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#### Chapter 381: Martial Dao Divine Throne

Martial Dao Domain, a place completely cut off from the outside world, and no one was capable of seeing what occurred within it.

This was a strange space, the heavens and earth were vast without end, and the air was filled with an ancient, boundless, and mysterious aura.

When one resided within it, it was as if one had returned to the primordial era when primordial beings roamed freely, and it aroused shock in one's heart.

After he repulsed Qiu Xiaofeng, Chen Xi had seized two Martial Dao Tokens from the waterfall and had just passed one to Fan Yunlan when he was teleported into this strange space.

At this moment, as he looked around in all directions in a daze, he actually didn't know which direction to take because this place was truly too open and spacious, and besides the heavens and earth, there was nothing here, it was utterly empty and deathly silent.

"This is the Martial Dao Domain. Its history can be traced back to the beginning of Silken City's construction, and it's the most mysterious space in the Darchu Dynasty. After all 3,600 Martial Dao Tokens are obtained by the participants, 100 Martial Dao Divine Thrones will gush out into appearance in the heavens and the earth here." Fan Yunlan stood beautifully by Chen Xi's side as she combed back her black hair behind her ears, and she spoke with a clear and melodious voice. "Only by relying on the Martial Dao Tokens in one's possession would one have the qualifications to participate in the battle to seize the divine thrones. At that time, those cultivators that were unable to seize a divine throne would be eliminated from the competition."

When she spoke up to here, Fan Yunlan's voice became serious. "In other words, 3,500 of the 3,600 cultivators will be eliminated in the Martial Dao Domain! On the other hand, the merely remaining 100 people will be the top 100 in this year's Allstar Meeting. This is also the third test of the Allstar Meeting."

Chen Xi nodded as there was a description of the Martial Dao Domain in the information he'd obtained.

The entire Allstar Meeting was divided into a total of four tests.

The first test — Ascending Ascension Peak.

The second test — The seizing of the Martial Dao Tokens.

The third test — The seizing of the Martial Dao Divine Thrones.

The fourth test — A competition of strength between cultivators.

Presently, he was within the Martial Dao Domain, and he was facing the third test, the seizing of the Martial Dao Divine Thrones!

The Martial Dao Divine Thrones were magical things formed in the Martial Dao Domain, and just like Ascension Peak, no one was capable of unraveling its origins, causing it to be mysterious to the extreme.

But according to the information Chen Xi obtained, there was an explanation that was widely circulated. Supposedly, the Martial Dao Divine Thrones were a place that a sect of the primordial era passed down its martial techniques to its disciples.

So long as one sat down and cultivated atop the divine thrones, then it was possible to obtain a Dao Grade martial technique from it, and the martial techniques obtained from it were both of high and low quality, causing it to be extremely miraculous.

“One of my objectives from participating in the Allstar Meeting this time is to seize one of the Martial Dao Divine Thrones and see if I can obtain a Dao Grade martial technique from it.” A trace of hope suffused Fan Yunlan’s pretty eyes as she said, “According to the seniors of my Bloodcrescent Devil Sect, the martial techniques within the divine thrones cover almost everything in the world, and there were some formidable cultivation techniques that were suitable for my Devil Sect. I ought to be able to obtain one of them with my natural talent.

A Dao Grade martial technique possessed an unparalleled attraction to any cultivator as not only was it capable of improving one’s own strength, one could even comprehend a Dao Insight from it, causing it to be exceedingly amazing.

“I’m slightly interested towards these Martial Dao Divine Thrones now that you said that.” Chen Xi smiled. Being able to obtain a Dao Grade martial technique from participating in a competition was something that would move the hearts of anyone.

But according to his knowledge, the Dao Grade martial techniques within the Martial Dao Divine Thrones were of varying quality. Some contained Grand Daos, whereas, some contained Minor Daos. Moreover, the strength of every single Dao Insight was different.

If one wanted to obtain a Dao Grade martial technique that one was satisfied with from the divine thrones, then it would depend on the Dao Insights that one had mastered. In the previous Allstar Meetings, there were once some extraordinary figures that had obtained top-rate Dao Grade martial techniques from amongst the myriad of martial techniques within the divine thrones. Not only did these Dao Grade martial techniques contain the profundity of a Grand Dao, even its moves were matchlessly formidable!

“It isn’t so easy to obtain a Martial Dao Divine Throne. There are only 100 spots, yet there are 3,600 people competing for them.” Fan Yunlan reminded seriously. “Moreover, all the experts that were capable of entering the Martial Dao Domain are top geniuses, and not a single one of them is a weakling. So a bloody and brutal battle can’t be avoided when seizing the divine thrones.”

Chen Xi naturally understood this. So long as the 100 Martial Dao Divine Thrones appeared in the previous Allstar Meetings, there would probably be no lack of a great battle that shook the heavens. After all, no one was willing to hand over such good fortune to another without putting up a fight.

Most importantly, even if not for the sake of obtaining a Dao Grade martial technique, everyone had to seize a Martial Dao Divine Throne because this would determine if they were able to enter the fourth test of the Allstar Meeting.

Successfully seizing a Martial Dao Divine Throne meant that they were already ranked in the top 100 of the Allstar Meeting, and no one was willing to easily give up such supreme glory.

"It ought to not be difficult for you to seize a Martial Dao Divine Throne with the strength you revealed earlier." Fan Yunlan suddenly spoke out with an evaluation.

Chen Xi laughed bitterly. "Isn't saying this now a bit too early? At that time, all the cultivators that are able to gather there would be top experts of the Darchu Dynasty's younger generation. Not to mention, I have enmity with quite a few of them, and perhaps something unforeseen might occur at that time."

He was speaking the truth. Not to mention Qing Xiuyi, Huangfu Chongming, Lin Moxuan, Xiao Linger, and all the other enemies of his, too many variables existed in merely the competing with the other participants.

He was all alone after all, whereas the others had formidable powers supporting them from behind, causing it to be possible for the situation of people being in groups to arise. Thus, it was extremely easy for a single person without backing like him to become the target of the attacks of others.

Fan Yunlan was stunned, and then she said seriously. "I'll help you."

Chen Xi was stunned. He turned to look towards the graceful and beautiful woman by his side as a wisp of warmth couldn't help but gush out in his heart, and he felt that his painstaking hard work earlier was worth it.

No matter how composed she was, her tender cheeks couldn't help but blush when being stared at directly by Chen Xi, and she avoided Chen Xi's gaze in panic as she secretly took a deep breath before she said, "Let's go. The place we're at now is only the border of the Martial Dao Domain, and it's best if we hurry to the central area as soon as possible."

Chen Xi nodded, as he knew as well that the Martial Dao Divine Thrones would normally appear at the central area of the Martial Dao Domain, and then he suddenly thought of something and asked. "How're your injuries? Do you want me to carry you?"

It was a mystery what Fan Yunlan recalled but a wisp of imperceptible embarrassment slipped past her eyes as she hurriedly shook her head and said, "There's no need. I've already recovered long ago, so let's make a move quickly."

As soon as she finished speaking, her clothes fluttered as her figure tore through the sky, and she flashed first towards the distance as if she was deeply afraid that Chen Xi would act as before, disregarding everything and carrying her on his back, as that was too embarrassing...

Fortunately, it looks like her hostility towards me has almost dissipated completely. As for to what extent our relationship can develop to, that's a matter for the future... As he pondered, Chen Xi flashed out to chase after her.

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#### **Chapter 382: Central Area**

Martial Dao Domain, central area.

While still another 3km away from this place, Chen Xi saw a boundlessly vast ancient square standing there. It was covered in mottled and lusterless black stones that seemed to have experienced the erosion of countless of years, and it was suffused with an ancient feeling.

At this moment, there were already numerous figures standing around the square.

Chen Xi's gaze swept past those figures before finally descending at the center of the square. At that place was a very ordinary sacrificial altar that was completely constructed from stone and clay, yet it emitted a unique aura that was ancient and desolate as if people of ancient times had once made sacrifice to the heavens here, and it emanated a sacred energy that struck directly towards one's heart.

As he looked at the sacrificial altar, Chen Xi recalled the Nine Dragon Sacrificial Altar he'd seen in Silken City for no reason or rhyme, and he faintly felt as if there was some sort of connection between the two.

"Be careful. After the 3,600 Martial Dao Tokens are taken, 100 Martial Dao Divine Thrones will appear on this square." Fan Yunlan's voice sounded out by his ears. "The divine thrones would emerge with that sacrificial altar at the center and be distributed out layer by layer. At that time, the 3,600 cultivators would start seizing the divine thrones. The closer the divine throne to the sacrificial altar, the more people would be competing for it, causing it to be extremely intense."

Chen Xi slowed down greatly as he said with surprise, "Could it be that there's importance in the distribution of the divine thrones?"

"I'm not too sure about this as well. But according to the experience from the previous Allstar Meetings, the closer the divine throne is to the sacrificial altar, the quality of the Dao Grade martial technique obtained would be extremely formidable. So, it's probably because of this." Fan Yunlan replied in a light voice.

Only now did Chen Xi suddenly come to an understanding, and the two of them stopped not too far away from the square. At this moment, there were already young disciples of numerous sects residing in the surrounding of the square, and Chen Xi saw many familiar faces amongst them.

Qing Xiuyi, Zhao Qinghe, Huangfu Changtian, Zhen Liuqing, Huangfu Qingying, Huangfu Chongming, Lin Moxuan, Xiao Linger, and so on and so forth. These peak experts of unparalleled talent in the younger generation were divided into different groups.

Behind these experts that seemed like proud geniuses of the heavens were the disciples of their respective sects, causing them to form a large assembly of talents which were a formidable force, and the place they occupied was extremely far in front and the best places around the square.

Amongst them, only Zhao Qinghe and Zhen Liuqing were alone. But their strengths were formidable to the extreme, so no one dared say anything as they stood at the positions in the extreme front.

When he saw so many familiar faces, Chen Xi couldn't help but recall everything he'd gone through during these past few years, and mixed feelings welled up in his heart.

In the past, he'd always been pursued after by some of the people amongst them and was forced to flee for his life in a state of panic like a dog with its tail between its legs, and just thinking about it caused him to sigh endlessly.

Yet now, everything was different. After experiencing countless arduous struggles in these past few years, the strength he possessed now already allowed him to have no need of fearing anyone!

“Big Brother, that kid has arrived as well.” Even though Chen Xi and Fan Yunlan kept an extremely low profile when they arrived, they still drew the attention of some of the people nearby, and Huangfu Chongming was amongst them. When he saw Chen Xi, his expression instantly became gloomy as piercingly cold killing intent was emitted from his eyes.

The nearby Huangfu Changtian stood with his hands behind his back, and he thoughtlessly swept Chen Xi with his gaze when he heard this. After that, he withdrew his gaze and focused on the sacrificial altar at the center of the square as he said indifferently, “Comparatively speaking, seizing the Martial Dao Divine Thrones are the thing I’m most concerned about. But that kid will probably join in as well. At that time, you can join forces with the others and deal with him.”

Huangfu Chongming nodded and said, “I naturally understand this. Big Brother’s opponents are Qing Xiuyi, Zhao Qinghe, and the others. Just leave the other things to me.”

Huangfu Changtian patted his younger brother’s shoulder as he said, “Please don’t be impetuous. Don’t lose your position on a Martial Dao Divine Throne because of him.”

“Big Brother, just be at ease.” Huangfu Chongming smiled. Even though Chen Xi’s current strength couldn’t be compared to before, he was extremely confident in making Chen Xi’s footsteps go no further than here.

After all, he wished for nothing more than to kill Chen Xi, and it wasn’t just him. The nearby Lin Moxuan, Xiao Linger, Liu Fengchi, Man Hong, and the others took Chen Xi as a thorn in their eyes. Thus, so long as he joined forces with all of them, it would be sufficient for him to easily exterminate Chen Xi!

It was just as Huangfu Chongming had guessed, Lin Moxuan, Xiao Linger, and the others had noticed Chen Xi’s arrival as well. All of them had icy cold expressions and gazes that contained killing intent, and they didn’t conceal their hatred in the slightest.

“Looks like you have many enemies, and they’re all the top experts of renowned and great sects.” Fan Yunlan seemed to be lost in thought.

Chen Xi rubbed his nose and smiled indifferently. “Actually, it’s about time to resolve the enmity with them. If they dare make a move, then I’ll be sure receive it. But I’m sure that the one who regrets it in the end will absolutely not be me.”

These words seemed to be flat, yet revealed a resolute and willful feeling, and it even faintly revealed Chen Xi’s strong confidence towards his own strength.

It was the first time Fan Yunlan had seen Chen Xi reveal such a confident and domineering side, causing her beautiful eyes to be unable to help but be suffused with ripples, and she said after a long time, “If that time comes, then I won’t watch without lending a hand.”

While the two of them conversed, there were many people that had arrived here successively, and almost 3,000 cultivators has already converged nearby the square in a dense mass that was a rather magnificent sight.

As more people arrived, not only did the atmosphere not become bustling, it instead became even heavier.

Everyone knew that for the sake of seizing the mere 100 Martial Dao Divine Thrones, a brutal and bloody fierce battle would surely occur next. At this moment where a storm was brewing, would anyone have the mood to engage in idle chats?

