with the Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws waiting here, we can seek other opportunities elsewhere. There's no need to waste time here," said Divine General Sun.

"Alright, let's leave and look for other opportunities!"

One by one, the Divine Generals left, leaving Ye Tian alone in the entire Blood Sea Forbidden Zone.

In the following years, Ye Tian waited for the True Blood Fruits to mature while hunting blood beasts in the Blood Sea, seizing the blood crystals from their bodies.

The Blood Sea was vast and home to many blood beasts, and Ye Tian accumulated an increasing number of blood crystals.

Another 600 years passed, and Ye Tian obtained his second True Blood Fruit and over ten million blood crystals.

Another 800 years later, Ye Tian acquired his third True Blood Fruit, but this time he only collected about five million blood crystals due to the decreasing number of blood beasts.

Ye Tian did not waste such a long time. Most of the time was spent on cultivation. He used most of the blood crystals to cultivate the Profound Void Technique, successfully reaching the minor accomplishment realm of the fourth layer, enhancing his strength to the extreme of the three-star level, just one step away from the four-star Divine General's combat power.

Meanwhile, in the Human Race, Earthly Venerable Kunwu and Earthly Venerable Primordial were discussing an important matter.

"Has the Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws not returned yet?" Earthly Venerable Kunwu asked.

"He's still cultivating in the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone," Earthly Venerable Primordial replied. "For now, let's not disturb the Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws, but we must keep an eye on the new universe. Notify the Earthly Venerables stationed there to report any developments."

"Yes, the new universe's rules are stronger, and many opportunities have emerged, including some innate origin objects. Unfortunately, with the Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws not present, our human race has obtained very few treasures. Most have been taken by the powerhouses of the Cangyu Universe," Earthly Venerable Kunwu sighed.

"Those treasures are not the main concern. The recent anomalies in the new universe must be closely monitored. There's a large area that no one can enter, not even Divine Generals. It's very unusual!"

The Earthly Venerables of the Human Race discussed this, while the news of the inaccessible area in the new universe spread, attracting many strong individuals to investigate. However, the reason remained unknown.

One day, Ye Tian emerged from the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone!

Chapter 845: The Emergence of the Ancestral Stele

By the time Ye Tian emerged from the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone, sixty thousand years had already passed. He had accumulated six True Blood Fruits but did not immediately consume them. Instead, he planned to cultivate the fourth layer of the Profound Void Technique to the perfected realm before using the fruits. This way, once the blood transformed into True Blood, it could nourish his body, breaking through its limitations and advancing to the fifth layer.

If he consumed the True Blood Fruits now, he would still be trapped at the bottleneck between the fourth and fifth layers of the Profound Void Technique.

Of course, Ye Tian's strength had significantly improved as well. Although he was still at the peak of three-star Divine General combat power, he had made comprehensive progress in all aspects.

Moreover, he had comprehended twenty-four percent of the Void Sky Diagram and elevated his mental state to the eighth layer.

As for the Profound Void Technique, it was still at the minor accomplishment realm of the fourth layer, but on the verge of major accomplishment. Once the Profound Void Technique reached the major accomplishment realm of the fourth layer, his strength would undoubtedly break into four-star Divine General combat power.

"Time to go to the New Universe. What exactly is happening there?" Ye Tian frowned.

During the tens of thousands of years he spent in the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone, his third and fourth clones still kept him informed about some events. The anomalies in the New Universe had attracted the attention of countless powerful beings from both the Eternal Universe and the Cangyu Universe. Naturally, he was aware of it.

With a flash, Ye Tian traversed out of the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone and flew towards the New Universe.

As soon as Ye Tian left, various sacred lands of the Cangyu Universe received the news, prompting several Divine Generals to head to the Blood Sea Forbidden Zone.

In the New Universe's central area was the Forbidden Domain. Ye Tian arrived without drawing attention.

The rules of the Forbidden Domain were chaotic and powerful, repelling others from entering. Not even Divine Generals could get in.

"Even Divine Generals can't enter?" Ye Tian was curious and attempted to step inside.

However, the moment he tried to enter, a terrifying repulsive force struck. Before this force, he felt like an ant, utterly powerless.

He couldn't get in. Yes, even someone with his peak three-star Divine General strength couldn't enter. No wonder it was called the Forbidden Domain.

"Strange, how could the universe birth such an unusual place?" Ye Tian was curious.

It wouldn't be surprising if such a place existed in chaos, but this was the universe. The universe couldn't produce something overly powerful or special, not even places as wondrous as the Origin Ground could create creatures too terrifying.

Some forbidden areas in the universe were only dangerous to Earthly Venerables and were trivial to Divine Generals. They might have restrictions, but they wouldn't make a three-star Divine General feel like an ant.

Even the universe's origin didn't give Ye Tian such a feeling. Why would a mere Forbidden Domain make him feel this way?

"Something's not right," Ye Tian muttered.

In the following days, Ye Tian continuously researched but still couldn't uncover the secrets of the Forbidden Domain. He only felt it growing stronger and its influence expanding.

However, Ye Tian discovered a cultivation method. By repeatedly forcing his way into the Forbidden Domain and enduring the immense pressure, he could operate the Profound Void Technique to cultivate, yielding results ten times better.

Thus, Ye Tian continued this cultivation method.

Of course, this method consumed a lot of energy, but fortunately, Ye Tian had plenty of Blood Crystals, so he wasn't worried about the expenditure.

He spent a full year cultivating this way. One day, he finally broke through the bottleneck, successfully reaching the major accomplishment realm of the fourth layer. His physical body strengthened, breaking through the limitations, and his overall strength advanced to four-star Divine General combat power. $\ref{physical}$ N $\Theta \ref{BES}$

"Finally, a four-star Divine General!" Ye Tian exclaimed in excitement.

However, as the repulsive force of the Forbidden Domain grew more terrifying, even with his four-star Divine General strength, he couldn't approach it anymore. Thus, he couldn't use the Forbidden Domain for cultivation, as it could easily cause severe injuries.

