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Ye Chen was still worried that he might have seen his own father, so he deliberately asked, "What, you haven't seen me before?"

Hong Tian Shi stared at Ye Chen and questioned in an icy tone, "Kid, I haven't seen you last time I came over, are you a fellow here?"

Ye Chen shook his head and laughed, "There is no medical school that can afford to hire me as a fellow yet."

A pair of Hong Tian Shi's sword brows knitted together and he said in an unkind tone, "Kid, I don't want to talk nonsense with you, tell Shi Tian Qi to come out, it's almost eight o'clock, I want to put up the plaque of Tian Shi Hall!"

After saying that, he remembered something and angrily rebuked, "Where is the plaque of my Heavenly Master Hall?! Where did it go?!"

Ye Chen pointed to the plaque under his feet that had been stepped on until the gilt had fallen off and said with a smile, "You are talking about this piece under my feet, right?"

As soon as Master Hong saw that the plaque of his own Heavenly Master Hall had been stepped on by Ye Chen, not only was it covered in dust and shoe marks, but it had even been trampled off the gilt paint, the whole man became furious and pointed at Ye Chen and shouted angrily, "Kid, how dare you, you should even step on my plaque under your feet, I think you are impatient to live!"

After saying that, he swung his fist and made a stance to fight.

Ye Chen brushed aside his mouth and sneered, "Yo, you old man is so imposing, barging in here early in the morning and wanting to hit someone? Believe it or not, I can make you lose your trousers with this punch?"

Hong Tian Shi sneered, "Ignorant little boy, how dare you speak so loudly in front of me, if it weren't for the presence of the Supreme Spirit, I would have killed your dog!"

Ye Chen also sneered, "Oh, since you believe in the Supreme Spirit, you are a Daoist priest, why are you here instead of practicing martial arts in the Daoist temple? What's the difference between a Taoist priest like you and those evil monks who steal from men and women and priests who molest boys? Although I don't believe in your family's Supreme Spirit, I feel ashamed for them! Thousands of years of Taoism, how come such a thing like you has come out, what a shame!"

"You!" For so many years, he had become a famous master of the Daoist sect by virtue of his ability to make some low-grade pills to enhance his true qi, and countless Daoists worshipped him, and many top Chinese tycoons had also become his followers, offering him large sums of money for incense.

But he had never imagined that a kid who seemed to have no real qi and had not even entered the martial arts world would dare to speak out in front of him and belittle himself to the point of worthlessness!

Furious, he gritted his teeth and said, "Kid, you're asking for death, so don't blame me for being unkind to you!"

After saying that, that heavy fist swung towards Ye Chen.

However, Ye Chen was not afraid at all, let alone dodging, but looked at him with a provocative face and said indifferently, "You fight, after you fight I will let you know what it means that a strong dragon can't overpower a snake on the ground, believe it or not I can make you a wanted target in the whole Jinling, black and white channels with one phone call?

As soon as Ye Chen's words came out, Hong Tian Shi's expression was instantly horrified!

Immediately afterwards, he subconsciously stopped his fist that had already swung out.

He was not afraid of Ye Chen, but he understood a truth from Ye Chen's words, "This kid must be a local local snake in Jinling, although I am not afraid of him, but I am new here and have no connections, in case I beat him up today, the police will go around arresting me, I am afraid it will be difficult for me to stay in Jinling, then, it will also delay the most important purpose of my coming to Jinling!"

Thinking of this, he gritted his teeth and secretly said, "Forget it! A little intolerance is a big mistake! Let's spare this kid's life today!"

With this thought, Hong Tian Shi withdrew his fist and stared at Ye Chen, saying with his eyes wide with anger, "Kid! You're lucky today, I don't want to kill you here, otherwise, with your disrespectful words to me just now, I would have sent you to see the Supreme San Ching!"

Ye Chen spat and continued to taunt, "I pooh! You've got a tough mouth, not that I despise you, but it's lucky you didn't do it! Otherwise, I would have beaten the shit out of you on the spot! Don't cover your crotch and say I don't respect the old and the young!"

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"Fuck you!"

At this moment, Hong Tian Shi's mouthful of teeth almost gnashed!

He didn't expect that this brat in front of him would be so cheap, so cheap that it would make one's heart burst with murder!

It was obvious that he had spared his life and let him off the hook, but instead of appreciating it, she had even spoken such disrespectful words to him, which was simply 'tolerable!

However, the more Ye Chen provoked him, the more he did not dare to make a move with Ye Chen.

It wasn't that he was afraid of Ye Chen, it was mainly because he was afraid of causing a law and order incident here, or even a criminal case.