At this moment, the atmosphere could only be described as having undercurrents brewing in secret and a battle would break out at any moment.

However, it was precisely at a time like this that Zhen Liuqing who stood at the extreme front of the square and was the focus of the attention of many had suddenly turned her head to leave the place she stood, and she split apart the crowd as she walked towards the back.

Everyone was stunned. That's a superb location that's the closest from the sacrificial altar at the center of the square. Why would she leave it so easily?

Out of their curiosity, their gazes chased after Zhen Liuqing's figure as they wanted to see what exactly this female disciple of the Mistwater Pavilion, a proud genius of the heavens that was praised by the current Emperor Chu wanted to do.

Moreover, some observant people noticed that it wasn't just Zhen Liuqing, and at this moment, even the Skyplit Sect's An Qianyu, the Brightray Sect's Wang Daoxu, the Zhao Clan's Fourth Young Master Zhou, the Jadepool Celestial Isle's Hua Mobei, and the Thunder Marquis Estate's Young Marquis Wang Zhenfeng were walking towards the same direction as well.

Shockingly, at the end of that direction was Chen Xi's location!

Instantly, Chen Xi had become the center of attention. He'd noticed the subtle changes in the situation, yet his expression didn't change in the slightest, and he even had the mood to joke as he smiled to Fan Yunlan who was by his side and said in a low voice, "I forgot to tell you earlier. Besides having numerous enemies, I have numerous friends as well."

Fan Yunlan was originally nervous as she thought all these people were Chen Xi's enemies that intended to make a move against Chen Xi at this moment, and she couldn't help but heave a sigh of relief in her heart. When she looked carefully, she really did notice that all these people held smiles on the corners of their mouths, and they didn't have the slightest hostility, causing her to instantly be extremely surprised in her heart. Looks like this fellow has been doing well in these past few years!

"Chen Xi, you've finally arrived."

"Brother Chen, I knew you'd entirely be capable of arriving here with your strength."

"Brother Chen, we haven't seen each other for an entire year after parting during the Goldlake Meeting."

As soon as Zhen Liuqing, An Qianyu, Wang Daoxu, and the others arrived, they greeted Chen Xi while smiling, and they entirely didn't care that the others would group them with Chen Xi.

"Even though I don't want to admit that you're my friend, what can I do when you won a Dragonsoul Jade Pendant from me? When this Young Master makes friends. Firstly, the person must be agreeable to

me, and secondly, the person's strength must obtain my respect. You've achieved both of it, so I can only take you as a friend." Young Master Zhou shook the jade fan in his hand as he laughed loudly.

Chen Xi smiled. "Should I behave as if I'm overwhelmed by the unexpected favor?"

Young Master Zhou's brows raised. "Of course. I have to endure a great deal of pressure from being friends with you. According to my observation, there're many people present that want to kill you, right? Presently, I've stepped forward bravely, and it's no different from drawing my sword to help you. So you owe me for this and have to treat me to some wine when we're free."

Chen Xi nodded and said, "Even if you didn't mention it, I would treat you to some wine, and a single time isn't enough, we'll make it ten times. I guarantee to accompany you until you're satisfied."

When he spoke up to here, his gaze swept An Qianyu, Wang Daoxu, Hua Mobei, and the others, and he said with a smile, "Of course, it can't do without all of you. At that time, we must drink to our heart's content and only stop when we're drunk."

Everyone laughed heartily as they nodded in agreement.

Zhen Liuqing grinned as she watched this scene and didn't say anything, but as soon as she stood by Chen Xi's side, it already clearly showed that she was proclaiming to everyone present — Anyone who goes against Chen Xi is going against me, Zhen Liuqing!

This action instantly drew the gazes of many people, and some were jealous, some were puzzled, and even more were envious.

Who was Zhen Liuqing? The proud genius of the Mistwater Pavilion, an existence that was equal to Qing Xiuyi and Huangfu Qingying and possessed both natural talent and beauty, and she was the most perfect companion in the hearts of numerous cultivators. Normally, being able to speak a word to her already caused them to feel extremely happy, and they entirely didn't dare have too extravagant hopes.

It was fine if it was always like this. After all, if one and everyone are unable to obtain something, then everyone could get along peacefully. Now, Zhen Liuqing had become so close with Chen Xi, and their relationship looked to be rather 'intimate,' so this naturally caused some people to be envious to the point their eyes turned extremely red.

When they saw Chen Xi suddenly possess so many supporters, the expressions of the distant Huangfu Chongming, Lin Moxuan, Xiao Linger, and the others darkened, and they felt the matter had become slightly troublesome.

This just happened to confirm what Chen Xi had said earlier. He possessed many enemies, yet had many friends as well, and if his enemies wanted to harm him, then his friends would naturally stand forward to assist him!

Of course, perhaps this friendship contained many things mixed within and wasn't so pure, yet at least at this moment, they stood on Chen Xi's side, and this kindness was sufficient to make Chen Xi remember it in his heart.

“Chen Xi, come over here!” Right at this moment, a clear, melodious, and delicate voice suddenly resounded out from the extreme distance, and when everyone saw who the owner of this voice was, they instantly felt muddleheaded and seemed as if they’d seen a ghost.

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#### **Chapter 383: The Divine Thrones Emerge**

The person that spoke was a young woman around the age of 17 in a bright yellow luxurious robe with a phoenix embroidered atop it. She wore a feather crown, her forehead was plump and jade white with curved black brows, and her large eyes glittered like crystals and were filled with life.

Her skin was snow white, tender and beautiful. Even though she looked to be young, yet her figure was tall and slender with a slim waist that was flexible like a snake, and her legs were long and slim, causing her curves to be extremely exquisite.

At this moment, she stood there alone, and every single move she made emanated an extremely exalted bearing, causing her to draw countless gazes.

She was naturally the youngest daughter Emperor Chu doted upon the most — Huangfu Qingying!

Everyone was unable make out why Huangfu Qingying who was so exalted would actually speak to Chen Xi at this moment. Moreover, it was under the gazes of everyone present and not concealed in the slightest. What’s she doing?

Chen Xi was stunned and extremely sure that he’d only met this daughter of Emperor Chu a single time, and from the beginning until the end, they hadn’t spoken, causing them to not be familiar with each other.

“Hey, what’re you standing there for!? Come stand over by my side and no one will dare bully you!” When she saw Chen Xi not moving after a long time, Huangfu Qingying frowned as she urged with displeasure.

As soon as these words were spoken, the sounds of gasping resounded out once more in the surroundings. My god! Not only has this kid obtained the favor of Zhen Liuqing, even the Young Princess seems to want to protect him?

Young Master Zhou, An Qianyu, Wang Daoxu, and the others were surprised as well. But, in any case, if Chen Xi was to be able to obtain the protection of Huangfu Qingying, then they would more or less benefit from their association with Chen Xi, and it was absolutely greatly beneficial without the slightest harm.

“Go on. Not to mention anything else, if you’re able to follow by Huangfu Qingying’s side, then there probably wouldn’t be a single person present that would dare go against you.” Zhen Liuqing was intelligent and instantly discerned the reason why Chen Xi was hesitating.

“Then thank you Princess.” Without hesitating any longer, Chen Xi cupped his fist from afar before bringing his group along to gather with Huangfu Qingying.

When they saw this scene, the expressions of Huangfu Chongming, Lin Moxuan, and the others darkened extremely, and they couldn’t help but recall the incident in the depths of the Oceanic Desert.



Every time they were just about to annihilate Chen Xi, it was either Chen Xi's luck being too heaven defying or their own luck being too horrible, but something unexpected would always occur at the critical moment.

What difference was there between the circumstances before them and the circumstances on that day?

"Don't make a move rashly. With Zhen Liuqing and Huangfu Qingying present, even I don't dare make a move lightly. Endure it for now, and the chance to kill him will come!" Huangfu Changtian noticed his younger brother's expressions was unsightly and dark as flames of rage burned within his younger brother's eyes, and he frowned and warned right away.

Even though Huangfu Chongming was extremely unwilling in his heart, he still nodded.

"There's no need to guess, it was Big Sister Ya Qing that asked me to look after you." At the extreme front of the square, Huangfu Qingying glanced at Chen Xi before blinking her eyes curiously as she said, "I really don't know what exactly is good about you. Why has Big Sister Ya Qing taken a fancy to you?"

At the same time that Chen Xi came to an understanding, he couldn't help but be rather embarrassed in his heart at the relationship between him and Ya Qing being exposed in the presence of everyone was something he was slightly unable to bear as well.

"I never imagined that you're a rather big playboy. These two..." When she saw Chen Xi remaining silent, Huangfu Qingying's pair of extremely intelligent eyes turned to descend onto Zhen Liuqing and Fan Yunlan, and she sized them up from top to bottom and was just about to ridicule Chen Xi when she suddenly noticed a threatening expression being emitted from the eyes of both the young women, causing her to pucker her lips and stop speaking.

Along with the passage of time, the people at the center square increased in number, causing the atmosphere at the scene to become even more silent, heavy, and nervous, and even the surrounding air seemed as if it had frozen.

"Om!" Right amidst this silence, a strange fluctuation suddenly resounded out in the heavens and the earth.

After that, an expanse of surging mist suddenly gushed out from all around the boundless earth, and it seemed like a white colored tidal wave that was roaring over.

Rumble!

It sounded out if a horde of troops were galloping out to battle, and the surging waves of mist rumbled as if surged up and down and covered the entire heavens and earth.

When the terrifying mist charged over to where they stood, the hearts of many people jerked as their expressions went heavy as they thought they would be swallowed up by the mist. However, suddenly, they noticed that a bright light had risen abruptly from the mottled sacrificial altar at the center of the square, and the brilliant, dazzling, and sacred light swept out in all directions, causing the mist that surged over from everywhere to be like snow that melted in water and vanished successively.

The heavens and the earth returned to calm.

“Pay attention! The Martial Dao Divine Thrones are about to appear!” The expressions of everyone became fervent when they saw this scene, and they accumulated force while standing ready to enter battle.

Om! Om! Om!

At the center of the square, the mottled and ancient sacrificial altar was like a god that had awoken from its deep slumber, and it emitted a wave of sound that caused one’s heart to palpitate. It was like the clear ring of an ancient bell that rose and fell melodiously since ancient times. At the same time, it was like the sincere prayers of the people of ancient times that were offering sacrifice to the gods, causing boundless reverence to arise in the hearts of others, and it seemed as if their hearts were cleansed, causing them to feel both inner and outer tranquility.

At the same time in Silken City, the damaged Nine Dragon Sacrificial Altar that was tainted with traces of the blood of divine dragons emitted a faint glow as if it had come back to life.

“The Nine Dragon Sacrificial Altar has come alive!”

“This also means that the second test, the battle to seize the Martial Dao Tokens has already come to an end. In the end, 3,600 outstanding talents of the younger generation have entered the Martial Dao Domain.”

“Exactly. In the next moment, the 100 Martial Dao Divine Thrones will appear. At that time, it will surely be a fierce struggle. Unfortunately, we’re unable to see everything that happens in there.”

Even though all the cultivators in Silken City were unable to see everything that was happening with the Martial Dao Domain, but after they witnessed the changes in the Nine Dragon Sacrificial Altar, they instantly knew the development of the Allstar Meeting.

Beneath the Nine Dragon Sacrificial Altar, at a depth of almost 300km beneath the surface was an enormous space, and Emperor Chu, Huangfu Zhongling, wore black clothes and stood there proudly as his clothes fluttered. Lightning surged as the sun and moon cycled within his eyes, and he seemed like a god.

They’ve finally entered the third test. It’s time to open the Dragon Transformation Pool... Amidst a sigh that was like a thunderclap, Emperor Chu swung his sleeve to emit a myriad of divine lights that instantly caused the entire space to be suffused with a dazzling golden color.

Roar! Roar! Roar!

A wave of dragon roars that shook the heart reverberated ceaselessly as nine True Dragon phantoms condensed into form and surrounded an enormous pool as they soared around it.

On the other hand, the originally dry bottom of the pool gradually gushed out with stands of golden liquid that were like blood and thick like the liquid that forms pearls, and it emitted an extremely vast and surging aura of dragons.

The Dragon Transformation Pool has been sealed for a thousand years, and the Dragon Energy accumulated within it is sufficient to make those 10 little fellows be thoroughly remolded... Emperor Chu swept the bottom of the pool with his eyes as he nodded lightly.

Martial Dao Domain, central square.

When they saw such great events occur from the sacrificial altar, everyone in the surroundings opened their eyes wide as their burning gazes looked towards it.

Rumble! Rumble!

Under the focused gazes of everyone present, numerous golden pillars of light gushed out abruptly from all around the square, and they charged into the horizon with a mighty impetus. When one carefully counted them, these golden pillars of light just happened to number 100, and they spread out in a circle towards the surroundings with the sacrificial altar at the center.

After that, the numerous pillars of light condensed into a divine throne each. The divine thrones were completely constructed from gold, and they emitted a noble, divine, and supreme aura.

These were the Martial Dao Divine Thrones! According to legend, it was a miraculous object that allowed one to obtain a Dao Grade martial technique from sitting cross-legged in meditation and comprehending on it.

