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Chapter 286.1: Green Jade Immortal Island Master's Visit

Yang Chen didn't have time to deal with Xiao Tian for the time being. However, he still attached him to a weapon. Xiao Tian's incarnation would always be the appropriate size and shape that best suits his hand, enabling him to use him whenever he pleases.

Gui Shanyou also found many high-level magic weapon fragments from the portal of the Dacheng realm. These pieces were favourite foods for Xiao Tian, every piece of broken skin could give it enjoyment for a long time.

Looking at Xiao Tian bursting with energy, Yang Chen's heart moved again. There were still a few things in the treasure house of the Dragon Palace that have not been collected. Now Yang Chen's cultivation base had also improved, and Xiao Tian had completely absorbed the dragon qi. Was it possible to consider going to the Dragon Palace again to collect the rest of the things?

However, for the time being, Yang Chen still suppressed this idea. The first few things in the hands of Yang Chen had not been completely collected until now. Secondly, Yang Chen knew in his heart that he always let Xiao Tian exceed his own limits to absorb the dragon qi, his growth had not been so good, this must stop.

Even so, the growth of Xiao Tian gave Yang Chen a small surprise. The magic treasure pieces he absorbed spiritual power from were thrown away because they had no recycling value. Although the materials were still there, they had been mixed and sacrificial refined in various ways. It was now more difficult to track them than trying to go to heaven.

However, the strength of Xiao Tian made Yang Chen somewhat stunned. After Xiao Tian used the magic weapon fragments, there was a miraculous general change in their appearances. The materials were still mixed, but the trace of sacrificial refining had been completely eliminated, as if swallowed by Xiao Tian itself.

There were no magic fragments with even a trace of sacrificial refining, thus, these materials could be refined and separated in many ways and become the top materials that could be used. It should be known that this part of the material was basically produced in the portal of the Yuanying and the Dacheng realm, its level was not low.

Of course, this advantage, Yang Chen had not yet intended to tell anyone, but he did to let Shangguan Feng pay attention and collect some magic weapon fragments from the Yuanying and the Dacheng realm portals. In the long history of cultivators, he didn't know how many such things have been piled up in various unknown places so far. If someone has the heart for it, they could collect countless such things.

For Yang Chen, these countless magic weapon pieces meant countless high-grade refining materials. Yang Chen's Yin-Yang five elements flying swords were just lacking all kinds of top materials for their sacrificial refining. That was simply like getting cheap raw material delivered to his door step.

Speaking of it, this time Xiao Tian also had an upgrade. Yang Chen was happy, he had piled a lot of magic weapon pieces around Xiao Tian. Of course, the most important ones were flying swords; Blood Phantom Vine flying sword and First Wood sword embryo. Xiao Tian's body was now on the First Wood sword embryo. On the top, it was playing with the Blood Demon Vine flying sword in its mouth.

Yang Chen wanted to leave, but some people didn't let him. After making up his mind to go to the Monster Race's domain, he tried to report the matter of his departure to the Palace Master, but he told him that the Green Jade Immortal Island Master had come to visit the Pure Yang Palace. Specifically indicating that Yang Chen must accompany her, there was some business matter to discuss.

The arrival of Green Jade Immortal Island Master was a grand matter and the distinguished guest was to be received in a similarly grand manner at the Pure Yang Palace. Not to mention the Pure Yang Palace, even among the top two sects in the rankings, which one had a history of receiving a distinguished guest with a similar rank as of the Island Master?

However, what surprised Yang Chen was that the Palace Master had told him that the Island Master's visit was this time, a secret one. Thus, it did not involve fanciful reception. Also, Yang Chen should not divulge this information.

The other party pointed out that Yang Chen should accompany her, there was some business to deal in. He could only obey the instructions. However, what made Yang Chen strange was that, in addition to the two elders of Green Jade Immortal Island, there was another companion, Shi Shanshan.

Yang Chen knew the two elders. One was Yan Huafeng, a master of the Dacheng realm, and the leader of the Great Calamity of Demonic Art. The other was Guan Yuanying, a Yuanying realm ancestor. In the past, he chased Yang Chen for a month in the sea, and later turned to a friend from an enemy.

The Island Master's appearance was like a thirty years old woman. The smile on her face seemed very bright. If one didn't know her identity, anyone would take her as a woman full of optimism about life. You wouldn't think that she was one of the leaders of the several major Dao sects.

Except for the Island Master, the people who came were acquaintances, who tended to be favourable towards the Pure Yang Palace. The secretive nature of this was a bit strange. However, since the other party had something to do with business, of course, it was necessary to bring people who will not cause misunderstanding with the Pure Yang Palace. From this point of view, it was quite normal.

"This old person is going to have something to discuss with the Palace Master. You, young people still have a lot to exchange."

Unexpectedly, after seeing Yang Chen, the Island Master only looked at Yang Chen carefully and pushed Shi Shanshan out to let her get along with Yang Chen alone.

This gesture seemed to support Shi Shanshan and Yang Chen in their own capacity, but the whole hidden action was a bit strange. Making Yang Chen very confused. He didn't understand the motive behind it.

Shi Shanshan was frosty in front of outsiders, but in front of these several seniors, she still had a respectful look. Listening to the Island Master's tease, her face shown a rare blush. The glamorous face with a shyness to boot, compared to the Island Master and several elders was higher by many points.

"Yang Chen, you take Fairy Shi to go to the Meishan Mountain, keep her entertained."

The Palace Master also commanded. The meaning behind the smile on his face couldn't be seen through clearly. Whether it was just for mere etiquette or was it optimism about Yang Chen and Shi Shanshan's relationship.

What could Yang Chen say, he could only leave with Shi Shanshan after a greeting. It was also funny to think about it. He and Shi Shanshan were already over 100-years-old but were still young people in the eyes of their elders.

Shi Shanshan's face was restored to her usual frostiness. Because the Palace Master had iterated that this was a secret matter and any information about the Island Master was not broadcasted, so Yang Chen directly put Shi Shanshan into the shuttle, and soon flew to a high cliff. After arriving above it, they came out.

"I haven't tasted the tea you cooked since a long time. It just happened to be so that my tea leaves had matured, becoming much better. Would you like to try them?"

Yang Chen looked at Shi Shanshan, who stood on the cliff. Then looked at the mountains under the cliff. Then laughed and told, "I got a nice Spirit Spring."

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"From the Blue Cloud Sect auction?"

Shi Shanshan turned her head and suddenly asked, "You bought it with Little Xue?"

"Yeah?"

Yang Chen did not expect that Shi Shanshan knew of the matters in the Blue Cloud Sect so clearly. But he did not feel surprised and just nodded, "At that time, I was buying it for alchemy. I've tasted it myself. The best thing to use it for is wine and tea brewing."

Seeing that Yang Chen admitted to it, the frost on Shi Shanshan's face visibly reduced. Yang Chen laid out a complete tea set with a sway of his hands.

Yang Chen's movements were not slow. The profound spirit furnace quickly appeared in his hands, and the sprouts of the old tea trees that used the spiritual powers were also picked up in a short time. Then they were hung in the profound spirit furnace.

If anyone knew that Yang Chen actually used the Profound Spirit Furnace to match the Yin-Yang Burning Heavenly Fire just to fry tea leaves, it would definitely exacerbate Yang Chen's wasteful temperament.

But Shi Shanshan did not blame him at all but rather had a look of anticipation. She had no other good food, but she could brew delicious tea. It was rare for Yang Chen to have a common interest with her and his tea-making technique was not unusual. It let her look forward to his better-looking tea.

The effect of the Yin-Yang Burning Heavenly Fire was not generally good, and Yang Chen had slightly added some Seventh Metal spiritual power to take care of Shi Shanshan's taste. Even the process of frying was adapted to Shi Shanshan's metal attributed spirit root. After tasting, one would feel an endless aftertaste.

The water was of course the spirit spring that Yang Chen bought from the Blue Cloud Sect auction site. As for the work of cooking tea, he made Shi Shanshan do it herself. Looking at the elegant and incomparably beautiful woman's movements while skilfully brewing tea; every move exuding fresh and refined beauty, being alluring at every instance. The tea had not yet been tasted, still it felt like he had already tasted its deliciousness.

"Taste my craft!"

