

The Rise Of The Tamer Family

Chapter 11

Perhaps there was no shortage of food here, or he had chosen the wrong technology tree. In any case, there was no concept of fertilizer in the Great Qian Dynasty.

This gave birth to an idea in Chen Yang's heart. What would it be like if he introduced fertilizer in the family?

Of course, the Chen family also has no need for more ordinary food. But what if the spirit rice could also be nourished by fertilizer and increase its output?

The essence of fertilizer was to provide nutrients for food. For spirit rice, substances that contained spiritual energy were the best fertilizer for spirit rice.

Then the next problem was very simple. Find something that contained sufficient spiritual energy but was not needed by humans.

With this thought in mind, Chen Yang immediately informed Chen Xuan.

When Chen Xuan heard this, he stroked his beard and pondered for a moment. "Family Head, the Great Qian Dynasty has similar thoughts as well."

"However, they all use treasures that contain sufficient spiritual energy to nurture spirit rice. The spirit rice they nurture is also much better than ordinary ones."

"But I've never heard of using that kind of waste to cultivate spirit rice.

Can this work? How can spirit rice absorb trash that even the human race looks down on?"

According to the First Elder's understanding, only precious treasures could nurture precious spirit rice.

"First Elder, you can't say that."

“To give the simplest example, that Green-horned Bull feeds on spiritual herbs, but what will happen if it feeds the spiritual herbs to the Gale Wolves?” Chen Yang said with a smile.

“I’m afraid they’ll all starve to death.”

“That settles it. The trash that we humans view as trash might be a precious treasure to the spirit rice.”

Hearing Chen Yang’s words, Chen Xuan’s eyes lit up. Then, he slapped his thigh. “That’s right. Why didn’t I think of this?”

Chen Yang smiled but said nothing.

It could only be said that the land in this world was too fertile. There was no need to worry about increasing food production.

The forces that could cultivate spirit rice were extremely rich. Even if they wanted to increase the production of spirit rice, they would not think of using trash.

Moreover, fertilizer only increased production, while those large factions pursued higher-quality spiritual rice.

For various reasons, the concept of fertilizer had never spread in this world.

“First Elder, can you think about any type of trash that can be used as nourishment for the spirit rice?”

“Nourishment? That’s a good term. As for trash that contains spiritual energy, our Chen family can’t come into contact with much.”

Due to the sudden mention of this, the First Elder could not react for a moment.

“First Elder, as far as I know, this Green-horned Bull has a habit of ruminating. For the sake of the Green-horned Bull’s health, we will throw away the spiritual herbs that it spat out.”

“Then feed new spirit herbs to ensure that the Green-horned Bull grows normally.”

“Wouldn’t it be a good use of trash to use these spiritual herbs that have been spat out as fertilizer?”

Hearing Chen Yang’s words, Chen Xuan’s eyes lit up. “That’s right. Although that spiritual herb doesn’t have much spiritual energy left, it’s quite suitable as fertilizer.”

“Of course, the premise of all this is that the spirit rice can absorb the energy. Family Head, I suggest that we don’t rush to promote it. Let’s choose a batch of spirit rice to try first.”

“That’s what I was thinking.” Chen Yang did not dare to guarantee that his thoughts were correct. Since the First Elder felt that he had to experiment first, he would agree.

After the two of them finished discussing, they immediately called the person in charge of the Chen Manor to inform him of their discussion and asked him to record the growth of the spirit rice.

Although the person in charge was puzzled, he agreed obediently.

After leaving the manor, Chen Xuan brought Chen Yang to inspect the other businesses of the Chen family. However, these businesses only reaped profits in the form of Great Qian Gold, so Chen Yang did not feel inclined to use science to increase his profits.

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“According to the statistics, the family’s income this year is 1,600 spirit stones. Excluding the 600 spirit stones that are set aside for any unforeseen needs. The cultivation resources that we can allocate next year are 1,000 spirit stones.”

In the meeting hall, Chen Xuan talked non-stop about the results of the inspection.

The other elders’ eyes revealed joy. The family’s profits this year were much higher than in previous years, so the number of spirit stones they could be allocated would also increase.