At the same time, it was the third test of the Allstar Meeting, as only one that had seized a divine throne would be able to enter the final test, the competition of a hundred experts!

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#### **Chapter 384: Making A Move In Succession**

The 100 Martial Dao Divine Thrones emerged in the Martial Dao Domain and emitted boundless golden lights.

This was the third test of the Allstar Meeting, a test of 3,600 people competing to obtain 100 places. Not only would those that succeed be able to enter the next round of the tests, they would even be able to obtain a Dao Grade martial technique from the divine throne, and it could be said to be killing two birds with one stone.

On the other hand, those that failed only had a single outcome, to be eliminated!

At this moment, the originally silent square didn't go into an uproar as expected, and it strangely became even more quiet, unusually quiet, and not a single person made a rash move.

Because they knew that if they didn't possess sufficient strength, then not only would they be unable to occupy a divine throne from being the first to make a move, they would instead draw death onto themselves.

But this silence didn't continue for long.

After merely a short moment, under the focus of countless gazes, Qing Xiuyi who was at the extreme front suddenly made a move, and her clothes fluttered as she moved like a dreamlike wisp of smoke that instantly arrived at one of the divine thrones that were the closest to the sacrificial altar before sitting down cross-legged on it.

Swoosh! Swoosh! Swoosh!

At practically the exact same instant, the Merak Pavilion's Zhao Qinghe, the Wise King's Estate's Huangfu Changtian, the Mistwater Pavilion's Zhen Liuqing, the Young Princess Huangfu Qingying, and the others moved out to respectively seize a divine throne that was closest to the sacrificial altar.

When they saw this scene, the eyes of many people became indeterminate, but in the end, no one dared to rashly say something. Because they knew that no matter if it was in terms of strength or the powers standing behind them, it was sufficient to support these people to sit where they sat without the slightest obstruction.

The reason was that these young experts were the publicly acknowledged top geniuses of the Darchu Dynasty's cultivation world, leading figures in the younger generation that were exceedingly dazzling. Under these circumstances, who would dare go against these people?

In only an instant, seven of the 100 divine thrones were already occupied.

Amongst them were another two people that Chen Xi didn't know, and they were extremely unfamiliar to him. One was a violet haired young man with a cold expression and a thin figure, and strands of lightning arcs appeared as his eyes opened and closed, whereas the other was a grinning young fatty with a bloated figure, and they kept an extremely low profile. But since they were able to be in the first batch that seized a divine throne and didn't encounter the covetous gazes of others, their strengths were surely extraordinary.

These two people were actually able to rival Huangfu Changtian and the others... There are really numerous experts in the world. Chen Xi sighed with emotion in his heart.

"Brother Chen, you arrived slightly late and perhaps you don't know those two people. They're called Yu Xuanchen and Ling Yu. Both of them possess extremely extraordinary strengths and are disciples that were personally taught by old freaks that live in seclusion from the world." The nearby Wang Daoxu explained. "Early on the first and second tests, the two of them had revealed abilities that surpassed the others, causing their strengths to have already obtained the acknowledgement of most people. Thus, they were able to safely seize a divine throne."

Chen Xi came to a sudden understanding. He'd once heard many people say before the Allstar Meeting began that because of the Dragon Transformation Pool, numerous old freaks that lived in seclusion from the world had sent out their disciples to participate in the Allstar Meeting this time.

Obviously, this Yu Xuanchen and Ling Yu were outstanding disciples taught by two old freaks.

"Let's go. Let's make a move together and seize this moment that everyone is still filled with worry. Otherwise, we'll probably fall into a great chaotic battle." Young Master Zhou spoke out abruptly.

Chen Xi raised his eyes and swept his gaze towards his surroundings. He saw that amongst the people by his side, besides Zhen Liuqing and Huangfu Qingying who'd made a move first, An Qianyu, Wang Daoxu, Hua Mobei, Wang Zhenfeng, and Young Master Zhou were already prepared to make a move.

Chen Xi turned around to look at Fan Yunlan by his side, and when she nodded to indicate she was prepared, he agreed right away. "Alright, let's make a move together!"

The situation at this moment was precisely as Young Master Zhou had said, most of the people were filled with worries and no one dared make a move first for a long time as they were deeply afraid of becoming a target of all that was surrounded and annihilated.

Moreover, if he relied on his strength and the strength of the others at this moment to move out jointly, there would probably be no one that dared obstruct them.

Coupled with Zhen Liuqing and Huangfu Qingying had already openly indicated their support for him, Huangfu Chongming, Lin Moxuan, and the others would surely not dare obstruct them at a time like this.

Swish! Swish! Swish!

Without anymore hesitation, Chen Xi and the others moved out, transforming into wisps of flowing lights that flashed towards the divine thrones around the sacrificial altar.

When they saw this, most people present had acted just as Chen Xi had expected, and they didn't obstruct Chen Xi's group due to their apprehension towards Chen Xi's group.

However, before Chen Xi could heave a sigh of relief, Fan Yunlan's enraged cry sounded out abruptly from behind him, causing his heart to jerk as he swiftly raised his head to look over. He saw Huangfu Chongming, Lin Moxuan, and Xiao Linger had torn through the sky and intended to stop and kill Fan Yunlan with all their might.

"You're courting death!" Chen Xi suddenly stopped moving in mid air before turning around to charge back towards Fan Yunlan's side, and his expression was already icy cold and indifferent to the extreme. At the critical moment, these fellows still didn't know what was good for them and suddenly interfered, and it had already completely enraged him.

"Dammit, these ignorant bastards!"

"Brother Chen, I'll come assist you!"

Young Master Zhou and the others noticed this scene and shouted out furiously in succession before they turned around with the intention of charging over, but they were stopped by Chen Xi.

"Everyone, go seize a divine throne first. Leave everything else to me! Believe in me!" Chen Xi's voice was resolute, and it emanated an indisputable feeling.

"Alright. You be careful. You must persist until the end of the competition!"

When they saw Chen Xi's attitude was so resolute, Young Master Zhou and the others revealed solemn expressions as they knew that they couldn't say anything further at this time, and they immediately turned around to charge towards a divine throne that was near the sacrificial altar.

After Huangfu Chongming, Lin Moxuan, and Xiao Linger successfully stopped Fan Yunlan, they didn't continue making a move against her, and they stood in midair as they sneered with their arms crossed before them.

When he saw this scene, Chen Xi instantly understood that these people were making a feint. They were going against Fan Yunlan on the surface, but it was actually for the sake of obstructing Chen Xi from seizing a divine throne!

It was extremely easy to understand why they did this. If they directly made a move against him, then they would completely offend Zhen Liuqing and Huangfu Qingying. But it was different if they made a move against Fan Yunlan because everyone was able to discern that Fan Yunlan wasn't acquainted with anyone here besides Chen Xi, and it was even to the extent that very few people even knew her identity. So they utterly didn't have to worry about offending anyone or facing any pressure from going against Fan Yunlan.

Moreover, through this action, they were also able to implicate Chen Xi.

"I'm sorry..." Fan Yunlan spoke in a low voice, and she had a slightly sorry expression.

"There's no need to say anything further. This enmity had to be dealt with sooner or later. Now that I speak of it, it was because of me that you were involved." Chen Xi patted Fan Yunlan on her shoulder as he consoled, and when he turned around to look at Huangfu Chongming and the others, his face was already covered in killing intent.

Suddenly, Huangfu Chongming started laughing loudly. "I never imagined that you, Chen Xi, are someone that's filled with affection. For the sake of a beauty, you're even willing to give up the Martial Dao Divine Throne."

Lin Moxuan and Xiao Linger laughed endlessly with ridicule as well.

Chen Xi clenched his hand and the pitch black and lusterless Talisman Armament flashed out into appearance.

Om!

A sword howl charged into the sky as an aura that was fierce and powerful like a spearhead exploded out with a bang!

"No matter who dares obstruct our footsteps today, I'll slaughter them all!" Chen Xi's piercingly cold voice was like a cold wind that swept through the square, and his voice emitted resolution and an undisguised domineering air as his imposing manner reached the clouds.

He understood that he'd offended many people indeed. Besides Huangfu Chongming, Lin Moxuan, and Xiao Linger, there was also Liu Fengchi, Man Hong, and the others, and all these people would surely not allow him to easily seize a Martial Dao Divine Throne.

Coupled with their actions of attacking Fan Yunlan, it had caused him to arouse killing intent in his heart, and he wasn't willing to continue keeping a low profile. Since a battle couldn't be avoided, then he would kill to his heart's content. What was there to be afraid of?

"This fellow..." As she looked at the figure that held the Talisman Armament in his hand and stood proudly in midair, Fan Yunlan's beautiful eyes went red and were covered in a layer of watery mist as her nose ached. Chen Xi being able to fight for her caused her to feel that her life wasn't lived in vain even if she died in the next moment.

"Ignorant fool!" Huangfu Chongming, Lin Moxuan, and Xiao Linger laughed coldly without end. As far as they were concerned, Chen Xi's actions were like the final roar emitted by a beast that had fallen into a hopeless situation, and it didn't have the slightest deterrent force.

“This person, Chen Xi, is really a loyal person, and such courage it truly difficult to come by.”

“Unfortunately, his temper is too willful, and he intends to battle Huangfu Chongming and the others. It’s the easiest for geniuses like this to die early. At this moment, without the protection of Zhen Liuqing and Huangfu Qingying, let me see how he winds up the matter today.”

“This fellow is rather arrogant. Every single one of the people that were capable of arriving here are renowned experts, yet this fellow actually proclaimed war to all of his enemies. He’s really overestimating his ability.”

Right when Chen Xi’s voice just resounded out, the surroundings of the square instantly exploded into an uproar as numerous gazes looked towards Chen Xi who was in midair. Some gazes contained admiration, some hostility, and some contained disdain, yet most people sighed and didn’t look favorably upon him.

Even though everyone present had more or less heard of Chen Xi’s reputation, yet the reputation of every single person present wasn’t inferior to him.

Moreover, many people knew that Chen Xi’s enemies weren’t just Huangfu Chongming, Lin Moxuan, and Xiao Linger, and there were also Liu Fengchi, Man Hong, Pei Zhong, Xue Chen, and so on and so forth.

All of these people were Golden Core Realm Core Disciples from various renowned and great sects and were influential figures of the younger generation, and both their strengths and reputation were obvious.

On the other hand, besides the young woman by his side, Chen Xi didn’t have any other assistance, so how would he go against his enemies?

Chen Xi stood in midair as his gaze that was fierce like a blade slowly swept past the crowd that was in an uproar, and he kept silent while his expression remained exactly the same.

Since he’d already decided to do battle, then he would absolutely not allow his will to fight be affected by some sounds of discussions and doubt!

“Everyone, since Chen Xi had proclaimed war against us, how can we not accept his challenge? The enmity between us has really come to the time that it ought to be resolved!”

Within the crowd, a sneer that was filled with resentment resounded out, and then the Whitecrane Sect’s Xue Chen soared into the sky to arrive by Huangfu Chongming’s side.

Swoosh! Swoosh! Swoosh!

Another string of the sound of the sky being torn apart resounded out as Pei Zhong, Liu Fengchi, and Man Hong moved out successively to converge with Huangfu Chongming and the others.

In just an instant, seven people had formed an encirclement around Chen Xi and Fan Yunlan!

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Chen Xi and Fan Yunlan stood side by side in midair, and Huangfu Chongming's group of seven stood opposite them.

Two against seven!

The battle would break out at any moment!

This confrontational situation with such a gap in strength caused everyone present to look unfavorably upon Chen Xi and Fan Yunlan, and most people had even affirmed in their hearts that Chen Xi and Fan Yunlan would lose without a doubt.

"Moxuan, Linger, we'll deal with Chen Xi, the others will deal with that woman." Huangfu Chongming swiftly spoke via voice transmission. "Remember, you must pin that woman down no matter what as she's the key to whether we'll be able to kill Chen Xi or not!"

The others nodded in agreement when they heard this.

"Kill!" Huangfu Chongming shouted out loudly like a thunderclap that rumbled and shook the heavens and the earth as he drew the curtains of the battle.

Clang!

Sword qi tore through the sky as Lin Moxuan took the initiative to strike first. The sharp sword in his hand transformed into sword qi that covered the heavens and the earth as it shot out explosively, and every single sword qi revealed an earthly yellow color and was heavy, dense, and boundlessly lofty. When one looked carefully, the numerous sword qi's actually contained strands of Skyeearth Qi!

After all, a strand of Skyeearth Qi was sufficient to crush an entire hill!

The entire dense expanse of sword qi that Lin Moxuan exerted contained Skyeearth Qi, so the might of his sword move was obvious. It could be seen from this that Lin Moxuan didn't underestimate Chen Xi in the slightest, because he'd obviously utilized his entire strength in this strike.

"Fuck off!" Chen Xi's eyes emitted killing intent as he spat out two words that exploded out like thunderclaps. At the same time, the vast energy of his Divine Sense transformed into a shapeless and fierce force that gushed out with a bang.

Divine Sense attack — God Killer Arts!