Although Shi Shanshan was cold and proud, but in front of Yang Chen whether it was action or language, a feeling of a wife serving her husband was shown. She even served the tea to Yang Chen with both hands. Though her face did not carry a too intimate expression.

The hot tea would make any person feel the warmth in the whole body. With the exclusively mixed Yin-Yang Burning Heavenly Fire and Seventh Metal spirit power made a person to forget everything.

Even Yang Chen, the initiator of this event, felt such enjoyment, not to mention that even Shi Shanshan was intoxicated. This time, the tea leaves brewing process clearly showed that Yang Chen's control after his cultivation base had improved. The seventh metal was good, and the fire was unbelievable.

The hard feeling thing hidden in the tea was like a metal, it was the infamous skill of Shi Shanshan. While drinking the tea, the spiritual power of the whole body became stimulated and started moving feverishly. The short moment of enjoyment could almost match the effect of One Heavenly Circulation.

The beauty of Shi Shanshan suddenly lit up. She did not expect that Yang Chen's tea was so different than before. It was just delicious before, but now it was even affecting her cultivation. It did not have just the delicious taste anymore.

Looking at Shi Shanshan's amazed eyes, Yang Chen couldn't help but laugh. The reason why he prepared all those things was that he wanted to force such a reaction from Shi Shanshan. Sure enough, the purpose of surprising Shi Shanshan had been achieved, Yang Chen was no longer restrained and laughed out.

"How has my craft improved?"

Yang Chen had a mind to show off and asked with a smile.

Looking at Yang Chen's proud face, Shi Shanshan only gave him a smile, which was the reward. Soon she recovered her frosty expression. If Yang Chen didn't know from his several contacts with her that Shi Shanshan did give him a high praise. Maybe he would have misunderstood that she was not satisfied.

It happened to be the sunset, watching the dying sun slowly falling, neither of them had any interest in talking. One person, a Jade cup, a small mouthful of taste, untasted by all others, it seemed that even the mood was tranquil.

"These are well collected. When you have time, you can drink more."

Yang Chen cooked more than just for this tea, much more, then he directly sealed them in a Jade box, sealed it with a symbol seal and gave it to Shi Shanshan.

"Thank you!"

Shi Shanshan was not polite at all and collected it.

"Why should you say such a word between us."

Yang Chen said very casually. But immediately realized that he said something wrong, then want to take it back, only to miss the timing.

“Also, between you and me, I don’t have to thank you.”

Shi Shanshan took it seriously and her mouth shown a happy expression.

Yang Chen couldn’t help but sigh again. When he faced this beautiful female, he would always be so unsettled and careless with his words causing such misunderstandings. Could it be that he couldn’t resist the beauty of this female? Or was it because of the prestige of Shi Shanshan’s later generation that he must pay attention to? He could not think it clearly.

However, there was a point that Yang Chen couldn’t deny it. He liked to sit in a place like this with Shi Shanshan very casually. He didn’t talk much, just watching the surrounding scenery and drinking delicious tea.

He didn’t know how, whether it was fighting or leisure, it seemed that both Yang Chen and Shi Shanshan had a silent tacit understanding.

Shi Shanshan also enjoyed this atmosphere. She hadn’t talked for a long time. Until the night’s colour was drooping, she sighed and said, “Yang Chen, I told the island master of the matter last time.”

“En”

Yang Chen gave a cry but did not say anything. Shi Shanshan was originally a person from the Green Jade Immortal Island. If she told the island master of her own whereabouts, what was the fuss?

“That batch of ten thousand years Spirit Medicine, Island Master also knew.”

Shi Shanshan said another thing.

“Well, that is yours.”

Yang Chen said this sentence, but it was a little more, once again acknowledging the ownership of Shi Shanshan. This sentence said so much more, answering all the questions Shi Shanshan imagined.

She thought that Yang Chen would be a little surprised and even uneasy, but she didn't think that he would have no reaction at all. Shi Shanshan understood that he really regarded those things as hers and never thought about taking them back. This feeling of being trusted seemed to be different from the sect.

"This time, I want to ask you something."

Shi Shanshan said slightly in a whisper.

"What?"

Yang Chen still asked in a calm tone.

"The Questioning Inner Heart Pill's raw materials are actually those ten thousand years Spirit Medicine."

Shi Shanshan's eyes stared at the ground and didn't look at his side, carefully masked, she continued, "Can you help out? Use my medicinal ingredients to refine a batch of Questioning Inner Heart Pills?"

Chapter 287.1: Ensemble Organized Without Problems

There were not many alchemist masters in the cultivation world, it was not that everyone did not want to learn alchemy. But because of talent, perception, hobbies, etc., the number of alchemist masters was not many. Therefore, it was commonplace for one to prepare their own medicinal ingredients and then ask the alchemist masters to help them in refining it.

At the invitation of Elder Wu Xiong, Yang Chen participated in the process of refining the Heaven Seizing Pill. Not only him, Deng Yiya, Zhu Peng, He Lianyun, even Fan Shan, who was not an alchemy master, had such an experience.

It was not surprising that Shi Shanshan made this request to Yang Chen. Just because of the special nature of the Questioning Inner Heart Pill was now the exclusive resource of the Pure Yang Palace. Shi Shanshan was not sure whether Yang Chen would accept. Thus, she felt very embarrassed asking for it.

“Ok!”

Yang Chen almost did not consider the answer. Shi Shanshan, who was a frosty person all the year round, could not help but show a hint of surprise.

“However, what are you going to give me, this alchemy master?”

Yang Chen wanted Shi Shanshan to show more expressions and asked.

It was also very normal for the alchemy master to help people to refine their alchemy and receive remuneration. In fact, almost all alchemists did this, with no exceptions.

She didn’t expect Yang Chen to be so refreshed. She remained in the shocked state. When she heard Yang Chen’s request, she responded hurriedly, “what conditions do you want?”

“Can you give me anything?”

Yang Chen looked at Shi Shanshan with a smile.

“As long as the Green Jade Immortal Island can afford it.”

Shi Shanshan did not go to Yang Chen’s side, but replied steadily.

“That’s fine.”

Yang Chen smiled and continued, “when the Island Master and Palace Master finish their discussion, I will consider what I want!”

This was very normal. Yang Chen was still a person of the Pure Yang Palace. Such a big thing, of course, must be verified by the Palace Master. This point Shi Shanshan also understood, in fact, Yang Chen’s approach was just like what she told the Island Master.

“Actually, the Questioning Inner Heart Pill, which was auctioned by the Pure Yang Palace a few years ago, was bought by my sect.”

After Shi Shanshan sat silent for a while, she said suddenly without caring whether Yang Chen was listening. But she knew that Yang Chen would certainly hear it.

“Has it cost a lot of money?”

Yang Chen didn't know the grand occasion of the auction, and didn't know what the final price was, but it must have been costly.

“Connected to the one, the best alchemist in the sect, the Hall Masters, shared three to study, each one was broken into powder.”

Shi Shanshan did not know what psychology she had, always felt that she had to tell Yang Chen everything. Then she got the point and slowly said, “they found out the medicinal ingredients in it but the refining techniques you used could not be deciphered.”

Sure enough, they were the masters of the big sects. Knowing the preciousness of the Questioning Inner Heart Pill, that could be used by a master of the Dacheng realm, they still resolutely took out three pills to study and try replicating it. The refining technique could not be ordinary but unfortunately, they still underestimated the Questioning Inner Heart Pill.

The reason why the Questioning Inner Heart Pill could have that effect was 30% due to the use of the medicinal herbs and the remaining 70% was due to the refining technique. To produce the Questioning Inner Heart Pill was like knowing the refining technique. Unless a Seventh Grade Alchemist Master existed, it was impossible.

Seventh Grade Alchemist Master, it was not so easy for one to appear in the Immortal world, not to mention in the mortal world. Even if all the alchemy divisions in the mortal world were added up, it was impossible to get through the refining techniques of the Questioning Inner Heart Pill.

It took the price of a fortune, but in the end, they had to find Yang Chen again. It could be said that Green Jade Immortal Island was also very helpless. However, it was obvious to all that the Questioning Inner Heart Pill was strong. The Island Master and the elders have witnessed it and said that they must also make greater benefits of the Pure Yang Palace in exchange for a batch of Questioning Inner Heart Pill.