The Chen family distributed a certain number of spirit stones for free. If one wanted to receive more spirit stones, they would need contribution points and certain conditions.

After listening to Chen Xuan's explanation, Chen Yang took the lead and said, "Everyone, let's discuss the distribution method."

As usual, the First Elder spoke first.

"Family Head, the resources we can allocate this year are twice as much as last year. I suggest we directly double them."

After hearing the First Elder's words, Chen Yang shook his head. "We can't do that anymore. If our family wants to develop, we have to abandon this backward distribution method."

'Backward?'

The elders were confused. Wasn't this how all the families in Nanyang County allocate their resources?

Seeing the elders' confusion, Chen Yang said, "Let's not talk about the Collateral Branch first. Let's talk about the Direct Line."

"In my generation of disciples, everyone obtained the same number of spirit stones, but what happened in the end? Some people's realm didn't increase at all in the past year, while others advanced an entire level."

"Granted, talent may be one of the reasons, but it's also a fact that hard work by the individual is also a factor."

Hearing the Family Head's words, most of the elders lowered their heads. This was because Chen Yang was talking about their children.

The Chen family was a rising family, and the direct descendants were all the children and wives of the elders.

Among them, there was only one old man left from the previous generation, who was the father of the First Elder.

There were only ten people in the elders' generation. Including his wife, there were twenty people. In the Chen family, concubines were not considered direct descendants.

As for Chen Yang's generation, there were a total of 15 people. Other than the eldest who was married, they were all single.

Including Chen Mingde of the next generation, there were a total of 38 direct descendants of the Chen family.

Back to business.

Chen Yang took in the expressions of the elders and continued, "I propose that we implement the sequence plan from today onwards.

The disciples of the family are divided into three sequences. The cultivation resources that each sequence can receive for free are different."

"As for the judging standard of the sequence, it's based on the comprehensive judgment of the increase in strength last year and the individual talent."

"It's not allowed if you're talented but don't work hard. But it is also not allowed if you only work hard but is going in the wrong direction."

"Everyone, what do you think?" After saying that, Chen Yang looked at the elders.

The elders were stunned by Chen Yang's words. For a moment, no one could react.

In the end, it was Chen Xuan who came back to his senses first. "Family Head, I agree. We should have done this long ago. Let them have a taste of the hardships our ancestors went through to build this family business."

The other elders quickly agreed.

"That's right. I've long disliked my son. He does nothing all day long. Now, I can restrain him."

"That's right. In such a situation, if you don't want to work hard, then just be a sponger. The Chen family can still afford it."

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Seeing that the elders agreed with him, Chen Yang nodded in relief.

Although he could not guarantee that his method was correct, it would definitely be better than blindly distributing it equally.

“As for the collateral relatives, we’ll follow the same plan as the direct descendants. By the way, we have to pay more attention to business. It’s almost the new year, don’t appear...”

“Report!!!”

Before Chen Yang could finish speaking, a member of the collateral family dressed in armor quickly ran into the meeting hall.

“What is it?”

The clansman took a deep breath and calmed himself down. “Family Head, the Song family’s envoy requests an audience.”

“The Song family? Why is the eighth-grade family Song family from the prefecture capital suddenly visiting us?” Chen Xuan frowned and looked at Chen Yang.

“Hmph! I’m afraid they have ill intentions.” Chen Yang waved his hand. “Let’s welcome the Song family’s envoy.”

“Yes!”

The collateral family immediately retreated. Not long after, the envoy representing the Song family entered the meeting hall.

“Greetings, Family Head Chen Yang and the elders.”

Chen Yang pretended to be kind and asked with a smile, “Did you come here to convey something?”

“I wouldn’t dare! The head of the Song family has something to ask the Chen family for help with,” the envoy said neither humbly nor arrogantly.

Hearing the envoy’s words, Chen Yang was a little puzzled. What did the Song family need the Chen family’s help with? “What is it?”

“Our Song family plans to join forces with all the ranked families in Nanyang City to attack the demon beasts in the Endless Mountains at the end of the year.”

