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Chapter 1181: Comprehending the Divine Fetus Secret Technique and the Law of Heaven and Earth, Obtaining a Flat Peach Branch to Meet Immortals at the Banquet

"Three strands of divinity?"

Li Che looked toward Lv Taibai.

Lv Taibai's robe fluttered, and he laughed: "Yes, every Flat Peach Branch contains three strands of the Queen Mother of the West's divinity, and each time you enter the Queen Mother of the West's Mysterious Temple, one strand of divinity is consumed."

"If you win, not only can you enjoy the small banquet, but you can also seize your opponent's strand of divinity and accumulate it back into your Flat Peach Branch."

"Once the divinity in the Flat Peach Branch reaches eighteen strands, you can directly ascend to the main banquet of the Flat Peach Victory Meeting... Under such rules, unless you have unbelievably good luck, it's impossible to enter the main banquet with weak strength."

"The Flat Peach Victory Meeting set such a threshold rule rationally, after all... the delicacies at the main banquet, as well as the Flat Peaches, are extremely precious with limited portions, not available in abundance."

"Each Divine Sect, each Dao City family, and the vassal prince heirs along with clan juniors of the Divine Capital combined, fearlessly total over a thousand people..."

"Such a large number, it's impossible for everyone to attend the banquet, thus there must be a threshold."

Li Che was thoughtful, saying, it indeed seemed quite interesting.

Mainly, Li Che wanted to sample what the so-called small banquet tasted like, as Lv Taibai said the more victories one had, the more sumptuous the small banquet would be, and Li Che wanted to see how grand it could be.

Of course, he didn't want to miss out on the main banquet's delicacies either.

With a flicker of his mind, the divine fetus within his brow's Niwan slightly trembled.

A strand of divinity was drawn out, intertwining and merging into the Flat Peach Branch, and faintly, Li Che seemed to form an inexplicable connection with the Flat Peach Branch.

Buzz buzz buzz—

Vaguely, Li Che seemed to see a supremely luxurious palace, with its golden brilliance and radiant splendor, resplendent with vivid rays!

A myriad of immortal energy lingered, with tables arranged in an orderly manner.

As if immortals gathered at the banquet, an immortal court grand meeting!

Suddenly, Li Che noticed the divinity on the Flat Peach Branch slowly intertwining, forming a line of ancient text.

[Pre-banquet Attendee: Li Che]

[Queen Mother of the West's Divinity: Three strands]

[Qualification verification passed, eligible to enter Hero Banquet]

[Pre-banquet starts in three days]

These three lines of text appeared in Li Che's mind, nearly making him think it was his Dao Tree feeding back Dao Fruit information!

"Like... it seems like..."

Li Che took a deep breath.

This method of prompting, how does it resemble his Dao Tree so much?

Li Che's heart was filled with extreme curiosity.

This Queen Mother of the West's Mysterious Temple... what is its origin?

Could it be related to the Bound Tao Tree connected to his daughter?

Or, is it simply a similar pattern?

Withdrawing his mind, he looked toward Lv Taibai.

"Divinity introduced? You should understand what's happening, right?"

"If you choose to compete, the strand of divinity containing the spatial Dao Yun in the Flat Peach Branch will trigger, enveloping you into the region of the Queen Mother of the West's Mysterious Temple, randomly matching you with an opponent."

"If you win, you can seize your opponent's Queen Mother of the West's divinity... Of course, you can also use this divinity for cultivation; the quality of this divinity is very high, comparable to but not weaker than, the divinity in the Four Imperial Lower Divine Crystal... But it's unnecessary, as the quantity is too small, and the effect may not necessarily surpass the Divine Crystal."

"The main point is disgrace."

Lv Taibai chuckled.

Li Che couldn't help but smile as well; it indeed would be disgraceful, mainly regarding the divinity represented in the Flat Peach Branch.

Absorbing divinity for cultivation equates to giving up the chance to attend the small banquet and gain opportunity.

"In three days, the small banquet starts; Xi Xi will participate in the first round, you probably won't be able to watch the banquet... However, as the Divine Sect Master, I still have the qualification to observe the banquet, and I can basically attend each banquet."

Lv Taibai chuckled.

Upon hearing this, Li Che requested Lv Taibai to pay close attention to Xi Xi.

Lv Taibai rolled his eyes: "Xi Xi is my most valued direct disciple, do I need you to ask me to pay attention? I have to pay attention ..."

After speaking, Lv Taibai then headed toward Xi Xi, about to train Xi Xi specially to prepare for the pre-banquet.

"It's a pity Xi Xi hasn't broken through to the Great Grandmaster level; if she could, the main banquet would even have a significant chance for her to challenge the top three."

Lv Taibai said.

Li Che's gaze flickered: "No rush, Xi Xi is still young, let nature take its course, forcing growth isn't good."

Lv Taibai nodded, as he naturally understood this reasoning.

Nonetheless, a good bout of special training was still warranted.

As Lv Taibai's disciple, if she can't even enter the main banquet, it would be not only a loss to his face but to the entire Qian Yuan Divine Sect and even the Grandmaster's face.

"Don't worry, Dad! Xi Xi will definitely work hard and won't disgrace you!"

"Xi Xi will work hard to win the Flat Peach for Mom!"

Xi Xi stood atop the Prison Lotus Wind Fire Golden Light Wheel, floating in mid-air, hands on hips, puffing out her small belly, with soaring spirit.

Li Che's face immediately revealed a gratified smile.

Such an understanding Xi Xi.

Lv Taibai, on the other hand, rolled his eyes, thinking if Xi Xi lost, it would be his face, Lv Taibai, that would be disgraced—not Li Che's face; no one cared if Li Che's face was lost or not.

Zhang Ya's eyes were full of emotion, holding Li Che's arm: "Husband, our Xi Xi is indeed understanding."

"When she infuriates you, motherly love instantly evaporates?" Li Che turned, adding a remark.

Zhang Ya instantly flushed with shame and annoyance, lightly hitting Li Che.

Li Che laughed heartily, pulling Zhang Ya along, going out to stroll around the Divine Capital.

Leaving Xi Xi in the courtyard, stunned, watching her parents displaying affection, entering Lv Taibai's special training.

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Three days passed in an instant.

Divine Capital Fourth City, Qianyuan Institute.

In a house with carved beams and painted pillars.

Li Che sat cross-legged, the Heaven and Earth chessboard soaring to the sky, spreading its network.

He grasped a Four Imperial Divine Crystal.

Inside the inner scene of his brow's Niwan, perhaps due to the transformation of the Heaven and Earth Spirit True Ape Golden Core into the Divine Fetus, it seemed to trigger some kind of special stimulation reaction.

The Seven Emotions Six Desires Golden Core, and that Lv Xuan Sword Immortal Golden Core were unexpectedly lively, siphoning divinity from the crystal at a speed enhanced many times.

A Four Imperial Lower Divine Crystal, nearly within a day, was siphoned clean.

For three consecutive days, Li Che incredibly, with great efficiency, siphoned three Four Imperial Lower Divine Crystals.

This speed... is simply unprecedented.

It should be known, that before Li Che, even when siphoning divine crystals quickly, as the number of crystals increased, the siphoning speed would slow down.

In the past, to refine three Four Imperial Divine Crystals, Li Che would at least spend one and a half months.

The current situation was really beyond Li Che's expectations.

Like lazy employees suddenly acting diligent and competitive...

[Dao Fruit: Pure Heart (lv5, 96%)]

Continually three Four Imperial Lower Divine Crystals were drained!

The enhancement effect is extremely apparent.

Li Che's breathing slightly quickened.

He paired his fingers, tore open the Qiankun Space.

