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Chapter 841 Trouble of the Qingluo Sect

Xu Nian slowly opened his eyes, but what greeted him was an unfamiliar bed.

"Where is this place?" Xu Nian surveyed his surroundings in surprise and was astonished to find himself in a room.

"Kid, you passed out when you were transported out, but you're lucky. You fell into a small cultivation sect on this Cloud Thunder Star, and they kindly saved you," Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice echoed in Xu Nian's mind.

Xu Nian nodded.

It seemed he was really lucky.

If he had fallen beside a powerful Demon Beast during his coma, he would now be nothing but bones.

"I wonder how Xuanyuan Qingling is?" Xu Nian quickly directed the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar in the God King Tripod to inspect Xuanyuan Qingling's injuries.

After inspecting, Xu Nian found that Xuanyuan Qingling's breath was still present.

But it was just barely hanging on.

"Senior Wentian, how can I save Xuanyuan Qingling?" Xu Nian asked Wentian Demon Sovereign through spiritual sound transmission.

"Kid, saving Xuanyuan Qingling won't be easy. At least a Top-grade Spiritual Pill or some extremely precious treasure is needed. In her current state, she can only survive for three years at most. After three years, she will undoubtedly die," Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice echoed.

Xu Nian furrowed his brows.

Top-grade Spiritual Pill?

That's not something easy to come by.

Currently, he didn't have enough Spirit Stone; he couldn't even afford a Low Grade Spirit Pill, let alone a Top-grade Spiritual Pill.

But fortunately, there were three years' time.

"Kid, you'd better check your own body first! Then think about others," Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice echoed again.

Xu Nian quickly inspected his own body.

With this inspection, Xu Nian immediately felt a wave of darkness.

His physical condition could only be described as terrible.

The Purple Gold Lotus in his Zifu had all withered.

Even his body was badly injured, his inner vigor completely empty.

In other words, Xu Nian's current strength was probably below that of a common person.

"It looks like it will take some time to recover my strength," Xu Nian felt a headache coming on.

Then he began to silently operate his Dan Sea Species Green Lotus and Divine Demon Refining Body to repair his wounds.

Fortunately, there was a Spiritual Spring stored in Xu Nian's God King Tripod.

After absorbing some Spiritual Spring, Xu Nian's body recovered significantly.

The Zifu also began to show signs of life again.

At least normal activities were completely fine now.

Xu Nian pushed open the door and walked out.

He was greeted by a series of towering peaks and floating white clouds.

Not far ahead on a training ground, a few disciples were practicing swordsmanship.

However, their cultivation level was not high; they were only at the Zifu level.

"You're awake?"

At that moment, a gentle voice sounded behind Xu Nian.

Xu Nian turned his head and saw a pretty girl standing behind him, looking at him playfully.

"Hmm, did you save me?" Xu Nian turned to look at the pretty girl and asked.

"Of course, who else do you think it would be?" The pretty girl pouted.

She had a good look, though not as good as Xuanyuan Qingling, but still a beauty.

"Thank you for saving my life!" Xu Nian expressed his gratitude to the pretty girl.

He noticed that this girl's cultivation level was the same as his, already at Zifu Peak.

But that was just the surface cultivation status, in actual combat strength, Xu Nian could surpass her by miles.

"It looks like you've recovered well. You can walk around so quickly; I thought you might die. Well, it's good, otherwise bringing back a dead person would be bad luck!" The pretty girl said with a smile.

Xu Nian felt a mix of laughter and tears.

This girl was indeed mischievous.

"Alright, since you're already awake, I'll remind you to leave here after you've almost recovered." The girl suddenly said seriously.

"Eh?" Xu Nian froze.

Unexpectedly, she was giving him an eviction order.

Seeing Xu Nian's confusion, the girl impatiently explained: "Don't you see there are only a few people left in this entire sect?"

Xu Nian quickly spread his Spiritual Sense, only to realize that apart from the few disciples practicing swordsmanship in front and the girl before him, there were only two other auras in the sect.

And these two auras were only at the Cave Void Realm, and even at the Early Stage level.

"See, the others have fled. There are only a few disciples, my father, and the Great Elder left in the whole Qingluo Sect." The pretty girl spread her hands.

"Why did they flee?" Xu Nian asked in surprise.

Why would the disciples of a sect flee for no reason?

"Their strength was insufficient and offended a Great Sect, so those who were scared ran away!" The girl rolled her eyes, left a sentence, and turned away.

Xu Nian did not speak, but he pretty much understood what was going on.

The girl before him should be the daughter of the so-called Sect Master of Qingluo Sect.

And the two auras above should be the Qingluo Sect's Sect Master and the so-called Great Elder.

Come to think of it, the sect master of a sect was only at the Early Stage of the Cave Void Realm, so this sect could not be very grand.

Indeed, in the following two days.

Xu Nian deliberately inquired about the Qingluo Sect from the remaining disciples.

It was not far off from his expectation.

The Qingluo Sect was originally a very small cultivation sect on Cloud Thunder Star.

At its peak, it was less than five hundred people.

Passed down to the current generation by Long Yanqing, it became even worse, with the sect comprising no more than one hundred people.

The highest cultivation in the sect was only Long Yanqing and Xie Chengfeng.

The sect's decline wasn't an issue.

However, the ancestors of the Qingluo Sect left behind a treasure.

This attracted others' greed.

The nearby Heavenly King Sect coveted this treasure.

Therefore, they gave the Qingluo Sect an ultimatum: hand over the treasure in ten days.

Or they would obliterate the Qingluo Sect.

Seven days had already passed.

The strongest in the Heavenly King Sect was an Early Stage Harmonization expert.

After understanding this, Xu Nian decided to stay and help the Qingluo Sect.

After all, the Qingluo Sect had saved his life.

But the precondition was that in these three days, his cultivation could recover to the Peak state.

So, Xu Nian secluded himself for three days, striving to restore his cultivation.

The third day quickly arrived.

The Heavenly King Sect's experts arrived as promised.

A hundred experts surrounded the entire Qingluo Sect.

Leading them was a man with a cold smile, looking at the Qingluo Sect group in front.

"Long Yanqing, hand over the treasure. Otherwise, today your Qingluo Sect will vanish from this world," Su Tianlun said, looking at the Qingluo Sect's Sect Master.

But his eyes constantly darted towards Long Yanqing's side, Long Tian'er, brimming with greed.

Chapter 842 Instant Kill Tie Shan

"Su Tianlun, go back and tell your father that our Qingluo Sect does not possess any treasures and has no desire to make an enemy of your Heavenly King Sect," said Long Yanqing.

"Is that so? Sect Master Long, I remember that years ago, your sect master obtained a fragment of a star map. If I am not mistaken, that map should now be within your sect, correct?" Su Tianlun sneered.

Long Yanqing's expression changed dramatically upon hearing this.

He never expected Su Tianlun to know this secret.

This makes things much more complicated.

"Sect Master Long, I am here today not only to demand the star map but for another reason," Su Tianlun said with a smile.

"What is it?" Long Yanqing asked.

A sense of foreboding filled his heart.

Long Yanqing smiled faintly and waved his hand to someone beside him.

Immediately, a figure stepped out from the crowd, holding a box in their hands.

"Our Young Sect Master wishes to propose to Lady Long Tian'er of your Qingluo Sect. This is the betrothal gift!" the figure announced arrogantly.

"Don't you dare!" Long Tian'er shouted in fury.

She knew all too well what kind of person Su Tianlun was.

As the Young Sect Master of the Heavenly King Sect and possessing peak Cave Void cultivation, he had always behaved atrociously.

Any woman he desired was abducted and taken back to his sect to be violated.

Those women would either end up as caged birds or dead, their fates extremely tragic.

There was no way Long Tian'er would be willing to marry such a man.

Su Tianlun, however, simply smiled.

"Whether you marry or not is not up to you. Sect Master Long, here are five thousand mid-grade spirit stones as my betrothal gift. If you accept it, everyone will be happy. If you don't, do not blame me for being rude," Su Tianlun said with a light smile.

Long Yanqing was now filled with immense anger.

As the Sect Master of the Qingluo Sect, being humiliated by such a junior was infuriating.

"Hmph, our Qingluo Sect would rather fight to the last man than let you succeed," the Great Elder coldly snorted, glaring fiercely at Su Tianlun.

"You were given a chance, but you didn't take it. You must have a death wish. Tie Shan, take care of them, but leave Long Yanqing and Long Tian'er alive," Su Tianlun ordered.

"Yes!"

The massive man called Tie Shan immediately leaped forward, charging at the members of the Qingluo Sect.

Tie Shan's cultivation was already at the middle stage of the Cave Void realm.

Stronger than both Long Yanqing and the Great Elder.

The disciples of the Heavenly King Sect sneered at the scene.

Just a fallen sect, daring to resist the Heavenly King Sect—it was simply asking for death.

