

## **Divine King 881**

Chapter 881: The Death of Guihai Tianxing

It must be said, this saber strike is incredibly terrifying.

Even Xu Nian could still feel the terrifying power contained within this saber strike.

Xu Nian dared not be complacent at all and immediately unleashed the Kun Cave Power.

He could feel that if he didn't give his all, even if he didn't die from this strike, he would be seriously injured.

"Second Level Chaos Origin Slash!" Xu Nian shouted.

It was still the Second Level Chaos Origin Slash, but this time Xu Nian used not his internal True Essence, but the Kun Cave Power.

The fearsome power of the Kun Cave Power far exceeded the power of True Essence.

"Buzz!"

As Xu Nian slashed out with his sword, the Hell First Blade shattered under his blade.

"What?"

Guihai Tianxing looked at his shattered sword light in disbelief.

A look of shock appeared in his eyes.

The surrounding people were also stunned.

Even the Asura Three Sabers of the Guihai family were broken.

Though they could see that Guihai Tianxing had barely managed to execute the three sabers and hadn't yet achieved their full power.

Nevertheless, the Asura Three Sabers should not be something this young man could withstand.

Moreover, Guihai Tianxing was two levels higher than this young man called Xu Nian.

Guihai Tianxing looked incredulous and spat another mouthful of blood.

The moment he executed the Asura Third Style, his internal True Essence was completely drained.

Even his meridians were somewhat damaged.

At this moment, he was powerless to fight.

He had put forth all his skills, yet hadn't been able to hurt Xu Nian.

If they were alone, he would have surely lost by now.

"Young master, this man is extraordinary. Let me handle him!" Yan Hui said.

This youth being able to withstand the Asura Three Sabers indeed surprised him greatly.

Especially the swordsmanship used to withstand the third saber, even he could feel the terrifying energy within the sword radiance.

Thus, this boy must be killed, otherwise he will pose a greater threat to the Guihai family in the future than anticipated.

"Alright, cripple his cultivation but leave him alive. I want to deal with him personally," Guihai Tianxing said.

After finishing, he popped a pill into his mouth.

The surrounding people knew it was a healing pill.

"Yes!" Yan Hui responded to Guihai Tianxing's command.

After speaking, his gaze towards Xu Nian became sharp.

"A Tribulation Crossing stage expert is going to take action? No matter how talented Xu Nian is, he won't be able to fight him!"

For a moment, everyone looked at Xu Nian with pity.

Such a talented individual about to perish is truly regrettable.

Xu Nian was not at all surprised by Yan Hui's move; everything was within his expectations.

To kill Guihai Tianxing, one has to pass Yan Hui's hurdle.

That's why Xu Nian allowed Guihai Tianxing to use the Asura Three Sabers.

Only by doing this could Guihai Tianxing be put into an extremely depleted state.

"What? After beating the younger one, the older one steps in? Doesn't the Guihai family have any shame?" Xu Nian mocked with a smile.

Though he couldn't defeat the elder, he at least irritated him.

Sure enough, when Xu Nian spoke, Yan Hui's face turned ugly.

To be honest, for an old man who has lived for hundreds of years to take on a young man at the peak of Cave Void, it is indeed a loss of dignity.

However, no matter the loss of face, Xu Nian must be killed.

"I figured you had a sharp tongue; no matter what you say today, you must die here. No one can stop that," Yan Hui said coldly, and then a formidable aura as massive as a mountain pressed down on Xu Nian.

"Is this the aura of a Tribulation Crossing stage? So powerful!" The surrounding people were all shocked and retreated to the back.

A Tribulation Crossing stage expert's actions are absolutely formidable.

Xu Nian's expression hardened, his eyes showing a serious look.

"Die!" Yan Hui shouted.

He then swiftly appeared in front of Xu Nian.

A palm struck violently towards Xu Nian.

"So fast!" Xu Nian exclaimed in shock.

Yan Hui's speed was terrifyingly fast.

If it weren't for Xu Nian's Gray Dragon Eye and his acute sense of space,

He might not have been able to catch the elder's movements.

Though his eyes could capture the elder's movements, his body still couldn't match the elder's reaction speed.

"Solidify!"

Xu Nian didn't hold back and directly used Space Profound Argumentation.

To form a solidified state in the entire space.

However, Xu Nian's insight and strength were too low to achieve genuine space solidification.

But it did hinder the elder's movements, giving Xu Nian time to react.

