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Saying that, Ye Chen added, "By the way, I will also call the Hall Master of the Hall of Ten Thousand Dragons, Wan Broken Jun, over at that time."

Seyi Te exclaimed, "Mr. Ye, you know Wan Breaking Army?"

Ye Chen said, "I didn't know him before, I only met him recently, so I would like to mediate between you two and find a solution that is beneficial to both sides, what do you think?"

"No problem!" Said agreed without hesitation.

To him, the prisoners were very tricky right now.

If they were kept like this, there was no telling how much it would cost to keep pouring money into them.

But if they were to be released and kicked out of the country, it would be an even bigger loss.

So, he is also riding a bit of a tiger right now.

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The next morning, Ye Chen left home alone on the pretext that he had something to do.

After driving to the airport, he took a Concorde directly to Lebanon at speed.

By midday, Ye Chen had already met up with Wan Bajun in Lebanon and then took a helicopter directly to Hamid's base.

Hamid was already up early, packed and waiting for Ye Chen's arrival.

On the plane, Wan Bajun reported to Ye Chen, "Mr. Ye, I have already communicated with Miss He, in the next month, there will be forty-three cargo ships of the Isuzu Line pa\*sing through the Gulf of Aden one after another, at that time our escort soldiers will contact the seafarers of the cargo ships in advance and escort each one of them on board."

Ye Chen nodded and asked him, "How many escort soldiers are needed for one ship?"

Wan Bajun said, "The industry practice for armed escorts is three to six, generally when pirates are found to be approaching, these escorts will fire a warning shot, and when the pirates find out that there are armed men, they will basically stop attacking forcibly."

Saying that, Wan Breaking Jun continued, "We are currently set at three people per group, the soldiers of Wan Long Temple's combat level is too much better than those armed escorts, three people are enough to deal with those pirates."

Ye Chen instructed, "If we encounter pirates, we must fight a good battle, and strive to make Wan Long Hall famous in this field of armed escort."

Wan Bajun's expression was awe-inspiring as he said seriously, "Don't worry, Mr Ye, I have already instructed my men that if we are lucky enough to encounter the pirates, then we must make sure that we wipe them out, leaving no one behind!"

Ye Chen waved his hand and said, "Wiping out all of them would be meaningless."

Saying that, Ye Chen added, "Look, what these pirates usually like to do is to kidnap the crew and demand ransom, so why don't we let them on board first, then in turn capture them alive as well, and then ask them for ransom?"

Wan Bajun was slightly stunned, and then said with some excitement, "This is a good idea! Using one's enemy's way to return the favor, then we can also make the reputation of the Ten Thousand Dragon Hall completely out!"

Ye Chen nodded and instructed, "When the time comes, if they pay the ransom, let them go, if not, finish them off! In the future, the Ten Thousand Dragon Hall must be blacker than their hearts to these pirates! And also play with them well, play with them until they fear you from the bottom of their hearts, only then will they be able to be honest in front of you."

Saying that, Ye Chen added: "I've probably learned about the pirates over in the Gulf of Aden, they are numerous and have a very strong revenge mentality, if they dare to retaliate against the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple or the cargo ships of the Isuzu Shipping in the future, then just send a few five-star warlords to infiltrate their lair and take out their leader!"

"If the old leader is killed and the new one comes up and dares to fight against us, we will kill him too!"

"Until a new leader comes up who doesn't dare to fight us anymore!"

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Ye Chen believed most in killing to kill.

The only way to keep those vicious people honest is to be more ruthless and vicious than he is.

The pirates in the Gulf of Aden are no different from the bandits who were active back then, and killing people is their means of survival.

In recent years, these pirates have become more and more rampant, with the number of hijackings increasing every year, and in recent times it has reached the point where cargo ships are attacked almost every day, and they still manage to get away with it repeatedly.

Ye Chen could often see news of pirate robberies on the news, and it also happened from time to time that they shot hostages, so Ye Chen hoped that the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple could take on the power of the Gods of Heaven and leave those pirates in the dust.

Since they were outside the law, we would see who was more ruthless than who.

After a few minutes of flight, the plane was about to arrive over Hamid's base.

At this time, the sky in the Middle East was just getting light.

Wan Bajun took advantage of the rising sunlight and looked at the several heights surrounding Hamid's base down ahead with his eyes, he had always been curious as to what kind of iron barrel defence Hamid had that could make the Ten Thousand Dragon Temple bury several thousand mercenaries here.

However, when he looked around, he found that these few heights, and the valley surrounded by them, basically did not look like a military base, and it was hard to even see soldiers.

The only large targets that could be seen were the many trucks transporting rocks and slag, constantly shuttling through the mountain passes.

Other than that, there was nothing to see.

And the more nothing could be seen, the more shocked Wan Breaking Army became in his heart.

This was because it proved that Hamid had diverted all his forces into the permanent fortifications inside the mountain.

