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Chapter 231: Pledging allegiance to Green Cloud Peak, Foundation Establishment within the Inner Sect

However, at this time Jin Quanxiu did not bring him back to the Green Cloud Peak, but continued to take him to the other four buildings nearby.

The layout of the Five Star Pendant consists of five stars. Apart from the Internal Affairs Office just mentioned, there is also the Scripture Repository, the Discipline Hall, the Miscellaneous Affairs Hall, and the Guest Hall.

The Scripture Repository is very different from the Scripture Repository of Danyang Outer Peak. This is the real passage for the cultivation techniques of the Dan Ding Sect, and the foundation of their cultivation.

Now that Liang Sheng has become an inner sect disciple, he has the qualifications to enter. However, he can only go to the first floor of the Scripture Repository for now, and it is only when he reaches the Jin Dan Stage that he can ascend to the second floor.

But as a new inner sect disciple, if he wants to read and copy the Cultivation Law Essentials, he has to put in effort, namely, to complete sect tasks and earn corresponding points. The Cultivation Law Essentials in the Scripture Repository all have clear prices attached.

As for the Miscellaneous Affairs Hall, it's relatively complex compared to the Internal Affairs Office. The Internal Affairs Office is responsible for handling various internal affairs of the sect, but the Miscellaneous Affairs Hall and the Internal Affairs Office share a common place, which is where personal tasks are issued from the Sect or the Inner Sect Disciples.

In addition to this, the Miscellaneous Affairs Hall also has an exchange function, including refining weapons, talisman drawing, array manipulation, and even spiritual pills. As long as you have spirit stones, or what the other party needs, you can exchange for them.

Hence, it is called the Miscellaneous Affairs Hall, responsible for various miscellaneous matters within the sect, differentiated from the Internal Affairs Office, each carrying out its own functions.

The Discipline Hall needs no more explanation, it is where order within the sect is upheld, but this institution's power is firmly held in the hand of the Sect Master of Dan Ding Sect.

As for the Guest Hall, it is where the Dan Ding Sect interacts with the outside world. The previous exchanges between the Three Sects and Six Orders were all carried out by the Guest Hall.

As for the highest building in the center of the Five Star Pendant, it was the leader's pavilion of the Dan Ding Sect. This time, he did not let him in, and Jin Quanxiu didn't explain further, only taking Liang Sheng around to familiarize himself with the layout of the Five Star Pendant before leaving directly with him.

Of course, today he brought Liang Sheng here just to familiarize himself a bit with the arrangements, and he could come by himself afterwards to carefully explore the various internal affairs agencies in detail.

Just then, Liang Sheng felt a vibration from the identity jade plate at his waist. When he picked it up to look, he saw a broadcast message.

"New inner sect disciple of Green Cloud Peak, Yang Cheng, is 83 years old, and has become a disciple of Green Cloud Peak Master Jin Quanxiu. We wish him success on the Immortal Path."

After reading it, he looked up at Jin Quanxiu, who was not surprised and nodded.

This was the way the Internal Affairs Office notified everyone in the inner sect and above to notify everyone of Yang Cheng's news about becoming a Foundation Establishment Inner Sect Disciple.

At this moment, Liang Sheng was feeling a bit excited. Indeed, as an inner sect disciple, he was already central pillar of a sect, otherwise why would the Dan Ding Sect make such a big fuss?

Jin Quanxiu looked at Liang Sheng and finally saw the reaction of a "young man". He couldn't help but let out a big laugh, "Disciple, let's go, we're going home."

By the time Liang Sheng returned to the Green Cloud Peak with Jin Quanxiu, there were already more than a dozen shadowy figures quietly waiting outside Jin Quanxiu's Cave Mansion. Among them were Chen Xiang and Xiao Qin, who Liang Sheng was familiar with.

When they saw Jin Quanxiu and Yang Cheng, they hurriedly paid their respects to Jin Quanxiu. Jin Quanxiu didn't say a word, but just nodded and walked straight into the Cave Mansion.

As soon as he left, the atmosphere became a bit more relaxed. At this moment, the manager of the Outer Sect, Chen Xiang, looked at Liang Sheng with a sigh in his eyes.

Who could have imagined that Yang Cheng, in a few short decades, would become the third disciple of the Peak Master? Although he had high hopes for him, he didn't expect him to progress this quickly.

Xiao Qin and the others also sighed. They didn't expect that their selfish act back then would be repaid so quickly, after all, they owed a great favor to Yang Cheng back then.

However, the first one to greet Liang Sheng was not Chen Xiang or Xiao Qin, but a middle-aged man in inner sect disciple's clothing, with messy hair, who seemed extremely carefree.

He walked over with a smile, patted Liang Sheng's shoulder, and Liang Sheng forced himself to endure the discomfort and did not dodge, the man's attitude was very good.

"As expected from my junior brother, you're distinguished indeed."

Upon hearing this, Liang Sheng was overjoyed and quickly addressed him as senior brother, because this man was no other than Jin Quanxiu's second disciple, Shen Wuque, who was already in the middle stage of the Foundation Establishment.

When Liang Sheng was selected as an alchemy child, Shen Wuque was in closed-door cultivation to break through to the middle stage of Foundation Establishment, so they had never met before. Today was their first meeting.

Afterwards, Liang Sheng naturally performed the salutations one by one, and Xiang Chen introduced each one. Liang Sheng also had the opportunity to meet all the Foundation Establishment Disciples of Green Cloud Peak.

When they finished greeting each other, Jin Quanxiu's voice slowly came out from the Cave Mansion, "Alright, everyone can come in now."

As soon as they heard this, they immediately stopped their small talk, followed Jin Quanxiu into the Cave Mansion and quickly entered.

At this point in the Cave Mansion, a banquet area had already been set up. The table was full of Immortal fruit, delicacies, and fine wines.

Jin Quanxiu opened his mouth and formally introduced Yang Cheng. Chen Xiang and others, after hearing Jin Quanxiu admit it personally, couldn't help but feel a some envy in their hearts.

They were only inner sect disciples of Green Cloud Peak, not direct disciples of Jin Quanxiu, so the levels of intimacy were naturally different.

At this time, Jin Quanxiu took out a jade slip and handed it to Liang Sheng. "Yang Cheng, this is your Cave Mansion Jade Token, the location of the Cave Mansion is on this token."

"Of course, you can come to the Cave Mansion to find me at any time. If I'm not there, and you have any questions, you can also find your senior brothers."

Hearing this, Xiang Chen and Shen Wuque both nodded at Liang Sheng at the same time, their faces full of smiles and their attitudes extremely good.

Liang Sheng quickly took the Cave Mansion Jade Token and thanked Jin Quanxiu. What happened after that is needless to say, as it was quite an exuberant celebration.

The other disciples of the Main Peaks who had tried to recruit Liang Sheng were a little regretful. They hadn't been proactive enough before, which resulted in the Green Cloud Peak gaining another significant asset.

Those with complicated feelings that night included many people. They were none other than Chen Ming and the others, who also had backgrounds as alchemy children from the Green Cloud Peak.

At this time, Chen Ming had confirmed that the person he saw looked familiar today was not an illusion, but that Liang Sheng actually was Yang Cheng.

Chen Ming felt extremely bitter. Yang Cheng, who was inferior to him back in the day, had already achieved Foundation Establishment success and entered Jin Quanyou's tutelage.

But he was still stuck in the Qi Cultivation Seventh Level, the gap between the two was simply too great. Was it fate playing tricks, could his choice have been wrong after all?

