

Divine King 831

Chapter 831 The Showdown of Flesh

All eyes were on the figure descending onto the Ascending Immortal Platform.

The person who once withstood two punches from Chen Linfeng.

No one expected him to challenge Yuan Lang at this moment.

"Is he courting death? While Yuan Lang may not be as formidable as Chen Linfeng, he is still not someone to be trifled with. Most importantly, he kills without batting an eye."

"Does he think that with the little princess of the Chaos Sky Sect backing him, he can do whatever he wants and everyone will fear him?"

"I think that's exactly what he believes, but this time he's mistaken. Once on the Ascending Immortal Platform, life and death are determined by fate. Everyone knows this, even the Chaos Sky Sect Master has to acknowledge it."

"This time, he's going to face serious trouble."

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The surrounding crowd discussed animatedly.

All were mocking Xu Nian.

It is a disgraceful thing to rely on a woman's support.

Even though no one dared to say anything before, they still held contempt for Xu Nian in their hearts.

Seeing Xu Nian stepping onto the stage, they naturally ridiculed him even more.

Even Meng Xiyao did not expect Xu Nian to step forward suddenly, and her face showed signs of tension.

However, she suddenly recalled the scene where Xu Nian defeated the black giant leopard, and her confidence in him was rekindled.

Huang Shishan, on the other hand, had a sinister look in his eyes, secretly hoping for Xu Nian's death.

"Boy, I recognize you. Aren't you the pretty boy who was relying on a woman to back you up earlier?" Yuan Lang looked at Xu Nian disdainfully.

Upon hearing this, Xu Nian smiled faintly.

He had not used his full strength when dealing with Chen Linfeng earlier.

He intended to break through the Mid-stage Vajra Realm and then fiercely battle with Chen Linfeng.

But a Meng Xiyao unexpectedly appeared halfway through.

As for whether he was a pretty boy, only he knew the truth.

"What? Not satisfied? Do you really think you can defeat me?" Yuan Lang smirked contemptuously.

His words instantly sparked uproarious laughter around them.

Yuan Lang was practically at the peak of the Middle Wanxiang Realm, and yet Xu Nian, who was only in the Zifu Realm, thought he could defeat him. What a joke!

"Stop laughing!" Meng Xiyao yelled angrily as she saw the crowd mocking Xu Nian.

Yet her outburst only made the laughter grow louder.

Yuan Lang looked at Xu Nian with amusement.

At the same time, two figures descended onto the top of Yunqiong.

These two were none other than Xuanyuan Qingling and Guan Yun, ranked sixth on the genius list.

Upon arrival, both wore expressions of surprise seeing the people on the Ascending Immortal Platform.

They had not expected Xu Nian to be there.

Their presence naturally stirred commotion among the crowd.

But soon, everyone's attention returned to the Ascending Immortal Platform.

"Why so silent, boy? Scared speechless?" Yuan Lang mocked once more as Xu Nian remained silent.

Xu Nian sneered and said, "I was just considering the benefits of killing you."

His words caused an uproar among the crowd.

"Is this boy crazy?"

"I think so. How could he be so arrogant? Even if he is dual cultivating Spirit and Body, his levels are not at the Cave Void Realm. Such arrogance will only anger Yuan Lang."

"Yuan Lang kills without hesitation. If enraged, it won't end with mere death."

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The crowd buzzed with discussions again.

They all felt Xu Nian was being exceedingly arrogant and reckless.

Guan Yun looked at the interaction between Xu Nian and Yuan Lang with amusement.

Yuan Lang was both outraged and amused, looking at Xu Nian with an angry smile.

"Kill me? Boy, did I hear you right? Do you think you can kill me with your Mid-stage Zifu Realm cultivation or your Mid-stage Vajra Realm body cultivation?" Yuan Lang mocked.

Xu Nian couldn't be bothered with his nonsense and spoke directly, "Let's make a wager. The loser will offer their Soul Origin Mark and become the victor's slave! How about it?"

"Become the victor's slave? What use do I have for a worthless slave like you?" Yuan Lang mocked with disdain.

"Just answer, do you accept or not?" Xu Nian asked bluntly.

"Fine, since you wish to be a slave, I'll fulfill that wish. Once you become my slave, I'll show you a fate worse than death," Yuan Lang replied with a sly smile.

Upon hearing this, Xu Nian also smirked coldly.

His eyes immediately turned icy.

"Boom!"

Xu Nian clenched his fist, and the air nearby exploded under the sudden pressure.

In an instant, Xu Nian was in front of Yuan Lang.

"Earth Fist!"

Xu Nian shouted loudly.

Three earth attribute light rings instantly appeared on his arm.

The Power of Earth, combined with True Essence, emitted a heavy aura.

Simultaneously, a surge of Divine Demon Energy rushed into his arm.

His arm muscles immediately swelled.

"Huh?"

Yuan Lang's eyes initially held disdain, but his expression quickly changed.

He hurriedly crossed his arms in a defensive position.

"Roar!"

The Power of Earth roared.

The terrifying energy exploded in an instant.

An indescribable force was transmitted to Yuan Lang's arms.

"Boom!"

A loud explosion.

Yuan Lang was instantly thrown backwards.

The ground of the Ascending Immortal Platform cracked under his feet, trailing to the platform's edge.

Leaving a long mark hundreds of meters long.

Blood oozed from the corner of Yuan Lang's mouth.

"What?"

The crowd's faces filled with shock.

Xu Nian, who was expected to be instantly defeated, had instead injured Yuan Lang with one punch?

And the power of that punch, how could it be so terrifying?

Yuan Lang was equally stunned, wiping the blood from his mouth, his eyes like a fierce wolf's, gazing at Xu Nian.

There was finally a hint of seriousness in his eyes, mixed with bloodthirsty excitement.

"Show your true strength, or you'll lose miserably!" Xu Nian said with a confident smile.

After saying that, he charged again.

The combination of True Essence and energy was extremely powerful.

It could unleash extraordinary offensive power in battle.

Despite the considerable gap in their realms, Xu Nian's various techniques compensated for it.

So now, Yuan Lang did not have much advantage over Xu Nian.

"Fine, I underestimated you. Let's see how strong you really are," Yuan Lang yelled.

He stomped on the Ascending Immortal Platform, causing it to shatter instantly.

With that, Yuan Lang launched himself at Xu Nian.

The two clashed intensely.

"Boom! Boom! Boom!"

A series of explosions sounded.

Like thunder rolling continuously!

The surrounding crowd was left dumbfounded.

These explosive sounds were produced by the two's bodies colliding.

Chapter 832 Dragon King Destruction

If the battles between Spirit Cultivators are very dazzling.

Then the battles of Body Cultivators can be described as shocking.

The clashes between physical bodies, though devoid of fancy movements.

Yet the constant exchange of fists makes the crowd's blood boil.

"Boom! Boom! Boom!"

The rumbling sound continuously.

In just a fleeting moment, Xu Nian had already exchanged hundreds of blows.

And each collision was almost evenly matched.

The more they fought, the more shocked Yuan Lang became.

A cultivator with merely a Zifu Middle-stage in Spiritual Cultivation and a Mid-stage Vajra Realm in Body Cultivation could fight him to a draw.

It was simply unbelievable.

The surrounding spectators couldn't believe it either.

Turns out this guy is incredibly powerful.

It seems they had underestimated him before.

Although Guan Yun was also somewhat surprised, his eyes still harbored a hint of contempt.

If it were yesterday, he might have felt a twinge of jealousy.

But now, the fight between the two in front of him.

In his eyes, it was merely a tussle between two weaklings.

"Good, good, Brother Xu Nian, beat him!" Meng Xiyao shouted with raised fists.

Xuanyuan Qingling didn't speak, but she did glance at Meng Xiyao.

Obviously surprised, how did this girl get involved with Xu Nian?

Every time she saw Xu Nian, it seemed this guy was never short of beauties around him.

And each time they were different.

This made Xuanyuan Qingling feel a strange sensation in her heart, somewhat unpleasant.

"Boom!"

At that moment, a loud bang.

Xu Nian and Yuan Lang collided fiercely.

Both were shaken back, retreating to different corners of the Ascending Immortal Platform.

"I didn't expect your physical strength to be so strong. With your power, you could rank in the top ten of the genius list. I take back my previous humiliation." Yuan Lang sarcastically said.

"You're not bad either, qualified to be my servant." Xu Nian said with a light smile.