Took out the Four Imperial Upper Divine Crystal obtained from Yue Huanglong's collection.

The majestic divinity instantly filled inside and outside the house.

However, just as Li Che grasped the Four Imperial Upper Divine Crystal, planning to launch an all-out effort to transform his Dao Fruit.

His mind suddenly twitched slightly.

"Xi Xi's first pre-banquet opponent... matched!"

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Qianyuan Institute.

Snow whistled, strong winds moaned.

Xi Xi, Lv Qingxuan, Yang Yi, Zhou Peng, Yun E, and the Divine Sect Talent Register's divine children of Qian Yuan Divine Sect, all sat cross-legged in the center of the courtyard.

Grasping Flat Peach Branches in their hands.

On the Flat Peach Branches, strands of the Queen Mother of the West's divinity fluttered continuously like substantive azure breezes.

Suddenly.

Xi Xi opened her eyes, her gaze shining brightly!

Chapter 1182: Emperor Xi Xi at Age 6 Makes a 14-Year-Old Cry, Extreme Misfortune Turns to Great Fortune, Pure Heart's Fourth Shedding

Whoosh whoosh whoosh—

The blowing wind still carried a bit of chill, but it was no longer as piercing and biting as in the depths of winter.

The falling snow became thin, and some of it even started to melt upon reaching the ground.

On the branches, many tender buds sprouted, lush and vibrant, heralding the arrival of early spring.

In the courtyard.

The children all sat cross-legged on the ground, their faces filled with excitement and anticipation. Little kids were always full of curiosity and yearning for new things, and a competitive spirit.

To them, being able to participate in the Flat Peach Victory Meeting was something to be proud of, and it even allowed them to engage in competition with the divine kids from other Divine Sects, Dao City, and even the Divine Capital, vying to come out on top.

For those full of competitiveness, this was naturally very appealing.

The rivalry within the Chu Long List of the sect was already extremely intense, let alone this kind of Flat Peach Victory Meeting.

In the Qian Yuan Divine Sect, the one currently ranked first on the Chu Long List was naturally Xi Xi, but Lv Qingxuan, Yang Yi, and others were actually somewhat dissatisfied because it was ranked by the Qiankun Dao Yun Plaque left by the Grandmaster.

So, even though they were dissatisfied in their hearts, they didn't say anything.

Moreover, during this period, it wasn't just Xi Xi who advanced to the Divine Phase Realm. Both Lv Qingxuan and Yang Yi, who had just turned ten, had also reached Divine Phase Realm in their divine cultivation.

Of course, compared to Xi Xi stepping into the Divine Phase at six, reaching it at ten was naturally inferior.

However, this time, the Flat Peach Victory Meeting was not about the age at which one breaks through to the Divine Phase, but a real contest of strength and achievements!

Naturally, none of them wanted to lose, refusing to believe they would lose to a six-year-old kid.

Lv Qingxuan, once the top of the Chu Long List, believed his talent couldn't compare to Li Nuanxi, but...he was confident because he had been cultivating for four more years than Xi Xi!

He was determined to dominate at this year's Chu Long Victory Conference and bring fame to the Qian Yuan Divine Sect!

At their young age, the sense of sect honor was strongest.

So, every child was full of energy.

During the three-day preparatory period for the Pre-Banquet, they trained diligently and enthusiastically, and when the three days were up, they all sat leisurely on the ground.

They drew the divinity from the Inner Scene of the Mud Pill, activating the Peach Branches in their hands.

And Xi Xi, sitting cross-legged on the ground, immediately felt the feedback from the Peach Branch.

[Invitee to the Pre-Banquet: Li Nuanxi]

[The Queen Mother of the West's Divinity: Three Strands]

[Qualification verification passed, eligible to attend the Chu Long Banquet]

[The Pre-Banquet is ready, would you like to proceed?]

Xi Xi's eyes flickered and lit up, her small body trembling slightly with excitement, brimming with enthusiasm.

Finally...

Finally, she could enjoy fighting again!

After two and a half years of arduous training, Emperor Xi Xi was finally coming out again!

Xi Xi's eyes shone brightly, and she clenched her chubby little fists, her fighting spirit blazing like fire!

Xi Xi's pink Gatling was already eager and raring to go!

"Sect Master Master!"

Xi Xi excitedly looked towards Lv Taibai: "The Pre-Banquet is ready, Xi Xi can go now!"

Xi Xi raised her hand high.

Immediately, those sitting cross-legged on the ground, still stimulating their Peach Branches with divinity and waiting to be matched with opponents, opened their eyes, looking at Xi Xi with some envy.

Lv Taibai, sitting under the eaves, was making tea with Zhao Fangzhou. Upon hearing Xi Xi's shout, he arched his silver eyebrows.

"So soon?"

"Then you have to work hard. Don't cry if you lose; we have to learn to reflect on the lessons of failure, okay?"

Lv Taibai said with a smile.

Hearing this, Xi Xi immediately protested, her little pretty nose twitching: "Master, Xi Xi won't cry. Only those who lose cry. Xi Xi won't lose, so how could she cry then?"

In the distance, Li Che emerged from his seclusion room and, sensing that Xi Xi seemed to have matched with an opponent, he was in no rush to continue his cultivation and walked out slowly.

"Daddy!"

Xi Xi waved excitedly.

"Go, have fun."

"It's okay if you lose."

Li Che rubbed Xi Xi's head.

Xi Xi was immediately displeased. Why was it that from start to finish, there wasn't a single person who believed in Emperor Xi Xi?!

Jin Taixui, always following behind Xi Xi, spoke up in a muffled voice: "Xi Xi, you won't lose!"

Jin Taixui's voice was firm.

He also somehow got a Peach Branch, as a disciple of the Qian Yuan Divine Sect.

Though he was the Young Witch of Wushen Mountain, now he was merely a disciple of the Qian Yuan Divine Sect.

Jin Taixui didn't resist, choosing to give it a try.

Xi Xi immediately gave him a sweet smile, and Jin Taixui was momentarily entranced, his face turning scarlet as he lowered his head.

Li Che quickly pinched Xi Xi's chubby cheeks, making the little girl stop emitting her enchanting power.

Zhang Ya, Li Qingshan, Nurse Momo, and others, upon hearing the news, also rushed over.

As if to send Xi Xi off like she was heading for battle.

With such an atmosphere, Xi Xi's fighting spirit soared even higher, feeling more determined that she must win, only by winning could she make her father and mother proud!

"Go on."

Li Che rubbed Xi Xi's head.

Xi Xi immediately lifted her head high.

With a mental command, she chose to attend the banquet!

Buzz buzz buzz——

On the Peach Branch, a divine force shot out like lightning, entwining around Xi Xi's body.

In an instant, it was as if a whirlwind enveloped Xi Xi, coalescing above her head into something like a formation.

Vaguely, a stately, noble female figure resembling an overseer of the immortals appeared, slowly opening her arms as if enveloping Xi Xi.

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When the winds and waves vanished, all that remained was the Flat Peach branch infused with Emperor Xi Xi's divinity, hovering within the formation of wind and waves.

And yet, Emperor Xi Xi's figure had already disappeared.

Zhang Ya, holding onto Li Che's arm, showed a hint of worry on her face: "Husband... could there be danger?"

Li Che smiled gently, patted his wife's hand, and said softly: "No, the Taibai Sect Master said that the West Queen Mother's divinity contained within the Flat Peach branch has protective effects. If it determines death, the divinity will substitute itself to die once."

"And once the divine substitution is triggered, it signifies failure in the pre-banquet competition and will be returned to the location of the Flat Peach branch."

To Li Che, the Flat Peach branch was essentially a marker serving as an anchor point, similar to the effect of his Flying Thunder Chess Saint.