He had no answer in his heart, but he had already gained a clear understanding.

He is far inferior to Yang Cheng!

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Green Cloud Peak.

Liang Sheng's Cave.

At this moment, Liang Sheng's cave dwelling is like a luxurious mansion compared to the previous one at Danyang Outer Peak. In addition to the cultivation room, there is also an alchemy room, a resting room... in a word, all the rooms are available.

What is even more amazing is that there is even a spiritual field in the backyard of the cave dwelling. This is truly extravagant. Is this the treatment of an Inner Sect Foundation Establishment Disciple in the Dan Ding Sect?

No wonder everyone wants to succeed in Foundation Establishment and become an Inner Sect Disciple of the Dan Ding Sect. It can be said that the treatment of Inner Sect Foundation Establishment Disciples is the best among the disciples.

Last night, they were all drunk. Not only him, but other Foundation Establishment Disciples also had the same reaction on purpose.

Jin Quanxiu's character likes Green Cloud Peak to be united, so how could anyone cause chaos at this time? Although everyone appears young, which of the others is not an old monster over two hundred years old? They naturally have this kind of little thought.

As for whether Jin Quanxiu saw through their thoughts, it doesn't matter. At the very least, it shows that these disciples are firmly abiding by Jin Quanxiu's rules, and that is enough.

Liang Sheng originally planned to go to the Main Peak Danyang Peak Scripture Repository today to see the situation, and by the way, go to the Internal Affairs Office and Miscellaneous Affairs Hall to see if there are any suitable tasks for him.

After all, his identity in the Dan Ding Sect from now on is a "fate" worker, and at the very least, he must wait until he gets the Golden Yuan Pill Formula before he can "lie flat."

However, early in the morning, Xiang Chen appeared before him. Yesterday was first apprenticeship and then banquet, which was a bit hasty.

Today, Xiang Chen had the time to take Liang Sheng to get familiar with the entire Green Cloud Peak. If Jin Quanxiu's personal disciple didn't know the situation of Green Cloud Peak, it would not only be a laughingstock, but it would also be absolutely speechless.

"Eldest Senior Brother, Second Senior Brother."

Liang Sheng greeted them first, and after Xiang Chen explained his intentions, Liang Sheng didn't expect Shen Wuque to come along at this time, which made Liang Sheng a little surprised.

However, in just a moment he didn't care. He had already got a preliminary understanding of Shen Wuque's character yesterday, which was quite straightforward. Today, Shen Wuque came along, perhaps to show his elder brother's demeanor.

Xiang Chen was a little helpless at this moment. Shen Wuque was his junior brother, and he had always been complaining that he didn't know the taste of being an elder brother. In the past, he thought it was just nagging, but he didn't expect Shen Wuque to be waiting at the entrance of his cave dwelling early in the morning today.

So, Shen Wuque really had this idea, and he repeatedly assured that he would take good care of his younger brother. How could Xiang Chen refuse when he heard this?

So that's how the current situation came about. Xiang Chen cast aside his various thoughts at this moment and smiled, "Let's go, junior brother, let me take you to see our Green Cloud Peak Alchemy Pavilion."

The Green Cloud Peak Alchemy Pavilion is located not far below Jin Quanyu's cave dwelling. It covers a vast area, and at a glance, there are hundreds of alchemy chambers inside.

As for the dozen or so alchemy chambers in the innermost part, except for Jin Quanyu's name, all the remaining names are those of Foundation Establishment Disciples like Xiang Chen.

At this moment, Liang Sheng saw his own "Yang Cheng" name, and could not help but be surprised. It seems that there was some arrangement here yesterday.

"Junior brother, if you want to refine pills later, you can come here. This place has been arranged by our Master personally. The spiritual energy is stable, and the effect of pill refining is very good for alchemists."

Now, the management disciple of the Alchemy Pavilion is a Foundation Establishment Disciple he met last night at the feast. After Xiang Chen finished speaking, he began to supplement the explanation.

This is where the Green Cloud Peak disciples refine pills. However, besides the Foundation Establishment Disciples who can use it for free, ordinary disciples need to pay spirit stones if they want to use it.

Of course, the spirit stone fee is not high and is paid on a daily basis. Most disciples can afford it. The closer the alchemy room is to the center, the more sufficient and stable the spiritual energy is.

That's why the alchemy chambers of Xiang Chen and other Foundation Establishment Disciples are in the middle, which is the best location in the Alchemy Pavilion.

After visiting the Alchemy Pavilion, their next destination was the very important spiritual field of Green Cloud Peak.

When they reached the Spirit Field Location, the Spirit Field Steward had been waiting early. He was also a Foundation Establishment Disciple they had met last night.

After a simple mutual greeting, they did not waste time. The steward walked in front, leading Xiang Chen and the other two towards the Spirit Grass Area and occasionally introducing the different areas of spirit grass cultivation.

They first went to the high-grade Elixir Grass Area at the hillside, where the spiritual fields were arranged at intervals of more than ten meters, which seemed to be a huge waste of space.

However, the seemingly unreasonable layout always has its reason, "These are all extremely precious spiritual grasses, and they are arranged in this way to consider their medicinal properties. Otherwise, if the medicinal properties are contaminated with each other, it will not be worth the loss."

Liang Sheng nodded when he heard this, and at a glance, he could see many precious spiritual grasses in the spiritual field. Most of them had been introduced on Pill Formula True Understanding, and this was the first time he had seen them in reality.

In the corners of the spiritual field, there were also some sporadic Lingxi Grasses planted. Among these large areas of precious spirit grasses, they seemed extremely shabby.

This is the Lingxi Grass used to refine Foundation Establishment Pills. All I can say is that this is truly Green Cloud Peak, and Lingxi Grass is just an “unremarkable” precious spiritual grass.

Seeing the expression in Liang Sheng’s eyes, the steward seemed to know what he was thinking and smiled, “Junior brother, Lingxi Grass is actually just a catalyst for other spiritual grasses. If the Moon Dew Grass next to it is planted together with Lingxi Grass, their growth will be better..”

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Moon Dew Grass?

Liang Sheng soon remembered what this spiritual grass was, that it would flower and bear fruit only in the middle of the month, after three years had passed. Moreover, it must be harvested within a time frame of three quarter hours; otherwise, the fruits would naturally wither.

As for what elixirs Moon Dew Grass was used to refine, Liang Sheng did not know. However, this did not affect his admiration for the sect’s profound foundation.

Not to mention the Loose Cultivators in the Market, even ordinary disciples from the secular world would probably not know about Lingxi Grass’ function as a catalyst if they did not have a family inheritance.

Besides Lingxi Grass, there were other similar spiritual grasses being cultivated, presumably, for their catalytic roles as well.

Seeing Liang Sheng’s curiosity about a particular area sealed off by an array in the middle of the spiritual field, the manager — who knew Liang Sheng’s background and that he lacked understanding in many areas — took the opportunity to provide detailed explanations, starting from the most valuable spiritual grasses.

The manager and Xiang Chen noticed Liang Sheng’s interest; they briefly mentioned that the sealed area was the private field of the Peak Master before continuing to lead the way.

Naturally, Liang Sheng wouldn't let his curiosity get the better of him and press further. They walked down to the second-best spiritual fields, where they finally saw a large swath of Lingxi Grass.

Lingxi Grass was not that "precious" after all.

At that moment, a disciple lost focus while looking at Liang Sheng's group, causing his Spiritual Rain Technique to fail halfway. The manager's face darkened upon seeing this.

