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Chapter 91: Ultimate Trump Card; Final Boss!

[Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, Supreme Peak!]

The palaces and pavilions were shrouded in mysterious fog, appearing as if they had come from an ancient piece of Heaven. Halfway up the mountain were many Immortal Caves filled with a brilliant, hazy glow, Immortal mist, and clouds that floated around like smoke. The surroundings looked extremely gorgeous and colorful.

This was the mountain where Gu Changge resided.

This was one of the richest places in Spiritual Qi in the entire Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, and the conditions for cultivation here were much better than the other peaks. Only the Elders and those unfathomable beings in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace could have a better residence and Immortal Cave.

The Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace was extremely vast, and held tens of thousands of islands and mountains dedicated to their disciples; this didn't even include the extremely mysterious region hidden in the depths of the Palace.

There were countless ancient mountains and stone platforms scattered throughout the Palace's territory, and disciples would come across different opportunities in such places every now and then. The opportunities would help boost their cultivation bases and strength.

[ROAR!!!]

A carriage pulled by nine dragons appeared above the peak!

Nowadays, many young geniuses visited the Supreme Peak almost every day. There were males and females — some Primordial Creatures, even — with powerful bloodlines and amazing combat prowess.

"Master!"

"Welcome back, Master!"

As soon as they saw the carriage pulled by the nine dragons, the young geniuses walked out together with awe and reverence in their eyes, and respectfully greeted Gu Changge.

They were the followers the previous Gu Changge had subdued, and they could also be considered as somewhat famous geniuses in the outside world. The strongest among them had already broken through to the middle stage of the Conferred Lord Realm, and they were also Young Masters and Mistresses of various Ancient Families.

Gu Changge walked out of the carriage with a flat expression, and said to them, "Get up; did something happen while I was not here?"

After he left the area at the foot of the gate, he could no longer be bothered about Gu Xian'er, and directly returned to his cultivation peak.

As far as Gu Changge was concerned, Gu Xian'er couldn't make any waves in front of him as she was right now. She was too weak and didn't have the ability to take revenge on him no matter how much she desired to!

Right now, his main concern were the other True Disciples.

The Supreme Peak was given its name by the current Master of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace. The other peaks belonging to the other True Disciples were the same, and all of them had different meanings.

"Reporting to Master, nothing major happened on the Supreme Peak in the last half a year, except for a few True Disciples and Elders sending people to inquire about your whereabouts."

One of them respectfully replied.

"What about the rest of the Sect?"

Gu Changge nodded and asked again.

"I don't know what opportunity he received, but True Disciple Chu's cultivation broke through to the peak of the Conferred Lord Realm after he returned from the Tomb of Clouds. He's currently the strongest among the other True Disciples."

"Secondly, True Disciple Yin asked me to report to the Master that she had some important matters to discuss with you. She asked me to let her know when you return, so she could visit you again."

The man replied after hearing his question.

The True Disciple Chu he talked about was called Chu Wuji, the Crown Prince of an Immortal Dynasty. He was extremely talented, and had shown extremely terrifying strength since he was young.

As for True Disciple Yin? She was called Yin Mei, and was the Holy Maiden of the Nine-Tailed Celestial Fox Family. The Nine-Tailed Celestial Fox Family was also an extremely ancient Immortal Family of the Upper Realm, and they held great might.

A glint flashed through Gu Changge's eyes as he heard his words, and he responded to the disciple with a nod, "I see."

After that, he went straight back to the palace where he normally cultivated.

"Master's strength is even more unfathomable now!"

"I just got news that Master slapped Jin Yu's False God Realm servant to death outside the Palace's gate. It seems that Master has already broken through to the Conferred King Realm!"

"I haven't heard of any other young genius breaking through to the Conferred King Realm!"

Gu Changge's followers discussed with reverence after Gu Changge left, and felt even more awe for him in their hearts. Before, they still held some different thoughts after Gu Changge subdued them, but now, they were thoroughly convinced.

The fact that the rest of the True Disciples had to unite just to contend with Gu Changge was proof that he was the one above all.

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The situation in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace wasn't much different from his expectations.

All five main True Disciples had different behemoths of the Upper Realm standing behind them. Among them, the strongest were his Ancient Immortal Gu Family, and the Great Chu Immortal Dynasty, where Chu Wuji came from.

The forces behind the other three weren't worse than their backgrounds either. It was precisely because of this that the Elders of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace couldn't intervene in their fight for the position of heir. After all, they would offend one force if they tried to please another.

None of them were dumb enough to do a thankless job like that.

'It won't be long before the position of heir will be decided. But even if I become the heir, it won't be possible for me to completely grasp the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace in my hands. After all, there are still many Elders who are against me, especially the people who have tied themselves to the Great Elder's chariot. He's not known as the most terrifying existence in the Upper Realm for nothing...'

Gu Changge couldn't help but frown.

According to the plan he and his father made, the first step to their dominance of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace was for him to win the position of heir. But even after he won that position, there would be a long way to go before they reached their ultimate goal.

Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace had changed its Master countless times, and it wasn't rare for people from other forces to stand at its top. The only one who never changed, though, was the Great Elder!

No matter what kind of waves rose in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, he could easily suppress them.

'The Master is like flowing water, everchanging, while the Great Elder is like a stagnant pond, perpetually still.'

The Great Elder was the foundation of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, and he was one of the reasons the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace could stand uncontended throughout the epochs. The other Elders weren't a bunch of wastes either.

Many Heavenly Geniuses joined the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace in hopes of getting great opportunities and cultivation resources. They believed that they could learn unparalleled Mystical Abilities here, as well as those Celestial Scriptures hidden in their arsenal.

At the same time, if they could get the support of the Elders from the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, they could fight for even higher status when they returned back to their respective Heritages.

Gu Changge, on the other hand, intended from the beginning to swallow the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace in its entirety. If that alone wasn't enough, then the fact that he had a Devil Heart seemed to have also been noticed by some.

He remembered well from the memories of his Original how many Elders of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace always treated him with wariness. Compared to the other True Disciples, Gu Changge's motives were simply too impure.

It was true that the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace had multiple mighty inheritances, and that they had also cultivated countless behemoths who went on to become extremely famous in the Upper Realm, but Gu Changge wasn't in shortage of powerful inheritances. Not only did he have the Devil Arts, but he also had a System that could help his cultivation soar to unimaginable heights.

Of course, it would be a different story if he came across some powerful Mystical Ability's inheritance. Although he could exchange for pretty much anything in the System's Shop, the stuff in there cost hard-earned Destiny Points.

Why would Gu Changge bother wasting his wealth if there was a ready-made god-tier inheritance right in his face?

After returning to his palace, Gu Changge forbade anyone from entering. At the same time, he called out his Attributes Panel.

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Host: Gu Changge

Halo: Destined Heavenly Villain

Weapon(s): Eight Desolate Demon Halberd

Identity: True Disciple of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace | Young Master of the Ancient Immortal Gu

Family

Innate Bloodline(s): Devil Heart | Dao Bone

Cultivation: Conferred King (Initial Stage)

Mystical Abilities:

Destiny Points: 4000

Fortune Value: 2100 (Dark)

System Shop: Open

Warehouse:

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His Fortune Value had automatically increased by a hundred points, while another five hundred points had come from his fiancee, Yue Mingkong.

Gu Changge pondered for a while, and then exchanged one thousand points of his Fortune Value for Destiny Points. Immediately, his Destiny Points soared to 14000.

He directly used 8000 Destiny Points to break through to the middle stage of the Conferred King Realm. Immediately, a strange-yet-refreshing aura washed through his limbs, and then gathered in his Sea of Consciousness.

[Buzz!]

His comprehension of the [Heavenly Immortal Dao Codex] also jumped to 60% at once. Many memories surged through his mind in the form of golden characters, but soon, everything fell silent.

He was finally in the middle stage of the Conferred King Realm!

'The middle stage of the Conferred King Realm should be enough to pull wool over everyone's eyes in the outside world.'

Gu Changge thought to himself.

He had known for a long time that he had two different cultivation systems. One came from the [Heavenly Immortal Dao Codex], and he could raise this cultivation through putting in Destiny Points, or just cultivating like normal people.

This was the strength that he showed to the world.

The second cultivation came from the [Immortal Devouring Demonic Art]. It was an evil method that could devour the very origin of mortals and immortals, and everything in-between that existed in Heaven and Earth.

This was a heaven-shaking ability that couldn't be exposed at all costs. Once this is exposed, even the Ancient Immortal Gu Family won't be able to save him.

As for why it was heaven-defying?

Actually, Gu Changge wasn't very clear about this matter. He only knew that his strongest ace was the [Immortal Devouring Demonic Art]! n0velusb.c0m

It was something he couldn't expose unless he had run out of every other method!

As for why Gu Changge wasn't clear about it? It was because the Original had sealed all memories regarding his greatest trump card. After all, if you wanted to trick others, you had to trick yourself first.

After that, Gu Changge waved his hand, and a bunch of gray Formation Flags flew out of his sleeve. Countless brilliant runes intertwined together and sealed his palace's surroundings. It was a Concealment Formation he refined after paying a great price, and it's Concealment effect was unparalleled.

[Buzz!]

A chaotic fog spread around and soon enveloped the entire palace. With that, no one would be able to spy on him. As long as someone's Spiritual Sense came in his palace's direction, he would know immediately.

Gu Changge sat in a lotus position, and the aura around him started to change at once. Strange pitch-black runes started to appear on his body, and they swam through his limbs like mysterious beings. It was as if chaos was coming into existence, and the Universe was about to be born.

In the depths of his Sea of Consciousness, there seemed to be a seal set by a Heavenly Immortal God on top of his Primordial Spirit. But right then, the seal's lines turned pitch-black.

[Crack!]

With a final tug, the seal cracked. The seal on his memories was finally broken!

Gu Changge's aura turned dark and sinister, and his Devil Intent overwhelmed his surroundings. It was as if he was a Devil God who had descended upon the world to bring forth its ruin. Fortunately, he had blocked all prying eyes using his Concealment Formation.

One by one, dark Dao runes appeared in his hands and turned into a pitch-black [Great Dao Treasured Bottle] that floated above his heads, giving off innumerable rays of divine light.

A terrifying and majestic power of suppression spread from his body, and his Primordial Spirit transformed as pitch-black brilliance filled his flesh!

Middle Stage of the Conferred King Realm!

Late Stage!

Pinnacle!

Initial Stage of the False God Realm!

Middle Stage!

Late Stage!

Pinnacle!

True God Realm!

Initial Stage!

Middle Stage!

Pinnacle!

Half-Step Heavenly God Realm! [-o- HOLY F!CK!]

Right then, the [Eight Desolate Demon Halberd] felt Gu Changge's aura and trembled in excitement and joy.

Gu Changge finally absorbed the sealed memories, and a strange expression appeared on his face.

'So this is my greatest trump card? The cultivation of Half-Step Heavenly God Realm? Sure enough, once this matter gets exposed, just my shocking cultivation speed would be enough to bring the entire world after my life! Anything else wouldn't even need to be exposed.'

'Still, using sentient beings as nourishment that can be swallowed to increase my own strength...this method sure seems more addictive than using Destiny Points.'

'It's not an exaggeration to say that the entire world will turn into my enemy.'

Gu Changge closed his eyes.

No wonder this part of his memories was sealed. The heaven-defying methods of the [Immortal Devouring Demonic Art] were enough for him to break the balance of the world, and become enemies with everyone under Heaven!

Right now, all of his peers were either in the Conferred Lord Realm, or just reaching Conferred King Realm, but his true cultivation was already at the Heavenly God Realm!

What kind of concept was this? He couldn't even imagine the storm that this news would set off if it were to get out. The entire world might go insane and try to do something unimaginable!

'Wasn't I just a cannon-fodder villain? Why do I feel like I am the final boss?'

Soon, Gu Changge suppressed his aura of the [Immortal Devouring Demonic Art's] cultivation. As for the memories? After pondering for a while, he decided to not seal them. This was a matter of great importance, after all. Although he had to be cautious about it, he didn't think he needed to even keep himself in the dark.

[Immortal Devouring Demonic Art] had a long history, and the world already saw its horror and heaven-defying methods once. For the outside world, the [Immortal Devouring Demonic Art] had already disappeared from existence.

Now, even if he sealed the memories regarding his true cultivation base, it wouldn't bring him any benefit. After all, he was still using the [Immortal Devouring Demonic Art]'s other techniques, so what use would sealing only some information have?

In fact, there was no need to do something like that.

After all, on the surface, he was the True Disciple of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, the Young Master of the Ancient Immortal Gu Family, with a cultivation in the Middle Stage of the Conferred King Realm!

Soon, Gu Changge's aura completely disappeared, and the surroundings returned to their former calm. One could no longer see anything abnormal about him. Unless he took the initiative to expose himself, no one would be able to discover his true cultivation base, so he wasn't worried about anything.

Chapter 92: So-called Cultivation Resources; Too Devilish to be the Heir!

The entire Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace was in an uproar due to what happened on the day of Gu Changge's return. Many disciples busied themselves in the discussion about the matter in the various Immortal peaks, and even many of the Elders felt that they should intervene before matters turned for the worse.

Many speculated that Jin Zhou wouldn't give up, and would certainly avenge his little brother. After all, there was already a grudge between him and Gu Changge.

What surprised everyone, though, was the fact that Jin Zhou went into closed-door training, and no news came from his side over this matter.

As a True Disciple of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, every move made by Jin Zhou would attract the attention of countless people. The fact that he chose to avoid conflict by retreating into seclusion shocked many!

As a Young Supreme, Jin Zhou had already lost badly at Gu Changge's hands when he suppressed his cultivation down to Gu Changge's level, so people guessed that he no longer had the guts to fight against Gu Changge now that his cultivation had overtaken Jin Zhou's.

This matter caused even more waves in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace!

All of them were Young Supremes, and they had reached their current heights after working hard. They were arrogant youths who wouldn't back down easily, so Jin Zhou's actions puzzled everyone. Even his flocks of followers felt uneasy in their hearts. Although they held confidence in Jin Zhou, Jin Zhou's act of refusing to take on such a challenge made certain thoughts rise in their hearts.

Why did he go into closed-door training right now? Was he really afraid of Gu Changge?

If this matter hadn't caused a deep enough earthquake, then the appearance of the Great Elder, who hadn't appeared for a long time, did. Not only did he appear without warning, but he also had a girl dressed in blue next to him.

Many disciples immediately recognized the identity of the girl in blue — she was the girl because of whom Gu Changge almost slapped Jin Yu to death outside the gate of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace. There were rumors that she was a member of the Ancient Immortal Gu Family; more than that, there were rumors that she was Gu Changge's little sister!

