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## Chapter 2221: Secluded Sect (5)

"Moreover, all of you are all ninth stage realm, eighth stage realm top exponents and even the youngest girl like me is also seventh stage realm. A group of people with threat suddenly appear and everyone puts on their defensive side, that is a must isn't it?"

Huang Yueli was just explaining right here when she saw that team of guards earlier and a female attendant who was dressed in formal ceremonial robe and they were escorting a luxuriously dressed young lady.

That young lady looked like she was only seventeen or eighteen years old with almond shaped eyes and peach cheeks, fair skin and look extremely beautiful. Moreover from the way that everyone were crowding around here, they knew that she must be some important figure with an extremely valued status within Ice Serpent Valley.

The guards and female attendant walked towards the entrance and immediately split up into left and right to become two groups, opening up the pathway in the middle. They respectfully bowed their heads and waited for the luxuriously dressed young lady to walk past them.

The luxuriously dressed young lady walked to the front of them and her chin was raised very high up, apparently rather arrogant and haughty.

"This young lady is Meng Wan'er, Valley Master Meng's eldest disciple and I'm on my Master's orders to welcome the few of you. May I ask... who was it among you who had brought the Disheartened Zither earlier?"

She was speaking as she shot an incisive gaze around those few people.

However, after Meng Wan'er saw the crowd clearly, the arrogance on her face was shed and in replacement was a few hints of alertness and fear.

She did not imagine that this group of people who came to visit were actually all top exponents with extraordinary abilities and among them, there were quite a number of. ninth stage realm peak practitioners!

Especially when Meng Wan'er's gaze fell onto Li Moying's face, in an instance, she wasn't able to shift her eyes away.

Growing to such an age, she had never seen such an outstanding man who looked like this!

Handsome and straight features, as though it was sculpted with the most exquisite care from heavens, tall and robust build, powerful and cool aura, and that eminent pose...

That pair of bewitching peach blossom eyes, although beneath it was icy cold gloominess which one couldn't see where the ends of the depth was, but it gave him an extra tinge of mysterious feel.

One only needed to take one look and many young ladies would sink under his dangerous charm.

What was most heart quivering was that he looked as though he was only a little over twenty years old but yet he was already a ninth stage realm top exponent!

This excellent innate talent was simply unheard of!

"This.... Young Master, may I ask, are you the one who brought the Disheartened Zither along?"

She opened her mouth once again and even her voice turned much gentler with a pair of clear, bright eyes as she kept staring at Li Moying without even batting her eyelids.

Li Moying shot a cold glance at her and didn't say a single word.

"This Young Master, why aren't you talking..."

Meng Wan'er couldn't help but take a step forward as her face lifted up vertically, revealing an angle which she self-assumed that was the most beautiful to face Li Moying.

This kind of outstanding man, she probably wasn't able to find another one in the entire Soaring Heavens Continent hence she naturally didn't want to miss him.

Whoever knew that before she had even walked to Li Moying, a petite small figure scurried out from his side, blocking right in front of Li Moying.

"So sorry, Young Miss Meng, you've got it wrong! I'm the one who brought the Disheartened Zither along, my fiancé is merely just accompanying me here!"

The young lady's sweet and clear voice was melodious like a nightingale and just from the voice alone, one was able to imagine just what kind of peerless beauty she was.

Meng Wan'er's footsteps took a halt as she turned her head around to take a look in astonishment.

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In front of her eyes was a young lady of sweet, fair and graceful build as she was dressed in a flowing dress, and also covered in a Snow Fox fur cape.

That face was so beautiful as though she wasn't like a real human and the look she portrayed when standing on the snowy lands was like a sprightly fairy, possessing surpassing beauty.

Meng Wan'er was stumped in an instant.

Earlier, in order for the bitter wind to not blow on his Li'er, Li Moying intentionally pulled Huang Yueli behind his back to help her block off the chilly wind.

Whereas for Meng Wan'er, she had only been staring at this outstanding handsome male in front of her eyes so since when did she even notice the petite young lady who was standing behind his back.

Now with one look, Meng Wan'er's expression became a little twisted because she had always been a self-acclaimed peerless beauty but whoever knew on one look at this young lady in front of her eyes, she finally knew what was called comparing one to another would result in death whereas comparing goods would result it in being thrown away!

As compared to Huang Yueli, she was simply like ordinary rouge and cosmetics!

"You... what did you say earlier?" Meng Wan'er didn't hear clearly what Huang Yueli said earlier.