“My family head said that this is for the sake of the people of Nanyang County. Please do not decline.”

‘So that’s what happened...’

Chen Yang felt that this matter was definitely not simple, but the Song family had already alluded to this as a matter of righteousness, so the Chen family could not refuse.

“Go back and tell your family head that my Chen family has agreed.”

“Yes! Please send the Chen family to Mo City in five days. Don’t be late. By the way, each family must send at least twenty people, and they must all be at the mid-stage Qi Refinement realm or above.”

After bowing to Chen Yang, the envoy left the meeting hall arrogantly.

After the envoy left, the smile on Chen Yang’s face instantly disappeared. “Tell me, what is the Song family up to?”

After a moment of silence, Chen Xuan asked, “Family Head, there are a total of five cities in Nanyang County that border the Endless Mountains. Why did the Song family choose Mo City?”

Chen Yang nodded. “First Elder is right. According to the distance and proximity, our Maple City is the closest to the Endless Mountains.”

“The closest to the Song family is Liu City. No matter how I look at it, one wouldn’t choose Mo City.”

“Unless ...”

“Unless there are secrets that the Song family values hidden in the Endless Mountains bordering Mo City.” Chen Xuan continued.

“That’s right! Third Elder, send a few smart clansmen to investigate the situation outside Mo City first,” Chen Yang instructed.

“As for the other elders, make preparations in advance. Since the Song family has made a move, we’ll take it.”

“It’s just that, First Elder, your Genesis Feast will have to be postponed.”

“That’s fine. Family matters are more important.” Chen Xuan did not care about his Genesis Feast at all.

“Alright, meeting dismissed then.”

As Chen Yang announced the end of the meeting, the elders quickly took action, preparing for the annual hunt.

Two flowers bloomed, one on each side.

At this moment, in the main city of Nanyang County, which was Song City.

The head of the Song family looked at the noble young man in front of him and said obsequiously, “Young Lord, please forgive me for saying too much. When will the person you invited arrive?”

“Of course, I’m not suspecting the young prince. It’s just that this matter is too serious. If we make such a big fuss, it will definitely alert the Beastmaster Sect.”

“Without that person, I’m afraid my Nanyang County won’t be able to withstand it.”

The young prince glanced at Family Head Song and hid the contempt in his eyes. He smiled like a spring breeze. “Family Head Song, don’t worry.”

“I value that matter more than you. How can I not be fully prepared? Family Head Song, don’t worry.”

“Yes, yes, I’m sorry.”

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The news that the Song family had summoned all the ninth-grade aristocratic families in Nanyang County to enter the Endless Mountains to kill demon beasts had already spread.

Although the citizens of Nanyang County did not know why the Song family did this, the result was indeed to protect their safety.

For a while, Nanyang County was filled with praises for the Song family.

Meanwhile, the various families in Jiangzhou raised a question at the same time. What was hidden in the Endless Mountains that made the Song family make such a big fuss?

For a while, forces above the eighth-grade took action successively.

Even the ruler of Jiangzhou, the Beastmaster Sect, sent people to infiltrate Mo City. In an instant, Mo City became a place full of talented individuals in hiding.

However, this had nothing to do with the ninth-grade aristocratic families in Nanyang County. If they participated in such a game between major power forces, it would only end in death.

Only by playing dumb and following the instructions of the Song family would there be a chance of survival.

The time set by the Song family soon arrived. In Mo City, the ten ninth-grade aristocratic families of Nanyang County gathered.

After the Song family arrived, the group headed towards the Endless Mountains.

After these families left, mysterious figures also quietly disappeared, secretly following the pace of the alliance army of the families in Nanyang County.

Outside Mo City, after half a day of traveling, the group had already traveled about 300 miles. This place was adjacent to the Endless Mountains.

At this moment, Family Head Song gestured for everyone to stop. "Everyone, the goal of our trip is a thousand miles of the Endless Mountain Range."

"What? A thousand miles deep?"

The words of the head of the Song family caused a huge commotion in the aristocratic families. The head of the Mo family took the lead and said, "Family Head Song, there are demon beasts at the Demon Venerable level living within 1000 miles of the Endless Mountains."