It might have been a minor incident on any other day, but today, he was embarrassed in front of Xiang Chen and the others, which naturally frustrated him.

After all, according to their status, Xiang Chen was like the direct descendant of a noble secular family, whereas they were merely collateral branch disciples.

Now that a disciple working in the spiritual fields had made a mistake, it reflected badly on him.

"What happened?"

The manager's face darkened, and Chen Ming's expression immediately turned fearful. Head lowered, Chen Ming had no idea what to say, and the other ordinary disciples working nearby looked distressed, afraid that they would be implicated.

Chen Ming never thought that he would see Yang Cheng at this time. Yang Cheng looked like a graceful young master of the world, while he himself was just a mere Ordinary disciple. The difference between their statuses was like night and day.

Xiang Chen and Liang Sheng glanced at each other, already recognizing Chen Ming. How could Foundation Establishment Stage Cultivators forget Chen Ming?

So, before the manager could scold him, Liang Sheng interjected, "Senior Brother Wang, what kind of spiritual grass is that? Can you take me to have a look?"

Liang Sheng didn't plead for Chen Ming, but Wang Daquan, the manager, was shrewd enough to remember Chen Ming's background and connect the dots.

As such, he acted as if nothing had happened and led Liang Sheng and the others away. Chen Ming, who had been kneeling on the ground, was now pale as a sheet.

The other party had just tried to extricate him from the situation, but they hadn't even mentioned his name. Now, they were no longer from the same world.

Chen Ming shook his head and got up to continue casting the Spiritual Rain Technique. However, for some reason, his spirit seemed to have wilted a bit.

The other Ordinary disciples around him were whispering and praising Chen Ming's good luck. They were grateful that Chen Ming was the only Alchemy Child in this area. If the other Alchemy Children in other areas had seen the situation just now, they might have understood Chen Ming.

At first, he had looked down on someone who was just an Outer Sect Disciple, but now that person had become a high-ranking Inner Sect Disciple, while he himself had become a laughingstock, working as a mere Ordinary Disciple. It was truly a joke.

After touring the entire spiritual fields with Xiang Chen and the others, Wang Daquan saw them off and decided not to trouble Chen Ming after giving it some thought.

It was a small matter today, and since "Yang Cheng" didn't seem to care, why should he go out of his way to play the villain?

Shen Wuque still wanted to take Liang Sheng to the Back Mountain – his favorite place to wander around and hunt Demonic Beasts. However, Xiang Chen stopped him, figuring that his Junior brother would probably not leave for several days if he were to enter the wilderness now.

Now that their new little Junior Brother had just joined Green Cloud Peak and was so innocent, Xiang Chen had no idea how their Master would arrange his life. It was better to not let Second Junior Brother Shen Wuque go wild with him.

He's afraid their little Junior Brother would be led astray by their Second Junior Brother!

With Xiang Chen's squinted eyes restraining Shen Wuque, Shen Wuque watched helplessly as Liang Sheng bid his farewell and left, feeling a little helpless.

The eldest Senior Brother was really like a wooden block, so dull. Now that they finally had a little Junior brother, Shen Wuque hadn't had the chance to show him the authority of a Senior Brother.

He must make more efforts and break through to the Foundation Establishment Late Stage as soon as possible. That way, he wouldn't be controlled by his Eldest Senior Brother in everything.

It wasn't easy for their Master to accept a new Junior brother. Shen Wuque needed to guide him himself. He couldn't let Eldest Senior Brother turn him into a dull person. If that happened....

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Thinking about the cold centuries that awaited him, facing two wooden stakes, Shen Wuque almost shivered in fear. He couldn't provoke his master, and his happy life was reliant on his junior brother.

With this in mind, Shen Wuque couldn't help taking a glance at Xiang Chen. At that moment, Xiang Chen suddenly shivered, but after some sleuthing found nothing out of the ordinary; he looked over at Shen Wuque who had lifted his gaze to the sky, pretending as if nothing had transpired.

Liang Sheng of course didn't know about Shen Wuque's thoughts at that moment, for if he had, he would have promptly distanced himself.

There was no issue with Shen Wuque, but Liang Sheng simply wanted to safely acquire the Golden Yuan Pill Formula.

After Liang Sheng returned to his cave mansion, he began organizing the information he had gathered today. He wasn't concerned about bumping into Chen Ming in the spiritual field; instead, he pondered his next course of action.

The foundation of the Dan Ding Sect was still pill refining!

When it comes to auxiliary professions like array refining and weapon refining, the Dan Ding Sect is not outstanding but still superior compared to Loose Cultivators. Previous incidents involving Golden Core Elders were due to their relative lack of expertise in these areas.

The word “Immortal City” that Liang Sheng heard earlier stirred his heart, but in the end, he shook his head and decided not to dwell on it. Regardless, these were not situations he could confront at the moment.

Right now, he would have to use the Dan Ding Sect as his most crucial stepping stone. As the personal disciple of the Green Cloud Peak’s master, he naturally had monthly tasks.

The tasks were simple: to refine four furnaces of True Yuan Pills or fifteen furnaces of Qi Refining Pills. This was the monthly portion of elixirs that Liang Sheng, as a Foundation Establishment Disciple of Green Cloud Peak, needed to hand over to Jin Quanxiu.

Otherwise, how could the sect support them every month for free? If there are rights to be enjoyed, there are also responsibilities to be fulfilled.

Naturally, after completing their tasks, they can spend their remaining time as they see fit. Otherwise, people like Shen Wuque wouldn’t be able to be as unrestrained as they were.

They could also take on tasks from the Internal Affairs Office and the Miscellaneous Affairs Hall during this time. Otherwise, how would they obtain points to exchange for Cultivation Law Essentials or resources from the Miscellaneous Affairs Hall?

It was like joining a large company in a past life, with the principle being “the more you work, the more you get”. However, along with job security, Liang Sheng now longed for it.

This is because he was different from others. Others need to avail every moment for cultivation. The existence of each realm’s bottleneck is like shackles obstructing a cultivator’s progress.

Some people might take years to break through the bottleneck of the next realm after their current realm is fulfilled, and some might not be able to break through the bottleneck even after decades.

However, there are also lucky ones who unknowingly, directly break through the bottleneck and advance successfully. This is why cultivators often mention “fortune and destiny”.

Liang Sheng did not worry about his monthly elixir portion task, but he couldn’t just finish the task casually.

He took the risk before to become an Inner Sect Disciple as soon as possible. Now, he doesn’t need to stand out too much, and of course, he doesn’t need to be mediocre, just being average would suffice.

Although Liang Sheng wanted to go to Danyang Peak as soon as possible, he decided to stay at Green Cloud Peak for a few days to observe the situation.

For the next few days, Liang Sheng went directly to the Green Cloud Peak Alchemy Pavilion and went into his private alchemy chamber.

The spiritual energy here was stable, which was much better than outside for his alchemy practice. He took ten days to refine four furnaces of True Yuan Pill, then he went to find Xiang Chen, handed in his monthly portion, which left Xiang Chen somewhat dumbfounded.

“Junior brother, I forgot to tell you. The Foundation Establishment Pill you refined in front of our master can replace your portion for the next two months. You don’t need to work so hard.”

Xiang Chen was somewhat embarrassed at this moment because he forgot to tell Liang Sheng that the Foundation Establishment Pill he refined during the initiation ceremony had already counted for his tasks for the next two months.