Once that happened, the police would be involved, and although he was an eight-star martial artist, he definitely wouldn't dare to blatantly go against the police in a metropolis like Jinling.

In his mind, it was easy for him to beat Ye Chen to death, just by punching him, he would be able to crack his brain.

However, how to end the fight afterwards became very troublesome.

Once he became a wanted criminal in Jinling, how could he find the whereabouts of the Spring Return Pill here without worrying?!

Moreover, the reason why he wanted this Ji Shi Tang of Shi Tian Qi was because after asking around, he learned that Shi Tian Qi of this Ji Shi Tang was the most famous national doctor in Jinling, and there were also rumours that he had once cured a paraplegic patient with a miraculous medicine, which was very miraculous.

At that moment, he realised that if this was true, then it was likely that Shi Tianqi also had the same elixir as Gu Qiuyi.

However, he had come over several times before in the guise of a patient to try it out, only to find that although Shi Tianqi was very good at Chinese medicine, he was not proficient in the way of alchemy, so it was impossible for him to make that kind of elixir that turned decay into magic.

So, he moved his own twisted thoughts.

He wanted to use a provocative method to force Shi Tianqi to compete with himself in medical skills, and then set him up to lose Ji Shi Tang to himself.

In this way, if there was another capable person behind Shi Tianqi, then he might be able to lure the capable person out.

If Shi Tianqi did not have a capable person behind him, then he could make a name for himself in Jinling if he beat him in medicine and took over his Jishi Hall.

With fame, he would also have the capital to quickly gain a foothold in Jinling.

And he knew very well that the top talents in both directions, be it medicine or metaphysics, would become the object of competition among the powerful and noble.

Once he had replaced Shi Tianqi, he would certainly become a sought-after divine doctor in the eyes of the powerful and noble in Jinling, and this would also facilitate his quick integration into the upper echelons of Jinling's society, as well as facilitate spying.

It was precisely for this reason that Ji Shi Tang became the first battle he was determined to win in his eyes.

And although the Ye Chen in front of him was arrogant, Hong Tian Shi did not think that Ye Chen would be the capable person behind Shi Tian Qi, but only saw him as a clown.

Right now, this clown was bouncing around in front of him, so he was really annoyed, but he couldn't beat him up, so he said with a black face, "Kid, do you know that no one has ever dared to talk to me like you in my life?"

Ye Chen bristled, "You're a husky with a chicken feather duster up your ass, what the fuck are you pretending to be, if you want to act tough, go to the Xuanwu police station across the road, don't fucking annoy me here."

"You!" But when he heard that the police station was across the road, he could only force himself to resist the urge. To be fair, even if you don't scorn my strength, looking at my age, you still have to give me some face!"

Ye Chen grinned, "You're barking like a wild dog in front of me early in the morning, and you want me to give you face, I don't know who the hell you are?"

After saying that, Ye Chen added: "Come on, introduce to me your surname, your name, where you come from and where you are going!"

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"I ....." Hong Tian Shi's fists were clacking with anger and his body was shaking like a Parkinson's patient, he gritted his teeth and said, "My name is Hong Chang Qing! My name is Hong Changqing! In North America, everyone respects me as Hong Tian Shi!"

Ye Chen skimmed his lips, looked him up and down and asked, "Just you, Master Hong Tian Shi?"

Hong Changqing gritted his teeth and said, "That's right! The Hong Heavenly Master is none other than the old me!"

Ye Chen smacked his lips and said, "Aiya, everyone else calls me Master Ye, but you call yourself Master Hong Tian Shi, I'm big, you're heaven, you have one more cross than me, according to this you're even more powerful than me?"

Thinking that Ye Chen was still deliberately mocking him, Hong Changqing said furiously, "Kid, you really are eloquent! But I'm not in the mood to talk nonsense with you right now! I came here today to find Shi Tianqi, where is he, tell him to come out and talk to me!"

As soon as the words left her mouth, Chen Xiaozhao ran in with guick steps.

As she ran, she said to Ye Chen, "Master Ye, I've done everything you asked me to do!"

Hong Changqing looked at Chen Xiaozhao and immediately questioned, "Yatou! Where is that grandfather of yours? Why did he say yesterday that he was willing to accept defeat in a bet, but today he's a shrinking violet!"

Chen Xiaozhao grunted, "Old bad egg, my grandfather is not a shrinking turtle! You're the turtle! You're the old turtle who's desperately sticking his head out and trying to bite people!"

"You ....." Hong Changqing thought of Chen Xiaozhao's description and turned blue with anger, cursing angrily, "Good! If Shi Tianqi doesn't come out, I will personally take off his plaque!"

Ye Chen immediately stopped him, "Hold on! You old man is really shameless, who are you that you dare to come to someone else's medical school and take off their plaque? Are you a bandit?"