"And we didn't even bring the Genesis Patriarch on this trip. Isn't it too dangerous?"

"That's right, Master Song. Isn't this too dangerous?"

Hearing the words of the family heads, Family Head Song frowned. Then, a terrifying aura burst out from his body.

The moment they were enveloped by this aura, the other Family Heads felt as if they were in an ice cave and instantly fell silent.

Seeing that everyone had quietened down, Family Head Song smiled in satisfaction. "Everyone, we are here for the safety of the people of Nanyang County.

If we don't hurt these demon beasts, how can we make them stay in the Endless Mountains obediently?"

"As for the Demon Venerable, you don't have to worry. The Ningdan Patriarch of our Song family is here too."

As if to verify Family Head Song's words, an inconspicuous old man in the Song family's camp suddenly emitted a terrifying aura that far exceeded Family Head Song's.

Sensing this terrifying aura, everyone trembled.

The Ningdan Patriarch of the Song family was indeed here too!

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"Greetings, Exalted One!"

Sensing the terrifying aura emitted by Ningdan Patriarch of the Song Family, the group hurriedly bowed.

Under normal circumstances, people would address Ningdan Patriarch respectfully as the Exalted One. After all, the Exalted Cultivator Ningdan was the general title of this realm.

Ningdan was only the simplified name.

Moreover, he could already be called a Patriarch after achieving Genesis. If he is still addressed as Patriarch after achieving Ningdan level, it would not show enough respect for a Ningdan expert.

Of course, it didn't matter if it was his own family. After all, he was really their patriarch.

"There's no need for formalities. I'm only here to ensure that you won't be attacked by demon beasts at the Demon Venerable level. The rest is up to you."

After the old esteemed one said this, Venerable Ning Dan retracted his aura.

The people from the various families also heaved a sigh of relief.

"Do you have any other objections?" Family Head Song glanced at the other family heads smugly.

"But won't entering from such a long distance delay the annual worship of the ancestors?" Another family head asked worriedly.

In the Great Qian Dynasty, the worship of ancestors at the end of the year was a big deal. If the worship was delayed because they entered the Endless Mountains, no one would be willing to pay heed even if it was the Song family.

"Everyone, don't worry about that. The purpose of our trip is not to eliminate all the demon beasts within a 1000-mile radius. Instead, we're only targeting the demon beasts within the 1000-mile to 1100-mile radius."

"As for the demon beasts within a thousand miles, they won't be too dangerous to their respective cities.

"And your mounts are all capable of traveling a thousand miles a day. If we hurry, we'll definitely be able to resolve it within twenty days. We won't delay the worship of our ancestors."

Family Head Song was right. Although the ninth-grade families in Nanyang County were not all Beast Tamer Families, they still controlled some demon beasts as mounts.

Hearing this, no one had any reason to object.

Then, under the lead of Family Head Song, a group of more than two hundred experts above the mid-stage Qi Refinement realm headed into the Endless Mountains.

On the way, Chen Yang, who was riding the Gale Wolf, quietly moved to Chen Xuan's side. "It was the right choice to let the First Elder come."

"Looks like the Song family is definitely not up to anything good."

Hearing Chen Yang's words, Chen Xuan narrowed his eyes and stared at the Song family members a few kilometers away. "Family Head, don't worry. I'll risk my life to ensure your safety."

"That won't be necessary. Just be careful when the time comes."

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After a day of traveling, everyone finally arrived at their destination before nightfall.

Immediately, under the lead of their respective family heads, temporary residences were established one after another. After arranging for the night guards, the group slept.

The next morning, the Family Heads who had rested for the night gathered around Family Head Song and waited for his orders.

"Everyone, the range of our hunt this time is 1100 miles east-west and 100 miles north-south."

"I propose that these areas be divided into eleven portions for everyone to choose. Since my Song family is the one who suggested it, you can all choose first. My Song family will choose the last one."

"In addition, our Ningdan Patriarch will also constantly patrol the hunting area to ensure that the Demon Venerable won't disturb our hunting trip."