Huang Yueli pursed her lips as she repeated the words that she had said earlier coldly.

She was feeling extremely unhappy inside her heart!

Just looking at Meng Wan'er's look, she knew that this fellow must have been smitten by Li Moying's gorgeous face and she had taken fancy to her fiancé!

No matter if it was in their past lives or in their current lives, she had seen this smitten gaze in many other women and if she still couldn't tell, that would be strange!

Thinking of this, Huang Yueli couldn't help but look askance as she stared at the man next to her fiercely.

After Li Moying was being stared at, he didn't make any expressions but inside his heart, he was already jumping for joy.

If it wasn't for the fact that there were outsiders from Ice Serpent Valley right here, he simply wanted to grab Huang Yueli over for a kiss!

If it was in their past life, whenever Huang Yueli met with other women who liked him, she would normally give an extremely cold snort before turning her head away, totally not giving any chance for him to explain.

Unlike now, not only did she not leave, she even jumped out to declare her ownership!

She finally gained a little self-awareness of being his fiancée.

When Meng Wan'er heard Huang Yueli's words, she finally caught hold of the main point as her expression instantly changed, "What did you say? This Young Master is your fiancé?"

Huang Yueli nodded, "That's right."

"Impossible!" Meng Wan'er couldn't help but screeched, "How old are the both of you, and you're already engaged??"

High levelled practitioners' life span was very long and moreover they were usually concentrated on cultivation when they were young, so they wouldn't consider family matters hence even if both of them had feelings for each other, they usually wouldn't settle down at such a young age.

Hence it was no wonder that Meng Wan'er felt shocked.

Huang Yueli gave a cold humph as her expression grew uglier and her outstretched hand which was still in Li Moying's arm secretly pinched him hard.

Li Moying felt pain, knowing that if he still didn't speak out, this little fox would fly into a rage immediately!

He didn't dare to continue watching the show as he hurriedly stood out and said coldly, "Young Miss Meng, this is my fiancée and my private affair and it doesn't seem to be of your concern? Your purpose in coming here, isn't it to receive us and bring us to meet Valley Master Meng? Why are you asking these matters which are of no concern?"

Meng Wan'er was stuffed for words and realised that she was overly agitated earlier hence she had appeared inappropriately.

Not only did it raise the other party's suspicions, moreover it seemed that she had offended this ageless handsome man a little.

She immediately kept away her coveting gaze as she put on a dignified pose.

"My apologies, I have misspoken. Ice Serpent Valley rarely has outsiders so I was naturally slightly curious."

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Meng Wan'er explained as she tried to cover up with a sentence and took a step back, "Distinguished guests of Ice Serpent Valley, please come with me."

She said that and turned around as she led the crowd inside.

Anyway, no matter what, this man and that little young beauty earlier were merely fiancé and fiancée who had not married yet, she still had a chance!

Even if they were married, it meant nothing because after all for tyrannical men with ability, having a few wives or concubines was very normal. Although that young lass was beautiful, but she was after all still very young and was an underdeveloped little sprout, so how was she going to be compared to her Meng Wan'er's curvaceous body which she was so proud of?

She had the assets to fight for him!

The most important thing now was that she absolutely could not allow that Young Master to be unhappy so she would keep this group of people in Ice Serpent Valley first so that she could find a chance to seduce him.

Meng Wan'er was leading the road in front as she kept introducing Ice Serpent Valley's scenery in a low voice.

From her voice and tone, it didn't seem like there was any oddity and she had changed into a passionate host, welcoming the valuable guests sincerely who came over for a visit.

This was the first time that Cang Po Jun and the others had been to Ice Serpent Valley and were attracted by the strange glacier sights within the surroundings.

Only Huang Yueli noticed that every time Meng Wan'er turned her head back, her gaze had always floated towards Li Moying without stopping, probably she still hadn't given up!

Although Huang Yueli knew clearly that it was useless for Meng Wan'er to have any funny ideas because her Moying would absolutely not waver but on seeing something coveting her man, no matter how she thought about it, she just felt uncomfortable about it!

Hmph, this was her man, hers!

No matter how handsome looking or how tempting this man was, he only belonged exclusively to her – Huang Yueli!!!

As though feeling the rage from the young lady beside him, Li Moying's lips curled upwards uncontrollably as he stretched out his hand and locked his fingers into hers, pulling her towards his side.

