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Lin Yan's head bopped up and down as she performed blowjob on Tang Xiao, whose cock was in her mouth. She used all her knowledge of sex to arouse him, including performing deep throating. She had done everything she knew, but his cock was still asleep, even though she had been sucking it for several minutes.

Lin Yan looked up at Tang Xiao, but he wasn't paying attention to her, and he was busy thinking about something else. She didn't bother him and focused on waking up his cock, mainly because she couldn't wait to have sex with him. 'Tch! Why is his cock still not erect? He usually gets erect so easily, but he is different than usual today.'

Tang Xiao deliberately used his cultivation to prevent his cock from erecting because he was already bored with Lin Yan, and he was eager to kill her, like Luo Qinlin. He didn't kill her because the court still needed her presence, and he still had to wait for her divorce from her husband.

Tang Xiao didn't pay any attention to Lin Yan, and he was busy making plans to clean up the Shen Family in his mind. He wanted to take action against Yang Mi and Shen Xiang, but he was still worried about Wang Fuxi's presence because she was clearly stronger than him by far. 'Do you think I can avoid that woman, Xiao Ai? Will I be able to escape into the ark if she uses her cultivation to suppress or restrict me?'

[Haha! You don't need to worry about that, Master. Wang Fuxi is still monitoring Shen Tianhu's situation, and her location is too far from the Shen House. Even if she noticed your presence in the Shen family house, she wouldn't be able to stop you from escaping, and you would just have to enter the ark to avoid her. If you want to take action against Yang Mi and Shen Xiang, then this is your best chance because she is not there, or you will lose your chance if she returns there.]

Tang Xiao nodded slightly and looked at Lin Yan, who was still trying to arouse himself. He broke the restraint on his dick, causing it to become fully erect, which surprised her.

Lin Yan looked up to Tang Xiao in question, but he held her head and forcefully released his cum inside her mouth. Even though she was surprised by that, she still swallowed his cum until the last drop.

After his orgasm was over, Tang Xiao pulled Lin Yan up and laid her on the bed. He didn't give her a chance to ask questions and penetrated her pussy directly, causing her to moan.

Lin Yan was overwhelmed by the strong and rapid thrusts of Tang Xiao's cock, but she genuinely enjoyed the way he pounded her pussy. She tried to kiss him, but he rejected her, and he held both hands beside her head, pumping her body with his erect cock non-stop.

Half an hour later, Lin Yan fell into a deep sleep after Tang Xiao had brought her to multiple orgasms. He quickly got out of bed, got dressed, and left the Ouyang House for the Shen House.

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It didn't take long for Tang Xiao to arrive at the Shen House. However, he didn't immediately exit the void; instead, he first confirmed Yang Mi and Shen Xiang's location.

Tang Xiao found Shen Xiang still sleeping in his bedroom, and he discovered Yang Mi in Shen Tianhu's study while calling someone, asking that person to help her release her husband from prison.

Tang Xiao hurriedly came out of the void and went to Shen Xiang's room, and he knocked him unconscious before sending him to the ark, asking Xiao Ai to take care of him.

Thereafter, Tang Xiao re-entered the void and went to Shen Tianhu's study, but he didn't immediately take action against Yang Mi because she was still busy on the phone with someone.

After waiting for some time, Tang Xiao saw that Yang Mi had turned off her smartphone and was leaning back in her office chair with an exhausted expression, mainly because her family's situation was dire after Shen Tianhu's personal documents fell into the hands of the police, which included Tang Ye's death.

Additionally, the Shen family's wealth had vanished completely because Xiao Ai transferred all their money to a different account, leaving Yang Mi feeling confused about their situation due to the sequence of these events.

Yang Mi's eyes widened in shock as soon as she saw Tang Xiao come out of the void, and she had never seen such an incident because she was just an ordinary person.

Before she could scream, Tang Xiao quickly moved next to Yang Mi, knocked her unconscious, and sent her into the ark, just like he had done with her son.

Tang Xiao disappeared into the void, as he was afraid that his actions against them would be discovered by Wang Fuxi. Instead of returning to the Ouyang House, he headed to the prison to gather information about Shen Tianhu.

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Shortly after, Tang Xiao arrived at the prison and found Wang Fuxi standing on its roof. He was relieved that the woman was completely focused on Shen Tianhu, believing that his target was only him, which meant she didn't notice Yang Mi and Shen Xiang's disappearance.

Tang Xiao ignored Wang Fuxi and infiltrated the prison to check on Shen Hu's situation, but he didn't exit the void because the woman continued to monitor the situation inside with her senses.

In one of the prison offices, Tang Xiao found Ouyang Hong speaking to a high-ranking police officer, and he asked the man for help in freeing Shen Tianyu. 'Xiao Ai, please do something so that the police officer refuses his request.'

[I will do it now, Master.] Since Xiao Ai's system has long been connected to all systems on Earth, it is not difficult for her to find bad things done by the high-ranking police officer.

After she managed to find everything, Xiao Ai contacted the high-ranking police officer's smartphone. She threatened him with all the information she had previously obtained, which shocked him.

Ouyang Hong, who was sitting in front of the high-ranking police officer, was confused, observing the change in his expression. Moreover, he could see that the high-ranking police officer looked afraid of the caller, and his body was sweating quite a lot.

Tang Xiao saw that the high-ranking police officer had already put down his smartphone, but his expression was frightened after he spoke to Xiao Ai.

[It's done, Master.]

'Thank you, Xiao Ai.'

[No problem! You are my master, and you can ask for my help whenever you need it.]

Tang Xiao was truly grateful that he had Xiao Ai by his side, and she always helped him in clearing out many matters concerning his enemies. He looked into the room again,

and the high-ranking police officer refused Ouyang Hong's request, no matter how much money he offered him to release Shen Tianhu.

After a lengthy argument, Ouyang Hong hurriedly left the room, and the high-ranking police officer ordered his subordinates to place Shen Tianhu in solitary confinement, as per Xiao Ai's previous request.

Tang Xiao didn't take action against Shen Tianhu because Wang Fuxi was still monitoring him, and she would discover his actions if he emerged from the void to execute one of her parents' murderers. Since he couldn't do anything to him, he decided to go somewhere else and not return to the Ouyang House.

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Wang Fuxi sat alone on the prison roof, but her expression showed confusion at the change in the high-ranking police officer's attitude, especially after he received a call from Xiao Ai. "What actually happened inside? Why did that person suddenly change his mind and reject his wish?"

Previously, Wang Fuxi was sure that the high-ranking police officer would accept Ouyang Hong's offer, but his attitude suddenly changed after receiving the call, which confused her.

"His ancestor was a renowned physician in the past, and he was one of the selfless cultivators. He helped many other cultivators when they were injured, but he died because his cultivation couldn't break through anymore." Wang Fuxi looked at Ouyang Hong's car, which had just left the prison building. "Unfortunately, one of his descendants grew up to be a disgusting human being, and he killed another man to take over his wealth. He and several other men even forcibly violated his wife, which resulted in her suicide. Now, one of their descendants is hunting for the people involved in those events, and Tang Xiao has already killed some of them. If Long Yin hadn't protected his family, he would have died in his hands long ago."

Wang Fuxi looked far away, precisely at the Ouyang House, and she considered following Ouyang Hong there. She abandoned her intention because she didn't want to offend Long Yin, and she returned her focus to monitoring Shen Tianhu in prison because she was afraid that Tang Xiao would appear and kill him. "Where is that young man? Why hasn't he appeared yet? Is he afraid after learning about my presence here?"

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Some time later, Ouyang Hong arrived at the Ouyang House, and his face darkened when he found Su Rou having sex with his son. However, he didn't have time to deal with them, and he hurried to his office to contact Huang Xiaoming to ask for help in resolving the problems at hand, mainly because Shen Tianhu's documents also involved him.

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Chapter 222: Nine-Revolution Golden Pill

Ouyang Hong slumped back in his chair with a disappointed look, especially after his phone call with Huang Xiaoming.

Huang Xiaoming refused because Xiao Ai had contacted him first, and she did so because she knew Ouyang Hong would contact him for help, especially since he couldn't save Shen Tianhu on his own.

Ouyang Hong thought about everything that had happened recently, starting with the disappearance of the Ran family. Then, the events that befell the Yao and Meng families, with the latest victims being the Shen family, made him think that all of this was related to the deaths of Tang Ye and Zhao Jing.

Ouyang Hong stood up from his seat and walked in front of the bookshelf. He moved it aside and took out an item from the small hole behind it, which was a device to summon Long Yin.

Ouyang Hong returned the device to its original place because Long Yin would only help his family if he confronted a cultivator. He didn't know the exact identity of the perpetrator responsible for the harm done to those families, so he was uncertain whether that person was a cultivator.

Ouyang Hong walked out of his study, and he went to his son's room, but his eyes went blank before he entered.

Ouyang Ming and Su Rou, who were having sex in the room, were shocked by Ouyang Hong's arrival. They were afraid that he would be furious with them and chase them out if that happened. However, their previous guess was wrong, as he immediately took off his clothes and joined them on the bed.

Su Rou had no problem having a threesome with the father and son, but Ouyang Ming felt awkward about it because he had never done something like that. She assured him that it wasn't a big deal, and they finally started their crazy act inside the room.

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"Grandpa, I think we should stop for a rest."

Tang Huang turned to his granddaughter. "Are you feeling tired because we've been flying since morning?"

"No." Tang Yin explained to Tang Huang and Mu Qingge her reason for inviting them to rest. "I want to enter the ark to take care of that hateful man, and we'll continue our journey after I'm done with him."

Tang Huang let out a soft sigh and nodded to his granddaughter, and Tang Yin entered the ark after that. "Qingge, there's a town ahead, so we'll wait for Yin'er there."

