

## **Weaponsmith 2061**

### **Chapter 2061: Rake in a fortune again (3)**

When the female attendant heard her say that, she immediately tensed up.

“You.. don’t sprout nonsense, the treasures that we Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild auctions can’t possibly have any problems! These have all been appraised by the Armament Guild!”

Chi Xiao Jiu also responded, “Hng, could it be that you didn’t manage to successfully bid for the Ardent Cloud Sword hence you intentionally sprout all these nonsense, thinking to gross out This Seat?”

Huang Yueli continued to speak out meekly as she replied in an anxious voice, “This... I really don’t mean it in this way... I just happened to see a tiny red coloured pattern on the Ardent Cloud Sword’s body by chance? The distance was a little too far so I didn’t see it earlier. This.... could it be that the sword blade had been damaged?”

Everyone was looking at them and when they heard Huang Yueli’s words, the beautiful emcee couldn’t help but voiced out.

“Young Miss Bai, you really can’t sprout nonsense like this! It’s true that there’s a small little pattern on the Ardent Cloud Sword and that was because back then when Grandmaster Huang had met with danger, the damage was unfortunately caused by that incident. But this sword had already been restored by Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild’s eighth ranked Armament Masters and had already been appraised by the Armament Guild, so the power is guaranteed to be no different from when it had just been refined! We Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild will absolutely not sell defective goods!”

The emcee spoke out righteously in indignance.

Everyone present all revealed an understandable expression.

This was also an unspeakable rule when high tiered Profound Armaments were being auctioned.

After all, there were only that few ninth tier Profound Armaments and there weren’t much in the entire Soaring Heavens Continent. It was common for these godly sharp weapons to have been circulated for thousands of years and the cases where those items had been damaged and restored were indeed very common.

Ninth tier Profound Armaments which were from a much earlier era had no references if it had ever been restored before.

Hence for those Profound Armaments which had been restored previously, as long as the main body did not have a major problem and if it had passed the appraisal to guarantee that it could display that tier’s required power and that would be considered as a pass.

To those ordinary buyers who wanted to purchase the Ardent Cloud Sword, this explanation was indeed enough.

But to Chi Xiao Jiu, the beautiful emcee’s words were like a lightning strike on a clear day, crashing right onto the top of his head!

“You.. what did you say? This Ardent Cloud Sword had indeed been restored previously??” He stood up abruptly as his figure flashed and he immediately ran out of the cabin, snatching the long sword from the female attendant as he started to inspect it carefully.

There was indeed a minute red pattern on the sword blade but because the entire sword was red and the Profound Qi was abundant so it was totally not eye catching at all, which could easily be misunderstood as the sword blade’s original pattern.

In reality, for those experienced higher ranked Armament Masters, it was easy for them to tell that this was the sign of a restored Profound Weapon.

Chi Xiao Jiu came from Mythical Flame Palace after all and although he wasn’t an Armament Master, but he still had this kind of eyesight.

After a careful look, his entire body emitted a chill.

His hands started shaking, “Impossible, this is impossible! Since this sword had been restored before, why is it that you didn’t mention this before? Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild is cheating!”

Hearing that, everyone in Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild were totally upset.

President Wen stood up personally as he creased his brows and said, “Palace Lord Chi, I can’t digest these words of yours! Our Merchant Guild had always been operating based on trust so how could you say that we are cheating? The Ardent Cloud Sword was indeed casted by Grandmaster Huang and is indeed a ninth tier lower grade Profound Armament which had passed the assessment and the power of it had even reached five times of an ordinary ninth tier lower grade Profound Weapon!”

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“Such a rare sword being sold to you, how did it become cheating?”

President Wen really felt aggrieved and furious!

The annual auction had just begun and they were said to be cheating, moreover it was one of the Seven Sacred Lands, Mythical Flame Palace’s Palace Lord who said that!

He had not met with this kind of unreasonable matter for a number of years.

All the other practitioners present all expressed reconciliation towards what President Wen said.

“Isn’t that do? What President Wen said wasn’t wrong at all? Aren’t ninth tier Profound Armaments all sold in this way? From the Ardent Cloud Sword’s abundant Profound qi and the smoothness of how it flows, one would know that it’s already been restored completely!”

“That’s right, how would Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild sell substandard products? Just based on this evidence which is not even considered evidence, just sprouting rubbish like that, that isn’t very good isn’t it?”

“This... surely it can’t be that Palace Lord Chi had already regretted his decision right? After all the price is indeed... ridiculously high and after thinking through it calmly, he might feel that it’s not worth it so it’s understandable!”