Nonetheless, Ye Tian didn't mind. Reaching four-star Divine General strength had already fulfilled his initial goal.

Moreover, if Ye Tian wanted to transcend now, he could do so anytime.

"It's time to leave!" Ye Tian left the New Universe and returned to the Human Territory of the Eternal Universe.

Upon returning to the Human Territory, Ye Tian distributed a portion of the Blood Crystals to the human race to enhance their strength, and he gave another portion to his wife and his sister, Ye Yu.

In the days that followed, Ye Tian continued his secluded cultivation, but his progress was slow.

In reality, his progress was already fast, but the time allotted to him was too short. Much of his time was spent comprehending the Void Sky Diagram, which was his only way to become a personal disciple, a path he could not abandon.

Additionally, he needed to accelerate his cultivation of the Blazing Fire Soul Refining Technique, as it was one of the ways to enhance his comprehension! After ten thousand years, Ye Tian entered the Cangyu Universe again, forcibly entering the Ancient Demon Cave and challenging the Ancient Demon Tower.

His strength soared, his physical body became incredibly strong, and with his exquisite combat skills, he finally broke through the fifth and sixth layers of the Ancient Demon Tower. Using the pure Ancient Demon Essence from these layers, he further strengthened his body, advancing the Profound Void Technique from the major accomplishment realm of the fourth layer to the peak of the major accomplishment realm, just one step away from perfection.

After returning from the Ancient Demon Tower, Ye Tian went to the New Universe again to investigate the Forbidden Domain. At this time, the rules of the Forbidden Domain had started to stabilize, indicating a new transformation! Many Divine Generals speculated that the true nature of the Forbidden Domain might soon be revealed. If it turned out to be a land of opportunity, it would undoubtedly be the most precious in history, potentially driving Divine Generals to madness.

Several thousand more years passed, and the rules of the Forbidden Domain completely stabilized.

At this time, near the Forbidden Domain, in a newly built giant city called Forbidden Domain Capital, many Divine Generals resided, waiting for changes in the Forbidden Domain.

Ye Tian was among them.

Suddenly, the entire New Universe began to tremble, and terrifying rules emerged. It seemed as if the entire New Universe was imprisoned, making it difficult even for Ye Tian to move.

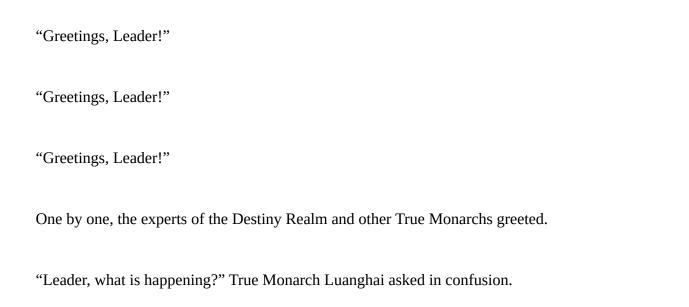
Next, beams of light illuminated the surroundings, penetrating the New Universe and covering the Eternal Universe and the Cangyu Universe. No place in the two universes could block this light.

In the Chaos Divine Realm, members of the Ox Race were dumbfounded as they gazed at the penetrating light.

The Chaos Divine Realm, a world capable of hiding even when the dimensional worlds merged, was now penetrated by the light of the Forbidden Domain.

Observing from the chaos, one would see light emanating from the center of the two universes, covering the dark chaos and spreading into its depths.

Outside the chaos, the Heavenly Monarchs and True Spirit Realm experts of the Hidden God Organization stationed there were all stunned, staring in disbelief at the Twin Universes. At this moment, even True Monarch Hidden God, who had been in long-term seclusion, appeared.



As a nominal disciple of a powerful Dao Ancestor, True Monarch Hidden God had far more knowledge than the other True Monarchs. He stared at the Twin Universes and soon made a conjecture.

With a sigh, he said, "These Twin Universes no longer belong to us. Order the members of the Hidden God Organization to quickly withdraw from this area, leaving only a small contingent to guard."

"Why?" True Monarch Luanghai and others were shocked.

"Because this opportunity is too great, surpassing even a grand universe. It is not something we can covet. If we stay here, it will be easy for other great powers to wipe us out, and I won't be able to protect the Hidden God Organization even with my status.

If my guess is correct, this light comes from an Ancestral Stele, a newly born Ancestral Stele!" True Monarch Hidden God said.

"What is an Ancestral Stele?" True Monarch Luanghai and the others asked in confusion.

Chapter 846: The Opportunity to Become a Dao Ancestor

"The Ancestral Stele is an incredibly precious treasure even within chaos. Not just me, but even those at the Grand Dao Realm desire to obtain it. However, the Ancestral Stele isn't something that can be obtained by an individual. It remains in the place where it was born, and no one can take it

away. Even Dao Ancestors at the Harmony Realm cannot take it," murmured True Monarch Hidden God.

"I don't understand!" True Monarch Luanghai and the others shook their heads, still not fully comprehending.

"You are aware of the True Ancestors at the Grand Dao Realm and the Dao Ancestors at the Harmony Realm, correct?" asked True Monarch Hidden God.

"Of course, we know!" True Monarch Luanghai and the others showed expressions of envy and longing.

"Although True Ancestors are rare within chaos, their numbers aren't insignificant. However, Dao Ancestors at the Harmony Realm are exceedingly few. Some heaven-defying True Ancestors, whose combat strength is sufficient to kill weaker Dao Ancestors, still cannot become Dao Ancestors. The reason is that they cannot achieve Harmony. Without Harmony, they cannot become Dao Ancestors.

Harmony involves perfectly merging a self-consolidated Dao with oneself. This step is extremely difficult. If relying solely on oneself, it is impossible to achieve, but it can be done with the help of one thing: the Ancestral Stele!"