Xu Nian didn't hesitate and immediately summoned the Kunlun Hammer.

Simultaneously, he used the Ten Thousand Divine Hammer Technique!

Now his Spiritual Sense Power had already reached the Peak of Heavenly Phenomenon, only a step away from the Tribulation Crossing stage.

He should be able to barely withstand the elder's palm strike.

"Boom!"

An earth-shattering explosion.

Xu Nian's Kunlun Hammer directly collided with the elder's palm.

The power exploded, forcing Yan Hui to retreat.

Xu Nian was also not spared and was pushed back tens of meters before stumbling to a stop.

"He actually withstood it?" The people around were all surprised.

None of them expected Xu Nian to withstand a Tribulation Crossing stage expert's strike.

In their view, it was absolutely impossible.

Yan Hui was also stunned, unable to believe his strike had been blocked.

"Space Profound Argumentation and Soul Attack? Moreover, the Soul Power has reached the peak of Heavenly Phenomenon?" Yan Hui's eyes widened in shock.

He never expected this young man to possess such two lethal skills.

If he used Soul Attack against Guihai Tianxing, Guihai Tianxing would be killed instantly.

Seeing the surprise on Yan Hui's face, Xu Nian's lips curled into a slight smile.

He had expected his skills to be unveiled, which was within his predictions.

"Hmph, even though you possess these two powerful battle techniques, in the face of absolute strength, you are still doomed to die," Yan Hui said.

"Indeed, I am not your match. But killing an unarmed Guihai Tianxing is effortless for me," Xu Nian sneered.

Yan Hui was startled and quickly turned to look.

What he saw made his heart sink.

A youth who looked identical to Xu Nian had appeared behind Guihai Tianxing at some unknown time.

Holding a sharp sword, he was slashing at Guihai Tianxing.

"No..." Yan Hui cried out in shock and fear.

He wanted to rush to Xu Nian's doppelganger to save Guihai Tianxing.

Guihai Tianxing was also panicked, unable to believe that Xu Nian had a doppelganger.

The surrounding people were focused on the battle and ignored Guihai Tianxing's direction.

"Die!"

The Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar slashed with his sword.

Directly decapitating Guihai Tianxing.

Poor Guihai Tianxing couldn't react and was sent to the underworld.

The surrounding people were petrified!

He actually killed Guihai Tianxing?

This means an unending feud with the Guihai family!

Chapter 882: Soaring into the Sky

Yann Hui's face was iron blue at this moment.

He looked at the fallen Guihai Tianxing, his eyes filled with rage.

Before leaving, he had promised the family head that he would protect the young master's safety.

But now, Guihai Tianxing was killed right in front of his eyes.

In his hundreds of years of life, he had never been so furious as today.

"I want you dead!"

Yann Hui roared angrily, his gray-white hair wildly disheveled.

His eyes turned blood-red, staring at Xu Nian like a mortal enemy.

"Boom!"

A loud explosion.

The ground beneath Yann Hui's feet formed a pit, and his whole body soared into the air.

The fierce sonic boom seemed to tear everyone's eardrums.

His speed was as fast as lightning!

Everyone around was stunned, mouths agape.

Xu Nian also felt a chill down his spine, a strong sense of death enveloping him.

Xu Nian dared not delay, raising the Kunlun Hammer and using the Ten Thousand Divine Hammer Technique.

He pushed his soul power to the limit, like a vast ocean, crashing toward Yann Hui.

"Humph!"

Yann Hui snorted coldly.

The true essence in his hand surged, directly punching towards Xu Nian's Kunlun Hammer.

"Boom!"

The spiritual sense power on the Kunlun Hammer exploded, and the terrifying force transmitted directly to Xu Nian's chest.

"Puff!"

Xu Nian spat out blood violently, his body flying backward like a falling meteorite.

"Buzz!"

The Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar used space shuttling to appear behind Xu Nian's true body, countering the terrifying force.

"So strong!"

Xu Nian marveled in his heart.

A Transcendence Tribulation Stage expert was indeed not someone he could contend with.

Just one punch was enough to damage his internal organs.

"It seems I have no choice but to merge," Xu Nian murmured to himself.

Now the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar had reached the Early Stage Cave Void.

If he combined with his true body, he might barely resist a few moves from Yann Hui.

But even after a few moves, he would still be in great danger.

But right now, he had no choice at all!