“Palace Lord Chi’s feelings can be understood but the deal has already been sealed, but yet he still wants to go back on it? That doesn’t follow the regulations right?”

“That’s right, with Palace Lord Chi’s status, if he really wants to do such a thing, that would really be making a fool out of himself!”

Although the audience below the stage suppressed their voices, but just what kind of cultivation did Chi Xiao Jiu have? He naturally was able to hear all these.

This time round, the more he heard, the angrier he got but unfortunately he didn’t know who to vent this anger on!

Because what President Wen said was indeed not wrong and if they really had to fuss over the minor matters, Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild indeed did not need to bear any responsibility.

But only he himself knew that the restored Ardent Cloud Sword, it was no difference to others but to him... the difference was huge!

He had dumped so much spirit jades at one go, wasn’t his motive to pair up the Ardent Cloud Sword together with the set of Profound Armour which was kept in Mythical Flame Palace? Now that it couldn’t be paired into a set, then wouldn’t that mean that he suffered a huge loss!

Ever since Huang Yueli passed on, Mythical Flame Palace was in the state of declining every single year, and no longer had the same fortune as that year.

4.1 billion high grade spirit jades, that was a vast amount!

In the end, he bought such a toy back??

Chi Xiao Jiu almost fainted from anger as he was shaking all over.

But he tried his best to make himself calm down as he said, “Oh? You said the Ardent Cloud Sword had been restored successfully and it really has succeeded? Anyway it’s been restored so it is definitely a substandard item! This Seat doesn’t want this kind of goods!”

This time round, he totally didn’t want his face anymore as he tried to find various reasons to renege on this debt!

When President Wen heard that his expression turned ugly, “What do we think that Palace Lord Chi is doing? Are you trying to renege on the debt?”

Chi Xiao Jiu naturally wouldn’t admit as he spoke out righteously, “What renegeing on the debt? Your Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild is the one who is at fault first! No matter who it is, do you dare to say that your skill is the same as my Junior Sister back then?”

President Wen wanted to rebuke when suddenly the beautiful emcee walked over and whispered something into his ear.

When President Wen heard that, his eyes instantly lit up.

“Alright since you don’t believe in our Merchant Guild, then that’s easy to handle. Armament Guild’s President President Ye, Grandmaster Ye Xing Hua is coincidentally here today. He is Grandmaster’s

Huang's direct disciple so speaking of that, he can be considered as Palace Lord Chi's nephew and in terms of skills, he is now Soaring Heavens Continent's Number One whereas in terms of character, his reputation is resounding so for him to appraise the item on the spot, surely Palace Lord Chi will be able to trust him right?"

Chi Xiao Jiu's heart jumped, "What? President Ye is here too?"

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President Wen nodded, "Exactly."

The last note of his sentence had just landed when Ye Xing Hua's voice was heard coming from the Number Four VIP cabin.

"Palace Lord Chi, long time no see. This Ardent Cloud Sword is one of the masterpieces of my Master Grandmaster Huang and I have long wanted to take a look at its true countenance. If you are able to trust me, why not let me appraise this sword to see if it's really been restored successfully. Don't worry, I will absolutely not side with the Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild."

"This... but..."

Of course Chi Xiao Jiu didn't want to agree to it because he believed that Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild's credit was of no issue and the power of the Ardent Cloud Sword was boundless.

If there was something which needed to delve into, it was actually because he was too opinionated hence he assumed that this sword and the set of Profound Armour in Mythical Flame Palace was the same set, hence he kept on bidding.

This responsibility... no matter what he had to be the one to take up this responsibility!

Actually, Chi Xiao Jiu was also a regular at the auction house and if he had calmed down to think about it back then, he would have considered the risk of the Ardent Cloud Sword being repeatedly casted.

But that young lass in Blue Profound Sect kept on raising the price against him and moreover, she had been using that kind of provocative manner to force him to come out with a bid so in a moment of fury, Chi Xiao Jiu totally didn't put too much detailed thought into it as he was led by the nose by her along the way.

Thinking of this, Chi Xiao Jiu's heart thumped hard.

Could it be that... that young lass did it intentionally?

He shot a sideways glance from the corner of his eye at the Number Six cabin as his brows creased and he thought at length, but silently shook his head.

It was impossible, how would this be explained!