This time, however, Yuan Lang didn't get angry but laughed: "Haha, if you can really defeat me, being your servant wouldn't matter. But that's impossible. The battle just now was merely my normal state, but you should know my strength is much more than that."

"The same goes for me!" Xu Nian responded with a light smile.

"Haha, in that case, no need to waste time. Let's each use our ultimate move to see who wins in the end." Yuan Lang said.

"Alright!" Xu Nian decisively agreed.

He didn't want to waste time either.

After all, he knew that there would be many tough battles ahead.

"Is this the final showdown? So soon! I haven't seen enough yet!"

"Honestly, the battle just now was really thrilling, the kind of fight only a strong Body Cultivator can show."

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The surrounding crowd spoke up.

Looking at Xu Nian and Yuan Lang with eyes filled with respect.

At that moment, no one dared to look down on Xu Nian anymore.

Huang Shishan heard the crowd's words, heart filled with resentment.

He originally hoped Yuan Lang would kill Xu Nian.

But now, it looked like he might be disappointed.

"You are called Xu Nian, right? Next, I will use a punch created by comprehending the Gravity Space Profound Argumentation through Body Cultivation, called Gravity Compression. To be honest, even I cannot estimate the power of this punch. If you die under this punch, don't blame me." Yuan Lang said, simultaneously releasing an invisible Gravity Field from around him.

"Boom!"

The entire Ascending Immortal Platform instantly cracked open.

Xu Nian could clearly feel the gravity around him suddenly increase significantly.

But it didn't increase too much, only to the extent of dozens of times.

This level of gravity was entirely negligible to Xu Nian.

However, Xu Nian didn't underestimate it at all.

Because Yuan Lang's attack focus was not on the multiples of gravity.

"Integrating the power of Gravity Space into a punch? Interesting. Once this punch is delivered, it might create a powerful Gravity Compression effect, making its power several times or even tens of times stronger than usual attacks." Xu Nian speculated.

Indeed, Yuan Lang was a genius.

He could use the Gravity Space Profound Argumentation so effectively.

Although each attribute's Profound Argumentation has only three forms.

Yet within these three forms lies infinite possibilities.

So even those comprehending the same Profound Argumentation might have vastly different understandings.

"It should be, but it seems he has enhanced it. The mere force of gravity feels much stronger than before." Someone agreed.

Yuan Lang also smiled lightly at Xu Nian.

At that moment, the space around his fist was already distorted.

This was the effect of powerful gravity.

And this was just dozens of times gravity.

If it were hundreds or even thousands of times, it would be terrifying.

It might directly crush space.

"How about it, surrender now while you can! Obediently become my slave, and I won't mistreat you. Otherwise, under this punch, you might be crushed into meat pulp." Yuan Lang said with a confident smile.

Xu Nian heard and also smiled lightly.

"It seems you have great confidence in your Gravity Fist, but I also have great confidence in my attack." Xu Nian said with a slight smile.

After speaking, he stepped forward.

As he stepped out, a dragon roar emanated from within him.

Then a blood-colored dragon armor emerged from his body ferociously.

The blood-colored scale armor gave an impression of invincibility.

Especially the blood-colored aura, making people's hearts quiver.

"What kind of Spirit Armor is this? It feels so real!" Someone with good eyesight in the crowd asked in surprise.

"Not just feels real; it is real. This scale armor should have grown from his body, not forged by weapons." Someone smart in the crowd said.

"Grown out?"

People around were astonished.

How can a human grow dragon scales?

Yuan Lang was also surprised.

But his eyes still brimmed with confidence.

What about dragon scales, his Gravity Crush wasn't just mere power attack.

But the next moment, his expression changed.

His face showed extreme amazement.

Behind Xu Nian, five enormous dragon shadows appeared.

These five shadows were thousands of yards long.

Covering the sky, lifelike.

The most crucial part was that these five dragons looked different.

If one had seen the Exotic Beast Record, they would recognize.

These five dragon shadows were among the Nine Great Ancient Ancestor Dragons.

With five dragons' power blessed, Xu Nian exuded a devastating aura.

"Buzz!"

The five dragon shadows all returned to Xu Nian's body.

Xu Nian's aura instantly surged.

"Dragon King Destruction!" Xu Nian uttered four words, each like a thunderclap!

Chapter 833 Ambush from All Sides

Dragon King Fist, Third Style, Dragon King Destruction.

However, in this punch, Xu Nian merged his own Dragon God's Energy.

So, the power of this punch would be much stronger than the previous Dragon King Destruction.

"Good momentum, let's see how powerful it is. Take my punch!" Yuan Lang shouted and threw a punch towards Xu Nian.

His fist sliced through the air, producing a terrifying sonic boom from the immense pressure.

At the same time, Xu Nian's fist also shot out.

With a punch, the wind of his fist roared like the Dragon God.

Shaking the heavens and the earth.

Everyone around was astonished.

They eagerly anticipated the collision of the punches, unsure who would emerge victorious.

"Boom!"

A thunderous crash echoed through the sky.

The terrifying force erupted instantly.

Creating a massive energy storm.

"Bang!"

A figure shot out from the energy storm, crashing heavily into the distant cliff.

The impact made the entire cliff tremble violently.

"It's Yuan Lang!"

The onlookers immediately recognized the figure being blown away, each showing a look of shock.

Yuan Lang had been knocked off the Ascending Immortal Platform, signifying his defeat.

Realizing this, the onlookers hurriedly looked towards the Ascending Immortal Platform.

As the smoke cleared on the platform,

a figure stood proudly.

His robes fluttered, unscathed.

With that punch, he merely retreated three steps.

Otherwise, he remained unaffected.

The surrounding crowd was amazed.

Even Yuan Lang looked at Xu Nian in astonishment, clutching his chest and standing up.

With that punch, he could clearly feel an irresistible force from Xu Nian's arm.

This force was so strong that it shattered his Gravity Compression technique.

"I lost, I accept my defeat. From today onwards, you are my master!" Yuan Lang knelt on one knee and respectfully addressed Xu Nian.

The onlookers were astonished.

The notoriously brutal Yuan Lang was willing to acknowledge a master?

Xu Nian, however, laughed.

He understood why Yuan Lang lost so straightforwardly.

Because he pulled back at the last moment of that punch.

Otherwise, the force of the punch, with the fusion of the five Dragon Energies, would have shattered Yuan Lang's heart.

But Xu Nian did not do that.

He realized that Yuan Lang was not entirely evil to his core.

"You may leave. I initially intended to teach you a lesson, but now I have changed my mind," Xu Nian said to Yuan Lang.

"What? Is it that master looks down on me?" Yuan Lang asked, frowning.

Xu Nian waved his hand, "Not that I look down on you, but there's no need. I initially just wanted to teach you a lesson, but now it seems unnecessary, so there's no need to take you in as a slave."

Yuan Lang was bewildered for a moment, then remained silent, standing aside after saluting Xu Nian.

The surrounding crowd was in disbelief.

Yuan Lang, of all people, showing such reverence to Xu Nian?

This was as unbelievable as the sun rising from the west.

Xu Nian, however, showed no joy in his victory.

Instead, he seemed a bit troubled.

His purpose on the platform was not just for the battle.

It was also to find the energy source of the Ascending Immortal Platform, but he found nothing despite using his Spiritual Sense to probe around.

He even tried to deliberately destroy the platform to search for clues but still failed.

Thus, he had no interest in taking Yuan Lang as a slave.

"Senior Wentian? Where exactly is the energy source of this Ascending Immortal Platform?" Xu Nian couldn't help but ask.

"Boy, I don't know where the energy source is, but I do know that you might be in great trouble soon," Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice echoed in Xu Nian's mind.

"Great trouble? What trouble?" Xu Nian asked in surprise.

"I sense several strong presences hidden around. It seems they mean you no good and are coming for you," Wentian Demon Sovereign continued.

Xu Nian's brows furrowed instantly.

He couldn't sense any presences at all.

Which meant the opponent's strength was likely above Cave Void, possibly even in the Heavenly Phenomenon Realm.

If that was the case, it would indeed be troubling.

"No matter. I'll obtain the energy source first. If they come for me, there's no escaping. I can only fight back," Xu Nian mused to himself.

Since the opponent had made their move,

there was no escape, so he might as well focus on the task at hand.

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About ten miles from where Xu Nian and the others were, four men stood.

"Whoosh!"

A figure flew in from afar.

It was none other than Yuwen Gong, who had been humiliated by Xu Nian at Lingxi Sect.