However, for Li Che, the teleportation destination of this Flat Peach branch was somewhat fixed, and... its effect was quite lacking, with a very long initial delay for the teleportation.

It took about two to three breaths, making instant teleportation impossible.

For Li Che, it was somewhat of a burden, as defects and problems might arise during an escape.

Hearing from Lv Taibai, the Empress indeed had the Qintian Observatory assist in deciphering and researching to provide teleportation effects through the Flat Peach branch, which seemed to have some achievements.

“Sect Master! I... I can attend the banquet too!”

In the distance, Yun E hugged a chubby rabbit, clutching the Flat Peach branch, and exclaimed in surprise.

Lv Taibai stood up as the early spring breeze poured in, his large sleeves fluttering wildly, ceaselessly flying.

“If any of you can attend the banquet, just go... Triumph without arrogance, and don’t lose heart in defeat. Even if you fail, don’t take it too seriously. Summarize your shortcomings, reflect on the gap between you and your opponent, and then make focused improvements.”

Lv Taibai spoke.

“I wish each of you to taste your own delicacies at the Chulong Victory Conference’s small banquet!”

Lv Taibai’s words echoed in the courtyard.

Many children stood up solemnly, clasping their fists in salute.

Yun E slightly bowed and then, like Xi Xi, chose to attend the banquet.

Next, Lv Qingxuan, Yang Yi, Zhou Peng, and others all received invitations from the Flat Peach branch to attend the banquet.

The plaza of the Qianyuan Institute, dotted with children, suddenly emptied.

Only branches of the Flat Peach with a faint divine glow floated about.

“A Che, Xiao Ya, let’s watch Xi Xi’s performance together. This should be the first formal confrontation for the little girl against other talents of the Divine Sect, right?”

Lv Taibai clenched his five fingers, and a Flat Peach branch with a faint gold flow appeared in his hand.

“This, this is the ten-thousand-year-old Flat Peach branch that the Empress distributed to each Divine Sect Master as an entrance ticket to compete for the ten-thousand-year-old Peach.”

“It’s still early now, but the role of this ten-thousand-year-old Flat Peach branch is not small. One of its functions is to allow banquet viewing, enabling you to see the selected children’s performances at the pre-banquet.”

Hearing this, Li Che pulled Zhang Ya and moved to the eaves.

Li Qingshan and Nurse Momo also curiously gathered around, with Lv Taibai not saying much more.

He gently waved the ten-thousand-year-old Flat Peach branch in his palm.

Buzz—!

Everyone felt a change in the light before their eyes, and then it seemed as if countless streams of light rained down, with the surrounding scene changing as if their bodies had traversed through time and space.

They found themselves in an extravagantly splendid palace temple.

This palace temple was exceedingly grand and extremely tall, like an arena with a roof, with circles of steps arrayed around it. On each tier of the steps, tables were placed, laden with exquisite delicacies, Spiritual Fruit Immortal Brew, and more...

Li Che’s heart was slightly moved. He reached out to grab the delicacies on the table but easily passed through them.

“An illusion realm similar to a dream?”

Li Che was taken aback.

“It seems to reenact the scenes of the Flat Peach Feast held by the ancient Immortals. We descend in consciousness, occupying the identities of Immortals to observe the banquet.” Lv Taibai explained.

Li Che quickly understood and looked towards the front of the temple.

There seemed to be a massive Divine Sculpture reaching up to the ceiling of the entire temple, depicting a graceful and distinguished woman in splendid attire, dignified and transcendent, like the mother of all Immortals.

With just a glance, Li Che felt a powerful impact, as if the Divine Fetus within his brow’s mud pill was entirely suppressed by a terrifying rank.

The Three Pure Ranks!

West Queen Mother Temple God Statue!

Utterly exquisite!

Every carving seemed to be exquisitely perfect to the utmost, flawless. This West Queen Mother Temple God seemed almost alive, containing an imposing and terrifying divinity!

Li Che’s heart was shaken!

Not only by the lifelike nature of the Three Pure Ranks Temple God Statue.

But also by the fact that this so-called pre-banquet small banquet was creating an atmosphere within the godly temple reminiscent of the ancient Immortal Court’s golden age, replicating scenes of Immortals rushing to the Flat Peach Feast hosted by the Queen Mother of the West.

Are there really Immortals and all Gods?

Why did these mighty entities fall and turn into temples, spreading across the human world like mushrooms after rain, bringing divinity to humanity?

As the Mysterious Temples became stronger, Li Che felt increasingly reverent and horrified.

“Husband, it’s Xi Xi!”

Zhang Ya’s exclamation interrupted Li Che’s thoughts. He turned his head to see Zhang Ya pointing excitedly to the center of the hall.

Though the distance was considerable, for Li Che now, he could naturally capture and see clearly.

“It’s starting...”

Li Che murmured.

Meanwhile, Li Che raised his head, looking to the opposite side.

Across, there was also golden stream light flashing, with others similarly descending to observe the banquet.

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Without a doubt, just like Li Che and the others, the other party came for the Divine Child and to witness the banquet.

Li Che looked over and saw sets of extremely cold and dark armor.

Lv Taibai, sitting beside Li Che, chuckled, "These heavy and grim Mystic Iron Armors... it seems Xi Xi's opponent in this round should be a Divine Child from the True Martial Divine Sect."

"True Martial Divine Sect..."

"Encountering a Chulong from the Divine Sect Dragon List on the first banquet?"

Lv Taibai slightly narrowed his eyes, gently tapping his fingers.

This is a bit...

Too coincidental?

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Enveloped by the West Queen Mother's Divinity, Xi Xi found herself in a Divine Palace after a dizzying whirl.

The Divine Palace was too magnificent, with mountain-like stairs rising tall on both sides, and on the steps stood one Divine Sculpture after another, each in a different pose.

These are the Immortals invited by the West Queen Mother!

A Mysterious Temple of the Three Pure Ranks!

Xi Xi clenched her chubby little fist, her heart could not help but surge with excitement. Facing off against an opponent in such an atmosphere, then smashing them, making them kneel before Emperor Xi Xi...

Truly a unique kind of romance!

Xi Xi raised her head, resting her hands on her hips, thrusting her little belly out, which wasn't as evident as when she was younger thanks to growing up.

Nonetheless, Xi Xi didn't mind; she maintained her signature move.

Emperor Xi Xi's signature disdainful pose.

After becoming Lv Taibai's disciple, Xi Xi had hardly been through any significant battles; the last encounter with other Divine Children was during Lv Taibai's Direct Disciple examination.

However, that wasn't a genuine face-off battle either.

So, Xi Xi felt like it had been a long, long time since she fought.

No matter, to Emperor Xi Xi, it was just a little challenge.

Xi Xi landed in the center of the Divine Palace arena, which was enormous, the ground paved with smooth and flat bluestone. In the distance, light beams descended, a table was set, but a hazy aura obscured the feast laid upon it, showing only vague shadows.

Xi Xi slurped and sucked back her drool.

For dad, for mom, for the delicious food!

Battle!

Buzz—!!!

Divinity fluctuations rose.

In the vast center of the Divine Palace arena, a slender figure appeared, and as the light dispersed, a burly figure clad in armor was revealed. The figure was truly burly, not resembling a Divine Child at all, appearing more mature than an adult.

In front of it, Xi Xi truly seemed like a little girl versus an elder uncle.

The figure clad in armor, with black armor clinking, shifted its gaze, landing on Xi Xi.

Although Xi Xi was six years old, she was only 1.2 meters tall, a real small fry compared to that burly figure.

"Tongyou Road True Martial Divine Sect, Shi Ming!"