Thinking of this, he hurriedly explained the situation in detail, “Besides, junior brother, you don’t have to hand in the portion once a month. As long as you can make up the portion at the end of each year, it’s fine.”

Having said that, Xiang Chen winked, and Liang Sheng immediately understood. Liang Sheng felt that Green Cloud Peak, under the leadership of Jin Quanxiu, was indeed full of human touch.

Liang Sheng immediately expressed his thanks, Xiang Chen couldn't help praising, "However, seeing how diligent you are, junior brother, I'm very comforted.

If Shen Wuque was as diligent as you, I wouldn't have to worry about him. If there's anything you don't understand in the future, feel free to ask me."

Liang Sheng nodded. He didn't refuse Xiang Chen's kindness. Xiang Chen, watching Liang Sheng leaving, was extremely satisfied.

He, too, was such a diligent character. Although Jin Quanxiu seemed sloppy, he was actually extremely diligent. Only Shen Wuque seemed a bit laid back.

"No, second brother is too casual. If his alchemy skills are surpassed by the junior brother in the future, I'm afraid our master will be angry.

Moreover, if so, wouldn't second brother be greatly disgraced? It seems I need to urge the second junior brother more during this period. I can't let him continue in his laziness."

Thinking about this, Xiang Chen felt more and more that he needed to restrain Shen Wuque, so he immediately set off to Shen Wuque's cave mansion.

Shen Wuque could not have expected that while he was sitting at home, trouble would fall from the sky.

Danyang Peak.

Scripture Repository.

At this time, Liang Sheng appeared calm on the outside, but was careful on the inside. Just stepping into the Scripture Repository gave him the impression of being seen through.

Of course, this was just his own feeling.. After all, who could truly see through himself, the owner of the Attribute Panel?

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However, it's evident that the cultivation level of those hidden in the Scripture Repository must be very high. This is, after all, the Scripture Repository of the Dan Ding Sect, the core of its foundations.

Liang Sheng, putting on a guise of obliviousness, just behind the Repository's entrance counter, were two Foundation Establishment Disciples organizing materials.

Upon hearing the noise, they just glanced at Liang Sheng, then ignored him. As he was a Foundation Establishment Disciple who had passed verification, there was no need for concern.

Liang Sheng already had a general idea about the information in the Scripture Repository through Xiang Chen, so he didn't hesitate and started looking around on the First Floor.

The first reason for his visit was naturally the location of the elixir bookshelves. Once Liang Sheng found it, he immediately employed his Divine Sense, quickly learning what pill formulas were available on the bookshelf.

Of course, the only details he could access were the introductions. To know the specific contents of the pill formulas, he needed to exchange points. After flipping through for quite some time, Liang Sheng's eyes suddenly brightened.

He found a pill formula for the Golden Yuan Pill, but when he saw the points required for exchange, he couldn't help but shake his head.

It's damn expensive.

At this moment, Liang Sheng didn't have any points. But now that he had discovered the existence of the Golden Yuan Pill formula, his goal was accomplished.

It seemed that the situation in the Dan Ding Sect was just as he expected. Any elixir that could be refined by a Foundation Establishment Realm cultivator was available here.

The upper echelons of Dan Ding Sect would love to see disciples succeed in refining the Golden Yuan Pill. That would be a sign of burgeoning talent.

Liang Sheng felt relieved after he found the Golden Yuan Pill formula. From now on, he would have to prioritize earning points whilst ensuring his safety.

Regarding earning points through completing tasks, he would take it slowly. After all, he had plenty of time and points would accumulate eventually. Why not whittle away all unfavorable factors with time?

Even after finding the Golden Yuan Pill formula, Liang Sheng did not leave. Instead, he continued to wander through the Scripture Repository. Having finally managed to visit the Repository, it was filled with various Technique volumes. Even if he didn't need them now, he Familiarizing himself with their general contents. When the need arose, he would know where to look, avoiding unnecessary panic.

After spending a whole hour, Liang Sheng left the Scripture Repository with reluctance. However, he couldn't help but think of Pei Shiping, whom he had killed Previously.

It was fortunate that Pei wasn't a sect disciple. Given what he had seen in the Scripture Repository, he couldn't help but worry about the multitude of means available to the sect's disciples. Liang Sheng reminded himself in his mind to kill instantly in the face of danger and never hesitate.

After Liang Sheng left the Scripture Repository, a pair of hidden eyes was retracted as well, forming an initial impression of Liang Sheng.

Such a calm and composed child. No wonder little gold (slang term) was willing to take him as a disciple. However, it's unknown how far this child could go.

Liang Sheng had no idea that someone had taken a notice of him. He directly entered the Internal Affairs Office and the Miscellaneous Affairs Hall and, after weighing the options, he chose a few relatively ordinary pill-refining tasks.

Materials for these tasks were already prepared. If the task is completed, there's no need to pay for the materials. The points would be credited, but if the tasks weren't completed, compensation for the materials was required proportionally.

Greedy capitalists!

Liang Sheng sighed silently. Regardless, he accepted the tasks obediently and then went directly back to the Green Cloud Peak and headed straight for the Alchemy Room.

At this moment, he communicated directly to Xiang Chen, reporting that he would be undergoing closed-door cultivation to refine pills. Afterwards, he activated the Array to isolate the outside noise from his Alchemy Chamber, focusing solely on refining pills.

Upon receiving the message, Xiang Chen was rather pleased. His Junior Brother was indeed diligent. But with this comparison, he realized that Shen Wuque was too lackadaisical.

After being blocked by Xiang Chen in his Cave Mansion, Shen Wuque didn't know what to do after seeing Liang Sheng's diligence. He began contemplating if he had been too lenient with Shen Wuque.

It was rumored that the Second Junior Brother frequented the Back Mountain recently. As Master's disciple, he was always only battling and killing, failing to live up to Master's teachings.

With these thoughts, Xiang Chen stopped hesitating and took a trip to the Internal Affairs Office. Shen Wuque didn't know what was happening and was blocked in his Cave Mansion.

When he discovered that Xiang Chen had helped him accept a pile of pill-refining tasks, his face turned somewhat pale. With so many pill refining tasks, it would probably take one or two months to complete them all.

“Senior Brother, you’re not joking with me, are you?”

Xiang Chen didn’t laugh and, instead, looked serious. After Shen Wuque gave a few dry laughs, his face slumped, looking spent and listless.

“Junior Brother, this time I’ve reported the situation to Master. He already knows that I’ve accepted tasks for you. I hope you won’t disappoint him.”

With Xiang Chen’s hint, Shen Wuque’s thoughts of escaping diminished completely. He then obediently stayed in his Cave Mansion to refine pills.

Although the Master seemed easy to talk to, he could be intense when angry. Seeing this, Xiang Chen was pleased.

Shen Wuque’s talent was stronger than his. Unfortunately, he was lazy. If it weren’t for his exceptional talent, he would not have been able to reach Foundation Establishment with his lazy personality.

One month later.

Liang Sheng ended his closed-door cultivation. After reporting to Xiang Chen, he went straight to Danyang Peak. After completing the tasks, ten points were credited into his account directly. Seeing this, Liang Sheng couldn’t help but feel a little helpless.

These points were ultimately too few.

Actually, the Internal Affairs Office did have tasks that award higher points, but they were not suitable for him. After all, he had just reached the “Foundation Establishment Stage”. There was no way he could handle “unachievable” tasks..

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Thinking of this, Liang Sheng didn't think too much about it. After calming his mood, he went to the Internal Affairs Office again to find suitable tasks.