Compared with resources, the most important thing in the martial art sects was people. If the masters of Green Jade Immortal Island emerge in an endless stream, it would last forever, and they would be able to do whatever they wanted.

Just as Shi Shanshan and Yang Chen still had such a relationship, the sect must of course would use it. Shi Shanshan was also under the inquiry of the sect. After hesitating for a long time, she said that she had gone out with Yang Chen and exchanged a batch of spiritual medicines.

Since there was this source, then everything was easy to do. The Island Master asked Shi Shanshan and Yang Chen to go out alone. They also hoped that Shi Shanshan could persuade Yang Chen to make a move. She, Elder Guan and Elder Min were persuading the Palace Master.

Shi Shanshan was very worried that Yang Chen would be in conflict about it. Therefore, she did not mention this matter at the beginning, but she did not think that Yang Chen did not have any reservations at all. It was just a normal proposal in exchange of payment, it was a hundred times smoother than the imagination of Shi Shanshan and the Island Master.

The more this was the case, Shi Shanshan felt that there seems to be a place in her heart that was slowly loosening and softening. She and Yang Chen were together originally because of a misunderstanding. Of course, the initiator was herself. She did not know what the Sect Master and elders thought, but she felt they were a strong match.

However, after several contacts, Shi Shanshan became more and more understanding of Yang Chen, and was also scared of their two silent tacit understandings.

Yang Chen never asked for any further contact, which was exactly what Shi Shanshan wanted. However, the feeling of more and more tacit understanding made Shi Shanshan fearful; she was afraid that one day she would not be able to put on her frosty face in front of Yang Chen.

“If, I mean, if.”

Shi Shanshan hesitated for a long time and still carefully asked, “if you agree to the Island Master, what are you going to ask for as the payment?”

“Fire Seeds!”

Yang Chen almost did not hesitate to blurt out, “I will specify Third and Fourth Grade Fire Seeds.”

“How many?”

When she heard that Yang Chen only wanted Fire Seeds, her heart was even more relieved. For a big sect like Green Jade Immortal Island, third and fourth grade fire seeds were not so unimaginable.

“That depends on how many Questioning Inner Heart Pills you want.”

Yang Chen smiled and said very casually, “your share is enough to ask for two complete furnaces of Questioning Inner Heart Pill. With my current ability, it would produce at least twenty pills. One Fifth, ten Fourth and forty Third Grade Fire Seeds, wouldn’t be excessive right?”

A Questioning Inner Heart Pill could be of help to the master of the Dacheng realm. To put it bluntly, if Green Jade Immortal Island was willing, each one could make a Yuanying realm master upgrade to the Dacheng realm. If there were really 20 masters of the Dacheng realm, even if it was the Greatest Heaven Sect and the Five Elements Sect, it would necessitate giving face to the Green Jade Immortal Island.

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Acquiring 20 Dacheng realm masters in exchange for one Fifth, ten Fourth and forty Third Grade Fire Seeds was not a loss for the Green Jade Immortal Island, but in fact a big bargain.

Shi Shanshan once again fell into a sluggish state, she completely didn’t imagine that Yang Chen would use such a “low” price to refine Questioning Inner Heart Pills. Switching to any one of the alchemy masters, it was estimated that they would take this opportunity to heavily blackmail them.

The only explanation was that because of this, Shi Shanshan almost unknowingly attributed the reason to herself. Of course, she thought so, but Shi Shanshan did not say a word.

“How is your body shape getting worse and worse?”

After a long time, Shi Shanshan asked. However, looking at this situation, it seemed to be breaking the deadlock. If Yang Chen’s body shape had changed, anyone could have seen it when he meets him, how could she say it only now?

“A kind of refining body technique.”

Yang Chen smiled and stood up, “not too early, let’s go back first. It is estimated that the Island Master and the Palace Master must have been waiting impatiently.”

This time, Shi Shanshan did not say anything, got up and followed Yang Chen, soon they returned to the Pure Yang Palace’s main hall. As expected, the Island Master and the two elders had arranged their accommodations under the concealed but enthusiastic hospitality of the Pure Yang Palace. Elder Gao Shiyan was still waiting there alone.

Shi Shanshan was a guest. The high elders directly sent a Jiedan realm core disciple and made Shi Shanshan go to the courtyard where the Island Master and the two elders stayed. After everything was settled, Yang Chen returned to the hall.

After the restrictions were placed, Elder Gao used several Secret Techniques directly; Yang Chen and Elder Gao appeared in the ramp of the Blue Vault Mountain Immortal’s Cave. Entering the hall through the ramp, he saw the Palace Master and several other elders.

“Yang Chen did Fairy Shi tell you about the intention of the Island Master?”

The master of the palace directly asked him to sit down and asked.

“She did.” Yang Chen nodded.

“What do you think?”, asked the Palace Master.

“Everything will be in accordance with the instructions of the Palace Master. If the Palace Master agrees then this disciple will refine it for them. If the Palace Master does not, then forget it.”

Yang Chen must be consistent with the sect on this issue.

The Palace Master and the Elders, of course, were expecting to see this kind of attitude from Yang Chen. Everyone listened to Yang Chen’s words and they silently nodded their heads.

“The meaning of the Island Master is that half of the income of the hundred thousand mountain Green Jade Immortal Island will be handed over to the sect within 20 years. In the future, there will be more cooperation between the two sides.”

The Palace Master nodded and expressed the sincerity of the Island Master today.

“What do you think?”

This question was asked clearly for Yang Chen’s decision. The Palace Master turned to see the others’ understanding, but the elders behind him did not have a single question, indicating that everyone had the same mind. Yang Chen had been regarded as an elder who could express his opinions.

“The disciple is afraid!”

Yang Chen was moved by some people. He was just a little Jiedan realm master. In the Pure Yang Palace, he was not a top-ranking member, but he received this honour.

“You don’t have any burden, you talk about your opinion.”

The Palace Master swayed and stopped Yang Chen’s words, “your opinion is very important.”

The Palace Master's words were very flattering for Yang Chen. It seemed that if Yang Chen said that he was not willing, the sect intended to push away this possible cooperation.

"Please forgive this disciple!"

Yang Chen knew that he couldn't speak for himself. He could only plead guilty first, and then slowly said, "since the Island Master is sincere, this disciple feels that it is a good idea to cooperate. Anyway, this is a Questioning Inner Heart Pill. No matter when you need it, with this cooperation, you may be able to bring the relationship closer, and my sect can also improve their strength."

"Well, if that is the case, then I will reply to the Island Master tomorrow."

The master of the palace said with a smile, "we have a few old guys who think this is a good opportunity. However, cooperation is cooperation, your share can not be cheap. They, despite the opening, Green Jade Immortal Island is rich in wealth, and it is unnecessary to meet their expectations."

"This disciple also said to Fairy Shi that some Fire Seeds should be used as compensation."

Yang Chen also did not conceal this from the Elders, and directly said the rewards and the passages he had mentioned at the time, "they must have large assets in the Green Jade Immortal Island and they won't care about this level of compensation."

When they heard that Yang Chen had already thought of the people in front of him, and even put forward his own personal rewards. The Palace Master and several elders began to laugh as if by prior agreement.

Yang Chen actually limited the number of pills to only 20. Others were not clear. Why were they still unclear? Yang Chen gave the sect 25 second grade Questioning Inner Heart Pills through one refining process, while he was going to refine only 20 first grade Questioning Inner Heart Pills from two refining processes for Green Jade Immortal Island. The lesser graded ones had to have at least the same amount as the second grade Questioning Inner Heart Pills. Thus, this was still the most conservative estimate.

With so many second grade Questioning Inner Heart Pill, the people present at the scene could almost guarantee the outcome. If they practice hard, they could enter the Dacheng realm. If the Pure Yang Palace had so many masters of the Dacheng realm, why could they not enter the ranks of first-class big sects?

If these extra benefits were not counted, the half income of the Hundred Thousand Mountains from Green Jade Immortal Island for 20 years would be enough to meet the accumulation of hundreds of years from Yang Chen. Pure Yang Palace had indeed the best development opportunity in history.