That young lass was not from Mythical Flame Palace so how could she possibly know that Mythical Flame Palace had that set of Profound Armour? Moreover, even if she was under Mythical Flame Palace's tutelage, only him, the current Palace Lord knew about the relationship between the Profound Armour and Ardent Cloud Sword.....

Just as Chi Xiao Jiu's brows were tightly knitted, Ye Xing Hua had already walked out from the Number Four cabin.

"Palace Lord Chi, this Ardent Cloud Sword.... can you let me have a look at it?"

Ye Xing Hua cupped his hands in greeting as he asked Chi Xiao Jiu for the Ardent Cloud Sword.

Chi Xiao Jiu's expression changed as his mind started to swiftly weigh the pros and cons.

The matter had already come to such a pass and with Ye Xing Hua around, if he wanted to say that the Ardent Cloud Sword had a quality problem, it was no longer possible because the appraisal which Ye Xing Hua came out with would absolutely convince everyone.

So, no matter what, he was doomed to suffer in silence!

Chi Xiao Jiu was extremely aggrieved but in order not to be embarrassed, he could only brace himself as he kept the sword and at the same time intentionally lifting his head in an arrogant and cold manner, "This Seat appreciates President Ye's kind intentions. Merely 4.1 billion high grade spirit jades, would This Seat haggle endlessly over this bit of money? The treasures which Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild auctions are something which This Seat will naturally trust so it was all but a joke earlier. Alright, the time is no longer young and there are plenty of other auctions up for bids so This Seat shall not delay everyone's time any longer."

He swiftly finished his words and turning his head, he hurriedly hid back into the Number Seven cabin.

All the practitioners were all rendered speechless.

Earlier Chi Xiao Jiu had obviously wanted to renege on the debt but he had the cheek to claim that it was "just a joke"? If it wasn't for the fact that Ye Xing Hua happened to be at the auction house, President Wen would probably have been splashed with a whole bucket of dirty water.

"Thinking of back then when Grandmaster Huang was still around, just how mighty and overbearing Mythical Flame Palace was, now.... sigh!"

"I've long heard that Mythical Flame Palace's potential is declining as the years pass and I still don't believe it but from the looks of it now, it indeed seems so....."

"Looking at how Palace Lord Chi acts, I'm afraid that he isn't any better than any medium levelled powerhouses!"

#### **Chapter 2064: Rake in a fortune again (6)**

Quite a number of people were secretly whispering in one another's ears as they slighted Chi Xiao Jiu with extreme disdain.

But everyone only dared to talk about this in secret, not daring to voice out loudly. After all, based on Chi Xiao Jiu's cultivation, ordinary practitioners totally couldn't afford to offend this kind of top rated expert.

No matter what, Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild's reputation was equivalent to being saved.

When President Wen saw this, he heaved a sigh of relief as he threw a grateful glance towards Ye Xing Hua.

The beautiful emcee hurriedly returned back on stage as she continued with the next item up for auction.

“Guests, next have a look at this treasure. This item comes from West Sky Region...”

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In the Number Seven cabin, Luo Jiyun laughed until he kept falling around, “Hahahahaha, Lil Sister-in-law, you’re too bad! Not only have you cheated him to spend a huge fortune to buy a not very useful Profound Weapon, moreover you had to tell him the truth about it! This time round, Chi Xiao Jiu really has his face thrown until where his home is!”

Huang Yueli’s lips curled as she said, “Merely just a slight punishment. Moreover, This Master’s Profound Weapon which I have casted can be sold for ten billion which isn’t any issue at all, so I didn’t really take too much of his money?”

Li Moying heard her narcissi words as he burst out laughing, while his gaze swept past her fair slender little face.

His little fox was laughing delightfully, revealing her sharp little tiger fangs.

Li Moying’s gaze dimmed as he placed his hand on her side face, “Why? So happy?”

Not knowing why, as long as she heard Li Moying using this kind of mellow and gentle voice talking to him, Huang Yueli’s face would uncontrollably flushed a shade of red.

“You... what are you doing?” Huang Yueli held his hand and gave him a stare, “There are so many people here! You’re not allowed to paw at me!”

Li Moying’s voice deepened as he leaned in close and it rang beside her ear once again, “If there’s no one around, then I can paw you?”

Huang Yueli felt his warm male’s breath blowing past her as her ears grew so hot that it started to burn. When she had clearly what he had just said, her willowy brows stood up and she looked as though she was about to act up.

But just as this moment, the cabin’s door came a series of knocking sound.

Cang Po Jun and the others had all consciously turned around, with their backs facing Sovereign and it was until the moment when they heard something before they revealed an astonished expression.