Huang Yueli wanted to draw back her hand but was held on tightly by Li Moying, as he refused to loosen his grip.

At the same time, the man's thumb was drawing circles in her palm which felt a little teasing and somehow pacifying which made her feel itchy from her palm all the way to her heart.

Huang Yueli pouted her lips as she felt a little irreconciled but she still allowed her man to lead her away.

The Shadow Guards behind them all saw this and found nothing strange about this. Their own Master and future Mistress had always been loving daily and they were already able to filter it out by themselves, otherwise they would choke on the dog food fed to them sooner or later!

However, Meng Wan'er noticed it from the sides of her peripheral view and she felt extremely indignant!

Wasn't this lass just a little better looking? She actually dared to show this outstanding man that expression!

And that male god actually accommodated her, and even initiated to hold her hand!

How could there be such a thing? Male god must have never met with any gentle and considerate woman before hence he was cheated by this woman who had no female virtues at all!

All of them had their own thoughts and very soon, they walked out from the ice sculpted corridor and came to the deepest end of the valley.

In there was a palace building which stood on a vast piece of land and moreover it was three storeys high, totally made out of ice as it looked majestic and imposing, which seemed to sparkle when one looked at it from afar.

"This is simply like a miracle! There's actually a house made out of ice and snow and it's even built three storeys high!" Cang Po Jun couldn't help but exclaim.

Meng Wan'er was apparently rather delighted, "That's right, we Ice Serpent Valley's descendants have been inheriting in the Northern Ice Fields for generations and these palaces and buildings are all left behind from since ancient historical times, and after generations of renovations hence we are able to conserve it in a complete state."

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Cang Po Jun and the others all let off gasps of shock.

Meng Wan'er's gaze, however, was fixed on Li Moying's reaction only.

But, Li Moying totally didn't look at her at all, and not knowing if he heard the explanation that she had gone through earlier as his vision had always stopped on Huang Yueli's face. The two of them were leaning close to each other and they spoke in low voices, seemingly very intimate.

Whereas for the young lady beside him, her face would occasionally reflect a bashful smile.

Meng Wan'er was so jealous that she could die but, she also knew that she had no standing to say anything at all.

Finally, everyone walked to the main hall of the Ice Palace and Meng Wan'er bowed as she headed in to inform about their arrival before she brought them all in.

Seating up in front on the tall stage was a beautiful woman dressed in a blue colours palace style dress and she bore a lucid, elegant and refined look with exquisitely perfect features. Too bad that the expression on her face was so cold that it resembled ice, as though on one look, it would freeze the surrounding people around her from the cold intent that she was giving off.

This beautiful woman looked as though she was merely twenty over years old but everyone present were all top exponents and could all tell that although she looked young, she had actually made her name many years ago, and she was a superbly outstanding practitioner.

Huang Yueli walked up and cupped her fists in greeting, "Valley Master Meng, this junior is Bai Ruoli and I came with my fiancée Li Moying. We are all Blue Profound Sect's disciples and I'm sorry for making an abrupt visit."

Meng Hongye lowered her head and took a look at them and that frosty face finally reflected a slight tinge of emotions.

"Blue Profound Sect's disciples? I've heard about it before and it seems like a top notch large powerhouse. But that year the person whom I gifted my zither to was not Blue Profound Sect's disciple. You guys and her... what relationship do you have exactly?"

Li Moying and Huang Yueli had already discussed on their ideas long before this and at this moment, he took a step up as he opened his mouth slowly, "This Junior knows that this Disheartened Zither is gifted by Valley Master Meng to Mythical Flame Palace's Palace Lord Huang many years ago, but I believe you should already know about this. Palace Lord Huang has already died sixteen years ago at a place near Lone Sky Summit. That year before her demise, she left this zither in Blue Profound Sect and asked my Master Mu Chengying to hold it in safekeeping for her. So many years have passed and my Master sent me and Young Miss Bai over here, hoping to check out the location where Palace Lord Huang passed on that year. Hoping to gain Valley Master Meng's help, hence he asked this Junior to bring the Disheartened Zither along."

When Meng Hongye heard his words, a reminiscing look appeared on her face slowly.

"What you said is not wrong, back then Palace Lord Huang had been over to the Northern Ice Fields several times, seemingly trying to search for some item's whereabouts, but it isn't easy to survive in the Ice Fields as danger lurks everywhere. Every single time, This Valley Master would send someone over to be her guide and she had also helped our Ice Serpent Valley to come out with quite a number of mechanisms so we're considered as rather close friends. Alas.... Heaven is envious of a genius and such a talented and miraculous lady like her, had to die early..."