"What? The Ancestral Stele can enable a Grand Dao Realm expert to become a Dao Ancestor?" True Monarch Luanghai's expression changed dramatically, revealing looks of incredulity.

They finally realized the importance of the Ancestral Stele, recognizing it as an opportunity that could incite a great deal of conflict.

"Doesn't that mean a group of True Ancestor experts will soon arrive here?" True Monarch Luanghai asked worriedly.

"No, that won't happen," True Monarch Hidden God shook his head. "Even if Grand Dao experts paid a heavy price, they might enter some universes, but the universe where the Ancestral Stele is located cannot be entered, even by Dao Ancestors. The Ancestral Stele strengthens the rules of the universe, and one must follow its rules to enter."

"If True Ancestors can't enter, how can they use the Ancestral Stele to become Dao Ancestors?" The True Monarchs were immensely curious.

"You know that a Grand Universe can accommodate Destiny Realm experts," True Monarch Hidden God said. "And when a Grand Universe further evolves, it becomes a Dao World. Any universe that births an Ancestral Stele has the potential to become a Dao World. A Dao World can allow True Ancestors to enter. Once a Dao World is born, numerous True Ancestors will enter, fighting to claim a spot near the Ancestral Stele.

It's rumored that an Ancestral Stele ultimately allows only nine Dao Ancestors to emerge. Nowadays, the Ancestral Steles within chaos are extremely few and kept in utmost secrecy. Even I don't know how many there are, but the value of an Ancestral Stele is so high that even Dao Ancestors would fight over it. After all, Dao Ancestors have True Ancestor disciples."

"So, does this mean the Eternal Universe and the Cangyu Universe, this dual universe, will now certainly become a Grand Universe?" True Monarch Luanghai asked.

"No," True Monarch Hidden God explained. "The probability of a dual universe becoming a Grand Universe remains very small. If the fusion of the dual universe fails, both universes will vanish, and the Ancestral Stele will likely disappear as well. However, since the Ancestral Stele has appeared, those True Ancestors will not allow an Ancestral Stele to disappear. They will do everything in their power to ensure the dual universe fuses into a Grand Universe.

Once it becomes a Grand Universe, it will be stable and free from the risk of destruction. Elevating it to a Dao World would not be difficult, though it would require a long time. True Ancestors have unlimited lifespans, so they are not afraid to wait."

"In that case, this situation is advantageous for our Hidden God Organization. At least our disciples won't perish due to the failure of the dual universe fusion!" True Monarch Luanghai said with relief.

"Naive!" True Monarch Hidden God said coldly, "Don't forget, if a Grand Universe is born, the Divine Generals and even Destiny Realm experts within chaos can enter it. We won't have any advantage. If we can't transcend the dual universe before it becomes a Grand Universe, we won't be able to leave. Do you think those useless ones can transcend a Grand Universe? What a joke."

They naturally did not believe these individuals could transcend a Grand Universe. Those who could transcend a Grand Universe were definitely among the top-tier geniuses within chaos. As long as they didn't fall prematurely, they would inevitably become peak Grand Dao Realm experts, second only to Dao Ancestors.

"Inform them, at all costs, they must transcend the dual universe. If they cannot transcend, they will be forever trapped within the Grand Universe. After that, they'll have to find a way to survive. Our Hidden God Organization can't send Destiny Realm experts in. Otherwise, I have no way to extract a Destiny Realm Heavenly Monarch from a Grand Universe!" True Monarch Hidden God said.

"We'll find a way to inform them," True Monarch Luanghai responded.

Subsequently, the Hidden God Organization communicated the situation to the members of the Zang Shen Hall within the dual universe and began relocating their forces. Because this area would inevitably be occupied by many factions, survival in the gaps between these factions would be too difficult for the Hidden God Organization. A single misstep could lead to their annihilation, and they dared not stay.

However, True Monarch Hidden God still reported the situation to his never-seen master, Dao Ancestor Jiu Tian.

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In the chaos realm, the Qilin Palace.

Qilin True Lord was in seclusion, cultivating in the Qilin Palace. Though he was merely a True Ancestor at the early Grand Dao Realm, he held a considerable reputation within chaos and possessed considerable talent with room for improvement.

Suddenly, his expression changed to one of great joy.

He received a message from the Qilin Hall in a certain universe, delivered by a fragment of his conscious avatar. Originally, he didn't care much about this Qilin Hall, but the latest message made him ecstatic.

"The Ancestral Stele has appeared!"

As a Grand Dao expert, he naturally understood the significance of the Ancestral Stele's appearance. The quotas for Ancestral Steles within chaos had long been exhausted. Some terrifyingly powerful True Ancestors had waited for countless ages without becoming Dao Ancestors, still waiting for new Ancestral Steles to appear.

Though his strength was modest, he also yearned for an Ancestral Stele. What if he could luckily become a Harmony Realm realm Dao Ancestor? According to his understanding, it wasn't just strength that allowed one to become a Dao Ancestor but also a certain opportunity and luck. Moreover, the stronger one was, the harder it was to become a Dao Ancestor. The Ancestral Stele merely provided hope.

In chaos, some overly powerful True Ancestors couldn't become Dao Ancestors, while some weaker True Ancestors managed to become Dao Ancestors by luck. Qilin True Lord believed that, though he was weak, he still had hope of becoming a Dao Ancestor.

"It seems like it's the universe where that Dao Ancestor took disciples before. What a coincidence that the Ancestral Stele was born in that universe. It won't be long before numerous True Ancestors and even Dao Ancestors focus their attention there," Qilin True Lord murmured.

He wasn't in a hurry to go to that universe. After all, it was still an ordinary universe, not even a Grand Universe, so he couldn't enter it. Only once the universe became a Dao World would he go there, but that process would take a long time.

"First, I need to make arrangements. Let my few incompetent disciples go there and make preparations," Qilin True Lord planned.