"Xinghe City." Mu Qingge finally agreed. "I'll go meet my friend in that city, and we'll wait for Yin'er there."

"Let's go."

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Tang Yin was already in the prison on the ark, and she woke up Shen Xian, who was still unconscious and hung in the middle of the room by Xiao Ai.

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"Ugh!" Shen Xiang groaned in pain after Tang Yin slapped his cheek hard, leaving a red palm print. He was immediately shocked when he opened his eyes, and his expression was as if he had seen a ghost when he saw her. "Tang... Tang Yin..."

"Heh." Tang Yin stretched out her hand and conjured a knife out of her darkness element, which made Shen Xiang even more frightened. "Do you still remember what happened seven years ago?"

"I-Ahh!"

Tang Yin didn't give Shen Xiang a chance to speak and slashed his right cheek, causing it to bleed. "You guys wanted to violate me by force that night, remember?"

However, you failed because I decided to jump from the third floor of that building, and I fell into a coma for seven years because of it. You don't understand my suffering during my coma; I was trapped in a place where there was only darkness. Fortunately, I managed to wake up and get out of that place, and I had killed several of your friends who participated in the incident that night."

"You—Ahh!" Shen Xiang screamed in pain again when Tang Yin slashed his left cheek, causing him severe pain on his face. He felt horrified when she pointed her dark knife directly at his dick. "Tang... Tang Yin, please forgive me; I did that because of Ouyang Ming's request."

"Tch... Tch..." Tang Yin shook her head and asked Xiao Ai to replay their conversation with Ouyang Ming seven years ago, which made Shen Xiang's face pale. "Did you hear that? Do you want to contradict your own words? You and Ouyang Ming were equally depraved, and you were so eager to violate me that night."

"I—Argh!" Shen Xiang screamed in pain as Tang Yin slashed his darkness knife into his dick, giving him excruciating pain. Even though his lower body was covered by his shorts, he knew that she had cut his cock, and the blood had soaked his shorts. "Argh! You bitch! You—Argh!"

Tang Yin thrust her darkness knife into Shen Xiang's testicles, causing him even more pain, with his blood rushing from his lower body.

"This is a fitting punishment for a rapist like you before you die." Tang Yin summoned the third darkness creature, which made Shen Xiang even more frightened. "Eat him."

"No... I don't want to die."

The darkness creature did not give Shen Xiang a chance to struggle, and it swallowed him alive. Thereafter, it turned to Tang Yin and licked its mouth, making her shake her head and dispel it.

Tang Yin went to the next room to check on Yang Mi. She did not take any action regarding the woman and left her fate in the hands of Tang Xiao before immediately exiting the ark.

Shortly after Tang Yin emerged from the ark, Xiao Ai entered Shen Xiang's previous prison room and cleaned up the blood still left on the floor. "My mistress has changed even more since she slaughtered the Yang Family, and she's become even more daring in killing her enemies. I hope she won't become a cold-blooded killer; otherwise, she'll face trouble when my master takes her and the others to the real cultivation world."

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As soon as Tang Yin got out of the ark, Tang Huang immediately picked her up at the previous location and took his granddaughter to Mu Qingge's friend's house.

They didn't spend much time at the house, and they continued their journey to the Sun Clan after Mu Qingge finished speaking with her friend.

"Did you kill that man, Yin'er?"

Tang Yin nodded to Mu Qingge. "Shen Xiang was most eager to violate me seven years ago, so I don't need to be merciful to him. After I cut off his dick and testicles, I ordered my darkness creature to swallow him alive, so he has reunited with his friends in the afterlife now."

Tang Huang's skull numbed after hearing that, and he held his crotch as he looked at his granddaughter in fear. He was still confused about the reason behind Tang Yin's change in character because she was a gentle woman before all that happened, but she turned into such a vicious woman after waking up from her coma.

"Why are you looking at me like that, Grandpa?" Tang Yin asked her grandfather, putting on an innocent smile like she had in the past.

"Sigh." Tang Huang sighed heavily and stroked his granddaughter's head. "Yin'er, all the men who tried to violate you by force seven years ago are all dead, so I hope you can return to your old self. I'm happy you can protect yourself, but I don't want you to end up becoming a cold-blooded killer."

"You're wrong about that, Grandpa." Tang Yin shook her head at him. "Ouyang Ming is still alive and well today, but unfortunately, I can't kill him now because Long Yin is protecting the Ouyang family. I won't do anything for now, and I will fully focus on my cultivation after this. However, I will definitely kill him in the future, especially when we can defeat that person with the Long surname."

Tang Huang nodded in understanding. "Long Yin is too strong even for me and Lingyan, so you and Xiao'er must increase your strength further if you want to complete your revenge. Otherwise, you will never be able to get rid of the Ouyang Family, especially since he will protect them from you two."

"Hehe." Tang Yin chuckled and stretched her right hand forward. "Grandpa, believe it or not, Ouyang Hong and Ouyang Ming are already in my and Xiao'er's grasp. If we both wanted to, we could kill them both anytime, but we didn't want to do it rashly because we weren't ready to face Long Yin. When the time comes, we will fight with that old man to defeat him, and we will eliminate the Ouyang family after defeating him."

Tang Huang naturally knew that, and he also knew about his two grandchildren's actions. However, he was their grandfather, and they were his last descendants, so he didn't want anything bad to happen to them. "Always remember my words, okay? If you and Xiao'er haven't truly become powerful cultivators, you two shouldn't kill anyone from the Ouyang Family."

"Grandpa, we will always remember your words, and we will never do anything against the Ouyang Family until we defeat Long Yin." Tang Yin replied seriously.

Tang Huang nodded in satisfaction and hugged her. "Let's speed up so we can arrive at the Sun Clan tomorrow night."

"Let's go." Mu Qingge followed Tang Huang and Tang Yin.

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After some time had passed, and all the ordinary items had been sold, the woman announced the first main item. "The first item is five Nine-Revolution Golden Pills."

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Chapter 223: Purple Yang Flower

"This Nine-Revolution Golden Pill is a rank-5 breakthrough pill, and it will help us break through to the Tyrant Level. The process of concocting it requires a minimum of ten years from start to finish, and the owner only has five pills at the moment. Therefore, the price of one pill is high, with the starting price set at one hundred million gold coins."

All the cultivators in the VIP rooms were tempted to obtain the Nine-Revolution Golden Pill for their families, especially those who were close to breaking through to the Tyrant Level. However, they hesitated to buy it because the initial price was too high for one, and their prices would continue to rise if others also bid on them.

Those cultivators looked towards the VIP room of the Huang Clan, and they were sure that it was Huang Xiaotian or Huang Xianyu who concocted the Nine-Revolution Golden Pill, especially since there were no alchemists who could reach their level.

They knew that the Huang Clan had deliberately raised the price of the Nine-Revolution Golden Pill severalfold, particularly because Earth II was facing a shortage of ingredients, which significantly drove up the prices of all related ingredients.

"Hahaha." They suddenly heard Huang Xiaotian laugh, and the man walked to the balcony. "Your guess is indeed correct that our Huang Clan concocted the Nine-Revolution Golden Pill, or to be precise, my sister concocted it. I know that many of your families need the pill to break through to the Tyrant Level, and we only have five pills at the moment. You don't need to be embarrassed and start bidding, or you will regret it if you fail to get them because my sister won't be concocting another pill anytime soon."

All the cultivators began whispering because they felt that Huang Xiaotian was truly shameless, but they knew that concocting the Nine-Revolution Golden Pill was extremely difficult, and the process took too long.

Huang Xiaotian spoke to them again. "To maintain balance on Earth II, my sister decided that each clan could only bid for one pill, no more, so the situation that has existed for many years will be maintained."

Huang Xiaotian smirked when he heard those people cursing at him, but he did not care about their reactions and returned to the VIP room, sitting next to Huang Xianyu again.

"Do you think these people will be willing to spend that much money on my pills?" Huang Xianyu tilted her head to face her brother.

Huang Xiaotian nodded at her. "Even if we raise the price of the pills several times over their original price, I'm sure they will still buy them, mainly because they need them for their family members who are ready to break through to that stage. Moreover, there are not many alchemists who can concoct the pills, including the Feng Clan. Even if they don't sell at today's auction, it won't be a significant problem for our clan because our clan still has plenty of resources to help other members."

"Yes." Huang Xianyu nodded in agreement. "Over the past few decades, other clans have been busy with various things, and our Huang Clan has focused more on accumulating cultivation resources, so we are ahead of most of them. There are only two clans that can match our clan now, the Feng and Long Clans. The Liu and Wang Clans are already far behind us, but we don't have much information about the Xue Clan because they are very secretive."

"I'm not concerned about the Liu and Xue Clans, but I'm worried about the Feng Clan's development. They are growing too fast and have already surpassed the Wang Clan." Huang Xianyu nodded in agreement with Huang Xiaotian. "The Wang Clan is still stronger because of Wang Fuxi's presence, and her strength is on par with Long Yin. Fortunately, her clan members don't have as much talent as her, so their development continues to slow down. On the other hand, the Feng Clan continues to produce new talents, and Feng Yao becomes the best of their younger generation. Currently, her strength still hasn't reached our level, but she will catch up with us soon."

Huang Xianyu released a soft sigh. "I think we have to push our children and clan members harder, or our Huang Clan will suffer the same fate as the Wang Clan in the

future. If the Feng Clan continues to develop as fast as it is now, they will surpass us soon."

"Yeah." Huang Xiaotian nodded with a solemn expression. "The auction has started."

"Let's start the auction of the Nine-Revolution Golden Pill with a starting price of one hundred million gold coins, and we set ten million gold coins for each subsequent bid."