Time passed quickly, and a year had gone by. Jin Quanxiu naturally saw all of these developments and grew more satisfied with this new disciple.

Especially since even a thick-skinned person like Shen Wuque was forced to work hard under this pressure, Jin Quanxiu felt more gratified in his heart.

His attitude naturally affected the mentality of all the Green Cloud Peak disciples, and unknowingly, the pill refining speed of all the Inner Sect Disciples of Green Cloud Peak increased greatly.

Some tasks from the Internal Affairs Office were even monopolized by Green Cloud Peak, which had never happened before. The upper echelons of Danyang Peak were both surprised and overjoyed to see this.

Truth be told, alchemists all had their own quirks, and very few of them were diligent enough to complete Sect tasks.

Otherwise, why would there be a hidden rule of Foundation Establishment Disciples completing their tasks within a year?

Thus, after the annual meeting of the Peak Masters, Jin Quanxiu always returned with a smile on his face.

Green Cloud Peaks task completion in that year had directly doubled, with the Sect Master giving them special praise. No one would have thought that the huge change in Green Cloud Peak would be the result of just one new disciple.

However, the thought of the astonished expressions of everyone, including the Sect Master, made Jin Quanxiu unable to hold back his laughter. My Green Cloud Peak disciples are just that outstanding, envy can't do anything about it!

But Liang Sheng was completely unaware of this. All he wanted now was to accumulate enough points to exchange for the Golden Yuan Pill Formula. If it were an ordinary pill formula, he would have already saved up enough points by now.

Without exposing his true strength and in the most diligent manner, Liang Sheng spent more than a year with hardly any leisure activities. He had hardly shown his face around Green Cloud Peak, no, even in the entire Dan Ding Sect, had there ever been such a king of competition?

Nevertheless, after being slightly surprised, others accepted this reality. If it wasn't for this, how could a mere Outer Disciple reach such an achievement?

Subsequently, Green Cloud Peaks pill refining continued to grow against the trend for three consecutive years, shamelessly surpassing the other Peaks.

It wasn't that which broke the final straw for the other Peaks Foundation Establishment Disciples. It was the Sect Master who, upon seeing Green Cloud Peaks achievements, promptly made the Spiritual Energy Arrays lean towards Green Cloud Peak.

As a result, the Peak Masters of the other Peaks were completely stimulated. After they returned, they occasionally remarked how hardworking the disciples of Green Cloud Peak were, causing the Spiritual Energy Density of Green Cloud Peak to rise.

As this involved Spiritual Energy Density, Foundation Establishment Disciples from all the Peaks were concerned. Subsequently, and unsurprisingly, the other Main Peaks also began to roll up their sleeves and work hard.

In the fifth year of Liang Sheng's crazed task-taking, he stood at the entrance of the Inner Affairs Hall, dumbfounded, because the pill refining tasks had all been taken.

Seeing this situation, he couldn't help but feel confused. Previously, he could easily pick tasks from the Internal Affairs Office, but now, if he arrived a little later, he couldn't even get a task?

Liang Sheng thought that the number of tasks might have decreased in the Sect recently. However, after hearing from the Disciples of the Internal Affairs Office that the number of tasks remained the same, he couldn't help but feel completely baffled.

It turned out that in these years, the Inner Sect Disciples were extremely enthusiastic about taking tasks, causing Liang Sheng's plan to save up points to be affected.

Damn it!

What's wrong with these Inner Sect Disciples? They used to be so lazy, but now, why have they all become workaholics?

Liang Sheng didn't realize that he was the instigator of all these changes. After waiting for a while and seeing that there were no new pill refining tasks available, he could only leave helplessly.

For the next half a year, Liang Sheng couldn't find many tasks to take, causing his plan to save up points to hit a rough patch.

He originally thought that he could accumulate enough points in about ten years, but now, he didn't know how much longer he had to wait.

No, I have to find a way myself.

Liang Sheng couldn't help but feel a little depressed. In recent years, Xiang Chen was delighted that the arrival of Liang Sheng in Green Cloud Peak had made it full of vitality.

The Foundation Establishment Disciples were no longer as detached, and even Shen Wuque had become more reliable under Jin Quanyou's intentional or unintentional guidance. Naturally, Xiang Chen cared a lot about Liang Sheng, the initiator of these changes.

One day, seeing Liang Sheng's listless appearance, Xiang Chen thought something had happened and asked him with concern.

Liang Sheng mentioned the situation casually, and Xiang Chen realized his junior brother was worried because of the fewer tasks and unable to get enough points. He couldn't help but feel heartache.

Such a hard-working junior brother, as long as he maintains his current state, it is not impossible to reach the Foundation Establishment Middle Stage within a hundred years.

However, at this stage, the mindset is crucial. Otherwise, why would he have nurtured him for so long in the past for fear of affecting his second junior brother's mindset?

But during these years, Shen Wuque had not had any psychological problems, and his cultivation was progressing steadily. Xiang Chen felt even more confident that his decision to supervise him before was correct.

So, after learning that Liang Sheng was troubled by points, Xiang Chen couldn't help laughing. Junior brother, you want to accumulate points, huh? Well, that's not the best way, after all, these tasks are just small fries.

Hmm?

Liang Sheng raised his head sharply at these words, not doubting Xiang Chen's words, but not being able to think of any other methods to obtain points.

Senior Brother, what do you mean? If there is any method, please teach me.

Junior brother, don't worry. You should recall the matter of our master summoning you Alchemy Children decades ago.

At that time, he was fulfilling the alchemy requests for other sects, and the points I got then were massive compared to the usual tasks.

Upon hearing this, Liang Sheng couldn't help but frown. But there is no such situation now, and it's not like I can simply succeed as easily as Master. With my alchemy skills, there is no way I could complete that many pill refining tasks, and besides, the other sects don't need our pill refining services anymore.

Xiang Chen couldn't help but laugh, Junior brother, you're still quite naive. Do you remember how our Master praised you before? Your alchemy skills are unparalleled, but only due to your cultivation limits.

So, if you have such skills, there is indeed a very suitable task for you now. The points you can obtain will be much more than in recent years, and it will only take three years to complete.

Upon hearing this, Liang Sheng couldn't help but raise his head. Xiang Chen didn't try to sell the suspense, and directly gave an explanation about the situation he knew. After hearing it, Liang Sheng hesitated for a moment then nodded.

It turned out that seven years ago, the Three Sects and the Six Orders once again sent Alchemists to the Dan Ding Sect, but at that time he was in Danyang Outer Peak and did not know about it.

As for Dan Ding Sect, they were quite generous, even sending the skilled Inner Sect Disciples to guide the alchemists from the Three Sects and Six Orders.

After all, the alchemy skills of the Dan Ding Sect were unparalleled, and it was more than enough to guide them. Furthermore, Liang Sheng had experienced such a situation before the Pill Maniac Chen Sheng was once treated as a master by many Loose Cultivation Alchemists.

The task recommended by Xiang Chen was quite simple it was to become an Alchemy Tutor for the alchemists dispatched by the Three Sects and Six Orders.

Of course, there was an assessment required to take on this task, but as Xiang Chen had said, it wouldn't pose a challenge to Liang Sheng at all.

Thinking of this, Liang Sheng no longer hesitated.

Alright! Senior Brother, please help me sign up..

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Danyang Peak.

At this moment, Liang Sheng was closing his eyes and resting in the hall, with other people nearby, all of them showing similar reactions.