Hong Changqing said coldly, "He, Shi Tianqi, already lost this Ji Shi Hall to me yesterday, willing to gamble and accept defeat, does he want to go back on his word?"

Ye Chen bristled, "Aiyo, you old man probably doesn't know the law, right? Such a medical hall, with its house and decoration, as well as the furnishings inside, must be at least millions, you say that someone lost millions of things to you, then you are gambling illegally!"

After saying that, he immediately said to Chen Xiaozhao, "Xiaozhao, call the police at 110 now, I'd like to see what the police have to say!"

Hong Changqing was anxious and stomped his foot, "You ..... are clearly playing a scoundrel!"

Ye Chen sneered, "I'm not playing a scoundrel, you said it yourself! What's more, I didn't see how you made the bet, do you have any witnesses?"

Hong Changqing said in a cold voice: "Of course I have witnesses, everyone who was here yesterday to see the doctor is my witness! Among them is also the woman who volunteered to be the subject of our match when I was competing with Shi Tianqi, she can also testify!"

Ye Chen asked again, "Then tell me what you all competed against?"

Hong Changqing said arrogantly, "We competed in pulse-taking! One, who can tell the age of the other, and two, who can tell ....."

Ye Chen didn't wait for him to finish, he directly interrupted him and said out of the blue, "Okay, okay, you don't have to say anymore, just this first point, I'm curious, how did you set the rules for the pulse-taking competition?"

Hong Changqing said in a cold voice: "The rule is that the two of us will take the woman's pulse together, and then write down the year of birth on a piece of paper, and then ask the woman to take out her ID card, and whoever writes down the date closest to the woman's actual date of birth will win!"

Ye Chen nodded and asked, "What about the exact result of your age numbering yesterday?"

Hong Changqing immediately said in a loud voice, "Yesterday I numbered the woman born on August 8, 1966, while Shi Tianqi numbered the woman born on March 1, 1967, and the final date of birth on the woman's ID card was August 15, 1966! The date on the woman's ID card ended up being 15 August 1966!

Ye Chen frowned and asked, "Are you that good? You can tell the other person's birthday just by taking their pulse, and the error is only seven days?"

Hong Changqing hummed and laughed, "A frog at the bottom of the well, there is a lot more that I can tell!"

Ye Chen bristled and held out his hand to him, saying, "Come, you can check my pulse to see what year, month and day my birthday is! I'll tell you in advance, if the error exceeds seven days, you'll be smacked by my big ears!"

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When he saw Ye Chen threatening to smack him, he even stretched out his hand and gestured at the side of his face, Hong Changqing really wanted to break him into pieces because he had never suffered such humiliation in his life.

However, when he thought that he had important matters to attend to in Jinling and that the police station was just around the corner, even if he had a great hatred in his heart, he could only suppress it desperately at this moment.

When Ye Chen saw that his face was blue, he looked like a pressure cooker about to explode, so he sneered and sneered, "What's the matter? You don't dare to check my pulse anymore? I think you, the old man, won yesterday by cheating the divine Doctor Shi! Otherwise, why don't you dare to take my pulse?"

Ye Chen had originally suspected that this Hong Changqing had set up a trap for Shi Tianqi, and seeing that he was actually an eight-star martial artist today, this suspicion was reinforced.

An eight-star martial artist must have spent most of his time every day cultivating his martial dao, and even if such a person had the talent to become a top state doctor, he definitely did not have the time or opportunity to become a top state doctor.

In this world, there is no shortage of top scientists who can win the Nobel Prize, there is no shortage of artistic masters who can study a certain musical instrument or painting to perfection, and there is no shortage of sportsmen who can practise a sport like a world championship.

But who has ever heard of a Nobel Prize winner who also became the world's leading pianist and Olympic champion?

Human energy was always limited, and since Hong Changqing was an eight-star martial artist, it was destined that he simply did not have too much time and energy to be able to become a champion in other fields.

At this moment, seeing that Ye Chen had been aggressive, Hong Changqing's heart instantly became a little nervous.

Although he was a Daoist Heavenly Master and was considered to be a great figure, he had spent so many years mainly on cultivating martial arts and secondarily on studying the refinement of some low-level Daoist pills, and had not studied national medicine in depth at all.

However, it was not that he did not know anything about medicine, after all, the Dao Sect itself was good at medicine, so he was still better than most national doctors of limited standard, but there was still a big gap compared to a national doctor saint like Shi Tianqi.

When he took a fancy to Shi Tianqi's Ji Shi Tang, and at the same time wanted to take advantage of it and step on Shi Tianqi to gain a quick foothold in Jinling, he thought of digging a hole for Shi Tianqi.