"Boom!"

Tie Shan punched the Great Elder directly in the chest.

"Pfft!"

The Great Elder spat out a mouthful of blood.

He was sent flying backward.

"Great Elder!"

The Qingluo Sect disciples rushed forward to support the Great Elder, their faces filled with worry.

The Great Elder's blood soaked his robes, signaling how severe his injuries were.

This sight made the Qingluo Sect disciples burn with anger.

However, they were too weak to be a match for Tie Shan.

"Boom!"

Another punch.

Long Yanqing was also sent flying.

"Pfft!"

Long Yanqing spat out blood.

"Sect Master!"

Everyone's complexion changed drastically.

Their anger grew more intense.

"So weak. How can you call yourself a sect master with such paltry strength?" Tie Shan mocked.

Then he moved towards the Qingluo Sect members.

"We'll fight you to the death!"

Five disciples charged at Tie Shan with a roar.

But Tie Shan didn't even glance at them, sweeping them aside with the wave of his sleeve.

They crashed heavily into the distant wall, blood spraying from their mouths.

They couldn't even slow Tie Shan down by half a step.

The surrounding crowd laughed heartily at the sight.

Tie Shan alone was enough to kill everyone in the Qingluo Sect.

Su Tianlun's mouth curved into a smile as he looked at the Qingluo Sect members with amusement.

"I'll kill you!" Long Tian'er slashed at Tie Shan with her sword.

But Tie Shan stopped her blade with his bare hands and punched her in the abdomen, sending her flying.

The entire Qingluo Sect seemed utterly powerless against Tie Shan.

"So, Sect Master Long, have you changed your mind? Will you accept this betrothal gift or hand over the star map?" Su Tianlun asked with a mocking tone.

His attitude grew even more arrogant and disrespectful.

"Even if I die, I will never bow to your Heavenly King Sect," Long Yanqing said resolutely.

"Yes, I, Long Tian'er, would rather die than marry a scum like you," Long Tian'er exclaimed angrily.

A dark shadow passed over Su Tianlun's face at their defiance.

"Hmph, since you refuse to cooperate, don't blame me for being ruthless. Long Tian'er, do you think refusal will save you? Soon, I will seal your cultivation, and you will be at my mercy. My brothers here will take turns with you after I'm done, making sure you're pleased to death," Su Tianlun said with a sinister grin.

"Young Sect Master is mighty!" the Heavenly King Sect disciples cheered, laughing lewdly.

Long Tian'er's face turned pale, a wave of despair and thoughts of suicide sweeping over her.

"I've seen shameless, but never have I seen an entire sect so shameless—what a bunch of rabble."

Just then, a dignified voice echoed.

Everyone turned to see a figure stepping out from within the Qingluo Sect.

Long Tian'er and the Qingluo Sect disciples were surprised to see him.

"You're still here?" Long Tian'er asked in shock.

She thought Xu Nian had already left.

She had no idea he was still within the sect since this matter had nothing to do with him, and it would be understandable if he had left.

"If I had left, I wouldn't get to see this good show," Xu Nian said with a smile.

Long Tian'er was momentarily stunned, then felt like cursing.

This guy was talking about watching a good show?

Did he not understand the gravity of the situation?

"Tian'er, who is this?" Long Yanqing asked his daughter.

"Father, he is the young man I told you about who was rescued. I thought he had left, but he's still here," Long Tian'er explained.

Long Yanqing then turned to Xu Nian and said, "Young hero, this matter does not concern you. Please leave, lest you lose your life because of us."

Xu Nian smiled but said nothing, looking instead at Su Tianlun.

Su Tianlun, having understood the situation, looked at Xu Nian with mockery.

"Tie Shan, kill him!" Su Tianlun ordered.

Just an irrelevant passerby—he was in the way.

Tie Shan immediately swung his fist at Xu Nian.

"This kid is dead for sure!"

"Right? What an idiot, stepping out now. I'd have run far away by now."

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The Heavenly King Sect disciples mocked.

The Qingluo Sect members sighed in resignation, thinking Xu Nian was walking to his death.

After all, Tie Shan was a mid-stage Cave Void cultivator.

But just then, Xu Nian's mouth curled into a cold smile.

He suddenly threw a lightning-fast punch with his right hand.

"Boom!"

Tie Shan was struck directly in the chest, sent flying backward.

He landed right at Su Tianlun's feet, and never got up again.

There was a huge bloody hole in his chest.

"What? Instant kill!"

Everyone around was wide-eyed with disbelief.

Chapter 843 Paying Ransom to Redeem Someone

A powerful cultivator at the middle-stage Cave Void level.

Was actually killed with one punch?

Long Tian'er couldn't believe her eyes.

Long Yanqing and the Great Elder of the Qingluo Sect were also astonished. They never expected the young man before them to possess such terrifying combat power.

Su Tianlun looked at Tie Shan's corpse at his feet, his fists clenched tightly, and a surge of intense anger rose in his heart.

"Attack him! Whoever kills him first, Long Tian'er will be theirs tonight!" Su Tianlun shouted.

The surrounding individuals' eyes turned bloodshot upon hearing this.

They all charged toward Xu Nian.

Nearly a hundred people, with the weakest at the Zifu Early Stage and the strongest at the middle-stage Cave Void level.

The momentum of a hundred people charging together felt like a giant mountain pressing down on Xu Nian.

Long Yanqing and the others' faces changed.

With these hundred people attacking together, could Xu Nian withstand it?

"Let's see if you don't die this time!" Su Tianlun sneered coldly.

Even he would feel troubled by such an onslaught.

In his eyes, the young man was doomed.

But Xu Nian merely smiled lightly at the scene.

He took a step forward, and a fierce killing intent burst forth from him.

Then, an Immortal Sword appeared in his hand.

"Slash!"

Xu Nian shouted coldly.

The Immortal Sword in his hand slashed diagonally downward.

"Buzz!"

A sword light flickered across the sky like a gale.

In the next moment, the entire sky fell into a deathly silence.

"Thud!"

The hundred attackers all fell to the ground, cut in half.

Several Qingluo Sect disciples almost popped their eyes out.

They stared at Xu Nian in shock, mouths agape.

At this moment, they felt their hearts pounding like drums.

Long Tian'er couldn't help but swallow her saliva.

Not just her, even the calm Long Yanqing and the Great Elder had their mouths wide open.

Terrifying!

Absolutely terrifying!

One sword!

More than a hundred lives wiped out.

And they were all cultivators above the Zifu realm, with eight of them being Cave Void Realm experts.

Yet, none survived!

Wasn't this too horrifying?

"Tian'er, did you find a powerful expert?" Long Yanqing said to Long Tian'er.

"It seems so, Father!" Long Tian'er answered, stunned.

She never imagined that the man she saved out of a moment's kindness would be such a formidable person.

But with him, the Qingluo Sect now had hope.

Su Tianlun looked at the severed limbs and wasn't just shocked.

Even if he could kill all these people, he could never match the young man's feat of killing them all with one sword.

This was too terrifying!

"Who are you? Why are you interfering in the affairs of the Heavenly King Sect?" Su Tianlun immediately questioned Xu Nian.

His tone was filled with dread.

"I'm just a passerby. However, Miss Long has shown me kindness, and your actions disgust me." Xu Nian replied casually.

It seemed as though killing the people of the Heavenly King Sect was as easy as lifting a finger for him.

It wasn't that Xu Nian was indifferent to killing. In this world where strength reigns supreme,

If you didn't kill, then you would be the one lying dead.

Su Tianlun's brows furrowed upon hearing Xu Nian's words.

A passerby?

"I don't care who you are. Leave now, and I won't trouble you. Otherwise, the Heavenly King Sect will not let you go." Su Tianlun threatened directly.

Xu Nian smirked upon hearing this.

"Really? Do you think your Heavenly King Sect can threaten me?" Xu Nian asked, sneering.

"Hmph, don't think you can act recklessly just because you killed them all. If I'm not mistaken, your cultivation should be at Zifu Peak, and your earlier sword strike likely used some secret technique! Don't

think that with my father already at the Harmonization Early Stage, even I would be afraid to fight you," Su Tianlun responded coldly.

He had already assessed the young man's cultivation.

But the young man's cultivation was much lower than he had anticipated.

This strange phenomenon could only be explained by a secret technique in his mind.

"Zifu Peak? How is that possible?" Long Tian'er exclaimed.

"He's right. Xu Nian's cultivation is indeed only at Zifu Peak, not even reaching the Cave Void Realm. The reason he could kill so many is likely due to a secret technique," Long Yanqing commented.

Even the Great Elder nodded in agreement.

It was apparent they all thought the same.

Long Tian'er's brows furrowed upon hearing this.

If it was indeed a secret technique, then Xu Nian might be in danger.

After all, the number of times a secret technique can be used is limited.

But Xu Nian found it amusing.

His normal sword strike was considered to be the result of using a secret technique.