"Prepare to die!" Yann Hui shouted angrily, breaking through the wind towards Xu Nian.

His sleeves billowed, seeming to carry a vast momentum, slapping directly towards Xu Nian's face.

He wanted to kill this young man directly!

Xu Nian was also anxious, preparing to merge with the avatar.

"Stop!"

Just then, a cold voice rang out.

Everyone then saw a captivating figure appear in front of Xu Nian, also launching a palm strike.

Forcing Yann Hui to retreat.

"It's her!"

Everyone around was shocked.

They originally thought Xu Nian was doomed to die.

But unexpectedly, she appeared and shielded Xu Nian, perhaps intending to save him.

Yann Hui was also shocked, staring intently at the suddenly appearing figure.

"Fairy Mei Ji, what do you mean by this?" Yann Hui asked coldly.

If Mei Ji truly intended to protect Xu Nian, he might not be able to kill him.

This made his heart heavy.

"Senior Yann Hui, Xu Nian is my friend and a Supreme guest of Tianbao Pavilion. He has also been designated as a Top-Grade Refiner by our pavilion. If you want to kill him, I cannot stand by and watch," Mei Ji smiled.

Every smile and frown exuded charm.

Everyone around was astonished upon hearing this.

Supreme guest?

Designated Top-Grade Refiner of Tianbao Pavilion?

How could this be possible?

The most crucial point was, Mei Ji said he was her friend!

Just the word "friend" itself carried immense power.

Yann Hui's brows furrowed tighter, never expecting Mei Ji to say such things.

Designated Top-Grade Refiner of Tianbao Pavilion?

Now killing Xu Nian had become quite troublesome.

If he killed Xu Nian, he would be going against Tianbao Pavilion.

No matter how strong the Guihai Family was, they couldn't contend with Tianbao Pavilion!

And now Mei Ji was blocking him.

Everyone knew that Mei Ji had intricate ties with Mu Residence Lord.

Just Mu Residence Lord alone could wipe out the entire Guihai Family with a flick of a finger.

"Xu Nian is your designated Top-Grade Refiner? It seems that to be designated, he would need a token issued by the Pavilion Master, right?" Yann Hui seemed to have thought of something, hastily asking.

"What, you don't believe me? If you don't, I'll show you the token!" Mei Ji took out a Red Gold Token with the words "designated" engraved on it.

"It's real!" Everyone around exclaimed in shock.

They never expected Xu Nian to be the designated Top-Grade Refiner of Tianbao Pavilion.

Xu Nian was also surprised, wondering when he had chosen to join Tianbao Pavilion.

"Master Xu, would you like to accept this token?" Mei Ji turned to Xu Nian with a smile.

Ever since Xu Nian had refined two thousand Top-Grade Spiritual Artifacts at once.

Manager Liu reported this to the main pavilion.

So the Master sent Mei Ji to preside over the auction and to persuade Xu Nian to join Tianbao Pavilion.

Hence, Mei Ji already had the token prepared for Xu Nian.

Xu Nian smiled wryly; at this moment, even if he did not want to, he had to accept it.

If he refused, Yann Hui would not spare him.

"Don't worry, designated refiners of Tianbao Pavilion are free, generally just under our name. When we need some Spiritual Artifacts, you can refine some for us," Mei Ji seemed to have seen through Xu Nian's thoughts and explained with a smile.

Xu Nian felt relieved after hearing this and accepted the token.

He didn't want to be confined and solely refine artifacts for others.

Since there were no restrictions on freedom, there was no need to worry.

Everyone around was speechless.

It seemed like Xu Nian was just now accepting the appointment.

Yann Hui was also furious.

But now, he had no way; Xu Nian had been appointed.

No matter how angry he was, he couldn't attack Xu Nian.

"In that case, Xu Nian, you are lucky today. But don't be too happy. For offending the Guihai Family, you are still doomed." Yann Hui furiously flicked his sleeves.

He left with Guihai Tianxing's corpse, turning into a stream of light and disappearing.

Everyone around felt deeply emotional seeing Yann Hui forced to leave.

This guy killed Guihai Tianxing and still survived, it was a miracle.

Xu Nian, however, smiled bitterly.

He had long expected Mei Ji to be watching; he was betting on whether she would help him.

It seemed he had bet correctly!

"Are you alright?" Mei Ji turned to Xu Nian with a smile.

"If you had watched a little longer, there really would have been a problem," Xu Nian said irritably.