"Everyone, don't worry for now. At this distance, there's only a possibility of demon beasts at the Demon Venerable level appearing."

Hearing this, the family heads became even more puzzled.

Judging from the current situation, Family Head Song was indeed wholeheartedly organizing the hunt. He even sent out his Patriarch to ensure their safety.

But the more this was the case, the more panicked they became. How could the head of an eighth-grade aristocratic family be so benevolent?

“Everyone, choose your area of responsibility.”

Family Head Song ignored the doubts in everyone’s hearts and opened a map, waiting for Chen Yang and the others to choose.

When the others saw this, they could only brace themselves and choose their hunting area. The Chen family’s hunting area was the westernmost area, adjacent to the 10,000-foot-tall mountain.

And just as Family Head Song had said, the Song family really chose the last piece of the chassis without any objections.

Seeing that Family Head Song was so carefree, everyone could only comfort themselves that Family Head Song might really be planning to clean up the demon beasts.

After collecting the area they were responsible for, everyone took a spare map from Family Head Song and left.

After Chen Yan and the other Family Heads had left, Family Head Song hurriedly bowed to a person dressed as a general. “Young prince, you can begin.”

“Okay.” Excitement flashed in the eyes of the gener... no, the young prince.

After returning from the Song family, Chen Yang did not delay. He immediately led the Chen family to the west.

After half a day of trekking, the Chen family arrived at their destination.

After arriving at their destination, the Chen family was not in a hurry to hunt. Instead, they first built a simple residence and placed some high-level demon beast feces outside the residence before starting to hunt.

In the blink of an eye, the various families of Nanyang County had been hunting in the Endless Mountains for ten days.

In these ten days, the hunting area 1000 miles away from the Endless Mountains was turned upside down by Chen Yang and the other families.

One level-one demon beast after another was killed by everyone. Even if they encountered demon beasts at the demon general level, they could successfully trap and kill them with the exquisite cooperation of everyone.

The Song family even sent a team led by the Genesis Patriarch to support the various families.

This moved the family heads. It seemed that this family head was really doing this for everyone's good.

However, what everyone could not figure out was that hunts usually had to be quiet to avoid attracting the attention of high-level demon beasts.

However, the members of the Song family did not care about this. All kinds of loud martial arts were used, turning the silent forest into a bustling city.

In a cave in the hunting area, a python demon beast that emitted a terrifying aura and had scarlet eyes spat out its tongue.

Hearing the commotion outside, the python demon beast instinctively wanted to fight, but after glancing behind it, it temporarily held back.

However, as time passed, the bloodthirsty instinct in the python demon beast's bloodline could no longer be concealed. After hesitating for a moment, it rushed out.

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BANG!

After Chen Yang killed a mid-stage First Realm demon beast with a punch, he couldn't help but shake his head. "Our family's martial arts are really bad."

"As one with eighth level of Qi Refinement, I still need to spend a lot of effort just to deal with a mid-stage First Realm demon beast."

"Family Head, our Beast Tamer family is all about beasts, so we naturally don't have any demands on martial arts."

"Besides, our Chen family isn't strong, so we don't have a chance to find good martial arts," Chen Xuan explained.

Chen Yang sighed. “I understand what the First Elder means, but can the Beast Tamer Families not pay attention to their own strength?”

“If nothing else, when you’re controlling your beast to fight for you, you need to keep yourself safe from ambushes.”

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“Family Head, you’re right. Perhaps our family should focus more on the development of martial arts.”

Otherwise, it would be too unreasonable for a ninth-grade family to not have the strength to match even that of an unranked martial artist.” Chen Xuan nodded.

“Go back ...”

Just as Chen Yang was about to say something, the ground suddenly trembled.

Sensing the aura seeping from the north, Chen Yang narrowed his eyes. “Demon General!”

“Everyone, pay attention. A demon general-level demon beast is approaching us. Control your natal beast. We’re going to surround and kill this demon general this time!”

The First Elder hurriedly called out to the Chen family. The Gale Wolves bared their sharp fangs and waited for the enemy to arrive.

Not long after, the demon general-level demon beast revealed its true appearance.