It's just that the two seemed to have some sort of grudge between them.

The sudden appearance of the Great Elder drew the attention of many disciples of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, and many even speculated that the Great Elder intended to accept the girl in blue as his disciple.

One had to know that the Great Elder of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace was a figure who stood at the peak of the Upper Realm, and he had an unfathomable cultivation base. The disciples he once accepted were now absolute hegemons over massive territory of the Upper Realm. Just a stomp of their foot could send waves throughout the Upper Realm!

If the Great Elder truly intended to accept the girl in blue as his disciples, then there would be another True Disciple in the ranks of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace. In terms of seniority, even many ancient behemoths wouldn't be able to compare to her.

Another massive wave went through the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace after this matter came out. Before long, the girl in blue's identity was discovered by some cultivators: 'Gu Xian'er, 17 years old, extremely talented, and already at the Saint Realm.'

As for her origins, few could tell.

However, some people heard the Great Elder praise Gu Xian'er as the reincarnation of a supreme Immortal, Darling of the Dao, and the genius with an unparalleled foundation matched by none.

Once these words came out, another wave went through the world.[1] One had to know that back when Gu Changge joined the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, the Great Elder had hardly said a few words of compliment.

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Could this be that the girl in blue had a talent even greater than Gu Changge's?

The other person who attracted everyone's attention was Chu Wuji. Many saw him bring a bunch of his followers to visit the Great Elder's place of seclusion.

[In the Heavenly Dao Ancient City outside the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.]

Gu Changge tasted the wine in his cup with a smile, and a look of intrigue on his face. Right now, he was sitting inside a magnificent hall.

In front of him stood a stunning woman with incomparable charm radiating from her every movement. Right now, she stood before him with a fearful and awe-inspiring expression.

The woman's eyes appeared watery, as if they could swallow a person with a single gaze. Behind her, a bunch of snow-white foxtails moved up and down, appearing lustrous and snow-white.

If some mighty figures saw her, they would exclaim in shock at the realization that she was a powerful descendant of the Nine-Tailed Celestial Fox Family!

Moreover, judging from the number of foxtails behind the woman, it was clear that she didn't hold a low status in the Nine-Tailed Celestial Fox Family — her identity had to be extremely noble in the Nine-Tailed Celestial Fox Family!

Of course, if the disciples of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace saw her here, they would be even more shocked. After all, the woman was none other than Yin Mei, one of the strongest among the True Disciples of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.

She was the Holy Maiden of the Nine-Tailed Celestial Fox Family, an extremely mysterious and supreme existence among her peers.

"Master..."

Right then, Yin Mei called out to Gu Changge. Her gorgeous, snow-white face could be seen painted in fear and shame. One of her fluffy fox tail was in Gu Changge's hands, and his caressing made her almost unable to stand on her feet.

"This is the cure for your Heart's Demon."

Gu Changge threw a weird-looking pill towards her while playing with the fluffy tail in his hand. As soon as Yin Mei got her hands on the pill, she swallowed it without hesitation, and then heaved a sigh of relief.

"Thank you, Master."

Gu Changge nodded, and the expression on his face was such that she couldn't guess just what went through his mind.

Right now, he was looking through his Original's memories.

Yin Mei was the most mysterious of the five main True Disciples of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, so much so that few could see her on normal days.

A few years back, she ran into Gu Changge in an underground cave during an expedition inside a Secret Realm of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace. Coincidentally, she encountered Gu Changge right when he was using his [Immortal Devouring Demonic Art] to devour the origin of a bunch of cultivators.

She was shocked by the incomprehensible encounter!

She never thought that Gu Changge, the brightest True Disciple of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, would turn out to be an inheritor of such Devil Arts!

At that time, the two ended up fighting. Yin Mei wasn't weak, and she had quite a few life-saving powers and means. Unless he used the [Immortal Devouring Demonic Art], Gu Changge wouldn't have been able to defeat or kill her.

For that reason, Gu Changge used his ultimate trump card, and brought out his true cultivation base to send Yin Mei down the road of despair.

She wasn't willing to die, so she surrendered before Gu Changge. Obviously, Gu Changge didn't trust her, so he used a Heart's Demon together with a Demonic [Great Dao Treasured Bottle] to bind her.

The Heart's Demon would attack her once every six months, so she would need an antidote from him to suppress it, or it would gnaw at her heart and devour it until it killed her.

As for the [Great Dao Treasured Bottle]? It was naturally an extra layer of protection for him.

Gu Changge didn't have any more Heart's Demons. They needed a lot of materials to refine, and the process to create them was also complicated beyond reason.

After thinking about it for a while, Gu Changge decided to let Lin Qiuhan refine some for him. Of course, he would need to be the one to do the most important part of the process as it involved the use of his Devil Arts.

"How is the collection going?"

Gu Changge's mind finally came out of its trip down memory lane, and he asked with a mutter after letting go of the tail in his hand. The feeling of playing with the tail reminded him of the feeling of playing with a cat in his previous life.

Of course, he was the only one who dared to treat someone from the Nine-Tailed Celestial Fox Family's tail as a cat he could play with. If someone else touched their tail, they would definitely have their hands chopped off!

"Report to Master, I have collected a lot of geniuses with special physiques over the last half a year. I have already confirmed that there's nothing to worry about their identity or background. Right now, all of them are imprisoned in the dungeon."

"In addition, I have also excavated and stolen the ancient corpses of powerhouses belonging to various Races. Their essence is still preserved, so they can also help Master!"

Yin Mei replied after hearing his words, and didn't dare speak more than necessary. She understood Gu Changge's terror more than others, so she feared him even more than others.

Moreover, she also understood well that the only reason Gu Changge kept her around was the large business industry of her Nine-Tailed Celestial Immortal Family that was spread throughout the Upper Realm.

Not only could she help him get all sorts of news and information, but she could also help him gather cultivation resources.

That's right, they were merely cultivation resources!

All those geniuses with various physiques were nothing more than nourishment for Gu Changge that he absorbed using his [Immortal Devouring Demonic Art].

There were innumerable creatures in the Upper Realm, so there was no lack of geniuses with special physiques and talents!

Yin Mei contributed greatly to Gu Changge's current cultivation base of Half-Step Heavenly God Realm; she could be regarded as his closest confidant.

Still, she didn't truly belong to him as she had merely surrendered out of fear to keep her own life.

"Good job."

Gu Changge praised her. Afterwards, he went down to the dungeon that was right below the hall they were sitting in.

With all the resources he gathered for him over the past half a year, it won't take him long to break through to the Heavenly God Realm!

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[In the depths of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.]

A lonely mountain that was thousands of feet tall floated in the Void. Immortal flowers and divine beasts were scattered all over the mountain, giving it a peaceful and aloof appearance.

An old man with an amiable face and Immortal-like visage seemed to be fishing for something as he saw at the peak of the mountain. The old man's eyes showed a deep expression, as if they reflected the eternal Heaven itself.

This old man was the Great Elder of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, an ancient behemoth who had lived through countless eras!

Beside him stood a girl dressed in blue who watched him with a confused and curious expression. She could see clouds fly under them, and wondered what the Great Elder was trying to catch with his fishing line.

"Great Elder, what are you trying to catch?"

Gu Xian'er finally couldn't hold herself back and asked.

She had finally joined the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, and the Great Elder indeed intended to take her as his disciple. It's just that she still needed to do something first. noveluS&.com

"Obviously, I am fishing for a person."

The Great responded cheerfully.

Gu Xian'er couldn't help but curl her lips at his response. She was already used to such riddle-like words from him.

"Since you came here, you must want to defeat your brother and get back what he took away from you, right?"

The Great Elder suddenly asked. The look in his eyes turned even deeper, and it was as if he could see through anything and everything.

"I already have a new bone, so I don't need to take anything back."

Gu Xian'er turned silent for a moment after hearing his words, and then said, "But I will certainly avenge myself, and get justice for all the pain he put me and everyone through."

"Good, you sure are ambitious even though you are so young! You deserve to be the disciple fancied by that old monster."

The Great Elder's smile showed no change, and he continued, "Gu Changge is too devilish; I felt his demonic nature on the day I met him for the first time! I am sure he wanted to use your Dao Bone to hide his own demonic nature. After all, even the Ancient Immortal Gu Family wouldn't want a devil in their midst."

"No matter what happens, we can't make him the heir of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace."

"Xian'er, I can accept you as my disciple, but you must first prove that you can surpass Gu Changge."

Gu Xian'er's fists tightened as she heard his words, and she asked, "Great Elder, how can I prove myself?"

"The Heavenly Dao Road! You simply need to break Gu Changge's record. Can you do it?"

The Great Elder asked with a smile.

Gu Xian'er was taken aback for a moment. She naturally knew about the Heavenly Dao Road of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace. It was said to be the most mysterious and difficult roads that one could walk upon in the Upper Realm.

For the Heavenly Geniuses who joined the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, just one more step on this Road could bring them great joy and pride. It represented their talent and future heights, and going far on the Heavenly Dao Road would be enough to make their name resound throughout the Upper Realm.

"I can do it!"

Gu Xian'er responded with a resolute expression.

The Great Elder smiled at her determined response, and said, "You sure are confident! Do you know that Gu Changge overpowered all of his peers back then, and set a new record in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace that no one in the hundred thousand years before him could achieve?"

"Oh, someone got hooked!"

As he said that, the Great Elder pulled back his fishing line. The clouds and mist in front of him surged, and a golden dragon-like figure with a dazzling body and a dignified aura burst through the clouds.

"This one pays respects to the Great Elder!"

The golden dragon-like figure landed on the ground and turned into a mighty and brave youth in a golden armor. He was Chu Wuji, a True Disciple of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.

Chapter 93: Young Supreme, Chu Wuji; I Can Help You Take Care of Your Brother!

Chu Wuji was a tall youth dressed in golden armor and divine clothes. There was a hearty smile on his face that gave those who gazed at him a positive feeling of trust.

As soon as he appeared on the Great Elder's mountain, Chu Wuji noticed Gu Xian'er, and a flash of surprise passed through his eyes. Still, his education and scheming mind didn't allow him to show any change in his expression.

He had seen a lot of beauties in his life, but the one in front of him sure was on another level, so much so that he couldn't help but be surprised.

"This one pays respects to the Great Elder!"

Instead, he bowed before the Great Elder.

Not many in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace knew that Chu Wuji was actually the grand-disciple of the Great Elder. Chu Wuji's father, the current Emperor of the Great Chu Immortal Dynasty, was once a named disciple of the Great Elder. It's just that because of his status, he couldn't become a direct disciple.[1]

Only a few knew of this fact.

"Chu Wuji, you are here just in time."

The Great Elder responded to him with a nod. His attitude towards Chu Wuji wasn't all that bad.

For the Great Elder, and other higher ups of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, Chu Wuji was obviously the better option. Regardless of talent, temperament, or cultivation, they couldn't find any flaws in Chu

Wuji. What's more? He had an extremely calm and outstanding personality, and didn't have any devilish intentions like Gu Changge either.

Among the True Disciples of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, Chu Wuji was also the only one who could compete with Gu Changge.

Many more Elders thought highly of him, and believed that Chu Wuji could be appointed as the heir, since his heart wasn't as sinister as Gu Changge's.

Gu Xian'er also looked at Chu Wuji. After all, he was a Young Supreme who was said to be someone who could compete with Gu Changge, so she couldn't help but feel curious about him.

Chu Wuji had an imperial aura about him, and there was the ferociousness of dragons radiating from between his calm brows. His cultivation was unfathomable, and she couldn't clearly estimate his might.

"Could this Junior Sister be the lady who's getting famous through the rumors lately?"

"Just one look, and I can tell the rumors surely aren't exaggerated. You truly have a fairy-like figure and outstanding temperament."

Chu Wuji looked back at Gu Xian'er with a smile, and cupped his hands in greeting.

"I greet Senior Brother Wuji."

Gu Xian'er responded with a nod. Although her expression showed incomparable calm, she was trying to figure out why Chu Wuji was showing her such friendliness. After all, she had only recently arrived in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, and the Great Elder hadn't yet accepted her as his disciple.

Her status in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace was even worse than its ordinary disciples, so logically speaking, Chu Wuji wouldn't be this kind to her without a reason.

Could he be like this because of Gu Changge? After all, there was the saying that: 'an enemy's enemy is thy friend.'

"I was wondering who to send with Gu Xian'er to the Heavenly Dao Road...Chu Wuji, you can take her along since you are already here."

The Great Elder calmly said.

"Heavenly Dao Road?"

"It seems that Junior Sister is an ambitious one, but I must warn you about the dangers of the Heavenly Dao Road. If you try to overreach on the Road, you will suffer unimaginable damage to your Dao Heart, and even your Realm might never increase after that."

"Junior Sister, do you still want to go even after knowing this?"

Chu Wuji was stunned. He had actually come here for Gu Xian'er after getting some news about her. To be precise, he found out that Gu Xian'er held the evidence that could make the Ancient Immortal Gu Family lose all face in front of the Upper Realm.

Once the matter came out, the Ancient Immortal Gu Family would turn into a joke, and every Lu, Shu, and Du in the Upper Realm would laugh at them!

An ancestor of his Great Chu Immortal Dynasty had suffered serious injuries at the hands of someone from the Ancient Immortal Gu Family, so he obviously didn't have any good feelings towards the Ancient Immortal Gu Family, and longed to see them turn into a joke.

Unfortunately, he couldn't treat Gu Xian'er without courtesy in front of the Great Elder.

The Great Elder glanced at him, and shook his head without saying anything.

Gu Xian'er, on the other hand, still showed a calm expression, and said, "I am sure about my decision, so Senior Brother Wuji doesn't need to worry about me!"

Chu Wuji's hearty and carefree smile didn't change as he heard Gu Xian'er's words, but he sneered inside his heart; he also wanted to see just how far this overconfident 'reincarnation of a true immortal' could go?

"Alright, then Senior Brother will wait and see."

Chu Wuji said that and then turned into a brilliant ray of light as he led Gu Xian'er towards the direction of the Heavenly Dao Road.

Gu Xian'er followed suit without hesitation.

At the same time, she couldn't help but feel as if Chu Wuji was plotting something — this feeling came from her instincts, and her instincts hadn't betrayed her over the years even once.

"Master!"

Soon, a bunch of Chu Wuji's followers appeared in front of them, and showed surprise as they saw Gu Xian'er.

"Let's go to the Heavenly Dao Road!"

Chu Wuji commanded with an authoritative tone.