"Reporting to Elder, everything is set. The formation is in place. This time, Xu Nian won't escape, not even with wings," Yuwen Gong said with a cold smile.

The youngest of the four Elders grinned at those words.

Yes, it was Nangong Lie, who had been tricked by Xu Nian earlier.

He was here for revenge.

"Great Elder, Second Elder, Third Elder, you have seen it yourself. This kid has immense potential. He easily defeated Yuan Lang earlier and has previously killed our sect disciples. He is already a foe of Tianxing Sect and cannot be allowed to grow," Nangong Lie said.

The Second and Third Elders nodded at his words.

The potential Xu Nian showed earlier had astonished them.

A Zifu Realm cultivator with late-stage Cave Void strength was extraordinary.

Only the Great Elder remained silent.

"Great Elder, why hesitate? If you worry about the peak Heavenly Phenomenon guard beside him, don't. We have three peak Heavenly Phenomenon cultivators here, including you. We need not fear," Nangong Lie said urgently.

At those words, the Great Elder finally moved.

"This boy is no simple matter. Killing him is fine, but we must do it cleanly. Otherwise, he will be a disaster for Tianxing Sect. And that princess from Chaos Sky Sect is also a problem," the Great Elder said.

"Rest assured. This time he won't escape. As for the princess, I have a plan. I'll isolate her outside the formation; she won't know who did it," Nangong Lie sneered.

Inwardly dismissing the Great Elder's concerns.

Yuwen Gong also smirked in agreement.

"So shall we act now?" Nangong Lie asked eagerly.

But the Great Elder waved his hand, "No rush. Let him fight a bit more. The more he exhausts, the easier it will be for us."

Nangong Lie smiled at those words.

Yes, let Xu Nian live a bit longer.

He would ensure Xu Nian regretted ever crossing him.

Chapter 834 Battle with Guan Yun

Xu Nian was silently recovering the true essence and energy within his body.

"Swoosh!"

Another figure flew down onto the Ascension Platform.

"It's him! He's going to make a move too?"

All the people around saw this figure and showed expressions of surprise.

Ranked sixth on the Genius Ranking, Guan Yun!

Xuanyuan Qingling also furrowed her brows.

She knew that Guan Yun chose to make a move at this moment largely because of her.

Her previous actions had made Guan Yun hostile towards Xu Nian.

Thinking of this, a wave of guilt surged in her heart.

Xu Nian was not too surprised.

Guan Yun's arrival was completely within his expectations.

Because this guy had been looking at him with unfriendly eyes ever since he appeared.

"Guan Yun is going to make a move? Isn't he ranked sixth on the Genius Ranking? Even Yuan Lang was defeated, could he still be Xu Nian's opponent?"

"That's not necessarily true. I heard that Guan Yun has been secretly cultivating, with a huge breakthrough in his cultivation. Maybe he has already surpassed Yuan Lang."

"I think it's possible. Look at his arrogant expression; it's obvious he doesn't consider Xu Nian at all. Seems like he has made a breakthrough."

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The people around started discussing.

Guan Yun was scrutinizing Xu Nian playfully.

"Do you think that since the fifth-ranked on the Genius Ranking was defeated, I'm here, ranked sixth, looking for a beating?" Guan Yun said, with a trace of mocking smile.

"Isn't that so?" Xu Nian retorted.

Upon hearing this, the smile on Guan Yun's face grew even more pronounced.

"Foolish!" He then sneered malevolently, his face full of undisguised mockery.

"Oh, so Guan Da Gongzi has made a breakthrough?" Xu Nian smiled.

Guan Yun snorted coldly, and an imposing aura erupted from his body.

The eruption of the aura caused the entire Ascension Platform to tremble.

Everyone around was pushed back a step by this aura, looking at Guan Yun in shock.

"Peak of Cave Void? Guan Yun actually broke through to the Peak of Cave Void?"

"No wonder he dared to come up despite knowing Yuan Lang was defeated; turns out he broke through to the Peak of Cave Void!"

"Indeed, this means Xu Nian will undoubtedly lose. Even if he has the strength of the Late Stage Cave Void, facing Guan Yun at the Peak of Cave Void, he probably wouldn't stand a chance!"

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In an instant, the people around all started to favor Guan Yun, and support for Xu Nian dropped significantly.

"Hey, I'm telling you, you're not allowed to hurt my Brother Nian, otherwise my father won't spare you," Meng Xiyao pointed at Guan Yun threateningly.

However, Guan Yun ignored her completely.

Yuan Lang, who hadn't left, was also somewhat surprised. He didn't expect Guan Yun to have broken through to the Peak of Cave Void.

Xu Nian was not too surprised.

Because he had already investigated Guan Yun's cultivation.

"Is that it..."

Xu Nian looked at Guan Yun with a nonchalant expression.

The people around were stunned.

Xu Nian actually said something like that.

Shouldn't he be extremely solemn at this moment?

Guan Yun was also surprised for a moment, but then felt a strong sense of humiliation.

This guy actually dared to look down on him?

Anger surged in his heart.

"You're making a move for Xuanyuan Qingling, aren't you?" Xu Nian looked at the furious Guan Yun and laughed.

Upon hearing this, Guan Yun immediately stared at Xu Nian with wide eyes and roared, "Tell me, what is your relationship with Qingling?"

With these words, everyone looked at Xuanyuan Qingling.

She, being the Rashamon City Lord, still had a calm expression.

She just quietly looked at Xu Nian, seemingly curious about how Xu Nian would respond to this question.

Xu Nian smiled slightly and raised his eyebrows, "What relationship? Qingling and I have no relationship, and definitely not the kind you're thinking!"

"Eh?"

The people around were stunned.

If it's not that kind of relationship, then what relationship is it?

Guan Yun also frowned fiercely.

Xu Nian's words made him even more displeased.

Not the kind you're thinking?

Could something really have happened between Xu Nian and Xuanyuan Qingling?

"Brilliant, Boss is truly brilliant, I've learned a new trick!" Bu Keng couldn't help but praise from the side.

He knew the relationship between Xu Nian and Xuanyuan Qingling.

But Xu Nian's words made the relationship between them even more ambiguous.

Xuanyuan Qingling also smiled helplessly.

Unexpectedly, Xu Nian was so cunning.

It seemed unnecessary for her to worry about him.

However, this smile was caught by Guan Yun.

A stronger sense of rage surged in his heart.

"Kid, I'm going to kill you!" Guan Yun roared and rushed towards Xu Nian.

"Fiery Fire Palm!"

Flames erupted from Guan Yun's palm, full of killing intent.

The rising flames were burning hot, making others feel a sense of dread.

The terrifying heat seemed enough to burn everything.

The palm reached Xu Nian in an instant; a palm that could heavily wound any Late Stage Cave Void expert.

It had to be said, Guan Yun's strength was truly formidable.

However, Xu Nian's lips curled into a cold smile.

A chain appeared directly in his hand.

"Boom!"

Xu Nian swung the chain towards Guan Yun.

Seeing Xu Nian swinging the chain, Guan Yun's eyes were full of disdain.

"Watch me turn your chain into ashes," Guan Yun sneered.

However, the next moment, his expression drastically changed.

Because he found that his Fiery Fire could not even stop the chain.

Moreover, the power coming from the chain was incredibly terrifying.

"Pfft!"

Guan Yun instantly spat out blood, and was violently thrown away by the chain.

The people below the platform were extremely shocked upon seeing this scene.

That's Guan Yun at the Peak of Cave Void!

Even without using his spear, his strength was not to be underestimated.

Could it be that Xu Nian was holding back in his previous fight with Yuan Lang?

Xuanyuan Qingling's beautiful eyes sparkled, and there was a hint of surprise in her gaze.

"Good hit, hit him so hard his mom won't recognize him," Bu Keng shouted.

Meng Xiyao immediately echoed, "Hit him, hit him till his mother can't recognize him!"

On the platform, Guan Yun was so infuriated that he spat another mouthful of blood.

"Hmph, a person proficient with a long spear, yet without using it, you plan to defeat me. Aren't you being overly arrogant?" Xu Nian coldly looked at Guan Yun.

His strength to deal with the Peak of Cave Void was somewhat strenuous, but he had treasures!

As long as he had the Divine Demon Iron Chain in hand, he could hit him until his mother wouldn't recognize him.

"You've thoroughly angered me, Xu Nian. Today, if I, Guan Yun, don't kill you, I swear I won't be a man!" Guan Yun roared aloud, shaking his arm, and a flame spear appeared in his hand.