“Who would come knocking on the door at this moment?”

“Could it be Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild’s men?”

“Open the door and take a look!”

Cang Po Hun walked over to open the door and on one look, he was surprised to see an unexpected figure outside the door.

“President Ye, why have you come over?”

Ye Xing Hua nodded his head and walked directly towards Huang Yueli as he bowed to her, “Master.”

Huang Yueli heard someone knocking and immediately gave Li Moying a push as she sat upright and still. Other than the shade of red which had not completely dissipated, she looked totally prim and proper.

“Cough cough, this... Xing Hua, this matter today is all thanks to you, you’ve done a good job.”

Li Moying propped his elbow against his head as his gaze still roved around his little fox’s elegant side face but upon hearing that, he couldn’t help but raise his brows, “En? So earlier you sent someone out to pass a message, is to look for President Ye?”

Ye Xing Hua lifted his eyes and took a look at Li Moying as he was instantly struck in his heart!

Although he had heard from Huang Yueli long ago and knew that Li Moying was the reincarnated Mu Chengying, but he still hadn’t met with Li Moying himself yet.

Right now when he saw him, he then realised that although Li Moying was much younger than in his past life and his cultivation had yet to reach peak condition, but that overpowering and might temperament, icily arrogant and conceited posture was no different from in his past life.

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Li Moying sensed his vision and the brilliance in his peach blossomed eyes wandered as that gentle like water gaze instantly turned harsh, shooting a warning sign towards Ye Xing Hua.

A strong exponent’s might was extremely penetrative.

Ye Xing Hua subconsciously lowered his head, not daring to meet his frigid gaze.

If it was said that before today, he still had some slight fanciful thoughts about the reincarnated Huang Yueli, then after meeting Li Moying today, he totally realised that no matter how many years had gone past, the disparity between him and Li Moying was still like the sky and the moat.

Huang Yueli also detected the change in Li Moying’s imposing manner and she quickly realised what had happened.

She turned around to look at him in amusement and laughed, “Yes, I need to conceal my identity right now and on this kind of occasion, I can only rely on Xing Hua to stand out for me. Xing Hua, long time no see, quick have a seat!”

When Li Moying heard that Huang Yueli even allowed this fellow to have a seat, the expression on his face turned even colder.

How would a through and through Armament Master like Ye Xing Hua with not very high cultivation level dare to act rashly in front of Blue Profound Sect’s Sovereign’s presence so he hurriedly waved his hands as he rejected, “No need, there are quite a number of people from the Armament Guild who are here too and I have quite a number of materials to bid for so I have to return to my own cabin pretty soon. I came here, specially to pass this to Master.”

Saying that, he stuffed a black coloured card into Huang Yueli’s hands.

Huang Yueli received the card and smiled as she asked, "How much is this?"

Ye Xing Hua pointed to a "three" sign.

Huang Yueli nodded her head satisfactorily as she continued, "Consider that President Wen smart! Thank you for today and if there's something you need to do, just go on."

Ye Xing Hua hesitated for a moment and raised his head before he said, "Master, actually there's another matter that I feel that I must inform you, it's regarding President Jiang. Only, this place isn't a convenient venue to discuss this..."

Huang Yueli paused for moments, "I understand. After today's auction is over, I'll go look for you."

Ye Xing Hua cupped his hands and left.

When Ye Xing Hua left, Luo Jiyun leaned over and kept eyeing the black card in Huang Yueli's hands.

"Lil Sister-in-law, the card in your hands.... Looks like the limited edition black crystal card from the Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild!"

Huang Yueli replied in an indifferent manner, "What's called looks like? This is the black crystal card!"

Luo Jiyun asked curiously, "Black crystal card? I heard that the black crystal card needs a minimum deposit of billions of high grade spirit jades before you can get one. President Ye is really meaningful, just visiting his Master and he brought along so much money to show his filial respect!"

Huang Yueli explained, "It's not what you think, the money inside is the advantage fee which President Wen had given."

Luo Jiyun totally didn't expect such a matter to happen as he was instantly stunned, "Advantage fee?"

"Isn't it so? I asked Ye Xing Hua to help speak up for Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild so that their Guild would not be discredited. President Wen is a smart man so he naturally knows that this job can't be done without any compensation so he automatically sent the advantage fee over!"

Luo Jiyun was tongue tied, apparently not accustomed to the naked truth of the transaction.