It was precisely because his own medical skills were not as good as Shi Tianqi's that he deliberately found a few trustees and then took the opportunity to test his medical skills against Shi Tianqi, all the female patients who came to see him yesterday were people he had arranged.

And at that time, he had been leading Shi Tianqi by the nose and using the witnesses at the scene to put pressure on Shi Tianqi, who had not even considered in that direction.

But Ye Chen was not Shi Tianqi.

Shi Tianqi might think that everything was fine because the benchmark for the competition was chosen by himself from a few patients.

However, Ye Chen felt that it sounded a bit fishy.

When he saw that Hong Changqing was still silent, he frowned and said, "You don't dare to compete, do you? I think you are a liar! Before I call the police to arrest you, hurry up and get as far away from me as possible!"

Hong Changqing gritted his teeth and said, "Who says I don't dare? It's just that you are Shi Tianqi's man, so what's the point of me taking your pulse if you are in cahoots? Even if I guess correctly, you will still say that I didn't guess correctly!"

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Ye Chen smiled and directly took out his ID card, snapped it backwards on the table, clasped his name and birth year, and said indifferently, "Here, my ID card is right here, you take my pulse, as long as the birth year you take out is within seven days of the error of my ID card, I will count you as the winner."

Hong Changqing got nervous all of a sudden.

It wasn't that simple to tell the age of a person.

Yesterday, he was afraid that Shi Tianqi was really capable of getting his age right, so before he asked them to come to the show, he got them fake IDs and deliberately deviated their birthdays from their actual ages by one or two years, in order to provide double insurance, so that not only would Hong Changqing know the answer in advance, but he would also confuse the real answer, so that even if Shi Tianqi was capable, the age he got would not be able to match the age on his ID card. The age on the ID card corresponds to the age on the ID card.

So now that Ye Chen had suddenly made a challenge, how could he dare to casually respond.

So, he said in a cold voice: "Humph! What does an ID card count for? ID cards can also be faked, in case you make a fake ID card to deceive me and change the date of birth, even if I have great skills, it would be impossible for me to guess the age on your ID card, in that case, wouldn't you win or lose?"

After hearing his query, Ye Chen asked curiously, "It seems that you know all about such underhanded things! Did you win against Dr. Shi by such a small trick?"

Hong Changqing immediately denied it, "Of course I didn't! I won against Shi Tianqi because of my real skills! I just feel that you are not a good person at first glance, and probably designed to trap me on purpose!"

Ye Chen nodded: "You are afraid that I will conspire with Divine Doctor Shi to trap you, right?"

Hong Changqing immediately said, "That's right!"

"Fine!" Ye Chen smiled faintly and said to Chen Xiaozhao, "Xiaozhao, invite in all the people I asked you to invite!"

Chen Xiaozhao hurriedly said, "Yes Master Ye!"

After saying that, he immediately ran out and beckoned, and soon, a dozen women of varying ages were brought in from outside, some looking to be in their early twenties, while others looked to be at least in their sixties or seventies.

After they came in, they all stood in a row. Ye Chen looked at Hong Changqing, who was staring at him with a jaw-dropping expression, and said with a smile, "Come, come, come, Hong Tianshui, these ladies are all short-time casual workers that I asked Xiaozhao to hire from our Jinling labour market early in the morning, so come and take their pulse one by one to see if you can guess their age correctly. Seven days."

Hong Changqing was flustered, but he sneered, "How do I know if these people are your new trustees?"

"It doesn't matter." Ye Chen laughed, "I knew you had to have all this bullshit, and I was afraid that you would say that you were a gynaecological sage and would only check the pulse of women, so I had Xiao Zhao invite all of them to be women."

I had Xiao Zhao take them to the police station to get their birth dates certified and have them stamped to ensure that the birth dates issued by the police station are the same as the birth dates on their ID cards. Ask the police to come over as a witness!"

If you think this doesn't work, then I'll call a friend to introduce someone from the notary's office and contact the TV and media, so that they can come together as witnesses. If you can really control the age error of each person within seven days, when the TV station reports it, your reputation as Hong Tian Shi will be even higher, not only can you promote our Chinese medicine, but you can also apply for a new Guinness World Record!"

After saying that, Ye Chen looked at Hong Changqing and said smilingly, "See, I have ways to cure you."

As soon as Hong Changqing heard this, his entire body was struck by lightning.

He had never dreamed that this kid in front of him would be so damaging! This was almost like blocking all his paths! And he wanted to go to the media, he was a prominent figure in North America, if he were to lose face in front of the media, wouldn't that ruin his wisdom?