These were all material benefits, there was no calculation of the favours the Green Jade Immortal Island would owe to the Pure Yang Palace because of this. The favours of the Green Jade Immortal Island were enough to match the same number of material objects. This time, the Pure Yang Palace had gained a lot of benefits.

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Early the next morning, the Palace Master went to the guest quarters personally to visit the Island Master, explaining the meaning of the cooperation. On Yang Chen's own request, Shi Shanshan had already told the Island Master that he could at least get twenty Questioning Inner Heart Pills. The Island Master and the two Elders were all overjoyed. As for the fire seeds that Yang Chen asked for, the Green Jade Immortal Island was not worried in the least, they were not worth mentioning.

Both sides had achieved their goals and were happy. The Green Jade Immortal Island would have these 20 Questioning Inner Heart Pills, their strength would definitely soar. The Pure Yang Palace was also entering the ranks of rapid development, a win-win situation, so everyone was smiling.

The cooperation was successful, and it was not rare to celebrate. Yang Chen's Jade Dragon wine was naturally a must-have. When the guests and the host were happy, the Xu Chengxin, the director of the Foreign Affairs Hall, came to the side of the Palace Master.

"What is it?"

Seeing Xu Chengxin's face was unusual, the Palace Master asked, and even involved the Island Master.

“A few fellow daoist from the Greatest Heaven Sect came, saying that there are important things to discuss, and want to call the Palace Master.”

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There were a few people coming from the Greatest Heaven Sect to visit. The Foreign Affairs Master had to be prudent. There may have been other insiders in the sect as well. Now the Pure Yang Palace had just closed a cooperative deal with the Green Jade Immortal Island. Some people came from the Greatest Heaven Sect, could it be that they noticed something?

“The Palace Master is the one who they want to casually come to see?”

The high-ranking Elder Gao Shiyan directly refuted Xu Chengxin, “send someone to receive them and ask what is going on.”

“Palace Master, those who came are fifteen in number.”

Xu Chengxin clenched his teeth and could only tell the truth, “there is also a long-time Elder of the Dacheng realm who had appeared from seclusion since a long time ago. All others are Yuanying realm ancestors. The leader is the Foreign Affairs Hall Master of the Greatest Heaven Sect.”

A master of the Dacheng realm, plus the fourteen Yuanying realm ancestors, this was definitely not a peaceful visit. Everyone’s faces had changed in color. What did this mean?

“Please, I ask the Island Master to be more cautious and avoid meeting them firsthand.”

The Palace Master got up and said to the guests, the Island Master and several Green Jade Immortal Island elders. Then turned around and told Xu Chengxin, “serve the Green Jade Immortal Island’s distinguished guests. Let’s go and see them!”

Since the Greatest Heaven Sect had dispatched a long-time elder of the Dacheng realm, it was also appropriate for the head of the palace to act. The other side had such a strong line up, the Palace Master and Elder Zheng Feng had already psychologically prepared for that matter. Fortunately, Yang Chen and the Palace Master had an inkling of the subject, thus, everything was arranged properly.

The person who came was a very high ranking Elder, and Xu Chengxin was arranged as the reception in the main hall of the Pure Yang Palace. When the Palace Master rushed to arrive, there were fifteen people from the Greatest Heaven Sect, who were sitting in the seats of the main hall.

They were sitting, but the fifteen people all had frosty looks on their faces, they did not hide their auras either. In the entire hall, there was an indescribable atmosphere of battle. Even the disciples of the Pure Yang Palace, who were responsible for serving them, were feeling like participating in treacherous battles.

Everyone had a scented tea next to them, but no one picked it up or took a drink. Fifteen people remained quiet while sitting and waiting.

“It turned out that Elder Ming and Hall Master Mao came to visit and brought the Pure Yang Palace to glory!”

The face of the Palace Master had a far-sighted smile. When he had not arrived, his voice passed to the hall.

Yang Chen’s body status had changed, there was no way to enter the main hall of the Pure Yang Palace, thus, only a few Elders followed. However, this did not prevent Yang Chen from releasing a few traces of his spiritual awareness threads, exploring the movements in the main hall. Now everyone’s conversation made it to his ears.

Mao Qi was the Foreign Affairs Master of the Greatest Heaven Sect, also the person who led the team this time. The Elder Ming’s full name was Ming Guangruo, he was the master of the Dacheng realm, who discovered the aura of Yang Chen’s Welcoming Formation and pursued its tracks. At the same time, he was also sitting in the Tianmen Gate of The Greatest Heaven Sect, called the Shanmen town. Responsible for leading tactics for the Sect Master.

It was precisely because Ming Guangruo had been sitting in the town of Shanmen and been in contact with the Greatest Heaven Sect for many years, so he was very familiar with the Welcoming Array. When Yang Chen’s formation was launched, even if it was thousands of miles apart, he was still aware of the spiritual fluctuations over there.

“This time I took the liberty, I also asked the palace to forgive the sin.”

Mao Qi was also a Foreign Affairs Master, a slick role. However, in front of the Greatest Heaven Sect's people, there was still a hint of awkwardness in his body language. Though his mouth expressed beautiful words, his face didn't show matching expressions.

The master of the palace had overseen the portal for many years. He was adept at handling this kind of situations. It was very difficult for the two sides to mingle with each other. Palace Master then got seated in the main position. He then asked, "Hall Master Mao and Elder Ming had come this time. What advice are you going to offer?"

"Palace Master He, I am in a difficult situation, please forgive me for discussing it."

Mao Qi's words were beautiful, but they did not have any embarrassing posture at all. It was a direct opening, "Our sect was destroyed, the vengeance had still not been exacted. The murderers are still at large, the sects strive each day to find the murderers, they dare not slack off even a single day."

"Naturally!"

The Palace Master immediately reacted on the words and said with impatience, "my pure Yang Palace has also been affected with a damaged mountain gate. Like your situation, it had been very painful. The Pure Yang Palace is naturally obligatory to track down the murderers. If you need any help, please, do tell!"

These words were even more beautiful than Mao Qi, even if everyone knew that this was just a phrase to please the guests, but no one pointed it out. After all, the Pure Yang Palace did encounter the destruction of their mountain gate, the initiator was The Greatest Heaven Sect. Mao Qi and Ming Guangruo were both people who knew the inside story. Listening to the Palace Master's discourse about it made them feel a bit embarrassment as well.

However, this time The Greatest Heaven Sect was really at a loss, they had to suspect many people. Pure Yang Palace was a very doubtful one. In the past, The Pure Yang Palace had been ruined by Liang Shaoming. Although, it was unclear whether they knew the connection between them and the traitor, they could still have a potential motive.

Another reason was the materials. The income of the Hundred Thousand Mountains had made many sects jealous. At the same time, some rare materials had also fallen into the hands of the Pure Yang Palace. This sect had the financial power to arrange a Welcoming Formation.

Even if it was not made by the Pure Yang Palace, their material could have as well made it to the outside. This could come under legit suspicion. Mao Qi's arrival was to inquire about this very point; asking about the distribution chain of materials possessed by the Pure Yang Palace.

"If that's the case, then we will take the liberty!"

Mao Qi had a guilty conscience, but he didn't show it here. He immediately climbed up and took out a piece of jade, handing it to the Palace Master. Then continued with a smile, "I just want to know if there is such a batch of materials in the Pure Yang Palace?"

"Materials?"

The Palace Master pretended to take the list and then handed it over to the Elder Zheng Feng, "Zheng Elder, you are in charge of our sacred warehouse, would you take a look?"

After commanding elder Zheng Feng, the Palace Master turned back to face Mao Qi and Ming Guangruo. Ming Guangruo also seemed to know that he was not good at dealing with these types of situations, thus, he did not interfere, allowed Mao Qi to preside over. However, the Palace Master could only show respect to him, so when he spoke, he must also explain it to Elder Ming.

"Most of the materials should be available."

Palace Master admitted but continued, "But the old man remembers that there are some rare ones and he needed a confirmation from Elder Zheng Feng."

As soon as the Greatest Heaven Sect's delegation heard the Palace Master's confirmation, the delegates' eyes shined with unmasked hostility.

"Palace Master, we have these materials in possession since a few years now."

Elder Zheng Feng did not seem to find any particular reservation about the current situation and after reading the list, he quickly replied.

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“You have all of them?”