They were all competing to become alchemy lecturers this time, but there wasn't too intense competition among them. It was just a task after all.

Not everyone was a king of competition.

Thinking of this, someone pretended to glance at Liang Sheng unintentionally, knowing roughly why the Inner Sect Disciples had started to compete with each other in taking tasks these years.

He seemed quiet and peaceful, but who would have thought that he was actually a king of competition?

There was a small interview for the alchemy lecturer position on the Second Floor of the Internal Affairs Office, and Liang Sheng was naturally the recommended candidate for Green Cloud Peak this time.

Actually, it wasn't surprising that Liang Sheng didn't know about this before, because if they didn't have some alchemy skills, they wouldn't be allowed to come and lose face.

But those who could become lecturers naturally needed good alchemy skills, and those who reached this level were usually either Golden Core Daoists or cultivators who were working hard to break through the Golden Core stage.

However, where would they find the time to teach alchemists from the Three Sects and Six Orders? Previously, Dan Ding Sect had held a public recruitment for alchemy tutors, but unfortunately, no one passed the interview, and in the end, it was still the Golden Core Daoists who took turns teaching these alchemists.

Although Golden Core Daoists were good at refining pills, everyone had different habits. So it led to many people not being able to achieve a qualitative change in their skills within a short period of time from being taught by different people.

It was precisely because of this that Dan Ding Sect held this second public recruitment, and it was said that if no suitable candidates were found this time, the Golden Core Daoists would take turns teaching for at least one year.

Therefore, the examiners for this interview were not ordinary, they were all Golden Core Daoists. Although they didn't want to be lecturers, they wouldn't make it easy for the interviewees this time.

After all, they couldn't send a useless person to disgrace the Dan Ding Sect and make the alchemists from other sects dissatisfied.

At this point, several people had already gone in and out, but unfortunately, judging from their expressions, none of them had passed the interview. However, why did it seem that those who failed to get selected breathed a sigh of relief?

Liang Sheng didn't know why they felt this way, but he could guess one or two reasons. If he were an ordinary Foundation Establishment Stage Cultivator, he probably wouldn't want to waste his time teaching alchemists from other sects either.

However, they were still somewhat unwilling in their hearts. Their alchemy skills were considered top-notch, but they couldn't catch the eye of the Golden Core Master Uncle during the interview?

At this moment, a voice finally came from inside, Green Cloud Peak Yang Cheng, you can come in.

Upon hearing this, Liang Sheng quickly got up and took a deep breath. As he walked into the room, he lowered his head immediately.

Why did the gazes of these Golden Core Daoists looking at him feel somewhat strange?

He didnt know that the same thought was going through the minds of several Golden Core Daoists across from him: Is this the legendary king of competition? He looks so quiet and peaceful, doesnt seem like it at all.

However, since he could maintain such a mentality all the time, he would eventually achieve something. After all, Yang Chengs talent was unquestionable, and there was no need for further questioning on his Foundation Establishment before the age of a hundred, right?

It could only be said that Jin Quanxiu had a sharp eye. After sighing in their hearts, they didnt waste any more time. Could they compete with Jin Quanxiu for people? Jin Quanxiu was once known as Madman Jin after all.

At this moment, Liang Sheng felt a little tingling in his scalp, but it wasnt because of the male Golden Core Daoists, but because of the gaze coming from a person to his right a Female Golden Core Daoist.

This Female Golden Core Daoist was dressed in ordinary green clothes, but her appearance could overthrow kingdoms. Her every frown and smile was full of charm. If she was in the secular world, she might be another disaster like Su Daji.

Liang Sheng caught a glimpse of her with the corner of his eye and didnt dare to take another look. Since entering the Cultivation World, he hadnt seen a single female Foundation Establishment cultivator in such a long time, let alone a Female Golden Core Daoist.

Peak Master Jin Jun!

A name appeared in Liang Shengs mind the only female Golden Core Daoist in the Dan Ding Sect, the Master of Purple Sky Peak!

But he had had no prior interactions with her, so why would she have such a doting look in her eyes as she looked at her junior?

Could it be that Peak Master Jin Jun was Masters old lover?

But he hadn't heard of such rumors!

Just as Liang Sheng was somewhat troubled, a cough broke the awkward atmosphere, Green Cloud Peak Yang Cheng?

Disciple is here.

Sit down.

Only at this moment did Liang Sheng let out a light sigh, while the several judges on the stage thought that he was a little nervous and couldn't help but smile with the corners of their mouths turned up slightly.

It seemed that Yang Cheng was under some pressure after all, not like the previous disciple who had some ability but was overly arrogant.

During the interview earlier, the disciple's words seemed respectful, but they were actually frivolous. Such an attitude was not suitable for being an alchemy lecturer at all.

After all, these students had different identities. They were elite disciples from the other three sects and six orders, and they wouldn't be sent to Dan Ding to study otherwise.

Liang Sheng didn't know that his nervousness about Jin Jun made the other Golden Core Daoists' impression of him even better. He could only say that he was a lucky man.

Yang Cheng, if I were refining pills and the spiritual energy around me suddenly went berserk halfway through the process, how should I avoid losses when the pill is about to be formed?

Upon hearing this question, Liang Sheng gave the answer without any hesitation because this situation was very common in ordinary markets where the cultivation environment wasn't as peaceful as in sects.

After Liang Sheng answered this question, the person who asked the question couldn't help but take another look at him. In fact, there was an answer to this question, but it was somewhat different from what Liang Sheng had given..

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Upon closer thought, Liang Sheng's response caused less damage and was more straightforward than the answers they'd come up with themselves.

Unable to hide his admiration, one of the Golden Core Daoists at the side finally sighed, his gaze complicated. "Brilliant," he murmured.

His praise disrupted the previous calm, and they all started discussing directly in front of him, even arguing over if it could be done better.

This made Liang Sheng somewhat uncomfortable. Why weren't they questioning him further? Why were they discussing this among themselves? Where was their professional conduct?

It was no wonder that Liang Sheng was agitated; the way Peak Master Jin Jun was looking at him was becoming increasingly odd, as if he were the old man's grandson.

This strange feeling made Liang Sheng increasingly restless. After a while, the Golden Core Daoists finally stopped their discussion, realizing that their conduct seemed inappropriate.

After all, it was unbecoming for Golden Core Daoists to act this way in front of a Foundation Establishment Disciple. One of them could not help but lightly scold the person who had asked the question earlier.

If not for this, how would they have lost their decorum in front of a disciple? Their debate resumed as they sought to shift blame onto one another.

Liang Sheng never expected this scenario. He was utterly dumbstruck. I'm still sitting here, he thought, why are you suddenly arguing?

Fortunately, one of them, who had been watching Liang Sheng all along, hadn't participated in their quarrel – Peak Master Jin Jun. "Alright," he said, "Let's continue questioning."

His words immediately made the Golden Core Daoists realize that the lecture test was still ongoing. Why were they arguing with each other again?

Hence, they quickly composed themselves, but there was a moment of shared silence where they just looked at each other.

They felt somewhat embarrassed by their behavior, but it was the Golden Core Daoist who had asked the question earlier who reacted the quickest. "No more questions," he said. "Let's see how he practices his craft. One look at his alchemy skills and we'll know if he's competent."

With that, he directly instructed the disciples outside, "Today has been a little exhausting. The other disciples can come for their exams tomorrow."

Upon hearing this, Liang Sheng was thoroughly dumbfounded. Are all these Golden Core Daoists this capricious? Despite his confusion, he didn't have the time to contemplate, as one of the Golden Core Daoists had already taken out a pile of Spiritual Grass.