Chen Xi's current Divine Sense had surpassed Rebirth Realm cultivators long ago and could rival Nether Transformation Realm cultivators. At this moment, when his Divine Sense was exerted while combined with the God Killer Arts, his vast Divine Sense instantly transformed into a shapeless thunderbolt.

Bang!

Attacks of the soul were the strangest and most varying, and it could bring forth unbelievable effects when utilized to launch a surprise attacks. Even though Lin Moxuan was sufficiently prepared, yet he never imagined that Chen Xi's Divine Sense would have attained such a terrifying level and that Chen Xi possessed a soul attack technique!



He instantly felt as if his sea of consciousness was struck by lightning, and his soul suffered a heavy injury, causing his vision to go black as he directly spat out a mouthful of blood while his entire body almost fell from the sky.

“Ah!” Lin Moxuan let out a shrill cry and was extremely terrified in his heart. He never imagined that he’d lost as soon as the battle had begun, and he wasn’t even able to resist a single move of Chen Xi. This outcome caused him to feel as if he’d fallen into a pit of ice, and he simply didn’t dare believe this was real.

Not to mention him, everyone present at the square was horrified, as they never imagined that Lin Moxuan would fail right at the beginning of the battle, and if they didn’t see it with their own two eyes, no one would have imagined that this scene would occur. It was simply too sudden.

I didn’t expect that this fellow’s Divine Sense isn’t bad, it actually didn’t collapse sea of consciousness... After succeeding, Chen Xi didn’t stop in the slightest. He executed the Starsky Wing to arrive before Lin Moxuan in the next moment, and then the Talisman Armament in his hand slashed down.

At this moment, he had to fight and end the battle quickly, and he couldn’t divert his attention in the slightest. He could only ruthlessly and resolutely annihilate all enemies in order to deter everyone and make the situation of the battle become even more beneficial to him.

“You’re courting death!” “Audacious!” However, right when Chen Xi intended to annihilate Lin Moxuan, he was stopped by Huangfu Chongming and Xiao Linger.

Actually, the two of them were terrified by the scene from before to the point they broke out in cold sweat. They never imagined that the battle had started for less than a tenth of an instant when Lin Moxuan had actually suffered a heavy injury.

But their strength was extremely formidable as well, and their reaction speeds even far surpassed that of the others, so how could they allow Lin Moxuan to die before them?

Right at this extremely critical moment, both of them made a move and struck swiftly like a bolt of lightning.

“Nine-Python Skyhowl, Nine Heavens Annihilating Punch!” Huangfu Chongming’s clothes fluttered as the True Essence around his body transformed into nine pythons that coiled and whistled out. This was the Dao Grade martial technique he was the proudest of — Nine-Python Skyannihilation Fist. A punch struck out with this technique was like an enormous python that moved to swallow the sky, it collapsed space, overturned seas, and it contained boundless strength. It caused one to faintly feel as if the surrounding space was collapsing violently under this punch.

On the other side, the sword in Xiao Linger’s hand transformed into an enormous flaming flying beast. The flying beast had flaming wings, emitted clear cries that shot into the nine heavens, was filled with boundless Fire Dao Insight, and every flap of its wings seemed as if a gale of flames had arisen.

Dao Insight taking form!

Obviously, Xiao Linger’s control of the Fire Dao Insight had already attained the Initial Realm. At this moment, her strike was accompanied by the image of a flying beast, and it was exceedingly formidable.

Both of them revealed extremely terrifying strengths as soon as they made a move.

No matter if it was Huangfu Chongming's Nine-Python Skyannihilation Fist, or the sword strike Xiao Linger executed that contained Dao Insight that had taken form, both of them caused the hearts of everyone to shake and feel extremely shocked.

"Obstructing me?" Chen Xi's imposing manner shot into the sky like a rainbow, and he utterly didn't dodge or evade as he once again executed two Divine Sense attacks.

Bang! Bang!

A shapeless bolt of lightning condensed from Divine Sense struck towards Huangfu Chongming while another struck at Xiao Linger.

Very few people dared utilize attacks with their Divine Sense while facing enemies that were of the same cultivation because it was too dangerous, and the slightest carelessness was likely to cause a heavy injury to one's soul. This injury would severely affect one's cultivation in the future, and it was even possible to cause one to be unable to sense the Dao of the Heaven's ever again.

But Chen Xi was different. The strength of his soul was so strong that it far surpassed everyone present here. Moreover, it wasn't just slightly stronger. So he entirely didn't have to worry about any danger arising when he utilized it against Huangfu Chongming and the others.

Even though they were unable to see Chen Xi's Divine Sense attack, Huangfu Chongming and Xiao Linger still sensed danger, so they both put their heart and soul into taking precautions. At the same time, the attacks that they executed earlier became even more fierce and swift.

But they'd still underestimated the might of Chen Xi's Divine Sense.

At practically the exact same moment, both their figures shook as their faces went pale while their minds droned, and it felt terrible to the point they almost spat blood.

"Watch out, he's using a soul attack technique!" At this moment, Lin Moxuan who was blasted flying and fell in the distance sent a voice transmission and spoke urgently.

This was mainly because the battle between both sides was too swift. As soon as Chen Xi charged forward, he'd struck out successively with three Divine Sense attacks, causing the three of them to be extremely astonished in their hearts.

"It really is a Divine Sense attack!" Huangfu Chongming's eyes squinted. "Even I felt an instant of dizziness. No wonder Lin Moxuan was unable to resist it!"

Xiao Linger thought like this in her heart as well. But at this moment, the two of them couldn't care about anything else, because Chen Xi had already pounced over directly.

"No matter how formidable your Divine Sense attack is, but since I've already taken precautions, would I still be taken by surprise again?" Huangfu Chongming's eyes flashed with a fierce glint. "Die!"

Bang! Bang! Bang!

Huangfu Chongming stomped on the sky as his figure moved like a shuttle, and his fist descended like raindrops. Every single punch blasted open a crack in space and emitted a sharp and ear piercing sound as it tore through the sky, and the peerlessly strong punches transformed into a myriad of pythons that roared in the sky as they covered the heavens and earth and descended towards Chen Xi.

At practically the exact same moment, Xiao Linger and Lin Moxuan, who'd just recovered, struck out once more.

Swoosh! Swoosh!

Sword qi flashed out both horizontally and vertically as the Skyeath Qi crushed everything before it.

Waves of flames shot into the skies as a flying beast image fluttered in the sky.

Chen Xi knew it was impossible to rely on his Divine Sense to launch a surprise attack again. Moreover, he utterly didn't intend to be ceaselessly locked in combat with the three of them. So he changed the method of the battle right away.

Swoosh!

His figure flashed out while relying on the unparalleled speed of the Starsky Wings to instantly arrive before Lin Moxuan, and then the Talisman Armament in his hand transformed into a dazzling sword light that was accompanied by an enormous bang as it actually directly slashed the sword in Lin Moxuan's hand into two!

Lin Moxuan was greatly shocked in his heart and didn't dare believe that his sword was slashed into two!

After all, this sword was personally refined for him by the Sect Master and far surpassed ordinary top-grade earth-rank swords, and it was even slightly more formidable than the Earthly Heaven Sword Chen Xi seized from him earlier.

It was precisely by relying on this sword that he possessed the ability to compete with the other genius disciple of his sect, Su Jiankong. Yet now... His greatest reliance had actually been slashed apart!

Lin Moxuan turned around and fled. At the same time, a Participant's Jade Token appeared in his hand as he intended to crush it and flee at the instant his life was in danger.

He didn't have the courage to fight Chen Xi any longer. Chen Xi Divine Sense attack from before had already caused his soul to suffer a heavy injury, and now, even the most formidable Magic Treasure in his possession had been slashed apart. So how could he possibly dare continue staying here after receiving these heavy and successive blows?

Swish!

However, before he could escape, Chen Xi's sword light had already assaulted his face.

Swoosh!

For a time, Lin Moxuan dodged and blocked repeatedly as he did his best to delay for an instant. At the same time, he extremely anticipated Huangfu Chongming and Xiao Linger would be able to arrive in time.

Bang!

Bang!

At this moment, Huangfu Chongming and Xiao Linger had arrived without letting Lin Moxuan down, and they struck at Chen Xi from behind. For a time, the heavens and the earth were covered in surging fist images and a roiling sea of flame, and it was an extremely shocking sight.

At a time like this, this fucking bastard will turn around to deal with the attacks behind him and temporarily let me off, right? Lin Moxuan instantly heaved a sigh of relief. However, the following scene terrified him to the point his soul almost left his body.

When facing the attacks of Huangfu Chongming and Xiao Linger that came from behind him, Chen Xi actually seemed as if he didn't notice it in the slightest, and he didn't dodge at all and continued charging towards Lin Moxuan!

Dammit! Does this bastard want to die with me? Lin Moxuan was horrified to the extreme.

Bang! Chen Xi's sword light that contained various Grand Dao Insights moved like a bolt of lightning as it shot out powerfully, and it possessed a shocking might that directly shattered Lin Moxuan's layers of defense and blasted him apart. Blood, flesh, skin, and shattered bones fluttered in the sky, and Lin Moxuan died tragically within an instant.

It was too swift!

Even though Lin Moxuan had already intended to crush his jade token, there was still a trace of unwillingness in the bottom of his heart. After all, he still hadn't obtained the Martial Dao Divine Thrones in the distance, and he hadn't participated in the battle of the top 100 in the Allstar Meeting...

It was exactly this trace of unwillingness that caused him to have an instant of hesitation, and this little bit of time was sufficient for Chen Xi to slash out with over 10 strikes. So his death was a matter of course.

Bang!

Bang! Right at the instant Chen Xi killed Lin Moxuan, Huangfu Chongming and Xiao Linger's attacks completely descended onto Chen Xi. The fist images that covered the sky and the roiling sea of flames instantly enveloped and drowned Chen Xi, causing his fate to be unknown.

"Lin Moxuan is actually dead!"

"Chen Xi seems...to be unable to live for long as well!"

"For the sake of killing Lin Moxuan, this fellow actually disregarded his life. He's ruthless indeed!"

Everyone present was shocked to speechlessness when they saw this scene...

All of this had occurred too quickly. From the beginning of the battle, to Chen Xi annihilating Lin Moxuan, and up until the point Chen Xi suffered such a fatal attack, all of it happened in a mere few breaths of time.

But the ruthlessness and dangers of this battle caused the hearts of everyone present to palpitate without end, and they stared wide eyed and practically forgot to breathe.

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#### **Chapter 386: Insanity**

Lin Moxuan had died tragically on the spot!

Chen Xi was drowned deep within a fatal strike, and his fate was unknown!

This scene caused everyone present to be shocked to the extreme, and they held their breaths in deep concentration to the point of almost forgetting to breathe.

On the other side, Pei Zhong, Xue Chen, Liu Fengchi, and Man Hong were besieging Fan Yunlan, and the battle was intense, yet it revealed a deadlocked situation.

This scene similarly caused everyone to be in disbelief. Because before this, practically no one recognized Fan Yunlan's identity, and no one knew that she possessed a cultivation at the Rebirth Realm all those years ago and was even a Hall Master of the Bloodcrescent Devil Sect.

Everyone had simply taken her to be a female companion of Chen Xi's, and they didn't have the slightest understanding towards her strength. So at this moment, when they saw her fight four against one yet not fall into a disadvantaged situation and was equally matched to them, it instantly caused the crowd to be stirred and extremely astonished.

"Even though Lin Moxuan is dead, this fellow won't be able to live for long..." Huangfu Chongming looked at Chen Xi who was enveloped by the surging sea of flames and layer upon layer of fist images, and his gaze seemed as if he was staring at a dead person as he sighed lightly.

"So what if he's dead? I don't care in the slightest. What I care about is he treasures in Chen Xi's possession. There are three Immortal Artifacts, and the numerous treasures from Qian Yuan's Treasure Vault. How should we divide it up next?" Xiao Linger spoke with an emotionless face.

Obviously, in their eyes, Chen Xi who'd suffered their attacks without taking the slightest precautions would surely die.

It wasn't just the two of them, even everyone present felt that Chen Xi would be unable to survive because the attack of Huangfu Chong and Xiao Linger that struck him from behind had really hit onto Chen Xi's body, and no matter who it was, that person would surely lose his life on the spot. So, Chen Xi was naturally no exception.

"Chen Xi!" Amidst the fierce battle, Fan Yunlan had unintentionally turned around and noticed Chen Xi who was within the sea of flames, causing her beautiful eyes to instantly go red as she let out a furious sharp cry, and her voice revealed disbelief and deep sorrow.

A glittering and translucent tear slipped down her cheek.

This man that seized my body and made me hate him for countless days and night; this man that carried me silently up Ascension Peak and killed others out of rage; this man that disregarded the Martial Dao Divine Thrones only for the sake of fighting by my side. Could it be that this man is going to abandon me and die now?

No!

Fan Yunlan shouted hysterically in her heart as her heart ached as if it was pierced with needles and sliced with blades, and an indescribable feeling of rage was like scorching lava that gushed throughout her body. Her eyes were crimson red, her black hair fluttered, her expression was icy cold and blank, and she seemed as if she'd lost her soul.

"Death!"

"All of you deserve death!"