She gasped for a moment and her vision turned back towards Li Moying and Huang Yueli.

"But this Valley Master understood from Palace Lord Huang's meaning that she didn't seem to be on very good terms with Blue Profound Sect. Moreover she had been avoiding Blue Profound Sect's

Sovereign Mu, would she leave the Disheartened Zither in Blue Profound Sect? Could it be that people from your Sect had secretly scheme on Palace Lord Huang then snatched away her zither and now you're here to deceive This Valley Master?"

Meng Hongye's expression suddenly sunk as her voice turned icy cold.

Following her tone, the guards surrounding the palace's side all pressed their hands on the Profound Armament around their waists.

Seemingly as though they were prepared to take action towards them anytime.

## Chapter 2225: Two requests (1)

Cang Po Jun and the others all shook and the Profound Energy as well as their might were unleashed from their bodies!

In an instant, the main hall was filled with an austere aura, as the air was radiating a tensed atmosphere.

Cang Po Jun and the others were tensed up as they kept surveying their surroundings anxiously. In terms of ability, the few of them were ninth stage realm peak practitioners and Soaring Heavens Continent's top rated exponents, hence they weren't fearful of any powerhouses' attacks.

But this was after all other people's turf and this Ice Serpent Valley was such a desolate place that looked mysterious and unfathomable. So they weren't able to confirm that if they fought right there, what underlying ace would they have.

Now Li Moying who had the greatest battle power wasn't able to take action against anyone, and moreover he needed protection hence they could not afford any losses.

The others present all entered into a battle stage mode.

But being in the thunderstorm centre's Li Moying and Huang Yueli had a totally different reaction as compared to the others.

When Huang Yueli heard Meng Hongye's words, she revealed a fit of astonishment and her eyes revealed slight hints of embarrassment.

On the other hand, Li Moying's brows creased slightly as he turned back and stared at the young lady beside him.

Huang Yueli detected his gaze and secretly stuck out her tongue, feeling rather sorry about this.

Thinking of the past, she had always been retarded as she couldn't detect that she already had developed feelings for Mu Chengying hence she often found an excuse to hide from Mu Chengying. She also complained about this to Meng Hongye that Mu Chengying's relentless wooing made her feel troubled but she had not expected that it actually caused Meng Hongye to misunderstand, thinking that Blue Profound Sect had been chasing after to kill her.....

She was the one who caused this problem hence she could only solve this on her own.

Huang Yueli touched her nose as she explained, "Valley Master Meng, you've really mistaken. According to what this junior knows, that year Palace Lord Huang and Sovereign Mu were a pair of lovers but there

were some misunderstandings hence it caused you to have this misperception. In actual fact, their relationship was very good. Palace Lord Huang left behind an armament refining notebook in Blue Profound Sect that year and this junior had learnt quite a number of things from it from those notes. Valley Master Meng should know that to Armament Masters, if it was someone whom they trusted very much, they would rather die than to leave behind their own legacy."

When Meng Hongye heard those words, her heart stirred and then she waved her hand, indicating for the guards to back down.

A pair of icy cold eyes kept sizing Huang Yueli up.

Huang Yueli maintained her graceful posture in front of her, allowing her to observe her carefully.

Although she and Meng Hongye had not met for the past sixteen years, but she still understood this female Valley Master from Ice Serpent Valley very well.

For tens of thousands of years, Ice Serpent Valley had been isolated from the world and their defensive psychological state against outsiders was very strong hence it was difficult for outsiders to obtain the other party's trust. But once they were able to obtain Ice Serpent Valley's recognition, then they would receive warm hospitality and at the same time, Ice Serpent Valley's people attached importance to affections and they would also exhaust their best to defend their friend.

Meng Hongye was this such person. She might look like an ice beauty but in actual fact, she was a magnanimous person hence she was able to lead this large powerhouse which was secluded from outside the world.

But she had a prudent character which was why she kept interrogating these few people.

When Meng Hongye saw Huang Yueli's joyful and composed look, she was inwardly amazed by her.

This lass looked like she was just sixteen or seventeen years old but her cultivation was already at seventh stage realm! Her innate skill was something which was rarely seen in this world!

Moreover, the aura from her was impressive and steady, as she was neither servile nor overbearing and this was the kind of temperament which top-rated strong exponents who had been established for many years would have.