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Unlike before, the auction for the Nine-Revolution Golden Pill proceeded very slowly, mainly because all the cultivators in the VIP rooms were very cautious in bidding for the pill.

[Master, you don't need to waste gold coins bidding for that pill. You can use the Tyrant's Origin Pill when you break through to the Tyrant Level in the future. The Nine-Revolution Golden Pill is a rank-5 breakthrough pill, and the Tyrant's Origin Pill is a rank-9 pill, so its effects are much smoother and better.]

Tang Xiao's clone nodded slightly. 'I've read the data on the pills in the treasure vault, and my cultivation is still far from the Tyrant Level, so I don't intend to bid on those Nine-Revolution Golden Pills. I want to see the other items first, and you can tell me if they're useful to us.'

[Yes, Master. By the way, my mistress ordered her darkness creature to eat Shen Xiang alive, so only Yang Mi is left now. What are your plans for her?]

'Yang Mi is different from Yu Xiaoling, Zhao Yuxian, and Jessica. I didn't have a good impression of her, and she encouraged her husband and the others to violate my mother the night seven years ago, so I will kill her after my real body returns.' Tang Xiao's clone didn't need to think to decide that.

Xiao Ai chose not to comment on Tang Xiao's clone's decision regarding Yang Mi, but she felt her master was becoming more and more ruthless with each passing moment. Despite this, he treated everyone kindly, especially those who had also been kind to him and his family.

After the auction had been going on for a while, the first Nine-Revolution Golden Pill finally fell into Xue Jing's hands, and she bought it for two hundred million gold coins.

The second Nine-Revolution Golden Pill fell into the hands of Wang Jishan, who bought it for two hundred and twenty million gold coins.

The third and fourth Nine-Revolution Golden Pills fell into the hands of Liu Xun and Liu Xing, who bought them for two hundred and fifty million gold coins for each pill.

As for the fifth Nine-Revolution Golden Pill, it was sold to Feng Yao's father, Feng Xiaofang, who won it for two hundred and seventy million gold coins.

The cultivators from the second-grade clans like the Xiao Clan wanted the Nine-Revolution Golden Pill, but their clans' financial strength was not as outstanding as those first-grade clans, so they decided to give up on competing with those people for the five pills.

After all five pills were sold, the woman immediately took out another item, and Xiao Ai told Tang Xiao's clone that it was a stalk of Purple Yang Flower.

Xiao Ai asked Tang Xiao's clone to buy it because it was useful for a male cultivator at his level and his two wives, but she needed several other ingredients to concoct the pill, such as Dragon's Saliva Grass, Flood Dragon Essence Blood, and Nine-Leaf Sword Grass.

Tang Xiao's clone almost vomited when Xiao Ai said the Flood Dragon Essence Blood because he wasn't sure that beast existed on Earth II, but the female Ai told him that her old master kept much of that item in the treasure vault.

The woman immediately explained the item to the auction participants. "This Purple Yang Flower is quite rare because it grows in places with a thick concentration of Yang Qi, and it only blooms once every five years. Female cultivators are not suitable for consuming it, but it is very beneficial for male cultivators. However, you cannot use this flower directly; instead, you must contact an alchemist to concoct a pill using it. You need other ingredients to make the pill, but we don't have them right now, so you must find them elsewhere, like from the Huang or Feng Clans. The starting price is ten million gold coins, and the subsequent bids are multiples of one million gold coins."

The male cultivators, especially those from the second-grade clans, were interested in obtaining the Purple Yang Flower. Unfortunately, they didn't have a good relationship with the Feng Clan, and the Huang Clan would charge a high price for the other ingredients, so they decided to pass on it.

The men from the first-grade clans were also interested in the Purple Yang Flower, but they felt it would be a waste of gold coins to buy it, and they still had to purchase other ingredients whose types and prices were unknown.

Tang Xiao's clone immediately whispered to Feng Shen. "Senior Feng, please bid on the Purple Yang Flower for me, and I'll pay you after the auction is over."

"Hmm?" Feng Shen turned to him. "Do you have any other ingredients to concoct a pill based on the Purple Yang Flower?"

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Chapter 224: Origin Elemental Flower

Tang Xiao's clone nodded to him. "I have some ingredients for concocting a type of pill using the Purple Yang Flower as the base ingredient. It would be extremely useful for me and my two wives, so I'd like to obtain that flower to concoct it."

"Alright." Feng Shen raised the board in his hand. "Eleven million gold coins for the Purple Yang Flower."

Almost all the cultivators in the VIP rooms looked toward Feng Shen's VIP room, and their expressions showed their surprise at his decision to bid on the Purple Yang Flower. Many of them wanted to obtain that flower, but their abilities were limited because they did not have alchemists like the Feng and Huang Clans, and they would waste a lot of money if they wanted to concoct a pill from that flower.

Huang Xiaotian and Huang Xianyu were also surprised by Feng Shen's decision because their Huang Clan didn't have the complementary ingredients to concoct pills from the Purple Yang Flower, so they didn't try to bid for the flower, even though they really wanted to get it.

Huang Xiaotian and Huang Xianyu believed that the Feng Clan might possess the necessary ingredients, but they were unaware that the two clan leaders were also taken aback by Feng Shen's decision, particularly because their own clan lacked the ingredients needed to concoct the pill from the flower base.

After waiting for some time and no further bidders, the woman announced the winner. "The Purple Yang Flower was sold to Senior Feng Shen for eleven million gold coins."

Another woman flew to the front of Feng Shen's VIP room and handed him the Purple Yang Flower, and he immediately paid eleven million gold coins for it.

After he received the Purple Yang Flower, Feng Shen returned to his chair and gave it to Tang Xiao's clone, who was overjoyed to get it at the initial auction price.

The cultivators occupying the VIP rooms in front of Feng Shen's room were shocked to see him handing the flower to Tang Xiao's clone, and some considered snatching it from him, particularly those from the Xiao and Jiang Clans. However, they threw that crazy idea out of their minds because they didn't want to have problems with the Feng Clan, especially since they were much stronger than their clans.

Huang Xiaotian and Huang Xianyu also noticed it from their room, and they wondered in their hearts about Tang Xiao's clone's purpose, especially about his closeness to the Feng Clan. However, they ignored that and focused their gaze on the auction platform, waiting for the third item that was about to be auctioned.

Tang Xiao's clone stored the Purple Yang Flower in his storage ring. "Thank you, Senior Feng."

"Yeah." Feng Shen spoke to him directly. "If there are any other items that interest you, you can tell me directly, and I will bid on them for you. If their prices are too high, I probably won't be able to bid on them because I don't have that many gold coins."

"Okay." Tang Xiao's clone thought of a way to take the gold coins in the treasury vault. 'Can you send those gold coins to me, Xiao Ai?'

[Master, those people will be suspicious if I appear beside you, mainly because my body is an android body that doesn't cultivate like you all. However, I can use another way to send the gold coins to you, and I will collect them now before sending them to you.]

'Alright.'

The woman on the auction platform immediately took out another item, which was also a flower with five different colored leaves. All the cultivators who saw the flower stood up from their seats with expressions full of shock, and they looked eager to get it, including Feng Shen.

"What kind of flower is that, Senior Feng? What effect does it have?"

Feng Shen turned to Tang Xiao's clone and spoke to him. "That flower is the Origin Elemental Flower, which blooms once every two hundred years. The bloom of the flower doesn't last long, and it will wilt again if no one picks it. If we swallow that flower, our element will increase several levels depending on our luck, so its price is expensive. However, we can only swallow it once, so it would be a waste to buy two. Two hundred years ago, Long Yin acquired it for three hundred million gold coins, and the competition at that time was fierce, with Wang Fuxi as his main competitor."

"Three hundred million gold coins, huh?" Tang Xiao's clone's eyes were glued to the flower, and he was eager to compete with those cultivators for the Origin Elemental Flower because he possessed six elements, the majority of which were level one.

"Since the guests already know the effects of this flower, I won't explain it at length to all of you. This Origin Elemental Flower has a starting price of three hundred million gold coins, and the bidding is in multiples of thirty million."

The faces of the cultivators present darkened upon hearing the price of the Origin Elemental Flower, especially since the starting price mirrored the price the flower had been sold for two hundred years ago.

Even cultivators from the first-grade clans had to think twice about getting the Origin Elemental Flower, let alone those from second-grade clans.

They wanted the flower to raise the level of their elements, but they thought that the price was too unreasonable, mainly because the effect was uncertain and required high luck.

If they were lucky, their element could rise several levels at once, but it would only rise one level if they were unlucky, which made them reconsider getting that flower.

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Feng Shen sat back in his chair and let out a heavy sigh. "Whoever got that flower to sell at this auction is truly greedy, and I doubt it will sell this time. Increasing our element level is indeed difficult, but the price of the flower is not commensurate with the resulting increase. If we are lucky, our element levels will increase several levels at once, but our element levels will only increase by one if we are unlucky like Long Yin."

"Oh?" Tang Xiao's clone turned to him. "Is there any other way to increase the effect of the flower?"

"No." Feng Shen shook his head. "Before Long Yin swallowed that flower in the past, he had already brought it to the Huang and Feng Clans to increase its effects. However, none of us managed to do so, so he ended up swallowing it directly, and his element only increased by one level to level 9. That's why I said that this flower won't necessarily sell at today's auction, mainly because the price is too crazy compared to its effects."

Tang Xiao's clone fell silent upon hearing that, and he seriously considered the flower's price. He did have many gold coins in the treasury vault, but he felt it would be a waste if the flower only increased one of his elements by one level. Not to mention, he has six different elements, and the flower will only increase the level of one of them.