He knew Mei Ji had arrived long ago but hadn't taken action until now.

Clearly, she was assessing him.

And she acted at the critical moment to make Xu Nian feel grateful.

Xu Nian couldn't say anything about this. After all, whether Mei Ji acted or not was her decision.

"I didn't expect you to kill Guihai Tianxing in the face of a Transcendence Tribulation Stage expert, truly surprising," Mei Ji smiled.

Xu Nian shook his head helplessly and said, "Let's get going!"

"Alright!"

Mei Ji smiled slightly and waved her hand.

A beautifully designed triangular spaceship appeared before Xu Nian.

The spaceship was as large as a house.

"This is a cosmic flying ship jointly refined by ten Top-Grade Refiner Masters. With it, we can travel quickly through the universe. Let's go inside!" Mei Ji smiled.

Then she stepped into the ship.

Xu Nian, surprised, followed her.

The ship was much larger than his flying boat.

"Take off!"

With Mei Ji's order, the ship turned into a stream of light and soared into the sky!

Chapter 883 - 883 - Space Voyage

The battleship burst through the firmament.

The airflow and the battleship sparked spectacularly, with the top of the battleship appearing as red-hot iron carbon.

Compared to Xu Nian's flying boat, the battleship was significantly larger and completely enclosed.

However, in terms of speed, the battleship was much slower than Xu Nian's flying boat.

Of course, the speed of this battleship barely met the standards for space travel.

"How about it? Are you surprised? Though you're a top-grade refiner, you haven't seen a large top-grade spiritual artifact like this!" Mei Ji said with a smile as she looked at Xu Nian.

Xu Nian smiled slightly and responded, "Indeed, I haven't seen it before. Crafting such a large top-grade spiritual artifact would take a very long time. No wonder it required ten top-grade refiners."

"Of course, the whole battleship is made of Black Blood Steel, its hardness can withstand a full-force strike from a peak Tribulation Crossing Stage powerhouse. Even if it encounters a meteorite collision in space, there won't be much damage. The surface is covered with formations, making it extremely safe," Mei Ji said with a smile.

Xu Nian nodded.

Although some planets have established transmission arrays.

To enter space, these space battleships are still necessary.

"Actually, that's not the most surprising thing. It is said that there is also a super-large spiritual artifact, with a quality at the top-grade spiritual artifact level. It can accommodate hundreds to thousands of people at once. The amount of top-grade refining materials consumed is enough to pile up a small mountain, requiring hundreds of top-grade artifact refiners to spend centuries to complete. Flying in the cosmic void, it's like a steel city," Mei Ji said with emotion.

Xu Nian's face also showed a surprised expression.

He could imagine a cold and gigantic steel object stationed in the cosmic void.

Such a colossal entity could only be created by super massive forces.

Otherwise, the gathering of these top-grade refining materials would be impossible for ordinary forces.

"Could even Tianbao Pavilion's forces not create such a super large top-grade spiritual artifact?" Xu Nian asked curiously.

"No, not even the Mu Residence has such power. If there's someone with the capability and financial resources, it would be the Four Great Sects," Mei Ji answered.

Xu Nian furrowed his brows slightly.

A super-large spiritual artifact like that might not even be easily broken by an Earth Immortal expert.

The Four Great Sects could actually create such gigantic top-grade spiritual artifacts?

"Both occupying a star domain, why can the Four Great Sects achieve this while others cannot?" Xu Nian asked, puzzled.

"You don't know that?!" Mei Ji asked with a surprised face.

Xu Nian shook his head.

"It's simple because the Four Great Sects are supported by sects from the Immortal Realm. Therefore, their resources and power are the strongest in the cultivation world," Mei Ji explained.

Xu Nian heard this and his face showed a contemplative expression.

It seems he still underestimated the Four Great Sects.

Back when the Four Great Sects could destroy the immensely powerful Divine Demon Sect, it reflected this issue.

The Four Great Sects have strong backing, while the Divine Demon Sect did not.

To oppose the Four Great Sects, he still had a long, long way to go.

"Fairy Mei Ji, where are we heading next?" Xu Nian tossed these thoughts aside.

His priority now was to find every possible way to enhance his strength.

Only then could he return to Tianlan Star to save people and avenge.

Given his current strength, going back now would be a suicidal mission.

"Your sweet talk is on point, already calling me Fairy." Mei Ji chuckled and cast Xu Nian a seductive glance.