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For a moment, Hong Changqing was in disarray, not knowing what to do.

Ye Chen questioned in a cold voice: "What? You don't dare anymore? Aren't you very powerful? You call yourself a Heavenly Master, but you've given up on such a trivial matter?"

Hong Changqing said with a black face, "Kid, how could I, Hong Changqing, be a wimp!"

After saying that, he turned his words and said with a sneer full of arrogance, "I was almost led into a rhythm by this hairy boy of yours! Yesterday, he, Shi Tianqi, voluntarily competed with me and was willing to bet and concede, so he should have given up this Hall to me! But now he's hiding like a turtle, not daring to see anyone, and he's got a smart-alecky kid like you here to spout off, just to renege on his debt. What's more, I've already won this Jezebel Hall, so why should I bet with you again? And what are you betting against me?"

Ye Chen laughed, "Old man, one of us wants to set the pace, but I don't care about you, just now the whole process, I have secretly filmed it with the camera, don't you dare not answer the battle now? It doesn't matter, I'll post these videos on the internet right away, and focus on foreign networks! A mere Ji Shi Tang, the investment is only a million or so, so what if I give it to you? As long as you're not afraid of losing face or picking up sesame seeds and losing the watermelon, this Ji Shi Tang, just go ahead and take it."

After saying that, Ye Chen asked Chen Xiaozhao: "Xiaozhao, did you record the entire video I asked you to record?"

Chen Xiaozhao nodded her head and said, "Back to Master Ye, Xiaozhao has recorded it all!"

As she said that, she took off the black leather bag she was carrying, opened it up and took out several sports cameras from inside, and then looked at the black leather bag, which had four or five round holes all over it.

It's just that the lens and the leather bag were both black, and Hong Changqing's attention had not been on Chen Xiaozhao's body, so he didn't even notice.

Only now did Hong Changqing realise that this kid had set himself up with a three-headed blocking trap!

If he agreed to compete again, the dozen or so women would definitely expose themselves, and if they couldn't even guess the ages of the dozen or so people, it would indirectly prove that he had cheated yesterday, and he would definitely lose his reputation by then.

But if I don't agree, then this kid will post the video on the internet, and I will also lose my reputation.

The key is that he can't kill to silence the victim, so many people are watching, if he really kills to silence the victim, then I am afraid that he will immediately be wanted nationwide, and if he escapes from China, I am afraid that he will be wanted worldwide, and his reputation will be ruined as well.

Only then did Hong realise just how sinister the boy's intentions were!

So, he carefully calculated in his heart: "If I fight hard with this kid, I can't even escape a fate of losing my reputation, rather than this, I'd better shake hands with him and make peace, in that case, it's just that the Ji Shi Tang in my hand will fly away, and I have nothing else to lose ......"

The first thing that I want to do is to help him to keep the hall.

After saying this, he stroked his beard with one hand, lifted his shirt, and put his hands behind his back, striding out with a high stride.

Ye Chen could not let him fool him and directly blocked his way, sneering, "Don't be in a hurry to run away first, old man, your design to frame Dr. Shi yesterday has already affected Dr. Shi's reputation in Jinling.

Hong Changqing instantly panicked and questioned him, "Then what exactly do you want!"

At this moment, Hong Changqing already regretted that he had set his eyes on Shi Tianqi's Ji Shi Tang! Earlier on, he had not expected that this matter would put him in such a passive state.

So much so that now that he wanted to raise his hand and surrender, the other party would not let him.

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At this moment, Ye Chen looked at Hong Changqing and said with a smile, "I heard from Divine Doctor Shi that yesterday you made a bet with Divine Doctor Shi, and the bet was a medicinal censer, I see that the cloth pocket on you is bulging, is it not the one contained inside?"

Hong Changqing took a step back in fear, covering his cloth pocket, and blurted out, "You want my medicine censer?!"

Ye Chen laughed, "Hey, that's not right, how can you say that I want it? It's obvious that you took it as a bet yesterday, but you cheated on yesterday's bet, so it's reasonable to say that cheating is the same as losing, and if you lose, you have to admit it, and if you admit it, you have to take out the bet, is there any problem with what I'm saying?"

Hong Changqing was furious and cursed through clenched teeth, "Don't talk nonsense here! When did I ever lose? It is obvious that I won yesterday, but today I am generous enough not to pursue the matter, and you are still thinking of asking for my things, you are simply tired of living!"

After saying this, Hong Changqing's veins flared up and he shouted angrily, "Kid! I've put up with you for a long time, so if you have the sense to move out of the way, you and I will not cross the river, but if you continue to be aggressive, don't blame me for being merciless!"

Ye Chen grunted and said to the casual workers hired by Chen Xiaozhao, "There's nothing more for you here, you can go."