Even if tens of thousands of troops attacked, they would not be able to find where the target was at all.

Moreover, no one knew how many fire points were hidden in these mountains, let alone how many weapons and ammunition as well as food supplies were stored here.

While he was in shock, the helicopter flew above Hamid's valley and landed slowly on the flat ground of the valley.

All the houses and ruins in the valley had been cleared away and the valley was now basically flat.

It was clear that it had been transformed into a training ground, with a playground, a target range and various obstacle courses.

Hamid had been waiting for a long time, and when he saw Ye Chen get off the helicopter with a Chinese, he immediately came forward and greeted him warmly, "Brother Ye! We meet again!"

After a long time, Hamid had put on a bit of weight, so he could see that he had been having a good time recently.

Ye Chen smiled and said, "You look in a good mood, what good things have happened to you recently?"

Hamid said seriously, "Not having to fight is a good thing, and you can see that my place is becoming more and more like that, the safer the base is, the more secure my heart is."

Ye Chen nodded and introduced him to the man beside him, Wan Bajun, and said, "Come old brother, let me introduce to you, this is the Master of the Hall of Ten Thousand Dragons, Wan Bajun."

After saying that, he also said to Wan Bajun, "Bajun, this is Commander Hamid, your Ten Thousand Dragons Hall had a bit of friction and conflict with Old Brother Hamid before, but that's all in the past, let's turn the page completely and turn enemies into friends from now on!"

Wan Bajun took a step forward almost without thinking, took the initiative to extend his hand and politely said, "Commander Hamid, I've heard a lot about you."

Hamid looked at Wan Bajun, his heart more or less tense and bewildered.

Although he was somewhat inflated now, he was not really inflated to the point of daring to despise Wan Bajun.

After all, with tens of thousands of soldiers and a large number of experts, even if he had lost several thousand soldiers at Hamid's hands due to his rashness at first, the strength of Wan Long Temple was still much stronger than Hamid.

Moreover, Hamid had long heard that there were many experts in the Hall of Ten Thousand Dragons, and was worried that the Hall would seek revenge on him in the future.

Now that Ye Chen had actually mediated between them, asking him to turn his enemies into friends with Wan Breaking Army, he was naturally willing to do so.

So, he hurriedly shook hands with Wan Bajun and said excitedly, "Hello, Mr. Wan! I have offended you a lot for what happened before, please don't take it to heart, Mr. Wan ....."

Wan Bajun solemnly said, "Commander Hamid, please rest assured, since Mr. Ye has already said that he wants to turn over the page completely, Mr. Wan will never dwell on it any more."

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When Hamid saw that Wan Bajun was so forthcoming, and that he had respect for Ye Chen in his words, his heart was surprised, and he wondered why Wan Bajun had such respect for Ye Chen.

Ye Chen smiled faintly at this time and said with astonishing words, "Old brother, Broken Jun and the Ten Thousand Dragon Hall under his command have sworn their allegiance to me, from now on he will be one of your own to you."

With these words, Ye Chen scared Hamid into a daze!

He had thought that Ye Chen had come to reconcile this time, but never in his wildest dreams did he expect that both Wan Breaking Army and the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall had already pledged their allegiance to Ye Chen.

So he subconsciously asked, "Old Brother ..... Is this really true? You're not joking with me, are you?"

Just as he was incredulous at all this, Wan Broken Army also spoke up, "Commander Hamid, Mr. Ye is not joking with you, the Ten Thousand Dragon Hall has indeed sworn allegiance to Mr. Ye!"

Hamid was shocked and looked at Ye Chen, muttering, "Old ..... brother ..... how on earth did you do that ....."

Ye Chen laughed: "We'll talk about these later, when will Said arrive?"

Hamid looked at the time and replied, "About ten more minutes."

"Good." Ye Chen nodded and said, "Then let's wait for him here."

Ten minutes later, another helicopter slowly landed in the middle of the valley.

Said, dressed in military uniform, jumped down from the helicopter with great strides, and as soon as he saw Ye Chen, he warmly greeted him, "Hello, Mr. Ye! At last we meet again!"

Ye Chen nodded and smiled, exchanged a few pleasantries with him, and then introduced Wan Breaking Army to him.

Saiyid had never seen Wan Breaking Army before, so when he suddenly learned that the young man beside Ye Chen was Wan Breaking Army, he was a bit confused for a while.

Ye Chen patted Saiyid's shoulder and said with a smile, "This time, I asked you to come for an interview because I want to solve all the problems between you and the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple in one step, plus offer you a better option, why don't we go to Commander Hamid's meeting room to talk in detail?"

"Yes!" Said hastily agreed.

When the four of them arrived at the conference room, Ye Chen opened the door and said to Said: "Said, those 15,000 prisoners of the Ten Thousand Dragon Hall must be a considerable burden and liability for you, right?"