Immediately, he sent messages to his disciples at the peak of the True Spirit Realm, instructing them to head to the dual universe formed by the Eternal Universe and the Cangyu Universe.

At the same time, many Grand Dao experts across space became aware of the dual universe's existence and the presence of the Ancestral Stele. For a moment, the Eternal Universe and the Cangyu Universe drew the attention of countless great beings within chaos.

Chapter 847: The Divine General Rankings

New Universe, in front of the Ancestral Stele.

Ye Tian and the other Divine Generals, as well as the Earthly Venerables, stared in shock at the towering Ancestral Stele before them.

They did not recognize it. They had no idea what this Ancestral Stele was. The stele stood billions of feet tall, entirely pitch black, yet with golden light emanating from it. Countless terrifying rules of power burst forth, making it impossible for them to approach. Suddenly. The golden light and rules slowly evolved into a ranking list—the Divine General Rankings! Soon, names began to appear on the Divine General Rankings. 1. Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws, Initial Four-Star Divine General 2. Divine General Phantom Feather, Three-Star Divine General 3. Divine General Longze, Peak Two-Star Divine General 4. Guhe Divine General Guhe, Peak Two-Star Divine General 5. Divine General Wushuang, Peak Two-Star Divine General 6. Divine General Xueyun, Late Two-Star Divine General 7. Divine General Canglong, Late Two-Star Divine General 41. Divine General Primordial Era, Intermediate One-Star Divine General . . . 46. Divine General Stone Dragon, Intermediate One-Star Divine General In total, there were 47 Divine Generals on the rankings. Divine General Primordial Era was ranked

41st, while Divine General Stone Dragon was 46th, both having quite low rankings.

Most of the Divine Generals on the list were from the Cangyu Universe and the Hidden God Organization. However, the most dazzling was Ye Tian, whose power as an initial four-star Divine General overshadowed everything.

The release of this list caused a huge sensation.

This list indirectly revealed the strengths of the Divine Generals. Some had hidden their powers deeply, leading others to believe they were useless, but it turned out their strength was formidable.

For example, Divine General Longze and Divine General Wushuang, ranked third and fifth respectively, were previously thought to be only one-star Divine Generals. Now, they were revealed to be Two-Star Divine Generals, both at the peak of their level.

At that moment.

Divine General Canglong also looked at the list, stunned to find himself only ranked seventh.

"I'm only ranked seventh?"

Divine General Canglong could hardly believe it.

He had encountered many opportunities recently, rapidly improving his strength and nearing the peak of the Two-Star Divine General realm. He had expected to be at least in the top five, but was surprised to find himself only seventh.

"Divine General Longze and Divine General Wushuang, these two have always been low-key, showing only the strength of one-star Divine Generals. I underestimated them!"

Thinking this, Divine General Canglong looked towards Divine General Longze and Divine General Wushuang.

At this moment, both Divine General Longze and Divine General Wushuang's expressions changed.

They thought they had hidden their powers well, but the Ancestral Stele had exposed them.

Seeing they were exposed, they no longer hid their auras, revealing their peak-level presence.

As the entire list was displayed, golden lights merged into the bodies of the Divine Generals, with a beam of golden light also merging into Ye Tian.

This golden light contained some information about the Ancestral Stele.

"Ancestral Stele!"

Ye Tian learned the name of this stele and its origins.

"Nine slots, an opportunity to achieve Harmony Realm!"

Ye Tian's pupils constricted sharply.

He then understood what a significant opportunity this was. It surpassed any other opportunity in the entire universe, enough to tempt even the Dao Ancestors of the Harmony Realm, and drive countless ancient True Ancestors to madness! Although this opportunity was still very distant from him, possibly irrelevant, the appearance of such a great opportunity in the new universe formed by the fusion of the Eternal Universe and the Cangyu Universe meant its value had instantly increased exponentially.

Nevertheless, for Ye Tian and the others, the immediate value of the Ancestral Stele was immense, especially because of the Divine General Rankings it generated.

The top one hundred Divine Generals on the rankings would receive a significant opportunity, though what exactly this great opportunity entailed remained unknown.

Of course, the Ancestral Stele had just emerged and had not yet fully formed. Only when the Twin Universes became a Grand Universe would the Ancestral Stele be considered a true Ancestral Stele, possessing immense power.

In the chaos.

Ancient True Ancestors began to arrive, some in the early stages of the Grand Dao Realm, some in the mid-stages, and even some ancient True Ancestors at the peak of the Grand Dao Realm.

However, most True Ancestors and Dao Ancestors in the chaos did not come because it was unnecessary; there was nothing they could do by coming.

Some True Ancestors came on orders from Dao Ancestors, while others came simply because they were nearby.

"The Divine General Rankings have emerged. This is a true great opportunity for the Divine Generals. Unfortunately, we have long surpassed this level and cannot enjoy this opportunity!" sighed a True Ancestor in the early stages of the Grand Dao Realm.

"Hahaha, True Ancestor Yuhe, we may not be able to make it onto the Divine General Rankings, but in the future, we can aim for the True Ancestor Rankings! That's the real great opportunity. Even if we don't secure one of those nine slots, if we can make it onto the True Ancestor Rankings, our strength will soar!" said a True Ancestor in the mid-stages of the Grand Dao Realm.

"Unfortunately, the Twin Universes are still in the fusion process. We cannot send our Divine General disciples in yet. Otherwise, many Divine Generals from the chaos would flood into this future Grand Universe!" muttered an ancient peak Grand Dao Realm True Ancestor.

"True Ancestor Honghe, you are a True Ancestor of the Shadow Force, one of the Transcendent forces. The likelihood of the Twin Universes merging into a Grand Universe is too low. Shouldn't you Shadows contribute an Origin Universe Heart to aid in their fusion?" said another peak Grand Dao Realm True Ancestor named True Ancestor Langu.