At the same time, he didn't forget to turn around to take a look at Gu Xian'er. With a sigh, and face full of regret, he said, "Junior Sister, I actually heard some information about your affairs, and I must say that Gu Changge is indeed cruel. His actions were earth-shattering, and I couldn't help but feel shocked and chilled to my feet! Something like that could only be done by a beast, not a brother..."

Gu Xian'er frowned as she listened to his words, but didn't say anything in response. Although she knew that he was bad mouthing Gu Changge, she couldn't help but feel uncomfortable in her heart.

Gu Changge was an evil bastard, indeed, but he wasn't as scummy as this kind of villain who sowed hatred behind someone's back. Although Gu Changge's methods were cruel and ruthless, he was still better than him. What's more? The matter was between her and Gu Changge, so she didn't want others to stick their nose inside her business.

"Senior Brother Wuji, you should just lead the way; I didn't expect a True Disciple like you to talk behind someone's backs..."

Gu Xian'er cut him off with a calm response. The hidden meaning behind her words was as simple as: 'why are you harping nonsense about him in front of me? Go to him if you have the guts!'

She could tell that this so-called True Disciple Chu was trying to win her over to his camp, so he could deal with Gu Changge.

Chu Wuji's expression uglified, but recovered just as fast, after he heard her words. After all, he was a person who could stay calm in the face of joy, anger, and other such emotions.

Still, Gu Xian'er's words made him feel a little enraged and cold. Was she mocking him for not having the guts to say all that to Gu Changge's face?

A mere wench still wet behind the ears, who had barely reached the Saint Realm, actually dared say that to his face?

It seemed that the Great Elder boosted her confidence.

If he wasn't afraid of the Great Elder, Chu Wuji would truly help her understand who the young overlord of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace was!

Still, he couldn't help but feel somewhat puzzled. The news he received said that the hatred between Gu Changge and Gu Xian'er was as deep as the endless ocean, so he couldn't understand why she would speak up for Gu Changge?

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Soon, a piece of news shocked everyone in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace: 'the girl in blue who was standing next to the Great Elder that day was going to walk down the Heavenly Dao Road, in order to break Gu Changge's record!'

This news was naturally spread around by Chu Wuji, and it caused a massive sensation in all directions, so much so that even the other True Disciples were alarmed and wanted to take a look.

The girl in blue had a mysterious identity, and it was said that she was a member of the Ancient Immortal Gu Family. If that wasn't enough, then there was also the fact that the Great Elder wanted to take her in as his disciple, and held great expectations for her.

Let alone the disciples, even many Elders couldn't suppress their curiosity and came over to have a look.

In the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, the Heavenly Dao Road was like a springboard for carps to jump over the dragon gate. After all, it could have great effects on the talent of the Heavenly Geniuses, even though talent was something set from birth and considered almost unchangeable.

Colorful clouds, brilliant rays of lights, and rainbows filled the sky as people and Mystical Items flew around. Many disciples went to the area where the Heavenly Dao Road was located, and one could see innumerable silhouettes of people on the various mountains in the surroundings. For a time, the entire place turned lively.

Many people also noticed the appearance of some Elders and their disciples.

"The Heavenly Dao Road's previous record was broken after a hundred thousand years by True Disciple Gu that year, and no one has been able to surpass him yet."

"He's a Young Supreme who's said to be the reincarnation of an Immortal, after all. I heard that his cultivation broke through to the Conferred King Realm already!"

"That kind of cultivation speed is simply unimaginable. I haven't heard of any of our peers breaking through to the Conferred King Realm yet! Even True Disciple Chu seems to be stuck at that final step."

"Is it so easy to break the record set by True Disciple Gu? What a joke! That girl in blue is merely dreaming."

The people in the surroundings discussed the matter with great zeal. n0velusB.c0M

The Heavenly Dao Road was a snow-white, jade stairway surrounded by Immortal mist. It had an incomparably mysterious appearance, and each of its steps had Dao Patterns and Dao Intent permeating all over them. As the Heavenly Geniuses walked up the steps, they would come across different visions.

The Heavenly Dao Road was said to lead all the way to Heaven, and no one could tell how many steps it had. Every hundred thousand years, the Heavenly Dao Road would manifest here, and countless Young Geniuses would come here to scale its steps.

In other words, the record would be refreshed every hundred thousand years.

Every hundred thousand years would be the era of the same Heavenly Geniuses, so all of them were naturally unwilling to be left behind by their peers. All of them wanted to leave their footprints on the Heavenly Dao Road to gain fame and fortune in the world.

The Territory of True Immortals — those words weren't a joke.[2]

[2: I presume this is referring to the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace since they are related to Immortals and the stairs in their backyard even lead all the way up to Heaven. Imagine a Heavenly Genius who finally scales the stairs and then finds himself inside a dome-shaped training camp (read: pigsty) for Geniuses.]

Right now, many disciples and cultivators were gathered near the foot of the Heavenly Dao Road to watch the excitement.

Gu Xian'er's face showed an incomparable calm as her slender body moved forward.

"Junior Sister, make sure you don't push yourself beyond your ability; the pressure on the Heavenly Dao Road is extremely high."

Chu Wuji advised her with a kind expression.

Gu Xian'er showed no change in her expression as she glanced at him without uttering a response.

The fact that almost all of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace knew about this matter in such a short time could only mean that Chu Wuji made it public. As for why? He definitely wanted to watch her make a fool of herself in front of the world; he couldn't hide his true intentions from her keen mind.

"I haven't seen you for a few days, and you already have a suitor, Xian'er? How about Big Brother test him to see if he's even worthy?"

Right then, an obnoxious chuckle sounded from somewhere, and the calm on Gu Xian'er's face disappeared. She turned her head, and looked in the direction of the voice with freezing eyes.

Gu Changge slowly walked towards her; today, he was dressed in snow-white clothes untouched by the dust of his surroundings. Behind him walked a large group of powerful followers. The expressions of the nearby disciples fell, and they couldn't help but retreat one by one as they saw his entourage.

After he was done with his 'cultivation' in the Heavenly Dao Ancient City, he headed back to his Supreme Peak. But just when he reached the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace's territory, he came across Gu Xian'er's silhouette as she flew towards the Heavenly Dao Road's direction.

Gu Changge felt curious about what she was up to, and decided to come here.

"Hoh! Is this the little sister who is going to be accepted as the Great Elder's disciple? She sure is a beauty in the making, and will definitely turn out to be a gorgeous seductress when she grows up, no?"

Another chuckle sounded from a different direction as a stunning woman with a veil appeared. Behind her were a few fox tails respectfully held in the embrace of her maids, so as to prevent them from getting dirty by touching the ground.

She was the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace's female True Disciple, Yin Mei!

In front of outsiders, she acted as if she had nothing to do with Gu Changge. After Gu Changge left the Heavenly Dao Ancient City, she had also headed back to her personal Peak.

As the cultivation 'resources' she prepared in the last six months were particularly sufficient, and Gu Changge also seemed to have developed some interest in her fox tails, he bestowed upon her a few more antidotes, so Yin Mei was in an incomparably good mood.

[Hiss!]

"True Disciple Gu's appearance was already shocking enough, yet even the mysterious True Disciple Yin is here! I truly never expected something like this."

"It seems we will have a great show to watch today!"

Everyone in the surroundings was shocked as they watched the scene in front of them. They never expected so many True Disciples to gather in a single place at this time.

What's more? Even Gu Changge appeared today!

On normal days, he was like a hidden dragon whose tail was already hard enough to see.[3]

[3: just a random idiom that says it's very hard to see someone.]

Chapter 94: Too Overbearing; Who the Heck are You?

"Gu Changge, what are you doing here?"

Gu Xian'er questioned with a cold face after she heard his ridiculous remark. For some reason, she couldn't help but become enraged every time she saw Gu Changge, and couldn't bring herself to speak with a good tone and a good expression.

She would be calm in front of others, but whenever Gu Changge appeared in front of her, her rage would soar, and she would show emotions like anger and such.

"You haven't answered my question yet."

Gu Changge said with a chuckle, and ignored Gu Xian'er's eyes that said that she wanted to swallow him whole in a single bite.

Chu Wuji, on the other hand, also felt uncomfortable when he heard Gu Changge's remark.

What did Gu Changge mean by calling him Gu Xian'er's suitor?

As the brightest prince of the Great Chu Immortal Dynasty, did he still need to pursue girls? Just a word from him would be enough to bring all kinds of favored heavenly daughters to warm his bed.

Although he knew that Gu Changge was merely ridiculing him, he couldn't help but feel unhappy. His complexion fell, and he felt even worse when he realized that Gu Changge completely ignored his existence.

"Senior Brother Chu Wuji was only leading me to the Heavenly Dao Road; he isn't my suitor!"

Gu Xian'er replied with a frown, and wondered just what Gu Changge was up to now.

Gu Changge pretended to be stunned by her words, and then said with a sigh, "So that's the case...Elder Brother felt that he had to help guard you, lest any random mutt from the streets rush up to bother you."

Gu Xian'er snorted when she heard those words, and didn't believe Gu Changge's nonsense.

Contrary to what others might think, Gu Changge was certainly not the kind of person he pretended to be in front of outsiders.

Would someone like Gu Changge really stick up for her?

She didn't believe he would.

"Junior Sister Xian'er is about to climb the Heavenly Dao Road now! Gu Changge, do you dare stop her? This is the Great Elder's arrangement."

Chu Wuji's face sank when he heard Gu Changge referring to him as a random mutt from the streets, and he decided to use the Great Elder's name to scare him.

No matter the differences between them before, Gu Changge had never used such words to humiliate him in public.

"What about the Great Elder? Do you think he will interfere when the juniors are bickering?"

Gu Changge couldn't care less about his implicit threat, and glanced at him without much focus.

"Also, I am talking to my little sister, so who the heck are you to interfere?"

Chu Wuji's face turned livid, and he could hardly hold back his rage after he heard those words. His complexion changed from blue to white and vice-versa as he glared at his adversary.

Gu Changge had repeatedly humiliated and provoked him. No matter how kind or amiable he might have been, he was unable to take his provocation anymore.

What's more? They were out in the public!

If he swallowed these insults without retaliation, how would he be able to mingle around in the Upper Realm in the future? He would have no face to face anyone!

He was also a Young Supreme, so how could he accept such humiliation?

"Gu Changge, don't be too overbearing!"

Chu Wuji's expression was gloomy that his livid face appeared to be on the verge of an explosion.

"So what if I am overbearing?"

Gu Changge responded with an indifferent tone.

He had wanted to deal with this Chu Wuji for a while now, but hadn't found a good opportunity. Now that he had provoked him this much, he didn't believe that Chu Wuji would be able to sit still.

"You..."

Chu Wuji's expression showed extreme rage, and it was clear that he was on the verge of erupting. No matter how calm and steady he might be on peaceful days, there was no way he could bear such an insult at this time.

This scene caused an uproar in the surroundings.

Before they could watch Gu Xian'er ascend the Heavenly Dao Road, they got to see the conflict between Gu Changge and another True Disciple.

Excitement surged through the hearts of many onlookers! After all, it wasn't easy to see a battle between True Disciples!

No one could have thought that Gu Changge would be this arrogant! He didn't even give face to Chu Wuji, who was also a True Disciple of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.

Everyone knew that Gu Changge was mighty, but the other True Disciples weren't cannon fodder either. Since they were able to become True Disciples of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, then they obviously had their own strengths and talents.

All of them were Young Supremes, and none of them were weak cabbage!

Not just the disciples, but even the Elders felt excitement at this moment.

It was normal for peers to fight, but it was rare to see a fight like this. Directly provoking someone in public, and egging them for a fight wasn't something they got to see every day.

If the already present audience wasn't enough, then two more True Disciples — Tian Yang and Zhong Tianyuan — also appeared on a nearby mountain. The two were shrouded in hazy brilliance, and watched the scene in front of them with solemn expressions.

"Chu Wuji's strength is unfathomable. The two of us might not be his opponents by ourselves, but Gu Changge is definitely stronger than him..."

"There's little chance for Chu Wuji to win this exchange, but if he backs down right now, his Dao Heart might end up in a damaged state."

"Defeat in a battle is a minor matter; you can still stand back up and fight if you are defeated, but once your Dao Heart is damaged, you will have no chance to make a comeback in the future!"

The two spoke among themselves, and their expressions turned even more solemn.

A Young Supreme ought to firmly believe that they were invincible among their peers, and could sweep through all without a hitch. If they retreated in face of a challenge, what would they even be fighting for?

The two were sure that this battle couldn't be avoided.

Unless some accident happened, of course.

"I want to see just how strong you have grown, for you to humiliate me like this!"

Chu Wuji yelled and then attacked Gu Changge. All the onlookers in the surrounding area were shocked and backed away in haste.

Only Yin Mei felt that Chu Wuji was digging his grave with his own hands. Gu Changge's strength was far from what he could imagine. Even the strength he showed in the public was something that the other Young Supremes couldn't ever hope to match.

Gu Xian'er also paid great attention to their exchange as she also wanted to know just how much Gu Changge's strength had grown over the years.

"Royal Dragon Palm! It's the Great Chu Immortal Dynasty's famous Royal Dragon Palm!"

Someone exclaimed as they recognized Chu Wuji's move at first glance.

[Boom!]

Chu Wuji used a major move from the get-go. Brilliant runes intertwined together, and formed a dragon that rushed to grab Gu Changge. The dragon had a terrifying aura, and it moved at a frightening speed.

It was so terrible that even disciples in the distance felt their skin crack.

"It's so scary! Is this the might of a Young Supreme?"

"An ordinary False God Realm cultivator will never be a match for True Disciple Chu! You must know that he's only at the peak of the Conferred Lord Realm, and there's still an entire major Realm before he can reach the False God Realm!"

"He's too strong! This is the gap between True Disciples and us!"

Chu Wuji's mighty palm shocked many in the surroundings.

Gu Changge slapping Jin Yu's False God Realm servant to blood mist was already shocking enough, and now, even Chu Wuji's palm held a power that could easily obliterate a False God Realm cultivator!

Sure enough, it wasn't hard for Young Supremes to fight beyond their Realms!

"Were you prancing around because of this? Who gave you this confidence?"

Gu Changge showed no change in his expression as he faced Chu Wuji's palm, and spoke with a carefree expression. At the same time, he responded with a palm of his own made up of golden runes.

Divine, golden light permeated the surroundings, and the palm fell down! n0Velusb.c0m

[Boom!]

The two great palms collided with each other, and burst into an explosion of Mystical Power that caused an astonishing sensation in all directions!