Xu Nian felt speechless.

If he were not weaker than this woman, he would really want to hang her up and give her a good beating to make her understand the consequences of freely casting seductive glances with an Innate Seductive Body.

Of course, these thoughts were only in the depths of Xu Nian's heart, he dared not express them.

A master at the Tribulation Crossing stage is not to be trifled with.

"Alright, enough teasing. In the Taiheng Star Domain, there are one thousand three hundred seventy constant stars, and we need to find one of these stars, a star at the edge of the Taiheng Star Domain," Mei Ji said seriously.

"This star is nearing the end of its life. Inside it, there is a substance called Ice Flame Heart. If we obtain that substance, it can suppress the enchanting power in my body and even greatly enhance my cultivation," Mei Ji said seriously.

"Ice Flame Heart?" Xu Nian showed a confused look.

This substance was something he had never heard of before.

However, he also had other purposes on this trip. When the time comes, if he helps Mei Ji obtain the Ice Flame Heart, he would promptly let the Undying Devouring Sky Beast avatar devour the entire star.

This way, the strength of his Undying Devouring Sky Beast avatar would significantly increase.

Of course, there would be considerable difficulty involved.

"How long will it take to reach the star you mentioned?" Xu Nian asked.

"At the speed of our spaceship, it will take about three months!" Mei Ji replied.

"Three months?" Xu Nian widened his eyes.

Three months was indeed too long for him.

"Three months is already quite short, considering that we are relatively close to the star. Traversing the whole Taiheng Star System would take ten to twenty years. Even using transmission arrays, it would require several transfers and consume a substantial amount of time," Mei Ji explained.

Xu Nian felt speechless.

But at present, he could only face reality.

He sat down cross-legged and began to comprehend.

Before Jiang Lingye left, he had given Xu Nian a jade scroll, which recorded Jiang Lingye's Sword Dao enlightenment.

He now had the perfect opportunity to digest it.

Of course, before that, Xu Nian handed over the Space Magic Cube he obtained from Guihai Tianxing's storage ring to the Undying Devouring Sky Beast avatar.

He decided to use this time to comprehend the Space Magic Cube.

Additionally, in Guihai Tianxing's storage ring, Xu Nian found the Guihai Family's Asura Three Sabers.

Having witnessed the power of Asura Three Sabers firsthand, Xu Nian was intrigued.

Now, he could let the Undying Devouring Sky Beast avatar cultivate this blade technique.

Once everything was arranged, Xu Nian began to immerse himself in the information from the jade scrolls.

Jiang Lingye's Sword Dao enlightenment was extensive.

Xu Nian endured pain to accept all the information.

Comprehending its profound argumentation would require even more time.

Soon, Xu Nian was absorbed in the Sword Dao enlightenment.

"Already started cultivation? Didn't notice such a big beauty beside him?" Mei Ji looked at Xu Nian who quickly entered a cultivation state with some complaints.

However, she did not disturb Xu Nian. Instead, she also sat down cross-legged and began to comprehend and cultivate.

The space battleship sped through the cosmic void while the two of them fully entered their cultivation state.

Chapter 884: One Slash Silence

Time passed slowly.

Xu Nian was completely immersed in his cultivation.

During this time, Mei Ji opened her eyes three times but found that Xu Nian was still cultivating.

This surprised her greatly!

In fact, she did not know that Xu Nian was already at the critical stage of a breakthrough.

At this moment, his understanding of Wind Cutting Profound Argumentation had deepened further.

Thus, his cutting force would be stronger than before.

He had fully reached the Great Success Realm.

What was most important now was to integrate this Wind Cutting Profound Argumentation into his swordsmanship.

After practicing in his heart tens of thousands of times, Xu Nian finally created the move.

"Buzz!"

Xu Nian suddenly opened his eyes.

A sharp and fierce momentum exploded from his eyes.

Mei Ji, who was beside him, also suddenly opened her eyes; she felt an extremely sharp aura just then.

This aura was not something she could underestimate.

"Did your understanding break through?" Mei Ji looked at Xu Nian and asked.

"Yes, I made a breakthrough in the Wind Attribute Profound Argumentation and have barely stepped into the Great Success Realm," Xu Nian replied with a smile.

He did not hide it because the momentum he emitted moments ago already explained everything.

"Great Success?" Mei Ji was speechless.