This demon beast was completely khaki-colored, and the one-meter-long horn on its forehead flickered with a cold light. Eight meters long and five meters tall, it made the Gale Wolf look like a doll in front of it.

“It’s actually the Rock Horn Rhinoceros.”

After seeing the species of this demon beast, Chen Xuan heaved a sigh of relief. Although this Rock Horn Rhinoceros was at the demon general level, its attack power was not too high.

The only thing that needed attention was the rhinoceros horn on its head.

“Family Head, everyone, this is a Rock Horn Rhinoceros. Its defense is extremely high, but its attack power is not strong. Be careful not to be hit by the horns on its head. We can slowly grind it to death!”

Hearing the First Elder’s words, everyone heaved a sigh of relief. They immediately urged the Gale Wolves to harass the Rock Horn Rhinoceros.

“Family Head, don’t worry. This Rock Horn Rhinoceros is here to give us spirit stones.” Chen Xuan was clearly a little excited. He looked at the rhinoceros in front of him and was eager to give it a try.

If not for the fact that he had to protect Chen Yang, Chen Xuan would probably have rolled up his sleeves and attacked personally.

“I understand.” Chen Yang was also a little excited. The Rock Horn Rhino’s hide was a rare refining material. This hide could probably be sold for a hundred spirit stones.

As for the Rock Horn Rhino’s horn, it’s hardness was incomparable. If it was sold, people would probably be willing to buy it for 200 spirit stones.

“Moo!”

After nearly two hours of siege, the Rock Horn Rhino could not take it anymore and fell to the ground.

Its entire body was covered in the teeth marks and claw marks of the Gale Wolves.

Seeing the Rock Horn Rhino in this state, Chen Xuan immediately felt his heart ache. “What a pity. This beast skin has been damaged to such an extent. Its value will probably be greatly reduced.”

“Fortunately, nothing happened to the Rhino Horn. Otherwise, this operation would have been a huge loss.”

Immediately, Chen Xuan called for the Chen family to cut up the Rock Horn Rhinoceros. As a family of Beast Tamers, the Chen family was best at cutting up demon beast corpses.

In just a moment, the rhinoceros horn and beast skin were placed in front of Chen Yang. As for the meat of the Rock Horned Rhinoceros, there was no way to take it away, so he let the Gale Wolves eat their fill.

“Family Head, keep it first. After all, only you have a Cosmic Bag here,” Chen Xuan said.

Chen Yang nodded and immediately waved his right hand, putting the animal skin and rhinoceros horn into his Cosmic Bag.

This Cosmic Bag was a good thing. It had a space inside and could store items. It was considered to be the same as the Beast Taming Bag.

However, it was not as valuable as the Beast Taming Bag. After all, the Cosmic Bag could only store dead things, while the Beast Taming Bag could store living things.

The Chen family had a total of two Cosmic Pouches. One of them was taken away by the Genesis Patriarch, and the other fell into the hands of the family head.

After putting away the spoils of war, Chen Yang said to everyone, “Everyone has worked hard in this battle. Let’s rest for a while before hunting.”

“Yes!”

Immediately, the group of people sat on the ground and tried their best to recover their spiritual energy.

As for Chen Yang, he was still thinking about the motives of the Song family.

At this moment, a person suddenly ran over from the east. Judging from his attire, he seemed to be from the Mo family of the Nine Great Clans.

“What happened?” Chen Yang stopped him.

“There’s... there’s a Demon Venerable demon beast. I advise you to run quickly. Several families have already been killed by this demon beast.”

After saying that, the man quickly broke free from Chen Yang and ran west.

“There’s actually a Demon Venerable-level demon beast. No, no matter if the information is true or not, we have to run quickly.” Chen Yang did not care if the information was true or not and hurriedly called out to everyone.

Before Chen Yang could say anything, the ground suddenly trembled. A terrifying aura came from the east and seeped into everyone’s hearts.

“Run!”

At this moment, Chen Yang could not explain anything. He immediately led the Chen family to the west. When the other clansmen saw this, they hurriedly followed Chen Yang.