[Master, you can bid on the Origin Elemental Flower if you want to increase your elemental levels, and you don't need to worry about the flower's original effects. We have a lot of modern equipment on the ark, and they're all very useful for improving the flower's basic effects. Once I increase the flower's effect, it will increase all your element levels at once. However, I'm not sure how much your element levels will increase, so we'll have to try it first to see the results. Besides, I can clone the flower using the

equipment in the ark, and you can use the clones for the people closest to you, so they will also get the benefits.]

Tang Xiao's clone naturally wouldn't doubt Xiao Ai and all the equipment on the ark, especially since they came from tens of thousands of years in the future. He decided to acquire the flower, but he didn't immediately bid on it, choosing to observe the situation inside the auction first. 'Have you taken the gold coins?'

[Master, I will send a storage ring to your location now, and I have filled it with one hundred billion gold coins, so you can buy all the items that are useful for you and those closest to you.]

Tang Xiao's clone smiled upon hearing that, and he looked to his right before picking up the storage ring that Xiao Ai had just sent him. He immediately checked inside, and his smile widened when he saw the large amount of gold coins inside. 'Haha! This way, I can buy all the useful items in this auction, and I will ask Senior Feng to represent me in bidding for those items.'

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"Wait." Huang Xianyu walked out onto the balcony from her VIP room. "Miss Xuan Yi, can you please reveal the identity of this flower's owner to us?"

Xuan Yi looked up at the room and shook her head. "Please forgive me, Senior Xianyu. According to the auction rules, I cannot reveal the identity of this flower's owner to you, and that person does not wish to be known by anyone. If you are interested in this flower, then you must bid for it through auction and compete with other cultivators."

"I see." Huang Xianyu nodded in understanding. "In that case, I'll bid three hundred and thirty million gold coins for the flower."

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Chapter 225: Xie Jun - The Xie Clan

"Three hundred and thirty million gold coins from Senior Huang Xianyu." Xuan Xi looked at the cultivators in the VIP rooms. "Is there anyone else who wants this flower? Two hundred years is a long time, and it's not certain we'll get it again, especially since its appearance is random and unpredictable."

"Three hundred and sixty million gold coins."

Huang Xianyu raised her eyebrows after Wang Jishan placed his bid, and she knew that he was doing it on Wang Fuxi's orders. 'This is troublesome! If that woman wants the fruit, the price will skyrocket, and I won't be able to keep up with her.'

"Sister, you don't need to bid too high, and we will follow Wang Jishan's price." Huang Xiaotian spoke from behind.

Huang Xianyu nodded slightly and looked towards the Wang Clan's VIP room, and she saw Wang Jishan coming out from inside. "I'm sorry, Xianyu. My sister wanted that fruit because she lost to Long Yin two hundred years ago, so she didn't want to miss this opportunity to get it."

"I know." Huang Xianyu replied briefly, but she didn't immediately bid again and waited for the other bidders.

"Three hundred and thirty million gold coins from Senior Wang Jishan! Are there any other bidders?"

"Three hundred and ninety million gold coins."

Huang Xianyu and Wang Jishan looked at the VIP room in front of them, where Xue Jing and Xue Lan were. "Patriarch Wang and Xianyu, it's not just you two who need the fruit. I also need it, so let's compete fairly."

"Hahaha." Wang Jishan laughed at that. "It's rare for you to bid on an item in an auction, Xue Jing. Alright, we'll compete for that fruit, and we'll find out the winner later."

Huang Xianyu didn't say anything and nodded to Xue Jing, who was already standing on her balcony. 'The competition for this fruit has become more challenging now that she has joined the bidding, and I am unsure about the details of her financial capabilities.'

"Three hundred and ninety million gold coins from Senior Xue Jing! Are there any other bidders?" Xuan Yi was in no rush because the guests in the VIP rooms hadn't all bid yet, and she knew for sure that they wanted the fruit. "Are there any other bidders?"

"Four hundred and twenty million gold coins."

Wang Jishan, Huang Xianyu, and Xue Jing turned to the VIP room of the Liu Clan, where they saw Liu Xun and Liu Xing walking out from inside.

Liu Xun cupped his hands towards the three people. "Please forgive me for interrupting the fun of the three of you, but I also want that fruit, so I will join you in bidding for it."

"Hahaha." Feng Xiaofang laughed as he brought his wife, Yan Huoling, out to the balcony. "Since you guys bid on the fruit, I will also join in the bidding. I bid four hundred and fifty million gold coins for the fruit."

Yan Huoling let out a soft sigh as the price of the fruit continued to climb, and it was sure to become too expensive in the future. She didn't say anything to her husband, and instead, she looked at Feng Shen's VIP room. 'Is that kid not interested in that fruit? Could it be that he doesn't have gold coins to fight over that fruit? He has two elements, and he hasn't cultivated for long, so both elements must still be low.'

"Four hundred and fifty million gold coins from Senior Feng Xiaofang." Xuan Xi announced this while looking at the crowd, eagerly anticipating the next bidder. "Are—"

"Four hundred and eighty million gold coins!"

All the cultivators present at the auction venue looked at the old man, who walked in from outside. Their expressions showed hostility towards him, especially because he was the vice leader of the Xie Clan, Xie Jun.

Xuan Xi was also shocked by Xie Jun's arrival, and she contacted her father, who was standing backstage. However, Old Xuan instructed her to continue the auction because their auction house was not bound by rules, and all cultivators, whether righteous or heretic, were allowed to participate in their auction events.

Xuan Xi inwardly sighed. "Four hundred and eighty million gold coins from Senior Xie Jun. Are there any other bidders?"

"Heh." Xie Jun snorted at the righteous cultivators who seemed eager to attack him. He pointed his index finger at them one by one and challenged them. "If you guys want to kill me, all of you can join forces and attack me together. However, I won't stand idly by, and I will leave this place by killing a few of you. Without Long Yin and Wang Fuxi, all of you are nothing compared to me."

The righteous cultivators were furious after listening to Xie Jun's words, but none of them moved to attack him, including Xue Jing. Since ancient times, the auction area has been open to anyone, whether righteous or heretic cultivators, and that tradition has been maintained for a long time, so they chose to restrain themselves and not attack him.

"Coward." Xie Jun snorted and sat down in the lower area without caring about the righteous cultivators' gazes on him.

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"Is he the leader of the Xie Clan?" Tang Xiao's clone asked Feng Shen, reading Xie Jun's data before his eyes.

Feng Shen shook his head. "Xie Jun is the vice leader of the Xie Clan, but his strength is not inferior to Xie Shun's. Xie Shun never shows himself in public, but he should be around here right now, and he's watching this auction from behind."

"Hmm?" Xiao Ai displayed the map for Tang Xiao's clone, where she saw dozens of red dots surrounding the auction house. He frowned deeply when he saw the name Xue Shun on one of them. 'Senior Feng, that man is on the roof of this auction house right now, and he seems to be using a special artifact to hide his aura and presence, so the people in this place are unaware of his presence.'

Feng Shen turned to Tang Xiao's clone directly. 'Are you sure of that?'

'Yes.' Tang Xiao's clone nodded at him. 'Besides Xie Shun, there are dozens of members of the Xie Clan around this auction house, and they seem to be waiting for something. However, I can't be sure of their purpose, and it might have something to do with one of the items in this auction.'

Feng Shen had long guessed that Tang Xiao's clone possessed many things that other cultivators didn't have, especially when he sent Xue Bai elsewhere before he had formed a contract with her. Since he wasn't a nosy or jealous person, he chose not to inquire about his secrets. 'If that's true, this auction will be dangerous, and I think we should leave this place now before things get messy.'

'It's okay, we don't need to leave this place, and I have a way for us to leave here safely after the auction is over.' Feng Shen observed Tang Xiao's clone's expression thoughtfully, but he only replied with a casual smile. 'Senior Feng, I want to buy the Origin Elemental Flower, but I don't want the people present here to know about it, so I need your help in bidding for it.'

Feng Shen wasn't surprised that Tang Xiao's clone wanted to obtain the Origin Elemental Flower, as he also desired it; however, he felt the price was already too high and not worth the benefit.

Tang Xiao's clone handed over the storage ring Xiao Ai had given him earlier to Feng Shen, but he had already moved most of the gold coins into his storage ring without anyone's knowledge because he possessed the void element. 'Senior Feng, you don't need to use your gold coins to pay for the items I want to buy, and you can use everything in here to pay for them later.'

Feng Shen accepted the storage ring and inspected its contents, which nearly made him fall off his chair. He stared at Tang Xiao's clone in shock, but he simply smiled and

had no intention of explaining its source. 'You are truly insane, kid! You can support dozens of third-grade clans with this many gold coins! Even the Sun Clan doesn't have this many gold coins, let alone your Tang Clan.'

'If you knew my gold coin stock, you would definitely die of shock, Senior Feng.' Tang Xiao's clone laughed in his mind as he spoke. 'Senior Feng, please bid on the flower now.'

'Alright.' Feng Shen walked out to the balcony and made a bid for the Origin Elemental Flower. "Five hundred and ten million gold coins for the flower."

Huang Xianyu, Xue Jing, Wang Jishan, Liu Xun, and Liu Xing were surprised to hear Feng Shen bid on the Origin Elemental Flower, as Feng Xiaofang had also bid on it previously.

Feng Xiaofang and Yan Huoling were equally surprised by Feng Shen's decision, but he quickly explained to them via voice transmission that Tang Xiao's clone wanted to obtain the Origin Elemental Flower, mainly because his element levels were still low.

Feng Xiaofang and Yan Huoling nodded in understanding as they replied to Feng Shen via voice transmission, and they decided to give up on getting the Origin Elemental Flower.