"What? So to say, this.... President Wen offered money?" He recalled Ye Xing Hua's actions earlier, "There is.... 300 million high grade spirit jades in this card?"

Huang Yueli rolled her eyes at him as she spoke out in a disapproving manner, "Don't be dumb! 300 million! How would President Wen have the cheek to offer that amount! There is 3 billion!"

"3..3..3...3... BILLION!" Luo Jiyun's eyeballs nearly dropped onto the ground.

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"This.... this is so much money! Why would President Wen give President Ye so much money!"

Huang Yueli looked at him as though she was looking at an idiot, "You fellow, don't you know how to count your debts at all?"



“Think about it, what kind of status does Chi Xiao Jiu have? He said that Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild is cheating and although everyone present knows who is right and who is wrong, but if this kind of matter spreads out and when other people all add their own ingredients into this, it will definitely affect Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild’s reputation. The only way is for him to admit defeat on the spot, which will then ensure that Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild’s thousands of years of reputation would not be damaged.”

“I asked Ye Xing Hua to do him such a big favour, shouldn’t they come out with 3 billion high grade spirit stones? Moreover speaking, if it wasn’t for me, would that Ardent Cloud Sword be sold at such a heavenly price earlier? At most it would be sold for nine hundred million! After giving me 3 billion, their Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild still gained 1.1 billion, they’ve earned a lot!”

“What? Earned?” Luo Jiyun was totally swooned by this explanation which sounded logical, hence he was feeling dazed.

Even after Huang Yueli finally kept the black crystal card, he still sat there like a stone sculpture, totally not moving at all.

Huang Yueli shook her head as she couldn’t be bothered with him, and continued to lower her head to look at the auction catalogue in her hands.

Suddenly, a little shota’s tender voice surfaced within her mind, “Let me out, let this little Lord out!”

Little Phoenix patted his wings as it banged against the walls of the Sky Phoenix Ring, giving off banging sounds.

Huang Yueli’s train of thoughts switched and she saw a totally red little phoenix flying past her eyes, as it landed onto the ground.

Little Phoenix’s bulk, as compared to when Huang Yueli lost her memories, had increased by a circle and now it looked about the size of half a mother hen, but as compared to ordinary little mother hens, it was much fatter.

Previously when Huang Yueli was drugged by Liu Buyan, she drank a lot of nerve numbing medication thereby causing memory loss and her soul trace also suffered an extremely large damage, as her five senses were weakened drastically.

As the strength of her soul trace wasn’t enough, her connection with the Sky Phoenix Ring was hence broken off.

Little Phoenix was stuck inside the realm and wasn’t able to leave hence under the pretext of fury, it ate all of the fire attributed materials which Huang Yueli had stored in the Sky Phoenix Ring.

As it’s body had accumulated excess Profound Energy, it then fainted and only slowly regained its consciousness a few days after Huang Yueli had recovered her memories and its body had grown by quite a fair bit.

Huang Yueli’s armament refining materials which she had painstakingly collected were all ruined by it so she was so angry that she bashed its butt but unfortunately, there was no way to save the materials.

In this period of time, Huang Yueli had confined it in the Sky Phoenix Ring, as punishment.

This was only Little Phoenix's fifth day and it's first time being allowed out to run about.

The minute Little Phoenix landed, it turned into a little shota as he stretched out his plump little hand and tugged at the hem of Huang Yueli's skirt crying out loudly, "Female devil, I want to buy this! Quick quick, bid for it!"

Huang Yueli's lips twitched, "Little thing, your manners are getting worse and worse, what did you call me earlier?"

"Aiya, Female Devil, can you stop with the rubbish? Haven't you heard that beautiful emcee starting to count down? Quickly bid for it!" Little Wang Cai totally couldn't care about what she was saying as he kept urging her.

Huang Yueli's face sunk, feeling that it was time to educate this brat.

Usually it would be lazy and only knew how to eat, not to mention that it grew until so fat, now it doesn't even have any basic respect towards its Master. The minute it came out, it started screaming and shouting to buy something!

Just a spiritual state of a phoenix, what thing did it need to buy?

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Huang Yueli coughed vigorously.

However, Little Wang Cai totally ignored her warning as it continued to sprawl onto the window and kept stomping its feet. From his stance, it seemed as though it couldn't wait to jump onto the auction stage to snatch for it.

Huang Yueli lifted him up from the collar and carried him, "Enough, you look too ugly like that! Sit properly!"

Huang Yueli's fingers were slender and fair but her strength was enormous so no matter how Little Wang Cai struggled, he was unable to struggle free.