She had reached the Transcendence Tribulation Stage but only had insights into the Great Success Realm.

Yet, Xu Nian had achieved the Great Success Realm while at the Peak of Cave Void, which was simply terrifying.

"Boom!"

At this moment, a violent explosion sounded from the ship.

The entire ship shook violently.

"What's going on? Did we hit a meteorite?" Xu Nian asked in surprise.

"Probably not. The ship is equipped with formations, and it would avoid meteorite clusters. It shouldn't hit a meteorite. Something must be attacking the ship." Mei Ji replied.

"Let's go check it out!" Xu Nian responded.

Mei Ji nodded.

As cultivators, they could stay in the void for a short time.

But crossing the void was something they might not be able to do.

When Xu Nian and Mei Ji stepped out of the ship and into the void, they found a ship similar to Mei Ji's in front of them.

On the ship stood two middle-aged men.

The two men were looking at Xu Nian and Mei Ji with faces full of arrogance.

The attack on the ship came from one of these middle-aged men.

"Uh? Who are they?" Xu Nian asked in surprise.

"They are space pirates. They plunder passing ships in the cosmic void to obtain treasures," Mei Ji explained.

Upon hearing this, Xu Nian immediately understood their identities.

Space pirates are essentially robbers in the cosmic void.

What surprised Xu Nian was that their cultivation levels were not high.

One was only at Harmonization Peak, while the other was slightly higher but only in the Heavenly Phenomenon Early Stage.

He wondered where they got the courage to raid Mei Ji's ship.

Didn't they know that Mei Ji's strength had reached the Transcendence Tribulation Stage?

Mei Ji seemed to notice Xu Nian's confusion and smiled, saying, "These two are clearly low-level space pirates. This place is close to the edge of the Taiheng Star Domain where people are scarce. They are probably trying their luck. They haven't discovered my cultivation level because I used a secret technique to adjust my level to Harmonization Early Stage."

Xu Nian looked over and saw that Mei Ji's cultivation level had indeed become Harmonization Early Stage.

It seemed Mei Ji wanted to use this opportunity to eliminate the two space pirates.

"Haha, we didn't expect to have a bonus this time. Not only did we encounter a fat sheep but also a stunning beauty. Such a gorgeous woman is a rare prize, big brother!"

"Indeed, we are lucky this time. Second brother, kill the boy and seal the woman's cultivation level. Don't let them escape."

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The words containing True Essence of the two space pirates echoed in the endless void.

If True Essence is not used, sound cannot be transmitted in the void.

Their words reached Xu Nian and Mei Ji's ears, sounding exceptionally harsh.

Mei Ji's seductive eyes narrowed, and a cold light flashed in her eyes.

She was about to act.

"Let me do it. I just made a breakthrough; it's a perfect chance to test my skills!" Xu Nian said with a smile.

"Can you handle it?" Mei Ji asked in surprise.

Although these two space pirates seemed low-level to her, one was at Harmonization Peak, and the other was at Heavenly Phenomenon Early Stage.

Could Xu Nian, at the Peak of Cave Void, really handle two opponents with higher cultivation levels?

"Of course, I survived a confrontation with someone at the Transcendence Tribulation Stage," Xu Nian replied with a smile.

Mei Ji recalled that Xu Nian had indeed withstood two attacks from Yann Hui.

He even killed Guihai Tianxing under Yann Hui's nose.

Even Mei Ji couldn't guarantee she could kill Xu Nian.

"Alright, go ahead. If there is a problem, I will step in," Mei Ji said.

Xu Nian nodded, then turned and smiled at the two space pirates in the distance.

He tapped his toes and floated out.

"Boy, are you here to die? Hand over your treasures obediently, and we might leave your corpse intact. As for the woman behind you, sorry, we'll be taking her," the Harmonization Peak middle-aged pirate mocked coldly upon seeing Xu Nian fly out.

"You think you can kill me? You don't have the qualifications. As for the woman behind me, even I can't have her. You dare to harbor evil intentions, you are simply courting death," Xu Nian responded with a smile.

Upon hearing this, Mei Ji's eyes brightened, smiling with flirtatious eyes.

But the middle-aged pirate was filled with fury.

A boy at the Peak of Cave Void dared to speak to him this way, seeking death.

"Kid, since you are so fearless, I'll send you to King Yan!" The middle-aged pirate roared and a battle axe appeared in his hand.