Naturally, Sai Yide did not want to admit this in front of Wan Bu Jun, so he said in a light-hearted manner, "Actually, it doesn't matter, we have a special area designated for their imprisonment, and everything is in order."

Ye Chen laughed, "Said, here today, in fact, whether it's me, or Hamid, or even Wan Breaking Army, they are no longer your enemies, but your friends."

Saying that, Ye Chen added: "Since Hamid successfully defended against the government army and the Ten Thousand Dragon Temple, the other opposition forces have all started to vigorously strengthen their defences, and in the future they will each develop their bases in the mountains in places that are easy to defend and difficult to attack, it will be difficult for you to fight, and with no danger to defend yourselves, the situation will only become more and more pa\*sive in the future. "

Said's face remained unchanged, but his heart was indeed worried about this matter.

At the moment, the two sides are really in a stalemate, originally, this stalemate does not make the government forces too anxious, after all, they always feel that the other side is in the defensive stage, even if they have no way to attack, at least they are still in the initiative position.

However, what happened in another country in the Middle East some time ago has sent chills down their backs.

That country had just undergone a huge change of heart, and it was those on the pa\*sive side, playing guerrilla in the mountains, who gained the ultimate victory.

This greatly stimulated their nerves and made them become nervous all of a sudden.

At this time, Ye Chen said with a straight face, "Said, if you are willing, the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall can become half your ally in the future."

Saeed was surprised and asked, "What is a half ally?"

Ye Chen smiled faintly and explained, "They will become bulletproof vests on you, although they will not participate in your offense, but if you face danger, they will fully assist you in your defense and defend against the opponent's fatal strike!"

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Also the drastic changes in that Middle Eastern country in recent days had indeed worried Said as well as his leaders.

However, when Ye Chen suddenly said that he could get the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple to help them collaborate in their defence, Said's first thought was that it was impossible.

He could not help but say, "Mr. Ye, the last time we met, it was you yourself who said that for the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall, the only situation that would be in the best interest of the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall would be if our land was constantly wounded and bleeding, and now you are asking us to cooperate with the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall and have the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall assist us in our defence, isn't that a bit inconsistent?"

Ye Chen smiled blandly, "I naturally won't deny what I said before, and I still hold this view now, for the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall, the more turbulent you are, the more they will benefit from it, but have you ever thought that for you, the situation has changed forever, before you went all the way to conquer and break through, the opposition, including Hamid, was defeated by you and could only hunker down and linger on."

But now you know the situation, and you have seen the changes in Hamid's place. If you want to attack, you won't be able to, and if you want to defend, you won't be able to do so in the cities, so your situation will only become more and more passive from now on."

Said's expression was very grave when he heard this.

Since Hamid had won two defensive battles, he had shown the way for the rest of the opposition, and it was those two battles that had taught Said and his leaders that the offensive was simply too difficult to fight, and that it was the failure to win one or two battles that was the problem, but the large number of casualties and the resulting disorganisation of the army that was the most problematic.

If such a war were to continue for just two or three more times, the soldiers would be so terrified of attacking the enemy that no one would dare to do so after that.

Such a situation would indeed be extremely passive for them.

Seeing that he did not say anything, Ye Chen continued with a smile on his lips, "My idea is actually very simple, tens of thousands of soldiers from the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall, even if a large portion of them are on missions overseas during the weekdays, they still need a fixed base for their living, training and rest and preparation during the week, so I would like to negotiate a solution with you on behalf of the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall."

Although Said did not speak, his eyes kept looking at Ye Chen, as if he was waiting for what Ye Chen would say later.

Seeing this, Ye Chen opened his mouth and said, "Firstly, you will provide the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple with one hundred square kilometres of land as a rear base, and in return, the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple will help you train your soldiers without interruption, in addition to collaborating in the defence when you receive an attack;"

Speaking at this point, Ye Chen gave a slight pause and lamented, "I don't think I need to point out how poorly trained your soldiers are, I don't think I need to point it out, the equipment itself is not good, if the training can't keep up, your situation will only get more and more embarrassing."

Said's expression changed slightly, Ye Chen's words had indeed hit upon the sore spot they had been experiencing.

The overall combat level of the grassroots soldiers was very crotchety, and was the key reason for their repeated defeats.

After all, their overall military level was already very poor, and the level of their officers was not good enough, so the level of the soldiers trained was naturally even worse.

Ye Chen continued: "In my opinion, the combat strength of an army depends on three aspects, firstly, the level of weapons and equipment, secondly, the level of strategy and tactics formulated by the management, and lastly and most importantly, the strength of individual soldiers. It won't take long for the level of your soldiers to change qualitatively."

Saeed's face suddenly had a look of longing that he could not suppress.

At this point, Ye Chen added: "In addition to that, in order to show the sincerity of the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall and to make you feel more at ease, I think that the site you choose for the base of the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall can be in the middle of your capital and the northern mountains, so that the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall will be in the middle of the buffer zone, which is like an extra layer of barrier for you."