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Xie Jun looked at Feng Shen with a murderous look, but he knew that he and the Xie Clan members would not be able to stop him from escaping. "Five hundred and forty million gold coins for the flower."

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Chapter 226: Two Women Competition

"Six hundred million gold coins for the flower." Huang Xianyu decided to bid again because he didn't want the Origin Elemental Flower to fall into Xie Jun's hands.

On the other hand, Liu Xun and Wang Jishan decided to give up on obtaining the Origin Elemental Flower because the price was already too high, which was not worth the benefits.

Xue Jing thought for a moment before raising her bid for the Origin Elemental Flower, mainly because she needed the flower to increase her ice element level. "Six hundred and fifty million gold coins for the flower."

Xie Jun looked at the two women and snorted, but he then looked at Feng Shen, who was thinking about whether to increase his bid or not. "Hey, old man! You should get lost if you don't have enough gold coins!"

"Hmm?" Feng Shen looked at Xie Jun without saying anything, but he inwardly laughed bitterly after Tang Xiao's clone spoke to him via voice transmission. "One billion gold coins for the flower."

The atmosphere at the auction venue became quiet as everyone turned their attention to Feng Shen, especially after he made his bid for the Origin Elemental Flower. They knew the Feng Clan was quite wealthy, but they weren't wealthy enough to buy an item worth one billion gold coins.

Like the other auction participants, Feng Xiaofang and Yan Huoling were shocked by Feng Shen's bid for the Origin Elemental Flower because he was bidding for Tang Xiao's clone. The Tang Clan was a second-grade clan, so it was not wealthy enough to waste one billion gold coins, and he shouldn't have that many.

Xuan Xi looked at Feng Shen in shock, but she was pleased in her heart because her auction house would gain a lot of profit if they succeeded in auctioning the Origin Elemental Flower for one billion gold coins. 'The Feng Clan is indeed rich, but I think he has bid too high. Originally, I thought that the flower would sell for six hundred million gold coins maximum, but the price has now reached one billion.'

Feng Shen could only laugh in his heart as he saw the gazes of all the cultivators present at the auction, and he looked at Tang Xiao's clone, who was sitting leisurely without any burden behind him. 'Where did this brat get so many gold coins? I'm sure he didn't get them from Old Tang, and he must have gotten them from someone else.'

"Hey, what—"

"Do you doubt my ability to pay the price of that flower, Xie Jun?" Feng Shen narrowed his eyes at the male heretic. "If you can't spend more than one billion gold coins, you can leave this place right now. I'm sure no one will bid for that interest again, and I can pay it in front of you if you want to know my financial capabilities."

Xuan Xi looked at the other cultivators, but Huang Xianyu, Xue Jing, and the others decided not to say anything and returned to their rooms. She saw that Xie Jun also didn't say anything and didn't bid higher for the Origin Elemental Flower, so she immediately announced the winner. "Sold for one billion gold coins to Senior Feng Shen."

A woman floated to the front of the VIP room and handed the Origin Elemental Flower to Feng Shen, who paid one billion gold coins. Once again, everyone's attention was drawn to his VIP room, and they wondered where he had obtained so many gold coins to buy a single item.

Xuan Xi immediately took out the next item, which was a sword. "This is the Falling Rain Sword, and it's ranked Unique. The starting price for this sword is fifty million gold coins, with the next bid being five million. Let's begin."

The cultivators from the first-grade clans did not bid for the sword, but those from the second-grade clans scrambled to bid for it.

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Feng Shen returned to the room and sat beside Tang Xiao's clone, but he didn't immediately hand over the Origin Elemental Flower to him, mainly because the senses of the cultivators present in the auction house were focused on their room.

Xie Shun, who was hiding outside the auction house, was also observing them with his senses. If Feng Shen handed the Origin Elemental Flower to Tang Xiao's clone, all the cultivators would think of snatching it from him, which would cause him a lot of trouble. "I'll give the flower to you later when we're far away from this auction house, so these people won't chase after you to snatch it from you."

"I know." Tang Xiao's clone was interested in the Falling Rain Sword, but he immediately canceled his intention because he already had the Atropos Glory, which could transform into various types of weapons according to his wishes. Tang Yin and Xing Xing also have their own weapons, and there were various types of weapons with higher ranks in the treasure vault.

Feng Shen himself had seen the Atropos Glory when he accompanied Tang Xiao's clone to train in the forest, and his weapon was superior to the Falling Rain Sword. It could change shape into various kinds of weapons, so he wasn't surprised that he wasn't interested in the sword.

The Falling Rain Sword was eventually sold to Xiao Luo of the Xiao Clan, and he purchased it for 80 million gold coins. Afterward, Xuan Xi auctioned off several other items, but Tang Xiao's clone was not interested in them, and they were bought by people from the second-rate clans.

Time passed quickly, and many items were sold at auction. Xuan Xi then took out a fruit with seven colors, which was the Seven Color Glazed Berry.

Tang Xiao's clone rubbed his chin as he looked at the Seven Color Glazed Berry. 'What are the benefits of that fruit, Xiao Ai?'

[Master, I don't have much information about the lower realms, and I couldn't find any details regarding the Seven Color Glazed Berry in my database. However, the fruit seems to be useful for alchemy, so you can try to bid for the fruit if you want it, and we can find another solution to utilize the fruit.]

'Let's wait for the price and the bidders first.'

[Alright.]

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Huang Xianyu, who had been waiting for the fruit to appear, immediately ran to the balcony. "What's the auction price for the Seven Color Glazed Berry, Miss Xuan?"

"Senior Xianyu! The owner of this Seven Color Glazed Berry told me that the starting price is one hundred million gold coins, and you can bid in increments of ten million." Xuan Xi casually answered.

Huang Xianyu nodded in understanding. "I'll bid one hundred and ten million gold coins for the fruit."

"Yes." Xuan Xi looked at the others. "Are there any other bidders for this Seven-Color Glazed Berry?"

"One hundred and twenty million gold coins." Huang Xianyu frowned and looked towards the Feng Clan's VIP room, where Yan Huoling was already standing on the balcony in front of the room. "Xianyu, I also need this Seven-Color Glazed Berry to concoct my pill. Since no other cultivators are interested in this fruit, the two of us will compete for it."

Huang Xianyu clenched her fists as she stared at Yan Huoling, but competition with the Feng Clan for the Seven-Color Glazed Berry was inevitable, especially since both clans focused on alchemy. "One hundred and thirty million gold coins."

"One hundred and forty million gold coins."

"One hundred and fifty million gold coins."

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Inside the room, Tang Xiao's clone laughed as he listened to the two women continue to raise their price, but they raised it by ten million gold coins. "The auction for the fruit looks like it's going to take a long time to determine the winner, Senior Feng."

"Hahaha." Feng Shen laughed and looked at the two women. "You may not have heard of them, but all cultivators on Earth II know that Huang Xianyu and Yan Huoling have disliked each other since they were very young, and their relationship only worsened after their master chose the former as his successor."

Tang Xiao's clone turned to him. "What happened between them in the past?"

"Haish." Feng Shen exhaled softly. "They actually learned alchemy from the same master, and they were both equally talented in that field. Unfortunately, Yan Huoling came from the second-grade Yan Clan, so their master prioritized Huang Xianyu because her Huang Clan was a first-grade clan, and they were one of the strongest clans in this place. Their master had a favorable relationship with Huang Tianming, so he focused more on his daughter, and he taught her more than Huoling."

Tang Xiao's clone could only shake his head. "Both ordinary humans and cultivators are the same, and they both need connections to secure their future."

"Isn't that as it should be?" Feng Shen looked at the two women who were still continuing to increase their bid for the Seven-Color Glazed Berry. "Fortunately, Yan Huoling met Feng Xiaofang and married him, and their marriage raised the status of the Yan Clan. Although they didn't immediately become a first-grade clan, their conditions became much better than in the past. Moreover, they are both skilled alchemists, and they have been of tremendous help to both clans' continued rise. Besides, Huang Xianyu married a non-chemist, and her husband was busier with his personal affairs and cultivation."

Tang Xiao's clone nodded in understanding and asked another question. "What about Feng Yao? Is she also a skilled alchemist like her parents?"

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Chapter 227: Bid On The Berry

Feng Shen held his head as Tang Xiao's clone asked about Feng Yao. "Yao'er is giving everyone a headache, especially her parents. She is the most talented cultivator of this generation, and she also has extraordinary talent in alchemy. Unfortunately, she spends most of her time in the outside world, and no one knows her real purpose for doing so."

Her parents, especially her mother, have repeatedly asked her to come back and live here. She refused their requests, and she didn't explain to them the reason."

"Hmm?" Tang Xiao's clone was really curious about that. "She and my aunt are best friends, and they work as lawyers in the outside world. I often met Feng Yao when I was little, but I didn't know much about her, so I was also surprised when I found out that she was a fire cultivator."

"Hahaha." Feng Shen laughed at that. "Yao'er and Yuan'er have been best friends since they were little, and they grew up together, so their relationship is like that of real sisters. Actually, she chose to live outside because of your aunt, but everyone guessed her real reason wasn't because of her but because of your late father."

Tang Xiao's clone looked at him in surprise. "Does Feng Yao know my late father?"

"Your late father lived here when he was little, and he moved to the outside world when he was older. As I told you before, your Tang Clan has had a good relationship with my Feng Clan for a long time, so Yao'er has known him since they were children." Feng Shen was silent for a long time because he was hesitant to tell Tang Xiao's clone the truth, but he chose to tell it anyway. "Honestly, we knew for a long time that she loved your late father, and we guessed that she chose to live in the outside world because of him. Unfortunately, he was not a cultivator, and he finally married your late mother. Even though your father had died long ago, she chose to stay in the outside world and wait for something, but no one knew what she was waiting for."