For that one instance, Meng Hongye still thought that she was seeing that year's Huang Yueli!

## Chapter 2226: Two requests (2)

Meng Hongye deliberated over this for a moment and she already had a plan in her heart.

"In this way, since you've obtained Palace Lord Huang's notes that means that you're considered as her transmitted disciple?"

Huang Yueli raised her brows as she said, ".... considered so I guess."

Meng Hongye nodded her head, "Alright, since that's the case, This Valley Master shall test you to see if you've really obtained Palace Lord Huang's legacy and if you've learnt some abilities from her! If what

you said is true, This Valley Master will naturally welcome my old friend's juniors but if the truth proves that you're deceiving This Valley Master..."

She paused for a moment and her tone was filled with an obvious threatening intent.

But, Huang Yueli and the others naturally weren't frightened at all.

Don't say that Huang Yueli's skills were invulnerable and Meng Hongye's assessment to her was only a small dish and even if she really made any mistakes, based on her team's ability, they would not be afraid of any powerhouses' challenges.

Huang Yueli replied unperturbedly, "Alright, what does Valley Master Meng want me to do? Please feel free to instruct!"

Meng Hongye nodded and said, "Great, since this is so... Young Miss Bai, to tell you frankly, ever since the last time Palace Lord Huang helped our Ice Serpent Valley to set up the mechanisms again, twenty years had already passed and in this period of time, we have resisted several snowstorms and magical beasts' wave so there are a number of mechanisms and arrays which have been damaged. If you really have obtained Palace Lord Huang's legacy, then please try to restore the mechanisms that she had left behind, it shouldn't be a problem right?"

Meng Hongye's words have just ended when Liu Buyan frowned and couldn't help but interrupted, "Valley Master Meng, isn't your request taking advantage of others? Palace Lord Huang's mechanisms and arrays that year require at least a seventh ranked Armament Master standard in order to restore it! You're asking such a high ranked Armament Master to work for free?"

Meng Hongye replied disapprovingly, "Why? Do you have objections? If you're not able to do it, or not willing to do so, you may directly leave immediately and This Valley Master will not stop you! Don't think that This Valley Master doesn't know your intentions. You came visiting, isn't it because you want Ice Serpent Valley to send someone with you to the Northern Ice Fields's frozen zone? This is an extremely dangerous matter and if we're not careful, we might just pay with my Valley's disciple's life! Shouldn't I take in some interest for it?"

To tell the truth, for Meng Hongye to state such a request, it was purely making things difficult for other people.

The current season was Northern Ice Field's most dangerous Extreme Night Phase and even for Ice Serpent Valley's disciples who had resided in the Northern Ice Fields for a long time, they would also not choose to enter the frozen zone at this time.

As the Master of the Valley, she naturally wasn't willing for her disciples to take this risk.

If it was any other person to have looked for her, Meng Hongye couldn't even be bothered to meet them, and would immediately ask the other party to scram.

It was exactly because Huang Yueli took out the Disheartened Zither and due to past sentiments, she didn't feel good to directly reject them hence she specially found an excuse to try and make the other party back off on their own accord.

After all, from what Meng Hongye thought, this young lass called Bai Ruoli was merely a sixteen to seventeen year old young lady and her age was simply too young!

Armament refining skills and cultivation were totally different matters.

Cultivation arts, although one's age was young, as long as they had heaven defying innate talent, they would still be able to speedily advance.

But Armament refining skills needed a long time to practice and to keep on accumulating experience before one could become a great master at all. There was no shortcut at all.

Hence, it was not possible for this young lass to complete her conditions.

#### Chapter 2227: Two requests (3)

Meng Hongye was adamant that only if Huang Yueli was able to restore the exterior's mechanisms, then she would send someone with them to the Northern Ice Fields.

After Liu Buyan saw her resolute attitude when he voiced out his protest, he also shut his mouth.

Anyway, it wasn't as if Huang Yueli really couldn't complete it, but rather, Liu Buyan felt that doing this was too disadvantageous hence he voiced out his objections.

Meng Hongye saw that no one spoke out hence she assumed that they were defeated by this condition and were prepared to back out of it.

She waved her hand and called the attendants at the door, "Men, send these guests out!"

"Wait a minute!" Huang Yueli stretched out her hand and stopped the attendants, "Valley Master Meng, I agree to your conditions!"

Meng Hongye apparently had not expected her to actually say such things and on her usually icy cold frosty face revealed an astonished look.