It was as if a meteorite fell apart above them and collided with the ground. The nearby mountains trembled, the earth cracked, and space splintered apart.

[Puff!]

Chu Wuji flew out with blood splattering around. His head appeared to be caved in, and his disheveled hair flew in the air. Just the aftermath of the attacks gave him grave injuries!

Disbelief covered his face, and he said with astonishment, "Middle Stage of the Conferred King Realm?!"

It was difficult to decide a winner when two Young Supremes in the same realm fought against each other, but not so much when one's cultivation overpowered the other's by a great margin. Especially, when the stronger one was someone like Gu Changge!

Back when Gu Changge was only in the Early Stages of the Saint Realm, he had severely injured the Young Supreme, Jin Zhou, who had been in the Middle Stage of the Saint Realm!

And now? No one expected Gu Changge to have already broken through to the Middle Stage of the Conferred King Realm!

The onlookers couldn't help but take in a deep breath.

He was too powerful!

They never thought that a casual blow from Gu Changge would hold such cataclysmic might!

He was simply invincible!

"He's worthy to be known as the Reincarnation of an Immortal! True Disciple Chu probably wouldn't have had the chance to win even if the two were in the same Realm..."

"I never expected Gu Changge to break through to the Middle Stage of the Conferred King Realm so fast!"

Tian Yang and Zhong Tianyuan, the other two Young Supremes, couldn't help but stare at each other in disbelief.

'How is he so strong?'

Gu Xian'er's expression also turned solemn. She was already far behind him in cultivation, and couldn't estimate just how long it would take her to reach Gu Changge's heights even if she rushed her cultivation.

"So what if you are in the Middle Stage of the Conferred King Realm?"

Right then, Chu Wuji shouted towards Gu Changge. At the same time, bright, golden light radiated from his person, and a layer of dragon scales appeared on his skin.

This was his talent of transforming into a dragon, and it was his trump card which could boost his cultivation base to a completely new height!

Before today, he had never used this ability in front of outsiders. But today, Chu Wuji could no longer go without it. He only knew one thing, and that was to defeat Gu Changge and wash away the humiliation he received from him!

[Hu! Hu! Hu!]

A domineering and long-beyond-measure dragon appeared behind him. It was a true dragon with immortal energy lingering around it. With a single gulp, it could swallow all the clouds between Heaven and Earth, and it's golden scales reflected bright, golden light!

The huge dragon appeared incomparably lifelike as it rushed towards Gu Changge. An earth-shattering tremor shook the surroundings as it tried to obliterate the mountains and dry the rivers, and a destructive force that could kill all in its path headed towards Gu Changge!

All the cultivators in the surroundings were even more horrified. At the same time, they couldn't help but sigh at the might of the Young Supremes, and their endless means. Had they not seen Chu Wuji use this ability with their own eyes, they would have never thought that he held such a trump card in his arsenal.

"What about the Middle Stage of the Conferred King Realm, you ask? It's more than enough to stomp your Dao Heart."

Gu Changge laughed as he watched Chu Wuji's trump card. At the same time, an immeasurable light burst behind him, and a vague figure made of the Great Dao's law appeared. The figure appeared magnificent, and seemed to contain all the secrets of Heaven and Earth.

'Dao Incarnate?!'

Gu Xian'er's expression changed. Her face paled, and she felt a familiar aura from the Dao Incarnate behind Gu Changge. She immediately recognized it as the Mystical Ability that belonged to her Dao Bone.

[Boom!]

Right then, Gu Changge slapped out, and the Dao Incarnate behind him followed suit. The fluctuations of energy it released made the disciples, and even the Elders, show a change in their expressions.

The palm collided with the dragon!

It was as if a star exploded right above them!

[BOOM!!!]

A massive wave erupted and washed over the surroundings. All the mountains quaked under the disastrous might released by the collision of their attacks. All the disciples trembled, and felt their hearts and souls palpitate in response to the incoming earthquake.

They felt as if everything around them was about to perish!

Finally, the brilliance receded, and they watched the palm of Gu Changge's Dao Incarnate press down on the dragon that Chu Wuji brought out. The harder Gu Changge pressed down on the dragon, the more blood Chu Wuji spewed — his body neared the verge of collapse as he felt the pressure suppress him.

The palm's descent didn't stop!

[Puff!]

Chu Wuji spewed blood, and the dragon he conjured finally exploded. At the same time, half of Chu Wuji's body burst apart. Horror and disbelief painted his face — he had already used his strongest trump card, yet Gu Changge was still able to stomp him down with ease!

"So, who the heck are you?"

Gu Changge came out on top. Without a change in his expression, he disappeared from his spot and appeared next to Chu Wuji. And then, he directly stepped over his head while repeating his sentence once more.

Chapter 95: Remember That Sentence; Shocking Everyone!

[Puff!]

Chu Wuji's face turned purple as Gu Changge stepped on his head, and he felt incomparable hatred and humiliation.

Alas! He couldn't do anything.

His strongest move had already failed, and it was clear that he wasn't Gu Changge's opponent. Just a casual attack from Gu Changge required him to go all out just to resist!

Today, Chu Wuji finally realized just how terrifying and powerful Gu Changge was. At the same time, he felt extreme grief and unwillingness.

Gu Changge repeating his sentence and asking him 'what the heck he was' brought him even more shame. His contemptuous and indifferent attitude made him extremely uncomfortable!

The surrounding mountains were quiet for a while, but then they exploded. The battle ended as quickly as it started. Many had thought that even if Chu Wuji, the prince of the Great Chu Immortal Dynasty, lost to Gu Changge, he would still be able to contend against him for a while.

They never expected him to have no ability to resist!

That's right! Chu Wuji was unable to resist Gu Changge's atacks. From the beginning to the end, he was one-sidedly stomped. Even when he used his greatest trump card, a casual move from Gu Changge was enough to stomp him to the ground.

The onlookers shuddered at the outcome of their exchange. A Young Supreme like Chu Wuji was already like this when he faced against Gu Changge, so what would become of them if they went against him?

Since one of them already got his face planted on the ground, then they would have an even worse end — all of them were like ants in front of him!

"He deserves to be the one who broke the Heavenly Dao Road's record that hadn't been touched in a hundred thousand years! That strength is too terrifying! A True Disciple was crushed just like that; I feel that even if True Disciple Chu broke through to the Conferred King Realm right now, he still wouldn't be his match. No one can be True Disciple Gu's opponent now!"

"That's right, I think the same! What's more? True Disciple Gu was completely carefree throughout the exchange, and we haven't seen him use any of his trump cards yet."

Yin Mei, the Holy Maiden of the Nine-Tailed Celestial Fox Family, showed a disdainful smile under her veil as she listened to the conversations of the nearby disciples.

Gu Changge's Trump Cards?

She reckoned that anyone who had seen Gu Changge's trump cards was already dead! She was probably the only one who got to keep her life.

Gu Changge was definitely the most dangerous man she had seen in her life — be it in terms of temperament, scheming, and means.

"Gu Changge's might is uncontestable! No wonder Jin Zhou chose to cultivate in seclusion instead of taking revenge — he must have expected this outcome already!"

"We would better take a U-turn when we see Gu Changge in the future, unless our cultivation can somehow surpass his!"

Tian Yang and Zhong Tianyuan looked at each other with shock and disbelief. Afterwards, they chose to leave the crowd in silence.

Sure, they were Young Supremes, but that didn't mean they lacked a brain. Gu Changge was already in the Middle Stage of the Conferred King Realm, so how were they going to compete with him?

Fight beyond their Realm? What a joke!

Many of the disciples and Elders noticed their presence, and only shook their heads as they watched them leave. Now, even if the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace didn't select him as their heir, everyone in the Palace would still need to take a detour if they came across Gu Changge.

Today's battle had already established Gu Changge's supremacy above them all!

"Xian'er, aren't you happy to see your Elder Brother stomp this trash for you?"

Gu Changge looked at Gu Xian'er, who was still in a daze, and asked with a chuckle. At the same time, he pressed down his foot even harder, and then kicked Chu Wuji in the chest. Chu Wuji spewed another mouthful of blood, and then fainted with a groan.

Alas! Gu Changge couldn't kill him.

Chu Wuji was the most brilliant prince of the Great Chu Immortal Dynasty, so there would definitely be a bunch of people in hiding who would interfere if he went too far. What's more? Gu Changge didn't want to provoke an unnecessary war with the Great Chu Immortal Dynasty over a mere Chu Wuji.

All he did today was to tell the Elders of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace that only he, Gu Changge, was qualified to be the heir of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace! No one could take that position from him

Even if no one mentioned this matter, he would still make sure to drill this into their heads!

How could Gu Changge not know how guarded the Elders, and even the Great Elder, were towards him? He knew all of this, of course. It's just that the Original couldn't care less. He had anticipated this situation long before he even joined the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.

Gu Xian'er was, of course, happy to watch Gu Changge teach that despicable Chu Wuji a lesson; it's just that she would never admit something like that. Her good mood disappeared, and her face showed a hostile expression, as she heard Gu Changge's obnoxious chuckle.

"I don't need you to interfere in my business!"

Gu Xian'er replied without any politeness. To be precise, she had no reason to be polite before Gu Changge. She was already treating him quite well by controlling herself from smashing a fist into his face.

She could always stay calm when in front of others, but whenever Gu Changge appeared before her, she would want to act impulsively. She had to try her best to suppress her rage and other emotions!

"Have you forgotten what Elder Brother told you before?"

Gu Changge muttered to her with a look of deep disappointment. At the same time, he ignored Gu Xian'er's face full of murderous intentions towards him.

When it came to shamelessness, no one could outdo him!

"What are you talking about?"

Gu Xian'er asked with a cold tone.

"I can bully you, but others can't!"

Gu Changge's face showed an expression of intrigue as he continued, "This Chu Wuji definitely wanted to watch you make a fool of yourself on the Heavenly Dao Road. The Great Elder must want you to break my record before accepting you as his disciple, right?"

"This Chu Wuji's schemes are too deep; not only did he want to watch you make a fool of yourself, but he even publicized the matter and invited everyone in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace to this place."

"His heart is damned!"

"How can someone like him bully this Gu Changge's little sister? If someone is going to bully you, then that person can only be me! What kind of dog crap is he?"

Gu Changge's expression turned cold as he said these words. At the same time, Gu Xian'er felt the surrounding temperature drop at a fast pace, and she couldn't help but shiver slightly in response.

[Crack!]

Right then, the sound of cracking bones sounded in the surroundings. Her beautiful eyes widened in response to what she saw in front of her. Gu Changge casually stepped on the unconscious Chu Wuji's hands, and shattered the bones in his hands. Chu Wuji let out a painful scream in response to the pain, but Gu Changge acted as if he was stepping on nothing more than an ant.

"Xian'er, make sure you don't forget that sentence in the future!"

Gu Changge looked at her dazed face, and said with a smile, "Aren't you going to climb the Heavenly Dao Road? Your Elder Brother is looking forward to your performance today! It shouldn't be hard for you to break the record I set back then."

After all, the normal trope would go like this: 'Chu Wuji would plot against Gu Xian'er, but Gu Xian'er would discover his scheme. After that, he would show his true face and ridicule Gu Xian'er, and tell her that she wouldn't be able to climb the Heavenly Dao Road. At the same time, he would have invited everyone in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace to witness her make a fool of herself.'

'In the end, Gu Xian'er's incomparable performance would slap everyone in the face. At the same time, she would also slap her evil big brother in the face by breaking his record. She would also take this opportunity to challenge him in front of the world!'

Gu Changge was more than familiar with this setting, but how could this setting give him any trouble? He had multiple methods to deal with this nonsense.

Gu Xian'er's mind went into a turmoil as she heard his words.

"Gu Changge, do you really believe I can break your record?"

Gu Xian'er finally came back to her senses after a while, and her attitude towards Gu Changge also softened as she questioned him.

Perhaps it was because of what Gu Changge did just now, but she felt that it would have been great if Gu Changge hadn't done what he did back then. She would have loved to have a loving and strong elder brother like Gu Changge!

Right now, her mind was in confusion. Chu Wuji and everyone else believed that she wouldn't be able to break Gu Changge's record, so why did Gu Changge believe that she could?

This puzzled Gu Xian'er.

Shouldn't Gu Changge look at her with contempt and say, "A mere wench like you wants to break my record? Gu Xian'er, stop dreaming!"

She had imagined many outcomes in her mind already. Thanks to the teachings of her master, she was much smarter than her peers, and could easily infer a lot of truths that others couldn't.

Those who treated her well were only after her body!

She couldn't understand why Gu Changge believed in her for no reason, though.

Gu Changge's calm expression showed no change, and he lightly shook his head in response to her words, "If I, your Elder Brother, wouldn't believe in you, then who would? Your hard work has always been in my eyes."

Those words were nothing more than nonsense, of course. He didn't know what Gu Xian'er had gone through over the years, but he had to create an appearance of knowing her bitter struggle and hatred for him.

That's right, he was pretending!

Still, Gu Xian'er felt her heart tremble at his words. She wondered what he meant? Did he really know how much hard work she had put into improving herself for revenge over the years?

Then, why did he do all that back then? Why did he dig out her Dao Bone?

She couldn't comprehend just what was going on.

Could he be in a difficult situation, and had no choice but to dig out her Dao Bone back then?

She shook her head, and quickly suppressed that unrealistic thought. Even if he had some difficulty, he wouldn't have done something that despicable! Mere difficulty couldn't explain that cruelty.

"Why are you still standing there in a daze? Everyone is waiting for you to ascend the Heavenly Dao Road!"

Gu Changge interrupted Gu Xian'er's contemplation with a smile. Gu Xian'er couldn't help but glare at him in response, but she realized that she indeed had to climb the Heavenly Dao Road.

Without any hesitation, she turned towards the Heavenly Dao Road, and turned into a brilliant ray of light as she climbed the steps.

The Heavenly Dao Road was drowned in brilliant light, and with every step one took, one would see Immortal mist gush towards them. Various miraculous visions would appear, and one would see Heaven and Earth revolve before their very eyes.

The Sun, Moon, and Stars could be seen falling apart. Mountains and Rivers would perish and dry up, and Seas would turn into mulberry fields, and nothingness after that.

[Buzz!]

As soon as Gu Xian'er landed on the first step, a dazzling, golden brilliance bloomed under her foot like a golden lotus flower.

She continued to move forward.

Second step!

Third step!

Fourth step!

Nothing could obstruct her steps, and she reached the tenth step in a single breath!

All kinds of brilliance enveloped her, Immortal sounds reverberated in the surroundings, and Heavenly flowers bloomed in the Void around her. It was as if she was the daughter of the Dao loved by the world itself.