The group of women already found the two men's sabre-rattling frightening, and upon hearing this, they were even more amnestied, so they all scattered and ran outside.

When everyone had run out, Ye Chen said to Chen Xiaozhao, "Xiaozhao, go and close the door, this old man won't be able to leave until he takes out the bet today!"

Hong Changqing was completely furious, he smashed his fist on Shi Tianqi's consultation table, shattering the solid wood consultation table, and then pointed at Ye Chen and said angrily, "Kid, I think you really don't know how to write the word "death"!"

He had thought that if he showed his strength as a martial arts expert, this kid would be scared shitless, kneel on the ground and kowtow to send him out.

But he never expected that Ye Chen would be completely unimpressed by his status as an eight-star martial artist, and instead sneered with disdain, "I know how to write death, and I also know how to spell the word death in English, if you don't bring out that bet today, I will find a buddy who specialises in human calligraphy to come over and use a knife to spell the word 'death' in both English and Chinese. If you don't bring out that bet today, I'll find a buddy who specializes in human calligraphy and use a knife to carve the word 'death' in both English and Chinese on your wrinkled brain!"

Master Hong Tian Shi was already completely pissed off at Ye Chen!

He had been a master of the world for many years and was admired everywhere he went, but he had never thought that when he came to Jinling, he would meet a young man who didn't know what he was doing, and this young man wanted to use a knife to carve the word on his forehead!

He clenched his fist and stared deadly at Ye Chen, questioning in a cold voice: "Kid, you've seen my strength, do you really think I don't dare to kill you? I'm giving you a chance to live, kneel down and kowtow ten times, then delete all the videos, I'll spare your life, otherwise, your head will end up just like that table!"

Ye Chen sneered, "Old thing, it's not that I despise you, just this bit of your ability, and you still want to beat my head like that, you're just thinking about fart eating!"

Hong Tian Shi completely lost his senses this time, he clenched his teeth, his bloodshot eyes fixed on Ye Chen, and coldly roared, "Kid, you fucking seek death!"

With that, he violently swung his fist, his strength as an eight-star martial artist was raised to the extreme, and this fist whistled with a full blast of wind and attacked Ye Chen's face!

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The fist of an eight-star martial artist is as strong as a fully loaded heavy truck.

When the surging power was all concentrated on the fist surface made up of four fingers, the wind was even more terrifying!

Not to mention that Ye Chen could clearly feel the powerful impact of the wind, even Chen Xiaozhao, who was two metres away, could clearly feel a surging sensation similar to a hurricane blowing against his face.

At this moment, Chen Xiaozhao's heart gripped into a ball, and she couldn't hide her panic as she shouted out loud, "Master Ye, be careful!"

Before she could finish her words, she heard a loud boom, a powerful impact that even made Chen Xiaozhao's eardrums, as well as her internal organs, hurt from the tremendous impact.

When Shi Tianqi inside heard his granddaughter's shout, he did not care about Ye Chen's order for him to wait behind him and ran out apprehensively to see what was going on.

However, when both the grandfather and grandson's eyes looked at Ye Chen and Hong Changqing, they found that the two were as still as if they were at that moment.

Hong Changqing's face was fierce, and his right fist had already struck Ye Chen's face.

Ye Chen, on the other hand, had a bland look on his face and only extended a middle finger with his right hand, easily blocking Hong Changqing's fist in front of him.

Hong Changqing's expression, at this time, also gradually turned from a murderous and fierce look to one of bewilderment, to one of helplessness, to one of panic, to one of horror .....

He couldn't believe that with his full force, this kid could easily resist with just a middle finger!

The gesture of the middle finger is a universal body language, and seeing it is the same as hearing the other person say: fuck you, fuck you or you're an idiot.

However, as much as his expression changed, he could not change back to his previous arrogant and domineering expression.

As Ye Chen's smile became more and more playful, his heart became more and more fearful.

At this moment, he swallowed hard to moisten his throat, which was dry and painful from the tension.

Afterwards, he subconsciously muttered, "How is this possible ..... this is how it is possible ..... I am an eight-star martial artist ..... eight-star martial artist ....."

After saying that, he jerked his head up and looked at Ye Chen fearfully, "You ...... who the hell are you ....."

Ye Chen smiled, "In the past, when people asked me this question, I would usually tell them that I was someone he couldn't afford to mess with."

Hong Changqing subconsciously asked, "So ..... what about now ....."

Ye Chen sneered with a disdainful face, "Now I'm also someone you can't afford to mess with, is there any need to ask?"

Hong Changqing realized that he had been tricked by Ye Chen again, but at this moment, even if he had been tricked by Ye Chen, there was no half anger in his heart, there was only fear.