As he said this, Said's expression stretched a lot.

As the current level of development in the country was still very lagging, the war between them and the opposition was still basically in the realm of close contact warfare, and due to the lack of accurate long-range weapons, both of them had to send troops to the city no matter who wanted to strike the other side, so if the base of the Hall of Ten Thousand Dragons was sandwiched between the two sides, it would indeed serve as a very good buffer.

Sayed finally spoke up at this time and asked Ye Chen, "Mr Ye, how can we trust the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple to help us with our defence, in case the Temple turns against us in the middle and unites with the opposition then wouldn't we be in more danger?"

Ye Chen waved his hand and said seriously, "That can never happen in the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall from now on!"

Saying that, Ye Chen looked at Wan Bajun and said indifferently, "Bajun, you come and explain to Said why this situation cannot happen."

Wan Broken Jun nodded and said with a serious expression, "Wan Long Temple has already started its internal transformation, from now on, our mercenary business will follow international regulations more, which means that in the future, our mercenary business will only cooperate with the legal governments of various countries, other than that, we will not take any other orders."

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Ye Chen looked at Said and asked with a smile, "Said, did you hear what I said? The Ten Thousand Dragons Hall is ready to completely cleanse itself next, so as long as he is in your country, he will definitely work with you, if he works with the opposition, he is going against the law, something that the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall would never bother to do."

He said, Ye Chen added: "And I'll be honest, of these opposition factions, apart from Hamid who is still doing well, which of the others are not tightening their belts and struggling to make ends meet? The Hall of Ten Thousand Dragons has a revenue of over ten billion dollars a year, what do you think this group of oppositionists will get to employ them?"

Hearing this, Saiyid was already half convinced.

However, out of the principle underlying the negotiations, he still wanted to hold out a little longer and not show a sign of great satisfaction so early, so that he could at least fight for other benefits again.

So, he said to Ye Chen, "Mr Ye, I think that just these conditions are not enough for us to give out a hundred square kilometres of land to the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple, not to mention that the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple still has fifteen thousand captives in our hands now."

Ye Chen nodded his head and waved his big hand, saying, "Said, you don't need to play psychological warfare here either, I have called everyone together to talk about this matter because I hope that we can open our hearts and discuss a solution that is beneficial to each other properly and honestly, not to satisfy one party alone."

When he said this, Ye Chen added: "After leaving this room, I hope that you, as well as Wan Breaking Army and Hamid, can each gain something. What Hamid wants is stable development, what Wan Long Temple wants is a rear base, and what you want is to reduce one strong enemy and increase one ally."

Saiyid subconsciously asked, "Mr. Ye, why not add two allies?"

Ye Chen laughed, "Then you have to see how Hamid thinks."

Hamid laughed at this time and spoke, "What I want is to stay in the well with them, so that we don't interfere or attack each other, and at the same time, I have to remain in the opposition camp, otherwise if I change my nature straight away, the team below me will definitely not be so well led."

Ye Chen nodded and smiled, "In that case, old brother, you are apparently opposing, but actually neutral."

"That's right that's right." Hamid laughed, "I'm not going to lie to you, old brother Ye, after being nudged by you at first, I'm now addicted to digging caves and don't want to fight at all!"

Ye Chen looked at Said and said with a smile, "Look, isn't this good too?"



Sayid pursed his lips in silence for a moment and then asked, "What about the captives?"

Ye Chen smiled, "This is simple, Wan Long Temple pays you a compensation of ten thousand dollars per person, fifteen thousand people, that is one hundred and fifty million dollars, with this money, it is enough for you to expand the size of your army properly, and at the same time upgrade the weapons and equipment of your army again."

Before, Wan Bajun even thought that this matter would require more than one billion US dollars to be settled, but he did not expect that Ye Chen would only promise the other party 150 million US dollars at the first time he opened his mouth.

He also knew that Wan Long Temple was very rich and had been thinking that he could take this opportunity to make a big deal out of it, but the amount of US\$150 million was not much, but it was not much at all.

So he coughed twice and said, "Mr. Ye, isn't 150 million dollars a little less? In addition, if we are to give 100 square kilometres of land to the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple, the Temple must at least pay some rent, right? Otherwise, we wouldn't be able to explain to the people ....."

Ye Chen said generously, "Let's do it this way Sayid, you go back and talk to your leaders, in addition to this US\$150 million in compensation, after you allocate the land to Wan Long Temple, Wan Long Temple will settle another 100,000 tons of wheat for you every year! Isn't it too convenient for you to buy grain? I happen to have my own shipping company, when the time comes, I will purchase the grain in China and deliver and service it directly to your port for you."

Ye Chen knew that for Said, as well as their leaders, the problem at hand was more than war, but more than basic livelihood.