All the Disciples and Elders were alarmed!

The tenth step! It was already the limit of many Inner Sect Disciples of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, and they couldn't go beyond it. One had to know that they were no random people, and hardly anyone from the outside world could contend against them.

Even Chu Wuji, the other True Disciples, and the Young Supremes of the other powers could only climb up to the fourteenth step.

As for Gu Changge? He had climbed all the way to the eighteenth step!

Eleventh step!

Twelfth step!

Before long, Gu Xian'er reached the fifteenth step!

Mystical, dazzling rays of light spread everywhere, godly silhouettes flew around, and threads of Immortal runes revolved around her. Gu Xian'er was like a Heavenly Empress who had descended from Ninth Heaven!

The surroundings were silent for a while, and then, everyone erupted.

The Disciples and Elders were shocked!

This was talent that had already surpassed many Young Supremes! Could it be that Gu Xian'er could truly break Gu Changge's record?

Before long, Gu Xian'er crossed the sixteenth step. Sweat flowed down her forehead, but the light in her eyes remained firm. n0Velusb.c0m

She swept a glance at the people below the Heavenly Dao Road, and came across Gu Changge's gentle and natural expression that showed his confidence in her.

She couldn't tell why, but she felt a sudden burst of energy wash through her limbs, giving her new life as she rushed up the Heavenly Dao Road.

Seventeenth step!

Eighteenth step!

She reached the same step as Gu Changge!

The people in the surroundings burst into discussion. Their eyes widened, and they almost fell to the ground. They were shocked, and couldn't believe what they saw!

"True Disciple Gu's record is going to be broken!"

"We didn't come here in vain!"

"Who would have thought that she would really reach that step! It's amazing! It's incredible! It's unbelievable! It's as if I am in a dream!"

The disciples who had previously looked down on her now felt as if their eyes would fall out!

Gu Xian'er's face turned pale, and sweat flowed down her forehead as she stood on the eighteenth floor. She felt a horrifying pressure descend upon her, and she had to struggle to stand on her spot.

Still, she did have the strength to move one more step forward!

Not just her, but even those in the surroundings felt that Gu Xian'er could take another step and break Gu Changge's record from that year.

Gu Xian'er's next move, however, surprised them. With a calm expression on her face, she stopped in her tracks. After that, she turned around and moved down the Heavenly Dao Road instead of continuing upward!

The surroundings turned dead silent.

No one expected her to stop and return at such a juncture.

She had such a good opportunity to break Gu Changge's record and become famous throughout the world!

How could she give up just like that?

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Gu Xian'er's actions shocked everyone, and a moment of silence ensued before the surroundings boiled. Everyone stared at her and tried their best to make sense of what she did. After all, she gave up on such a great opportunity to gain immense fame in the world!

The eyes of countless disciples turned red in envy, and their breathing hastened.

How many could reach the eighteenth step?

Why didn't she continue forward?

Anxiety clawed at their hearts in Gu Xian'er's stead. Were they in her place, they would take that final step no matter what it cost them. After all, it was the only chance for one to surpass Gu Changge, and receive the praise and admiration of millions of people.

Even the Elders couldn't help but shake their heads and sigh. They couldn't understand why Gu Xian'er gave up on such a great opportunity, and intentionally tied her record with Gu Changge's.

In their opinion, Gu Xian'er's identity from today would be completely different from before, and her acceptance as the Great Elder's disciple was a forgone conclusion.

Alas! She had missed the opportunity to surpass Gu Changge, and won't have another such chance.

Even the Great Elder, who was watching everything from far away, couldn't help but be puzzled at the result in front of him. He had watched the battle between Gu Changge and Chu Wuji, and the result of their exchange came as a complete surprise to him; he never thought that Gu Changge would be able to crush Chu Wuji without breaking a sweat.

Gu Changge was definitely the best talent among the innumerable ones he had seen over countless years. From now on, he couldn't depend on Chu Wuji and the others to keep the position of Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace's heir from him, so he had decided to put his hopes on Gu Xian'er.

Even if she couldn't break Gu Changge's record, he had already decided to accept her as his disciple. But what puzzled the Great Elder was Gu Xian'er's choice to give up midway, even though she could clearly go another step forward.

Was there something between Gu Xian'er and Gu Changge that he wasn't aware of?

Or did she have some other considerations?

Gu Xian'er slowly walked down the Heavenly Dao Road. Her visage looked Heavenly, and her figure dressed in blue appeared lithe and slender.

Every step she took was firm, and she showed a calm expression.

She had no regret or feelings of unwillingness on not breaking Gu Changge's record; she merely shook her head when she watched the expressions on the faces of everyone around her.

She could already tell that the reason Gu Changge felt so confident in her was because he simply didn't care about his record. If Gu Changge stepped on the Heavenly Dao Road now, he would definitely be able to climb much higher than before.

Although talent was destined, and many spent their lives without much attainments, Gu Changge was different. How else could he receive so many titles and praises right from his birth?

Not only did Gu Changge possess her Dao Bone, but he also had his own Innate Talent as well! As for what it was? No one could tell.

So, what could she prove even if she broke her record?

Was there a need for her to prove that she was more talented than Gu Changge of that year?

There was no such need.

"Xian'er, why did you stop? Elder Brother believes you could have taken a few more steps."

Although Gu Changge already knew the reasoning behind her actions, he still shook his head with regret when he saw Gu Xian'er walk down the Heavenly Dao Road. It was as if he truly felt regret over Gu Xian'er not going beyond the eighteenth step, and truly believed that she could go a few more steps without a hurdle.

Gu Xian'er only glanced at Gu Changge once, and didn't bother answering him.

She wanted to stop him from calling her Xian'er this, Xian'er that, but when she thought about going through with the act, she felt uncomfortable for some reason.

He was obviously her greatest enemy whose bones she wished to grind, and whose flesh she craved to devour, and whose blood she desired to drink, but she couldn't help but feel helpless in front of him...he was always appearing in front of her, and deliberately pissing her off.

Her masters were shameless, true, but they were nothing compared to Gu Changge. Sure enough, the wise words of the ancients weren't wrong: 'only the truly shameless ones can be invincible in the world!'

There was no end to Gu Changge's shamelessness.

If she could beat Gu Changge, then she would have definitely ignored everything right now and smacked him down until he turned into meat paste.

"I don't care about what you think!"

Gu Xian'er spat out and moved her head away.

"I don't want to care about you either, but you disappointed me! I expected so much from you, yet that's the best you could do in return?"

The smile on Gu Changge's face disappeared as he heard her words, and he responded with a mocking tone.

"Gu Changge, don't think you can bully me however and whenever you please..."

Gu Xian'er could no longer keep her calm after she heard his words, and finally exploded. She was like a cat whose tail someone stepped on as she glared daggers at Gu Changge.

Just what nonsense was he spewing?

Although she knew that Gu Changge said those words to mess with her head, she couldn't take them.

Others could say that, but he couldn't!

It's as if she wasn't even allowed to fail his expectations, and had to do exactly what he said.

If that wasn't enough, then his words also seemed to be full of mockery, as if telling her: 'you wanna take revenge with that kind of worthless ability? Dream on!'

Gu Xian'er had a strong ego, so she definitely couldn't allow Gu Changge to say that.

"Why can't I think that? Do you really think you have any chance of stopping me?"

Gu Changge's face full of mockery showed no change. He was bullying her, and he was enjoying it.

Gu Xian'er's livid face almost exploded from rage.

No one could have thought that just a few words from Gu Changge would be enough to enrage her to this degree. She desired to take out the Treasure Knife bestowed upon her by her master to chop Gu Changge into mashed meat.

Various thoughts went through the minds of the surrounding Elders and Disciples as they watched the scene in front of them. It was clear to them that Gu Xian'er held a deep grudge against Gu Changge, but Gu Changge still cared for her.

His words clearly showed that he regretted the fact that Gu Xian'er didn't break the record he set back then. $noVe\ell us\ell .com$

As for why Gu Xian'er didn't continue forward? It must be because of Gu Changge! She took him into consideration, and chose to stop.

The two were truly a harmonious and loving pair of siblings, and many of the surrounding disciples felt envious of their relationship.

Soon, the details of the entire event spread throughout the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace and its surroundings, causing a great sensation. It shocked many!

In particular, the fact that Gu Xian'er could reach the eighteenth step sent a violent wave through the world as various forces started to investigate her origins in secret.

Finally, they came to know that she was indeed from the Ancient Immortal Gu Family, and seemed to be involved in some massive controversy inside the Family. As for what the controversy was? They couldn't find the details.

It wasn't hard for an Ancient Immortal Family to suppress information. After all, they had stood tall through multiple epochs, so how could they not even have such a minor ability?

For a time, Gu Xian'er's name became famous across various Heritages, and even reached the ears of innumerable Heavenly Geniuses.

As for Gu Changge's act of utterly crushing Chu Wuji, another Young Supreme and True Disciple of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace? That also shocked countless existences, and they felt that Gu Changge was even more unfathomable than before.

As far as his peers were concerned, Gu Changge's uncontested strength put even more pressure on them. Many Young Geniuses and Heirs of various Heritages considered Gu Changge to be their nemesis, and didn't dare to underestimate him.

The Descendents of Immortal Dynasties, Sects, Ancient Families, and Races felt a lot of pressure and sought opportunities to raise their strength. Some also entered Secluded Cultivation in hopes of achieving a breakthrough.

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[Ancient Immortal Ye Family, Mysterious Azure Heaven.]

On a divine island shrouded in hazy brilliance and overflowing Spiritual Qi, a beautiful girl dressed in a purple skirt sat inside a palace and listened to all sorts of news about the outside world.

The expression on her face changed constantly. Sometimes, she would show bewilderment, other times, she would appear to be in a daze.

"My Lady, are you still down because of Ye Chen's matter? A few months have already passed, so you should let it go already."

A middle-aged beauty with a worried expression stood beside the girl, and tried to persuade her.

The two of them were none other than Ye Liuli and Aunt Xue, who had already returned to the Ancient Immortal Ye Family from the Lower Realm. After they separated from Gu Changge in the Ancient Heavenly Secret Realm, they stayed in the Lower Realm for a while more, and had only returned to the Upper Realm recently.

Ye Liuli's state over the past few months worried Aunt Xue. Sometimes, Ye Liuli would be in a daze, and sometimes, she would stand in a trance, as if she had lost her mind. When Aunt Xue asked her about her condition, she said that she was alright and whatnot, so Aunt Xue guessed that her condition was related to Ye Chen's death.

Her Lady was probably heartbroken, and couldn't bring herself to accept the truth.

Ye Liuli suddenly returned to her senses after listening to Aunt Xue's words — she was taken aback — and couldn't help but say with some feelings of disbelief, "Aunt Xue, what are you talking about? Ye Chen was just an ant, so how can his death affect me? Why would I be down because of him?" [aye! Damn, boi got slaughtered and forgotten.]

Aunt Xue was stunned as she heard her response, and wondered if her Lady was so heartbroken that she even forgot about Ye Chen?

But that was also good.

Forgetting someone like that was for the best. After all, her Lady almost offended Young Master Gu for that Ye Chen. She had recently heard a lot of rumors about Gu Changge, and couldn't help but feel some terror. Even if that Ye Chen didn't die down in the Lower Realm, he would have pissed his pants after somehow Ascending to the Upper Realm and learning of Gu Changge's true might.

Aunt Xue couldn't help but show joy at this realization.

"My Lady, you are correct! Ye Chen was just an ant, so why would you care about someone like him?"

Ye Liuli responded to her with a nod, and then her expression turned serene once more. At the same time, she muttered to herself in her heart, 'Why do I care so much about information related to Gu Changge recently? Also, why do I keep calling him Master unconsciously?'

Ye Liuli had a feeling that she had forgotten something important, but no matter how hard she tried, she couldn't recall what it was.

Right then, a voice sounded from outside the palace, and a valiant youth dressed in a golden armor walked in. He seemed to be shrouded in the divine brilliance of the sun, and even his hair reflected off a bright light. He was just like a young Emperor with a strong vitality and incomparable aura and might.

"Little Liuli, what were you thinking about with such attention? You didn't even notice my arrival."

The youth said with a smile, giving a refreshing feeling to whoever would hear his words.

"Elder Brother? What are you doing here? Have you gotten any recent news about Gu Changge, the Young master of the Ancient Immortal Gu Family?"

Ye Liuli smiled when she saw the person who had arrived, and then asked the question in her heart. The youth in front of her was her Elder Brother, Ye Langtian, who was also the Young Master of the Ancient Immortal Ye Family.

Although he hadn't shown his might in the outside world, countless legends regarding him still floated around.

He was known as a Reincarnation of an Ancient Emperor, and it was said that he was one of the few people who could compete with Gu Changge, the Young Master of Ancient Immortal Gu Family.

A certain glint flashed through Ye Langtian's eyes as he heard his sister's question, and then he said, "Little Sister, why do you keep on mentioning Gu Changge again and again? I seem to have heard that he went down to the Lower Realm to look for something, so you must have come across him there, right?"

"Don't tell me you are missing him now?"

It wasn't hard for him to reach this conclusion. What's more? He had heard some details from Aunt Xue.

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Ye Liuli's face reddened at his words, and she responded with a weak snort, "Elder Brother, what nonsense are you speaking? Why would I miss him? I am just curious, after all, he's said to be a Young Supreme on the same level as you!"

"I heard that he easily crushed the prince of the Great Chu Immortal Dynasty, and he has also broken through to the Middle Stage of the Conferred King Realm; his strength is terrifying!"

Although her words sounded like a good explanation, how could Ye Langtian miss the meaning hidden behind them?

Wasn't she just asking him what he thought of Gu Changge?

She couldn't conceal her thoughts through trickery like this!

Ye Langtian couldn't help but shake his head as he watched Ye Liuli's face full of expectation — he couldn't figure out how she crossed Gu Changge in the Lower Realm and ended up like this. He had heard some details regarding the matter from Aunt Xue about how Ye Liuli had offended Gu Changge and whatnot, and how Gu Changge had made her apologize to him without humiliating her too much or going too far.

Could it be that Ye Liuli couldn't forget him anymore because of that?

Ye Langtian pondered for a moment, and then said, "I have also heard a lot about Gu Changge; he's my greatest adversary. The world calls me the Reincarnation of an Ancient Emperor, but he's known as a Reincarnation of a True Immortal. Reincarnation of an Ancient Emperor, Reincarnation of a True Immortal...these titles already say a lot..."