Although True Ancestor Honghe was only in the late stages of the Grand Dao Realm, his high status as a member of the Transcendent force granted him significant respect. True Ancestor Honghe smiled and said, "The Origin Universe Heart is incredibly precious. We Shadows don't have many. You want us to bring it out without offering anything in return? How about this: if we contribute the Origin Universe Heart and help form the Grand Universe, the slots for entering the Grand Universe must be decided by us. If you want to enter, you must pay a price. How about that?"

"Agreed!" Many True Ancestors nodded in agreement.

They had no ability to turn the Twin Universes into a Grand Universe; only the Transcendent forces could do that. Therefore, having the Shadow Force contribute the Origin Universe Heart to create the Grand Universe was acceptable if they had to pay a price.

"How much will this price be? The Shadows can't just ask for an exorbitant amount," asked True Ancestor Langu.

"One Dao Coin for one Divine General, ten Dao Coins for one Destiny Realm True Monarch. Once the Grand Universe becomes a Dao Realm, there will be no more restrictions," proposed True Ancestor Honghe.

Dao Coins were the currency of the chaos. Many Divine Generals couldn't gather enough wealth for a single Dao Coin, but for True Ancestors, a few Dao Coins were nothing.

"Agreed!" True Ancestor Langu agreed, as the price proposed by True Ancestor Honghe was reasonable. A small amount of money wasn't something they would worry about.

The more Divine Generals and Destiny Realm True Monarchs entered, the more Dao Coins the Shadows would obtain, compensating for their loss.

In short, it was a win-win situation.

Chapter 848: Accelerated Fusion of the Twin Universes, the Grand Universe Will Form!

After the birth of the Ancestral Stele, the number of living beings in the new universe increased, and many forces even began migrating to the new universe. The human race also occupied a region in the new universe.

However, judging by the current situation, the Eternal Universe still remained the foundation of the human race.

Initially, the event caused by the Ancestral Stele was quite sensational, but as time passed, its influence gradually faded.

After all, others did not gain any benefits from the Ancestral Stele; they just thought it was impressive and powerful, but knew nothing beyond that.

However, the Divine Generals soon received tangible benefits from the Ancestral Stele—destiny! The amount of destiny they gained was astonishing, even far surpassing what they could obtain by occupying territories and controlling various races.

It could be said that as long as one held a top position on the Divine General Rankings, the destiny they gained was unimaginable.

Immediately, those Divine Generals lost interest in occupying bases and invading other forces; it was better to focus on enhancing their strength.

For example, Ye Tian, the top-ranked on the Divine General Rankings, gained an almost endless amount of destiny! Under such circumstances, his comprehension level reached a terrifying degree, and his cultivation speed became incredibly fast.

Thus, Ye Tian immediately entered seclusion to fully concentrate on cultivation.

In just a thousand years, Ye Tian cultivated the Profound Void Technique to the perfected fourth layer, elevating his strength to the early peak of the four-star Divine General level.

"I can now consume the True Blood Fruit!"

Ye Tian took out a True Blood Fruit and swallowed one.

Boom! The energy of the True Blood Fruit continuously tempered Ye Tian's blood, making it increasingly powerful, gradually exuding an aura of oppression, signifying the transformation towards true blood.

However, the power of a single True Blood Fruit was not enough to completely transform his blood.

Then, Ye Tian swallowed another True Blood Fruit, continuing to refine its energy.

One by one, the True Blood Fruits were consumed and refined by Ye Tian. After refining the sixth True Blood Fruit, a trace of true blood appeared in his body.

The true blood constantly devoured the other blood, slowly converting it into new true blood.

"It succeeded. True blood has finally been born. Although it is still far from permeating my entire body, the current level of my true blood is probably not weaker than that of some genuine top-tier true blood descendants, possibly even surpassing them. Only the second-generation descendants of True Ancestors can surpass me in terms of true blood purity!" Ye Tian murmured to himself.

From this moment on, his foundation far surpassed anyone else in the universe.

With the birth of true blood, Ye Tian's physical body continuously strengthened under the nourishment of true blood.

The blood nourished the body, and every moment, Ye Tian's physical body grew stronger. Along with his cultivation of the Profound Void Technique, his physical progress accelerated.

After several thousand years, Ye Tian's physical body finally broke through its shackles, and the Profound Void Technique advanced from the perfected fourth layer to the fifth layer in one leap, causing his overall strength to soar.

In the new universe, on the Divine General Rankings of the Ancestral Stele, Ye Tian still held the first position.

Divine General Rankings: 1. Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws, Mid-Stage Four-Star Divine General.

After the four-star Divine General level, the strength difference between each minor realm was significant. A mid four-star Divine General could easily defeat an early four-star Divine General, and Ye Tian had advanced to the mid four-star level in a short time, causing his strength to surge.

Meanwhile, the second on the Divine General Rankings, Divine General Phantom Feather, remained at the three-star level.

This demonstrated the terrifying nature of Ye Tian.

Primordial Holy Land.

When Divine General Primordial Era learned that Ye Tian had reached the mid-four-star Divine General stage, he was utterly shocked.

"The Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws already had the qualifications to transcend, yet he had not done so. It seemed he aimed to become a more powerful transcender rather than just an ordinary one.

If it were me, I would have transcended long ago with such strength."

Divine General Primordial Era said with a smile.

In the Eternal Universe, within the Hidden God Hall.

Divine General Zhang Ling, who already had the combat power of a late one-star Divine General, was extremely jealous and envious upon hearing that Ye Tian had reached the mid-four-star level. However, he sneered, "First on the Divine General Rankings, huh? Divine General of Ten Thousand Laws, you will soon lose your top spot, and you might even die soon.

With some geniuses from the chaos flooding in, not to mention four-star Divine Generals, there are even quite a few six-star and seven-star Divine Generals. How can a mere four-star Divine General like you, with no backing, compare to them?"

But he only said this to himself, as the Hidden God organization had already abandoned this place and might not send anyone in. This meant he had no backing either.