"What? You agreed? Are you certain you heard what I said clearly?"

Huang Yueli nodded her head slowly, "I heard it clearly. Valley Master Meng's meaning is that as long as I am responsible for restoring the mechanisms and arrays that Palace Lord Huang left behind that year, to make it operate as usual, you will send someone to help us head to the frozen zone, am I right?"

Meng Hongye creased her brows slightly, as she still didn't dare to believe what she heard!

"I say, Young Miss Bai, you're from Sky Emperor City so you should be clearer than me on what kind of existence of an Armament Master Palace Lord Huang was in Soaring Heavens Continent! She was said to be the most outstanding Armament Grandmaster in the entire Soaring Heavens Continent! The mechanisms she left behind aren't as simple as those ordinary mechanisms that you usually see! Are you certain that you can restore it?"

Huang Yueli smiled as she said, "There's no point in us talking too much about this, Valley Master Meng will find out once you allow me to have a try! But..." her topic took a change, "I also have a condition."

Meng Hongye was extremely astonished, "What? You also have a condition?"

Most Armament Masters, on hearing that they were going to restore such an esteemed mechanism, would suffer from a huge psychological pressure wondering if they would be able to restore it properly.

However, this young lass, at such a tender age, actually had such a confident attitude. Not only did she promise the skies, she even dared to raise her a condition!

Could she really have the certainty that she would be able to restore Huang Yueli's mechanisms?

She probably hadn't even seen what those mechanisms looked like!

Huang Yueli hadn't even got the time to state out her conditions when she heard a burst of sneering coming from her back, "Hur hur, this is just too comical! Do you really treat yourself as an Armament Master? Trying to state conditions with my Master?"

Meng Wan'er's face was filled with ridicule as her eyes were completely full of disdain.

She had been listening to the conversation between Huang Yueli and party and Meng Hongye earlier.

When she heard that Li Moying was Soaring Heavens Continent's largest powerhouse's Blue Profound Sect's Young Sect Master, Meng Wan'er felt extremely elated and was even more smitten by Li Moying.

Indeed, this man who had outstanding looks and ability, only a man with this kind of celebrated status was compatible with her!

Li Moying was really a perfect man with no flaws and if she missed this one, she would probably not be able to find a second one!

Meng Wan'er was even more determined to rid Li Moying's fiancée and seduce this exclusive finest quality male god into her hand!

The more Meng Wan'er looked at the young lady, the more she couldn't stand her and now on hearing that she actually wanted to restore the mechanisms and arrays that was left behind by Palace Lord Huang, she instantly couldn't endure it any longer.

# Chapter 2228: Two requests (4)

"Bai Ruoli, aren't you pasting too much gold on your face? You merely read a notebook that Palace Lord Huang left behind and we don't even know if that's true or not! Did you think that you're able to restore the ninth ranked array? I'll tell you the truth! Our Ice Serpent Valley has a few eighth ranked Armament Masters of our own and even they are also helpless towards these mechanisms and arrays! Do you feel that you're more awesome than them?"

Meng Wan'er gave a cold laugh as her chin was raised super high up.

She intentionally spoke this out in public just so that Li Moying could hear about this and she could let him know that this fiancée of his was a woman who overestimated herself!

Whoever knew that Li Moying seemed as though he didn't hear what she said as he didn't even bat an eyelid, only fully concentrated on watching his little fox as though other than his beloved woman, there was nothing else that could be contained in his eyes.

Huang Yueli shot an eye at Meng Wan'er as her voice also turned chilly.

"Young Miss Meng, I'm now talking to Valley Master Meng, will you please not interrupt us!"

"You... on what basis do you have to lecture me?" Meng Wan'er's face changed.

Huang Yueli's tone remained neither fast nor slow, "On the basis that you have no right to make any decisions in Ice Serpent Valley! Your Master has already stated her request and I've also agreed to it so I have the qualifications to state my conditions! Young Miss Meng jumped out at this moment, casually saying that you're going to overturn your Master's decision. Is Ice Serpent Valley going back on your words or are you this disciple simply have no regard for your elders?"

"You—!" Meng Wan'er was said in such a way by her manner and she was so angry that she almost jumped up but yet she didn't know how to rebuke her!

Because what Huang Yueli said was valid reasoning.

Meng Hongye had already made a decision and as a disciple, for her to butt in openly to oppose it, there was no way this could be acceptable!