Tang Xiao's clone was perplexed after hearing that, as he didn't expect that Feng Yao loved his late father. Moreover, he didn't remember her visiting his late father in the past, so he didn't expect her to have such feelings for him.

Feng Shen spoke again. "One thing is certain, Yao'er is willing to train you because you are the son of the late Tang Ye."

Tang Xiao's clone nodded in understanding, but he was curious about the reason behind Feng Yao's decision to train him, and he felt that she had other reasons besides him being the son of the late Tang Ye. 'Since they were best friends, Aunt Yuan should know something about this matter, so I'll ask her when I see her later.'

Tang Xiao's clone looked outside again, but Huang Xianyu and Yan Huoling were both unwilling to give in to each other in getting the flower. He remembered Xiao Ai's previous words that she could clone the Origin Elemental Flower, and he thought that she should also clone the Seven-Color Glazed Berry. 'Ai, can you clone that berry too?'

[Hehehe, there's nothing I can't do with the help of all the equipment inside the ark, and I can easily clone that berry if you like, Master. After I clone it, you can give one to Yan Huoling, but Huang Xianyu will hate you, and the Huang Clan will probably become your enemy.]

Tang Xiao's clone thought about Xiao Ai's words first. Although he didn't know the Huang Clan, he didn't want to be Huang Xianyu's enemy because she was Fu Chen's master. However, the Feng Clan is a good friend of the Tang Clan, and Yan Huoling is Feng Yao's mother, so he wants to help her get the Seven Color Glazed Berry. Moreover, he himself wanted to get the fruit, even though he had no information about its benefits.

"Two hundred and forty million gold coins."

"Two hundred and fifty million gold coins."

Tang Xiao's clone finally made up his mind and whispered to Feng Shen, "Senior Feng, I want you to bid for the Seven Color Glazed Berry, and you must get that fruit."

"Huh?" Feng Shen looked at Tang Xiao's clone with wide eyes. "Hey! If I bid for the Seven Color Glazed Berry and win it, Yan Huoling will be furious with me. You've never seen her get angry, and I can tell you that she's scarier than those tyrant-level beasts when she gets angry."

"Is Aunt Huoling that scary when she's angry?"

"Yes." Feng Shen replied with a strong nod. "If she is already angry, she can be angry for months, and her anger will be difficult to subside."

Tang Xiao's clone nodded slightly. "Senior Feng, I can't explain it to you, but I want you to bid for the fruit now. If Aunt Huoling is angry with you, I'll talk to her later, and I'll be the one to persuade her to calm down."

"But—"

"Trust me, Senior Feng. Aunt Huoling might be furious with you, but you won't be returning to the Feng Clan anytime soon, so she won't be able to vent her anger on you." Feng Shen didn't immediately agree to Tang Xiao's clone's request because he was truly afraid of angering Yan Huoling. "Trust me, okay? She might be furious with you during this auction, but she'll change her mind, and she'll be grateful to you."

"Haish! You sent me to death; did you know that?" Feng Shen thought about it seriously before standing up. "I hope you have a solution to appease Yan Huoling's anger, or she will be furious with me."

Tang Xiao's clone laughed at Feng Shen's frightened expression. "Don't worry, Senior Feng. Leave everything to me, and Aunt Huoling won't be angry with you, but she will thank you later."

Feng Shen didn't doubt Tang Xiao's clone, but he truly feared incurring Yan Huoling's wrath. He took a deep breath and walked to the balcony, glancing at the two women

who were fighting over the Seven Color Glazed Berry. 'I hope I won't die from helping that kid.' "Four hundred million gold coins for the fruit."

After Feng Shen made his offer, the two women looked at him and glared at him. He wasn't worried about Huang Xianyu, but he didn't dare glance at Yan Huoling, and the hairs on the back of his neck stood on end from her furious gaze.

"Feng Shen!" Yan Huoling's thunderous roar rang in everyone's ears, making Feng Shen shiver with fear. "Why are you interfering in our affairs?"

Feng Shen gulped hard as he looked at Yan Huoling, whose face was so full of anger that her facial muscles bulged out from beneath her skin. He immediately averted his gaze again, and he used voice transmission to speak to her and provide an explanation. 'Huoling, don't be mad at me, okay? You can take your anger out on Tang Xiao since he's the one who asked me to bid on the fruit.'

Yan Huoling frowned at Feng Shen, but Huang Xianyu suddenly spoke to the old man. "Old Shen, you shouldn't interfere in our affairs, so you should withdraw your bid."

"Senior Huang, a bid that has been placed cannot be withdrawn, so you must bid higher if you want this Seven Color Glazed Berry." Xuan Xi spoke from the auction platform.

Huang Xianyu looked at Xuan Xi with raised eyebrows, making her tremble. She was well aware of the rules, but she didn't want to spend four hundred million gold coins just to get the Seven-Color Glazed Berry because her chances of success in concocting the pill were low, and she still had to spend a lot of money to find other ingredients.

"Sister, I know you need the Seven-Color Glazed Berry, but the price is unreasonable given the success percentage, so you should give up now and wait for another time." Huang Xiaotian spoke from inside the VIP room, glancing into the next room.

Huang Xianyu let out a soft sigh and returned to his VIP room without saying anything, but her expression showed immense disappointment because she failed to obtain the Seven-Color Glazed Berry in this auction, and she would have to wait a long time for the next appearance of the fruit.

Yan Huoling also didn't say anything more to Feng Shen, but her expression showed anger because he had interrupted her fun to defeat Huang Xianyu in the fight for the Seven-Color Glazed Berry. However, she was curious about where Tang Xiao's clone got so many gold coins, especially since he had previously won the Origin Elemental Flower for one billion gold coins.

Feng Shen was slightly relieved after the two women returned to their respective VIP rooms, but he was fully aware that Yan Huoling was furious with him. 'Sigh! I hope that kid has a solution to calm her anger, or I will die at her hands.'

Since both women decided to give up, Xuan Xi announced the winner of the Seven-Color Glazed Berry. "Sold for four hundred million gold coins to Senior Feng Shen."

After a woman handed him the Seven-Color Glazed Berry, Feng Shen immediately paid for it and returned to the VIP room, sitting beside Tang Xiao's clone again. "I hope you can truly appease Yan Huoling's anger, kid."

"Hehe." Tang Xiao's clone chuckled. "Leave it to me, Senior Feng."

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Chapter 228: Living Puppet Technique

After that, Xuan Xi continued the auction, but Tang Xiao's clone was not interested in the item because it was another weapon, and there were many better weapons than that in the treasure vault inside the celestial fortress.

All the cultivators present at the auction, whether from the first-grade or second-grade clans, were interested in the weapon. However, they did not raise their bids too high, and they played more cautiously to avoid overpricing.

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Sun Xiang had just come out of the Tianmei, but she couldn't find Tang Yin there. Yu Xiaoling told her that Tang Yin left two days ago, but she didn't say anything about her destination.

Sun Xiang guessed that Tang Yin went to Earth II together with Tang Huang and Mu Qingge because she had visited the Mu House, and Mu Lin told her that his daughter went there to meet Sun Qian.

Sun Xiang decided to contact Tang Xiao to ask him about his actions against Xiao Meng, especially since she had shut herself in at home and hadn't gone to work since that day. However, he didn't answer her phone calls, so she left him a message and asked him to meet her as soon as possible.

"They must have done something to Xiao Meng for her to act like that, but what did they do to her?" Sun Xiang decided to leave Tianmei and wait for Tang Xiao to give her a reply.

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At the Tang House, Zhao Yuxian was accompanying her twin daughters to their studies, but her thoughts wandered to Tang Xiao. It had been several days since they had sex, but he hadn't brought her into the ark again, and he hadn't appeared at the house either.

'Is he busy now? Why doesn't he ever meet me?' Although Zhao Yuxian initially thought their relationship was inappropriate because she's Tang Xiao's maternal aunt, she had gotten used to his presence and his cock inside her, and she missed their time together.

Ran Xue looked at her mother. "What are you thinking, Mom?"

"Where did Big Sis Yin actually go? Why hasn't she come back for two days?" Ran Yue also asked her.

"I didn't think about anything." Zhao Yuxian looked at her twin daughters. "Yin'er went abroad to attend to something, but she will be back in a few days. How are things going on campus for you two? Are you two used to the situation?"

Ran Xue and Ran Yue told Zhao Yixuan some things about their college life, and she was happy to hear that they were enjoying themselves there, especially since they had made many new friends their age.

"Mom, Yue and I will be going out of town for a few days to handle campus matters, so you will stay here with Big Sis Yao." Ran Xue said.

Ran Yue informed her. "Mom, Xue and I will be away for three days with the campus group, so you have to take good care of yourself when we are not home."

"Yes." Zhao Yuxian nodded to her twin daughters. "You two don't need to worry about me because I'll be fine here, and you two should take good care of yourselves while you're out of town so you won't get sick from the bad weather."

Ran Xue and Ran Yue nodded to her. "We will take good care of ourselves, Mom."

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Tang Xiao had just returned to his room at the Ouyang House, but he found Ouyang Qing and Lin Yan still sleeping soundly. He found that Yi An had not returned to the house, and Xiao Ai informed him that she was on her way home from the Yi House.

Tang Xiao checked Ouyang Ming's bedroom, and he found Su Rou sleeping exhaustedly between him and Ouyang Hong, especially after they had had a threesome for quite some time.

Tang Xiao ignored them and entered the celestial ark, and he immediately went to the prison area to take care of Yang Mi.

When Tang Xiao arrived in the prison area, Yang Mi had already woken up from her unconsciousness, and she was shocked when she saw him because he should have died in prison. 'How... how is he still alive? He had been shot in the chest and fallen into a deep ravine, but he was standing in front of me now.'