Ancient Emperors were mighty existences who had carved a piece of land for themselves, expanded their territory, gathered immense wealth, and established supreme dynasties that stood for eras upon eras, but only True Immortals could be worshiped as Immortals, and that honor couldn't be availed by Ancient Emperors and the like.

Although both titles sounded majestic, there was a great difference between the two.

Ye Langtian understood this well.

What's more? Gu Changge had already broken through to the Middle Stage of the Conferred King Realm, while he had only just broken through to the Conferred King Realm, so the gap between the two wasn't all that small.

Ye Liuli was shocked by Ye Langtian's response — even her elder brother thought of him like that, so Gu Changge must be even scarier than what she initially believed!

As this thought crossed through her mind, she recalled the scene of a strange ancient god with an oppressive aura appearing majestically before, and that increased her fear of Gu Changge.

Ye Langtian didn't have the time to notice Ye Liuli's strange expression. Right now, he was busy shaking his head and thinking about how he would need to compete with Gu Changge in the future. He was also a Young Supreme, so it went without saying that he would need to compete with his peers sooner or later. Still, he wasn't afraid of any challenge that could come his way.

"Young Master, the boy named Ye Ling from the collateral branch is here again. He wishes to challenge you to make a name for himself, and he has already gathered a lot of people in the Martial Training Field."

Right then, the voice of a servant sounded from outside the palace. Ye Langtian, who was talking to Ye Liuli, couldn't help but frown.

"Ye Ling? Who's that? How can someone from a collateral branch dare to challenge Elder Brother?"

Ye Liuli was surprised when she heard those words.

Ye Langtian was the Young Master of the Ancient Immortal Ye Family, and even though he hadn't gone out to make a name for himself yet, it was a fact that he held immense might, so how could someone dare to challenge him?

Did that person not want to live anymore, or was he just causing trouble?

Ye Langtian responded to Ye Liuli's question with some annoyance in his tone, "That Ye Ling obtained the first position in the Family's competition recently, so the Family promised him three rewards, one of which was the permission to challenge and defeat me. He wants to avenge his father for back then when I hurt him by mistake."

"Elder Brother, haven't we already paid them great wealth in compensation? I remember that they accepted the compensation and let the matter go..."

Ye Liuli was stunned by the details of the matter. They had already accepted the compensation, yet here they were now, asking for justice? No wonder even her mild-tempered elder brother felt annoyed by his pestering.

"He's using that matter to further his agendas, and claiming that the Main Branch looks down on the Collateral Branches, and that caused quite a stir in the Family; a lot of the Elders scolded me over this already."

Ye Langtian said with deep annoyance showing on his face.

The other party was a shameless rogue, and couldn't be handled easily. Even Ye Langtian, the Young Master of the Ancient Immortal Ye Family, felt helpless when dealing with him. Not only could he not refuse the challenge, but he also had to give face to the Collateral Branches and suppress his cultivation in the fight.

He wondered if seeking justice was just a pretense, and the guy was just taking this opportunity to make trouble for him?

Soon, Ye Langtian left the palace and headed towards the Martial Training Field. Ye Liuli followed after him, desiring to see the so-called 'Fight for Justice!'

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[Supreme Immortal Dynasty, Imperial City.]

In a quaint and majestic hall, the sun and moon appeared to be hanging high, and the universe seemed to be compressed inside it.

Yue Mingkong was dressed in magnificent Imperial robes, and sat on a throne as she radiated an oppressive Imperial majesty. Her narrowed, phoenix eyes watched her trembling ministers as they reported the details of various events.

"Your Excellency, we have already settled the internal and external issues of the Supreme Immortal Dynasty, so you don't need to worry about any opposition in the future."

Yue Mingkong nodded with a touch of satisfaction as she heard these words.

"Withdraw."

Then, she waved her hand, and all of the ministers withdrew, and only a few of her confidants were left in the palace. Before long, Yue Mingkong sent them all out as well.

Sitting in the hall alone, she rubbed her brows and tried to ease her tiredness as she tried to recall what would happen next. After all, she had to prepare for the future in advance. Even though she knew much about the future, life wasn't easy. If she didn't have knowledge of the future, her life would be even worse.

Gu Changge was scary!

'According to the time, the Extreme Yin Heaven will soon appear in the world, and the Inner Region will fall into turmoil. After all, it's an ancient realm that will need multiple behemoths to open it...this matter will soon become the top priority for all the Races and Heritages.'

'All the great Heritages will work together to form the True Immortal Academy, and then they will select the best disciples from every faction to nurture as True Immortals...'

'The Immortal Road of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace should also appear soon. It must be the reason my good husband entered the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace and plotted for so long! I didn't even notice this fact back then.' no $V \varepsilon lu SB.com$

'Now that I think about it, it must be the greatest reason for him to enter the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.'

'When the Immortal Spirit emerged back then, all the Races and Heritages competed for it, and it even alarmed some Supremes into taking action...alas! That resulted in no one getting their hands on the Immortal Spirit, and it disappeared not long after...'

'Now that I think about it, the Immortal Spirit must have been taken away by Gu Changge! Hehe, to steal food from under the eyes of various ancient monsters...he's indeed my good husband.'

Yue Mingkong laughed at herself, but soon, her expression turned solemn.

'He is the inheritor of that Forbidden Art, so his real cultivation shouldn't be as simple as it appears. I was too impulsive in visiting the Ancient Immortal Gu Family the last time; my chances of survival would have been slim if he had wanted to kill me.'

'I must make preparations for the future.'

Yue Mingkong faintly sighed as she thought of this.

She had obtained no advantage on her trip to the Ancient Immortal Gu Family. On the other hand, she discovered that the current Gu Changge was somewhat different from the one she knew from her previous life. The changes in him roused her suspicions, and disturbed her mind.

She knew that Gu Changge was born with a demonic nature, and it was a matter that wouldn't be hidden from the world for long. The reason he dug out his young cousin's Dao Bone was for the sole reason of covering up his demonic nature.

Of course, this incident didn't have much impact on Gu Changge.

Talent of a True Immortal, and Demonic Nature...this matter had shocked the world.

She didn't know, however, where Gu Changge's demonic nature actually originated from; she guessed that it was related to his inheritance of the Forbidden Demonic Arts.

'Now that I think about it, Sister Xian'er was such a kind person, yet she ended up with such a pitiful fate. Not only did Gu Changge dig out her Dao Bones in my previous life, but he must have also swallowed her cultivation base later, and that's why she disappeared. I was foolish to think that she let go of her hatred, and decided to live a life of seclusion.'

'I must protect her in this life.'

As this thought crossed through her mind, Yue Mingkong felt that the burden on her shoulders had gotten heavier.

Others might not know, but she was well aware of the fact that there was an incomparably powerful and mysterious master behind Gu Changge, who had only moved once in her previous life. It was that one move by him that prevented Gu Changge's Demonic Inheritance from getting exposed.

Yue Mingkong guessed that Gu Changge's mysterious master was related to his Demonic Inheritance, and he would only take action when Gu Changge's Demonic Inheritance was about to be exposed.

After all, why would he never show up otherwise?

The Demonic Inheritance was something that couldn't be exposed no matter what! After all, even Gu Changge's powerful master could only tread in the dark because of it, so his fate could already be imagined if the matter somehow got out.

In her heart, Yue Mingkong honestly didn't want to see the day when the matter of Gu Changge's Demonic Inheritance would come to light, and everyone related to him would turn on him for his life.

'What am I even doing? Aren't I just protecting him like this?'

Yue Mingkong quickly calmed down, and decided to go to the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace. Her trip was for the manifestation of the Immortal Road, as well as Gu Xian'er.

As her sister-in-law, she couldn't watch Gu Xian'er go through hardship when she already knew what would happen to her.

'Hmm, the successor of the Ancient Emperor of Reincarnation should also appear any time now, no? He seemed to be called Ye Ling or something. He chanced upon the [Ancient Reincarnation Talisman] which contains the power of Reincarnation...I must obtain this power!'

Yue Mingkong's phoenix eyes narrowed as she recalled another important matter.

Ancient Reincarnation Heavenly Venerate! He was an extremely ancient existence with a cultivation base that allowed him to stand tall in Heaven and Earth. It was said that he controlled the power of the Six Paths of Samsara, which made it almost impossible for him to be killed off, and he had lived through countless epochs as well.

She could take advantage of the fact that the Ancient Emperor of Reincarnation's successor had yet to grow up, and snatch the [Ancient Reincarnation Talisman] from him.

Yue Mingkong began to make plans after thinking about this.

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[Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.]

A white-robed old man with an Immortal-like bearing fished for something atop a mountain covered in clouds and hazy mist.

"This Junior can't help but admire the Great Elder's leisurely and carefree life."

A chuckling youth appeared on the mountain, and casually found himself a stone bench to sit on without caring for what the others around him thought. His expression showed as if he was sitting in his own backyard.

"Gu Changge, just get to the point if you have something to say; you don't need to beat around the bush before me."

The Great Elder responded without a change in his expression, and continued looking straight at his fishline that went down the sea of clouds in front of him.

He had no good feelings for Gu Changge, but Gu Changge didn't care about that.

He smiled, and said, "There's nothing much. I just wanted to thank the Great Elder for helping with my little sister's education."

Gu Xian'er, who was expressionlessly standing behind him, tightened her hold on the jade sword in her hand, and desired to stab it through his heart from behind.

Only a few people could visit the Great Elder's mountain on normal days, and Gu Changge had only been here once before. It was back when he joined the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, and broke the record of the Heavenly Dao Road, which alarmed countless existences.

Many thought that the Great Elder would accept him as his disciple, but reality was different from their imagination. The Great Elder merely brought him to his mountain, said a few words, and then sent him back without once mentioning anything about taking him as his disciple.

Naturally, Gu Changge remembered his words very clearly. Back then, the first sentence that came out of the Great Elder's mouth was: 'You have impure motives, a deep-seated demonic nature, and no shame.'

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Naturally, Gu Changge only responded to him with a snort, and told him that he wasn't dying to be the Great Elder's disciple either.

Cultivators in the world had always avoided those with a demonic nature, especially people like Gu Changge, who were born with a demonic nature. The demonic nature didn't give off some aura, but instead, it was recognized by the actions and temperament of its holder.

This result greatly disappointed the Great Elder, and his disappointment only deepened when he realized that Gu Changge was craving the position of the heir of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace's right after he joined the Palace.

As for why? It wasn't hard for him to guess. After all, only the Elders or the heir could set foot in certain core areas of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, which were forbidden to the outsiders. The Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace held many secrets that interested even some ancient behemoths, after all.

Gu Changge was definitely aiming for all that.

What's more? The Ancient Immortal Gu Family seemed to have some other plots prepared for the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, so Gu Changge certainly didn't have any pure motives in joining the Palace from the get-go.

Furthermore, Gu Changge's actions hadn't been any different from what the Great Elder expected from someone like him who was born with a demonic nature.

Gu Changge dug out his cousin's Dao Bone, behaved arrogantly in the Palace, and had no respect for the Elders...the Great Elder was an upright man, and had it not been for the rules of the Palace, he would have long kicked Gu Changge out of the Palace.

"Xian'er is so talented, with the supreme talent of a True Immortal, so this old man must naturally teach her. You, on the other hand...why are you pretending to be a good person by running over here?"

The Great Elder glanced at Gu Changge and said. He had seen countless people over his life, so how could Gu Changge conceal such trickery from him?

Gu Changge showed no annoyance at his words, and, without a change in his expression, he said, "Pretending to be a good person? Great Elder, it seems that you hold deep-seated prejudice against me! I naturally wish for Xian'er to succeed in the future and achieve even greater success than me, so why would I pretend to be a good person?"

Gu Changge, too, had no good feelings for the old man in front of him, so much so that he didn't even bother to call himself 'Junior' anymore.

Anyway, the Great Elder dared not do anything to him.

As for him saying that he was pretending to be a good person? Well, although he was correct, he had to bring out evidence to back his claim.

"If you were so kind, would you dig out her Dao Bone to conceal your demonic nature?"

The Great Elder would obviously not waste this opportunity to use this matter. Were the one standing in front of him someone else, he wouldn't even bother with them, but he couldn't bring himself to stay silent when it came to Gu Changge.

"About that matter...why don't you let it go already, Great Elder? Hasn't Xian'er already grown a new Dao Bone?"

Gu Changge responded with a shake of his head. It was obvious that there were some secrets that he couldn't expose about what happened back then.

Gu Xian'er, on the other hand, looked at Gu Changge with confusion as she heard their exchange.

He wanted her to surpass him?

Was he telling the truth, or merely spewing lies?

Also, how did he know that she had already grown a new Dao Bone?

The reality was obviously in front of her. Gu Changge had done nothing against her, and even let her go time and again even though she desired nothing more than to end his life.

The more she thought about it, the more she felt that what happened back then wasn't simple, and there were some facts still hidden from her.

Gu Changge's actions were completely different from what she had expected from him!

It's just that Gu Changge wouldn't say the truth, and she couldn't bring herself to ask him either; the grudge between them couldn't be resolved with a few words, after all.

"That's a grudge between you and Xian'er, so this old man won't bother interfering in this matter. Speak already if you have anything to say besides this nonsense."

The Great Elder's expression sank, and he clearly wanted the uninvited guest before him to leave as soon as possible.

Gu Changge showed a complacent expression, and said, "Since Xian'er is now the Great Elder's disciple, how can I, her Elder Brother, not come to take a look? Of course, what I am worried about is that the Great Elder might be too harsh on Xian'er because of me."

Those words were naturally not from the bottom of his heart, but he would lose nothing in saying them, so why not?

The meaning behind his words was simple: 'I am worried that you accepted Xian'er as your disciple because of me, and that you will not treat her well, or teach her carefully. Who knows, you might be too harsh on her, and even scold her without reason!'

Of course, his words were said with the complete intention of infuriating the Great Elder, otherwise, he had complete trust in the integrity of the old man, and knew that he wouldn't make life hard for Gu Xian'er just because of him.

Not only could he use this opportunity to mess with the Great Elder, but he could also let Gu Xian'er know just how much he, her Elder Brother, cared for her. He was so worried about her that he didn't even care about offending the Great Elder just to make sure he wouldn't wrong her!

Sure enough, the Great Elder's expression changed and he showed deep rage as he heard his words. The world behind him darkened, and the wind picked up speed as the clouds changed their color and tumbled around.

Thunder roared in the surroundings, and the aura of a mighty, enraged god descended upon everything.

The sudden oppressive force and change in the atmosphere frightened innumerable disciples of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace — their legs softened, and they almost fell to their knees.

"That's where the Great Elder lives, right? What happened?"