But on seeing Huang Yueli's self-confident look, she just couldn't swallow down this.

Just at this moment, Meng Hongye's sharp voice barked, "Enough, Wan'er! What's the matter with you today? This Valley Master is talking to Young Miss Bai, how can you interrupt us like this? Do you still know the rules or not?"

Meng Wan'er heard her master speaking out and moreover in such a harsh manner, she immediately got anxious.

Ice Serpent Valley was very strict regarding hierarchy and the rules here were strict hence the crime of disrespecting one's elders was a huge crime.

She then realised that she had been smitten by Li Moying so much that it had gotten into her head, for her to actually do such a dumb thing! This time round, she would not be able to escape Meng Hongye's anger!

Huang Yueli smiled when she saw that, "No matter, junior knows that I am still young and it's perfectly normal for everyone to doubt my ability. I've already said this earlier, by then the truth shall speak for itself!"

When Meng Hongye saw her natural and unrestrained attitude, it actually made her see the young lass in a new light.

Facing a large powerhouse like Ice Serpent Valley, under the circumstance of being doubted but yet not a sliver of fear could be detected, neither being too servile nor too overbearing as every single movement of hers maintained a top exponent's demeanour!

This kind of lady might really have some skills!

Although Meng Hongye still didn't believe that she was able to restore the mechanism, but in her heart, she already started to lean towards helping them.

Because of that, her tone had turned gentler, "Young Miss Bai, what are your conditions? You can list it out and we can hear about it."

Huang Yueli nodded her head, "Alright, if I'm able to restore Palace Lord Huang's mechanisms, then I have two requests. First I hope Valley Master Meng can send an Ice Serpent Valley disciple who is most familiar with the frozen zone, to accompany us to Lone One Summit!"

## Chapter 2229: Two requests (5)

Meng Hongye frowned subconsciously, "You're heading towards Lone One Summit? That is an extremely dangerous place..."

Huang Yueli replied, "that's right, could Valley Master Meng not dare to send anyone to Lone One Summit?"

Meng Hongye gave a slight scoff, "What's there to not dare to? If you really have the ability to restore the mechanism, then for this small matter, we Ice Serpent Valley will naturally give our best. What about the other request?"

"Second request is... I hope to borrow your Sect's prized treasure – Claret Crystal Bracelet for our use!"

"What?" Meng Hongye cried out in surprise and subsequently her gaze turned cold as she stared at Huang Yueli, "Where did you find out about the Claret Crystal Bracelet?"

Huang Yueli was stared upon by a ninth stage realm peak practitioner like Meng Hongye but still remained at ease, totally not affected by the Profound Energy might which she unleashed, as she spoke frankly with assurance.

"Palace Lord Huang had briefly mentioned about this ancient half god relic which had been passed down, in her armament refining notebook! The Claret Crystal Bracelet was refined using a Thousand Lux claret crystal and this material can only be found in the God Realm. The greatest use of this is to stabilize one's primordial state and to protect the meridians."

"In the ancient times, many God clans cultivated the maniacization cultivation method which could arouse their own innate power, far surpassing the real ability that they have! But in this manner, practitioner's primordial state and meridians would most likely be unable to withstand such a huge pressure, resulting in the collapse of their primordial spirits and their meridians would also break off resulting in death! Hence the Claret Crystal Bracelet became a treasure which all god realm practitioners who practiced the maniacization cultivation method, would lose a family fortune over it."

The more Meng Hongye heard, the more astonished she got and when she finally heard it all, she nodded her head and said, "What you said is correct and it looks like you weren't lying earlier. You've indeed obtained Huang Yueli's legacy. Regarding the matter about the Claret Crystal Bracelet, in the entire Soaring Heavens Continent, other than us Ice Serpent Valley's disciples, she's the only one who knows about it!"

"But..." Meng Hongye stared at her and her attitude remained resolute, "Since you know that the Claret Crystal Bracelet is Ice Serpent Valley's secret treasure, then you should also know that there's no way that This Valley Master can possibly lend such a valuable item to you! This request, I absolutely cannot promise you!"

"But, Valley Master Meng...."

Not waiting for Huang Yueli to finish her words, Meng Hongye interrupted her, "Young Miss Bai, I will end my words here. If you're just looking for a guide, we can discuss that but if you want the Claret Crystal Bracelet, even if you are able to restore all the mechanisms that Palace Lord Huang had left behind, I also will not possibly agree to it!"