With the spear in hand, Guan Yun's aura surged rapidly.

His whole being transformed into a fiery War God.

"Buzz!"

With a swift step, Guan Yun's figure immediately blurred.

The next moment, he was right in front of Xu Nian, his spear aimed straight at Xu Nian's heart.

"So fast!"

Xu Nian was startled and quickly retreated.

"Think you can escape? Dream on!"

Guan Yun's spear instantly switched to a horizontal slash.

As Guan Yun swung the spear, it extended hundreds of feet, fiercely striking at Xu Nian's waist.

The spear whipped up flames that soared thousands of feet, boiling the sky and sea, obscuring the sun!

The people around were dumbfounded.

This Guan Yun indeed lived up to his title as the Little Fire God!

Chapter 835: A Matter of One Sword

The long spear whipped up a sea of fire spanning a thousand feet, crashing fiercely towards Xu Nian.

The scorching heat made everyone around change their expressions drastically and they retreated hastily.

"What a powerful attack, such an attack method is almost comparable to a Unity Realm Stage expert."

"Not quite Unity Realm Stage, but definitely a Peak of Cave Void Realm elite. I'm afraid Xu Nian will struggle to resist."

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The crowd around exclaimed in awe.

This Guan Yun's strength has far surpassed Yuan Lang, who ranks fifth.

Among all the talented disciples on the Tianlan continent, he is definitely a top-tier existence.

Xuanyuan Qingling's embroidered brows furrowed slightly, starting to worry about Xu Nian.

Xu Nian was also somewhat surprised; Guan Yun's strength was indeed unexpected.

The temperature of this flame was already capable of burning low-grade spiritual artifacts.

Of course, if it were in the past, Xu Nian might have feared this terrifying flame.

But after absorbing the bloodline of the Red Fire Flame Dragon, as long as the fire wasn't overwhelmingly terrifying, it generally wouldn't harm him anymore.

On the contrary, a certain degree of fire would become his vital nourishment.

"Swallow!"

Xu Nian opened his mouth wide, and the surging sea of fire was swallowed entirely into his stomach.

The fiercely whipping long spear was blocked by him with an iron chain.

"What?"

The surrounding crowd exclaimed.

Guan Yun's face changed dramatically, his eyes filled with disbelief as he looked at Xu Nian.

Xu Nian burped.

With a face full of smiles, he looked at Guan Yun in the distance, the corner of his mouth curved into a slight smile.

Inside him, the bloodline of the Red Fire Flame Dragon surged, swallowing the fire entirely, transforming it into energy that flowed into Xu Nian's limbs.

That caused another advancement in Xu Nian's newly breakthrough Divine Demon Body Refiner.

"Not bad, not bad, to have so much energy, worthy of Little Fire God, the fire energy is indeed extraordinary." Xu Nian laughed heartily.

He was really happy, the higher the temperature of Guan Yun's flame.

The more energy it contained, the stronger the enhancement to his physical body.

Guan Yun's face looked gloomy; this guy actually swallowed his attack?

And transformed it into his energy?

Is this guy human or a monster?

But thinking about this guy's ambiguous relationship with Xuanyuan Qingling, a strong anger surged in his heart.

"I want to see how much flame you can swallow." Guan Yun snorted coldly.

His long spear wielded again, instantly transforming into a sky full of spear shadows.

Terrifying flames surged on these spear shadows.

Each of these spears was real and possessed great attack power.

Being hit would cause serious injury.

Xu Nian's gaze turned fierce at this moment.

"Since you don't see my true strength, you really think I'm a sick cat." Xu Nian snorted coldly.

"Buzz!"

The talent phenomenon behind him suddenly activated.

A Divine Wheel appeared behind Xu Nian.

When the Divine Wheel appeared, it emitted a rainbow-like radiance.

The radiance blessed Xu Nian, making his aura soar instantly.

The iron chain in Xu Nian's hand disappeared, replaced by the Immortal Sword.

"Buzz!"

The Immortal Sword hummed softly.

The sword qi surged straight up.

The sword embryo inside the Immortal Sword whined in response to Xu Nian's powerful sword momentum.

At the same time, a strong killing intent swept across the entire field.

Everyone around felt suffocated, as if a mountain of corpses and a sea of blood surfaced before their eyes.

Xu Nian then unleashed a sword.

One sword followed closely by another!

The first sword slashed out like a roaring gale.

Instantly tearing apart the flaming spear, transforming it into falling flames.

The second sword pierced through the flame rain, rushing straight at Guan Yun.

Guan Yun was startled; this sword attack was too fierce.

"Kunyuan Spear! Overturning Mountains and Seas!"

Guan Yun didn't dare to be careless, wielding his spear.

With an upward sweep, he whipped up a thousand-foot flame tornado to fiercely collide with the green sword energy.

"Boom!"

The flame tornado exploded.

The sword energy also vanished instantly.

The entire sky was dyed a bright red, as if the burning flames were scorching the space.

Guan Yun retreated repeatedly, clutching his chest and spitting another mouthful of blood.

He looked at Xu Nian astonished.

Xu Nian was forced back a few steps by the flame storm.

His gaze was fierce.

Indeed, he hadn't used his talent phenomenon for a long time.

With the blessing of the talent phenomenon, his strength instantly surged to the Peak of Cave Void Realm.

Almost on par with Guan Yun.

Moreover, his understanding of Wind Attribute Profound Argumentation naturally would not be weaker than Guan Yun.

"It's a talent phenomenon; this guy seems to have some special physique. No wonder he can surpass so many levels to battle."

"Indeed, this talent phenomenon doesn't seem weak; I wonder what kind of physique it is?"

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The crowd around kept discussing.

All were shocked by Xu Nian's talent phenomenon.

Xu Nian stood holding his sword, looking at Guan Yun ahead.

His gaze was particularly cold at this moment.

This Guan Yun is different from Yuan Lang.

Yuan Lang is just arrogant.

But Guan Yun is inherently vicious.

So he can spare Yuan Lang, but he absolutely won't spare Guan Yun.

"Xu Nian, I didn't expect you to have hidden your strength. Since that's the case, I won't hold back anymore." Guan Yun stood up straight, his spear surged with a scorching flame.

However, this time the flame wasn't bright red but a strange deep blue.

Deep blue flame?

Could it be...

The crowd around showed surprised expressions.

They all knew there was an extremely terrifying flame, which was deep blue.

This flame is known as Blue Burning Heart.

It's harvested from a terrifying meteorite.

The terrifying aspect of this flame is that it uses True Essence as fuel.

Once it touches True Essence, it instantly ignites.

The stronger the True Essence, the fiercer the flame.

Even Unity Realm Stage experts generally dare not touch this flame.

Because once touched, they could meet the fate of being burned alive.

"Xu Nian, to force me to use Blue Burning Heart, you've got some skill." Guan Yun snorted coldly.

After speaking, his spear moved instantly.

His spear thrust forward.

Rotating in the air, it formed a strange blue glow.

Meanwhile, powerful True Essence surged fiercely towards Xu Nian.

The crowd around was shocked.

Xu Nian's lips curved into a cold smile.

"No matter how strong the flame, if it can't keep up with the speed, it's useless!"

After finishing, Xu Nian's figure turned into a flash of shadow.

Like a swift beam of light, it darted instantly.

And Guan Yun, originally attacking Xu Nian, suddenly stiffened in place.

His face showed a look of shock.

"What's happening?" The crowd was bewildered.

"This... how... can this... be!" Guan Yun uttered these words with difficulty, then collapsed under the astonished stares of the crowd.

His head rolled aside.

Blood splattered.

"Dead... he's dead?"

The crowd was stunned; they never expected Guan Yun to die by Xu Nian's hand.

What happened in that instant just now?

Chapter 836 Small Constant Star

Xuanyuan Qingling was also extremely surprised when she saw this scene.

Guan Yun actually lost?

How was Xu Nian's last sword strike so fast?

However, Xuanyuan Qingling didn't have too many feelings about it.

Although she had known Guan Yun since childhood, Xuanyuan Qingling didn't have much affection for him.

So she felt no sadness at Guan Yun's death.

"Great, I knew Brother Xu Nian would defeat this guy." Meng Xiyao exclaimed.

Her eyes were filled with admiration for Xu Nian.

Xu Nian looked at Guan Yun's corpse, a slight smile playing at his lips.

That last sword strike was not just using the Thunderclap Flash.

He also used the Profound Argumentation of Space Folding.