The burly figure looked down at Xi Xi and said solemnly, "Fourteen years old."

As if to prove something, the burly figure added another sentence.

As if he was saying that he truly was fourteen, just a bit anxious in growing.

His voice was like a great bell, accompanied by powerful, intimidating blood and flesh roaring violently!

"Lingnan Circuit Qian Yuan Divine Sect, Li Nuanxi!"

Xi Xi looked up at the tall opponent and then a brilliant smile bloomed on her adorable face.

"Six years old."

The bright smile made the burly, mountain-like Shi Ming slightly dazed.

"You can call me Emperor Xi Xi."

"I'll call you Evil Minister!"

Xi Xi rested her hands on her hips, smiling brightly, making two dimples appear as if swaying in the spring breeze.

Shi Ming tilted his head a bit, with a bewildered look flashing in his eyes.

Emperor Xi Xi?

This little girl actually wanted him to address her that way?

Emperor, daring to call herself an emperor?

So young, could she be thinking of rebelling?

Shi Ming furrowed his brow; he didn't know Xi Xi, but seeing her small stature, he could judge she was about five or six years old.

"Lucky me, I picked up a loophole."

Shi Ming said faintly.

However, he didn't underestimate her; despite not knowing this little girl's cultivation, he faintly sensed no small danger and threat.

Without a doubt, it was this little girl in front of him who posed a threat!

Boom—!!!

Without much chatter, Shi Ming planned to test this little girl's strength first. With a heavy stomp, an intense and pure Qi-blood began to surge out!

Clenching five fingers, the broad-bladed sword at his waist abruptly wielded, a trace of leaping Divine Gang splendidly blooming!

Waves of steaming heat erupted instantly, seeming to transform into a dragon-snake as it sliced out along the wide-bladed sword!

Boom—!

Almost instantly, Shi Ming's figure darted forth at high speed, strong True Intent spreading, forming a formidable field with his body as the center!

With silver brilliance almost solidifying into Gang Qi, True Qi howled fiercely, slicing cracks through the blue bricks of the Divine Palace floor!

Armor seemed to flutter, blown by the internal Qi, revealing beneath it, muscles seemingly forged from black iron water,

accompanied by a clattering California song rhythm, the broad-bladed sword instantly drawn and hacked towards Xi Xi.

In mid-air, an explosive noise, a crescent-moon-like sword light, accompanied by a sonic burst, tearing out!

Xi Xi's heart was slightly startled!

Half-step Great Grandmaster?!

Oh... not a Great Grandmaster at fourteen... that's nothing.

At fourteen, a half-step Great Grandmaster could already be called extraordinary, but to Xi Xi, who already had one foot in the Great Master Realm, it wasn't much.

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Fourteen compared to six, it's like being twice Xi Xi's age!

Xi Xi wore two Nezha braids, the Prison Lotus Divine Pattern on her brow flickering slightly as a vast divinity surged forth.

Sparks flew wildly underfoot, Prison Lotus Wind Fire Golden Light Wheel!

Xi Xi's entire body soared from the ground, spiraling skywards with two trails of fire.

She dodged Shi Ming's blade energy, filled with powerful True Qi.

Shi Ming's gaze swept across, gripping the long knife. With a flick, the broad-blade long knife vibrated, releasing a clanging blade light that densely reversed across the sky!

Faintly, it was an extremely pure martial path!

His strong qi-blood formed a terrifying domain around him, almost sealing off all retreat for Xi Xi as she rose skyward on the Wind Fire Wheel!

“Such pure qi-blood, stronger than an ordinary half-step Great Grandmaster, somewhat like the Pure Martial the Sect Master mentioned...”

“However, making it explode like this, that’s interesting!”

Xi Xi’s eyes lit up, a perfect sandbag!

With a grasp of her five fingers, a pink mass was instantly caught in her single hand.

Pink Namo Fairy Craft Gatling!

Her other hand clutched a Gold Brick!

Chichi—!!!

The six metal tubes emitted scorching heat, and under Xi Xi’s divine influence, energy surged and began to glow red, as if the Divine Rune on them was activated.

Then, like an angered ancient fierce beast, it roared upwards, bursting forth with extreme light and heat!

Instantly, the Extreme Collapse Avalanche Crow shot forth like cannonballs with folded wings, sending out dazzling golden light and terrifying energy!

Accompanied by the rotation of the six metal tubes, it burst forth!

Tatata—

Streaks of golden light tore through the firmament, resembling meteors shattering the darkness, pulling long golden tail flames as they slammed towards Shi Ming’s fierce blade energy.

Shi Ming, a half-step Great Grandmaster with an aura terrifyingly close to a Great Grandmaster, had his eyes slightly narrowed.

“What... is this?!”

Madman!

Bang bang bang—!

Explosions... instantly erupted!

Gale winds raged, surges like a rolling Jiao Long shaking endlessly!

“Ah hahaha—!!!”

With sparkling eyes and two adorable dimples, Xi Xi, riding the Wind Fire Golden Light Wheel, flew incessantly in mid-air, forming a 360-degree shooting bombardment!

Li Che had already upgraded the pink Immortal Artisan Gatling’s power for Xi Xi, offering two modes of firepower adjustment.

The first was the weakest “Avalanche Cross Raven,” while the second was the “Extreme Collapse Avalanche Crow,” integrating Black and White Collapse with Great Avalanche within the Wood Raven, though it had decreased a lot in power, it still posed a threat to Great Grandmasters.

In the first battle of the pre-banquet, Xi Xi showed no hesitation or restraint, immediately unleashing the highest firepower!

Boom—!!!

An earth-shattering explosion roared!

From the platform exploded a fireworks-like burst of light and heat from billowing thick smoke!

The gale winds, forming concentric ripples, expanded continuously outward!

After blasting over sixty rounds of Extreme Collapse Avalanche Crow, Xi Xi hoisted the smoke-emitting Gatling, blew it off with a hum, and gradually stopped the rotating six metal tubes, exhaling a breath.

Li Che had prepared a total of a thousand rounds of Extreme Collapse Avalanche Crow for Xi Xi.

A mushroom cloud floated up slowly...

Xi Xi, riding the Wind Fire Golden Light Wheel, with her clothes fluttering, watched the giant figure staggering out from the mushroom cloud.

Shi Ming trembled with each step, his body starting to become transparent.

West Queen Mother Divinity had already begun to entwine around him.

This meant that the West Queen Mother's divinity had already saved him from a fatal blow, and in this pre-banquet clash, he had lost the qualification to sit at the table.

Shi Ming looked complexly at this tiny figure floating mid-air on the Divine Weapon...

Unfair—

“I refuse to accept this!”

Shi Ming lifted his head, tears of grievance streaming down his cheeks!

You despicable little girl, have a fist-to-fist confrontation if you're so brave!

Boom——!!!

A fierce wind raged, intertwining wildly!

Shi Ming's figure suddenly vanished, being teleported away.

The entire banquet hall of the Divine Palace fell silent.

Moments later, the clanging of armor resounded, as a cold hum came from the True Martial Divine Sect's strong ones of Tong You Road.

"Despicable."

Lv Taibai laughed immediately: "You're agitated, Shi Jian, you're really agitated!"

"As long as you can win and sit at the table, it's enough, why say despicable... Fourteen-year-olds fighting six-year-olds, why not call that despicable?"

Lv Taibai leaned back in his chair, scoffing.

"If you can't even get past Xi Xi's mechanisms, can't even seize the chance to meet Xi Xi head-on, do you have the right to call her despicable?"

True Martial Divine Sect Master Shi Jian's projection glanced at Lv Taibai but said nothing, leaving with the others.

Zhang Ya was excited beyond words, clenching her fist and cheering: "She won! Xi Xi won!"