Originally, they were the only food exporter in the Middle East, but the ongoing war had led to a steady decline in their food production, and the shortage of food had become a big problem for them.

The cost of 100,000 tonnes of wheat is just over 200 million RMB, which translates into less than 40 million USD, but for them, going overseas to import grain is not the same price.

Besides, they are in a very bad financial situation, and giving them a solution of 100,000 tonnes of wheat a year would really be of great use to them, and feeding over 200,000 people would not be a problem.

After running through all the conditions in his mind, Said had already made his own judgement deep inside. He felt that the deal was a very good deal, and that it was definitely a good thing for his side to not only get a substantial benefit, but also to have an additional powerful ally.

Moreover, he knew very well that he was able to capture those 10,000 soldiers of the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall, and it was not because he was so strong, but because he relied entirely on Ye Chen's help.

Therefore, at this time, he was too embarrassed to continue bargaining with Ye Chen, so he spoke, "Mr. Ye, I need to ask the leader for instructions, if the leader is okay with it, this matter is settled!"

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Saeed took his satellite phone and stepped out of Hamid's conference room, which was inside the mountain.

On the phone, he gave his leader the truthful feedback of the situation.

The offer of the Hall of Ten Thousand Dragons to collaborate in the defence, to help train the soldiers and to offer to live in the buffer zone was very satisfactory to Said's leader.

After all, it would indeed go a long way in enhancing their security, while also easing their current anxiety.

And the compensation of 150 million dollars and the terms of 100,000 tons of wheat per year made him even more delighted.

Moreover, there was a bonus clause attached to this, which was the de facto neutrality of Hamid, who was now the strongest of the opposition in terms of overall strength, and if he could manage not to initiate an attack, then the pressure on the government forces to defend would be much easier.

Therefore, he immediately clapped his hands on the phone and agreed to Ye Chen's terms.

Having received the go-ahead, Said returned to the conference room with great joy and immediately said to Ye Chen as well as Wan Bajun, "Mr Ye, Mr Wan, our leader has agreed to the terms just now, if there are no other problems, please follow me to Damascus to sign the agreement!"

Ye Chen looked at the time and smiled, "I have to rush back to China, so I won't go with you."

After saying that, he said to Wan Bajun, "Bajun, you go and set the specific terms with them as well as when and how to pay, and also when to release the people, as for the grain, you don't need to worry about it, let them see which port is more suitable to receive the goods, then I will directly arrange for a cargo ship to send the grain over."

Wan Bajun said, "Mr. Ye, how can I let you worry about the grain, I'll take care of it!"

Ye Chen waved his hand: "100,000 tons of grain is nothing to you or me, I have a ready-made shipping company on my side, and I have many friends in China, so when the time comes, it should be relatively easy to acquire or send ships, so you don't need to get involved. That's all."

Wan Bajun nodded gratefully and asked, "Mr Ye, do you want to look over the site selection then?"

Ye Chen waved his hand and said casually, "You definitely know more about warfare than I do, so let you decide on the specific site selection."

"Good!" Wan Bajun said without hesitation, "And then any progress, my subordinates will report to you in time!"

With this sentence of subordinate, Wan Bajun made both Hamid and Said's expressions flinch.

They themselves were curious, Ye Chen had originally been on the opposite side of the Wan Long Temple, he had first helped Hamid to severely defeat the Wan Long Temple, and helped Said to capture 15,000 soldiers of the Wan Long Temple, they couldn't figure out how Ye Chen suddenly started to help the Wan Long Temple with the back base today.

Now, when they suddenly heard Wan Bajun call himself his subordinate, both of them were horrified, according to this, Wan Long Temple should have become Ye Chen's!

Just as the two were horrified, Ye Chen said to Wan Bajun, "You should go directly to Damascus with Said on his plane, I'll go directly to Beirut after a few words with Old Brother Hamid."

Wan Bajun said respectfully, "Yes Mr. Ye! Then my subordinate will leave you!"

Only then did Said come back to his senses, and although he had countless questions in his heart that he wanted to ask Ye Chen, he knew in his heart that this was not the time to ask such questions, so he took the initiative to say to Ye Chen, "Mr. Ye, then I will go back to Damascus first, thank you for your continued help, and I look forward to seeing you again!"

Ye Chen nodded and smiled, "Okay Said, see you next time!"

Ye Chen and Hamid escorted the two men to the door and watched them helicopter off before Hamid exclaimed, "Elder brother Ye, you are so amazing ..... how did the famous Ten Thousand Dragons Temple suddenly become your henchman?"

Ye Chen smiled and asked him, "Has old brother heard about the actions of the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple some time ago?"

Hamid scratched his head, "I'm rather closed to information in this part of the world, until you said you were going to bring Wan Bu Jun over to negotiate, I only deliberately inquired about the recent situation of the Ten Thousand Dragon Hall, I heard that they had eaten up one of the top big families in China, forcing that family to give up half of their assets, I wonder if that's true?"