Once he saw the Spiritual Grass, Liang Sheng understood what they wanted him to refine.

Dust Removal Pills.

The Dust Removal Pills didn't take long to make, but they could reveal a person's alchemy skills, especially their stability in alchemy.

At this moment, Liang Sheng wasn't afraid. This matter was related to his points; he could not afford to back off. After all, there weren't many tasks remaining in the Internal Affairs Office, so he could take a different path and not compete with those exam kingpins.

The Golden Core Daoists didn't say anything. If Liang Sheng couldn't even tell what pill he was supposed to refine, what was the point of this exam?

With a calm demeanor, Liang Sheng returned to refining the Spiritual Grass according to his rhythm. His confidence and precision were apparent in each step he took.

As the saying goes, an expert's actions reveal their skill level.

Watching the way Liang Sheng handled the Spiritual Grass, the Golden Core Daoists couldn't help but nod approvingly. The more they watched Liang Sheng, the better they thought of him.

This talented young disciple had really fallen into the hands of Madman Jin.

It seemed that there were talented individuals in the Outer Disciples as well. They should send their disciples to take a look. If they found promising talents, they could bring them closer for observation.

Doing so wouldn't cost them anything, but Liang Sheng was oblivious of the extra opportunities his existence brought for the Outer Disciples.

Soon, Liang Sheng methodically completed the preparation of the Spiritual Grass, picked up the Four Patterns Pill Furnace given by Jin Quanxiu, and directly raised the alchemy flame, placing the Spiritual Grass into the furnace one by one, and started refining the Dust Removal Pills.

Soon, two hours later, a fragrant smell filled the air.

So fast?

The Golden Core Daoists now looked at Liang Sheng with a trace of admiring affection. At Liang Sheng's level, if they were at the same cultivation level, they might only be slightly better.

Youth can indeed be fearsome.

“Alright, I have made my decision. Do any of you have any objections?”

The other Golden Core Daoists shook their heads, signifying their non-objection. With this skill level, dealing with alchemists from the other Three Sects and Six Orders would be completely sufficient.

“Yang Cheng, your exam today has passed. Tomorrow, you can go directly to the Reception Hall, where someone will arrange your next task.”

Upon hearing this, a sense of joy filled Liang Sheng’s heart. He quickly bent in gratitude. As he prepared to take his leave, suddenly, someone called out to him.

“Yang Cheng, if you have time in the future, you may come to the Purple Sky Peak.”

Hm?

Oh!

The other Golden Core Daoists were first stunned at this. Then, they understood and gave Peak Master Jin Jun a playful look.

But at that moment, Peak Master Jin Jun suddenly furrowed his brows. They hurriedly looked at the ceiling as if something there had grabbed their attention.

At this point, all Liang Sheng could do was accept the invitation with a stiff upper lip, and then he left under the benevolent gaze of Peak Master Jin Jun.

At this moment, he was ninety percent sure that there was definitely a connection between Peak Master Jin Jun and his Master.

However, when he returned to the Green Cloud Peak, he didn’t plan to question this. This was an issue between their “elders”. How could he intervene?

As soon as Liang Sheng returned to Green Cloud Peak, Xiang Chen appeared immediately. Upon hearing that he had passed the examination, he couldn't help but keep praising him.

In fact, Xiang Chen was not surprised at all.. With his junior brother's ability, wouldn't the position of a lecturer be instantly within his grasp?

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"Junior brother, in just three years, time will pass in the blink of an eye and you will be able to obtain a large number of points. By then, you can concentrate on cultivation."

Hearing this, Liang Sheng nodded, and then specifically asked Xiang Chen to invite other Green Cloud Peak Foundation Establishment disciples to his cave mansion for a gathering.

When the other disciples arrived, they were somewhat surprised. After hearing the reason for the gathering, they couldn't help but be overjoyed.

The King of competition is finally leaving!

Perhaps when he leaves, everyone will no longer need to be so competitive.

Although the King of competition is only leaving for three years, being happy for three years is still a pleasure. In this situation, Liang Sheng couldn't help but find it strange that his senior and junior fellow brothers were so enthusiastic tonight.

As for Shen Wuque, he was even more overjoyed. He couldn't wait for Liang Sheng to leave, as his junior brother was not fun at all.

As for Jin Quanxiu, he was currently in closed-door cultivation refining pills, so he didn't come. Without him around, these disciples felt even more at ease.

It wasn't until the moon was bright and the stars sparse that they said their goodbyes one by one and left Liang Sheng's cave mansion. After Liang Sheng sent the last person away, he finally let out a light breath.

It's a pity that there isn't much fruit wine left on him. In the future, he doesn't know where he can find such fruit wine to satisfy his appetite.

Liang Sheng thought about this and couldn't help but shake his head. Was this the time to think about these matters? He should think about how to handle these alchemists from the Three Sects and Six Orders in the next three years.

When he had enough points, he would exchange them for a pill scripture and get the Golden Yuan Pill formula, so the initiative would be in his hands.

Early the next day, Liang Sheng went to the Reception Hall of Danyang Peak. At this moment, there were already Inner Sect disciples waiting here.

"Junior Brother Yang."

"Senior Brother Feng."

After exchanging greetings, they went to the newly reopened Welcoming Guest Peak. Previously, due to the turbulent situation within the sect, the Dan Ding Sect's Welcoming Guest Peak was closed.

It was only now that the alchemists from the Three Sects and Six Orders came again.

"Junior brother, you only need to stay at Welcoming Guest Peak for three years. There must be at least two lectures a month, and you can arrange the time at your discretion. You can allocate the rest of the time as you wish.

Of course, there may also be fellow daoists from other sects who will ask you in private to teach them alchemy skills. You can arrange it yourself according to the situation, and there will be additional points, so don't worry."

Hearing this, Liang Sheng said that he was aware of it and had no objections. It seemed that he would be mostly free for the next three years.

It could also be seen that the Dan Ding Sect did not bow down to the other Three Sects and Six Orders. It was just a neutral sect, expressing its attitude and treating them equally without any bias.

“Thank you for your reminder, senior brother, I understand.”

When Liang Sheng arrived at Welcoming Guest Peak, there were already more than ten people waiting on the top of the mountain. They were dressed differently, and all were cultivators above the Foundation Establishment stage, including two Golden Core Daoists.

It seemed that the other Three Sects and Six Orders really wanted to improve their alchemy skills. This showed that the Dan Ding Sect’s foundation in alchemy was indeed profound, making other sects admire it, otherwise, why would they go through all this trouble?

“Green Cloud Peak disciple Yang Cheng pays his respects to all fellow daoists and seniors.”

At this time, the alchemists from the Three Sects and Six Orders were also a little astonished. Why did a little cultivator in the Early Foundation Establishment stage come?

Fortunately, Liang Sheng took the initiative to greet them at this moment, which solved their embarrassment for a while. They quickly returned the courtesy, and the Golden Core True Persons just nodded slightly.

“Sky Solar Sect’s Li Yi pays his respects to fellow daoist.”

“Xuanmen Sect’s Fang Yuan pays his respects to fellow daoist.”

More than ten people took turns to pay their respects and greet Liang Sheng, who returned the gesture one by one. As for the Golden Core True Persons, they only greeted softly without paying their respects.

“Fellow Daoist Yang, this time we have come to exchange and learn. In the future, we may have to trouble Fellow Daoist Yang. We hope you will bear with us.”