When Mao Qi heard the words of Elder Zheng Feng, he became even more spirited. Even the Elder Ming who had partly closed eyes, now have been leaning forward from his seat. He stared at the Palace Master with widened eyes. They seemed to be waiting for the confirmation from the Palace Master.

“Elder Zheng had overseen my sect’s warehouse for many years. So, if Elder Zheng says that we have them, then we do.”

The Palace Master gave a slight smile, ignoring the performance of the Greatest Heaven Sect’s delegates. He seemed very certain.

“We also ask Elder Zheng Feng to move these materials out and let us see them.”

Since Palace Master had confirmed, Mao Qi was no longer polite and made a request directly.

“Take it out and let you have a look?”

The Elders of the Pure Yang Palace, including the Palace Master, all had a blank expression on their faces. It was difficult to cover the surprise on the face of the Palace Master. He asked, “But why?”

“It would be good that I explain to the Palace Master, so he knows.”

In the eyes of Mao Qi, there was a faint trace of a threat, “my Greatest Heaven Sect was destroyed, and countless disciples were killed. It was due to a kind of an array. The materials needed for the arrangement of such a formation are among those. Anyone who has these materials is a suspect.”

“If we have the materials then we are judged as suspects?”

The Palace Master did not speak, but Elder Gao Shiyao standing behind him, had already interjected, he then continued, "isn't this too much?"

"The enmity for the destruction of my sect, is absolutely irreconcilable!"

Mao Qi's face was now replaced by another kind of coldness, "If you have everything in the Pure Yang Palace, then everything is easy to suspect. If not, I ask the Palace Master to personally travel to my Greatest Heaven Sect to give an explanation to my Sect Master!"

When this sentence was spoken, the faces of all the Pure Yang Palace elders and disciples flashed with a lot of anger. For this reason, it was obvious that the dozen or so Yuanying realm ancestors came along with a master of the Dacheng realm. This was simply an explicit provocation. Once something incriminating was found, they would surely resolve it then and there.

"If you have it all worked out, why ask us?"

Elder Gao Shiyao continued in place of the Palace Master. If the Palace Master started to talk, there would be no room for a change, but if Elder Gao acts, even if it was unsuitable, it could be glossed over by the Palace Master.

The delegates of the Greatest Heaven Sect also had this idea. Mao Qi discussed while Ming Guangruo stayed quiet in the back. If the situation turned for the worse, he would come forward like a great elder.

"How many things had been received by the Pure Yang Palace in recent years, your sect has probably counted the number."

Mao Qi also knew that this time, this couldn't be forced too much. After all, the Pure Yang Palace was now not the same as it used to be. Then he said, "if the number is similar, then there would not be any problems."

Seemingly his intentions were good, but they only hid grave problems. The exact income of the Pure Yang Palace of a few decades would be known to the other party. The issues that could arise in part of this were simply shocking to one's heart.

“What if my sect did not allow you to look into our warehouse?”

Elder Gao Shiyuan asked again.

<Snort> “All the sects possessing these materials will be regarded as suspects. All must be examined one by one.”

Mao Qi waved a hand and did not give Elder Gao any face while continuing, “if you do not let us examine them, then I am afraid that will be considered as holding a guilty conscience. Thus, the Palace Master will have to return to my sect with us!”

“What big words!”

The people in the Pure Yang Palace had not answered to these words. Someone had already taken the chance to reply, “you want to check out our sect’s warehouse, then take this old me to go to your Greatest Heaven Sect to check yours!”

The voice belonged to a girl, the Green Jade Immortal Island Master. Naturally, followed by the two Elders of the Green Jade Immortal Island, Shi Shanshan also followed.

“Bold?”

Mao Qi screamed and was about to become violent, when he suddenly saw the figure of the Island Master. Shocked, his arrogant look disappeared without a trace and was replaced by a pair of panicked eyes.

For those who were from the Pure Yang Palace, the Greatest Heaven Sect would dare to swear at. After all, the strength of the two sides was too far apart, but in the face of the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island, let alone Mao Qi, even if the Sect Master of the Greatest Heaven Sect came over, he would be afraid to be scornful. It was already a big offense for Mao Qi just to dare to scream at the Island Master.

“Slap yourself with your hand!”

The voice of the Island Master was not loud, but it was not a polite command at all.

“!”

Greatest Heaven Sect Foreign Affairs Hall Master Mao Qi, even with the Elder Ming who was in the Dacheng realm on his side, he still did not dare to refute one sentence. Directly reached out and strongly slapped his own face. Then immediately said, “is the island master, satisfied with this?”

“What wrong? So, if we also have such material, then are we the enemy who attacked you?”

The reason why the Island Master appeared was because of the words from Mao Qi. He had to slap himself when he dared to berate the Island Master, and now this was the topic.

“I don’t dare! It’s just that my sect is suffering, and tens of thousands of disciples are dying. I have to find justice for them!”

Mao Qi was a Foreign Affairs Master. He still had skill in his mouth, even though he said so himself. But he must still clarify his own reason, “the Green Jade Immortal Island is of course not suspected, but other sects, I am allowed to check them one by one.”

Since the other side said that the Green Jade Immortal Island was not suspected, and slapped himself in the face, he gave face to the Green Jade Immortal Island. It was not appropriate to pursue the idea again.

“It is necessary to clear suspicion, my Pure Yang Palace did not do such, and I am not afraid of knocking at the door in the middle of the night.”

The Palace Master finally came out to play a round, “since the friends from the Greatest Heaven Sect want to examine them. Then let them look at it.” .”

Although the words were polite, the grievances in his tone were heard by everyone. Of course, the Pure Yang Palace did not have the arrogance of the Greatest Heaven Sect. Naturally, it couldn't be like the Sect Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island and he couldn't dare to make the other party slap himself.

“Palace Master He has great understanding, I offended you!”

Mao Qi saw that Palace Master was finally accepting, naturally he was no longer arrogant, and immediately changed his tone. Then looked at elder Zheng Feng, waiting for him to make the arrangement.

Elder Zheng Feng frowned. Some of his words and thoughts were seen through by everyone from the Greatest Heaven Sect. They felt that there was something wrong with this.

“What's wrong?”

The Palace Master stared at him and asked very strangely, “are you not going to get them?”

“Lord of the Palace, these materials...”

Elder Zheng Feng looked at the Palace Master and then looked at the people present. His face shown a reluctant expression for a long time. Then he opened his mouth and said, “These materials can't be taken out immediately.”

Brush!

Everyone's eyes were now concentrated on the body of Elder Zheng. The Greatest Heaven Sect's delegates' eyes also contained open hostility.

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These materials were necessary to construct the Welcoming Array. The intelligence of the Greatest Heaven Sect said that they had enough materials to build a complete array with their materials. Now

Elder Zheng actually said that these materials could not be taken out. Didn't it mean that the Pure Yang Palace had the biggest suspicion?

Originally, there was once a sinister ruin in Pure Yang Palace. The key to this was that the high-level members of the Greatest Heaven Sect were certainly in doubt whether the Pure Yang Palace knew it. Now, with the performance of the Pure Yang Palace, were they the culprits?

Of course, they were correct in such a fine test. Pure Yang Palace had already known all the secrets, and Yang Chen was the one who detonated the formation in their sect. However, who would admit it?

"How can you not get it?"

The anger on the face of the Palace Master was apparent.

"Lord of the Palace, these materials were all good materials for refining flying swords."

Zheng Feng hurriedly explained, "you forgot, thirty years ago, you told the sect disciple, Gao Yue, to refine a number of good flying sword embryos for the sect. To use them as a re Life Source Magic Weapons for a group of outstanding disciples. In the past 30 years, Gao Yue has successively refined these materials into swords, most of them have been given out. How could they be taken out?"

The reminder of Elder Zheng Feng was what Yang Chen and the Palace Master had discussed as countermeasures. Yang Chen listened in the distance and smiled in his heart. This time, the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island came out, how could they just let these delegates of the Greatest Heaven Sect not eat back their words and leave peacefully.

Listening to this, the Palace Master acted as if he suddenly realized what had happened and slapped his head, "I really forgot!"

After that, he turned to the Greatest Heaven Sect's delegation like he was very sorry to say, "we have really made fellow Daoists laugh at us, we have already made them into sword embryos. They really can't be taken out."