Li Che wore a gentle smile at the corner of his lips.

No one said you couldn't use mechanical techniques in this pre-banquet...

Getting a seat at the table... is about skill.

In the Divine Palace arena, after Xi Xi defeated Shi Ming, she directly rode the Prison Lotus Wind Fire Golden Light Wheel, speeding towards the table gradually unveiling its brilliance.

The food atop the table gradually emerged as well.

A steaming cup of clear tea, a half-pink, half-green peach the size of a baby's fist.

Xi Xi didn't mind, directly plopping down in front of the table, merrily enjoying her little banquet.

The victory meal after defeating an opponent tastes so sweet!

Xi Xi took big bites of peach and sips of tea.

Unknowingly, her body began to glow dimly!

"Feeling a bit hot..."

Xi Xi sweated profusely from eating, but her peach-eating excitement only grew.

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The mouth was bulging.

Crunching, crunching...

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“The first pre-feast’s food is somewhat simple—a cup of the Seven Elements ‘Nourishing God Tea’, a ten-year-old small peach...”

“However, it’s also a very good thing. The Nourishing God Tea can stabilize Xi Xi’s divinity, which she just broke through to the Divine Minister state, while that ten-year-old small peach is quite good for augmenting Qi and blood.”

Lv Taibai glanced at the things on Xi Xi’s table and then lost interest.

The pre-feast banquet was indeed simple.

With a wave of a big hand, divine undulations surged, and Li Che felt the scene before him flash, disappearing from within the Divine Palace.

“As the pre-feast progresses, the small feast’s settings will get better...”

“A Che, you can actually start preparing for the ‘Hero’s Pre-feast’ too.”

The people returned to their senses at the Qianyuan Institute, and Lv Taibai said to Li Che.

Li Che nodded. Indeed, watching his daughter enjoy eating the peach made him somewhat tempted as well.

After Xi Xi's first feast ended, Li Che didn't linger any longer and bid farewell to everyone to return to secluded meditation.

Once back in his room, Li Che took out the Four Imperial Upper Divine Crystal he had acquired from Yue Huanglong.

However, as if he remembered something, Li Che flicked his fingers.

Buzz—

Inside the room.

A black chess piece twisted and slowly emerged, growing larger and interweaving into the form of Yue Huanglong.

"My lord." Yue Huanglong respectfully cupped his fists.

"How much do you know about Noble Princess Consort Ji?"

Li Che inquired.

Yue Huanglong paused for a moment but answered truthfully. He came from the ancient Yue Family and knew a bit about Noble Princess Consort Ji.

"Noble Princess Consort Ji, whose name is Ji Yan, is currently the beloved consort of His Majesty. However, this love seems to be meant to balance the Empress, for His Majesty actually seems to favor Su Da of the Su Family more now."

"Ji Yan is known for her volatile personality, perhaps due to past calamities. Her father once served in Jizhou, and Ji Yan also grew up in Jizhou but was once attacked by the Corpse God Cult. Fortunately, she

was saved by Ji Moli, but since then, her temperament has become extremely volatile and domineering, with a strong desire to control...”

“Later, when His Majesty was selecting a consort, Ji Yan entered the deep palace as a daughter of the Ji Family. After giving birth to the Third Prince, she was promoted to Noble Consort, and afterward, she gave birth to the Young Prince Lu Chi...”

Yue Huanglong said.

Li Che nodded thoughtfully.

“A drastic change in temperament, volatile and domineering, with a strong desire to control... Does it mean this woman may hold grudges?”

Li Che said calmly.

Upon hearing this, Yue Huanglong nodded.

Li Che sat cross-legged in the room, a natural airflow blowing through his dark, flowing hair.

Clenching his five fingers, a white Thunder Chess Piece floated up and down in his palm.

In his eyes, lines seemed to interweave and crisscross.

“Ji Yan... besieged by the Corpse God Cult in Jizhou, saved by Ji Moli... could there be a connection to Ji Moli?”

Li Che squinted his eyes.

In his pupils, it was as if rewinding, reflecting the scene of Noble Princess Consort Ji returning to the Ji Family Mansion, destroying things in a rage, and planning to contact the power of the Su Family in the Divine Capital to deal with their father and daughter.

A fierce glimmer flashed briefly in Li Che's eyes.

"Indeed very volatile, using the Su Family against me?"

Li Che chuckled, the Su Family indeed had some foundation in the Divine Capital, supported by their strongest guardians carrying resources, flourishing in the Divine Capital, backing the Third Prince for a chance at great achievements.

"Saying I ruined the Su Family... downright slander, I have granted the Su Family's people... rebirth."

With a flick of his fingers.

Su Leibao's figure immediately appeared, holding the Golden Dragon Slayer Blade, bowing toward Li Che.

"My lord!"

"You disguise yourself and approach the Martial Saint of your Su Family who opened the Mountain Path... just say, the Third Prince ordered Yue Huanglong to slaughter everyone of the Su Family attempting to relocate to the Divine Capital, including a month-old baby in swaddling clothes..."

Upon hearing this, Su Leibao's eyes slightly flickered.

"Understood."

Yue Huanglong aside awkwardly revealed a smile: "Hehe..."

If Yue Huanglong said it wasn't intentional, would old Su believe it?

Knowing he would become a colleague in death, Yue Huanglong definitely wouldn't have acted so ruthlessly, affecting the workplace relationship.

Su Leibao didn't even glance at this damned fellow.

He accepted Yue Huanglong into Mo City, while Su Leibao obtained the Sleeping Dragon Power of the Dragon Elephant Vajra Dao Fruit, suppressing his aura, silently walking out the door.

Li Che slowly exhaled.

"Throwing mud... the old head of the Su Family has already been resurrected by me, what do you have?"

"Let the dogs bite each other."

Even though the Divine Capital was strong, it did not mean that Li Che would simply endure quietly.

During the argument between Lu Chi and Noble Princess Consort Ji, Li Che had already quietly flicked a chess piece onto her body.

Though Noble Princess Consort Ji held a noble status, her abilities were average. As a Ji Family's daughter and a consort, her actions were quite perverse. However, she could not be blamed for having suffered psychological trauma in childhood.

"But... having been involved with Ji Moli..."

Li Che's gaze flickered slightly, feeling somewhat peculiar at heart.

Shaking his head, Li Che dismissed these gossip thoughts.

His five fingers clenched the Four Imperial Upper Divine Crystal.

Within his chest, the Dao Fruit [Pure Heart] throbbed vigorously, a vast suction burst forth, drawing in the pure and abundant divinity from the crystal into the Inner Scene of the Energy Center.

The divine fetus absorbed it, and it was taken in by one Golden Core after another.

Uncertain of how long it took, the sky outside turned dark and bright, bright and dark again.

Everything seemed to quiet down between heaven and earth.

“Exhale—”

“Inhale—”

With each breath; the world grew silent, and the mind calmed.

Li Che seemed to be enveloped within divinity, with the Heaven and Earth chessboard covering the sky, isolating any detection.

Uncertain of how long had passed.

A sound resembling morning bells and evening drums reverberated in his ears.

The heart’s every beat seemed to shake the Heaven and Earth Soul.

In that moment.

The world turned clear, when extreme adversity turns into prosperity!

In front of him, with slow-flowing radiance, a milky-white with a black background, the milky-white radiance formed words as it interweaved.

[Dao Fruit: Pure Heart (lv6,0%)]

Pure Heart!

Finally, the fourth transformation!

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Divine Capital, Fourth City.

Almost all the cultivators rushing to the Divine Sect reside in the Fourth City.