On this day, the True Ancestor Honghe from the Chaos Transcenders' force, Shadow, brought an Origin Universe Heart to the Eternal Universe and Cangyu Universe.

The Origin Universe Heart, about ten miles in size, resembled a miniature universe entirely composed of origin.

Many Heavenly Monarchs and True Monarchs saw the Origin Universe Heart for the first time, and they all stared at it. However, the True Ancestor Honghe paid no attention to their gazes and used his True Ancestor power to forcefully merge the Origin Universe Heart into the new universe formed by the fusion of the Cangyu Universe and the Eternal Universe.

Boom! It was as if a great sun had been inserted into the new universe, and terrifying energy permeated the twin universes.

Instantly, countless living beings in the twin universes sensed the energy of the Origin Universe Heart.

Especially in the new universe, those stationed there were stunned, looking at the great sun in the void. The power released by that great sun continuously influenced the new universe, accelerating the fusion of the twin universes many times over.

Originally, it would have taken over nine million years to reach the final stage of fusion, but now, at this accelerated rate, it would only take ninety thousand years to reach that stage.

"We're doomed. The speed of the universe's fusion has increased, leaving us only ninety thousand years. We're finished!"

Many Earthly Venerables and Divine Generals despaired.

Ninety thousand years to transcend? How could they possibly achieve that? But soon, a piece of news spread, exciting countless living beings in the twin universes.

The great sun was the Origin Universe Heart. Although it accelerated the fusion of the twin universes, it guaranteed a one hundred percent successful fusion.

This meant the Grand Universe would inevitably be born, and no one would die due to the universe's collapse.

This was the work of the mighty ones of the chaos. Many of the weaker cultivators did not understand what was happening. Some even thought it was the Hidden God organization's doing, but Ye Tian knew very well that this had nothing to do with the Hidden God organization.

Such a minor organization could not obtain an Origin Universe Heart; it had to be the work of more powerful forces, and likely more than one.

"The birth of the Ancestral Stele must have attracted many True Ancestors from the chaos who wish to seize this universe. Naturally, they would not allow the twin universes to collapse. They not only

want the twin universes to merge into the Grand Universe but also plan to transform the Grand Universe into a Dao Realm." Ye Tian said.

From this perspective, this was a good thing.

However, once the Grand Universe was formed, Divine Generals and Destiny Realm True Monarchs from the chaos could enter with minimal cost, resulting in unprecedented competition. Ye Tian now had two choices: either transcend and avoid the conflict or wait for the birth of the Grand Universe, compete with countless geniuses from the chaos, and transcend from the Grand Universe to become the strongest Divine General.

Without a second's hesitation, Ye Tian had already made his decision.

"Chaos geniuses, I, Ye Tian, await your arrival!"

Ye Tian smiled slightly and continued his seclusion.

Chapter 849: The Final Moment

Perhaps it was due to the birth of the Ancestral Stele, but the cultivation environment in the universe had been improving, making cultivation easier.

In the past, for a ten-star Earthly Venerable to become a Divine General, it required not only a powerful legacy, countless resources, and a certain amount of luck and talent. Altogether, the birth of a Divine General was exceedingly difficult.

But now, becoming a Divine General had become much easier.

For instance, comprehending the Grand Dao had become significantly easier than before. Many Divine Generals had comprehended the Origin Realm to a perfected state, and Earthly Venerables could easily reach the Origin Realm without needing many resources.

Moreover, physical cultivation and soul cultivation had also become easier.

In just tens of thousands of years, the two universes had birthed more than twenty Divine Generals. Among them, the human race had produced three Divine Generals: Divine General Kunwu, Divine General Primordial, and Divine General Divine Blade.

These three had the highest talents within the human race. With the improved cultivation environment, they naturally progressed rapidly.

In addition to these three Divine Generals, the human race had also produced several Earthly Venerables of eight or nine stars.

Members of the Tian Pavilion had made significant progress as well. For example, Zhou Tian had become a ten-star Earthly Venerable and was considered one of the most powerful among them.

Ye Tian's wife, Xiao Yue, and Ye Yu, despite having countless resources, had slightly weaker foundations initially. Although they had compensated for this later, they still could not compare to the truly top-tier geniuses.

Thus, the two of them had only become nine-star Earthly Venerables. While it might not be difficult for them to become ten-star Earthly Venerables, becoming Divine Generals was extremely challenging.

Previously, Ye Tian had worried that they would not be able to transcend and would perish with the universe's collapse. But now, he no longer worried.

The Twin Universes would become a Grand Universe. Even if they did not transcend, they could continue to cultivate, reaching the True Ancestor level of the Destiny Realm or even the Grand Dao Realm. Moreover, the Grand Universe would almost never collapse. If it became the Dao Realm, it would be nearly eternal.

Therefore, he no longer worried about them.

As long as his strength continued to grow, he could always protect them and the human race.

Due to the birth of the Ancestral Stele and Ye Tian being first on the Divine General Rankings, his strength had improved rapidly over these tens of thousands of years. Not only did he create the sixth form of the Heavenly Saber series—the Infinite Saber Realm, but he also created the sixth form of the Primordial series—the Primordial Ring. These two moves were incredibly powerful, significantly enhancing Ye Tian's strength. Additionally, Ye Tian had made great progress in the

Grand Dao, having found the path to condensing the embryonic form of the Grand Dao. Although he had not yet mastered it, he had a clear direction. Once he progressed one more tier, he could formally begin condensing the embryonic form of the Grand Dao.

Reaching that level would exponentially increase Ye Tian's strength.

On the Divine General Rankings, Ye Tian still held the first place, having reached the later stage of four-star strength, nearing the peak of four-star Divine Generals.

Divine General Phantom Feather had advanced to the mid-stage of three-star, and a few more early-stage three-star Divine Generals had emerged. However, their progress was still limited. Beyond three-stars, every small increment was exceedingly difficult. Despite the improved cultivation environment, advancement was still not easy.