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Ye Chen said proudly, "Actually, they didn't manage to eat that family, instead they were eaten by that family, and I, am the head of that family."

After saying that, Ye Chen turned his head and looked at the shocked Hamid and said with a smile, "Older brother, with the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall around, you can just be your landlord at ease, no one can do anything to you."

Hamid came back to his senses and hurriedly said, "Old brother, to be honest, I really don't understand how to develop in the future, can you show me a clear path?"

Ye Chen laughed, "What's so hard to understand? Given your current situation, I'll give you ten words."

Hamid was busy asking, "Which ten words?"

Ye Chen put away his smile and said seriously, "Sit on the mountain and watch the tiger fight, and make a fortune by moping!"

Hamid muttered these ten words over and over again in his own mouth, and it seemed to be a bit of a feeling of clearing the clouds and seeing the sky, but it seemed to be a bit less clear.

He then asked in a humble manner, "Old brother, I have no problem with letting me be neutral, but I'm afraid that they will break those of my fellow officers one by one, and in the end, I will be the only one left, and when that happens, they will definitely not tolerate me!"

Ye Chen nodded and spoke, "So, that's why I want to talk to you alone again."

Hamid then knew that Ye Chen must have something else to explain to him in private, so he hurriedly said, "Older brother, I would like to hear more about it!"

Ye Chen spoke, "When I said that you were actually neutral, I was just saying it for Sayyid's ears, but in fact, you and Wan Breaker's positioning should be completely mirrored."

"Wan Broken Army is neutral in favour of the government army, while you should be neutral in favour of those of your colleagues."

"The 10,000 Broken Army will only help them with their defence in the future, not their offense, and the same goes for you, to help your poor buddies with their defence, but you can't blatantly do this, never directly intervene when they are at war, the best way is to help them strengthen their own defence before the battle."

"If they do fight, then you carry out the ten words I just said, never interfere."

"So, in order to prevent your poor buddies from being broken one by one, you have to make all your poor buddies strong, but you also have to remind them that since they have chosen to occupy the mountain as king, they must not be too greedy, run your own mu of land well, don't think about fighting them to the death, it's best if both of you can maintain a long-lasting stalemate, so that for you it's actually the best situation for both of you."

Hamid nodded gently and said under his breath, "I understand what you mean old brother!"

Saying that, he said with some worry, "But to be honest, these poor buddies of mine don't have much money, so I'm afraid that they simply can't afford it if they are allowed to carry out a big infrastructure project."

Ye Chen asked him, "For an armed force like yours, where does the daily funding come from?"

Hamid explained, "Most of the funding relies on overseas aid, and a small portion relies on some resources and outputs from the areas under their control, such as food, oil and the like, and they can make some money by offering these materials."

Ye Chen nodded and said, "Then you can use the engineering team under your hand to make a deal with them, and help them with infrastructure construction at a slightly lower price, if they don't have money, then let them trade for food and oil."

Saying that, Ye Chen also instructed, "If your engineers help them build their base, you remember to package them as a civilian construction enterprise, so that Sayid's side can save face, some superficial work still needs to be done."

"I understand!" Hamid said with some excitement, "I'll start pushing for this immediately!"

## **Chapter 3628**

To Ye Chen, Hamid admired him to the core of his being.

It was not just because Ye Chen had cured his leg, nor was it just because Ye Chen had guided him to resist the attack of the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall, but also because of Ye Chen's ability to easily turn the tide in a big situation.

Before this, the country was in a state of war, with both warring sides fighting to the death, and the intervention of the Ten Thousand Dragons Hall had put Hamid and his camp in jeopardy.

However, after Ye Chen had pointed the way, the two sides had been in an actual ceasefire for a long time, and during this time, everyone was considered completely relieved.

Now, Ye Chen had re-installed the Hall of Ten Thousand Dragons and placed him in a position of collaborative defence, which at once just made up for the weakness of Said's side's defence.

You know, if this problem was not solved, the Said side would have been even more desperate to wipe out all the opposition in the face of the enormous pressure for survival as well as the pressure for defence.

And now, the addition of the Hall of Ten Thousand Dragons immediately gave them great relief from this mood.

When he thought that the Ten Thousand Dragons Temple had already pledged its allegiance to Ye Chen, Hamid worshipped him even more in his heart.

At this moment, Ye Chen opened his mouth and asked Hamid, "By the way, what happened to those guys I had sent here the other day?"

Hamid smiled and said, "They are all digging in the mountain, including those students of Miss He, I have organized them into the digging cla\*s, and they are responsible for doing hard labour at the front of the tunnel every day."

As he spoke, he heard a sudden muffled sound from the interior of the nearby mountain, followed by an earthquake-like shaking of the ground.