But it made sense.

Being able to challenge higher levels was already incredible.

The power of his sword strike had already reached the level of the Peak of Cave Void.

It was naturally unbelievable to them.

"What if I insist on meddling today?" Xu Nian asked with a smile.

"Then I'll have to send you to your death," Su Tianlun shouted coldly as the aura of the Peak of Cave Void erupted from his body.

The surrounding people all turned pale. Su Tianlun's aura was immensely powerful!

"Hmph, boy, I don't believe that with your Zifu Peak cultivation, you can defeat my Peak of Cave Void," Su Tianlun sneered.

A Battle Saber materialized in his hand.

"I'll give you a chance. Call your father here, or soon, no one will even help you with your corpse," Xu Nian said with a smile.

"You're courting death!" Su Tianlun roared in fury.

He then slashed toward Xu Nian.

A single slash.

A hundred-zhang Sword Light formed and slashed toward Xu Nian viciously.

Long Yanqing and the others turned pale.

This slash was terrifying; even their sect couldn't withstand it.

But Xu Nian's expression remained disdainful.

"Looks like you won't shed tears until you see the coffin. Let me show you how cruel reality is," Xu Nian said with a light smile.

He then casually swung his sword.

One sword strike.

It directly shattered the hundred-zhang Sword Light.

"What?" Su Tianlun was shocked.

His Sword Light was actually broken?

"It's too early to be surprised!"

Just then, a voice sounded in Su Tianlun's ear.

Su Tianlun's scalp tingled, and he stiffly turned his head to look behind him.

"You... when did you get behind me?" Su Tianlun asked in horror, looking at Xu Nian standing behind him.

"Just now!" Xu Nian smiled slightly.

Then he slashed out with his sword.

"Poof!"

This sword directly severed Su Tianlun's entire right arm.

Long Yanqing and the others were all exceedingly shocked.

This Peak of Cave Void Su Tianlun was actually powerless before Xu Nian?

Could it be that he wasn't using a secret technique earlier?

Su Tianlun grasped his severed arm, crying out in pain.

His fear had reached its zenith.

"Send a message to your father, tell him to bring people here. If he doesn't arrive within two hours, the Heavenly King Sect will prepare for your funeral. Also, make sure he brings all your sect's Spirit Stones. If I'm satisfied with the price, I might consider sparing you,"

At this moment, Xu Nian's voice sounded in Su Tianlun's ear.

Su Tianlun was speechless. This guy was actually taking the opportunity to extort.

Chapter 844 All with One Sword

"Mr. Xu, why didn't you just kill him directly, but instead let him notify the Sect Master of Heavenly King Sect? That Sect Master is an early-stage Harmonization expert! And their sect also has several experts at the peak of Cave Void Realm." Long Yanqing saw Xu Nian approaching and quickly spoke.

Xu Nian smiled slightly, waved his hand, and said, "It's okay, even if his father comes, it doesn't matter. I'm just short of money, maybe I can take this opportunity to make a fortune."

Long Yanqing and Long Tian'er were rendered speechless.

Is this guy really planning to extort the Heavenly King Sect?

Such audacity!

Xu Nian smiled faintly and sat cross-legged right beside them.

He was not worried about Su Tianlun running away, after all, he was someone who mastered Space Profound Argumentation.

Trying to escape from him was beyond Su Tianlun's capabilities.

As for why let Su Tianlun notify the Sect Master of Heavenly King Sect.

Apart from wanting to extort some Spirit Stones.

Xu Nian also intended to solve the problem of Qingluo Sect once and for all.

He could indeed kill Su Tianlun with one sword strike.

But after killing him, the Heavenly King Sect would sooner or later come seeking trouble.

And he could not stay here forever; by then people from Qingluo Sect would still suffer.

Thus, the purpose of Xu Nian calling them here was to prevent future troubles.

Long Tian'er was still upset about Xu Nian's extortion plan.

While Long Yanqing exchanged glances with the Great Elder, seemingly guessing Xu Nian's intention to help them.

Feeling grateful in their hearts.

"Mr. Xu, you are truly amazing! Is your cultivation really at Zifu Peak?" Several disciples from Qingluo Sect walked over with faces full of admiration and asked.

Long Yanqing and others also turned to look at Xu Nian, curious about this question.

Xu Nian smiled slightly and nodded.

Indeed, he was genuinely at Zifu Peak.

Moreover, his body cultivation had also reached the peak of Vajra Realm.

"Impossible! How can a Zifu Peak be so powerful?" Long Tian'er immediately retorted.

She was also at Zifu Peak, yet a hundred of her combined wouldn't be Xu Nian's match.

Xu Nian chuckled and said, "Nothing is impossible. My cultivation technique is special; the amount of Spiritual Energy I can store is equivalent to the late stage of Cave Void. Additionally, my comprehension has reached the peak level of Small Achievement Realm, so my combat strength naturally isn't weaker than an ordinary Cave Void Peak. Furthermore, I am also practicing Spirit Body Dual Cultivation; my physical body has also reached the Vajra Realm Peak Level."

"The amount of Spiritual Energy at Zifu Peak equivalent to late-stage Cave Void?" Long Tian'er widened her eyes.

What kind of cultivation technique is this, so terrifying?

And Xu Nian's comprehension actually reached the Small Achievement Realm?

That's terrifying; she hasn't even entered the initial stage.

Additionally, he actually practices Spirit Body Dual Cultivation?

The people around were also endlessly shocked.

They finally understood why Xu Nian possessed such abnormal combat strength.

Having any one of these conditions would already make him a genius, but he possessed them all.

Xu Nian saw the crowd's shock and only smiled helplessly.

Actually, he hadn't mentioned a few things.

For instance, the sword in his hand was an Immortal Sword.

And it had been granted a Sword Embryo.

Now, through the Sword Embryo, Xu Nian's power had definitely doubled from before.

In the future, as the Sword Embryo grows, the amplification would be even greater.

"But Mr. Xu, even if you have the strength of Cave Void Peak, the Sect Master of Heavenly King Sect is at early-stage Harmonization. You may still not be his match." Long Yanqing asked worriedly.

"Don't worry, I have already thought of a strategy." Xu Nian smiled.

Facing an early-stage Harmonization might be somewhat difficult.

However, he wasn't afraid now.

If the Sect Master of Heavenly King Sect really doesn't know his place, he wouldn't mind giving him a big gift.

"Who hurt my son!"

Soon after, a furious shout came from the sky.

Then the crowd saw four figures flying over from a distance.

The middle-aged man leading them bore a seven-point resemblance to Su Tianlun.

Clearly, he was Su Tianlun's father, the Sect Master of Heavenly King Sect, Su Muhai.

"Dad! Save me quickly!"

Seeing these four people appear, Su Tianlun immediately cried out.

The people of Qingluo Sect had a change in their expressions, faces filled with serious and angry looks.

"Useless waste, unable to handle even a small Qingluo Sect. Tell me, who injured you?" Su Muhai glanced at the severed arm of Su Tianlun and angrily scolded.

Then he shifted his gaze towards Xu Nian and the others.

"It's him; he killed a hundred members of our Heavenly King Sect and severed my arm." Su Tianlun pointed at Xu Nian angrily.

The fear of Xu Nian's power earlier had vanished since Su Muhai arrived.

"Zifu Peak? Are you sure?" Su Muhai looked at Xu Nian, who was still sitting cross-legged, and frowned.

"Absolutely, Dad, this guy's power is very strange. Clearly at Zifu Peak, yet he possesses the strength of Cave Void Peak, even managing to kill all my disciples with one sword strike. I wasn't his match." Su Tianlun quickly explained.

"One sword?" Su Muhai glanced at the corpses on the ground, a hint of surprise on his face.

The three elders who followed him also showed surprised expressions.

Their strength was at Cave Void Peak Level.

Xu Nian chuckled lightly, looking at Su Muhai, and said, "You must be the Sect Master of Heavenly King Sect. I wonder how much Spirit Stone you brought to ransom your son?"

Upon hearing this, Long Yanqing and others were shocked.

Is Xu Nian really planning to extort?

Su Muhai's eyes flashed with cold glints like a hawk, and he said sternly, "Hmph, trying to snatch food from my mouth? Kid, you must be tired of living!"

"It seems the Sect Master is unwilling to hand over the Spirit Stones?" Xu Nian sneered.

"Hmph, not only will I not hand over Spirit Stones, but I will also take your life. Great Elder, Second Elder, Third Elder, kill this kid and bring me his head." Su Mu Hai directly ordered.

"Yes!" The three elders immediately accepted the order.

They looked at Xu Nian with ruthless eyes.

"Kid, there's a path to heaven but you refuse to take it. Instead, you barge into Hell. Daring to go against our Heavenly King Sect, you're tired of living." The Great Elder laughed coldly.

Then the three of them simultaneously attacked Xu Nian.