"I, Fan Yunlan, vow to the heavens today. If Chen Xi dies, then all of you and the powers behind you will be completely slaughtered and buried alongside him! If I go against this vow, then may I be struck by the wrath of the heavens and forever be unable to be reborn!"

Her furious and icy cold voice was like a piercingly cold wind that swept out from an icy pit, and every single word she spoke was resolute and shook the heavens and the earth. At this moment, Fan Yunlan had completely fallen into insanity because of Chen Xi.

Everyone present was shocked in their hearts and felt a chill run down their spines. They seemed to have never imagined that when this woman got mad, she was actually so ruthless and resolute, and the deep rooted hatred that was emitted from her voice caused their entire bodies to go cold.

"Hmph! You're about to die yet you still dare boast shamelessly. Fellow Daoists, I and Xiao Linger will help you get rid of this woman!" Huangfu Chongming grunted coldly with disdain, and then he was about to charge towards Fan Yunlan.

As far as he was concerned, Fan Yunlan's strength was unexpectedly strong indeed. But so long as they joined forces, then Fan Yunlan would die for sure. As for her vows, it was simply useless and laughable, and it was like an ant of the mortal world making a fuss when not really in pain, nothing worth mentioning.

However, in the next moment, he stopped abruptly, and his eyes looked towards the distance as a wisp of shock suffused his face.

Xiao Linger was stunned as well, then she followed along his gaze and looked over, and her face froze instantly.

Within the surging sea of flames, Chen Xi's body that was covered in heavy injuries and broken to the point it seemed like cotton fibers had suddenly started to heal at this moment, and it healed completely in the blink of an eye! Bang!

A terrifying wave of air blasted out towards the surroundings with him as the center, and everywhere it passed, the sea of flames was extinguished, the space was shattered apart, and all attacks were completely obliterated into powder.

“This fellow is actually alive!”

“He... His body suffered such a heavy injuries, yet actually recovered instantly!”

“School of Fiendgod Body Refinement! That’s the aura of Shaman Energy. No wonder he dared use his body to forcefully receive the full forced strikes of Huangfu Chongming and Xiao Linger. So it turns out that he had nothing to fear.”

As they looked at the figure in midair that stood ramrod straight like a spear, everyone present couldn’t help but let out exclams of shock, because no one imagined that a person that would die for sure would actually appear once more in the world as if he’d been reborn!

“I never imagined... Exactly what ability do I, Chen Xi, possess that someone actually made such a heavy vow for me? If I just died here today, then the heavens would really be blind!” Chen Xi soared up into the sky while his clothes fluttered, and his handsome and extraordinary face was suffused with a brilliant smile as he stared at the distant Fan Yunlan and said with a light voice, “I’ve said it before. No one can harm you while I’m here. It’s like this now, and it’s the same in the future. Unless... I’ve really died!”

In the distance, Fan Yunlan was excited to the point she couldn’t restrain her body from trembling lightly when she saw Chen Xi come back to life miraculously, and she bit her cherry lips tightly as her clear eyes were covered in a watery mist, yet her tears still streamed down her face. If it wasn’t for her being in a battlefield now, she wished for nothing more than to pounce into Chen Xi’s embrace and cry her heart out.

“Don’t cry. I’ll make you really happy after I kill these people!” Chen Xi’s voice was warm and gentle like a gust of spring breeze, and it seemed like he was appeasing a mischievous child.

Fan Yunlan was moved in her heart, yet she was slightly unable to endure being consoled so gently by Chen Xi in public, and she immediately glared at him with her clear eyes while she said loudly, “Then what’re you still standing there for?”

“How could I dare disobey?”

Clang!

As soon as he finished speaking, Chen Xi had already held his Talisman Armament while his eyes coldly locked onto Huangfu Chongming and Xiao Linger. In the next moment, his figure had already vanished on the spot.

“Shit! This kid’s accomplished in body refinement. Unless we shatter his head or heart, otherwise, we’re utterly unable to kill him. Xiao Linger, we’ll temporarily gather with the others and deal with him together!” Huangfu Chongming was shocked in his heart and worried that Chen Xi would repeat the same trick he used to kill Lin Moxuan earlier, so Huangfu Chongming swiftly sent a voice transmission to Xiao Linger.

Xiao Linger was worried about this as well, and she nodded in agreement without the slightest hesitation when she heard this.

Instantly, the two of them flashed out to converge with Liu Fengchi, Man Hong, Xue Chen, and Pei Zhong.

Swoosh!

Seeming to have guessed the two of them would do this since long ago, Chen Xi's figure appeared out of thin air by Fan Yunlan's side, and then he stretched out his hand to embrace her slender waist before instantly bringing her out of the battlefield.

Chen Xi's sudden appearance had shocked Liu Fengchi and the others as well, and they instantly heaved a sigh of relief in their hearts when they saw that he was only taking Fan Yunlan out of the battlefield.

Even though they were in a fierce battle with Fan Yunlan since the beginning, all of them had seen the scene of Chen Xi killing Lin Moxuan earlier, so they were naturally worried that this fellow would charge at them like he did to Lin Moxuan.

"Everyone, this kid is troublesome. Let's join forces to deal with him together!" Meanwhile, Huangfu Chongming and Xiao Linger had converged with the others.

"Alright! No matter how formidable his body refinement cultivation is, with the joint strengths of all six of us, he's absolutely not a match for us." Liu Fengchi's group of four naturally didn't have the slightest objections and nodded successively.

"You stand aside and watch. I'll deal with these people!" Chen Xi looked at Fan Yunlan who was by his side as he instructed with a light voice.

"You..." said Fan Yunlan anxiously.

"Believe in me!" Chen Xi smiled lightheartedly as he interrupted her.

"You're about to die, yet you're still speaking so much nonsense? Die!" Right at this moment, Huangfu Chongming shouted out explosively as his fist that was like a python whistled out as it smashed towards Chen Xi.

"Fuck off!" A trace of coldness suffused the corners of Chen Xi's mouth as the Talisman Armament sword through the sky and slashed down. The Gen Sword of Mountain that was vast like a mountain condensed into a continuous mountain range that filled the heavens and earth, and it was luxuriant and ancient like a mountain from the primordial era as it crushed down.

Bang! An enormous bang that shook the heavens resounded out as Huangfu Chongming was blasted flying.

"Kill!"

"Everyone, let's make a move together!" "If this kid isn't exterminated today, then he'll surely become a great calamity of ours in the future!"

When Xiao Linger and the others saw this, they knew they couldn't hold back any longer, and bright lights instantly surged around them as they soared and charged towards Chen Xi.

"Bring it on!" Bang!



Chen Xi put away the Talisman Armament as he transformed into a 54m tall giant that stood towering in the heavens and the earth with a bang. Shaman Energy roiled like the ocean all around his body, and it shook the heavens and the earth.

Divine Ability — Heavenly Transformation!

After executing this Divine Ability, the strength of any body refiner would obtain a great improvement, and their combat strength would obtain a tremendous and explosive raise.

This was precisely the terrifying aspect of a body refiner. Even though they didn't possess Magic Treasures, their bodies were the strongest Magic Treasures, and coupled with the mysterious and formidable Divine Abilities, their might was absolutely terrifying to the extreme.

It was common knowledge that body refiners utterly crushed qi refiners of the same cultivation. These words were widely spread in the cultivation world, yet it wasn't spread as a false rumor, but a publicly acknowledged fact.

Bang!

This wasn't the end of it. Subsequently, his Shaman Energy surged one more, and under the exceedingly astonished gazes of everyone present, Chen Xi's entire body suddenly had another two heads and four arms that were thick like rocks.

This was another Divine Ability — Deity Transformation!

Just like the Heavenly Transformation, the Deity Transformation was an auxiliary Divine Ability, yet it was a Divine Ability that was kept in secret without being spread out to the public, causing it to be utterly impossible to buy on the market, and only some ancient and great sects might possess it.

Not only was this Divine Ability capable of instantly increasing the strength of one's body, it was capable of being used to provide support to other Divine Abilities, and when used against an enemy, it was as if one suddenly possessed another two assistants that possessed a strength equal to one's self, causing it to be extremely formidable and miraculous.

Bang! After he transformed into a giant with three heads and six arms, Chen Xi attacked without the slightest hesitation. Shaman Energy condensed as he blasted Huangfu Chongming's attacks flying before he took a stride forward, and then another two of his hands were like axes that chopped mountains as they descended like sledgehammers to smash onto Xiao Linger's sword and Liu Fengchi's saber. The other three hands of his slapped out from afar, causing palm prints that were like pillars that held up the sky to fiercely smash towards Man Hong, Pei Zhong, and Xue Chen.

Rumble!

A wave of enormous bangs that shook the heavens and the earth exploded out in the world. The air shook as space shattered, and it was like a volcano had erupted, causing the earth and mountains to quake. Everywhere the aftershock went, everyone present moved back with astonished expression, and they were deeply afraid of being affected by it.

At practically the exact same time, the figures of Huangfu Chongming and the others staggered back in midair.

Chen Xi's figure seemed as if it had taken root in midair instead, and he didn't move in the slightest.

With a single strike, superiority was determined instantly!

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#### **Chapter 387: Varying Opinions**

Heavenly Transformation! Deity Transformation!

Forcefully blocking the attacks of six top experts in the younger generation with a single move!

My god! Could it be that this fellow's most formidable in body refinement?

Everyone in the square was in an uproar as they looked at the tall figure that in midair that had transformed into a 54m tall giant with three heads and six arms and emitted terrifying Shaman Energy.

When Chen Xi killed Lin Moxuan earlier, the sword technique he revealed was peerlessly swift, fierce, and filled with Dao Insights, and it had been recognized by everyone long ago. It was the Myriad Convergence Sword Scripture that was the most difficult to cultivate! Everyone originally thought that Chen Xi was a sword cultivator that was devoted to the cultivation of the sword, yet never had they imagined that in the blink of an eye, Chen Xi had abandoned his sword and transformed into a body refiner with monstrous Shaman Energy!

It was even to the extent that the terrifying might his body refinement cultivation revealed was even slightly more overbearing and terrifying than his cultivation in the sword!

They instantly understood that not only did Chen Xi cultivate both body and qi refinement cultivation techniques, he'd achieved brilliant accomplishments in both paths that would cause anyone to be ashamed of their own inferiority!

A person's energy was limited. It was already exceedingly difficult to possess an extraordinary strength at a young age, and only those genius figures that possessed top level natural talent and comprehension ability and obtained the support of a multitude of resources at the same time would be able to soar into the sky and surpass ordinary people in a short period of time.

But amongst these geniuses, very few cultivated in the paths of body refinement and qi refinement at the same time. The reason was extremely simple, they didn't have enough time and energy!

It was already extremely difficult to obtain great accomplishments in a single method of cultivation. So who would be willing to waste their time to cultivate in two types of paths at the same time? What if something went wrong and they wasted a great amount of precious time and experience? It would probably destroy their entire lives.

Of course, everything in the world wasn't so absolute. In the boundless heavens and earth, there were still a small amount of people with superb natural talent and comprehension ability that surpassed other geniuses, monstrous level geniuses!

These people were favored by the heavens, and it was as if the fortune of the heavens had been provided to them. No matter what they did, it went smoothly and easily, and perhaps a glory that was impossible to attain in the eyes of others would be casually obtained by them.

For example, Qing Xiuyi, Zhao Qinghe, Huangfu Changtian, Zhen Liuqing, and so on and so forth, the small number of top figures in the younger generation were this type of monstrous level geniuses. No matter how unbelievable a matter occurred on them, everyone would find it to be extremely normal.

Presently, in the eyes of everyone, Chen Xi had undoubtedly become a genius figure that was of a monstrous level like this. Moreover, in their hearts, they'd classified him as a top expert in the younger generation like Qing Xiuyi and Zhao Qinghe.

Rumble!

In midair, Chen Xi had executed the Divine Abilities Heavenly Transformation and Deity Transformation and was in a fierce battle with Huangfu Chongming's group of six. The battle was intense, and it caused an area of 500km in the surroundings to turn into a battlefield.

No matter if it was Chen Xi or Huangfu Chongming's group of six, all of them possessed extremely formidable strengths. When locked in battle, balls of lights shook, the air rumbled, and resplendent and terrifying Magic Treasure glows that contained various Dao Insight profundities flew out in all directions while howling in the air, causing even the heavens and the earth to tremble ceaselessly, and it shook the hearts of all.

Everyone present at the scene had withdrawn a defensive Magic Treasure since long ago to resist the residual energy of the battle that effused out from all directions, and when they looked up into the sky, they were already incapable of seeing everything clearly.

The reason was the battle was truly too intense. The figure of both parties to the battle were enveloped in various dazzling balls of light, and it was already impossible to distinguish exactly who was stronger or weaker.

Of course, there was still a small group of people present who were extremely formidable, and they acutely caught sight of all the changes in the battle. Moreover, this small group of people were already sitting cross-legged on the Martial Dao Divine Thrones at this moment.

This fellow is actually just like me, and his strength in both body refinement and qi refinement is fairly good. Interesting. Looks like I misjudged him that day in the southern territory... Zhao Qinghe sat upright on the divine throne as he rubbed his chin while looking at the battle from afar, and his gaze revealed a sense of interest for the first time.