Not long after the Chen family left, a blue python with star-shaped beast eyes crawled to this place.

It swallowed the person in its mouth and flicked its tongue.

After sensing the aura of Chen Yang and the others, the python’s eyes flickered with a bloodthirsty light as it quickly rushed in the direction of the Chen family.

“Do you see what that is, Family Head?”

Chen Yang, who was fleeing on the Gale Wolf, hurriedly looked back when he heard this and saw the most terrifying scene so far.

A giant snake that was dozens of meters long was rushing towards them.

“Run quickly!”

Immediately, the Chen family no longer dared to hide. They frantically activated the Ten Thousand Beast Technique to increase the speed of the Gale Wolf.

“No! Family Head save me!”

Unfortunately, no matter how fast he was, he was not faster than the python.

The python crawled a little and rushed behind the Chen family. Then, it stuck its tongue and swept the last member of the Chen family into its mouth, becoming the python's dinner.

Although Chen Yang's heart ached, he also understood that he could not stop at this moment. He could only lead his clansmen forward.

"Family Head, there's no way out!"

The Chen family members who were running wildly looked at the 10,000-foot-tall mountain in front of them and their hearts sank.

Damn it, how did we get to the peak so quickly? I remembered that it was still a long way away!

Chen Yang looked at the mountain peak not far from him with a resigned expression.

Forget it. It was time.

"Family Head, run quickly. I'll cover you!" At the brink of death, Chen Xuan went all out and released the aura of a Genesis Realm expert, planning to stall for time for Chen Yang.

"First Elder, it's useless. It's not like you don't know how powerful a Demon Venerable is. Forget it." Knowing that he would die, Chen Yang did not intend to struggle anymore.

The demon beast seemed to want to play with the Chen family as well. It was not in a hurry to eat them. Instead, it spat out a mouthful of blood.

This fishy wind quickly arrived beside Chen Yang, then swept up the Chen family and went up towards the mountain peak.

A trace of excitement flashed in the python's eyes, but it disappeared in an instant, replaced by deep confusion.

Because in its vision, the Chen family, who should have been smashed into meat paste, suddenly disappeared without a trace.

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“What is this place?”

Chen Yang opened his eyes. It was pitch black in front of him, and only a few Night-Luminescent Pearls were embedded in the stone wall, providing faint light.

With the faint light of the Night-Luminescent Pearl, Chen Yang could tell that this place seems to be a cave.

I was clearly blown to the peak by the python. Why am I here?

“Everyone, wake up.” Chen Yang, who felt that this place was not simple, quickly woke everyone up.

These people were also shocked by the scene in front of them. They could not understand why they were here.

However, Chen Xuan had a guess. “Family Head, we seem to have entered a maze.”

“A maze?” Chen Yang looked around. “Does First Elder mean that this place is fake?”

“But I feel that all of this is true.” As he spoke, Chen Yang even patted the stone wall embedded with the Night-Luminescent Pearls.

“Family Head, there’s something you don’t know. A maze that disrupts people’s vision and gives them hallucinations is just a simple maze. A truly powerful maze has the ability to change the realities.”

“I once heard from the Patriarch that according to the ancient books of the Beastmaster Sect, there is a kind of maze that looks no different from the outside world. The people inside the maze can even communicate with the people outside.

But in fact, this maze is something else.”

“Martial artists need to enter the maze at a specific location and follow a specific pace. In this maze, space is compressed together.”

“In a nutshell, one step inside a maze like this could mean miles outside.”

“If I’m not wrong, we entered the interior of this giant peak through that kind of maze,” said the First Elder.

Hearing the First Elder’s words, Chen Yang nodded. “What the First Elder means is that we can enter the mountain through the maze.”

“That’s true. Even if it’s a demon beast at the Demon Venerable level, it’s not something we can catch up to.”

“I was still a little curious about why that demon beast has not caught up to us. It turns out that we unknowingly entered the maze.”

“Family Head is right. It’s also because of this maze that we survived.” The First Elder sighed.

“Who on earth set up such a powerful maze in the Endless Mountains?”

Chen Yang was confused. A maze of this level could not be set up casually.