They were all extremely experienced fighters, naturally wouldn't be careless.

But they believed, with the three of them attacking together, the guy in front of them would surely have no escape.

"Three old men against one, how despicable!" Qingluo Sect's disciples cursed one after another.

Each of them looked at Xu Nian with worried eyes.

However, the next second, their expressions froze.

Because they saw Xu Nian take just one step forward.

And then three figures of Xu Nian appeared in the sky.

Three Xu Nians swung their swords simultaneously.

The sword light was quick as lightning, in a flash.

As the sword light passed.

The heads of the three elders flew up.

This...

The people of Qingluo Sect were stupefied.

Su Muhai also widened his eyes, full of disbelief.

Chapter 845 Breakthrough to Cave Void

Su Muhai, as an early-stage Harmonization Realm expert, was also stunned by Xu Nian's sudden move.

He instantly killed three Cave Void Peak cultivators with one strike.

What kind of power does this young man possess?

Long Yanqing and the others were also shocked.

Although Xu Nian's previously displayed strength had already astonished them,

they never expected that Xu Nian had still held back initially.

Instantly killing three Cave Void Peak cultivators, such power, even if not on par with the Harmonization Realm, couldn't be far off.

Xu Nian looked at Su Muhai with a casual smile.

Three of him appeared at the same moment just now.

It was not due to using the Dark Clone Profound Argumentation, but the extreme speed process within the Space Profound Argumentation.

Xu Nian called it Absolute Space Control.

This was Xu Nian's Space Profound Argumentation at the Small Achievement Realm.

If it reached Great Success or even higher realms,

he could instantly create hundreds or even thousands of clones.

Unlike the Dark Clone, these clones only appear at the moment of attack.

And not long-lasting or weakened in strength like the Dark Clone.

But the explosive power generated is limitless.

After all, in an instant, identical versions of himself appear everywhere in the space.

Even in the face of multiple enemies, he could instantly kill them.

Thus, these three had absolutely no undeserved death.

The Space Profound Argumentation surpasses the Nine Great Attributes Profound Argumentation, an absolute argumentation.

"So, Sect Master Su, do you have anything left to say? Hand over the Spirit Stones, swear to the Heavenly Dao to never trouble the Qingluo Sect again, and I will let you and your son leave," Xu Nian said with a smile.

He showed no fear toward Su Muhai.

"Hmph, kid, you're arrogant. So what if you can kill three elders? If we fight, you may not be my match." Su Muhai snorted coldly.

Xu Nian's arrogant attitude made his heart burn with anger.

All these years, he had always been the one to be arrogant to others.

When had he ever been so humiliated by a junior?

"Is that so? So, you don't plan to hand over the Spirit Stones to buy your lives?" Xu Nian smiled slightly.

He drove the Immortal Sword in his hand directly into the ground.

Slowly approaching Su Muhai.

Su Muhai's brows furrowed.

What does this guy want?

Even if he's going to fight him, why abandon the sword?

Does he intend to defeat him barehanded?

"Kid, today I'll teach you what it means to be a person!" Su Muhai roared in anger.

A terrifying aura crashed down like an avalanche, exploding right in front of everyone.

The ground beneath their feet cracked loudly.

The surrounding Qingluo Sect disciples' faces changed drastically, retreating backward.

The mere momentum of an early-stage Harmonization Realm cultivator was enough to make them tremble.

"Yes, Father, kill him! Let him know that our Heavenly King Sect is not to be trifled with!" Su Tianlun shouted excitedly.

Xu Nian had severed one of Su Tianlun's arms, filling his heart with endless resentment.

Now he wished nothing more than to see Xu Nian torn to pieces.

He believed his father would definitely defeat Xu Nian and trample him underfoot.

Xu Nian chuckled lightly.

"Aura? No matter how strong your aura is, can it compare to the Heavenly Dao?" Xu Nian smiled as he spoke.

His steps did not stop.

"What do you mean?" Su Muhai and the others were puzzled.

They couldn't understand Xu Nian's words.

"Boy, stop with the tricks. No one can save you today." Su Muhai shouted angrily.

He was about to make a move.

Long Tian'er and the others also looked worried.

Could it be that Xu Nian had run out of tricks and was trying to bluff?

"If you don't understand, let me show you with my actions!" Xu Nian sneered.

With that, a powerful aura emanated from his body.

A vortex of Spiritual Energy appeared instantly above his head.

As this Spiritual Energy surged into him, a green-gold light emanated from his body.

A phantom of a Purple Gold Green Lotus rose under his feet.

Xu Nian's aura surged dramatically.

"So you broke through from Zifu Peak to Early Stage Cave Void. But so what? Do you think you can defeat me just because you broke through?" Su Muhai laughed coldly.

He still looked down on Xu Nian.

In his eyes, there was no significant difference between Zifu Peak and Early Stage Cave Void.

"A breakthrough?"

Long Yanqing and the others also showed surprised expressions.

But there was still a hint of disappointment in their eyes.

Even with a breakthrough, the gap in cultivation was enormous.

Could Xu Nian really surpass Su Muhai after his breakthrough?

Xu Nian snorted, pointing to the sky.

Su Muhai looked up and his face instantly changed drastically.

Long Yanqing and the others were also petrified.

"He...Heavenly Tribulation?"

Long Tian'er exclaimed in surprise.

Why did a Heavenly Tribulation suddenly appear in the sky?

Could it be related to Xu Nian's breakthrough?

At this moment, dark clouds were rapidly gathering in the sky.

Terrifying lightning bolts zigzagged through the clouds, and a dreadful Heavenly Dao Pressure descended from the sky.

It was as if a giant mountain was pressing down on everyone.

"No... Impossible, how could a Heavenly Tribulation appear?" Su Muhai roared with a twisted face.

Though he never personally experienced a Heavenly Tribulation, he had heard about its terror.

It was absolutely something he could not withstand.

Although the Heavenly Tribulation was descending upon Xu Nian, Xu Nian had deliberately approached him.

Anyone within a hundred-meter radius of Xu Nian would be targeted by the Heavenly Tribulation.

So, not only was Su Muhai targeted, but even Su Tianlun was inescapable.

"What should we do, Father? I can feel the Heavenly Dao locking onto me. Let's run!" Su Tianlun said in fear.

Forget resisting the Heavenly Tribulation; even its momentum was making his legs weak.

How could he possibly resist such a terrifying Heavenly Tribulation?

"It's useless. Once targeted by the Heavenly Tribulation, it will follow you to the ends of the earth," Su Muhai shook his head.

He could also clearly feel the pressure from the sky locking onto him.

Such a terrifying Heavenly Dao Pressure made even him feel trembling inside.

Xu Nian looked at the panicked father and son as if he was watching a show.

For him, Heavenly Tribulations were as common as eating meals.

So even in the presence of the Heavenly Dao Pressure, he remained relaxed and at ease.

"So, do you regret it now? But it's too late," Xu Nian said with a smile.

Su Muhai's eyes snapped to Xu Nian.

"Boy, all this will do is drag us down with you. You can't possibly survive this terrifying Heavenly Tribulation either!" Su Muhai yelled viciously.

He didn't expect this guy to drag them down with him in his final moments.

Simply despicable.

From a distance, the Qingluo Sect members finally understood what was going on.

Each of them felt a deep sense of pity for Xu Nian.

But just then, a confident and firm voice rang out in everyone's ears.

Xu Nian spoke word by word, "You are wrong. I won't drag you down with me. You will die, and I will live!"

Chapter 846 Vomiting Blood for Three Hundred Meters

Xu Nian's words left everyone around stunned.

This Xu Nian was really so confident that he could overcome this Heavenly Tribulation?

However, upon further thought, this Heavenly Tribulation was summoned by Xu Nian himself.

Could it be that Xu Nian had no preparations?

Indeed, the presence of this Heavenly Tribulation was something Xu Nian had planned long ago.

His cultivation had long reached the peak of Zifu.

He had been suppressing his cultivation without breaking through.

If he didn't break through, facing Harmonization Early Stage would certainly be troublesome.

But once he broke through, it would inevitably attract a Heavenly Tribulation.

Rather than that, why not use the Heavenly Tribulation to deal with these two from the Heavenly King Sect?

Of course, if the Sect Master of the Heavenly King Sect were sensible, he wouldn't have to go to such extremes.

However, the Sect Master of the Heavenly King Sect was as arrogant and conceited as he had expected.

Xu Nian naturally couldn't let him go.

"Hmph, with such a formidable Heavenly Tribulation, I don't believe you can get through it." Su Muhai snorted coldly.

After speaking, he directly sat down cross-legged, beginning to adjust his state.

Even at Harmonization Early Stage, he wasn't certain he could face such a formidable Heavenly Tribulation.

Xu Nian didn't disturb Su Muhai, instead he began to use this powerful Heavenly Might to temper his Sword Spirit.

"Buzz!"