The masters from the Greatest Heaven Sect, headed by Elder Ming, all had a pale facial expression, and looked at the Palace Master without saying a word. Mao Qi was staring at the people of the Pure Yang Palace with an extremely skeptical look. After a while, he said, "they have already been given out, they couldn't go far, why not let these disciples come. Bring them out, making me and the others see them?"

"That is a good suggestion!"

The Palace Master waved without demur, "the disciples who have won them as rewards are to be called out, the remaining swords are also to be brought out."

This time, Elder Zheng Feng no longer said anything more, he turned and left. After a while, he came back to the hall with a lot of sword embryos and at least a dozen flying swords.

"I have already told people to call the disciples here, they will arrive in a minute."

Elder Zheng Feng was very simple this time. When he came back, he returned to the Palace Master and continued, "these are the sword embryos that have not yet been rewarded."

This scene made the people of the Green Jade Immortal Island and the Greatest Heaven Sect a little confused. However, the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island sat and watched quietly. Mao Qi and the several of the masters he brought, turned their heads and signaled them to look forward.

The two Yuanying realm ancestors were also well-versed in refining, everyone in the field knew. The two walked up unceremoniously, picked up one slippery sword embryo each, looked at their handles very carefully, as if afraid of missing out on the minutest clue.

After a while, the two talents took turns to look at the handles of more than a dozen flying swords. Then turned back to their original seats.

One of the Yuanying realm ancestors smiled and said, "sure enough, Palace Master has an outstanding disciple, Fairy Gao's refining technique's essence is as deep as Elder Wang's. With her Jiedan realm cultivation base, in comparison to all the refining that this old man has seen, her swords are the best."

His opening words were of recognition of the supreme grade of these flying swords. It was indeed made from the materials in the provided list of materials, but it was not so obvious.

These words provoked Yang Chen's far-sighted laughter, these sword embryos were all made by Yuanying realm ancestors, even if the level of the refiner was worse, they could make up for it with their cultivation base. Moreover, they let Gao Yue finally process it, not really use spiritual awareness. How could they possibly detect this trick?

Although it was acknowledged that these swords were made of those materials, and the materials were very high grade, the quality of flying swords was equally good. But these materials were only a small part of the quantity, more than half of the quantity was still missing, the same was still enough to arrange a Welcoming Array.

"Reporting to the Palace Master, those disciples have brought them."

The people waited for a while in the main hall. After less than half an hour, some people came in and reported to the Palace Master.

"Let them all come in, the seniors of the Greatest Heaven Sect want to see them."

The Palace Master said to him directly.

Soon, a total of seventeen Jiedan realm disciples, walked in a line. There were men and women, standing in the open space, among the crowds. They stood in two rows and quickly greeted the Palace Master as well as all the others in the hall;

"Greetings to the Palace Master! Greetings to the Elders! Greetings to the predecessors!"

Quenching the Life Source Magic Weapon was usually after the Jiedan realm. These disciples were the younger generation disciples who had great potential. They were clearly the backbone of the Pure Yang Palace, but they would not let them temper their Life Source Magic Weapon at this time.

“The seventeen disciples, one of whom has a magic weapon with a golden seal, which consumes the most materials.”

Elder Zheng Feng introduced and even took out a list and handed it to Mao Qi.

Above the list, these disciples were recorded with their merits and when they obtained the sword embryo of the flying swords as a reward making everything clear. What were the names of the rewarded swords, the characteristics, the materials used and their number, the size and weights were also clearly written.

According to the records on the list, the materials that the Greatest Heaven Sect’s report said were basically in it. The numbers and the quoted number of the Greatest Heaven Sect was about the same, the maximum difference was about ten jin. Ten jin of difference in materials was impossible to be enough to completely arrange a large Welcoming Array.

“Hall Master Mao, my Pure Yang Palace is not afraid of the Greatest Heaven Sect, but I feel that the relationship between the two sides that was established with great difficulty, should not be destroyed by the actions of a despicable villain.”

Elder Zheng Feng had everything in hand, naturally he was not afraid to talk, “what words currently does Hall Master Mao have to say?”

After Mao Qi finished reading the list, it was not good to say anything. He only gave the list to the Elder Ming Guangruo who did not say anything and ignored the words of Elder Zheng Feng.

After seeing the list one by one, the Elder Ming had no expressions on his face. Then he finally said slowly: “Speaking of it, it’s all on paper. Where are the products of these materials? It would be good to know that these numbers are also true in reality.”

When the words came out, the faces of the people suddenly changed.

Chapter 289.2: Seeing Is Believing

Ming Guangruo had always been sitting, but he had always been like a dead tree, converging and unobtrusive. But this time, his words had shocked everyone.

Saw with own eyes that seeing was believing? It was clear that these disciples would have to take out the magical treasures that were being tempered and let them see.

However, the reason why this Life Source Magic Weapon was called the Life Source Magic Weapon was because it was necessary to use special methods in the process of quenching, to bring the magic weapon into the sea of consciousness for at least to temper for a few decades. Letting the Life Source Magic Weapon and the owner have the same mind, this was the initial quenching of this Life Source Magic Weapon.

The light was the process of this initial tempering, it could not be interrupted, so people who were usually tempering their Life Source Magic Weapon would generally choose not to travel. The rogue cultivators would choose to go into seclusion, and those who belonged to Dao sects, stayed in their sects. They carefully tempered it and did not dare to slack off.

This process could not be interrupted, how could they bring the magic weapon out for others to see? Once interrupted, not only would the Life Source Magic Weapon be damaged, but it would also put the several decades of painstaking efforts to waste. Even their own spiritual awareness cultivation base would be affected.

These dozens of people, even Shi Shanshan had seen that the Pure Yang Palace was preparing to vigorously cultivate these disciples, not to mention other people. In this way, Elder Ming was clearly trying to take the opportunity to destroy the follow-up backbone of these Pure Yang Palace disciples.

“No!”

This time, it was said by several people, including the Palace Master and several elders behind him.

“These disciples, the least one had been tempered for more than five years. Once they are taken out, they will be seriously injured, and ill.”

The Palace Master was really worried, “how could this happen?”

The disciples who have cultivated their own sect would have to abolish their cultivation base of several decades just to convince the Greatest Heaven Sect. It was impossible to make such a deal.

“No! No!”

The Palace Master shook his heads again and again. He was very determined and said to Elder Ming, “I don’t know if Elder Ming knows, but these are the core disciples of my Pure Yang Palace, and they will not do this.”

“My Greatest Heaven Sect too was ruined, the hatred, the lives of tens of thousands of disciples, this enmity must be repaid.”

Elder Ming did not speak at first, but he now had started to speak. His opening tone expressed that his words could not be refused, “if I do not personally check something then it is hard to be considered safe.”

“Is predecessor untrustworthy of my Sect disciples?”

After all, the Palace Master oversaw the whole sect. Some things could not be tolerated by him. His bottom line couldn’t be crossed, “Your Greatest Heaven Sect’s disciple is a disciple, isn’t my Pure Yang Palace’s disciple a disciple? Now, I have to let you deal with them?”

“This is not the case.”

Ming Guangruo was a master of the Dacheng realm, he naturally carried a majestic manner, “it is only a confirmation that the Pure Yang Palace is not the murderer of my sect. If this delays the practice of these disciples. The old man is willing to apologize afterwards.”

It was indeed a big deal for Jiedan realm disciples to receive an apology from a master of the Dacheng realm, moreover, with the status of the Greatest Heaven Sect’s Elder. Switched to the general small martial art sect, under such coercion, they could only comply.

However, the Pure Yang Palace was not the same as before, there was also the Island Master on their side, who was begging for the Pure Yang Palace and Yang Chen's help. Currently, if the Palace Master did not know the banner of the tiger-skin tree. Then he was a fool.

"Since I just confirmed these disciples of my ancestral hall, they will swear an oath on their heart and swear to ensure that those Life Source Magic Weapon are true. I think this must satisfy the predecessor."

The Palace Master continued, "There are people from the Green Jade Immortal Island here to act as witness, will that be good enough?"

A vow on their heart, if broken, these disciples could only be trapped in the Jiedan realm during the entirety of their lives. They were the core disciples of the Pure Yang Palace. This method was indeed the safest way that the Palace Master could find without ruining these disciples' decades of cultivation.