He naturally remembered Chen Xi. That day in the southern territory's Pine Mist City, when the Ancient Fiendgod intended to smash the entire Chen Clan Mansion, it was his Master, the slovenly old Daoist, that made a move at the critical moment and successfully subdued the Ancient Fiendgod.

At that time, Zhao Qinghe didn't have much of an impression of Chen Xi. Or to put it bluntly, Chen Xi had utterly not entered his eye. Because there was a difference like the difference between the heavens and the earth in their strengths, cultivations, and origins, it caused them to be like people of two worlds that had no way of communicating in the slightest, and it was impossible for him to lower himself to show favor to a weakling.

It was precisely because of this that when Chen Xi revealed his great martial prowess and fought against six by himself at this moment, and when Chen Xi revealed an extremely formidable cultivation in body

refinement, Zhao Qinghe felt a wave of astonishment in his heart and had to admit that he'd really misjudged Chen Xi that day.

Fortunately, this fellow's strength can be considered to be not bad. If anything were to happen, I would really not know how to tell Big Sister Ya Qing. Huangfu Qingying heaved a sigh of relief in her heart. She was extremely worried in her heart as well when she saw Chen Xi suffer a heavy blow earlier, and she'd even decided in her heart that if Chen Xi were to die, then she would find a chance to secretly annihilate those people that killed Chen Xi. In this way, she would be able to give Ya Qing an explanation.

Oh, that she-devil was flirting with Chen Xi just now under the gazes of everyone present here. I wonder what that lover of Chen Xi's is thinking... Huangfu Qingying blinked her eyes as she turned to glance at Zhen Liuqing.

At this moment, Zhen Liuqing lightly puckered her cherry lips as she looked attentively at the distance battlefield without blinking, and her beautiful and clear face didn't have any change in expression.

No one, not even she herself noticed that because she'd clenched her slender and white too tightly, her nails had sunk deeply in the flesh on her palm, and strands of dark red blood spilled from it.

Even though she didn't say anything, it didn't mean she wasn't concerned about Chen Xi.

Even though she remained silent and without moving, who else knew that once one sat on the divine throne, one would be unable to take a step away from the divine throne until the test ended?

If it wasn't for this, I'd probably have disregarded everything and charged to his side long ago at the instant the battle began... Zhen Liuqing sighed deeply in her heart, and she felt an indescribable and extremely complicated feeling of envy towards Fan Yunlan.

"No wonder the old fellow repeated over and over again before I left the sect that I must not underestimate the people of the world. Now it would seem like the old fellow was rather correct. The strength possessed by this fellow called Chen Xi is indeed worthy of me taking him seriously." On the other side, the fat and grinning Ling Yu exclaimed with surprise, and then he turned to look to the side. "Brother Yu, who do you think will lose?"

The violet haired Yu Xuanchen shook his head and said, "How do I know? If it was a one on one battle, then Chen Xi would win for sure. But it's six against one now, so it isn't good for me to make a wild guess."

Ling Yu pursed his lips and said, "Is this any different from not answering me? Then let me ask you another question. If you were to fight Chen Xi, what's the probability of your success?"

"It's difficult to say." Yu Xuanchen still had a calm expression as he replied ambiguously.

Ling Yu covered his forehead with his hand and seemed to groan in pain. "All of you fellows are mature, experienced, and lifeless. All of you don't have the slightest spirit of a young person, and it's simply torturous to talk with all of you. If I knew earlier, I wouldn't have left the sect no matter what."

Yu Xuanchen kept silent as his eyes stared at the battle in the distance, and he seemed to be lost in thought.

“Alas, it’s so exhausting. All of you are boring, too boring...” Ling Yu could only sigh sorrowfully and stop questioning resentfully.

But Ling Yu seemed like the type of person that had a lively character and couldn’t sit still. In next to no time, he shot his gaze at Qing Xiuyi and Huangfu Changtian.

However, he noticed an interesting phenomenon.

Qing Xiuyi seemed to be completely indifferent towards everything that happened in the surroundings, and her peerlessly beautiful face that was covered in a layer of mist didn’t reveal the slightest change in emotion. From the beginning until the end, there wasn’t a single ripple on her face, causing her to seem like a celestial maiden that remained aloof from the world, and no one could guess what she was thinking.

On the other hand, Huangfu Changtian’s brows were knit tightly, his eyes contained a murderous glint as he stared at the distant battlefield, and his entire body emitted surging killing intent, causing him to seem to be extremely worried about the safety of his younger brother, Huangfu Chongming. His entire body seemed like a saber that wished for nothing more than to leave its sheathe with the intention of drinking fresh blood to its heart content and swallowing its enemies up.

These two people were one man one woman, one agitated one calm, and they contrasted beautifully with each other.

Ling Yu’s chubby face was suffused with a wisp of a meaningful smile. One is a woman that isn’t concerned with anything, yet just happens to have stretched out a strand of Divine Sense to watch the battle. What’s she paying close attention to? And why did she feign indifference to disguise herself?

On the other hand, that man that seems to be concerned about everything looks to be extremely concerned about his younger brother, yet his eyes are extremely emotionless. Obviously, he’s someone with a heart of stone, and he probably feels that his younger brother has lost face for him, right? As for whether his younger brother lives or dies, perhaps it isn’t as important as his face to him...

Ling Yu was suddenly amused, and he recalled some words that the old fellow had said to him when he left the sect. The workings of the heavens can’t be conjectured, , but how can it compare to how unfathomable the heart of man is? When one cultivates and seeks the Dao, if one is capable of completely understanding the heart of one’s self and others, then it would be impossible for one to not ascend to become a Heavenly Immortal...

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#### **Chapter 388: Completely Annihilated**

“Hmm? Why did that woman seize a Martial Dao Divine Throne by herself?”

“Chen Xi put his life on the line for her sake and is going against a mass of enemies, yet she seized this opportunity to seize a divine throne. Isn’t this a bit too bitterly disappointing?”

“It shouldn’t be like that. Are there some hidden facts to this?”

Right at the instant Ling Yu was pondering deeply, a wave of clamorous noise sounded out by his ears, and he instantly frowned when he looked over.

In the distance, Chen Xi and Huangfu Chongming's group of six were fighting intensely without end, yet on the other side, Fan Yunlan who wore a violet colored dress had turned around abruptly and soared to a divine throne near the sacrificial altar before sitting down on it.

Her movements were so natural and without the slightest shyness, yet it caused everyone present to be bitterly disappointed to the extreme. Because they'd never imagined that Fan Yunlan would actually disregard Chen Xi at a time like this.

Isn't this woman a bit too unreliable?

This was the thought in the hearts of most of the people present, and all of them felt that Chen Xi's actions weren't worth it.

Ling Yu couldn't help but be stunned, and he scratched his head. Even though he'd vaguely figured out the thoughts of Huangfu Chongming and Qing Xiuyi, yet he was extremely puzzled by Fan Yunlan's strange reaction that exceeded the expectations of everyone.

Alas, the heart of people, it's too deceptive indeed. Especially the thoughts of women, they change infinitely like a flower reflected in a mirror, the moon on the lake. Who could possibly figure it out completely? Ling Yu sighed endlessly in his heart, and he deeply understood the words his master had spoken. The workings of the heavens can't compare to how unfathomable the heart of man is!

"Hahaha! Chen Xi, even your woman has abandoned you. Isn't your life a little bit too pitiable!" Amidst the intense battle, Huangfu Chongming's loud laughter resounded out, and it was filled with ridicule.

"Exactly. Is there any meaning in living for such a pitiful wretch like you?" Xiao Linger and the others laughed endlessly in ridicule.

Chen Xi's expression was extremely calm as he turned a deaf ear to this, he seemed to not be affected in the slightest, and it was even to the extent that he fought even more fiercely.

But when this entered in the eyes of the others, Chen Xi seemed to be feeling bitter because of the heartless abandonment of Fan Yunlan, and he intended to use the battle to vent the rage in his heart.

This scene caused Huangfu Chongming and the others to laugh loudly without end as they ridiculed Chen Xi once more with extremely vicious words, and they seemed to want to use this to affect Chen Xi's mind before causing his mind to go into turmoil and kill him.

"Pitiable! Truly pitiable!"

"Thoroughly tricked by a woman under the gazes of everyone. If it was me, I'd cut my own throat."

"I heart you were called a jinx when you were young? Now it would seem like the rumors are really true. Don't you deserve to be called a jinx? Hahaha..."

Numerous harsh and knavish sounds of ridicule resounded out. Not to mention Chen Xi, even the spectators sighed endlessly in their hearts. If it wasn't for Fan Yunlan suddenly abandoning Chen Xi, would he have fallen to such a situation?

Right at this moment, Shaman Energy surged in the entire body of Chen Xi who was surrounded at the center, and then his six enormous hands that were thick like rocks swung out as they slapped an enormous palm print out in unison.

Rumble!

Six palms that emitted an ancient, desolate, and mysterious aura appeared in the sky, and they covered the heavens and the earth and enveloped the world!

Every single palm print was suffused with a resplendent and gorgeous glow, the striations of the palm contained countless dazzling stars that were circulating endlessly while flickering between brightness and dimness, and they contained deep and boundless Grand Dao profundities as they existed eternally.

Divine Ability — Grand Astral Palm!

The six enormous palm prints appeared out of thin air, causing the sky to change in color as a terrifying fluctuation blasted out in all directions with Chen Xi at the center. Merely the aura emitted from it shook space to the point of shattering, and the firm ground was crushed to the point it cracked inch by inch, causing numerous horrifying rifts to collapse open.

Its impetus seemed as if it wanted to completely extract out all light and airflow in an area of 50km around it and condense them within the six palm prints, causing even the heavens and the earth to emit a feeling of collapsing upheaval.

Om! Om! Om!

The surroundings of the square at the center seemed to have sensed the extremely terrifying aura of destruction, and it emitted a shapeless forcefield that protected the sacrificial altar and the 100 divine thrones.

This Divine Ability inherited from the Master of the Manor, Fuxi, was extremely profound. The myriad of stars on the striations in the palm were capable of containing boundless Dao Insights without conflicting each other. Moreover, the more the Dao Insights contained, the more formidable its might would be, and it completely surpassed the scope of Dao Grade martial techniques.

Simply speaking, it possessed boundless stars, boundless Dao Insights, and infinite might!

How terrifying!

At this moment, when Chen Xi who'd transformed into a 54m tall giant via the Heavenly Transformation and had executed the Deity Transformation executed six Grand Astral Palms at the same time, he was like a Fiendgod that could pluck the stars and the moon out of the sky, causing everyone present to be unable to help but arouse the suffocating illusion of terror.

No one could describe the might of Chen Xi's strike, and no one had the slightest confidence in being capable of resisting it. It simply felt as if they were facing an enraged Rebirth Realm expert, and they were so tiny and useless and without the slightest room to struggle.

"What Divine Ability is this?! How could it possibly possess such terrifying might?!"

"I... I actually feel terrified! How could this be possible?"

“Shit! This strike is absolutely not something we’re capable of resisting! Flee, quickly!”

Huangfu Chongming and the others went pale in unison as unrestrainable terror arose in their hearts, causing their fighting spirit to collapse. Moreover, the intense feeling of danger that filled their surroundings causing them to practically instinctively flee in all directions.

It was truly too terrifying. As far as they were concerned, even a Rebirth Realm expert wouldn’t be able to bring such a great threat to them. So if they didn’t leave now, then when?

“Do you know? Your ridicule, sarcasm, mocking... All of it was only your last words before death, and that’s why I continuously tolerated all of you and gave all of you the treatment of a normal person before death. Now, since you’ve enjoyed this treatment, how could you possibly flee? Leave your lives behind!” Right at the moment Chen Xi’s voice resounded out, the six Grand Astral Palms in the sky fiercely slapped towards Huangfu Chongming and the others from six directions.

“No!” Huangfu Chongming was the first to suffer the attack. His face flushed red as he swiftly raised his hand and struck out with almost his entire cultivation with the intention of blasting away this lethal strike.

But actions like this were futile before the Grand Astral Palm, and he was instantly crushed and shattered, only leaving behind a ball of flesh that wriggled in midair. Perished.

Xiao Linger, Liu Fengchi, Man Hong, Pei Zhong, and Xue Chen were horrified to the point their souls almost left their bodies when they saw this, and the last remaining trace of hope that they would be lucky enough to survive vanished without a trace.

They practically instinctively withdrew their jade tokens and crushed it without the slightest hesitation.

Om! Om! Om!

A wave of spatial fluctuations arose abruptly like a ripple, and then an irresistible suction force carried the bodies of the five of them and was about to leave the Martial Dao Domain.

Bang!

But right between this fraction of an instant, five Grand Astral Palms had already arrived, and they crushed space apart and shook the spatial fluctuation to the point it froze slightly.

It was exactly during this slight moment of freezing that the Grand Astral Palms completely took away their lives.

Bang! Bang! Bang! Bang! Bang!

Five enormous bangs that shook the heavens and the earth resounded out as Xiao Linger and the others followed in Huangfu Chongming’s footsteps and were directly squashed into balls of mush by the Grand Astral Palms, and they didn’t even have the slightest room to struggle.