The Upper Three Cities belong to the true core area of the Divine Capital, where only those of high status and nobility live. Due to the relationship between the Great Vista Dynasty and the Divine Sect, they wouldn't let the Divine Sect cultivators live in the Fourth City.

It's a display of stance and attitude.

However, the Fourth City is also extremely prosperous, home to many noble family mansions in the Divine Capital. To qualify as a first-class family here, the family must have multiple Martial Saints and Divine Fetus experts overseeing them.

The first-class families in the Divine Capital are almost as powerful as the top families in Qianyuan Taoist City. They have deep roots in the Divine Capital and complex connections.

Among these first-class families, sections of the Fourth City have been allocated to house the Divine Sect visitors, yet it can't be said they are treated with neglect.

Fourth City, Zhenwu Institute.

Within the courtyard where the visitors of the True Martial Divine Sect reside.

In the spacious courtyard, the divinity on a peach branch suddenly dispersed, and then, with the formation activating, a shadow clad in black armor emerged.

Amidst the brilliance of shattered divinity, Shi Ming teleported back to the courtyard, clutching his peach branch, slowly opened his eyes, and two streams of hot tears rolled down.

He was defeated.

Defeated by a six-year-old girl!

He even...

Couldn't even touch the hem of her clothes, despite giving it his all, trying his best.

But she played with mechanisms...

The mechanism explosion, even with his body close to pure martial, couldn't withstand it, blown to pieces.

He was just a fourteen-year-old boy...

Yet he suffered such a brutal and enormous blow, breaking his spirit.

Under the eaves.

Many experts of the True Martial Divine Sect, clad in heavy mystic iron armor, looked at Shi Ming, who was full of tears and humiliation, and could only sigh slightly.

The True Martial Divine Sect Master, Shi Jian, frowned: "Why cry?!"

"If crying could solve problems, then the crying of the people in the Thirteen Cities along the Tongyou Road could bring endless peace, and we wouldn't need to bleed and fight desperately!"

"Every time Da Li's barbarians sweep down and plunder, slaughtering our Thirteen Cities, does crying make them retreat?!"

Shi Jian's voice was extremely cold, echoing in the courtyard.

Shi Ming's voiceless sobbing gradually ceased, and he clenched his fist.

"You've lost, but it doesn't mean you've run out of opportunities. This was just a pre-banquet. There are still two months until the main banquet. In these two months, if you break through your shackles and step into being a Great Grandmaster... would you still fear that girl?"

Shi Jian said in a deep voice.

"That mechanical technique... is very mystical. The power upon detonation is filled with divinity, the speed of the blast incredibly fast, the force... only a Great Grandmaster might evade and withstand it. If you step into being a Great Grandmaster, perhaps you will have the power to fight, to challenge that girl."

"If I'm not mistaken, that girl... should be the last direct disciple of Lv Taibai, the Qianyuan Divine Sect Master. Although she's six, she cannot be underestimated."

"You're only third on our True Martial Divine Sect's Dragon List. What's there to cry about losing? Keep crying, and I'll send you back to You State!"

Shi Jian's words made Shi Ming stop crying altogether, his five fingers clenching, silently standing up, his armor clanking, and saluting with fists.

"Master, I understand."

After finishing, Shi Ming quietly turned away to find a place for painstaking practice.

Many sect masters of the True Martial Divine Sect looked at the lonely figure of Shi Ming turning away and felt a bit pained.

"Master, was that spoken too harshly?"

A figure, covered in black armor, asked in a deep voice.

"What's too harsh? If crying worked, I'd have slaughtered my way to Da Li's capital a long time ago! Damn it!"

The True Martial Divine Sect Master, Shi Jian, cursed.

The others couldn't help but fall silent.

"Lv Taibai really took in a normal disciple this time... Shi Ming is not weak. Although not a purely pure martial practitioner, his physical body is extremely strong. Even as a half-step Great Grandmaster, he can nearly confront some Masters of Divine Gang..."

"Yet he couldn't even touch the girl's clothes before being blown away..."

"In this pre-banquet, without being a Great Grandmaster or possessing Divine Origin Cultivation, encountering this girl means getting bombarded."

"However, this way of mechanisms... has something to it. If it could be equipped and popularized in our True Martial Divine Sect, facing Da Li's Ghost Wolf Cavalry, we might stand a fighting chance."

Shi Jian's eyes flickered, and he couldn't help interest brewing in his heart.

Among the Great Divine Sects, the True Martial Divine Sect and the Dragon Tiger Divine Sect have the most harmonious relationship with the Great Vista Dynasty.

Because the True Martial Divine Sect sits on Tongyou Road, close to the Da Li Royal Court, a borderland, often cooperating with the Great Vista stationed army on Tongyou Road against the barbarian soldiers of the Da Li Royal Court.

Perhaps due to a common enemy, their relationship is unadulterated, united against outsiders.

The Dragon Tiger Divine Sect, located on Shendu Dao, practically belongs to the Divine Sect under control of the Great Vista Dynasty, naturally maintaining a good relationship.

Standing with hands behind his back, Shi Jian's eyes under the black armor were filled with strong qi-blood and a murderous aura.

"Let's observe for a while longer. If it truly works... I'll seek out Lv Taibai to see if we can join forces."

"The Tang Family has declined, and the development of the way of mechanisms has stagnated. The Gongshu Family, although also researching mechanisms, is inferior to the Tang Family, even after inheriting their mechanical traditions. They focus more on mechanical beasts..."

"While mechanical beasts are powerful and destructive, they are too expensive. If a strong opponent intercepts one-on-one, they lose most of their use... What the hell is the good of that!"

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"For fighting battles... it all depends on the troops!"

"We, the True Martial disciples, if everyone could be equipped with such mechanisms, who would be afraid of those damn barbarians? Even the barbarians' eggs would be bombed out!"

"Next, if there's still a pre-banquet for this little girl, notify me immediately."

"I want to watch, I love watching."

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Qianyuan Institute.

Xi Xi opened her eyes, grasping her Peach Branch. The divinity on the branch had increased from three strands to four.

Smacking her lips, Xi Xi felt a little unsatisfied...

Flat peach, so delicious!

Xi Xi still wanted to eat more!

Unfortunately, only one pre-banquet can be held per day.

Sweat beaded on Xi Xi's forehead, as she started to sweat a little, but her eyes were bright and spirited, as if her words carried Essence Qi spilling out.

"Calm your mind and focus, refine the Essence Qi from the flat peach, mobilize and merge your Qi-Blood, try to comprehend the Martial Dao Will, condense the Divine Gang."

Lv Taibai's leisurely voice echoed in Xi Xi's ears.

"Alright!"

Hearing these words, Xi Xi quickly responded, a serious expression on her chubby face, and sat cross-legged.

She did feel the feedback from consuming a flat peach!

Rumble—!!

A sound like roaring waves of a great river came, that was the sound of Xi Xi's Qi-Blood transporting within her body.

Lv Taibai's figure appeared almost instantaneously by Xi Xi's side, raising a hand, a wisp of Sword Qi guided, directing the Qi-Blood within Xi Xi.

Both of Xi Xi's hands and two legs began to emit brilliant radiance.

A sacred light surged, Divine Weapon Divinity was drawn out, constantly flushing Xi Xi's physical body, neutralizing and counteracting the power of the flat peach.

"The effect... is quite good..."

Lv Taibai's eyes flashed with a glint of surprise.

Perhaps, Xi Xi truly had the chance to break through to the Great Master Realm before the main banquet began!

A six-year-old Great Grandmaster!

Exaggerated indeed!

While Xi Xi was cultivating, Lv Taibai suddenly turned his head to look at a twitching Peach Branch.

He saw the divinity on the Peach Branch constantly exploding.