"Is Valley Master Meng serious? If I were to say... I can not only restore the arrays that Palace Lord Huang left behind, I can also restore the ancient array in the most exterior zone? Even if that's the case, wouldn't Valley Master Meng consider it at all, to lend me the Claret Crystal Bracelet? I can guarantee that as long as we leave the frozen zone, we will return it to you then!"

Huang Yueli's voice had just ended when Meng Hongye revealed an astonished expression, "What? How did you know that in the exterior zone of the Ice Serpent Valley lies an ancient array?"

Following that, she reacted in time, "Right, it must be that the information had been left behind in Palace Lord Huang's notebook right? Ha ha, you're able to find about these and that's nothing strange about it but to think of restoring an ancient mechanism? Young lady, you're still too young and you've simplified things too much! Perhaps you indeed have not bad armament refining innate talent or have even obtained Palace Lord Huang's legacy, but an ancient mechanism even baffled Palace Lord Huang back then, you... can stop dreaming about it!"

However, Huang Yueli was insistent as she continued, "What if I really can restore it?"

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Meng Hongye looked at her with a non-smiling smile as she spoke at will, "If such a strange matter happens, then what's the issue in This Valley Master will lend the Claret Crystal Bracelet to you? But This Valley Master advises you not to let your imagination run wild!"

Not only Meng Hongye, even those guards and female attendants standing in the main hall all couldn't help but burst out laughing on hearing Huang Yueli's words.

From what they thought, Huang Yueli was simply a model of the term young and inexperienced!

Relying on the fact that she had a bit of innate talent, she really didn't know how high the heavens were or how thick the earth was!

Initially she said that she was able to restore Palace Lord Huang's mechanism and now she said that she was going to restore the mechanism that was left behind since ancient times!

This was getting more and more ridiculous and she was boasting to the skies! Really don't know how heavy she herself was!

Meng Wan'er couldn't help but burst out laughing, "Young Miss Bai, I finally understand that it's not that you're actually believing that you're infallible and trying to paste gold on your own face, but rather... you're a lunatic with an unclear mind! Just based on you, to fix an ancient mechanism, then everyone in Soaring Heavens Continent are all Armament Masters!"

She turned towards Li Moying and she intentionally put on an understanding look as she advised, "Young Master Li, my Master's temper has always not been very good and hates people who always

shoots their mouth off. You'd better advise Young Miss Bai, otherwise if you infuriate my Master, you might be chased out of Ice Serpent Valley today! I'll help you think of an idea regarding the matter for the guide!"

Meng Wan'er's words had both smeared Huang Yueli and also pointed out her importance.

She was confident that when Li Moying heard this, he would definitely realise that the fiancée beside him was an airhead vase who only had looks but no brains.

Whereas she, Meng Wan'er was the only one who could help him in the Northern Ice Fields!

Whoever knew, Li Moying merely swept a cold glance at him.

That originally bewitching peach blossom eyes carried a frigid cold intent shooting towards her and that one instance completely enveloped her entire body with an ice cold feeling that shot right into her bones!

Meng Wan'er felt her body being frozen and her heart felt as though it was being squeezed by someone tightly!

In her entire life, she had never once felt such terror!

This man was simply too frightening. The aura coming from him was much stronger by a hundred times more than her Master Meng Hongye!

Li Moying was originally standing behind Huang Yueli's back, silently listening to her and Meng Hongye speaking and at this present moment, he finally stood up and walked towards Meng Hongye.

"Valley Master Meng, since you've already agreed to Li'er's requests, and with so many people as witness, this matter has been fixed as such so I believe that you wouldn't renege on it right?"

Meng Hongye's gaze fell onto Li Moying's body, "If you guys really have the ability to even fix an ancient mechanism, then This Valley Master can even give the Claret Crystal Bracelet to you as a gift! But how is it possible for you all to do it?"

Li Moying nodded his head, "That is great. Just send someone to bring us to restore the array, we're pressed for time so I'm afraid that we don't have much time to stop here for long."

"Oh? Really so confident?"

Meng Hongye saw that he said this and her heart was alarmed, as she suddenly felt that surely she hadn't fallen into a pit, right?

But since she had already said that, it was too late for regrets now.

Moreover, Meng Hongye couldn't believe that such a ridiculous matter under the heavens could happen.

So no matter what, it was impossible for her to think that the words that she said had any loopholes at all.

en, send these few guests to the valley entrance and see how they're prepared to restore the chanisms."	