This was because Hong Changqing had already realized that Ye Chen's strength was no longer on the same level as his own, or even in the same world.

The ancient saying of an overrate shaking a tree perfectly illustrated his feelings at this moment.

Hong Changqing subconsciously took a step back, like a three-year-old child who had made a mistake, and said in fear: "I have eyes that do not know the mountain, offended Master Ye ...... I hope Master Ye will have mercy ...... "

Ye Chen looked at Hong Changqing and said indifferently, "Come, I'll give you a chance to ask the question you just asked again."

Hong Changqing froze, then hurriedly bowed and said, "Master Ye, I am like an ant in front of you, and how dare I go below and ask you about your identity ....."

Ye Chen laughed: "Look, when you are not given the chance, you prefer to forcefully pretend, when you are given the chance, you are abashed again, not useful ah Hong Tian Shi."

Hong Changqing's body shivered in fear and fell to his knees with a poof, saying in a panicked and trembling voice, "Master Ye, calm down ..... I really don't dare to be reckless in front of you ....."

Ye Chen smiled and said blandly, "I heard that you came to Jinling to look for clues to the Spring Return Pill?"

After hearing this, Hong Changqing's heart thudded even more!

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At this moment, he finally understood, "So I have long been targeted by this Grandmaster Ye ...... I was naive enough to think that I had set a trap for Shi Tianqi, but to my surprise, I myself was instead fitted into the trap by this Grandmaster Ye!"

At the same time, he couldn't help but wonder in his heart, "Not many people know about me coming to look for the Spring Return Pill! Apart from the people of the An Family, there was only Gu Qiuyi who was at the An Family that day, bringing the divine Pill to save An Qishan ...... Could it be that this Ye Chen, knew them?!"

Thinking of this, a lightning bolt suddenly struck in Hong Changqing's brain, and he instantly dawned on him and said with a shudder, "Master Ye ...... you ...... are the one who refined the Spring Return Pill?!"

The corner of Ye Chen's mouth rose slightly: "You're still smart."

Hearing these words, Hong Changqing nodded his head and bowed, saying with incomparable devotion under his breath, "The 39th generation of Tai Chen Dao's heir, Hong Changqing, kowtows to the master!"

Ye Chen brushed aside his mouth, "I am not from your Daoist sect, much less a master."

Hong Changqing was astonished: "You ...... are not a member of the Daoist sect? But ...... but the art of alchemy is the untold secret of the Daoist sect! You are able to refine a miracle pill like the Spring Return Pill, so you must have obtained the true tradition of the Daoist Sect, how could you not be a member of the Daoist Sect ......"

Ye Chen hummed and laughed: "Pill refining is not a patent of the Dao Sect, who said that only people from the Dao Sect can refine it? What's more, although you are a member of the Dao Sect, are the pills you refine reliable? If it was reliable, I'm afraid that if you saved the An family's old man that day, it wouldn't have been my turn to disperse blood to save his heart, would it?"

Hong Changqing was ashamed and hung his head in repentance, "What Master Ye said is very true, I am sitting in a well and watching the sky, not knowing that there is a higher and wider world outside the Daoist Sect, I hope Master Ye will bear with me ....."

Ye Chen nodded: "Don't say that, although you are not young, but this attitude of admitting your mistakes is still quite good."

Hong Changqing's face was red with shame, but he could only say, "As the sage said, if you know your mistakes, you can correct them.

Ye Chen laughed: "Don't set me up here either, I didn't say I would show you mercy."

"Yes, yes, yes ....." Hong Changqing nodded his head like garlic and said with immense respect, "It was my eyes that were blind and provoked Grandmaster Ye in the first place, whatever punishment Grandmaster Ye has for me, I wouldn't dare to have a single bit of dissatisfaction ....."

Ye Chen smiled slightly, nodded and said: "Okay, what you said is good, and then you will see the actual action. Where is the medicine cauldron you used as a bet? Take it out."

Hong Changqing's expression was stunned, and at this moment, he was struggling to death inwardly.

Seeing his hesitation, Ye Chen hummed and laughed, "What? At this point in time, you still can't concede a bet?"

Hong Changqing shivered violently in fear!

At this moment, he finally realised the reality that he was already in danger of losing his life, so what was the use of holding on to that pill pot?

Thinking of this, he ruthlessly took off the cloth pocket from his body and respectfully held it in front of Ye Chen with both hands, saying with a humble face, "Master Ye, this is a pill censer that has been passed down from my master for nearly a thousand years, I would like to give it to Master Ye as an apology!

Ye Chen did not accept the cloth bag, but looked at him with interest and asked, "Do you really want to give it to me?"