At this moment, the beautiful emcee had already started to count down and he was really anxious so he immediately cried out loudly, "1 billion!"

No one had expected Little Wang Cai to suddenly bid for itself.

Huang Yueli's fingers loosened and Little Wang Cai fell with a plop on the ground, on the thick fleece carpet.

Everyone in the Number Six cabin all looked at Little Phoenix with a dumbstruck expression.

Just at this moment, the beautiful emcee's shocked but overjoyed voice clearly emitted into everyone's ears, "1 billion... 1 billion high grade spirit stones! Number Six cabin's distinguished guests are indeed generous, continuing from the previous item and bidding another heavenly price once again! This time round, the treasure's price had increased from ten million to 1 billion!"

Huang Yueli's face had turned green as she totally couldn't be bothered to care about Little Wang Cai, but directly turned her gaze below, trying to see what was the item which Little Phoenix had called out for such a high price.

Upon fixating her gaze, she had the urge to swat Little Phoenix to death.

The auction stage had displayed a black coloured raw stone and not only did its exterior looked ordinary and common, even when Huang Yueli used her soul trace to sense it, she wasn't able to sense any special Profound Energy fluctuations.

The little table by the right of the raw stone displayed a label and on it was written the origin of this raw stone.

This piece of raw stone was brought out by a famous mercenary team, from a mystic region around the East Ocean and as it was found in a tenth stage realm practitioner's cave dwelling, although they didn't knew what uses it had, but the mercenary group still brought it out to sell for money.

This kind of thing, there were just too many within Soaring Heavens Continent and most of it couldn't be auctioned out at all.

After all, no one knew what this was and there was no way to appraise this item so there was a ninety percent chance that it was a piece of useless trash. Only those rookies who dreamt about being an overnight tycoon would fall for this kind of trick.

Huang Yueli was a rich and smart Armament Grandmaster so naturally she wouldn't even be bothered about this sort of thing.

Moreover speaking, this plaything, if ten million was spent to play around with it, she could just forget about it but Little Wang Cai actually opened its mouth and bid with a price of 1 billion/?? She had painstaking refined a ninth tier Profound Armament and something it might not even be sold for 1 billion!

The corners of her mouth twitched as she simply wanted to throw this brat away!

"Guardian Jun, go ask Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild's men that if a brat bids randomly, can this transaction be cancelled! A lousy kid whose hair had not even grown out fully calls out a bid, is this even counted?"

Cang Po Jun's forehead was sweating profusely as he hurriedly called out, "Grandmaster Huang, you... you this... don't be rash! According to regulations, as long as it's a bid that comes from our cabin, it will be considered under Sovereign's and it's impossible to not acknowledge it and that would only lead to embarrassment! Think back of the way Chi Xiao Jiu was teased at earlier... Grandmaster Huang, please reconsider your decision!"

"But there's no point for me to buy a broken stone with no Profound Energy fluctuations at all!"

Huang Yueli's heart was dripping blood!

This wastrel kid, who educated him??

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As a parent, she had been tirelessly refining armaments day in and day out, cooking up all sorts of ways to scheme people and had finally managed to save some money but it was all spent by this brat!

Just as Huang Yueli was feeling heartache, Chi Xiao Jiu's voice was suddenly heard from the Number Seven cabin on the opposite.

"Since it's something which Blue Profound Sect's distinguished guests had taken fancy upon, then it looks like there's something extraordinary about this raw stone! Hur hur, then This Seat shall join in the fun, 1.1 billion!"

Chi Xiao Jiu had been embarrassed badly in front of everyone earlier.

After sorting out his thoughts, he felt that other than being schemed by Soaring Heavens Continent, most importantly, he had gone dizzy from that brainless Bai Ruoli.

Although Chi Xiao Jiu didn't know that he had actually fallen for Huang Yueli's scheme, but this didn't bother him from hating Huang Yueli and on seeing her suddenly coming out with a heavenly price, his heart leapt with joy instantly as he immediately raised the price.

Chi Xiao Jiu thought that he had done a beautiful job however, Huang Yueli immediately heaved a sound of relief upon hearing his bid.

"Heavens! Really scare me to death! Luckily there's still this dumbass who came out to bid against us, otherwise..."

However, before she could finish her words, Little Wang Cai had already climbed up from the ground as he shouted out towards the window, "1 billion!"

"What the—!!!" Huang Yueli almost fell down from her seat as her eyes widened and her expression was extremely ugly to the max.