The King Jing Sword trembled continuously, flying directly from the ground.

It shot towards the Heavenly Dome.

This Heavenly Might might affect the mind of someone attempting the Tribulation Crossing, preventing them from exhibiting their perfect combat power.

But to a Sword Spirit, it was the perfect whetstone.

"Buzz!"

As the King Jing Sword ascended, a strange radiance emanated from its blade.

The Sword Qi of the entire sword became even more sharp and terrifying.

This was the Sword Spirit formed from the Spiritual Sense of the once-renowned King Jing Sword Master.

Now, under this terrifying Heavenly Might, it was as if the spiritual sense had been awakened.

Its brilliance was overwhelming, its momentum was awe-inspiring.

"Such... such sharp Sword Qi, what kind of sword is this? The sharpness of the sword alone is so terrifying, I'm afraid that even an ordinary person holding this sword could kill a Zifu Cultivator." Long Yanqing exclaimed.

A sword containing Sword Qi, it was the first time he had seen such a powerful weapon.

"Father, could this be the legendary Spirit Sword that possesses a Sword Spirit?" Long Tian'er also asked in surprise.

"It should be, but the quality of this sword seems to be beyond the level of a Sword Spirit. It appears to be sealed, preventing it from unleashing its true power." Though Long Yanqing's strength was low, he was, after all, the Sect Master.

In terms of insight, he was far superior to ordinary Cave Void Realm cultivators.

The people of the Qingluo Sect were even more amazed when they heard the Sect Master say this.

Xu Nian actually possessed such a powerful artifact.

Could he be from some major force?

Thinking of the strength Xu Nian had displayed, they became even more convinced that Xu Nian was from an extraordinarily powerful force.

Otherwise, how could such a monstrous genius be cultivated?

Xu Nian was tempering his Sword Spirit, Su Muhai was recovering his state.

Only Su Tianlun stood there, bewildered.

"Father, what should I do? What should I do? My arm is severed, my strength is greatly diminished, I can't withstand this Heavenly Tribulation, you must help me!" Su Tianlun pleaded.

Su Muhai furrowed his brows.

A gleam of ruthlessness flashed deep in his eyes.

Facing such a Heavenly Tribulation, he might not survive even if he gave it his all.

Not to mention helping someone else withstand it?

"Son, I can't help you. Even if I put in all my effort, there's only a slim chance of surviving this Heavenly Tribulation. If I help you, neither of us has any chance. Don't worry, if I survive, I will kill everyone here to avenge you, and make Long Tian'er accompany you to the grave." Su Muhai said to Su Tianlun.

"No... father, I don't want to die, I don't want to die..." Su Tianlun fell to his knees with a thud.

At this moment, he was filled with endless regret.

He regretted coming here today.

Even more, he regretted provoking Xu Nian.

Even if he killed Xu Nian now, the Heavenly Tribulation would still descend.

So now, what awaited him was certain death.

Hearing his son's words, Su Muhai clenched his fists tightly.

His heart was filled with endless hatred.

"Buzz!"

Xu Nian's mind moved.

The tempered King Jing Sword appeared in front of him.

The entire sword had become more restrained and ancient.

However, hidden within this restraint was an extremely terrifying sharpness.

"Well done!" Xu Nian touched the sword's body.

The King Jing Sword immediately trembled and hummed.

It seemed to be expressing a kind of joy.

Xu Nian smiled slightly and said, "Don't worry, one day, I will fully awaken your Spiritual Sense, making you the most powerful weapon in the world."

As if it understood Xu Nian's words, the King Jing Sword flew up instantly.

It circled around Xu Nian, light and agile.

Xu Nian kept smiling.

This King Jing Sword had clearly become much stronger after this tempering.

This also meant that his strength had increased somewhat.

"Next, I just need to wait for the Heavenly Tribulation to descend and help me break through to the Early-stage Wanxiang Realm in one go." Xu Nian muttered to himself.

His gaze at the tribulation clouds in the sky became even more fervent.

The next realm after Vajra Realm for Body Cultivation was Wanxiang Realm.

And at this moment, Xu Nian's Body Cultivation had already reached Vajra Realm Peak.

Now, he just needed an opportunity to break through directly.

And this Heavenly Tribulation was the best opportunity.

Su Muhai, struggling to figure out how to deal with the Heavenly Tribulation.

If he knew Xu Nian was thinking of using the Heavenly Tribulation to break through his cultivation, he would be furious enough to vomit blood.

"Father, do you think Xu Nian can handle the Heavenly Tribulation?" Long Tian'er asked worriedly.

Long Yanqing shook his head and said, "Father can't predict. This boy is strange, hard to judge by common sense. If it were an ordinary Early Stage Cave Void, it would be absolutely hopeless and wouldn't summon the Heavenly Tribulation."

Hearing his father's words, Long Tian'er said no more.

But in his heart, he was praying that Xu Nian could get through this tribulation.

"Boom!"

After a moment of silence.

The sky finally had some movement.

Suddenly, a terrifying bolt of lightning tore through the dark clouds.

Then everyone saw three incredibly frightening arcs of lightning descending from the sky, crashing towards Xu Nian and the others.

"Here it comes!" Su Muhai immediately prepared himself, a battle axe appearing in his hand, which he swung fiercely towards the lightning.

As for Su Tianlun, his face turned pale, and he felt despair.

But Xu Nian, he was excited, making no defenses at all.

Three different expressions, three different mindsets.

Truly remarkable!

"Boom!"

The lightning finally struck.

Su Muhai's axe hit the lightning.

Splitting it in half instantly, the lightning flashed brightly.

Indeed, with Harmonization Early Stage's strength, the first bolt of lightning posed no threat to him.

But poor Su Tianlun.

He swung his blade towards the lightning, but the terrifying power of the lightning sent him flying, blood spewing from his mouth, nearly dead.

The Qingluo Sect members cheered in their hearts when they saw this.

This was truly satisfying!

But when they looked at Xu Nian, they were completely stunned.

They saw Xu Nian opening his chest, facing the lightning with his body.

"Boom!"

The lightning exploded on his chest.

Lightning arcs filled the air, enveloping his entire body.

Everyone around him was heart pounding in fear.

Seeing this, Su Muhai sneered.

But at that moment, a roar came from the lightning, "Refreshing! Absolutely refreshing!"

Su Muhai's vision went black, nearly fainting.

As for Su Tianlun, he vomited blood three zhangs high.

Chapter 847 Body Refinement Breakthrough

The people around couldn't believe their eyes.

This guy was attacked by Heavenly Thunder and he's actually shouting that it feels great?

In fact, they didn't mishear him.

At this moment, Xu Nian was really enjoying himself.

In the Divine Demon Refining Body Technique, there is a method called the Thunderclap Body Tempering Technique.

And the power of this Heavenly Thunder was perfect for tempering his body.

If the power was a bit stronger, it would cause severe injuries; if weaker, it wouldn't be effective for tempering.

The power of this first strike of the Heavenly Tribulation was just perfect for him.

The power of the thunder continued to temper Xu Nian's body, greatly reinforcing it.

Whether it was the strength of his muscles or the toughness of his tendons, they were all rapidly enhancing.

"Boom!"

Finally, a critical point was reached in Xu Nian's internal energy.

Like a collapsing dam, the energy surged through his entire body like a tide.

At this moment, Xu Nian's body was washed and reinforced by this tremendous energy, becoming even stronger.

"This aura... Is it the early-stage Wanxiang Realm? Surely Xu Nian's body cultivation has also made a breakthrough?" the Qingluo Sect Great Elder exclaimed in surprise.

"It looks that way. Xu Nian must have been using his body to resist the Heavenly Thunder in order to temper his body and seek a breakthrough in body cultivation. Such a cultivation method is simply unimaginable," Long Yanqing couldn't help but marvel.

The surrounding people were also deeply shocked.

Xu Nian with his Zifu Peak and Vajra Realm Peak strength could easily slaughter those at the peak of the Cave Void Realm.

Now that both his spirit cultivation and body cultivation have broken through, how strong will his power become?

Even Su Muhai at the early stage of Harmonization might not be his opponent, right?

Su Muhai also had an extremely somber expression at this moment.

Xu Nian making a breakthrough at this time was definitely not good news for him.

In this way, perhaps Xu Nian really could survive the Heavenly Tribulation.

Xu Nian glanced at Su Muhai, then at Su Tianlun lying on the ground, the smile on his lips became more evident.

"Sect Master Su, this grand gift is nice, but don't worry, the real show is yet to come. This Heavenly Tribulation is at least a Fifth-level Heaven Tribulation. This was just the first strike, there are four more to come," Xu Nian said with a smile.

"Fifth-level Heaven Tribulation?" Su Muhai's eyes went wide with shock.

He thought the Heavenly Tribulation would be at most a three-tiered one, but he never imagined it would be a Fifth-level Heaven Tribulation.