With his strength at the later stage of four-star Divine General and significant improvements in his physical body, Ye Tian ventured into the Ancient Demon Tower again. He barely passed the seventh level of the tower, gaining a substantial amount of Ancient Demon Essence to refine his body, further enhancing his strength. However, he still fell short of reaching the peak of four-star Divine General.

At this level of strength, further progress for Ye Tian required a prolonged period, and even some opportunities were of little use to him.

Thus, Ye Tian began traveling across the universe, copying countless talents in an attempt to enhance his own.

This process was incredibly difficult, but he persisted.

One thousand years! Ten thousand years! Twenty thousand years!

Ye Tian lost count of how many talents he had copied and fused because there were too many to keep track of. Sometimes, he felt his talent had reached a bottleneck, making progress almost imperceptible.

But he continued to copy and fuse, persistently.

It wasn't until after five hundred thousand years that Ye Tian's talent finally underwent its ultimate transformation.

Of course, it was not all of his talents that underwent this transformation but rather his Origin Strength talent, which corresponded to his strength talent. Strength talent was a fundamental talent that many beings possessed. God-level strength talents were the most common and abundant. Naturally, the strength talents Ye Tian had fused were the most numerous.

The fusion of countless God-level talents had finally transformed Ye Tian's Origin Strength talent to the Super God level.

Boom!!!! An unimaginable transformation and soul-wrenching pain ensued, but Ye Tian, with his strong willpower, was naturally unafraid of this pain.

Soon, the fusion was complete, and Ye Tian's Origin Strength talent had successfully transformed.

Origin Strength Talent: Peak Super God level.

Seeing this line of talent, Ye Tian smiled joyfully. His Origin Strength talent was not only Super God level but also at its peak.

The transformation of his Origin Strength talent also boosted Ye Tian's strength, breaking through his previous limitations.

Originally, Ye Tian had made considerable progress over those five hundred thousand years, already stepping into the peak combat power of four-star, reaching the true limit of the peak four-star, just a hair's breadth away from the five-star Divine General.

Now, with his Origin Strength talent stepping into the Super God level, the barriers were shattered, and his strength had reached the level of a five-star Divine General, truly completing his transformation.

"Five-star Divine General, finally achieved!" Ye Tian felt quite elated.

In the following hundred thousand years, Ye Tian gradually elevated his Origin Speed and Origin Body talents to the Super God level, firmly establishing himself at the initial stage of the five-star Divine General level.

Unfortunately, other talents were much harder to fuse and elevate to the Super God level because they were not universally possessed, and attribute talents involved rules. Breaking through these rule-based barriers was naturally more challenging than basic talents.

Ye Tian believed that before the universe evolved into a Grand Universe, he would be unable to elevate these attribute talents to the Super God level.

At this time, the new universe had become immensely vast, surpassing both the Cangyu Universe and the Eternal Universe.

The human race had been gradually relocating some starry continents into the new universe. Other forces were also moving, as the new universe's cultivation environment now exceeded that of the Cangyu Universe and the Eternal Universe. Who would want to stay in the old universes?

In the blink of an eye, only a few tens of thousands of years remained until the final fusion of the Twin Universes.

This was a critical moment. If one did not attempt transcendence now, it would be exceedingly difficult to transcend from the Grand Universe in the future.

Without transcending the Grand Universe, although one could continue to cultivate, they would be constrained by the Grand Universe and unable to leave it.

Living a lifetime within the Grand Universe without venturing out was not something many people could accept.

Therefore, anyone who wished to transcend had to prepare within these tens of thousands of years, or they would lose the final opportunity.

On this day, in the Cangyu Universe, Divine General Phantom Feather announced his attempt at transcendence.

However, Divine General Phantom Feather was only a peak three-star Divine General. While others viewed him as a defier of the heavens, thinking his peak three-star Divine General strength should suffice for successful transcendence, Ye Tian and others knew well that a peak three-star Divine General would likely fail to survive the Transcendence Tribulation.

Nevertheless, many Divine Generals and Earthly Venerables gathered in the Cangyu Universe to witness Divine General Phantom Feather's transcendence tribulation.

Chapter 850: Phantom Realm Mountain, the Tribulation of Divine General Phantom Feather

Ye Tian arrived at the Cangyu Universe with several Divine Generals and numerous Earthly Venerables of the Human Race.

Divine General Phantom Feather chose Phantom Realm Mountain as the place for his transcendence tribulation. This was one of his residences and also a treasured land.

Currently, a large number of Divine Generals and Earthly Venerables had gathered near Phantom Realm Mountain.

On this day.

Divine General Phantom Feather appeared, clad in a full set of the strongest supreme treasures and holding a spear of the same caliber. His entire being emanated an aura of resolute, pinnacle-level determination.

"Today, I, Illusory Feather, will undergo transcendence. If I succeed, I will become a Destiny Realm True Monarch. If I fail, then I shall perish here!" Divine General Phantom Feather's voice echoed all around.

"Divine General Phantom Feather truly had terrible luck!" Divine General Longze lamented.

Other generals nodded in agreement. According to the previous pace of fusion, Divine General Phantom Feather could have continued cultivating in the Cangyu Universe for another nine million years, easily reaching the combat power of a four-star Divine General.

With the power of a four-star Divine General, transcendence would have been effortlessly attainable.

At present, Divine General Phantom Feather was at the peak of the three-star level. Whether he could transcend or not remained uncertain.

They didn't understand the specific circumstances of transcendence, only knowing that those at the level of a three-star Divine General had the potential to transcend, but it wasn't guaranteed.

However, Divine General Longze and a few other generals knew very well that to transcend, one needed to be at the four-star Divine General.

The gap between a peak three-star Divine General and a four-star Divine General was immense, making successful transcendence nearly impossible.

Soon, Divine General Phantom Feather began his transcendence.