The eyes of the people returned to Elder Ming, waiting for his decision. Mao Qi did not dare to interject and honestly waited for the Elder's order.

"I do not rely on hearsay!"

Ming Guangruo thought for a moment and still shook his head, "Seeing is believing, if I don't look at them with my own eyes, I can't be assured. I have lost tens of thousands of disciples, I must be sure! Still, after that, this old man will personally give them a gift as an apology. But the old man must look."

"An apology from the predecessor, is it worthy of my sect disciples added up two thousand years of hard work?"

The Palace Master was furious, and facing the elder of the Dacheng realm he did not back off, "is it worth my more than ten Life Source Magic Weapons?"

"How difficult is this?"

The voice of the Palace Master had just fallen, the voice of the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island had rung, “the Greatest Heaven Sect is a big sect, Elder Ming is the one that increases their skill through spirit pills, some are good for magic weapons as well. When the disciples practiced, they will use the spirit pills to make up the lost cultivation. If the magic weapon gets destroyed, then use a magic weapon to compensate. A fair transaction!”

“Island Master, what do you mean?”

Ming Guangruo was furious when he heard the words of the Island Master. With his cultivation and his status, even the Sect Master of the Greatest Heaven Sect did not dare to speak with him in this tone. The Island Master’s cultivation base was just in the middle of the Yuanying realm. Even after hearing his words in such a tone, the Island Master stared coldly at Ming Guangruo face.

“What’s wrong Elder Ming, my Island Master can’t even say anything?”

Ming Guangruo was a master of the Dacheng realm, but Yan Huafeng, who came with the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island, was not weak. He stood up and looked coldly at Ming Guangruo, his angry aura went straight towards Ming Guangruo.

“Is the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island planning to make this deal?”

Ming Guang ignored the anger of Yan Huafeng and stared at the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island while asking aloud.

“I don’t dare, just afraid that one day Elder Ming will find my Green Jade Immortal Island and will use the same reason to ask my sect disciples to abolish their cultivation base. If tens of thousands of your Greatest Heaven Sect disciples die, I don’t really care. My Green Jade Immortal Island can withstand no such loss.”

The words of the Island Master were preposterous but ironic, “an apology can be smoothed out, a good master of the Dacheng realm, a well-known elder, really worthy of the name.”

Who was the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island? The leader of the Green Jade Immortal Island! What kind of grave situation had the Island Master not seen? Despite the lack of cultivation, it

was because of the management of the martial art sect that demanded a lot of effort. Which then had led to delays in cultivation promotion. However, in terms of courage, there were still few who could scare the Island Master.

Ming Guangruo was a master of the Dacheng realm, and there was also the advantage of the Greatest Heaven Sect's illustrious prestige. He also dared to say this to the Pure Yang Palace, but even if you lend him ten times more courage, he would not dare to challenge the Island Master. He could not dare to provoke the enmity between both sides at will.

"If that's the case, then we will do it according to the Island Master!"

Ming Guangruo was stubbornly staring at the Island Master. He again did not rise in sharp opposition but rather complied.

Chapter 290.1: Compensation for Destruction

The strength of the Green Jade Immortal Island could be no worse than that of the Greatest Heaven Sect. The current Greatest Heaven Sect was in great difficulty. Under the circumstance, even if there were secret forces to supplement them, they dare not say that they would win, not to mention that the Green Jade Immortal Island and the Blue Cloud Sect had common interests. It was equivalent to offending both at the same time.

Pure Yang Palace and the Beast Taming Sect allied together would be even more troublesome. Although the strength of the two small sects was not very good, but each sect had a master of the Dacheng realm, the strength of both in unity would be extraordinary.

If Ming Guangruo was arrogant again, he must also consider the consequences incurring the anger of the Island Master at this time. Although Mao Qi and the others were Yuanying realm masters, this time they were all staring nervously at the old elder. Only when Elder Ming uttered those words could they finally be relieved.

This breath was really unbearable. It was obviously aimed at the Pure Yang Palace. They thought that this time Elder Ming had come strong with 14 Yuanying realm masters and could suppress the Pure Yang Palace. Who would have expected that the Island Lord appeared this time, and even stood side by side with Pure Yang Palace.

However, the discontentment was not enough. The master of the Dacheng realm also had to compromise in front of the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island. This was the shocking power of the Green Jade Immortal Island. Even the Elders of the Greatest Heaven Sect must consider it.

“The ears are imaginary, seeing is believing.”

The Island Master seemed to be trying hard to crack down on Ming Guangruo’s face and said bluntly, “this is just Elder Ming’s own words, not to take out the things you want to compensate. Why would the Pure Yang Palace believe that you will give compensation? In lieu of this, could the Dacheng realm master Elder Ming be not so playful?”

If this was the case, the Pure Yang Palace couldn’t get angry with the casual talk of Elder Ming. But now it was from the mouth of the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island. Even if it was not good, it must be considered.

“Can’t take it out? Then change the way.”

The Island Master did not give Ming Guangruo the chance to reply and said directly, “there are all people who have a vow to swear, how? Pure Yang Palace disciple can swear, I’m sure that many of your disciples can also swear?”

This was another army. Since the Greatest Heaven Sect had the idea to destroy a group of reserve core disciples in the Pure Yang Palace, then they must also have the mental preparation for the destruction of a group of Yuanying realm ancestors. Who didn’t know what Ming Guangruo planned? Who had not seen such before? Who wasn’t part of the same world?

It was more difficult for Ming Guangruo to swear than to let him directly compensate for the loss. Losing a magic weapon was just a magic weapon. Let him swear by his heart and risk his inability to improve his cultivation base. He was a prime master at the Dacheng realm. How could he and the Pure Yang Palace’s Jiedan realm disciples swear together.

Moreover, swears on hearts and souls were not so easy to give away. Such a swear with even a little bit of violation could result in countless demons. How could Ming Guangruo say that he had no idea of damaging the Pure Yang Palace core disciples?

It was just that when they set off, they had thought to coerce and lure the Pure Yang Palace to examine their material possessions. Determine whether they were the real murderers behind the scenes or use this opportunity to completely suppress the Pure Yang Palace. Who would have thought that they would encounter such a matter that they would be forced to compensate with medicinal pills and magic weapon on the spot? Now, how could they ever hope to accomplish that?

However, Ming Guangruo was Ming Guangruo, the elders of the Greatest Heaven Sect were not stupid, they immediately thought of countermeasures. On one of his hands, a muddy brown ordinary flying sword instantly appeared.

“This is the old man’s Life Source Flying Sword. If their own flying sword is destroyed, the old man will use his own flying sword to pay for it. Is that enough?”

Ming Guangruo’s sharp gaze stared straight at the Island Master, as if shooting flames.

The Life Source Flying Sword of a great Dacheng realm master was definitely more precious than the Jiedan realm disciples’ Life Source Flying Swords.

If Ming Guangruo actually felt attachment with his own flying sword, obviously he had already reached an extreme.

“Against the seventeen Life Source Flying Swords of the disciples, aren’t you being a big bully?”

The Island Master would not be able to say that Ming Guangruo’s flying sword was not much better than these Jiedan realm disciples and could only talk about the quantity.

“You!”

Ming Guangruo was extremely angry, but could only say one word, and no more.

Mao Qi and the other dozens of Yuanying realm ancestors who followed him looked at each other. Everyone brushed their hands and summoned their own Life Source Magic Weapons. Fourteen Yuanying

realm ancestor's Life Source Magic Weapons, all were put out in the front. Elder Ming took out his own Life Source Magic Weapon, how could his followers not follow suit?

This showed that the difference between the Greatest Heaven Sect and other sects. Disciples capable of reaching the Yuanying realm were provided the best flying swords by the sect from the beginning, so that these disciples would temper them as their own Life Source Magic Weapons. Even less talented disciples with outstanding potential in the Jiedan realm would deliberately be cultivated.

Other sects would also love to do the same, but they fell short of resources in comparison to the Greatest Heaven Sect. Before in the Pure Yang Palace, there were eight Yuanying realm masters, but none of them had a Life Source Flying Sword. There were no suitable materials available at all, only low-grade materials were used to make Life Source Flying Swords. Such weapons would break after only few uses, they were not worth holding a candle to.