Su Tianlun, who was already gravely injured, was even more terrified, his eyes turning vacant.

If the first strike of the Heavenly Tribulation was already like this, how much worse would the next few strikes be?

Xu Nian chuckled repeatedly, no longer paying attention to the unlucky father and son pair.

He looked up at the sky.

At this moment, the sky was already gathering the power for the second strike of thunder.

Thunder rumbled like a hundred thousand giant dragons tumbling within the thunderclouds, creating an incredibly imposing momentum.

Once it struck down, it would surely split mountains and shatter the earth.

"Crack!"

Finally, the second strike of Heavenly Thunder descended.

This time, the thunder transformed into a thick pillar of lightning, and the purple thunder struck towards the three of them like a massive serpent.

"What?" Su Muhai was taken aback.

The power of this strike was at least twice as strong as the previous one.

How could the power of the Heavenly Thunder suddenly become so strong?

But there was no time for him to think.

A golden giant appeared behind Su Muhai, wielding a battle saber, slashing towards the purple thunder.

The golden giant cleaved the thunder serpent!

"Boom!"

With a thunderous crash, the golden giant exploded, and the thunder dissipated with it.

Golden rain scattered across the sky, strikingly beautiful.

Yet, Su Muhai still had a trace of blood seeping from the corner of his mouth; the thunder strike had caused him some light injuries.

As for Su Tianlun, he had no chance to resist whatsoever.

The lightning pillar pierced through his chest, blasting his body to pieces.

He was dead beyond recognition.

Seeing this, Su Muhai frowned.

Still, he showed no signs of agitation.

For this outcome was inevitable.

Blame it on Xu Nian...

Su Muhai looked towards Xu Nian.

The thunder had already struck down.

Yet, Xu Nian hadn't called forth any weapons.

"Does he intend to face the thunder bare-handed?"

The people of Qingluo Sect widened their eyes, daring to make these bold assumptions.

They were right; Xu Nian intended to face the thunder with his fists.

"Earth Fist!"

Xu Nian shouted, and red scale armor instantly covered his fists.

Three earth-yellow rings appeared on Xu Nian's arm.

He threw a punch directly at the lightning pillar.

"Boom!"

The ground beneath Xu Nian's feet exploded, and the entire sect square sank abruptly.

Countless cracks rapidly spread towards the base of the mountain, as if the whole sect would collapse.

A terrifying force exploded.

Xu Nian was forced back a few steps.

Every step he took left a large pit in the ground.

"Such powerful thunder. Thankfully, I made a breakthrough; otherwise, I wouldn't have been able to withstand this second strike," Xu Nian thought to himself.

At this moment, the red scale armor on his arm had shattered.

With a mere thought, it returned to its original state.

The scale armor was formed by Dragon Energy.

As long as the Dragon Energy didn't perish, the scale armor could reform.

Now, the strength of his scale armor was comparable to a Low Grade Spiritual Artifact.

In the future, as he continued to absorb Dragon Energy, the strength of the scale armor would grow.

Seeing Xu Nian actually survive the terrifying thunderstrike with just a punch,

Su Muhai and the Qingluo Sect members all gasped in shock.

Was this guy made of iron?

He resisted the thunder with his bare body and remained unscathed?

Is he human or a monster?

Xu Nian smirked and began adjusting his energy, preparing to face the remaining three strikes of the Heavenly Tribulation.

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Meanwhile, as Xu Nian was undergoing the Heavenly Tribulation, a hundred miles away atop a mountain peak, two individuals stood.

One of them had eyes like a shining moon, emitting a brilliant light.

He was looking in the direction of the Qingluo Sect, where Xu Nian and the others were located.

This young man, dressed in white, with his clothes fluttering in the wind, exuded a sharp and dominating aura.

His companion, however, had a more elusive presence, blending seamlessly with the surroundings.

Their power was vast like a star sea, inspiring awe and fear.

"How interesting. Spirit Body Dual Cultivation, summoning a Fifth-level Heaven Tribulation just at the early stage of Cave Void, and managing it so effortlessly. Su Feng, I doubt even we could achieve that," the youth with moon-like eyes remarked.

The man called Su Feng gave a faint smile and softly spoke, his voice as clear as a gentle stream, "Indeed, a rare genius. It's challenging to find another in the entire cultivation world who can provoke a Heavenly Tribulation at the Cave Void Realm. Even the prodigies of the Four Great Sects may not achieve this."

Hearing this, the youth's eyes gleamed with a fierce killing intent.

"Leng Chi, you'd better restrain yourself. This kid is not simple. We are here on a mission. If we alert our target because of him, it's not worth it," Su Feng cautioned.

"I understand. Just an itch to test my skills. Once we've captured our target, I'll add him to my achievements as a trophy," Leng Chi said with a cold smile.

Su Feng shook his head helplessly.

This guy was excellent in everything but had one bad habit.

He liked to hunt geniuses for trophies.

Chapter 848 The Death of Su Muhai

Qingluo Sect's square.

Everyone still watched expectantly.

Now among the three undergoing tribulation, only Xu Nian and Su Muhai were left.

But the Heavenly Tribulation did not seem to have dissipated, leaving everyone unsure of who would survive it.

"Crack!"

At this moment, the Heavenly Tribulation finally stirred again.

The third wave of tribulation finally descended.

Two bolts of purple Heavenly Thunder transformed into two Thunder Dragons, rushing towards Xu Nian and Su Muhai at great speed.

The power contained within the Thunder Dragons was incredibly terrifying.

Su Muhai faced a great enemy, his True Essence churning furiously within.

A series of golden walls formed above his head, attempting to withstand the Thunder Dragon's impact.

However, his golden walls were completely ineffective against the Thunder Dragon.

"Boom!"

The ten golden walls were instantly shattered by the Thunder Dragon.

Su Muhai was greatly shocked, hastily swinging his battle axe towards the Thunder Dragon.

"Boom!"

But he was already hit in the chest by the Thunder Dragon and was sent flying.

Blood spewed wildly from his mouth.

Fortunately, he had used the golden walls to consume a large portion of the Thunderclap Power beforehand.

Otherwise, the Thunder Dragon's strike would have been enough to send him to his death.

On the other side, Xu Nian's eyes grew serious.

He reached out into the void with his hand.

The Kunlun Hammer suddenly appeared.

"Break for me!"

Xu Nian channeled all his energy, his whole arm instantly swelling with power.

Simultaneously, the Earth Power Profound Argumentation surged, all converging into the Kunlun Hammer.

"Boom!"

The Kunlun Hammer struck the Thunder Dragon directly.

The terrifying Thunder Dragon exploded, turning into a fearsome lightning flash.

An energy shockwave instantly swept around.

"Boom!"

The entire Qingluo Sect's buildings were flattened.

All of Qingluo Sect's members were also blown away.

"Such a terrifying attack!"

The members of Qingluo Sect exclaimed in astonishment.

Xu Nian actually blocked this Thunder Dragon attack.

But at this moment, Xu Nian also appeared somewhat disheveled.

His robe was blasted apart, revealing musculature as hard as steel.

Even Long Tian'er couldn't help but stare.

What beautiful lines!

If she could touch them, she wondered what it would feel like.

Long Tian'er thought to herself, but soon she felt ashamed for her thoughts.

Su Muhai was also immensely shocked.

Compared to him, Xu Nian blocking the third wave of Thunderclap Power seemed effortless.

He felt a surge of jealousy and resentment.

"Crack!"

However, at this moment, another tearing sound came from the sky.

"What?"

Su Muhai and Xu Nian were both startled.

The three bolts of Heavenly Thunder had just passed; there should be a long interval before the fourth bolt?

Why was the fourth wave of tribulation so early?

This was not good news for them.

For this meant they had no chance to catch their breath.

"Boom!"

From the sky above, sword-shaped bolts of Thunderclap came rushing out, striking down at Xu Nian and Su Muhai.

"Sword-shaped Thunderbolt? What kind of Heavenly Tribulation is this?" Su Muhai couldn't help but curse.

He had seen tribulation stage masters undergo tribulation before.

But he had never seen Sword Attribute Thunder.

The previous Dragon-shaped Thunderbolt was already unusual, and now another sword-shaped one.

How could this tribulation be so bizarre?

Most importantly, this sword-shaped thunderbolt's power was much greater than the previous Dragon-shaped one.

Su Muhai felt the urge to spit blood in frustration.

"I'll fight you to the end!" Su Muhai shouted.

The True Essence storm surged within him, the battle axe in his hand glowing with golden light.

Facing the rapidly approaching tribulation, he swung his axe.

"Boom!"

The thunderclap sword collided with the Axe Light, then exploded.

The terrifying thunderclap instantly engulfed Su Muhai.

The members of Qingluo Sect were utterly astonished.

This time, even if Su Muhai didn't die, he would be severely injured!

"Boom!"

The true essence exploded.

The thunderstorm was dispersed, revealing a shabby, beggar-like figure.