"You, you, you.... actually bided again!" She really couldn't wait to pat this brat flat onto the ground with one slap.

On seeing Huang Yueli's vicious gaze, Luo Jiyun hurriedly rushed over and pushed Little Wang Cai behind his back.

"This.... Sis-in-law, sis-in-law, don't be rash! Little kids are still insensible, you can't... don't beat him!"

Huang Yueli gave a sinister smile, "I'm not going to beat him, I merely want to cook him into stewed chicken!"

When Luo Jiyun heard the first half of the sentence, his expression relaxed but when he heard the second half, he immediately tensed up again.

"Sister-in-law, you... don't be like this! Although we can't sense what's so special about that raw stone, but Little Wang Cai is a spiritual beast so he should be able to sense some special Profound Energy fluctuations?"

Luo Jiyun shot an enquiring look towards Little Wang Cai.

Little Wang Cai opened his mouth weakly, “N... None, I also didn’t sensed any Profound Energy fluctuations.....”

On seeing Huang Yueli’s vicious glower, he hurriedly added in loudly, “But I sense that this piece of stone is very familiar but I also can’t remember where I had seen it previously nor can I recall what’s the use of this stone... I just... want it very much!”

When Cang Po Yu heard that, he frowned and stood up, “Grandmaster Huang, Little Phoenix are born with a special sense innately and their soul traces are different from ordinary people so perhaps this raw stone really had some special use so This Subordinate thinks that there’s no harm in purchasing this.”

Little Wang Cai was nodding his head while listening, “That’s right, that’s right, Female Devil, you’re too petty!”

Huang Yueli originally was appeased by quite a large bit but after hearing that, she stared at him fiercely once again.

“You still dare to speak! Originally something only worth ten million, why did you bid 1 billion? If it wasn’t for the fact that you had bided casually, would there be anyone who would raise the bid? Someone bided for 1.1 billion and you actually continued to bid for 2 billion! What do you think this is, this costs high grade spirit jade! 2 billion of it!”

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Little Phoenix kept retreating backwards from her scolding as he looked left and right but he possibly felt that Luo Jiyun’s ability wasn’t good enough and that he wouldn’t be able to protect him hence he slipped and hid behind Cang Po Yu’s back.

Whoever knew that Cang Po Yu totally wasn’t that easy going like Luo Jiyun as he actually nudged to one side.

Little Phoenix lifted its head in astonishment.

Cang Po Yu coughed, “What Grandmaster Huang said is right! So extravagant from such a young age, you ought to receive a good lesson!”

Little Wang Cai’s big round eyes opened wide from shock as he faced his finger and spoke out aggrievedly, “Why do all of you say I’m wrong? Earlier it was Female Devil who said this herself, those with ability would be in billions so I just didn’t want to throw Female Devil’s face!”

Huang Yueli was totally speechless as her face flushed red.

These words were obviously something which she said but when it came out from Little Phoenix’s mouth, why did it made her seem so dumb?

“Alright, don’t be angry. This bit of money, I’ll come out with it, so there’s no need to be unhappy.” Li Moying’s smiling voice was heard from the side of her ears.

It was so rare to see his little fox being stuffed until she could not rebuke back so it really made him slightly amused from this.

Huang Yueli lifted her chin, "This isn't about money, it's about the issue of education..."

Before she could finish her words, she heard Chi Xiao Jiu calling out once again, "2.1 billion!"

Huang Yueli shivered and her first reaction was to swiftly whisk Little Phoenix up and threw it back into the Sky Phoenix Ring!

Little Phoenix originally was preparing to cry out 3 billion but in the end, it had just opened its mouth only to discover that his vision had gone dizzy and he had been shut back into Sky Phoenix Ring. He anxiously cried out loudly, "Let me out! Let this little lord out!"

Huang Yueli gave a cold humph as she ignored it, nor did she place another bid.

Very soon, the beautiful emcee started counting down once again, "2.1 billion once, 2.1 billion twice, 2.1 billion tr...."

Following every single countdown from the beautiful emcee, in Number Seven cabin, Chi Xiao Jiu's heartbeat started pounding swiftly!

He originally was very sure that Li Moying's fiancée was a retarded young lady who had no qualms on extravagance hence she recklessly raised the bid like this.

Otherwise, what would he even bother to bid for such a useless thing back for?

Moreover, this was a full 2.1 billion, and it was used to buy a raw stone which had a ninety nine percent chance that it was useless!