Transcendence involved extracting the soul imprint from the River of Time and Space, requiring the corresponding power of the River of Time and Space and resistance against the universe's origin. This step could barely be achieved by a three-star Divine General.

"River of Time and Space, appear!"

Boom!!! A vast river of time and space manifested, surging forward and attracting the attention of countless powerful beings.

At this moment, Divine General Phantom Feather's large hands entered the River of Time and Space, pushing away the immense temporal forces.

The power of the universe's origin also suppressed Divine General Phantom Feather, but nothing could stop him.

Finally, Divine General Phantom Feather's power extended into the depths of the River of Time and Space, grasping his soul imprint.

In an instant, his soul imprint transformed into a giant, continuously striding through the waters of the River of Time and Space, moving towards Divine General Phantom Feather's true body.

Step by step, he advanced as if the River of Time and Space was an ordinary river.

This display of power far exceeded that of an ordinary three-star Divine General, causing many present to shiver slightly.

Divine General Phantom Feather was indeed formidable, living up to his ranking as the second on the Divine General Rankings.

The gathered Divine Generals had great respect for Divine General Phantom Feather's strength, which made his potential loss even more lamentable.

If Divine General Phantom Feather truly perished, it would be a tremendous loss for the Cangyu Universe!

Before long, his soul imprint successfully emerged from the River of Time and Space, merging with his true body.

At this moment, a sense of perfect harmony emanated.

The soul imprint from the River of Time and Space was the true imprint. Without transcending time and space, one could never truly escape the constraints of the universe.

Now, with the soul imprint returned to his body, this was the true perfect form.

Ye Tian's current body, though far surpassing Divine General Phantom Feather's in size, wasn't a perfect form because his soul wasn't perfect; his soul imprint was still under the control of the universe's origin.

Boom!!!! Thunderclouds of the tribulation appeared, covering the entire Phantom Realm Mountain and even spreading to the surrounding areas.

The onlookers continuously retreated, distancing themselves from the area. Otherwise, if they were targeted by the thunder tribulation clouds, their strength would ensure certain death! Boom! The first thunder tribulation descended, striking at Divine General Phantom Feather.

Divine General Phantom Feather didn't even move and effortlessly passed through the first thunder tribulation.

There were 27 thunder tribulations in total for those attempting transcendence. The first 24 weren't too frightening, as a three-star Divine General could easily get through them, but the last three were extremely terrifying, each one capable of easily killing a three-star Divine General.

The second thunder tribulation descended! The third thunder tribulation followed! Each bolt continuously struck at Divine General Phantom Feather, with the terrifying laws of thunder permeating the surroundings.

Some Earthly Venerables saw this transcendence tribulation as an opportunity, using it to comprehend the Dao of Thunder.

One had to admit, witnessing this transcendence tribulation was highly beneficial for them, but gaining insights in such a short time required a certain level of understanding.

Time passed slowly, and Divine General Phantom Feather successfully passed one tribulation after another.

Finally, the 24th thunder tribulation descended. Divine General Phantom Feather activated his defensive divine ability, expending some of his power to get through the 24th tribulation.

Although the 24 tribulations didn't injure Divine General Phantom Feather, they did deplete a considerable amount of his strength and damaged some of his protective treasures.

Finally, the 25th thunder tribulation descended.

This 25th tribulation transformed into an ancient chaos demon, wielding terrifying thunder divine abilities, attacking Divine General Phantom Feather.

Divine General Phantom Feather's expression shifted slightly. No longer holding back, he faced the chaos demon in his full power.

"Kill!" He charged with his divine spear, engaging in fierce combat.

Boom!!!! The void seemed to shatter, causing countless Earthly Venerables to tremble uncontrollably and vomit blood, while the Divine Generals hurriedly protected some from being affected by the aftermath.

A nine-star Earthly Venerable, while coughing up blood, exclaimed in shock, "The 25th thunder tribulation is terrifying! The mere aftermath nearly shattered my divine body!"

Some lesser two-star and three-star Earthly Venerables, lacking sufficient strength and protection, were directly killed by the tribulation's aftermath.

This scene frightened many Earthly Venerables, causing them to retreat even further, not daring to get close again.

"Divine General Phantom Feather passed the 25th thunder tribulation!" One Divine General announced.

The crowd looked over and saw Divine General Phantom Feather's divine spear dimmed, and the supreme treasure armor on his body was half-destroyed.

In the next moment, the half-destroyed armor disappeared, replaced by a new set of supreme treasure armor, and the spear in his hand transformed into a supreme treasure long spear.

It was evident that Divine General Phantom Feather had prepared numerous supreme treasures for this tribulation.

After a while, the 26th thunder tribulation appeared.

This time, Divine General Phantom Feather took out a jade talisman, activating it to trigger layers of defensive formations of Phantom Realm Mountain. He also retrieved some talismans, powerful ones from chaos specifically designed to defend against thunder tribulations, and their effectiveness was quite good.

However, when the 26th thunder tribulation descended, those defensive formations had little effect.

Under normal circumstances, external help during a transcendence tribulation had limited effect. The power of the thunder tribulation could partially bypass other defenses, rendering defensive formations largely ineffective.

Even so, any bit of weakening effect was worth the effort, and Divine General Phantom Feather spared no expense.

The defensive formations were torn apart, and the defensive talismans were shattered by the chaos demon's thunder strike aimed at Divine General Phantom Feather.

In an instant, Divine General Phantom Feather's supreme treasure defenses were pierced, and his physical body was shattered.

At that moment, another space shattered, revealing yet another Divine General Phantom Feather, who was also pierced.

Then, one after another, numerous Divine General Phantom Feathers appeared, but each was pierced by the chaos demon's strike, which transcended time and space, annihilating every single one.

Eventually, Divine General Phantom Feather was pierced through, half-kneeling in the starry sky, his aura extremely weak, with drops of divine blood flowing onto Phantom Realm Mountain, staining it red.