Fifteen Life Source Magic Weapons were placed in front of everyone. Everyone in the Greatest Heaven Sect's delegation was angry, the subject of the anger was not Pure Yang Palace but the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island.

In this regard, the Green Jade Immortal Island Master did not care, the secret competition between the Greatest Heaven Sect and the Green Jade Immortal Island was not something new. This small matter would not generate any waves in the hearts of the Green Jade Immortal Island's people?

Everyone knew that these masters' Life Source Magic Weapons were impossible for the Pure Yang Palace to acquire otherwise. If it was so simple to get a cultivator's magic weapon, then it would be too easy to cultivate. If they were in the mood, these magic weapons could fly back to their side at any time.

At this point, people in the Greatest Heaven Sect group knew that the people of the Green Jade Immortal Island were with the people of the Pure Yang Palace and were manoeuvring this matter together. The Greatest Heaven Sect had to put up with this farce; there wouldn't be much loss, at most they would lose some face. However, to attain such an outcome, they still had to satisfy the people of the Pure Yang Palace.

"You only have fifteen swords, the others have seventeen, two are missing!"

Of course, the Island Master could not let the Pure Yang Palace miss out on even a little benefit from it. Since everyone was now in an alliance, it was natural to consider such.

This time, even Ming Guangruo was generous, and he did not hesitate to take two more magic weapons from his body and put them in front. Although these two magic weapons were not his own, they were not the same as the other small ones. They were appropriate to be used as Life Source Magic Weapons.

“Are these enough?”

Ming Guangruo asked and looked at the Green Jade Immortal Island Master.

“Well, now you have shown a bit of sincerity.”

The Island Master was satisfied with the compensation measures and withdrew.

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“My Greatest Heaven Sect’s compensation has also been put here, does Palace Master He also express his sincerity?”

Ming Guangruo, this time, finally turned his eyes to the Pure Yang Palace, Palace Master.

At this point, the Palace Master could certainly not hesitate any more, he directed the seventeen Jiedan realm disciples to show their Life Source Magic Weapons that they were refining.

Although there were many unwilling expressions on their faces, these disciples did not oppose the instructions of the Palace Master. Each disciple took out his magic weapon out of his sea of consciousness.

The pain due to taking out the life source magic weapon in the middle of refining could be imagined. Even if they were at the Jiedan realm, they were still considered masters. A painful expression could be seen on these disciples’ faces.

After a while, all the disciples were sweating, soon some began to pull out their own magic weapons. Of course, the fastest one was the one who had spent the shortest time refining. Basically, they were taken out according to the time spent on refining them, from shortest to longest.

After extracting the magic weapons, all the 17 disciples vomited blood. They looked at the Palace Master and asked others to help carry and heal them. This scene let the people of the Pure Yang Palace glare at the Greatest Heaven Sect. However, everyone in the Greatest Heaven Sect did not care about their gazes, they just stared at those magic weapons.

Seventeen magical treasures that had been tempered for a short time were placed opposite magic weapons of the Greatest Heaven Sect. This time, Mao Qi did not wait for Elder Ming to direct the two refiners to check before he did it.

The two masters did the same as before, picking up each one by one, examining them thoroughly. This time though they were even more careful.

It took almost twice as long as the previous inspection, and both traits were checked. After the inspection, no one said anything, just looked at each other and nodded.

This confirmed that the materials used in these things were the same as those shown by the Pure Yang Palace. That was to say, the materials of the Pure Yang Palace were not short, all of them were here.

Those were used in various degrees in these flying swords, some were also partially refined by now but now all of them have become waste. Forcibly interrupting after a weapon reaches partial refinement would render the weapon useless. Basically, these weapons will now be completely scrapped.

“Elder Ming, Hall Master Mao, the materials mentioned by your sect are all here. What further advices, do you wish to impart?”

The tone of the Palace Master was unceremonious. There was also a thick intent of warning in his words. As if saying that, if they have no further demands, they should quickly leave.

Ming Guangruo would not say anything at this time, the facts had proven that all the materials of the Pure Yang Palace were there, and they were not the culprits. Of course, he would not speak.

“This time, it was really harassment of the hospitality of Palace Master He.”

Greatest Heaven Sect Foreign Affairs, Hall Master, Mao Qi brought a smile on his face, “Palace Master He rest assured, I will go back to report to the Sect Master that Pure Yang Palace had nothing to do with this matter. For the arrogance before, please forgive me. I will leave immediately!”

The group of people stood up and rushed to cup their hands to the Pure Yang Palace’s Master, and then directed the same to the side of the Green Jade Immortal Island Master. Ming Guangruo seemed to have thought of something general and curiously asked, “I didn’t know why the Island Master personally visited the Pure Yang Palace. Could I ask, what had happened?”

“This old person came to talk with Palace Master He about the marriage of my sect’s Shi Shanshan with Yang Chen.”

The leader of the Green Jade Immortal Island said very casually, “why? Does Elder Ming’s words mean that we must have first gone to the Greatest Heaven Sect to report this, before we came here?”

It was a secret that they came to the Pure Yang Palace to negotiate about the Questioning Inner Heart Pill. Of course, they couldn’t let the people of the Greatest Heaven Sect know that and the Island Master directly pulled out this very plausible reason. Just like Shi Shanshan was also there, and there had been a rumour about Yang Chen’s affairs, no one could find any fault with this reasoning.

Shi Shanshan was a well-known cultivation genius and Yang Chen’s affairs were not so secret as well. It was quite normal for the two to form a tie. Everyone understood this clearly that the Green Jade Immortal Island wanted to pull Yang Chen through Shi Shanshan. Since Yang Chen could refine the Questioning Inner Heart Pill, it was not surprising that the Island Master of the Green Jade Immortal Island had personally made this trip.

With this explanation, it was a perfect cover for the personal visit of the Island Master. There was nothing more for Ming Guangruo to discuss, he could only cup his hands towards the Island Master, and quickly leave the main hall of the Pure Yang Palace.

Xu Chengxin immediately cleared the hall and showed the delegation out as soon as his eyes met the gaze of the Palace Master. He then himself left to resume taking care of his responsibilities.

The people in the group of the Greatest Heaven Sect walked simply, and no one mentioned the magic weapons left behind. Everyone knew that out of these seventeen magic weapons, only the last two that Ming Guangruo took out, were the gifts for the Pure Yang Palace. The other fifteen pieces are their magic weapons. It was just a trivial loss for them.

“Thank you for the help of the Island Master!”

The Palace Master did not accompany the Greatest Heaven Sect’s delegation but took the lead to cup his hand to the Island Master. Several other elders also expressed their gratitude to the several elders of the Green Jade Immortal Island.

This time it was really thanks to the master of the Green Jade Immortal Island. Otherwise, the Pure Yang Palace could only bear with the enemy weakly according to the predetermined plan. Which was formulated by him, elder Zheng Feng and Yang Chen, culminating with letting the other party leave rampantly. It was with the appearance of the Island Master, not only did they survive the crisis, but they also won two magic weapons as compensation.

“It is only a slight effort on my part, why must you mention it.”

The Island Master smiled and waved, “it was such a spectacle, and it was really important to handle Shan’er and Yang Chen’s actions, so as to avoid Greatest Heaven Sect’s suspicions.”

The Palace Master could only nod. The Island Master said that on the one hand, it was the solution, on the other hand, it was to take the opportunity of the two people to finalize it.

The people of the Greatest Heaven Sect actually acted as notaries in unintentional ways.

In any case, the Palace Master bit his teeth. Extraordinarily Yang Chen was surrounded by beautiful women. What if he married Sun Qingxue? Gong Sunling of his own sect was no exception!

When Yang Chen heard the people leave, he also came to the hall. His spiritual awareness was recovered, and he could not hear the last words of the Island Master.

Yang Chen entered through the door and saw the seventeen magic weapons left by the Greatest Heaven Sect's delegation on the table. His eyes were bright, "Good things, let us see if these things can stay!"

He did not wait for everyone to react. What was the meaning of Yang Chen? Yang Chen collected the seventeen magic weapons and threw them into the medicine garden. Xiao Tian had long been ordered by Yang Chen to consume these weapons' spiritual imprints and refine them. He had been lying in wait. As soon as they were thrown, he swallowed them all.