Could it be that there was some treasure here that required the expert to spend so much effort to cover up?

“Forget it. Let’s go in and find out.”

Immediately, Chen Yang led the Chen family into the cave with the help of the Night-Luminescent Pearls.

There was no sun or moon in the cave, so there was naturally no concept of time.

After walking along the dark cave for an unknown period of time, Chen Yang and the others finally found a ray of light.

“Be careful, everyone. There might be something hidden here.”

After reminding everyone, Chen Yang and Chen Xuan looked at each other and walked towards the light at the same time.

Only after the two of them left the cave did they find out the source of the light.

This was a huge hemispherical space with a radius of about ten miles.

Above the dome, a moth about a thousand meters tall floated. Although its wings did not move, they kept emitting a blazing fire.

On the ground were courtyards. These courtyards looked messy, but from above, they looked like some kind of array formation.

“What’s that?”

Chen Yang immediately saw the huge moth on the dome. A thousand-meter beast. Not to mention Maple City, even the Great Qian Dynasty had never heard of it.

“I don’t know either.” Chen Xuan’s jaw dropped. This huge beast not only exceeded Chen Yang’s imagination, but also his understanding.

“So what should we do now?”

Stuck at the exit of the cave, Chen Yang did not know whether to advance or retreat.

“Why don’t we leave?” Chen Xuan glanced at the moth and swallowed, thinking of retreating.

“Alright, let’s leave then.” Chen Yang did not want to lose his life because of the treasure. Although the treasure was good, he had to be alive to enjoy it.

Immediately, Chen Yang waved his hand and quietly retreated into the cave.

“Cultivator, since you’re here, why are you leaving?” At this moment, a light voice suddenly sounded.

“Who is it?” In an instant, Chen Yang and the others shivered and looked at the underground cave with fear.

“Me.”

Chen Yang looked up and saw the light blue eyes of the giant moth on the dome.

“Demon beasts can... can speak?”

“Nonsense. When a demon beast grows to a certain level, it will naturally speak. You haven’t answered my question. Since you’re here, why are you leaving?” The giant moth blinked, and its beast eyes revealed a playful look.

Hearing the giant moth’s words, Chen Yang’s forehead was instantly covered in cold sweat. Oh no, this demon beast was probably an old demon. How could he escape now?

With the giant moth forcing him, Chen Yang could only brace himself and say, “We didn’t mean to barge into Senior’s resting place. Senior, please forgive us.”

“I didn’t say I blamed you guys. Again, why leave when you’re already here?”

“It’s... it’s because we’re too weak to bear the legacy of this place.” Chen Yang was worried about how to answer when he suddenly glanced at the courtyard below and immediately had an idea.

“You know yourself. Unfortunately, since you’re here, there are only two answers. One is to become the heir to this place. The other is to die!”

This light voice entered the ears of Chen Yang and the others like the sound of hell. No one doubted the words of the giant moth. Such a huge beast could kill them as easily as crushing an ant.

“Alright, Senior. I’m willing to accept the test and become the successor.” The moment the giant moth finished speaking, Chen Yang quickly agreed.

It was so fast that the giant moth was stunned for a moment. After a while, a light voice sounded again.

“Good. From today onwards, you are the new successor of the Yang Sect.”

Chen Yang: ???

‘That easy, that sloppy?’

As if seeing Chen Yang’s confusion, the giant moth slowly said, “I’ve been here for too long. I just want to get out now, no matter the price.”

“Then why can’t I use the loophole in the oath to seek benefits for myself?”

“Anyway, I’m the one who decides if you’re qualified. If I say you’re qualified, you’re qualified. It doesn’t matter who comes.”

The giant moth seemed to recall some bad memory, and its entire body trembled with anger.

As a result, the entire dome seemed to be on the verge of collapse. Fortunately, a blue light screen protected the dome from collapsing.

“Senior, now that I’ve become the successor, can you leave?” Chen Yang couldn’t wait for this fellow to leave.

“Not yet. I still need you to receive all the legacies of this Yang Sect before I can leave.” The giant moth shook its head.