He swung the battle axe, slashing fiercely at Xu Nian.

Axe light swept across the sky like the Star River falling.

This strike was no weaker than Guihai Tianxing's strongest move of the Asura Three Sabers.

But this time, Xu Nian's face showed no fear.

"Buzz!"

The King Jing Sword appeared in his hand.

A sharp aura of sword qi radiated from him.

"One Slash Silence!"

With a loud shout, Xu Nian swung the King Jing Sword.

The sword radiance instantly shattered the axe light.

With great speed, the sword slashed through the air and sliced the Harmonization Peak middle-aged pirate into two pieces.

"Such a powerful strike!"

Mei Ji's face showed surprise.

She felt a flicker of anxiety at that moment.

The distant middle-aged pirate was also in disbelief.

Looking at his fallen companion, he couldn't believe his eyes.

Chapter 885 - 885

Since becoming a star thief, Taro had robbed no fewer than ten spacecraft.

Every time he came back fully loaded. The only time he encountered a peak Heavenly Phenomenon expert, they sensed the danger in time and escaped!

Originally, he thought today he would encounter another fat sheep, with cultivation only at the peak of Cave Void. Killing him would be easy, but he never expected that the opponent would break his skill with just one sword and kill him!

In the moment before his death, he seemed to see the starlight of death, as if the entire universe had gone dark, silent as death!

That sword not only cut through his body but also directly tore his soul, so the pain he endured was just for a moment, then he lost consciousness!

Even in death, he couldn't understand how someone at the peak of Cave Void could launch such a terrifying attack?

Xu Nian looked at the body that had turned into cosmic dust, a smile appearing at the corner of his mouth.

Just now, this sword was one he had comprehended not long ago.

With his Wind Attribute Dimension Cutting Profound Argumentation reaching Great Success Realm, it could be called the Great Tear. This tearing force was particularly terrifying.

Xu Nian integrated this Great Tear force into his swordsmanship, greatly amplifying its power several times over.

So, killing someone at the peak of Harmonization was naturally easy!

"I didn't expect to encounter a Cave Void Realm genius with Profound Argumentation Great Success here. May I ask, are you from one of the Four Great Sects?" The remaining Heavenly Phenomenon Realm star thief looked at Xu Nian and asked.

Those who could own a spacecraft were all very wealthy people.

Now, this young man could comprehend Profound Argumentation Great Success at the Cave Void Realm, which made him a genius even in the entire cultivation world.

Such a genius could only be cultivated by the Four Great Sects!

"Sorry, I am not from the Four Great Sects, nor do I belong to any power. I am just a mere loose cultivator," Xu Nian replied with a smile.

He knew what the star thief in front of him was thinking. That question was obviously a roundabout way to probe his identity.

He didn't want to waste words. Rather than playing guessing games, it was better to tell him directly.

"A loose cultivator?" Carter looked at Xu Nian incredulously.

How could a loose cultivator reach the early stage of Cave Void at such a young age and also comprehend Wind Cutting Profound Argumentation Great Success?

The only explanation was a fortuitous encounter!

Thinking of these two words, Carter's eyes instantly brightened!

Xu Nian's smile grew colder; his eyes were filled with a strong fighting spirit.

He now very much wanted to fight this star thief in front of him to see how far his strength had reached.

"Make your move. Kill me, and you'll get the treasures on me. Do you see the sword in my hand? This is an Immortal Sword," Xu Nian said with a smile.

Carter looked at the sword in Xu Nian's hand, his eyes instantly lighting up.

It indeed was an Immortal Sword. This kid must have had a fortuitous encounter, and it was no small encounter.

This instantly filled his heart with greed!

"Kid, since you want to die, don't blame me. These resources in your hands are a complete waste. Don't worry, I will make good use of them!" Carter said with an evil smile. He then produced a long spear in his hand.

"Swish!"

A starlight flashed by, and Carter appeared right in front of Xu Nian, his long spear carrying a terrifying power as it stabbed toward Xu Nian.

The power from the spear's tip was as terrifying as a meteorite crash!

"Good timing!"

Xu Nian's eyes sparkled like gemstones, and the King Jing Sword in his hand struck out without hesitation!

"Buzz!"

The sword tip collided with Carter's spear tip, and both forces clashed in the dark void, like two comets colliding, producing brilliant light!

Then came a silent explosion!

Both Xu Nian and Carter were blown away.