Hamid hastened to explain, "Brother, this is the tunneling of the cannon, drilling holes in the stone wall to release the cannon, transporting the blasted stone out, and then anchoring it well, the tunnel is basically finished."

Ye Chen nodded and smiled, "This place of yours is really good, you don't even have to worry about him running away if you lock him up in this place, even if he does, it's impossible for him to get out alive."

"Yes!" Hamid laughed, "This is surrounded by mountains, it's really not easy to run out, and even the farmers around here are all my people, there are still my eyes and ears planted everywhere, as long as they are people you send over here, I'll take my head to guarantee that they will never be able to run away, and absolutely no one will be able to find this place."

Ye Chen smiled with satisfaction, "That's good, if you come across any unscrupulous ones in the future, send them all over to you as free labour."

Hamid patted his chest and promised, "Don't worry, I'll take as many as I can get!"

"Hmm." Ye Chen nodded slightly, looked at the time and said, "Alright, old brother, I still have to rush back to China, so I won't talk to you anymore, I'll come back when I have the chance."

Hamid said reluctantly, "Brother, can we at least have lunch before we leave? We can have a drink together. I bought some Chinese Maotai wine the other day, so I'm waiting for you to come and have a drink with you."

Ye Chen smiled and said, "No, brother, I appreciate it. I still have a four-hour flight back, and it will be nighttime if I arrive in China later."

Hamid had to nod and said, "Alright then, since you're in a hurry to go back, I won't keep you too long, next time you come, make sure you have a good drink!"

"Okay!"

A few minutes later, Ye Chen returned to Beirut alone by helicopter.

When he arrived at the airport in Beirut and was about to transfer to a Concorde flight back to China, he received a call from Wan Bajun.

As Ye Chen had made all the terms and conditions very clear to Said, Wan Breaking Army signed all the agreements without any problems after meeting with them in Damascus.

Moreover, Said's leader personally placed the map in front of Wan Breaking Army and let him pick the right location directly from the map.

Wan Bajun also kept to the agreement and chose a relatively regular piece of land in the middle of Damascus and the opposition gathering area to be used as the back base of the Hall of Ten Thousand Dragons.

Although the overall area of that land was already nearly one hundred and fifty square kilometres, Said's leader was very quick to agree to it.

To him, the land was just the best option for building a buffer zone, and he would be much more at ease in the future with the Hall of Ten Thousand Dragons stationed there.

Apart from that, there was the issue of the captives.

Wan Bajun has already arranged for the financial staff of the Dragon Palace to complete the transfer immediately, and Said has personally begun preparations for the release of the prisoners, and expects to have the 15,000 men shipped to Damascus as soon as this evening.

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Wan Bajun planned to let the 15,000 Dragon Palace soldiers take a week's vacation first, so that they could return from Damascus to their respective countries of permanent residence by plane to rest up, and then rearrange their next tasks after a week.

Ye Chen had no problem with his arrangement, so he left him to make his own full arrangements.

Since then, all the important issues in the Middle East had been satisfactorily resolved, and as to how high Wan Breaking Army could take the Ten Thousand Dragon Hall, the future would mainly depend on him.

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On the other side of the world, Wei Liang arrived in Washington in a hurry with twenty boxes of Jiu Xuan Zhen Zhen Pills.

After getting off the plane, he immediately contacted the PR company responsible for pulling the strings and made an appointment with the head of the FDA for dinner.

Wei Liang paid US\$50,000 for the meal, without promising to solve any problems.

Of the \$50,000, the PR firm made \$20,000 and the remaining \$30,000 went to the head of the FDA.

This kind of thing is a very common grey operation in the United States, in the ambiguous zone between normal and illegal, so it is also a means of generating income for American public officials.

What Wei Liang wanted to do was to push the Jiu Xuan Zhen Zhen Pills to the other side as much as possible during this meal, and then try to convince the other side to try to do a drug test on the Jiu Xuan Zhen Pills, and if it was determined that there were no toxic side effects, they could do a small-scale clinical trial, and that way, they would soon be able to see the effects of the Jiu Xuan Zhen Pills.

Once they are sure that the Jiu Xuan Zai Zai Pill is really effective in treating cancer, they will naturally realise the great value of this medicine and will also increase their awareness and recognition of Jiu Xuan Pharmaceutical.

To minimise the risk, the PR company chose to hold the dinner in a small restaurant they had opened themselves.

Located in the suburbs of Washington, the small restaurant was advertised to the public as a full membership restaurant, so it was only available to its own members and had permanently closed the so-called new member registration channel, just to make it easier for the PR firm to organise and arrange such special meetings.

When Wei Liang arrived at the restaurant, the person in charge of the meeting with him had not yet arrived.

A PR person dressed as a waiter said to him, "Mr Wei, Mr Smith has been delayed by something and will probably take another twenty minutes to arrive, so please sit down for a moment."

Wei Liang nodded gently, so he sat down first under the other party's arrangement.