In turn, disciples of the Qian Yuan Divine Sect, their faces pale, were teleported back.

Their faces were pale, and their eyes still carried a hint of disappointment and self-blame.

"Sect Master... I... I lost..."

Lv Qingxuan, second on the Chu Long List, struggled to get up from the ground, his face full of melancholy.

"I encountered the Divine Child of the Ji Family, one of the Ancient Families, and I couldn't win..."

Lv Qingxuan was very self-reproachful, representing the Divine Sect in the first battle of the pre-banquet, he lost.

Lv Taibai furrowed his brow slightly, patting Lv Qingxuan's shoulder: "It's okay, there's still a chance..."

Then he looked at the other disciples of the Divine Sect who had awakened, feeling a bit dazed and a bit disappointed.

Each of them was very low-spirited and melancholic.

Yang Yi's body trembled, clenching his fist, and like Lv Qingxuan, was dispirited.

"Also lost?"

Lv Taibai asked calmly.

Yang Yi gritted his teeth, nodding: "I'm sorry... Sect Master, I embarrassed the Qian Yuan Divine Sect."

"It's not your fault."

Lv Taibai shook his head.

As the disciples of the Qian Yuan Divine Sect teleported back one by one, their faces were filled with disappointment.

Even the noble juniors from Qianyuan Dao City were the same.

Almost all lost, even Zhou Peng and Yun E were no exception.

"I won." Jin Taixui opened his eyes, speaking calmly.

Lv Taibai glanced at Jin Taixui, who originally came from Wushen Mountain, though considered now to be a disciple of the Divine Sect, perhaps others didn't see it that way.

Moreover, Xi Xi encountered a tough opponent from the True Martial Divine Sect in her first battle.

That Shi Ming was truly strong, cultivating the True Martial transformed by the Master of the True Martial Divine Sect, Shi Jian, based on Pure Martial, with extremely powerful combat power.

If it weren't for Xi Xi directly using mechanisms to bombard, she might not have won so easily.

According to logic, the opponents in the Chu Long pre-banquet are randomly matched, and among so many banquet-goers, the strong and weak, the Divine Capital, Dao City, and other noble Divine Children even occupy the majority.

And the Qian Yuan Divine Sect disciples, coincidentally, all encountered the Divine Sect and Ancient Families' Chu Longs in the first banquet.

"They've been targeted..."

Lv Taibai's face turned stern.

The pre-banquet and main banquet are different, they are randomly drawn opponents through the Queen Mother of the West's divinity contained in the Peach Branch...

But calling it random is actually traceable.

At the same time, stimulate the divinity and prepare to attend the banquet, and then the divine children among them will be screened and drawn during the same period.

For example, when Xi Xi stimulates the Peach Branch, intending to attend the banquet, simultaneously, the Chu Longs on the Chu Long List from other Divine Sects will also stimulate the Peach Branch.

Thus, a strong match could occur.

It could also be understood as sniping.

Zhao Fangzhou also came over, his face solemn: "Sect Master, could this situation... be related to the Empress?"

Lv Taibai's eyes flickered: "Perhaps, perhaps the Empress united a few Divine Sects and Ancient Families and first-class families, aiming to eliminate our Qian Yuan Divine Sect or disciples from Qianyuan Dao City."

"Why?" Zhao Fangzhou frowned.

"Probably because of that Heart-following Gold Iron Divine Rod..." Lv Taibai sneered.

"Although I said that the Heart-following Gold Iron Divine Rod was taken by the Underworld Divine Monkey, they may not believe it, perhaps thinking the Underworld is something Qian Yuan promoted to confuse the public..."

"The Heart-following Gold Iron Divine Rod is related to the Equal Heaven Temple..."

"Not only is the Imperial Court worried about another Equal Heaven Temple appearing in the world, other Divine Sects... are equally concerned."

"One sect strong while others weak... they don't want to see such a situation either."

"So... this is considered a warning."

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Lv Taibai stretched his form, a gleam of fierce determination appeared in his eyes.

"Keep an eye on these little ones, I'm going to have a chat with those guys...see who's teaming up to try and wipe us out, don't let any of the little ones besides Xi Xi continue to attend the banquet in my absence."

Zhao Fangzhou heard this and nodded solemnly.

"Xi Xi will be fine. Facing obstacles can give her some tempering..."

Lv Taibai glanced at Xi Xi, who was full of fervor, and smiled.

Xi Xi is just one step away from reaching the Great Grandmaster realm...

If she experiences more battles, it will be excellent training for her, the obstacles from each Great Divine Sect, and the Noble Families, for Xi Xi, are rather great tempering.

After all, targeted obstruction... is dual-faceted, as long as Xi Xi's strength is strong enough, the so-called obstruction becomes a joke, resulting only in three words...

All must die!

The Peach Branch of the Pre-Banquet holds a total of three divine attributes, once all three are scattered, it means losing the qualification to attend the main banquet of the Chulong Victory Conference.

And thus, losing the qualification to compete for the thousand-year-old peach...

As if wiped out during the pre-banquet stage.

"This disgusting open scheme is probably conceived by the Little Lingyin Temple..."

"The Empress is preparing for the Flat Peach Victory Meeting, she is likely deep within the Queen Mother's Mysterious Temple... hence the chance of actively targeting Qian Yuan Divine Sect is not great, even if action is taken, it should be by National Master Xie Yushen..."

"Previously, Gu Changqing struck... perhaps it was also arranged by Xie Yushen."

"Probably the National Master provided some information support on when Xi Xi and the others should attend the banquet."

“As for the Little Lingyin Temple... due to the death of Huang Tuo? Or is it that old baldy Huang Mei seeking revenge for the past life that was cut down?”

“Ha, whatever it is...”

Lv Taibai’s silver hair flew, his gaze ruthless, he lightly pointed with his foot, and his entire being rushed skyward.

With a booming explosion, countless sword lights splendidly bloomed in the sky above.

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What occurred within the courtyard, Li Che was unaware.

He, at this moment, was seated cross-legged in the room, entering a profound transformation state!

Immaculate Heart Taoist Fruit...

Fourth Transformation!

Thump thump thump—

The pounding in his chest cavity was immensely intense, as if an ancient god, fervently pounding the divine drum made of divine beast skin within the Immortal Court.

Each thump reverberated in invisible ripples, spreading through his body, filling every part!

The jet-black, resilient strands of hair kept waving wildly, Li Che’s eyes burst with dazzling white.

The white gathered into dense smoke, slowly wrapped and descended.

Li Che felt at this moment his spirit seemed ascendant, reaching a transcendent state.

The Brow Niwan glowed overwhelmingly, presenting a pure white hue.

Sleek like flowing water, also like a mountain stream meandering, cascading down from the Mud Pill, enveloping the whole body.

“Exhale—”

“Inhale—”

With one breath, heaven and earth instantly quieted!

All sounds seemed to vanish entirely at this moment, only the roaring sound of divinity like a river from the Inner Scene of the Energy Center echoing beside his ears.

“Here it comes.”

Li Che opened his mouth to exhale a thick, fog-like airflow.

Then, his mind shook violently, pulled by horrific power, the world spin and change abruptly!

Entering the Vast Heaven and Earth, directly facing the towering Heavenly Dao Tree.

“Dao Tree Space...”

Li Che presently felt much calmer, certainly not the first time entering this space as a fledgling young man anymore.

The Dao Tree towered heaven and earth, the clouds pierced and dispersed, brimming branches and dense leaves, the foliage glistening in dazzling light!

Li Che's gaze instantly fell upon the Dao Fruits suspended on the Dao Tree.

The seven-colored Dao Fruits, each seems to sway in the wind.

The [Immaculate Heart] Dao Fruit hanging heavy, swaying, as if the sound of crashing water endlessly resounded in its movement.