When he took that step, he folded space to achieve an instant teleportation speed.

Although it couldn't compare to true instant teleportation, the speed was something a Peak of Cave Void powerhouse couldn't withstand.

As for the power of that strike, it was just a normal sword attack.

After all, when the speed reaches an extreme, even a normal sword strike can decapitate Guan Yun.

This is the charm of speed!

Xu Nian no longer looked at Guan Yun's corpse.

The reason he suddenly used the space profound argumentation to swiftly end the fight.

Was because he discovered the location of the energy source of the Ascending Immortal Platform.

Aside from fighting, Xu Nian also had the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar explore every part of the Ascending Immortal Platform with space power.

He finally discovered a place on the Ascending Immortal Platform, where a strong energy fluctuation was hidden.

"Boom!"

Xu Nian directly punched the Ascending Immortal Platform.

In an instant, the entire platform shattered.

"What is he doing?"

Everyone around showed expressions of surprise.

They didn't understand why Xu Nian suddenly shattered the platform.

But Xu Nian did not stop and swung his Immortal Sword.

"Swish swish swish!"

In an instant, Xu Nian cut countless sword strikes.

In a blink of an eye, the debris instantly shattered.

As the stones shattered, an incredibly scorching light burst out from within.

Everyone around was shocked.

What is this?

Xu Nian immediately saw the true form of that energy.

It was a blazing sphere of fire.

"Goodness, it's actually a miniature star? No wonder this Ascending Immortal Platform could operate for tens of thousands of years." The voice of Wentian Demon Sovereign echoed in Xu Nian's mind.

"Star? What's that?" Xu Nian asked in surprise.

"Star, it's what you call the sun, but this is a very, very tiny star, yet it contains inexhaustible energy, enough to sustain the Ascending Immortal Platform for countless billions of years. I didn't expect someone to embed such energy into the formation, no wonder it could even attract the Immortal Emperor's consciousness." Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice continued.

Xu Nian's eyes widened.

A miniature sun?

Did he hear it right?

"Boy, don't be surprised. The universe is full of wonders. When you truly enter the universe in the future, you'll find the world to be far richer and more exciting than you can imagine." Wentian Demon Sovereign laughed.

"Swoosh!"

Just as Xu Nian and Wentian Demon Sovereign were talking, the miniature sun was about to escape into the debris.

The debris shattered by Xu Nian also seemed to be gathering again.

Where could Xu Nian let it escape like that?

Letting the space power immediately trap the miniature energy source.

But the tiny energy seemed extremely unstable, directly crashing into the space walls.

It was about to break free from Xu Nian's space binding.

Xu Nian was already struggling, unable to hold for more than a minute.

He would be overwhelmed by this miniature sun.

"Quick, use your black token, the energy from this source is too powerful, you cannot absorb it directly with your current strength, only it can absorb and return the energy to you." Wentian Demon Sovereign advised.

Upon hearing this, Xu Nian did not hesitate.

Immediately urged the black jade pendant.

A black Kun Cave appeared directly, swallowing the miniature sun into it.

As the miniature sun was devoured, the debris of the Ascending Immortal Platform fell to the ground with a crash.

"What?"

Everyone around was completely stunned.

Especially those who were hoping to compete for the platform's quota, all showed astonished expressions.

The Ascending Immortal Platform was destroyed by Xu Nian?

Even a fool could see that Xu Nian had extracted the platform's energy source.

Xuanyuan Qingling was also shocked.

The energy within the platform was so immense, and Xu Nian dared to absorb it?

Wasn't he afraid of bursting?

At this moment, Xu Nian sat back down cross-legged.

Although the miniature sun was swallowed by Kun Cave.

There was still a tremendous force being fed back to Xu Nian through the black pendant.

It was like, the black pendant ate meat, Xu Nian drank soup.

Even though it was just soup, the energy was still enormous.

After all, it was a miniature sun!

Xu Nian desperately absorbed the scorching energy released by the black pendant.

"Dan Sea Species Green Lotus" and "Divine Demon Refining Body Technique" operated simultaneously.

The absorbing speed of the two great techniques could be described as terrifying.

Yet they could barely keep up with the energy release speed of the black pendant.

At this moment, in Xu Nian's Zifu, golden lotuses continuously bloomed.

Golden threads were constantly being born from the green lotus.

The entire Zifu was full of vitality, shrouded in purple aura.

Xu Nian's cultivation also increased rapidly, directly heading towards the late-stage Zifu.

Moreover, Xu Nian's bones, muscles, tendons, meridians, every cell of his body was madly absorbing this powerful energy.

Having just broken through to mid-stage Vajra Realm, he had now reached the peak of Vajra Realm.

"Joy, what great joy!" Xu Nian roared in his heart.

This feeling of rapid power increase was so exhilarating he wanted to scream.

But he knew, this was not the time to be happy.

Seeing Xu Nian enter the cultivation state, Xuan Hong moved directly by Xu Nian's side.

To prevent anyone from approaching Xu Nian and to protect Xu Nian.

"Buzz!"

But at this moment, Xuan Hong's brows furrowed.

Because he saw a powerful array pattern suddenly emerge on the earth and sky.

"Buzz!"

The surrounding spectators were immediately pushed out of the array by an invisible force.

Among them, Meng Xiyao and Huang Shishan, were the first to be affected.

Xuanyuan Qingling also felt a force trying to push her out of the formation.

But a strong true essence surged out of her, directly crushing that force.

Eventually, the formation closed, isolating Xu Nian and his group from the outside world.

Xu Nian, Xuan Hong, and Xuanyuan Qingling were locked within the formation.

"Who is it? Come out!" Xuanyuan Qingling retreated to Xu Nian's side and demanded coldly.

Her eyes scanning the surroundings.

Xuan Hong also frowned at this moment, sensing something bad.

"Swish swish swish!"

At this moment, several breaking sounds came from afar.

Chapter 837 Avatar Takes Action

The sound of air being torn apart transmitted through the skies.

Five figures appeared before Xuan Hong and his company.

Xuan Hong and Xuanyuan Qingling's brows furrowed immediately.

Among them, they recognized two people: Nangong Lie and Yuwen Gong.

They both came from the Tianxing Sect, so the identities of the other three elders were naturally revealed.

"May I ask what brings the esteemed elders of the Tianxing Sect here today?" Xuanyuan Qingling looked at the person ahead and asked.

As she spoke, she also used her mind to scan the surroundings.

She was surprised to find that the world around them was completely isolated.

Even their Spiritual Sense couldn't pass through.

Likewise, the outside couldn't detect the situation within.

"Huang Shishan, what is happening? How could a Formation suddenly appear here?" Meng Xiyao attacked the Formation wall twice, but both attempts were repelled by the wall's energy.

"Sister Xiyao, there's no use trying. This is likely the Qiankun Locking Sky Array. With our strength, we can't break it. It seems someone is targeting Xu Nian and set up this Formation long ago," Huang Shishan said.

As he spoke, a cold smile emerged in his heart.

Previously, Xu Nian didn't die on the Ascending Immortal Platform.

Now, he was trapped by the Qiankun Locking Sky Array.

Whoever could set up such a Formation must be immensely powerful.

So, in his view, Xu Nian was doomed.

"Who's bold enough to attack my benefactor? If I find out who it is, I'll have my father annihilate him!" Meng Xiyao said fiercely.

At the same time, Bu Keng, who had been silent on the side, glanced around with nervous eyes.

When the Formation was activated, he sensed danger.

So he escaped at the earliest opportunity.

He knew that, with his strength, staying inside wouldn't change anything.

It was better to escape and reduce Xu Nian's burden.

Unexpectedly, Xuanyuan Qingling broke through the Formation and forcibly stayed in the Array Sect.

"Among the Thirty-Six Strategies, escaping is the best. Xu Nian, if you survive, I'll tell you a huge secret next time. Amitabha Buddha, I'm out!" Bu Keng turned into a golden light and vanished into the air.

He never had a deep bond with Xu Nian and had no intention of fighting to the death for him.

He called Xu Nian "boss" just to flatter him.

Even Xu Nian wouldn't consider him a brother to trust his life to.

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Inside the Qiankun Locking Sky Array, Yuwen Gong, Nangong Lie, and the others stood, smiling lightly at the still-meditating Xu Nian.

This time they wanted to see where Xu Nian could escape to.

But what was Xuanyuan Qingling doing here?

"Xuanyuan Qingling, this is none of your business. Step aside, and we won't harm you. Our target is Xu Nian," Yuwen Gong said to Xuanyuan Qingling.