Twenty minutes had passed and the other party still hadn't appeared.

The public relations officer told him that the other party might take another twenty minutes or so.

Although Wei Liang was a little anxious, he still agreed to do so, but to his surprise, after waiting for an hour and a half, the other party still did not appear.

He waited for two hours before the other party finally arrived.

The public relations officer brought the other party in front of Wei Liang and introduced him, "Mr Wei, this is Mr James Smith."

The one who was called James Smith was a middle-aged white man in his forties, and when he saw Wei Liang, he said rather embarrassedly, "I am sorry to keep you waiting, Mr Wei, there is something at home that I need to take care of."

James Smith looked quite a bit worse for wear, his hair was a bit dishevelled, the first button of his shirt had disappeared, leaving only a short thread, and his tie also seemed to have been ripped open and wrapped crookedly inside his suit.

Wei Liang was a little surprised in his heart.

He felt that a man of Smith's calibre was definitely a member of high society in America, and probably also a member of certain top circles, after all, he had a lot of power in his hands and a high social status.

People like this kind of people, who all regard themselves as gentlemen, so pay great attention to their personal appearance, dressing and behaving with great care, not even a single strand of hair would be messed up, while this James Smith looked like a down and out insurance salesman.

This led Wei Liang to speculate that he should have encountered something difficult.

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Precisely because he realised that the other party might have really encountered no small difficulty, Wei Liang was not the least bit angry at the other party's tardiness.

On the contrary, he nodded very understandingly and politely said, "It's alright Mr. Smith, I don't have anything else to do, I'm not in a hurry."

"Thanks!" James Smith said thank you and smiled politely before sitting down in front of Wei Liang.

After the two of them casually ordered some meals, James Smith then asked Wei Liang, "Mr. Wei has come so far from China, is there something important?"

Wei Liang smiled, "Our Jiu Xuan Pharmaceutical, Mr. Smith should have heard of it, right?"

"I've heard of it." Smith nodded and said, "You have a drug that is being reviewed by our FDA, right?"

"Yes." Wei Liang was busy saying, "The review cycle has passed for quite a long time and it hasn't entered the next stage yet, so I would like to inquire if there is any way to speed up the process."

Smith said with difficulty, "The FDA's review of imported drugs is very strict now, and the process is really long, and I can't tell you definitively whether it will meet our standards and be approved for marketing after going through all the processes."

Wei Liang explained, "Mr. Smith, the ingredients of our Chinese medicine are very safe, and there are no toxic side effects, and the medicine is very effective, so it can be said to have immediate effects, could this medicine also be rejected by the FDA?"

Smith nodded and said, "We have been receiving drug applications from Eastern countries in recent years, and the vast majority of them are for this kind of proprietary Chinese medicine you mentioned, not only from China, but also from Japan and Korea, but the vast majority of them have been rejected."

Wei Liang asked in disbelief, "Why is that?"



Smith said very seriously, “Mr Wei, our testing as well as vetting requirements for drugs in the West are very different from traditional medicine in the East, and one of the very important points is that there must be a clear pharmacokinetic test.”

“You must tell us clearly what the active ingredients of this drug are, for what reasons, what kind of effect it has, and you must also tell us whether this drug has any toxic side effects in the body, on various organs, especially the liver and kidneys, and how long the metabolic cycle of its ingredients in the body is, if these are not clear, there is no way we can allow it to enter. If these are not clear, there is no way we can allow it to be sold in our market.”

Wei Liang said, “Many Chinese medicines are very complex in their composition, so their internal components are also very complex, unlike Western medicines, which are mostly chemical drugs, where there is often only one active ingredient, such as penicillin and aspirin, where a molecular formula can reflect its actual composition and composition, and it is very difficult for all Chinese medicines to meet such requirements in the West. seek common ground while preserving differences?”

Smith shook his head and said, “I’m sorry Mr. Wei, this is something we can’t do to seek common ground while preserving differences, the rules are the rules, all drugs that are to enter the American market must in principle meet all our rules or they can’t be marketed and sold.”

Wei Liang was busy saying, “Our drug is extremely effective, which is recognized by all patients, and it is a best-selling drug in many countries. As far as I know, many American patients have purchased our Jiu Xuan Stomach San through proxy purchase, but this method not only takes a long time, but also costs much more, and they all hope very much that the FDA will be allowed to enter the American market as soon as possible. ”

Smith shook his head and said, “Many patients themselves can’t tell whether your medicine has a definite therapeutic effect or a strong superficial symptom relief, if it’s the former it’s fine, but if it’s the latter it will probably also delay the treatment of the actual lesion.”

Speaking of this, Smith added: “This is like a kind of hemorrhoid suppository that is very popular in your China, some patients in the United States bought it through online shopping as well as black market channels and felt good using it, and it has been hoping to pass the FDA’s review, but we have not been able to pass its application, do you know why?”