After that, the spatial fluctuation shook and took the corpses of the five of them that had transformed into mush to completely vanish within the Martial Dao Realm.

This was a method that Chen Xi had planned on since long ago.



Because he knew that if he were to annihilate any one of them, it would cause them to arouse the intention of fleeing. Moreover, once they crushed their jade tokens, then his intentions of annihilating all six of them would completely come to nothing.

So, since the beginning of the battle, he'd always been holding back some strength and intentionally stayed locked in battle with Huangfu Chongming's group of six as he awaited the best opportunity to make a move.

When these people were ridiculing him, it was undoubtedly the moment their hearts were the most relaxed, and he'd seized this opportunity to strike out with a killing move that crushed all six of them and obtained perfect success.

Dust and smoke suffused the air, and the aftershocks of the battle dispersed after a long time.

The surroundings were deathly silent.

Every cultivator present felt a lingering fear in their hearts and were shocked to speechlessness, and they unconsciously carried a trace of reverence within their gazes that shot at Chen Xi.

A single person annihilating six genius experts of the younger generation. Such ferocious and powerful combat strength was something that probably no one amongst them was capable of achieving.

Most terrifying to them was that Chen Xi's final strike was actually formidable to the point of being able to affect spatial teleportation, and even crushing one's jade token was unable to allow one to escape his attack. Such ability was too terrifying!

Just you wait. I'll kill you with my own two hands during the final test and take revenge for my embarrassing younger brother! On a divine throne, Huangfu Changtian stared icy coldly at Chen Xi as he spoke word by word in his heart.

Looks like I was flattering myself earlier. His strength is something even I have to face seriously, so how could I possibly have the qualifications to look after him? Big Sister Ya Qing is too cruel, why didn't she tell me all of this? Huangfu Qingying scrunched her nose and was slightly displeased that her Big Sister Ya Qing had deceived her.

I knew that this fellow would succeed! A wisp of an unrestrainable smile suffused the corners of Zhen Liuqing's mouth, and her eyes rippled with extraordinary splendor.

"Amazing! Looks like I must be careful if I face this fellow in the final test." Yu Xuanchen muttered to himself.

"Hey, you're willing to speak now?" The nearby Ling Yu pursed his lips, and then he said with a serious expression, "He's an extremely formidable opponent indeed and must be treated extremely carefully."

Nice! I really anticipate fighting this person. As a body refiner just like him, let me see exactly whose Divine Ability is more formidable! Zhao Qinghe's eyes were bright like stars, and Chen Xi's display had already completely drawn out the surging fighting spirit in his heart.

"Hu!" Chen Xi took a deep breath and disregarded the various gazes that shot towards him from the people in the surroundings as he turned to fly towards the divine thrones nearby the sacrificial altar.

When they saw this scene, everyone present instantly restrained their thoughts and shot their gazes towards the distant Fan Yunlan in succession. How would this woman that abandoned Chen Xi face him at this moment?

"I..." Fan Yunlan opened her mouth.

"There's no need to say anything, it's fine so long as you understand my thoughts." Chen Xi sat down on a divine throne that was by Fan Yunlan's side without the slightest aversion, and then he said with a smile, "At least your actions proved that you believed in me unconditionally, and I'm extremely happy."

Fan Yunlan's eyes went red, and her heart was covered in dense emotion and warmth.

Earlier, Chen Xi had told her to believe in him, and she'd done exactly as he said. Moreover, for the sake of proving her belief towards Chen Xi, she'd resolutely disregarded the guesses and slander of the others and chose to seize a divine throne by herself.

This was the firmest belief of a woman to a man.

Ling Yu didn't understand it, Huangfu Chongming and the others didn't understand it, and most of the people present didn't understand it. Only Chen Xi understood because he firmly believed in Fan Yunlan!

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#### **Chapter 389: Martial Dao Sacrificial Altar**

Successfully seizing a Martial Dao Divine Throne caused Chen Xi to completely relax. If nothing unexpected happened, he was already one amongst the top 100 of the Allstar Meeting this time, and his next objective was to charge into the top 10!

Without wasting any more time, Chen Xi chatted with Fan Yunlan, Zhen Liuqing, and the others for a short moment before taking out a few Shaman Blood Crystals and meditated with his eyes closed.

The battle with Huangfu Chongming and the others caused his Shaman Energy to be exhausted greatly. Especially the Grand Astral Palms he executed at the end had an extremely shocking consumption of Shaman Energy. If it wasn't for his body refinement cultivation having attained the advanced-stage of the Golden Core Realm already, he'd probably be utterly incapable of executing it.

Fortunately, he'd obtained a great amount of Shaman Blood Crystals from Ji Yue, so his Shaman Energy could be recovered extremely quickly, and he didn't have to worry about the competition and battles that were to come.

Before he closed his eyes in meditation, Chen Xi's gaze fell slightly, and the corner of his field of vision glanced towards the beautiful figure at the utmost center. That beautiful figure had been sitting cross-legged there from the beginning until the end while her entire body was enveloped in hazy mist, and she seemed like a celestial maiden that remained aloof from the world. No matter what happened in the surroundings, it seemed as if it was incapable of drawing her attention.

It was like a soundless feeling of proudness and aloofness, as if she stood above all living creatures.

Chen Xi withdrew his gaze, and his heart remained without the slightest ripple. Qing Xiuyi was unlike Fan Yunlan, she was a reincarnated Heavenly Immortal, and she possessed the pride of an immortal in her

bones. So there was only a single way to resolve the hatred between them, and it was to completely defeat her in battle and make her pride have no choice but to yield before him!

When Chen Xi sat on a divine throne, there were still another 70 plus empty divine thrones in the surroundings of the sacrificial altar, and for the sake of these divine thrones, the cultivators in the surroundings of the square completely exploded in an extremely intense battle.

All the cultivators present had become eminent from the 50,000 cultivators that participated in the beginning, and they'd overcome many difficulties on the way to finally arrive here. Thus, their strengths were naturally and undoubtedly formidable, and if placed in the outside world, their strengths were sufficient for them to be called outstanding talents.

Yet now, for the sake of seizing the few remaining divine thrones, the intensity of the battle was obvious.

After the time for an incense stick to burn, all 100 divine thrones had an owner, whereas the cultivators that failed were completely eliminated and sent out of the Martial Dao Domain.

Along with the last person who failed vanishing from the Martial Dao Domain, the space in the surroundings of the center square suddenly fluctuated intensely.

Rumble!

The sky collapsed and the earth cracked apart, the heavens and the earth seemed to have fallen into great destruction, causing it to shatter, collapse, and be obliterated, and practically everything vanished within the intense spatial fluctuations.

In only an instant, besides the ancient sacrificial altar at the center and the 100 divine thrones, everything else in the Martial Dao Domain had completely transformed into nothingness.

Om!

At almost the exact same time, a strange fluctuation stretched out from the sacrificial altar at the center like a ripple, and it covered all the 100 Martial Dao Divine Thrones in the surroundings.

At the instant the fluctuation swept past his body, Chen Xi acutely sensed an ancient, mysterious, and irresistible intent envelop his soul, and before he could react, his soul felt dazed as if it was sucked into an enormous vortex...

Rumble!

In Silken City, Ascension Peak that pierced into the skies rumbled as it sank into the ground, and divine lights surged and shot out from the surroundings of the mountain, piercing the eyes of everyone to the point they couldn't help but close them.

"The third test of the Allstar Meeting has ended!"

"Look, quickly! Those things that are floating in midair are the Martial Dao Divine Thrones of legend, and those people sitting on it are the top 100 cultivators in the Allstar Meeting this time.

“It’s the Martial Dao Divine Thrones! I wonder what level of Dao Grade martial technique they will be able to comprehend from it.”

Everyone opened their eyes when Ascension Peak completely vanished in the ground, and then they saw an exceedingly ancient sacrificial altar was suddenly standing upright in midair and in its surroundings were 100 Martial Dao Divine Thrones that circled around it and emitted boundless dazzling lights.

Dang! Dang! Dang!

On the divine thrones were 100 figures sitting cross-legged with solemn expressions like statues, and they were coiled with divine lights as a strange ringing of a bell that was like the bell sounded when sacrifices were offered in ancient times resounded out from the sacrificial altar in the center. It shook the heavens and the earth like a morning bell, and the melody of the Grand Dao enlightened all and caused the hearts of everyone to be bathed in boundless tranquility.

Meanwhile, the gazes of all the cultivators in Silken City looked towards the 100 figures that sat cross-legged silently on the divine thrones, and their gazes carried envy, curiosity, and anticipation...

Everyone knew that in the following period of time, these 100 people would comprehend a Dao Grade martial technique inheritance from the divine thrones. But the quality of the martial technique inherited from the divine throne would depend on one’s own natural talent, fortune, cultivation, comprehension, and many other factors.

I wonder who will obtain the most formidable Dao Grade martial technique this time...? Chen Xi was absent-minded, as the scene before him changed swiftly like the movement of the stars in the universe, and his entire soul seemed to be moving through a strange and unusual space-time tunnel. After a short moment, he arrived in a vast starry sky.

This starry sky had countless stars circulating swiftly like flowing lights, and it was extremely alike to the world of stars in the Mansion within the jade pendant. But it was different from the world of stars, as there was an extremely vast sacrificial altar at the center of this starry sky!

The sacrificial altar was extremely ancient and completely bathed in a sacred and vast divine light that arouse extreme reverence in one’s heart. It stood towering amongst a myriad of stars, and it was so large that it simply covered the entire starry sky. The numerous stars were like a mass of fireflies before it, extremely tiny and like a speck of grain in the ocean.

The vast, magnificent, and majestic scene was like a divine mark left behind by the gods at the absolute beginning of the world, and it shook the hearts of all!

This is the Martial Dao Sacrificial Altar? Supposedly, it contains countless Dao Grade martial techniques that embrace a variety of Heaven Dao profundities, and it’s boundless, infinite, and vast like the ocean. I wonder if it’s true...? Chen Xi gazed at the ancient sacrificial altar that stood towering in the starry sky and emitted an eternal aura, and he couldn’t help but be extremely shocked in his heart.

With an intention in his heart, his figure instantly transformed into a flowing light that flew into the sacrificial altar.

Before he participated in the Allstar Meeting, he'd obtained an understanding of the Martial Dao Sacrificial Altar. The origins of the sacrificial altar couldn't be investigated, and it was like an eternal mark of the gods, yet this wasn't important.

What was important was that when one's soul linked up with the sacrificial altar, one would be able to obtain a Dao Grade martial technique's inheritance from it!

Swish! Swish! Swish!

At the instant he entered the sacrificial altar, it was as if he'd entered into a world of divine light. Thick lights that were dazzling and resplendent were emitted from countless fist sized balls of light that flowed and whistled through the boundless world of divine lights in a dense and vast array.

Chen Xi stretched out his hand and grabbed, and he instantly held a ball of light in his hand. After that, the light on the ball restrained itself to condense into a dark golden jade slip, and the surroundings of the jade slip was coiled with Dao Insight as a line of extremely ancient words appeared on it.

Dao Grade martial technique — Goldstreak Sunset Blade!

Chen Xi only casually glanced at this Dao Grade martial technique before letting go of it. The reason was extremely simple, it only contained two Minor Daos, the Cloudray and Goldstreak Minor Daos. One was a subset of the Grand Dao of Water, the other was a type of Mist Dao Insight. Obviously, this was far from being capable of moving him.

Subsequently, Chen Xi grabbed another 10 plus balls of light, yet the most formidable amongst them only contained two types of Grand Daos, and it caused him to be rather disappointed.

There're countless Dao Grade martial techniques in the sacrificial altar. If I continue searching like this, I'll be unable to obtain a martial technique I'm satisfied with no matter how much of time I spend. Why don't I head towards the depths of the altar? Perhaps the formidable martial techniques are hidden in the core area... As he pondered, Chen Xi charged within the boundless world of divine lights towards the core area of the sacrificial altar. But what caused him to be speechless is that the space within this sacrificial altar was too vast, and he'd flown for almost an entire two hours yet hadn't figured out where exactly the central area was.

But it was extremely normal when he thought about it. If the formidable Dao Grade martial techniques were so easy to obtain, then perhaps all of them would have been seized away by others since long ago. How could he possibly have a chance?

Hmm? An oppressive force? While Chen Xi moved forward, he suddenly felt a shapeless force press down onto him, and it seemed to extremely reject his approach, causing his speed to slow down greatly.

This pressure is probably greater the closer one is to the center of the sacrificial altar. If I follow according to this deduction, then extremely formidable Dao Grade martial technique might really exist there like I thought! Chen Xi was not shocked, but delighted instead, and he didn't hesitate in the slightest to circulate the strength in his entire body and continue flashing forward.

But along with the passage of time, his footsteps became sluggish, and his speed grew slower and slower. The pressure and force of rejection that existed everywhere caused Chen Xi to seem as if he'd fallen into a swamp, and it was extremely difficult for him to move forward swiftly.

Om!

But right when Chen Xi intended to grit his teeth and continue moving forward with brute force, a mysterious fluctuation gushed out abruptly from within his sea of consciousness and spread out, and everywhere it passed, the pressure and force of rejection actually vanished completely!