"Are you surprised to see me still alive?" Tang Xiao grabbed Yang Mi's face, making her make incoherent noises because her mouth was stuffed with cloth. "Did you know that I witnessed the incident that night? That night you were the one who gave them the evil idea to carry out their barbaric act on my late mother, and you cheered with joy when they did that to her. You're lucky because I'm different from those bastards, and I'm not interested in a bitch like you, so I won't do that kind of thing to you."

Yang Mi was slightly relieved to hear that because she didn't want to be violated by Tang Xiao, but her heart was still filled with fear at the thoughts of his plans for her. 'Husband, save me from this man; he will do cruel things to me.'

Tang Xiao smirked faintly. "For your information, your son has already joined his friends in the afterlife, and you will join him soon. However, I will not kill you personally, and you will help me end your husband's life first."

"Mhmm... Mhmm..." Yang Mi kept making incoherent sounds, but tears welled up in her eyes after she learned that Tang Xiao had killed Shen Xiang.

"Hahaha." Tang Xiao laughed evilly at her expression. "I wanted to kill Shen Tianhu with my hands, but a powerful woman was still monitoring us, preventing me from killing him. Therefore, you will help me kill him in prison, and you can commit suicide afterward. As for your daughter, Shen Ling, you don't need to worry about her because I won't do anything to her, especially since she hasn't done anything wrong to us. I will let her live, and the Shen Family will still exist in the future through her descendants."

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Xiao Ai walked into the prison room and asked Tang Xiao. "What are your plans for this woman, Master?"

"Is there a control technique I can use to control this woman?" Xiao Ai was taken aback for a moment before accessing her database, and a technique appeared in Tang Xiao's mind shortly after. "Living Puppet Technique, huh?"

[The Living Puppet Technique is an unorthodox technique that transforms a living being into a puppet wholly submissive to the user's will.]

Xiao Ai nodded at him. "Master, you can use that technique on Yang Mi because she is an ordinary human, but you won't be able to use it on other cultivators until you break through to the King Realm and form your soul cultivation. Even if you have broken through to that stage and formed your soul cultivation, you still can't use it on those with higher soul strength than you, like Long Yin and Wang Fuxi."

"I see." Tang Xiao nodded in understanding. "My cultivation is on the verge of breaking through, but my clone is still at the auction house, so I'm delaying my breakthrough. After my clone leaves that place, I will immediately break through to the Upper Xiantian Level. How do I use this technique on this woman, Xiao Ai?"

"Master, you only need to send a thread of your consciousness into Yang Mi's mind, and you can control her as you wish." Xiao Ai gave two pills to Tang Xiao. "This pill is odorless and undetectable, and Shen Tianhu will experience severe internal bleeding an hour after he takes it, so the police won't suspect that his wife poisoned him. After that, you can order this woman to swallow one of the pills, and she will join her husband and son in the afterlife. This way, Wang Fuxi won't suspect you of their deaths, especially since she can't detect these pills in their bodies."

Yang Mi, already frightened by their discussion of the technique to control her, became even more terrified when she heard about the effects of the two pills. 'Husband! Save me! These two are truly vile! They already killed our son, and they will use me to kill you! I don't want to kill you, and I don't want to die!'

"I'm going to learn that technique now." After Xiao Ai left, Tang Xiao sat on the bed and looked at Yang Mi, who looked so scared of him. He ignored her, closed his eyes, and began learning the technique.

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Yang Ziyue sat alone in the living room of the Yang Family House. She hugged her legs, rested her head on her knees, and tried to contact people on her smartphone.

Several days had passed since Tang Yin killed the Yang family members, but Yang Ziyue still tried to contact them to find out their whereabouts, to no avail.

Yang Ziyue was deeply confused and worried about the disappearance of her family members. She had already reported their disappearance to the police, but they were unable to find them because they were already dead.

Yang Ziyue tried to contact Tang Xiao again because she needed a friend in this situation, but he didn't answer her calls. "Where did they go? Where did my family disappear to?"

Yang Ziyue decided to leave the Yang House, and she went to meet someone because that person called her a few days ago asking about her family situation.

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Chapter 229: Yi An's Sadness

Knock... Knock...

Yang Ziyue was taken aback when Xiao Hua opened the door for her because she was wearing ancient traditional clothing. "Can I meet Xiao Meng? I want to ask her a few things about my family."

Xiao Hua said nothing and led Yang Ziyue into the house. She immediately called Xiao Meng to meet her guest afterward.

Xiao Meng didn't want to see anyone right now, and she had refused to see Sun Xiang when she contacted her earlier. However, she couldn't do anything because Xiao Hua was under Tang Xiao's control, and she rushed out of her room to meet Yang Ziyue.

Xiao Meng raised an eyebrow momentarily upon seeing Yang Ziyue, but she quickly sat down in front of her and asked. "Where did you get my home address? Why did you come here?"

"Miss Xiao, I got your address from the police station where you work, and I want to ask you about the whereabouts of my three family members." Xiao Meng cursed in her heart after Yang Ziyue asked that because she couldn't say anything to her. "Do you know where they are? I've been waiting for them, but they haven't come back since that day. I've been trying to contact them, but their numbers are always off. That's why I decided to come here to ask you, especially since you asked about them a few days ago."

Xiao Meng let out a curse in her heart, and she clearly cursed at Tang Xiao. "Unfortunately, I don't have information about your parents, so I can't help you, Miss Yang. Instead, you should have asked other police for help, or you could have gone to see Sun Xiang."

"I've asked other police for help, but they couldn't find any traces of my family members." Xiao Meng could only shake his head, making Yang Ziyue disappointed.

"Does Miss Sun know the whereabouts of my family? Can you give me their addresses?"

Xiao Meng gave her Sun Xiang's address. "Xiang and I work at the same police station, so I'm not sure if she knows about your family's whereabouts, but you can go see her and ask her directly."

"I see." Yang Ziyue nodded in understanding and stood up. "Thank you, Miss Meng. I'll go see Miss Sun now, and I hope she can help me find my family."

After Yang Ziyue left, Xiao Meng leaned back on the sofa and bit her thumb. She glanced at Xiao Hua, who had been keeping a close eye on her at Tang Yin's orders. 'Tch! Those two bastards treated me like a house prisoner! I can't go anywhere now, and Aunt Hua will stop me on their orders.'

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Sometime later, Yang Ziyue arrived at Sun Xiang's house, but no one answered the door. "Is she still at the police station?"

"Yang Ziyue?" Yang Ziyue turned to Sun Xiang, who had just arrived. "What are you doing at my house? Where did you get my address?"

Yang Ziyue explained to Sun Xiang that she had previously met Xiao Meng and gotten her address from her. "I want to ask you about the whereabouts of my three family members, Miss Sun. Do you know where they are? It's been several days since that day, and they still haven't returned. I've asked other police officers for help, but they haven't been able to locate my family, and they haven't found any of their travel records."

'All three of your family members have died in Tang Yin's hands, you know? They had done some terrible mistakes to her and her parents, and she killed them for it.'
Naturally, Sun Xiang wouldn't say that to Yang Ziyue. "Miss Yang, I've heard about the disappearance of the three of them, but this case is not in my hands. If you want to find out information about them, you should go to Chief Jiang because he is handling this case along with the other missing families."

"I see." Yang Ziyue sighed in disappointment that Sun Xiang couldn't help her either. "Thank you for your time, Miss Sun. I'll go to the police station again and ask Chief Jiang about the progress."

Sun Xiang watched Yang Ziyue leave while massaging her forehead, and she also sighed heavily because Tang Xiao and Tang Yin had caused a lot of chaos in their country. "I feel sorry for her because she will never be able to find the corpses of her three families, and her family's wealth will soon be lost."

Sun Xiang was curious about the families behind them still not making a move, especially since the Ran family and the others were their subordinates. She knew that Nan Xinyue had come to meet Tang Yin, and the Nan Family was a supporter of the Shen Family. The Shen Family is still intact now, even though Shen Tianhu is in prison, but he doesn't know about the movements of the other families.

"Could it be that Tang Xiao and Tang Yin have done something to them?" Sun Xiang wondered to herself. "The Huang Family hasn't moved yet because Huang Xiaotian only has contact with Ouyang Hong and Wang Dong, and they're still alive now, so I'm sure he won't make a move. Bei Linyang has a good relationship with the Yang Family, and the family is in chaos now, especially after Yang Kang's disappearance. Dong Wutian has always helped Meng Wuya, but the Meng family has now been destroyed. Xi Mingjian has always been close to Ran Lifeng and Yao Wei, but the Ran and Yao families have also been destroyed."

Sun Xiang could only sigh at the thought of all that, and she immediately went into her house, but she felt annoyed because Tang Xiao still hadn't replied to her message. "Where did he go? Did he also go to Earth II? Don't tell me, he's going to see my mother and grandfather! Damn! I have to return to my clan now, or he'll be in trouble if he meets them."

Sun Xiang hurriedly cleaned herself, changed clothes, and left her house. After that, she went to the nearest portal, activated it, and then went to Earth II.

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Tang Xiao opened his eyes after successfully learning the Living Puppet Technique, and he stood in front of Yang Mi, who was terrified of him.

Tang Xiao said nothing, touched Yang Mi's forehead, and transferred a strand of his consciousness into her body. After he made sure the woman was under his control, he removed the chains on both her hands and feet, and he handed her the two poison pills.

After he gave some orders to Yang Mi, Tang Xiao sent her out of the ark, and he also returned to the Ouyang House.