"I blocked it, I blocked it!" Su Muhai shouted excitedly.

His whole body was scorched, clearly not lightly damaged.

On the other side, Xu Nian was also facing a great enemy.

The Kunlun Hammer disappeared from his hand, replaced by the King Jing Sword.

"Break!"

Xu Nian shouted fiercely.

The King Jing Sword thrust forward.

A ripple like water waves spread from the sword blade to its tip.

"Ding!"

The King Jing Sword collided with the tip of the thunder sword.

"Boom!"

The thunder sword shattered, turning into a thunderstorm.

Xu Nian was sent flying by the terrifying storm, retreating a hundred feet, blood seeping from the corner of his mouth.

The Wind Vibration Profound Argumentation, Wind Wave had been pushed to its limit.

But he could barely receive this sword.

"So strong, the power of this sword-shaped thunderbolt is really strong. If we touch it even a bit, we will surely die," Su Yanqing exclaimed.

The Great Elder and others by his side nodded in agreement.

Long Tian'er's eyebrows were furrowed tightly.

With this fourth wave of tribulation, Xu Nian was injured.

Could he withstand the fifth wave of tribulation?

"Haha, Xu Nian, you are injured too. This fifth wave of tribulation, you probably can't block it! Die with me then! Having a genius like you for company, I, Su, would die with no regrets," Su Muhai laughed wildly.

His eyes showed a desperate kind of carefree.

He was now severely injured, and the most dreadful fifth wave of tribulation, he certainly couldn't block it.

Now his only thought was to drag Xu Nian with him.

Xu Nian heard and his eyes flashed with a cold smile.

"Do you really think I can't block the fifth wave of tribulation? I'm afraid you'll be disappointed," Xu Nian coldly replied.

A holy radiance surged from behind him.

"Buzz!"

A Divine Wheel appeared behind Xu Nian.

Except this Divine Wheel was different from before, its surface shimmering with a strange pattern.

This pattern was extremely hot, like the sun.

In the holy radiance, Xu Nian's injuries began to heal bit by bit.

"Talent Phenomenon?" Su Muhai's eyes widened, his face full of disbelief.

Qingluo Sect members were also surprised.

Xu Nian looked proud.

After breaking through to the Cave Void Realm, he gained a new ability.

Healing injuries and restoring True Essence.

So Xu Nian soon returned to his optimal state.

"Crack!"

The Heavenly Dome stirred again.

The fifth bolt of Heavenly Thunder finally descended.

This time there were no fancy thunder, just a seemingly ordinary bolt.

This bolt was not very powerful, only as thick as an arm.

But Xu Nian instinctively felt a sense of mortal danger.

"Not good, it's a Soul Attack!"

Xu Nian was instantly alarmed, hurriedly channeling the Wordless Heavenly Scripture in his Sea of Consciousness to defend.

"Boom!"

The thunderbolt struck directly on Xu Nian.

A terrifying electric snake rushed towards Xu Nian's Sea of Consciousness.

The electric snake entered the Sea of Consciousness, aiming at Xu Nian's soul origin.

But the electric snake collided with a giant golden letter and shattered.

Seeing this, Xu Nian breathed a sigh of relief.

He looked at Su Muhai, who was now a lifeless corpse.

Chapter 849 Tianbao Pavilion

A storm has quietly dissipated.

Su Muhai and Su Tianlun are both dead.

Additionally, all the elders of the Heavenly King Sect have been slain by Xu Nian.

The Heavenly King Sect is no longer a concern.

"Congratulations to Mr. Xu for breaking through and surviving the Heavenly Tribulation," Long Yanqing and the others stepped forward to congratulate upon seeing the Heavenly Tribulation disperse.

"I'm sorry, Sect Master Long, I've destroyed your sect," Xu Nian scratched his head, saying.

"What are you talking about, Mr. Xu? You saved many lives in our Qingluo Sect, we are grateful to you. How could we blame you? Besides, even if the sect wasn't destroyed, Qingluo Sect could not continue on," Long Yanqing said.

The tone carried a hint of sadness.

"It's alright, Sect Master Long, even if the sect no longer exists, it can rise again from the ashes in the future," Xu Nian smiled and comforted.

Long Yanqing nodded.

Suddenly, as if recalling something, he hurriedly said, "Right, Mr. Xu, I have an heirloom left by our ancestors. Keeping it with us would only bring disaster. Considering your extraordinary strength, I am willing to give it to you. Would you be willing to accept it?"

"Oh? What treasure?" Xu Nian asked curiously.

Previously, the Heavenly King Sect came looking not only for Long Tian'er but for this treasure as well.

To be honest, Xu Nian was also curious about the nature of this treasure.

But if Long Yanqing did not mention it, he wouldn't have asked.

Now that Long Yanqing raised it, Xu Nian showed his curiosity.

"It's this!" Long Yanqing spread his hand, and a beast skin scroll appeared in his hand.

Oddly, the beast skin scroll was incomplete.

"Is this a map?" Xu Nian curiously unfurled the beast skin scroll and asked.

"To be precise, it's a Star Domain Map, though it's incomplete," Long Yanqing said.

"Star Domain Map?" Xu Nian was taken aback.

He looked at the Star Domain Map closely and found it increasingly familiar.

Suddenly, Xu Nian seemed to remember something.

With a thought, another beast skin scroll appeared in his hand.

This beast skin scroll was also incomplete.

Long Yanqing and others were stunned.

Xu Nian unfurled both beast skin scrolls and placed them together.

A peculiar scene occurred.

The torn edges of both beast skin scrolls matched perfectly.

"It turns out Mr. Xu also has this Star Domain map. It appears to be destiny that this map is meant for you!" Long Yanqing said, feeling emotional.

Xu Nian started carefully examining the two Star Domain Maps.

But the Star Domain Map still remained incomplete.

"What on earth is recorded on this map?" Xu Nian looked at it for a long time but failed to unravel its secrets.

"I heard my father say that the map contains a vast treasure, and whoever obtains it can not only become an immortal but also potentially attain the status of an Immortal Emperor!" Long Yanqing said.

"Treasure?" Xu Nian frowned.

What kind of treasure could make becoming an Immortal Emperor so effortless?

"Oh, how interesting. Why would this be here?" At this moment, the voice of Wentian Demon Sovereign sounded.

"Lord Demon Venerate, you recognize this?" Xu Nian immediately asked through spiritual communication.

"Yes, this Star Domain Map is a wonderful thing. Back in the day, countless Immortal Emperors fought over it, never expecting it to end up in the Mortal World," Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice echoed.

"Huh? It's an object from the Immortal Realm?" Xu Nian asked, surprised.

"Sort of. Regardless of the realm, this thing is an incredibly precious treasure. Even the slumbering Yetian God Emperor would be astonished upon seeing it," Wentian Demon Sovereign replied.

"What exactly is this thing to interest even the God Emperor?" Xu Nian was bewildered.

In his mind, the God Emperor was the supreme entity.

What kind of treasure could stir the God Emperor's heart?

"It's too early for you to know. The Star Domain Map consists of nine parts. Once you collect all of them, I will tell you. Also, never display this map publicly, or you will invite death." Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice warned.

Xu Nian rolled his eyes.

All that talk, and he still didn't reveal anything.

But there was no other way. Since the map had nine parts, knowing the secret wouldn't help much.

So Xu Nian simply kept the map without further questioning.

"By the way, Sect Master Yen, which star and star domain is this?" Xu Nian suddenly asked, recalling something.

"This is Cloud Thunder Star, located in the Taiheng Star Domain. Why, Mr. Xu, didn't you know?" Long Yanqing asked, looking surprised.

Xu Nian smiled awkwardly and said, "I was transported here, so I don't know which planet I landed on."

Long Yanqing nodded upon hearing this.

Xu Nian fell into deep thought.

He was unexpectedly transported to the Taiheng Star Domain.

Among the nine major star domains in the Cultivation World, Tianlan Star belongs to the North-wolf Star Domain.

Xu Nian had no idea how far that was from the Taiheng Star Domain.

Returning to Tianlan Star would be challenging.

And there is only three years left to save Xuanyuan Qingling with Spiritual Medicine.

Within these three years, Xu Nian must save Xuanyuan Qingling.

Furthermore, there's the configuration of Spirit King Pill for Yetian God Emperor.

All of these require a vast number of Spirit Stones.

"Let's see how much spiritual wealth is in Su Muhai's storage ring," Xu Nian said, taking out Su Muhai's storage ring.

He infused his Spiritual Sense into it.

"There are quite a lot of Spirit Stones: one hundred thousand Low Grade Spirit Stones, ten thousand Mid-grade Spirit Stones, three thousand Top-grade Spirit Stones. Oh, even some Top-grade Spirit Stones, though just a hundred," Xu Nian muttered to himself.

Currently, he required a significant number of Spirit Stones, and Su Muhai's collection was timely help indeed.