4.1 billion purchasing a ninth tier lower grade Profound Armament, but at least it was a Profound Weapon with outstanding quality so more or less there would be some use for this kind of useless raw stone...

Even if he was Mythical Flame Palace's Palace Lord, this kind of reckless extravagance would make it difficult for him to explain to the Elders when he returned! He wasn't the yesteryear Huang Yueli and towards Mythical Flame Palace's control, he was totally not strong and had to rely on the Elders to support him.

The beautiful emcee's melodious voice rang from below the cabin and there were several times that he wanted to jump right out directly to regret it but he somehow recalled that he was still Mythical Flame Palace's Palace Lord so he risked his life to control his urge.

Right now, he was really extremely regretful!

Why did he raise the bid for no good reason? That lass might not even have that much money in her pocket, merely wanting to act rich! He actually really believed her!

Just at this moment, Huang Yueli's voice suddenly rang.

"2.11 billion!"

Her voice wasn't very loud and moreover it somehow seemed as though it was tinged with an indecisive meaning, sounding like she wasn't able to decide if she wanted to bid or not.

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However, this voice to Chi Xiao Jiu, was a life-saving sound of nature.

He hurriedly shouted out, "I don't want it, I'll give it up to you!"

Saying that, Chi Xiao Jiu wiped the sweat off his forehead to discover that it was profusing with cold sweat.

"2.11 billion once, 2.11 billion twice, 2.11 billion trice! Congratulations to Number Six cabin's distinguished guests, on obtaining this piece of valuable raw stone which was brought out from an ancient mystic region!"

The beautiful emcee was full of smiles as she was filled with admiration and gratitude towards the young fiancé-fiancée couple from Blue Profound Sect. They were really their Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild's god of wealth!

As long as Number Six cabin took part in that auction, every single time they would come out with an illogical heavenly bid! The raw stone was delivered over to Number Six cabin very quickly.

Huang Yueli looked at this pitch black raw stone for a long time but was still unable to see anything special about it as she grew even more melancholic.

"The colour on the surface is dark and full, and totally doesn't permeate any light at all, only sensing an entire state of pitch black and there's totally no sense of Profound Qi or energy at all... you guys come over and take a look, do you know what this thing is?"

Li Moying, Cang Po Jun and the others all crowded around to observe it for quite a while.

Other than Luo Jiyun, the others present were all top rated exponents in Soaring Heavens Continent and their knowledge and insight were extraordinary but even for them, they weren't able to find any profound theory from this at all.

"Generally for this kind of raw stone, it's either an armament refining material or pill refining ingredient, but even you have not seen it before?" Li Moying played around with that palm sized stone as he asked curiously.

Huang Yueli shook her head, "Generally for armament refining materials, even if it is wrapped up in a layer of rock strata, using soul trace would still allow us to sense the energy's fluctuations within. Moreover, earlier the female attendant who had sent the raw stone over earlier also said that when Soaring Heavens Merchant Guild had first obtained the raw stone, they used many ways to melt the exterior or somehow they had no way to shave off any single bit of the outer layer at all."

Everyone discussed this for some time but didn't manage to come to any conclusion.

Helpless, Huang Yueli could only keep the raw stone as she prepared to research through some ancient records when she had more time.

The annual auction continued to proceed.

The items being auctioned following this were not things which Huang Yueli were interested in and as a top rated Armament Grandmaster, she had seen countless treasures in both lifetimes so the so called "rare treasures" termed by the top experts, were simply ordinary in her eyes.

Instead, Cang Po Jun auctioned two doses of healing panacea, in case of emergency.

Very quickly, six hours had passed by.

Following the passing of time, Huang Yueli grew more and more impatient, "Why aren't they auctioning the Purified branch yet? What's so good to bid for those nitty gritty stuff? There are actually so many people who offered bids for it! Sigh, the current annual auction is really getting worse by the year!"

She was nagging while ridiculing when suddenly a slender warm big hand stretched over and was placed over her hand.

"Li'er, my condition is very well, don't be anxious, en?"

Li Moying turned his head and his eyes were filled with warmth.

He naturally knew clearly that his Li'er wasn't an impatient person and she was constantly worried that his concentration would not last after staying here for such a long time hence she was so ill at ease.

Huang Yueli pursed her lips and leaned over in an unassured look, as she looked left and right at Li Moying's handsome countenance.

"Are you really alright? Is your head dizzy? Does your chest feel stuffy? The air here isn't good at all, even I feel uncomfortable. Are you sure you're alright?"