When he arrived there, Tang Xiao found Luo Yan had woken up from her sleep, and she had already left the house. He didn't care about her because he was just waiting for the time to kill her, and he peeked at the main house through his bedroom window, finding Yi An sitting on the terrace crying.

Tang Xiao knew for sure that Yi An was crying because she had discovered her husband and son sleeping naked with Su Rou in the same room.

Yi An had previously suspected that Ouyang Hong was having an affair with Su Rou, and she finally found out the answer to her suspicions. Furthermore, her son was also having an affair with her personal assistant, which further shocked and disappointed her.

Tang Xiao hurriedly left his room and went to the terrace, but Yi An immediately stood up and hugged him. She cried very hard while hugging him tightly, but he didn't say anything and allowed her to vent her sadness first. He also checked Ouyang Qing's room to confirm her situation, but he saw her still sleeping like a dead pig.

Tang Xiao carried Yi An who was crying like a princess and took her to his room. When he arrived there, he took her to lie down on the bed and hugged her. "Sob... Xiao'er... Sob... My husband and son slept together with Su Rou in the same room, and they must have had threesome sex before because they were naked."

"I didn't expect that the two of them would have that kind of relationship with Su Rou, and they did it inside your house." Tang Xiao tried to comfort Yi An and rubbed her back, but he was laughing inside because she would be completely his after today's incident. "Do you want to take action against them? I think we can take some photos of them sleeping together, and those photos will help you get a divorce from your husband."

Yi An looked up at him as tears continued to flow from her eyes, but Tang Xiao quickly wiped them away. "I'm scared, Xiao'er! I'm afraid my husband will do terrible things to my family if I divorce him, even though I have evidence of his affair with several women."

"Do you believe me, Yi'er?" Yi An did not answer immediately and looked at Tang Xiao in confusion. "Trust me, okay? I will protect you from your husband, and I will beat him if he dares to do anything bad to your family."

"But—"

Tang Xiao pressed his index finger to her lips. "I will protect you, and I will not let your husband hurt you or your family. So, let's go to their room and take some pictures of them, and you can use them to file for divorce from him."

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Chapter 230: Ascension Fruit

After thinking about it, Yi An agreed with Tang Xiao's idea, and they hurriedly went to Ouyang Ming's room. She handed her smartphone to him, asking him to take some pictures of them. She couldn't do it herself because it hurt so much to see her husband and son sleeping with her personal assistant, which filled her with disappointment.

After Tang Xiao took a few pictures of them, he returned the smartphone to Yi An and took her to leave the room. "Xiao'er, I don't want to stay at home for now, and I want to stay in a hotel to calm myself down, so you have to accompany me."

"Alright." Tang Xiao took Yi An to the car park before leaving the Ouyang House together.

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After she arrived at the Shen House, Yang Mi cooked a simple meal for her husband in prison. She ground the poison pill Tang Xiao gave him into a powder and mixed it with the food.

After she finished cooking, Yang Mi packed the food before cleaning herself and changing clothes. She left the Shen family home again with the food, and she was rushed to the prison to meet her husband.

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Sometime later, Yang Mi was already in prison, and she sat across from Shen Tianhu in a private room. "I don't know what I can do to free you from this prison, but I hope you can be freed soon and come back to me."

"Where is our son? Why didn't he accompany you?" She Tianhu asked in a tired voice because the prison atmosphere was stressing him out, and the high-ranking police officer put him in solitary confinement.

"Our son is still sleeping because he doesn't feel well." Yang Mi opened the food and handed it to her husband. "I know that prison food is not delicious, so I prepare your favorite meal instead. Even if you don't have an appetite, you should still eat something to maintain your condition and prevent you from getting sick."

Shen Tianhu didn't say anything to his wife, and he hurriedly ate the food, unaware that it would be his last meal. Even though the food was poisoned, he wouldn't die of agony because Xiao Ai used a mild but deadly poison, and he would die without even realizing it.

Wang Fuxi watched them from outside the prison using her senses, but she didn't notice anything strange from Yang Mi, and her communication with Shen Tianhu was normal.

After Shen Tianhu finished the food, Yang Mi spoke with him for a few minutes before leaving the prison, and she went straight back to the Shen House.

After she arrived at the Shen House, Yang Mi drank the poison she had, and she returned to her room to wait for the poison to work.

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Tang Xiao and Yi An were already in the hotel room, but they did not engage in sexual activity. He hugged her and tried to comfort her to ease her sadness, but he was pleased with today's events because she would be completely alone after this.

"Xiao'er," Yi An called out and looked up at her. "Are you going to leave me after I divorce my husband?"

Tang Xiao smiled at her and kissed her lips. "Do you think I'll leave you? I already said that I love you, and I want you to always be by my side, so I will never leave you."

"Really?"

"I promise you that I will never leave you." Yi An smiled and buried her face in Tang Xiao's chest. "You look tired physically and mentally, so you should sleep now, and I will accompany you beside you."

Yi An nodded to him and closed her eyes. "Don't leave me, okay?"

"I'll be here when you open your eyes, Yi'er." Tang Xiao hugged Yi An tightly while patting her shoulder lightly, accompanying her to sleep. 'Xiao Ai, you know what you have to do, right?'

[Leave it to me, Master. You can persuade Yi An to file for divorce from Ouyang Hong tomorrow, and I will take care of everything for you.]

'Good.'

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At the Ouyang House, Ouyang Qing finally woke up from her sleep and immediately left her room to look for her mother. As she passed her big brother's room, she stopped in front of the open door and froze, her eyes widening at the sight of three naked people sleeping soundly on the bed.

"This bitch! She not only sleeps with my brother, but she also sleeps with my father!" Ouyang Qing ran to her parents' room, but she couldn't find Yi An there. She checked the parking lot and found her mother's car was gone, and she couldn't find Tang Xiao in his room either, leading her to assume he was accompanying her mother elsewhere.

Ouyang Qing hurried back to her room, grabbed her smartphone, and called Yi An. However, her mother didn't answer, so she called Tang Xiao and was able to connect, especially since he had anticipated her call. "Feng Xiao, are you with my mother now?"

[Yes, Qing'er. Your mother saw Su Rou sleeping with your father and brother, and she was devastated when she saw it. She then asked me to take her away to calm down, and she is currently crying in the distance.]

Ouyang Qing let out a heavy sigh, and she realized her mother must be devastated right now. "Please stay with my mother and don't let her do anything strange, and you must stop her if she thinks about committing suicide."

[Qing'er, I will protect your mother well, and you don't have to worry about her.]

"I believe you." Ouyang Qing went straight to clean herself, and she left the Ouyang family home afterward. Since Luo Qinglin disappeared, she decided to go to Lin Yan's house, mainly because Jessica was accompanying her husband.

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Meanwhile, many items had already been sold at the auction house, and the buyers were cultivators from first- and second-grade clans, including the Zhang and Feng Clans.

However, Tang Xiao's clone didn't buy anything after obtaining the Seven-Color Glazed Berry, mainly because the items being auctioned were mostly weapons and other equipment.

Feng Shen asked him. "Why didn't you bid on any of those items?"

"Not interesting." Tang Xiao's clone turned to him. "Senior Feng, you've seen my weapons, right? Do you think those weapons can compare to mine?"

Feng Shen shook his head in response. "Your weapon is truly unique, and I've never seen a weapon that can change into so many forms before. Moreover, the grade of your weapon is also very high, so the weapons being auctioned today are not comparable to it."

"That's right." Tang Xiao's clone looked at Xuan Xi. "All those pieces of equipment are interesting, but I'm not interested in them. If this auction house doesn't have any other excellent stuff, I'm thinking of leaving this place and training in the forest again. I've wasted a lot of time in this place waiting for good items, but my wait was wasted because there was nothing good and eye-catching."

"Hahaha." Feng Shen laughed at that. "They still have one last item, and I'm sure these people came specifically for that item, including Xue Shun. Xuan Xi will start her auction soon, so we should wait for that item. If you're not interested in that item, we'll leave this place immediately, and I'll take you to the forest."

Tang Xiao's clone nodded at him. "Alright, we'll wait for the last item."

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On the stage, Xuan Xi looked at all the auction participants, especially the cultivators sitting in the VIP rooms.

"This item will be the last item in this auction, and I'm sure you've all been looking forward to it, especially those of you from the first-grade clans. I'm sure you all want this item because it's the only one in existence, and no one has any information about its effects." Xuan Xi immediately took out a fruit with a strong red aura around it, making the cultivators in the VIP rooms right away rush out onto their balconies. "I don't have exact information about this item because it was only discovered this time, and this item is the only one. Although I don't have information about this item, all of you can feel a strong aura from it."

"Who's the seller, Miss Xuan?" Huang Xiaotian asked.

Xuan Xi shook her head. "Senior Huang, you know the rules of this auction house, and I can't reveal the identity of this item's owner."

"So, the effect is unknown, Miss Xuan," Feng Xiaofang asked.

"Yes." Xuan Xi nodded in response. "I know this item is a high-stakes gamble, but from the aura it radiates, I'm certain it has significant effects, especially for our cultivation."

"What's the starting price for the fruit, Miss Xuan?"

Xuan Xi looked into the Wang Clan's VIP room. "Patriarch Wang, the starting auction price for this fruit is five hundred million gold coins, and each bid must increase by fifty million gold coins."

All the cultivators present fell silent after Xuan Xi mentioned the fruit's price, and all of them considered it unreasonable to buy a fruit with unclear effects for five hundred million gold coins. They could indeed sense the fruit's unusual aura, but its unclear effects made the gamble too high.

Tang Xiao's clone was the same as them, and he thought that the price of the fruit was too unreasonable. However, Xiao Ai suddenly spoke to him. [Master, you must get that fruit; it is the Ascension Fruit.]

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