Then, Xu Nian collected all storage rings from the Heavenly King Sect members.

Finally, he obtained two hundred thousand Low Grade Spirit Stones, twenty thousand Mid-grade Spirit Stones, four thousand Top-grade Spirit Stones, and a hundred Top-grade Spirit Stones.

These Spirit Stones.

Though not a lot, represented a considerable fortune for Xu Nian.

"Sect Master Long, where on Cloud Thunder Star can I find places selling Spiritual Medicine or Spirit Pills?" Xu Nian asked Long Yanqing.

Now he urgently needed Top-grade Spirit Pills.

Since he was on Cloud Thunder Star, it wouldn't hurt to ask around.

Maybe he'd find the Spirit Pills or materials he needed.

"Mr. Xu, if you need Spiritual Medicine or Spirit Pills, you should visit Tianbao Pavilion. It is the largest commercial house in the Taiheng Star Domain with shops on over three thousand planets. It basically has everything a cultivator might require," Long Yanqing said.

"Tianbao Pavilion? Spread across the whole star domain?" Xu Nian's eyes lit up.

A commercial house dominating a star domain surely had what he needed.

"Where is this Tianbao Pavilion?" Xu Nian asked, surprised.

"I can take you there!" Long Tian'er suddenly spoke.

Xu Nian looked at Long Tian'er in surprise.

Long Yanqing's eyes brightened as well, and he quickly added, "Mr. Xu, Tian'er is familiar with the way to Tianbao Pavilion. I heard there's an ongoing auction there, you might find what you need."

"An auction? Then I will trouble Miss Long," Xu Nian promptly agreed.

Long Tian'er smiled nonchalantly.

Chapter 850 Not Enough Money

Next, Xu Nian and Long Tian'er embarked on their journey to Tianbao Pavilion together.

However, what Xu Nian did not expect was that the Cloud Thunder Star was incredibly enormous.

It was ten times larger than Tianlan Star.

To reach Tianbao Pavilion, they would need at least a month's time.

According to what they heard, the auction at Tianbao Pavilion was set to happen in twenty-eight days.

This left Xu Nian dumbfounded. At this rate, they wouldn't make it to the auction in time.

Helpless, Xu Nian had no choice but to pull out the Divine Travel Boat given to him by Bai Xi Sword Immortal.

In the past, he didn't have high-quality spirit stones to power the Divine Travel Boat.

But now, he could use it easily.

So, Xu Nian placed three top-grade spirit stones into the Divine Travel Boat.

Then, he and Long Tian'er sat inside the Divine Travel Boat.

"Whoosh!"

The Divine Travel Boat transformed into a stream of light, disappearing into the horizon.

Its speed was akin to a lightning bolt streaking through the sky.

"So fast! This speed is a thousand times faster than if we flew ourselves!" Long Tian'er exclaimed.

"I didn't expect it to be this fast either. No wonder it can travel between stars; this speed is truly terrifying," Xu Nian couldn't help but marvel.

His heart was filled with joy.

But soon, Xu Nian became worried.

Because the Divine Travel Boat consumed high-quality spirit stones too quickly.

The three top-grade spirit stones were only enough for the Divine Travel Boat to fly for two hours.

Luckily, the flight only lasted for three two-hour periods.

They arrived at the city where Tianbao Pavilion was located.

"Such speed! A journey of thirty days only took three two-hour periods. It's unbelievable," Long Tian'er sighed.

Xu Nian was also overjoyed.

This Divine Travel Boat truly was a rare treasure.

It seems in the future, he should stockpile more top-grade spirit stones.

With the Divine Travel Boat for escaping, not even an Earth Immortal expert could catch him!

"Let's go. The city where Tianbao Pavilion is located is just below. This city is full of cultivators, and those in the Zifu Realm are considered the lowest ranks, so Mr. Xu, we should keep a low profile once we enter," Long Tian'er said to Xu Nian.

Xu Nian nodded; he didn't want to cause trouble either.

As long as others didn't provoke him, he wouldn't actively provoke others.

Xu Nian and Long Tian'er descended at the city gate.

This city was vast, and its buildings were splendid and magnificent.

Because most of its inhabitants were cultivators, the services here were beyond imagination.

Following Long Tian'er into the city, Xu Nian found the place bustling with activity.

Inside the city, fighting and flying were prohibited.

Anyone who violated the ban would be punished by the Forbidden Guard Army of Tianbao Pavilion.

These guards were all cultivators, and their cultivation levels were uniformly in the Cave Void Realm.

There was even a captain among them who had reached the Unity Realm Stage.

"What a strong force! They even have a cultivator army!" Xu Nian couldn't help but marvel.

"This is nothing. Cloud Thunder Star is just a lower-level cultivation planet in the Taiheng Star Domain. It's said that the Forbidden Guard Armies of Tianbao Pavilion on higher-level cultivation planets are all in

the Heavenly Phenomenon Realm, with captains who are Transcendence Tribulation Stage experts," Long Tian'er explained.

Xu Nian was astonished.

He had never left Tianlan Star.

He didn't know how vast the cultivation world really was.

But now, on Cloud Thunder Star, Xu Nian began to sense just how immense the cultivation world was.

In comparison, a Cave Void Realm cultivator was considered the lowest rank.

During a mere 15 minutes from entering the city.

He encountered no less than a thousand cultivators.

Among them, seven hundred were in the Zifu Realm, and over two hundred in the Cave Void Realm.

The remaining dozens were all above the Unity Realm Stage.

He couldn't even be certain if there were any Heavenly Phenomenon Realm cultivators among them.

With Xu Nian's early-stage Harmonization strength, he was only at an intermediate level among these people.

"It seems we really need to keep a low profile," Xu Nian mused to himself.

"Mr. Xu, we should find a place to stay first. Since the auction at Tianbao Commerce is still over twenty days away, we will need to stay here for that long," Long Tian'er suggested.

"Okay!" Xu Nian nodded in agreement.

So, they directly found an inn where Xu Nian spent ten thousand low-grade spirit stones to rent a courtyard for a month.

And this courtyard had two rooms, just enough for them.

It was fortunate that they came early; if they arrived a few days later.

There might not have been any rooms left.

In the courtyard, Xu Nian and Long Tian'er sat facing each other.

"Mr. Xu, what do you need to buy this time? I can help inquire if the auction will have it. If it's not a rare item, we can also try to buy it directly from Tianbao Pavilion," Long Tian'er said to Xu Nian.

"I need a top-grade healing spirit pill and a Spirit King Pill. If there's no Spirit King Pill, the ingredients will do," Xu Nian quickly replied.

Upon hearing Xu Nian's request, Long Tian'er's brows furrowed.

"A top-grade healing spirit pill? That will likely be available only at the auction because top-grade spirit pills are extremely rare. As for the Spirit King Pill, which is the best among top-grade spirit pills, it's unlikely to appear at the Tianbao Pavilion on Cloud Thunder Star. Perhaps you may find the ingredients, but it's all up to luck," Long Tian'er explained.

Xu Nian nodded.

It seemed that the Tianbao Pavilion on Cloud Thunder Star was not very large, so its treasures would also be relatively few.

Xu Nian hadn't held too much hope for the Spirit King Pill.

As long as he could buy a top-grade healing spirit pill at the auction, he would be satisfied.

"Also, Mr. Xu, not just anyone can enter the auction. Only valued guests of Tianbao Pavilion Commerce can enter, and the minimum requirement for that status is ten thousand top-grade spirit stones. The bidding in the auction will also be done using top-grade spirit stones," Long Tian'er said.

Xu Nian's mind went blank for a moment.

The entry requirement alone was ten thousand top-grade spirit stones?

All the spirit stones he had, converted into top-grade spirit stones, barely amounted to over ten thousand.

Let alone buying top-grade spirit pills.

"How many top-grade spirit stones do you think a top-grade spirit pill would cost?" Xu Nian asked.

"Generally, top-grade spirit pills cost around fifty thousand top-grade spirit stones. In an auction, the price would be higher. As for top-grade healing spirit pills, the price might reach a hundred thousand top-grade spirit stones. Moreover, you need other ingredients too," Long Tian'er explained.

Upon hearing this, Xu Nian felt even more troubled.

This meant that all his spirit stones were nowhere near enough for even one top-grade spirit pill.

"It seems I need to find a way to get more spirit stones," Xu Nian mused to himself.

Suddenly, an idea struck Xu Nian. He quickly asked, "How much could a top-grade spiritual artifact sell for?"

"A top-grade spiritual artifact? Generally, they sell between ten thousand and thirty thousand top-grade spirit stones. Better ones can go for fifty thousand. Do you have a top-grade spiritual artifact?" Long Tian'er asked.

Xu Nian smiled mysteriously and replied, "I don't have one, but I can refine one!"

"Refine?" Long Tian'er was stunned, then quickly understood, and her jaw dropped in astonishment.