The River Diagram fragment? Chen Xi was shocked, and then he instantly noticed that the River Diagram fragment that floated within his sea of consciousness was actually lightly trembling as if it possessed intelligence at this moment!

This half-moon shaped incomplete River Diagram fragment was actually combined into form from two River Diagram fragments. One was from the Profound Disruption Mountain at the depths of the Southern Barbaric Mountain Range, and the other was given to him by his mysterious Senior Sister that liked to dress up as a man.

In the surroundings of the River Diagram fragment was an image floating there. The image was divided into seven pieces with unusual shapes, and they just happened to combine with the existing River Diagram fragment to form an almost completely round pattern.

He'd deduced from this extremely early on that the complete River Diagram ought to have split into nine pieces for some reason. He's already obtained two pieces, and there were another seven pieces scattered in other places in the universe.

Actually, this wasn't important, what was important was that in these past few years, it was the first time that Chen Xi had seen the River Diagram fragment emit a strange fluctuation by itself and tremble while emitting a droning sound!

What has happened?

Could it be that the River Diagram fragment has some sort of relationship with this ancient sacrificial altar?

Right at the instant Chen Xi was astonished, he suddenly noticed that the droning emitted by the River Diagram fragment in his sea of consciousness grew louder and louder, and it seemed as if it urgently wanted him to move forward towards a certain place.

Chen Xi flashed forward right away, and he faintly felt that if he moved forward according to the 'direction' of the River Diagram fragment, then perhaps he would obtain an enormous fortuitous encounter!

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#### **Chapter 390: Obtaining Precious Treasures Successively**

The River Diagram Fragment droned endlessly. Everywhere the strange fluctuation it emitted flashed past, the strong pressure and force of rejection all along the way would be completely dispersed and vanished, allowing Chen Xi to flash within it as if he was walking on even ground, and he wasn't obstructed in the slightest.

After flying continuously for the time of around 10 minutes.

A stone tablet appeared abruptly within the divine lights ahead that were boundless like mist. The surface of the stone tablet was mottled, damaged, and blurred, and it seemed to have experienced the corrosion of countless years, causing it to emit an ancient feeling.

Nearby the stone tablet was countless balls of light fluttering about, and every single ball of light flowed with extremely dazzling lights. When Chen Xi looked carefully at them, he noticed to his shock that it was the energy of Dao Insights that seemed material. They were Dao Insights that approached a material form from their shapeless form!

The Dao was originally nameless, yet the strong called it 'Dao.'

Yet an intangible Grand Dao profundity actually revealed the trace of a 'material form' at this moment, and it instantly shocked Chen Xi greatly. Because according to his knowledge, only a perfect Grand Dao profundity would turn from a shapeless form into a material form!

It was common knowledge that there was an infinite amount of Dao Insights in the heavens and the earth, and every single Dao Insight was divided into four realms and twelve levels. When the Dao Insight grasped by a cultivator attained the 6th level of the Initial Realm, the martial technique the cultivator executed was capable of forming a variety of phenomenon, and it was called the phenomenon of Dao Insight taking form.

But this type of taking form wasn't real material form, and it was only a phenomenon revealed by relying on a Dao Grade martial technique. It was utterly unable to compare with true material Dao Insight.

Only when a Dao Insight attained perfection, the 12th level of the Perfection Realm, the Dao Insight grasped by a cultivator would be able to appear as if it was material.

Moreover, something worthy of mention that only Grand Daos were capable of attaining perfection, whereas, Minor Daos couldn't be perfect because from the very beginning, they were bound to be a branch of a Grand Dao.

Strictly speaking, Minor Daos were merely an incomplete Grand Dao profundity. For example, Minor Daos like the Rain Dao Insight and Tidal Dao Insight both belonged to the Grand Dao of Water.

A single ball of light represents a Dao Grade martial technique. Doesn't this mean that all the Dao Grade martial techniques before me contain a perfect Grand Dao profundity? With Chen Xi's composure, he couldn't help but gasp at this moment.

Martial techniques that contained Grand Dao profundities were naturally better than those that contained Minor Daos, and martial techniques that contained perfect Grand Dao profundities were naturally even more valuable and rare.

Dao Grade martial techniques like these were called perfect martial techniques in the outside world! They were precious treasures that could only be chanced upon by luck, and even some ancient sects of the Darchu Dynasty might not possess one.

For example, even though the Myriad Convergence Sword Scripture Chen Xi cultivated contained a Dao Insight in each of its eight moves, yet it wasn't a perfect martial technique. One was naturally capable of

grasping the Dao Insights within it after cultivating it, yet it couldn't guarantee that one would grasp the Dao Insight within it to the state of perfection.

On the other hand, a perfect Dao Grade martial technique was different. So long as one comprehended the Dao Insight within it and thoroughly comprehended the essence of the martial technique, then one was entirely capable of mastering a perfect Grand Dao!

Chen Xi's gaze burned as well, and he couldn't help but sigh with emotion as he looked at the numerous balls of light that fluttered endlessly around the stone tablet. No wonder everyone fights with their lives to participate in the Allstar Meeting. Merely these perfect Dao Grade martial techniques are sufficient to make anyone go mad.

He was naturally extremely moved, yet he didn't make a move right away and looked towards the stone tablet instead.

The sky above the stone tablet was completely empty and without anything worthy paying attention to, yet the River Diagram fragment that trembled intensely within his sea of consciousness told Chen Xi that this stone tablet wasn't simple.

Could it be that something is hidden within the stone tablet? Chen Xi pursed his lips and was unable to restrain the curiosity in his heart in the end, and he approached the stone tablet before raising his hand to touch its surface.

A restriction? However, to Chen Xi's surprise, the pressure and force of rejection that had originally vanished actually stretched out from the surface of the stone tablet, and the force of it was extremely terrifying as if an extraordinary restriction was placed here to disallow anyone from violating it.

Even if he exerted his entire strength, his hand was unable to move forward in the slightest after it arrived 30cm before the stone tablet!

Bang!

The River Diagram fragment within his sea of consciousness seemed to be furious, and it suddenly emitted a vast and terrifying shapeless fluctuation that fiercely smashed onto the surface of the stone tablet.

Instantly, Chen Xi felt the pressure and force of rejection dissipate instantly, and being caught off guard, his hand suddenly and fiercely pressed onto the surface of the stone tablet. Due to him using too much force, it directly shattered apart.

Swoosh!

Before Chen Xi could react, an object with a strange shape and seemed like a turtle shell suddenly soared up before shooting directly towards him, and it vanished within his sea of consciousness.

Another piece! No wonder the River Diagram fragment that has been slumbering in my sea of consciousness for many years would tremble so intensely at this time... At this moment within Chen Xi's sea of consciousness, another River Diagram fragment had appeared, and one of the seven images in the surroundings was occupied. In other words, he already possessed three River Diagram fragments now, and he only lacked six more before he could combine them into the complete River Diagram!



But in the next moment, he was unable to pay attention to all this because along with him obtaining this River Diagram fragment, his body actually flew uncontrollably out of the sacrificial altar!

It can't be, I still haven't obtained a Dao Grade martial technique! Instantly, Chen Xi had already been transported outside the sacrificial altar, and he stood in the starry sky from before.

It was utterly impossible for him to approach the sacrificial altar again because there was a type of shapeless forcefield that forcefully kept him out, and he was unable to blast it open no matter how he struck it...

Heavens! Are you playing a trick on me! I entered the sacrificial altar with great difficulty, yet I only obtained a River Diagram fragment. This... this... this... At this moment, Chen Xi was furious to the point he couldn't help but hurl out a torrent of abuse, and he was extremely irritated. What was more heartrending than looking at countless perfect Dao Grade martial techniques yet watching helplessly as they vanished before one's eyes?

If he could redo it once more, he would rather choose a perfect Dao Grade martial technique than take the River Diagram fragment. After all, this thing wasn't complete, it was utterly useless while residing in his sea of consciousness, and it was simply a defective thing.

Entering a mountain of treasures yet coming home empty handed! Fucking River Diagram fragment, you couldn't appear at any other time but just had to do it at this moment. Simply outrageous! Chen Xi couldn't help but sigh deeply, and his expression was extremely unsightly.

Bang!

Seeming to have heard Chen Xi's complaints, a vast aura suddenly gushed out from the River Diagram fragment in his sea of consciousness, and it covered his entire sea of consciousness before exploding out. Various patterns that were obscure and difficult to understand and words that were like a passing shadow flashed into appearance within his mind with a shocking speed.

The earth sank, the sky shook, and everything in the world withered as time flowed, and a hundred lifetimes passed and revealed the numerous vicissitudes of life... Scenes that occurred in every single world within the boundless universe flashed past with unbelievable speed.

It was swift to the point even his thoughts were unable to keep up, yet it gave Chen Xi the clear feeling as if it was deeply engraved in the bottom of his heart. Even though the boundless scenes had passed, yet he was still capable of completely remembering every single scene down to the slightest detail.

He even saw one of the scenes show how an infant girl came crying into the world before growing into an ignorant child, a blooming young girl, a graceful young woman, a charming woman... Up until the point her hair greyed, she was covered in wrinkles, and her teeth fell, and then she passed away peacefully.

Every single detail was completely visible to the smallest detail.

Every single scene was like he'd experienced a complete journey of life.

Beauty faded in an instant.

Life faded in a short moment.

This experience that he'd never had before caused Chen Xi's mind to practically go blank, and he forget everything in his surroundings.

After an unknown period of time, Chen Xi seemed as if he'd woken up from a dream, and he let out a long breath of air as his gaze recovered to a clear state. When he recalled the peculiar scenes in his mind once more, he was unable to find them instead, and it seemed as if everything from before hadn't occurred at all.

But a trace of a smile suffused the corner of Chen Xi's mouth. Because he noticed to his shock that even though the scenes had vanished, another thing had suddenly appeared within his mind.

Divine Ability — The Eye of Divine Truth!

This was an extremely unusual and rare Divine Ability. Once one cultivated it successfully, a vertical eye would appear between one's brows, and it was capable of seeing through the true appearance of everything in the world. Any form of concealment, stealth, disguise, illusion, charm... All of them would be incapable of escaping the sight of this eye.

It was even to the extent that when it was cultivated to an advanced level, a single glance was even capable of seeing through a person's cultivation, the level of the person's mastery in the Dao Insights the person had grasped, and the flaws of the martial techniques executed by a person. When utilized against an enemy, it would often be able to bring forth the shocking effect of allowing one to possess foresight!

Even though such a Divine Ability didn't possess any lethality, yet its might to see through everything and almost provide foresight was sufficient for it to be said to be world shaking.

The Eye of Divine Truth! Examine the world like a god and see through the truth behind all things... It's truly a good name! An amazing Divine Ability! Chen Xi exclaimed repeatedly with admiration as he never imagined that the River Diagram fragment would actually give him such an unexpected pleasant surprise.

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At a distance of almost 300km beneath the earth's surface.

Hmm? Emperor Chu who sat cross-legged in the sky above the Dragon Transformation Pool suddenly opened his eyes before his gaze swept out, and he seemed to be able to see through the boundlessly thick earth to see every single change in Silken City.

Has an unforeseen event happened in the Martial Dao Sacrificial Altar? Emperor Chu thought in his heart as his Divine Sense stretched out swiftly.

In the boundless sky outside Silken City, an illusory figure that was covered in surging Immortal Energy appeared abruptly. Shockingly, it was the Artifact Spirit of Silken Palace.

Since Ascension Peak appeared and the Allstar Meeting began, he'd concealed himself and vanished from the eyes of the public, yet every single subtle change in the Allstar Meeting was unable to escape his discerning eyes.

“Zuoqiu Xue’s son, Chen Xi, had just obtained the River Diagram fragment from within the Martial Dao Sacrificial Altar. If everything happens as expected, he has also obtained the cultivation technique of the Divine Ability, Eye of Divine Truth. This Divine Ability is boundlessly profound and is sufficient to be ranked in the top 100 in the Divine Ability Gold Rankings of the three dimensions.”

“Oh? The River Diagram fragment that was sealed for countless years was actually obtained by that little fellow?” Emperor Chu’s eyes were suffused with a wisp of surprise, and then it returned to its calm state as he said indifferently, “Looks like this kid is indeed as Shui Hua said, he’s someone that possesses great fortune. All those years ago, that person from the Zuoqiu Clan was so extraordinary that even I wasn’t a match for him, and he tried to use force to break open the Martial Dao Sacrificial Altar and take away the River Diagram fragment. But didn’t he fail in the end? This was his lack of fortune.”

“Fortune? That fellow’s fate is concealed by the workings of the heavens, and even I am incapable of prying into it and deducing it. He doesn’t just simply possess great fortune. What should I do next? Should I ask for the River Diagram fragment from him?” asked the Artifact Spirit.

Emperor Chu went silent for a long time, and then he shook his head and said, “That thing is indeed a unique and precious treasure of the three dimensions, yet not only is it useless to both of us, it might even be a calamity. Since he has obtained it, then give it to him.”

As soon as he finished speaking, he waved his hand as he closed his eyes and once again entered into meditation.

The Artifact Spirit nodded silently when he saw this, and then he vanished in the space above the layer of clouds in the sky.