The expressions of many Elders also changed and paled, and their hearts trembled. They got to see the rage of the Great Elder after countless years of calm, after all.

The Master is like running water, while the Great Elder is unchanging.

This sentence wasn't just some nonsense in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace. One could imagine the Great Elder's unfathomable might just from this sentence.

"Gu Changge, don't talk nonsense! How can my Master be like that?!"

Gu Xian'er was also stunned, and hurriedly shouted towards Gu Changge. She never imagined that Gu Changge had appeared here with this motive, so she couldn't help but feel extremely complicated emotions surge through her heart.

Gu Changge had completely offended the Great Elder with those words!

Now that he had offended the Great Elder, his life in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace probably wouldn't be all that great, even if he was a True Disciple of the Palace.

"Good, good! It's the first time in countless years that a Junior has dared to speak like this in front of this old man. Although I know that you are deliberately trying to provoke this old man, I must say that you have succeeded."

The Great Elder was no ordinary man either, and it didn't take him long to suppress his rage. His angry glare disappeared, and he looked at Gu Changge with a smile, and said, "It would have been good if you didn't say all that, but now that you have said that, this old man will make sure to train Gu Xian'er until she can easily suppress you!"

"If she can't do it, then this old man will step down from his position, and even give you the position of heir."

The Great Elder's proclamation stunned Gu Changge, but he wasn't surprised for long. Of course, his face still showed the same smile as before as he said, "Since the Great Elder has said so, then I can also rest assured now. I am looking forward to the day when your words will come to pass."

"This Changge won't take any more of your time."

With that said, Gu Changge took one last glance at Gu Xian'er with a smile, and then directly turned into a ray of light that disappeared from the mountain.

The surroundings also returned to their previous calm as the winds weakened, and the clouds stopped tumbling around.

As for offending the Great Elder? Gu Changge couldn't be bothered by it.

At the same time, a System Prompt sounded in his mind.

[Ding! The Favored Daughter of Heaven, Gu Xian'er, had her murderous heart shaken by you...]

The first step of his plan finally bore fruit.

The mountain of the Great Elder was silent as a gentle breeze blew atop it, and clouds rolled around it.

Gu Xian'er lowered her head and didn't say anything.

Right now, her heart was in turmoil. She knew well that Gu Changge was merely trying to provoke the Great Elder with his words, but at the same time, he forced the Great Elder to vow to teach her well.

She could no longer comprehend Gu Changge's intentions.

Won't the Great Elder putting more effort in teaching her be bad for Gu Changge?

Why would he do something thankless like that?

Was he trying to make up for what he did to her back then?

Or was he plotting something even more sinister?

Gu Xian'er fell into a daze, and couldn't figure out just what Gu Changge was up to now.

The Great Elder, on the other hand, could only sigh as he watched Gu Xian'er's complicated expression.

"He will definitely have a place at the top of this world in the future."

If this remark were to spread, it would surely cause a massive sensation in all directions. How many people had received such a compliment from the Great Elder? What's more? His tone was completely affirmative as if the matter would come to pass without doubt. $n0V \varepsilon lu SB.com$

Gu Xian'er lowered her head and kept her quiet at his words; she had no idea about what to say at this time.

She was confused.

She recalled the day when she met Gu Changge outside the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, and realized that he indeed held no ill will towards her.

Did he really want to make up to her for the past?

Could it be that he just couldn't be honest and do everything without angering her due to his temperament?

"Xian'er, you don't need to worry about anything; since this old man said that, then this old man will naturally do as he claimed. Gu Changge was merely trying to anger this old man. As for why he acts like that? It can be attributed to his demonic nature..."

The Great Elder calmed down and shook his head as he watched Gu Xian'er's silent appearance.

"Master, why do you think Gu Changge tries so hard to conceal his demonic nature? What could be the reason behind his demonic nature?"

Gu Xian'er suddenly asked him with a confused expression. Gu Changge wouldn't go that far just to hide his demonic nature, after all. He must be trying to hide its source, she thought.

"There are many reasons for a person to have a demonic nature. This old man can't tell what caused Gu Changge's demonic nature, and you would need to ask him if you want to know the truth of this matter."

The Great Elder dismissed the matter with these words. It wasn't uncommon for people to be born with a demonic nature. Some would be born with a devilish soul, and others would be contaminated by Immortal Devil Qi, etc.

He could only tell that Gu Changge had a strong demonic nature, as for where it came from? He would need to investigate his body before reaching a conclusion — he had no interest in something like that.

Now, the Great Elder only wanted to help Gu Xian'er surpass Gu Changge, so as to make Gu Changge regret his words.

"Thank you, Master, I understand."

Gu Xian'er responded with a nod. At the same time, she felt as if she had caught on to some clue.

"Gu Changge's demonic nature is seated deep down his bones, and his actions are largely influenced by his demonic nature, too. If it weren't for his demonic nature, this old man would have long accepted him as his disciple."

The Great Elder couldn't help but sigh. He felt that a good seedling had been ruined because of his demonic nature.

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Gu Changge was in no hurry to plan for the future of Gu Xian'er after he returned to his residence.

First, he considered what he would be doing next. As for him offending the Great Elder? He had already pushed the matter to the back of his head and couldn't be bothered about the repercussions.

With Gu Xian'er's wit and means, she would certainly want to investigate the 'truth of that year' now that he had planted seeds of doubts in her heart. He had left her enough clues to reach the 'truth.'

As for how he would arrange the 'truth of that year,' he could worry about that later as he already had a solid plan in mind. For now, he decided to put aside Gu Xian'er's matter for a while.

'Right now, what I need to focus on is the Immortal Road.'

Gu Changge couldn't help but squint his eyes at this thought.

According to the memories of his Original, there was an Immortal Road in the depths of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace that had disappeared a long time ago.

According to various calculations, the Immortal Road would soon materialize in the world and bring with it a supreme opportunity. The reason he had coveted the position of heir of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace was to get that supreme opportunity hidden in the depths of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.

'Speaking of which, I should also merge the fragments of the World Seed and nurture a world inside me. When the time comes, I might be able to slip inside unnoticed with this ability combined with my Void Talent, and fish in troubled waters.'

As soon as Gu Changge thought of this, he opened his Attributes Panel, and found the three fragments of the World Seed listed in it.

As Gu Changge busied himself with these matters, a majestic carriage pulled by nine divine phoenixes galloped through the boundless sky towards the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.

Inside the carriage made of black gold sat Yue Mingkong dressed in a plain gauze dress. Her Immortal visage gave her a picturesque appearance, and her lustrous hair was tied up in a bun — she looked breathtakingly beautiful.

Her eyebrows were like slender willow branches, while her phoenix eyes showed an incomparably deep calm. Right now, she was busy rubbing her glabella to ease her fatigue.

"My good husband, it's really not easy to deal with you."

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Chapter 99: Synthesizing a World; Stealing Your Wife's Opportunity Isn't Stealing, Right?

Gu Changge fell into thought as he looked at his current Attributes Panel.

Host: Gu Changge

Halo: Destined Heavenly Villain

Weapon(s): Eight Desolate Demon Halberd

Identity: True Disciple of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace | Young Master of the Ancient Immortal Gu

Family

Innate Bloodline(s): Devil Heart | Dao Bone

Cultivation: Conferred King (Middle Stage)

Mystical Abilities:

Destiny Points: 10000

Fortune Value: 2000 (Dark)

System Shop: Open

Warehouse:

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Over the last period, his Destiny Points had increased to ten thousand, while his Fortune Value had also rushed to two thousand Points. He now had a huge sum of wealth in his coffers, but Gu Changge wasn't in a hurry to increase his cultivation.

He went to look through the System Shop, and finally found what he desired after a while: '[Divinegrade Aura Concealment Talisman].'

It cost eight thousand Destiny Points.

[Item Introduction: Completely hides the user's aura for half an hour.]

Although the feature didn't sound all that great, Gu Changge's expression still showed a touch of satisfaction. Since it was a product from the System, then it's ability definitely couldn't be doubted. It would most certainly be able to completely hide his aura, so where wouldn't he be able to go with his Void Talent's ability?

Gu Changge immediately exchanged for a [Divine-grade Aura Concealment Talisman] without feeling distress over the loss of Destiny Points. After all, he was about to vie for a supreme opportunity that was said to be so great that even Supremes would come out for it.

After that, he exchanged a thousand points of Fortune Value for another ten thousand Destiny Points, and exchanged the Points for a [Domain Traversing Talisman] and a [Formation Breaking Talisman].

The [Formation Breaking Talisman] did exactly what it's name suggested: 'it broke formations and other such restrictions.'

As for the [Domain Traversing Talisman]? It could help him escape at a critical moment.

These were his so-called multiple layers of protection.

After that, Gu Changge began to merge the fragments of the World Seed. Immediately, his vision blurred, and the three seeds of different shapes appeared in front of him and showed him a majestic scene as they merged together.

Countless complicated runes spread around, and a world in its infancy opened right in front of Gu Changge. The sun rose and the moon circled around the world; mountains and rivers appeared, and an ancient sea gushed forth. The world evolved in front of him in an extremely bizarre manner, and kept on expanding.

[Buzz!]

A hazy glow radiated in the surroundings as the three seeds completely fused together, and turned into a gushing glow.

Gu Changge felt the oppressive aura of the entire world press down on his chest — it was an extremely vast and boundless aura of chaos.

Before long, the chaos subsided, and the scene cleared up as the murky glow sank.

Heaven and Earth evolved inside him, and a mysterious and expansive world was born within him!

The world was finally born!

Inside him, the sun and the moon hung high, the stars adorned the sky, and auspicious clouds floated above the ground, forming an enclosed cycle of life. Although the world wasn't too big, it had the complete form of a recently-birthed world.

'Not only did I succeed in fusing the fragments of the World Seed, but I also nurtured a world inside me in one go.'

'The feeling of having a world in the palm of my hand is refreshing, indeed. I can throw in whatever I want.'

'If I come across a mighty foe, I can even hide inside the world. As long as I don't come across a mighty being who is good at creation and spatial travel, I will be good.'

Gu Changge looked at the Destiny Points that were reduced by thousands at once, but wasn't bothered by the expense.

He pondered for a while, and then...

[Buzz!]

The Void around him fluctuated, and in the next moment, his entire person disappeared from his spot without leaving behind many fluctuations.

If anyone were to see him at that moment, they would have been shocked and left dumbfounded.

Gu Changge had simply disappeared into thin air!

His method was too appalling.

However, if one with the ability of creation saw the changes in the surrounding, they would immediately find some strange fluctuations. Gu Changge didn't disappear into thin air, instead, he opened a spatial channel and rushed into another world.

Gu Changge's figure appeared atop a mountain in the world he created through the World Seed.

As he watched the surroundings and spread his Spiritual Sense all over the place, he realized that the world only had a radius of a few thousand miles. Although there were mountains, rivers, ancient trees, and some ordinary creatures, there was no Spiritual Qi.

Beyond the developed world was undeveloped chaos, so Gu Changge couldn't help but fall into thought.

The World Seed given by the System was most likely the best of its kind. The endless chaos evolving in the distance reminded him of how the world was said to have evolved in ancient times in his previous life. He could infer from this that the current world inside him was merely in its infancy, and that he would need to expand it further in the future.

Now that he was here, he could even use it as a foothold for all his plots in the future.

Gu Changge estimated that the world could further evolve to the highest possible point in the future. It wouldn't be impossible for it to grow into an entire Universe inside him.

Of course, the world could also serve many other purposes, such as: 'confining and suppressing enemies, appearing in the outside world as a world of its own, or even devouring the original world that was outside him...'

Gu Changge recalled many myths as he thought of how he could use his newly-birthed inner world.

In the beginning, there was nothing, but then Chaos came into existence; Chaos birthed the three thousand Chaotic Fiend Gods among which was Pangu; Pangu then split Heaven and Earth.

Hongjun preached and the Three Pure Ones appeared; Nuwa created man, and Suiren taught them how to make fire from wood.

It wouldn't be impossible for something similar to appear in Gu Changge's inner world.

Gu Changge fell into thought for a while, and then asked the System, 'System, can I upgrade the inner world with Destiny Points?'

[Destiny Points are applicable on everything. As long as you have enough Points, you can upgrade whatever you desire.]

The System responded.

Gu Changge nodded, and then immediately put Destiny Points into the upgrade of the inner world.

[Boom!]

Soon, a group of magnificent and majestic palaces rose from the ground behind him, like quaint Heavenly Pavilions that stood tall between Heaven and Earth. Their immeasurably tall pillars alone could support the sky above, just like the Heavenly Palace in the ancient myths.

Gu Changge's figure disappeared from his spot and appeared inside the grandest Palace, and he resembled a deity who lorded over the Heavens and everything above and below them.

He couldn't help but nod with satisfaction.

'It's so captivating; wouldn't it be better for me to just wait in here until this world surpasses the original?'

The establishment of his personal Heavenly Court didn't cost him much. After all, the inner world belonged to him, so it wasn't hard for him to make changes to it.

Afterwards, Gu Changge returned to the original world and fell into thought inside his residence. For now, he could put aside the matter of his inner world — he had to focus on the Immortal Road that would appear soon.

He had already prepared everything, and now, he was merely waiting for the right opportunity. It's just that he didn't know the exact time for the Immortal Road's appearance.

But soon, Gu Changge recalled someone who might. His wife— no, his future wife.

Yue Mingkong!

Since she was a regressor, she must know when the Immortal Road would appear. It's just that it won't be easy to get her to talk.

Moreover, if Gu Changge hadn't guessed wrong, then Yue Mingkong would most likely be on her way to the Immeasurable Heaven[1]. After all, he was her greatest foe in the original timeline, so if she desired to take revenge on him, she had to get this opportunity.

[1: it's the region where the Dao Palace is located.]

As for him stealing his wife's opportunity? Gu Changge felt not a shred of guilt about it.

She belonged to him, so the opportunity also belonged to him, naturally.

What's more? Could stealing your wife's opportunity even be called stealing?

Gu Changge knew well that he couldn't clear Yue Mingkong's deep-seated hatred towards him in a day or two. Maybe, she would get used to him and give up after a while after getting bullied at his hands.

He was already treating her with immeasurable kindness by not killing her outright. After all, although he was evil, he wasn't a crazy devil who craved blood and nothing else.

Be it Gu Xian'er or Yue Mingkong, Gu Changge hadn't chosen the option to kill them off. It wasn't that he couldn't do it, but that he felt that it would be too boring. If he did that, then what would be the difference between him and the Original who was dominated by his demonic nature?[2]

[2: Buddhist Holy Land flashbacks. Thousands upon thousands of souls cursing you from the Netherworld, bruh.]