Despite seeing such a beauty, there was still a touch of longing in Yuwen Gong's heart.

So his tone was relatively gentle.

However, Xuanyuan Qingling didn't feel relieved. Instead, her expression grew more severe.

She glanced at the meditating Xu Nian.

Suddenly, she remembered their promise.

Her eyes quickly steeled with determination.

"You want to kill Xu Nian?" Xuanyuan Qingling asked.

"That's right. Xu Nian stole our Tianxing Sect's treasure and killed our disciple. We can't let him live. Xuanyuan Qingling, you'd better stay out of this, or don't blame us for not showing mercy," Nangong Lie said.

Although Nangong Lie enjoyed women, he knew this was not the time.

If Xuanyuan Qingling truly made things difficult, he wouldn't mind seeing her dead.

"Elder, it's troublesome, three Peak Heavenly Phenomenon level, one Middle-stage Heavenly Phenomenon, and Yuwen Gong is in the Late Stage Cave Void Realm. We're no match for them," Xuanyuan Qingling transmitted to Xuan Hong, a hint of urgency in her tone.

"Even if we can't defeat them, we must fight. We mustn't let them near Xu Nian. I'll hold the three Peak Heavenly Phenomenon. You stop Nangong Lie as best as you can. Leave Yuwen Gong to Xu Nian," Xuan Hong responded through his Spiritual Sense.

Xuanyuan Qingling nodded. This was all they could do.

The gap between their strengths was vast.

They had no choice but to fight with all their might.

"It seems that Xuanyuan City Lord doesn't plan to stand aside. In that case, don't blame me for being ruthless. Attack!" Nangong Lie shouted.

He then charged at Xuanyuan Qingling.

Xuanyuan Qingling's eyes flashed sharply, ice-cold like a blade.

Her figure settled in mid-air, and an ancient zither appeared on her lap.

"Twang!"

Xuanyuan Qingling plucked a zither string urgently. The intense sound rang out.

A Zither Sound filled with extreme killing intent echoed like the cry of a phoenix.

As the Zither Sound resounded, numerous invisible swords and blades emerged around Xuanyuan Qingling.

They rushed toward Nangong Lie like a tidal wave.

"Hmph, petty tricks! A mere Cave Void Realm dares stand against me? You're courting death!" Nangong Lie sneered, powerful True Essence surging in his hand.

A Battle Saber appeared in his hand.

He slashed down immediately.

The Sword Light swept out, instantly shattering the invisible swords and blades around him.

However, Xuanyuan Qingling seemed to anticipate this, plucking three zither strings simultaneously.

The killing intent around her surged.

A terrifying Sword Radiance shot directly toward Nangong Lie.

Plucking three zither strings took a toll on Nangong Lie, making her face pale.

But this strike slowed Nangong Lie's advance.

Meanwhile, Xuan Hong moved towards the three elders of the Tianxing Sect.

Initially, the three elders thought they could defeat Xuan Hong quickly together.

Yet upon engaging, they found Xuan Hong's defense unimaginable.

The combined efforts of the three couldn't break his defense in a short time.

They hadn't expected Xuan Hong to be a Xuan Turtle.

"Yuwen Gong, kill Xu Nian!" shouted Nangong Lie, entangled by Xuanyuan Qingling's Zither Sound.

"Rest assured, Elder Nangong. Xu Nian is as good as dead!" Yuwen Gong sneered, rushing towards Xu Nian.

His eyes were filled with ridicule as he looked at Xu Nian.

"Still cultivating at death's door? I'll send you straight to Hell!" Yuwen Gong laughed coldly, striking at Xu Nian with his sword.

Yet the moment he swung his sword, he saw a black light flash before his eyes.

Then, his whole body stiffened.

"Im... impossible!"

Yuwen Gong stared at the black-robed Xu Nian before him in shock.

"Two... two Xu... Xu Nian?"

Yuwen Gong's final words were uttered before his body fell in two halves.

The white-robed Xu Nian remained unmoved, while beside him stood another figure, bearing an uncanny resemblance.

Only, this figure wore a black robe, eyes glowing red.

His chilling gaze exuded:

Coldness!

Ferocity!

Chapter 838 The Death of Xuanyuan Qingling

That's right, this Xu Nian in the black robe is indeed the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar of Xu Nian.

At this moment, Xu Nian's Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar stood proudly beside Xu Nian's true self, holding that Immortal Sword.

The cold and murderous aura emanating from him made the surrounding people shudder.

"Twins?"

Nangong Lie muttered to himself in astonishment.

"It doesn't seem like it!"

Xuanyuan Qingling was also a bit surprised, not expecting that Xu Nian actually had an avatar.

"You step back, I'll deal with him." The black-robed Xu Nian said to Xuanyuan Qingling.

He was very grateful that Xuanyuan Qingling stayed behind.

So at this moment, he had no reason to let Xuanyuan Qingling stay in danger.

Moreover, she seemed to have overdrawn her True Essence within her to block Nangong Lie just now.

Her face was now pale, and her breath was a bit unstable.

"Let's do it together, you attack, and I'll assist from the side!" Xuanyuan Qingling said.

Xu Nian looked into Xuanyuan Qingling's eyes and then nodded.

He did not say anything more.

With the help of Xuanyuan Qingling, it was indeed better.

After all, Nangong Lie was in the middle stage of the Heavenly Phenomenon Realm.

While his Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar could at most display the strength of the peak of Cave Void.

So, against Nangong Lie, he was simply without any chance of winning.

"Just the two of you want to deal with me? I'm afraid even with both of you, you're still not my match!" Nangong Lie sneered and mocked.

He was the most talented genius of the Tianxing Sect in centuries, able to reach the middle stage of the Heavenly Phenomenon Realm at less than fifty years old.

He naturally did not take Xu Nian and Xuanyuan Qingling seriously.

"Hmph, Xu Nian, whether you're an avatar or a twin, you must die today, and you, Xuanyuan Qingling, after I capture you, I will make you understand what it means for Yama to press Rakshasa!" Nangong Lie sneered, his smile twisted and lecherous.

Xuanyuan Qingling's brows instantly furrowed tightly, and her gaze towards Nangong Lie was filled with anger.

The blood-red eyes of the black-robed Xu Nian flashed with a trace of cold light.

His eyes suddenly became as sharp as blades.

"Buzz!"

Xu Nian stepped forward and in an instant reached Nangong Lie's side.

With the Immortal Sword in his hand, he directly slashed towards Nangong Lie.

"So fast!"

Nangong Lie was clearly shocked, there were hundreds of feet between him and Xu Nian.

In that instant, Xu Nian had suddenly closed in, and he hadn't noticed.

But although his movement was fast, his sword speed was much slower.

"You want to kill me like this, arrogant!" Nangong Lie's Battle Saber swung directly, fiercely hacking at Xu Nian's sword edge.

"Clang!"

The Immortal Sword in Xu Nian's hand was directly blocked by Nangong Lie's Battle Saber.

Not only that, Xu Nian's sword and entire arm were numbed by this single strike, completely losing sensation.

"Die!"

Nangong Lie seized the opportunity, swinging the saber towards Xu Nian's neck.

The Sword Light fell like cold light, bone-chilling.

The blood-colored light flashed in Xu Nian's eyes, and a layer of black Scale Armor suddenly emerged on his arm.

He blocked with his arm!

"Clang!"

The sharp saber edge collided with the black Scale Armor, sparking brilliantly.

However, it could not break through the black Scale Armor.

"What?"

Nangong Lie was visibly shocked, the Battle Saber in his hand was a Low Grade Spiritual Artifact, but a top-grade one among them.

Even a normal Low Grade Spiritual Artifact could be directly pierced, but it couldn't break through Xu Nian's Scale Armor?

"Buzz!"

At this moment, Xu Nian suddenly reversed his grip and caught Nangong Lie's saber edge directly.

The black Scale Armor on his palm was sinister, locking Nangong Lie's Battle Saber tightly.

"Clang!"

At the same time, a sharp sound came from afar.

Xuanyuan Qingling suddenly struck four zither strings, the Zither Sound exploded like thunder.

A Sword Light shot out like a falling meteor.

It came straight towards Nangong Lie.

Having done this, a trace of blood oozed from Xuanyuan Qingling's mouth, and her breath became significantly weaker.

Using a Secret Technique had a backlash on her.

With her current cultivation, plucking three strings was already her limit.