Hong Changqing gritted his teeth and said respectfully, "Yes, I truly want to give it to Master Ye!"

Ye Chen smiled and asked him, "Is it sincere?"

Hong Changging nodded, "It is sincere!"

Ye Chen asked again, "You don't regret it?"

Although Hong Changqing's heart was aching like a spring of blood, he still nodded heavily, "No ...... no regrets!"

Ye Chen smiled with satisfaction, "Since you are so sure, then I will begrudgingly accept it!"

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When Ye Chen said that he would reluctantly accept it, Hong Changqing felt like his blood was going to run dry.

This Medicine Cauldron had been passed down by the ancestors of the Tai Zhen Dao. For hundreds and thousands of years, dozens of ancestors of the Tai Zhen Dao had used this Medicine Cauldron to refine pills, so it was definitely considered a treasure of the Tai Zhen Dao.

Seeing that this treasure, which had been passed down for thousands of years, had been blackmailed away by Ye Chen, Hong Changqing felt that he would not be able to face the ancestors of Tai Chen Dao after his death.

However, there was no room for him to turn back now, as this treasure was already in Ye Chen's hands, and he was unable to fight, speak or scold him, and he was crushed in front of Ye Chen.

Therefore, Hong Changqing's current thought was that if he could save his life tonight at this Hall, he would be blessed by his ancestors and have smoke coming from his ancestors' graves, so how could he have the heart to ask for this medicine pot back.

So, he could only compensate with a smile and said respectfully, "Master Ye, just accept it, this medicine censer will be yours from now on ....."

Ye Chen nodded and untied the cloth pocket to reveal the ancient bronze three-legged tripod inside, while looking at Hong Changqing, he said, "You promised yourself, I'm not blackmailing you, am I?"

Hong Changqing said with tears in his eyes, "Not blackmail, not blackmail ......"

Ye Chen asked again, "You volunteered, right?"

Hong Changqing nodded his head while letting his tears be thrown on the ground by his head, and kept chanting, "Voluntarily, voluntarily ......"

Ye Chen nodded in satisfaction, "It's okay if it's voluntary."

With that, he took out the three-legged pill censer from the cloth pocket.

As the three-legged pill censer was taken out, there was also a faint smell of medicinal herbs coming out.

Ye Chen looked at the pill censer in front of him and could not help but sigh at how beautifully it was made, with an ancient and simple shape and rounded lines, making it look pleasing to the eye and so well proportioned everywhere.

It was also very smooth to the touch. I don't know if the material was good or if the ancestors of the Tai Zhen Dao had done a good job.

However, Ye Chen did not think that there was anything special about this medicine censer, after all, he had seen a lot of antiques, and he could not count the number of ancient bronze and copper vessels that were more exquisite than this medicine censer, and those bronze vessels that were called national treasures were not one in a million.

Just when Ye Chen thought that it was probably just an ancient souvenir, he subconsciously poured some spiritual energy into it to test it out.

However, the other people around him did not notice the change in the pill censer.

Immediately afterwards, Ye Chen realised that there was an extremely complex formation inside this Medicine Cauldron, just like his own Soul Penetrating Blade and Thunderbolt Order, which were both formations stored in a magic weapon, using spiritual qi to activate the formation to achieve the effects of the formation.

Ye Chen didn't know what kind of formation was in this medicine censer, but it felt like it was spinning incredibly fast, very much like it was specifically used to condense certain materials.

Combined with the fact that this thing looked like a pill censer for refining pills, so he instantly came to the conclusion that this should be a magic weapon that specializes in refining pills with aura!

At this moment, Ye Chen's heart suddenly surged with excitement.

He had previously refined pills by directly condensing the herbs with spirit qi, and the reason why he didn't use any artifacts was because the strength of ordinary artifacts simply couldn't carry the temperature of spirit qi when refining pills for a long time.

Moreover, according to the "Nine Xuan Heavenly Scriptures", although pill cauldrons had no offensive power, they were considered difficult among magic artifacts, and the formations inside such magic artifact-level pill cauldrons were able to refine the medicinal effects of medicinal herbs better and even achieve sublimation under the augmentation of spiritual qi.

In other words, if Ye Chen took the ingredients of the Spring Return Pill and simply refined them with spiritual qi, what would come out would be an ordinary Spring Return Pill, but if he put the herbs into this kind of medicinal censer and refined them, what would come out would be a Spring Return Pill Plus.

The medicinal effect of the Spring Return Pill Plus is definitely stronger than that of the Spring Return Pill, but how much stronger it is depends on the level of the pill cauldron itself.

Pill refining, in some ways, is very similar to iron smelting.