"Yan Ji..."

Soon, Gu Changge's expression returned to calm, and he called out for Yan Ji through a Communication Talisman.

Yan Ji obviously followed him all the way to Immeasurable Heaven; it's just that she usually hid in the dark and wouldn't show up easily. Because of this, only a few in the Immeasurable Heaven knew that he had a Great Sacred Realm subordinate beside him.

One had to know that even some Elders of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace had yet to reach this level!

Soon, the Void in front of him fluctuated, and Yan Ji walked out, and respectfully greeted him, "Young Master."

Ever since she returned from the Land of Forsaken Immortals, she had been recovering from her serious injuries that she received from the attack of the peach blossom thrown at her by that mysterious peach tree.

Had she not reacted in haste and opened a spatial tunnel using the [Domain Traversing Talisman], then she would have probably spent an eternity buried in that place.

Gu Changge glanced at her, and then asked with a slight nod, "How's your injury?" no $\mathcal{V}ElUs$ b.com

"Thank you for your concern, Young Master. The Medicinal Pills you gave me have almost healed my injuries."

Yan Ji replied with feelings of respect and gratitude.

Gu Changge had been very kind to her. After she was injured, he kept on giving her healing medicines and elixirs of great quality, and also made sure to not arrange any tasks for her so she could recuperate without worry.

Now that he finally called for her, the first thing he asked her was the state of her injury, so Yan Ji couldn't help but feel moved. Although she didn't show anything on her face, the gratitude in her heart was immense. How many people would be so considerate of others?

"That's great; I have a task for you."

Gu Changge said with a nod.

"Young Master, give me your command."

Yan Ji said.

"Help me find the whereabouts of the fourth princess of the Supreme Immortal Dynasty in the Immeasurable Heaven. Also, make sure you aren't noticed by her."

Gu Changge said.

There was no way Yue Mingkong wouldn't come to Immeasurable Heaven. It's just that he was sure she would come quietly, find a place to hide, and make sure he wouldn't know her whereabouts.

After he 'dealt' with her back in the Ancient Immortal Gu Family, Yue Mingkong had gone above and beyond in hiding from him.

Gu Changge naturally saw through her measly tricks, but he had to have her appear in front of him now. Since she had come to the Immeasurable Heaven, then there was no reason for her to not see her husband.

How could he not know what Yue Mingkong was plotting?

"If you are noticed by her, then just show up and tell her that I will personally go out to catch her if she doesn't come to see me."

Gu Changge suddenly added with a playful expression.

"Understood, Young Master."

Yan Ji left as soon as she received her orders.

She naturally knew of the relationship between the fourth princess of the Supreme Immortal Dynasty and Gu Changge.

The fourth princess of the Supreme Immortal Dynasty was a favored daughter of heaven with immense fame in the Upper Realm, and she was also the Crown Princess of the Supreme Immortal Dynasty. Even

though she was already engaged, there were still countless geniuses and favored sons of heaven who professed their love for her.

The most important matter was that she had heard rumors in the Ancient Immortal Gu Family that the fourth princess of the Supreme Immortal Dynasty was head over heels for Gu Changge, but Young Master Gu always treated her with indifference and never cared for her.

Yet now, the fourth princess seemed to be avoiding Young Master Gu? Why was that?

Yan Ji was somewhat puzzled. From what she had seen of Gu Changge's temperament, he was certainly not the kind of person to treat someone like that.

Could it be that he disliked the fourth princess for some reason?

Alas! It was useless for her to think about this matter. After all, it wasn't something she could easily speculate about.

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Chapter 100: Yue Mingkong Plotting Against a Favored Son of Heaven; Killing Without Meeting!

Several days passed in the blink of an eye.

The sun at high noon shone like a ball of mighty flame above the world.

Suddenly, a burst of divine light rushed towards the sky from the depths of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace; a loud rumbling echoed throughout the region, and it was as if a towering ancient city had collapsed.

The terrible sound shook the entire Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, and sent everyone into a frenzy.

[Whoosh!]

[Whoosh!]

[Whoosh!]

A series of divine rainbows and lights rushed towards the sky from the different peaks and divine islands. At the same time, some people noticed a colorful, immortal mist gush forth from the place where the light burst from.

But soon, the Elders of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace made a move and suppressed the visions, and covered it from the prying eyes of the onlookers.

Such a scene caused a sensation throughout the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace — it shocked the many disciples, and they soon spread the news around.

At the same time, massive waves went through the world outside of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace as the informants of the major Heritages, Races, and Orthodoxies passed the news back to them.

With every passing day, the situation in the Inner Region of the Upper Realm got more and more turbulent. Many speculated that something was birthed in the depths of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, and that had caused the phenomenon.

There were various rumors floating around in the Upper Realm that the depths of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace held a mysterious, ancient continent whose roots could be traced back to the Primordial Era of Immortals. It was said that the continent was moved to the depths of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace by supreme powerhouses of the time.

The continent was said to contain supreme opportunities like Immortal Scriptures, Divine Inscriptions, and whatnot other Immortal Inheritances which seemed to have been memorized only by the Elders of the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.

On normal days, the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace guarded that area with their strongest might, and it would be impossible for outsiders to approach it without permission. But once the divine light rushed to the sky, the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace found itself pushed to make a choice as the various Heritages and Races showed an intent to move.

On normal days, all the opportunities belonged solely to the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, but now that the opportunity had shown itself before the world, there was no reason for them to let the Palace monopolize everything.

Many mighty figures of the various Heritages and Races had once studied in the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace, so they obviously couldn't bring themselves to say that to the Palace's face, so they planned to send their young disciples and family members to the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace.

Immeasurable Heaven turned extremely lively for a while as various divine lights, chariots, and warships, etc. came from all sides.

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[In a remote Ancient City of Immeasurable Heaven.]

[Boom!]

The black-gold carriage pulled by the nine phoenixes galloping through the sky landed in the ancient city, and attracted the attention of many cultivators in the surroundings.

They reckoned that the identity of the person inside the carriage couldn't be simple if they dared to flaunt their might like this.

Many began to guess the identity of the carriage's master.

Immeasurable Heaven had been very lively over the past few days, and they would see a large number of cultivators from various backgrounds rush towards the Heavenly Dao Ancient City, so they couldn't help but wonder why such a noble carriage had descended to a remote place like this?

A black-clothed man with an ordinary appearance, tall stature, and a thoughtful expression raised his head and looked outside his attic after noticing the sudden movements outside.

"How come such a majestic chariot appeared in a place like this? From the runes and patterns on it, it appears to be someone from the Supreme Immortal Dynasty, no?"

"The one inside must have an extraordinary identity if they can get nine phoenixes to pull their carriage. Could it be some prince or princess?"

The man dressed in black muttered to himself.

If one looked closely at him, they would see a black pendant hanging on his chest. Every now and then, mysterious runes would flash around the pendant, and it also glowed.

"Speaking of which, this place isn't all that far from the Heavenly Dao Ancient City; it won't take much time to reach it if one rushes towards it."

"I heard that the number one beauty of the Supreme Immortal Dynasty, Princess Yue Mingkong, has the appearance of an Empress! Could she be the one inside the carriage?"

A strange smile appeared on the youth's face as he muttered these words. At the same time, he showed a thoughtful expression as he watched the black-gold carriage in the distance.

Right then, a desperate voice sounded from inside the black pendant on his chest.

"Brat, don't forget what we are here for! There's an opportunity for you inside the Heavenly Immortal Dao Palace."

"Why the heck are you turning jelly over a woman you haven't even seen?! The princess of the Supreme Immortal Dynasty isn't someone you can reach right now."

The youth in black showed an unhappy expression as he replied, "What's the big deal if I go and take a look at the newcomer? Who knows, the person inside might not be a princess. Speaking of which, why would a princess from the Supreme Immortal Dynasty even come to a place like this?"

With that said, the youth stood up and walked out towards the carriage while ignoring the persuasions of the voice inside the pendant.

"Your Excellency, we have arrived at the Black Stone Ancient City."

The voice of a respectful old woman in white robe sounded from outside the carriage, and reminded her master sitting inside.

The one inside the carriage was none other than Yue Mingkong who was lost in a daze.

The words of the woman brought her out of her daze, and she narrowed her eyes and nodded as she watched the scenery outside.

'Black Stone Ancient City; from what I recall of my previous life, Ye Ling, the successor of the Ancient Emperor of Reincarnation, first made a name for himself in the Black Stone Ancient City.'

'That guy gained immense fame within a few days of time, and even Ye Langtian, the Young Master of the Ancient Immortal Ye Family, suffered a massive loss at his hands in their first bout. If that wasn't enough, then Ye Ling beat him down even more in their later battles.'

'Ye Ling rapidly rose and became a shining star of the Inner Region in a short period of time. His reputation overshadowed even my good husband's for a while. What's more? He had a lot of friends and confidants around him all the time as well! The Young Master of the White Tiger Family, the Young Master of the Purple-Winged Dragon Family, and others with such powerful backgrounds gave him a boost.'

Yue Mingkong thought so in her heart.

She naturally came here for the [Ancient Reincarnation Talisman], which was in the possession of the Ancient Emperor of Reincarnation's successor.

The [Ancient Reincarnation Talisman] contained the Dao of Reincarnation, which was an extremely mighty force that could even contend with Gu Changge's Forbidden Inheritance's abilities.

She didn't understand much about these matters at first, but she found this information after looking through countless ancient records and inscriptions over the last period of time.

No matter what, she had to snatch the [Ancient Reincarnation Talisman]!

Still, she was well aware of the fact that the man named Ye Ling was no simple character. Ye Langtian was regarded by the outside world as a Young Supreme who stood on equal footing with Gu Changge, so there was nothing to say about his extraordinary means.

Yet, even as a Young Supreme and the Young Master of the Ancient Immortal Ye Family, he was pummeled by Ye Ling.

In her previous life, Ye Ling was one of the many brilliant youths who suffered at Gu Changge's hands. She wasn't sure if he died later or what, but it was a fact that he had disappeared for a long time.

'In my previous life, Ye Ling was still almost killed by my good husband even with the [Ancient Reincarnation Talisman] in his hands, so I must be careful even after I get it from him.'

Soon, Yue Mingkong's expression showed calm, and her deep and indifferent phoenix eyes looked outside the carriage. She had already spread around a [Heaven and Earth Confinement Formation], and was now waiting for Ye Ling's arrival.

As for why she was sure that Ye Ling would appear? n0velusB.c0m

From her memories of the previous life, Yue Mingkong already knew that Ye Ling seemed to admire her greatly for some unknown reason. After becoming the Young Master of the Ancient Immortal Ye Family, he proclaimed before her that he would snatch her away from Gu Changge.

She naturally sneered at his delusion, and because of this matter, he was almost killed by Gu Changge, and then disappeared.

At first, she had thought that Gu Changge was offended by Ye Ling, but now that she thought about it, she realized that there was a high chance Gu Changge took the opportunity to attack him for the [Ancient Reincarnation Talisman] as well.

Gu Changge had plotted for innumerable opportunities, so there was no way he would let go of the [Ancient Reincarnation Talisman].

With these considerations in mind, Yue Mingkong directly came to the Black Stone Ancient City.

She believed that Ye Ling would definitely show up after he saw the markings of the Supreme Immortal Dynasty on her carriage, if he was in the city, of course.

There were countless women around Ye Ling in her past life, so she could already guess his nature.

'Ye Ling's cultivation base should only be in the initial stages of the Conferred Lord Realm, so I will definitely be able to bury him in this place today.'

Yue Mingkong thought that with a frosty, indifferent expression. She was like a supreme Empress who could dictate the life and death of all around her.

She couldn't care less about a mere Ye Ling — to her, he was nothing more than an ant. Of course, she had made a lot of preparations to make sure she could thoroughly trample this ant.

It didn't take long for Yue Mingkong to perceive someone's arrival. The newcomer was a young man with a strong cultivation and aura; it was clear that he had cultivated a mighty body-cultivation art.

She narrowed her phoenix eyes, and waved her jade-like hand.

[Buzz!]

Tremors went through the void in the surroundings. At the same time, a shocking aura hidden in the dark finally surfaced and locked up the surroundings.

"This is the mansion where that carriage just landed, right? Why do I suddenly feel uncomfortable?"

Ye Ling stopped in front of a quaint mansion with a frown on his face. Although he loved beauties, he wasn't r3t4rd3d; he had avoided many life-threatening dangers because of his sixth sense warning him in advance.[1]

[1: When the Heavenly Daddy personally sends you spidy-sense signals even though you weren't bitten. Fr!ck him.]

For some reason, he felt uneasy standing in front of the mansion.

"Turtle Bro, should I go in or not?"

Ye Ling's face showed confusion as he asked for advice from the pendant around his neck.

Back when he was young, he once went up a mountain to search for some magical herbs. It was on that adventure when he found himself falling into an underground cave where he accidentally discovered the black pendant and became the successor of the Ancient Emperor of Reincarnation.

There was a remnant spirit of an ancient turtle inside the black pendant.

The ancient turtle was the one he now called 'Turtle Bro.' Turtle Bro claimed to be the mount of the Ancient Emperor of Reincarnation, who was looking for a successor for its master, the Ancient Emperor of Reincarnation.

Ye Ling didn't believe it at first, but then realized that it seemed to be telling the truth.

It was just that the old turtle had no other ability that could be useful to him. At most, he could teach him some common sense about the world around him, and nothing more.

It was a plain and uncharacteristic turtle that didn't resemble the mount of an Ancient Heavenly Emperor.

The old turtle couldn't help but roll its eyes at him in response, and said, "It's just a mansion, what's there to fear about it? Where's the boldness you show when you are picking those Jade Beauties?"

Ye Ling felt that it wasn't wrong. He had never crossed the other party, so why would they harm him? He was overly suspicious over nothing.

Ye Ling's courage soared as he thought about this. He had heard countless rumors about Princess Yue Mingkong, and yearned for her every day. If he could see her today, then the meeting between them couldn't just be a coincidence, but a work of fate itself, no?

As for Princess Yue Mingkong being the fiancee of the Young Master of the Ancient Immortal Gu Family, Gu Changge? He couldn't give one sh!7 about that. After all, even Ye Langtian was nothing before him, so what could Gu Changge, who was said to be only as strong as Ye Langtian, do against him?

[Boom!]

However, in the very next moment after Ye Ling arrived outside the mansion, an indifferent and heartless voice sounded from inside.

"Kill him!"

"Not good!"

Ye Ling's expression immediately changed as he heard the voice; he never thought that someone truly wanted to kill him.