Plucking the fourth string came at the cost of self-injury.

However, this Sword Light was indeed much stronger than her previous attacks.

Nangong Lie felt the terror of this Sword Light and wanted to dodge, but his Battle Saber was tightly held by Xu Nian.

Clearly, Xu Nian intended to force him to either abandon his saber or be injured.

"Courting death!"

The veins on Nangong Lie's forehead bulged as he kicked fiercely at Xu Nian's chest.

His body flipped back, using the momentum to evade the sword.

The Sword Light sliced across Nangong Lie's face.

The incredibly sharp Sword Light left a scar on Nangong Lie's face.

Xu Nian, however, was kicked flying by this kick.

He flew a thousand feet before finally dispelling the terrifying force.

"Pfft!"

Xu Nian spat out a mouthful of blood.

Even though his Undying Devouring Sky Beast had a very strong defense, the gap between him and Nangong Lie was still too great.

After all, spanning two major realms, it was not something easily compensated for.

However, he still held a Battle Saber in his hand.

It was Nangong Lie's saber.

"Buzz!"

The Battle Saber trembled constantly, seemingly trying to break free from Xu Nian's grip.

Xu Nian let out a cold snort and swung his Immortal Sword at the Battle Saber.

"Crack!"

The Battle Saber instantly broke into two pieces.

Without Nangong Lie's True Essence to reinforce it, the Battle Saber was rather fragile in front of Xu Nian's Immortal Sword.

"You actually destroyed my Battle Saber!" Nangong Lie stared with bulging eyes, glaring at Xu Nian in fury.

This guy actually destroyed his Battle Saber.

Clearly, he wanted to weaken his combat power.

"Hmph, do you think destroying my Battle Saber will help? The damned will still die, now I will send you to hell!" Nangong Lie roared.

Then, a dazzling light burst from his palm.

A wave of heart-palpitating energy came forth.

"Not good, it's the Light Annihilation Profound Argumentation, Xuanyuan Qingling, dodge quickly!" Xu Nian hurriedly shouted towards Xuanyuan Qingling.

Then, clad in black Scale Armor, he dashed towards Xuanyuan Qingling.

"Useless, no matter how fast you are, you can't outpace my beam. Besides, you still have time to care about others? Worry about yourself!" Nangong Lie shouted.

Two beams of light shot toward Xu Nian and Xuanyuan Qingling simultaneously.

Xu Nian was startled and had to use his sword to block.

"Boom!"

The Immortal Sword in Xu Nian's hand was directly shaken off.

He spat out blood wildly, his body flying backward rapidly.

As he flew back, he saw Xuanyuan Qingling's body being pierced by a beam of light.

Blood sprayed as she fell backward.

"No!"

Xu Nian roared in his heart, an unprecedented anger surging within him.

Watching Xuanyuan Qingling's blood spray.

A strong sense of guilt welled up in his heart.

Xuanyuan Qingling had stayed for him.

Now, she was hurt by Nangong Lie.

This made his killing intent reach its peak.

"Boom!"

Xu Nian's body flew back and finally fell to the ground far away.

Chapter 839 Fusion of Clones

Xu Nian rolled to the side, but his gaze never left Xuanyuan Qingling in the distance.

At this moment, Xuanyuan Qingling had already fallen, her chest stained red with blood.

That beam clearly hit Xuanyuan Qingling's vital heart.

Xuanyuan Qingling's life force was rapidly fading.

Xu Nian hurriedly got up and rushed over.

Nangong Lie's attack didn't pierce his body, but the force within that beam.

had shaken Xu Nian's internal organs.

Xu Nian arrived beside Xuanyuan Qingling.

She was already extremely pale, her breathing was exceedingly weak.

The whole person had already fallen into unconsciousness.

Blood still hung at the corner of her mouth, a shocking sight.

Xu Nian's fist instantly clenched tightly.

A strong killing intent surged from his heart.

The Undying Devouring Sky Beast was originally a bloodthirsty fierce beast.

Born for slaughter.

But its nature had always been suppressed by Xu Nian.

Now, the fury ignited the true nature of the Undying Devouring Sky Beast.

"Haha, you really think that because you look beautiful, I won't kill you? Anger me and I'll kill you just the same." Nangong Lie laughed heartily, looking at the furious Xu Nian, his eyes full of mockery.

"I want you dead!" Xu Nian spat out fiercely.

Then a terrifying aura of murderous intent spread from his body.

"Such strong killing intent! How could he have such intense malice!" Nangong Lie was shocked.

He hadn't expected Xu Nian to exude such a powerful aura of malice.

Such terrifying malice made even him, a middle-stage Heavenly Phenomenon Realm expert, feel uncertain.

"Hmph, what does it matter if the malice is strong? Strength is the fundamental basis. His strength is far inferior to mine, killing him will be easy." Nangong Lie snorted coldly in his heart.

Immediately, a strange light appeared again on his palm.

Xu Nian waved his sleeve and directly took Xuanyuan Qingling into his God King Tripod.

Now, Xuanyuan Qingling still had a trace of breath left.

Xu Nian could only use the life energy of the Seven-colored Bodhi Tree and the spiritual energy of the Spiritual Spring to sustain her last bit of breath.

After doing all this, Xu Nian in the black robe looked at Nangong Lie.

His gaze cold as an icy spring!

"Nangong Lie, even if I die today, I will drag you down with me." Xu Nian's voice was resolute, filled with killing intent.

"Just you? Don't forget, there's a full two realm gap between us." Nangong Lie sneered disdainfully.

However, there was no trace of emotion on Xu Nian's face.

"Yes, alone, I can't kill you, but don't forget, now I am not alone." Xu Nian in the black robe's eyes were incomparably cold.

Nangong Lie was about to snort in contempt but then suddenly became shocked.

He quickly looked to the side where Xu Nian was sitting.

At this moment, Xu Nian in the white robe had already opened his eyes.

And his aura had suddenly reached the dual peaks of Zifu and Vajra Realm.

Not only that, a terrifying aura enveloped Xu Nian in the white robe.

This awful aura was vast and boundless like the ocean.

"Huh? You're using a secret technique?" Nangong Lie was stunned.

Xu Nian's aura surged at this moment.

Evidently due to some form of secret technique.

Already enough to rival the early stage of Heavenly Phenomenon Realm.

Indeed, on the basis of breakthroughs in Spirit Body Cultivation.

Xu Nian also used the Earth God Devouring Sky Secret Technique.

The Third Level of Earth God Devouring Sky, Swallowing Earth!

The power of ten thousand meters underground was now gathered within Xu Nian's body.

Making the strength within Xu Nian reach a terrifying level.

"Hmph, even if you use a secret technique, what of it? You're still no match for me." Nangong Lie sneered.

Even if Xu Nian raised his cultivation to the early stage of Heavenly Phenomenon Realm through a secret technique, so what.

He was still at the middle stage of Heavenly Phenomenon Realm.

And these secret techniques always have time limits, once the time is up.

Xu Nian would be at his mercy.

Xu Nian's gaze, however, was icy cold.

Then Xu Nian in the white robe and Xu Nian in the black robe exchanged a glance, both lightly nodding.

Then Nangong Lie saw Xu Nian in the black robe and Xu Nian in the white robe rush towards each other rapidly.

"What's he trying to do?" Nangong Lie looked confused.

Why isn't Xu Nian attacking me, but charging towards his own avatars?

But in the next moment, he was completely stunned.

Because he saw the black and white Xu Nian, at the moment their bodies touched, actually fused together.

The aura on their bodies surged instantly.

And his eyes became eerily black and red.

Eerie!

Cold!

Fierce!

At this moment, the aura emanating from Xu Nian's body was like a demon emerging from hell.

"Interesting, he's even using the final card of avatar fusion, it seems he's really desperate." The Wentian Demon Sovereign muttered within Xu Nian's body.

He had previously taught Xu Nian the secret technique of avatar fusion.

This technique was specifically for those who have avatars.

In a short period of time, it allows the original body and avatars to merge together.

Forming a compounded increase in power.

So at this moment, Xu Nian's speed, strength, and body toughness all saw a qualitative improvement.

Coupled with his earlier breakthroughs and the Earth God Devouring Sky Secret Technique.

With all methods combined, Xu Nian's aura no longer felt inferior to Nangong Lie in the slightest.

"So avatars can merge, it seems you've used all your tricks. But I see your secret technique can't last long either!" Nangong Lie was first shocked, then sneered coldly.

"Enough to kill you!" Xu Nian spat out a phrase.