Although they were not sure about Liang Sheng’s alchemy skills, the Golden Core True Persons naturally still had to be polite on the surface. The Dan Ding Sect’s reputation had never disappointed anyone in all these years.

In this way, both sides maintained goodwill, and the atmosphere was naturally harmonious and friendly.

Liang Sheng’s gaze flashed across the Hua Tian Sect’s alchemist, and he couldn’t help but sigh in his heart. How wonderful the word “fate” is!

Because the person in question was none other than Zhou Mo, the first successful Foundation Establishment cultivator among the Great Zhou Royal Family’s younger generations after entering the Hua Tian Sect.

Unexpectedly, he had already reached the Foundation Establishment Middle Stage. Zhou Mo had been in the Cultivation World for almost 280 years, and he now had the faint signs of breaking through to the Foundation Establishment Late Stage. Such talent was truly amazing.

With a lifespan increase of 500 years for Foundation Establishment, Zhou Mo had a total lifespan of 700 years, barring accidents. At just over 300 years old, he was fully qualified to attack the Golden Core Realm.

At this moment, Zhou Mo also felt strange. His bloodline ability to seek fortune and avoid disaster allowed him to cultivate to his current realm without danger.

However, he didn’t know why, but looking at the alchemy lecturer in front of him, even though he was only at the Early Foundation Establishment stage, far inferior to himself, he still felt a great fortune omen.

Moreover, this feeling was many times stronger than before.

This was his benefactor.

Zhou Mo never doubted his feelings, so among the many sect disciples, only he was truly unrestrained and extremely enthusiastic.

At this moment, Liang Sheng naturally knew that they had doubts about his professional ability. In order to better spend the next three years, he would not let them distrust him.

“Everyone, it’s better to choose a day than bump into it. Today is the first time I meet with fellow daoists.. Why don’t we discuss and learn about alchemy together?”

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As soon as Liang Sheng spoke those words, they had no reason to disagree, and their impression of Liang Sheng had become much better as a result.

People who know how to speak will always be well-liked. Despite showcasing his own abilities, he still suggested mutual discussion with the utmost humility.

Even if this Dan Ding Sect disciple’s abilities were lacking, they would only gently mention it to the Dan Ding Sect and would never cause trouble for Fellow Daoist Yang Cheng.

Liang Sheng didn’t hesitate and directly began sharing his alchemy experiences, starting from simple to deep.

He was no stranger to this situation. Back then, he easily swayed people in the market, and he had never thought that those hidden methods from that time would come in handy again.

At first, among the people from the Three Sects and Six Orders, only Zhou Mo was extremely serious, while the others were a bit casual.

But as Liang Sheng's narration became more in-depth, they couldn't help but sit straight, fully engaged in listening to the lecture. From time to time, they showed delight and suddenly understood the lesson.

So that's how it is.

These were true experiences refined by Liang Sheng after thousands of practices under the Talent of Innocent Foolishness.

Almost every alchemy problem would be improved and revised in the process of refining spiritual pills repeatedly. As a result, the sudden sharing of these experiences was extremely beneficial to everyone present.

No wonder the Dan Ding Sect was famous for alchemy. Even a disciple in the early stages of Foundation Establishment possessed such profound alchemy skills, which commanded admiration from others.

At this moment, their doubts about Liang Sheng's abilities had long been cast out of their minds. All that was left was a fascination and immersion in Liang Sheng's explanation of alchemy.

Unknowingly, time flew by, and the sun set in the west. It wasn't until Liang Sheng stopped speaking that they slowly came back to their senses.

"Fellow Daoist Yang is truly an Alchemy Master; we have all benefited greatly from his teachings."

At this moment, the alchemists from the Three Sects and Six Orders were all smiles, overflowing with enthusiasm towards Liang Sheng, who still maintained his humility, further endearing them to him.

Feng Yida, who had brought Liang Sheng here, finally breathed a sigh of relief. It seemed that Junior Apprentice Brother Yang Cheng truly had a few tricks up his sleeve, eliminating any concerns that he might not be up to the task.

Feng Yida looked at Yang Cheng, who was surrounded by the crowd, and couldn't get close for a moment. So, he just smiled at them and then left on his own.

Junior Brother Yang, a true dragon and phoenix among people!

Time flew by, and in the blink of an eye, three years passed. When Liang Sheng bid farewell to the alchemists of the Three Sects and Six Orders, they were somewhat reluctant to part ways.

Because during these three years, Liang Sheng's evolved alchemy teaching, derived from his failure experiences, deeply impressed them with its attention to detail and overall alchemy skills.

For instance, Zhou Mo felt that his weapon refining skills were on par with others, but when it came to alchemy, he lagged far behind.

However, after three years, he felt that his alchemy skills progressed rapidly, and it seemed like a great fortune omen that had been subtly guiding him.

Unfortunately, Liang Sheng had now completed his teaching mission, and the alchemists of the Three Sects and Six Orders were naturally reluctant to let him go.

But as Liang Sheng insisted on leaving, there was nothing they could do. Zhou Mo had secretly added a communication jade slip's contact earlier, so despite their reluctance, they were not too troubled about it.

After Liang Sheng left, the Dan Ding Sect sent another alchemy lecturer. He was also at the Foundation Establishment stage but was in the late stage of Foundation Establishment.

At first, the disciple was somewhat uneasy, worried whether these sect disciples would accept him or not. However, when he arrived at the Welcoming Guest Peak, he was met with an extremely enthusiastic reception.

This situation helped him relax. However, after the first lecture, he found the atmosphere somewhat strange but didn't give it much thought.

After all, this was his first lecture, and it was only natural for people with different alchemy habits to have doubts.

However, after three lectures, the guest alchemists from the various sects became completely displeased, leaving the newly arrived alchemy lecturer feeling slightly terrified.

What on earth was going on?

In the end, it was the Golden Core True Person who spoke up, "Fellow Daoist, could you please invite Fellow Daoist Yang to come back and teach us? We feel that he is more suitable for us."

This statement left the alchemy lecturer in an awkward position. Although the other party spoke politely, their implication was clear – he was no match for Yang Cheng.

Having no choice, he forced out a dry laugh, then found Feng Yida and eventually left the Welcoming Guest Peak disheartened.

Feng Yida felt helpless as well, as he couldn't resolve this issue on his own. Reporting it layer by layer, the upper echelons of the Dan Ding Sect were somewhat surprised when they learned about it. They hadn't expected that Yang Cheng would win the approval of the alchemists from the other sects of the Three Sects and Six Orders within just three short years.

Actually, the skills of the dejected disciple who left the Welcoming Guest Peak were not bad at all. Otherwise, he wouldn't have passed the interview and become an alchemy lecturer there.

However, everything pales in comparison. If they had known earlier, they would have let this disciple teach first before having Yang Cheng take over, so this situation wouldn't have happened by now.

As the higher-ups were discussing how to resolve this issue, Jin Quanxiu remained silent, seemingly lost in the clouds. Seeing this, they naturally understood his thoughts, and the idea of having Liang Sheng return to the Welcoming Guest Peak was no longer entertained.

With no other choice, they decided, for now, to assign a Golden Core Daoist as a substitute lecturer for a year, so as not to further aggrieve the alchemists from the other sects.

As the upper echelons of the Dan Ding Sect were getting worried, Liang Sheng, at this moment, was genuinely enjoying his time in his cave mansion, as he finally had the Pure Yang Pill Scripture that contained the Golden Yuan Pill formula..