The wind suddenly rose fiercely between heaven and earth!

Space seemed to ripple, as if time trembled, the rippled formed spread over the Dao Fruits, causing each Dao Fruit to sway incessantly.

Seven-colored glaze, extremely splendid!

The Immaculate Heart Dao Fruit was struck by the wave's gust and the surface peel slashed off.

The seven-colored glazed peel fell...

Gradually floating in the air, endlessly changing, as if kneaded like dough.

Finally...

Li Che's pupils slightly constricted.

Realizing the peel seemed to be molded into a... heart!

Indeed!

It was a heart!

Seeming like a real heart, exquisite and transparent, bursting with myriad rays, seven-colored glaze!

Just a glance seemed to draw his spirit entirely toward this heart.

The heart floated in mid-air, streaming light continually erupted from within.

As if numerous ancient and mysterious scriptures emerged from the surface of the heart, densely interwoven, seemingly engraving many Godly Patterns onto the heart!

Once the Godly Patterns were engraved.

The heart began to beat!

Each beat seemed to cause space to ripple, time to jolt!

Boom—!!!

Everything shattered apart.

Li Che only felt his consciousness obliterated, exiting the Dao Tree Space.

Expansion!

Dizzy!

World spinning!

Li Che felt as though his mind was about to burst open, everything spinning, all things were dizzy!

Countless abundant divinity rapidly swept from all directions of heaven and earth, greedily and frantically devoured!

The Divine Crystal of the Four Imperial Ranks in Li Che's hand, he absorbed only a bit, completing the accumulation of Dao Fruit's maturity, resulting in Dao Fruit's fourth transformation.

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At this moment, the divinity within the Four Imperial Upper Divine Crystal surged out frantically, absorbed by the Inner Scene of the Energy Center in Li Che's brow!

Countless divinity scattered out, sweeping manically around him, turning into whirlpools!

Inside the Inner Scene of the Energy Center.

Each Golden Core was submerged by divinity, pulsing wildly as they siphoned.

And the True Ape Divine Embryo roared even louder, devouring with great gulps!

The dizziness persisted without fading.

Li Che endured strongly, looking at the white radiance appearing before him.

[Dao Fruit LV6, Fourth Transformation, Divine Skills (God Drawing) advancement, Dao Guide (Seven-orifice Exquisite Heart)]

Boom——!!

The hints converged into a vast white brilliance piling up continually before his eyes.

Li Che felt his soul transforming, like an invisible heart suspended within the Inner Scene of the Energy Center.

Suspended high, shining brightly!

The Seven Emotions and Six Desires Golden Cores, Lv Xuan Sword Immortal Golden Core, and the Heaven and Earth Spirit Bright True Ape Divine Embryo's divinity were uncontrollably drawn out, pouring into the Seven-orifice Exquisite Heart, appearing to be washed of every speck of dust, becoming purer, more immaculate, and returning to the Divine Embryo and Golden Core.

It's like a purification pump!

As if impurities within divinity were removed, like extracting the essence from herbs in an Alchemy Furnace!

The dizziness began to gradually dissipate.

Li Che's eyes slightly brightened!

Dao Guide!

Indeed...

The Dao Fruit's Four Transformations, upon reaching LV6, transformed like the Dragon Elephant Vajra Dao Fruit, into the Dao Guide.

[Dao Guide (Seven-orifice Exquisite Heart): Dao Fruit peel transforming, drawing into Dao, Seven-orifice Exquisite, purifying the deity]

The Dao Guiding True Words appeared gradually before Li Che.

Li Che's eyes revealed a distinct shade.

The Seven-orifice Exquisite Heart can cleanse divinity, seemingly washing away the divine intentions within it, making them extremely pure to be absorbed!

"Dragon Elephant Furnace brings Pure Martial..."

"Seven-orifice Exquisite Heart, is this going to let me cultivate 'Pure God'?"

In fact, the divinity within the Divine Crystal is said to be pure, yet since it was born within the Strange Temple's Strange Que, it naturally gathered from the divinity of the Temple God's fall.

No matter how pure, it encompasses the influence of the Temple God's intentions.

Why, even with the help of Divine Crystals, does cultivation remain slow, unable to hasten?

Simply because even by using Divine Crystals for cultivation, the Inner Scene of the Energy Center needs to refine the Temple God's intentions embedded within the divinity during the siphoning process.

Therefore, the speed becomes incredibly slow.

Li Che previously had [Pure Heart] Dao Fruit, siphoning the divinity in Divine Crystals, the first siphon was rapid, back then the Pure Heart Dao Fruit helped wash away the Temple God's intentions within the divinity.

But after that, when siphoning again, the Pure Heart Dao Fruit became lazy, Li Che relied on the Inner Scene of the Energy Center's auto-refinement to eliminate the Temple God's intentions.

So, subsequent siphoning of Divine Crystals would slow down, feedback would also lessen.

But now...

It's different!

Li Che's lips curled with a smile.

Because, he received feedback from the Seven-orifice Exquisite Heart, realizing something extremely significant.

The Seven-orifice Exquisite Heart altered his Divine Talent!

Li Che's current Divine Talent...

Even reached an incredibly exaggerated and terrifying degree!

Whoosh—

Inside the room, a gentle breeze slowly blew.

Li Che opened his eyes, his dark powerful hair gently fluttering.

The dizziness fully vanished.

Li Che grasped the Divine Crystal with one hand, and lifted the other slowly, countless divinity intertwined, like fine lines, slowly outlining the shape of a heart!

There were seven holes on the heart.

Li Che's eyes flickered, his mind moved.

The Inner Scene of the Energy Center shone!

In an instant!

Seven Golden Cores suddenly emerged behind him!

Like seven splendid golden suns!

Li Che attempted to guide the seven Golden Cores to the Seven-orifice Exquisite Heart's acupoints.

However...

It's not easy, as the first Seven Emotions Golden Core was guided onto one of the Seven-orifice Exquisite Heart's acupoints...

Li Che only felt abundant divinity frantically pouring in.

Slowly cleansing this Golden Core, faintly, there was a sound of embryonic breathing, and between the breaths, as if gradually approaching the transformation into a Divine Embryo!

Once this Golden Core transforms into a Divine Embryo, he can start drawing in the second Seven Emotions Golden Core, merging into the acupoints of the Exquisite Heart for transformation into a Divine Embryo!

With a flick of the hand, the Seven-orifice Exquisite Heart returned to the Inner Scene of the Energy Center.

Li Che softly clapped forward with his five fingers.

Numerous divinities gathered and intertwined, grand and majestic, yet... extremely dense and powerful!

“My divinity... is more pure and condensing, its power is also stronger!”

“Just like how Pure Martial Qi Blood is stronger than Divine Martial Qi Blood... condensing means strength! Like repeatedly tempered steel!”

Li Che laughed, his mood instantly brightening.

Another Dao Fruit realized its transformation.

Moreover, gained a Dao Guide, currently his research on this Dao Guide is still superficial, he can slowly develop and explore it.

Of course, what makes Li Che most delighted is...

“Henceforth, I count as a Heavenly Pride in Divine Talent aspects.”

Li Che laughed.

Rising from the seated position, arms spread open...

Boom——!!!

From his physical body erupted an extremely terrifying booming, like the ultimate tempered steel bursting and echoing!

“Physical body manipulation... is clearer, feedback also becomes more lucid.”

“Clearly physical body is Pure Martial, divinity is Pure God, yet the soul’s control over the physical body is instead more detailed than before, truly nuanced!”

Li Che beamed.

“However, now solely relying on divine cultivation, it might still be tough to compare with the Divine Fetus Great God...”