Then the Immortal Sword in his hand surged with power.

In the next moment, Xu Nian's figure directly appeared beside Nangong Lie.

Nangong Lie was instantly shocked.

Hastily urging his power to form a Light Shield.

"Pfft!"

But Xu Nian's sword directly cut through the Light Shield, slicing close to Nangong Lie's neck.

Nangong Lie immediately retreated rapidly, his heart filled with horror.

He wiped the blood from his neck, feeling a dreadful fear in his heart.

If he hadn't reacted quickly and retreated half a step in time.

He would have already been beheaded.

"Such terrifying speed, such strong cutting force!" Nangong Lie was extremely horrified.

Xu Nian was now making him feel a strong sense of threat.

"You cannot escape, prepare to die!"

Xu Nian shouted loudly, then Nangong Lie noticed four identical Xu Nian figures appearing directly around him.

The four figures simultaneously swung swords towards him.

Leaving him no room to dodge.

"No..."

Nangong Lie let out a scream.

Then his whole body was directly cut into eight pieces.

While Xu Nian's figure also returned to one.

Looking coldly at Nangong Lie's fallen corpse.

A chill in his heart!

His figure immediately split apart.

The original body and avatars separated.

Although the avatar fusion secret technique was strong, its duration was too short.

Coupled with the side effects of the Earth God Devouring Sky Secret Technique, Xu Nian's body suffered great damage.

So Xu Nian's fusion time could only be maintained for less than 15 minutes.

But being able to kill Nangong Lie within this extremely short time, the goal had been achieved.

However, the trouble still wasn't small.

Xu Nian looked up to the distance where Xuan Hong was fighting.

Xuan Hong was already struggling, showing signs of defeat.

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"Boom!"

A thunderous explosion echoed.

Xuan Hong's figure plummeted directly from the sky, crashing heavily to the ground.

"Elder Xuan Hong!" Xu Nian quickly put away his black-robed clone and rushed toward where Xuan Hong had fallen.

"Cough, cough, still... not dead. They used a combined attack technique; my defense couldn't hold up," Xuan Hong coughed up a mouthful of blood and said to Xu Nian.

Xu Nian helped Xuan Hong stand up.

In an instant, three elders pressed down from the sky, hovering above Xu Nian and Xuan Hong, blocking all their escape routes.

"Xu Nian, will you slay yourself to atone, or should we do it?" the leading elder's deep voice rang out.

A surge of intense anger filled Xu Nian's eyes.

But he was now entirely out of strength.

The previous secret technique had severely injured his body, and it was already very difficult for him to maintain normal actions.

Moreover, even if he were in peak condition, he might not be a match for the three Peak of Heavenly Phenomenon elders before him.

"I only retaliated after you Tianxing Sect provoked me first. If the three of you retreat now, I will write off my grievances with Tianxing Sect and will not trouble you again. But if you continue to press me, if I, Xu Nian, survive today, I will ensure Tianxing Sect is left with no survivors," Xu Nian said, staring hard at the three elders in the sky.

"Then you must not live! Attack!"

The leading elder immediately ordered, without a hint of negotiation.

Xu Nian's eyes surged with intense rage upon hearing this.

"Xu Nian, I have a Transmission Spirit Talisman. I'll burn my life essence to break this formation and hold them off. When the time comes, crush the talisman, and you can leave this planet. They won't be able to catch you," Xuan Hong said.

As he finished, he shoved a Spirit Talisman into Xu Nian's hand.

"But..." Xu Nian was taken aback, about to say something.

But he saw Xuan Hong had already charged forward again.

As Xuan Hong surged forward, a wave of scorching flames erupted from his body.

A wildly domineering aura radiated from him.

"Boom!"

Xuan Hong's punch forced the three attacking elders to retreat.

Burning his life essence brought Xuan Hong's strength infinitely close to that of a Tribulation Crossing expert.

Seeing this, Xu Nian's eyes instantly reddened.

First Xuanyuan Qingling, now Xuan Hong.

"Boom!"

After forcing the three back, Xuan Hong hurriedly launched another punch.

This punch landed directly on the enclosing formation around them.

"Crack!"

The formation shattered instantly.

This Qiankun Locking Sky Array could only trap cultivators below the Tribulation Crossing Stage.

Now that Xuan Hong's strength was nearing the Tribulation Crossing level, he could naturally break the formation.

"Now, crush the talisman!"

After completing all this, Xuan Hong shouted at Xu Nian.

Then the flames on his body surged again as he attacked the three elders once more.

With the formation broken, the outside spectators could see inside once more.

Seeing Xuan Hong burning his life essence to battle the three Tianxing Sect elders, everyone showed expressions of extreme shock.

With red eyes, Xu Nian finally gritted his teeth and crushed the talisman in his hand.

He couldn't let Xuan Hong's efforts go to waste.

If he didn't crush the talisman, neither he nor Xuan Hong could survive.

"Buzz!"

As the talisman was crushed.

A golden light shot skyward.

Soon, Xu Nian's figure began to fade.

"No, we can't let him escape!"

The three elders were alarmed and hurriedly tried to interrupt Xu Nian's teleportation array.

However, Xuan Hong's eyes were red; his demon essence surged like waves, blocking them again.

After doing all this, blood started flowing from his seven orifices.

Looking in Xu Nian's direction, he gave a tragic smile.

At this moment, Xu Nian couldn't hold back his tears anymore.

His fists clenched, his whole arm trembling.

Ignoring the intense pain from his previous injuries, he roared with all his might, "Tianxing Sect, wait for me, Xu Nian, to return, and I'll make you pay in blood for blood!"

"Boom!"

Just as the roar ended, the golden light shot skyward once more.

Then Xu Nian's figure disappeared into the sky with the golden light.

And Xu Nian's angry roar echoed in the air for a long time before fading.

Everyone around was extremely astonished.

At this moment, they noticed two bodies lying on the ground.

After careful identification.

They all gasped in shock.

Yuwen Gong and Nangong Lie?

These were two of Tianxing Sect's geniuses!

What on earth did Xu Nian do?

How could he draw such pursuit from Tianxing Sect and still manage to kill two geniuses during the chase?

The three elders looked in the direction Xu Nian had fled, their brows furrowed deeply.

Then they saw the already severely weakened Xuan Hong.

They immediately shouted, "Kill him for me!"

"Brother, don't! We must keep this Xuan Turtle alive. If we bring him back and spread the news, Xu Nian will surely come to rescue him. Then we can kill him. If we kill this Xuan Turtle now, Xu Nian will surely hide, and if he grows and comes for revenge, it will be a big problem for our Tianxing Sect!" the Second Elder quickly advised, his narrow eyes gleaming with trickery and cunning.

The Great Elder pondered this for a long time upon hearing it.

After a while, he indeed ordered, "Fine, take him away, and then send disciples to spread the news. As long as Xu Nian returns to Tianlan Star, he will surely come to save him."

Both the Second and Third Elders nodded.

Then the three restrained the gravely injured Xuan Hong and left the area.

"Xiyao, let's go too. Xu Nian has already left," Huang Shishan said to Meng Xiyao.

At this moment, Meng Xiyao's eyes showed a mix of anger and worry.

"Tianxing Sect, hmph, you just wait and see. How dare you hurt my Brother Nian? I'll let my father know when I go back, but we'll leave you a way out, leaving you to Brother Nian!" Meng Xiyao snorted coldly.

Then she swept her sleeves and left.

She was truly angry.

The Tianxing Sect had dared to severely injure Xu Nian right in front of her, almost killing him.

This clearly showed no regard for her, the princess of Chaos Sky Sect.

Of course, at this moment, Meng Xiyao was also anxious to know where Xu Nian had gone.

Huang Shishan followed behind Meng Xiyao, feeling a burst of anger.

To think Xu Nian was still alive; he was really lucky.

The surrounding crowd, seeing this, also dispersed.

The Ascending Immortal Platform was gone. Why should they stay?

In just a moment, the Top of Yunqiong was empty.

Shortly after everyone had left.

The ground cracked open, and a bony hand emerged.

Then an entire skeleton climbed out.

The skeleton looked at the Heavenly Dome and then in the direction the Tianxing Sect members had left, its eyes full of coldness.

Yes, it was the Netherworld King.

It had witnessed everything that happened just now.

Xu Nian's severe injuries also incited a wave of anger within it.

"Die!"

From the mouth of the Netherworld King came a single word.

It then turned into a shadow and disappeared from the spot.