"You actually blocked it?" Carter looked at the young man in front of him in shock.

This young man actually blocked his spear?

He knew that he was at the early stage of the Heavenly Phenomenon Realm, far stronger than Taro!

However, this young man was only at the peak of Cave Void, so many levels apart. How did he do it?

Xu Nian was not relaxed at this moment; his arms felt numb.

The power from Carter's spear had still managed to wound him!

However, he felt even more excited. Fighting Carter made him understand the limits of his current strength.

Slaying someone at the peak of Harmonization was easy, but facing a Heavenly Phenomenon was a bit beyond his ability!

"Hmph, I don't believe you can block my next spear, Yama Inquiry!" Carter shouted, stabbing at Xu Nian again!

This spear was more than twice as powerful as the previous one!

Mei Ji, standing in the distance, instantly felt nervous. The power of this spear could threaten a typical early-stage Heavenly Phenomenon expert!

Could Xu Nian block this spear?

Xu Nian was exceptionally calm at this moment. Seeing the spear tip enlarge before his eyes, a colder light than the void flickered in his eyes.

"It seems I can only use this move, Triple Chaos Slash!" Xu Nian shouted coldly.

Mei Ji then saw Xu Nian split into three figures, passing through Carter.

As Xu Nian brushed past Carter, Carter's body instantly stiffened.

Finally, Carter, along with his spear, was cut into three pieces, the cuts smooth as mirrors!

"How... how could it be?" Carter's face showed disbelief, but the next moment, his consciousness vanished into the boundless void.

In the distance, Mei Ji watched this scene with shock, her feeling comparable to Carter's.

When Xu Nian killed Taro, she had only been surprised, but Xu Nian killing Carter left her profoundly shocked!

A Cave Void peak killing an early-stage Heavenly Phenomenon was extremely rare in the cultivation world.

After collecting the storage rings and spacecraft of the two great star thieves, Xu Nian flew back to Mei Ji's side.

Mei Ji kept staring at Xu Nian, as if trying to figure out the reason behind it.

"What is it, Sister Mei Ji?" Xu Nian asked, slightly embarrassed.

"How did you do it?" Mei Ji finally couldn't help but ask.

Xu Nian smiled slightly and said, "It's nothing much, just the two great Wind Attribute Profound Arguments added with my Dimension Cutting Profound Argumentation at Great Success, so that sword's power increased tremendously!"

Xu Nian didn't hide anything!

"Fusion Profound Argumentation?" Mei Ji's eyes widened, even more surprised than when Carter was killed.

"What's wrong?" Xu Nian asked, seeing Mei Ji's surprise.

"Don't you know what Fusion Profound Argumentation represents? It's a realm only Earth Immortal experts can comprehend, yet you reached it in the Cave Void Realm, which can be described in two words!" Mei Ji exclaimed excitedly.

"Which two words?" Xu Nian asked.

Mei Ji spread her hands and uttered two words: "Monster!"

Xu Nian was speechless!

Chapter 886: The Extinguished Constant Star

In the next month, Xu Nian continued to comprehend cultivation inside the spaceship.

The only difference was that Mei Ji had stopped cultivating and instead observed Xu Nian's training from the side.

At first, Xu Nian was somewhat uncomfortable, but gradually he got used to it.

Time flew by quickly, and soon Xu Nian and the others arrived at the edge of the Taiheng Star System.

Here, a star that had already grown quite dim was lying dormant.

The entire star looked like extinguished charcoal, manifesting a dark black color.

This star wasn't large either, being ten times smaller than Tianlan Star's star.

"This is the star I mentioned that is about to destroy itself. Don't think it's almost extinguished; it still has temperatures of tens of thousands of degrees inside. Even Transcendence Tribulation Stage experts wouldn't dare to approach it easily," Mei Ji said as she and Xu Nian stepped out of the spaceship, looking at the distant star.

Even though they were thousands of kilometers away from the star, they could still feel the scorching temperature.

"Temperatures of tens of thousands of degrees... Even an Immortal Artifact might melt," Xu Nian murmured to himself.

He couldn't help but marvel at the wonders of the universe.

The universe was filled with endless dangers.

Examples include black holes, stars, and those unseen dark matters.

One must understand that dark matter energy is an extremely terrifying energy.

Even Earth Immortal experts would be doomed if they encountered such energy.

It is said that this dark matter energy is a highly potent energy propelling the evolution of the universe.

"With such high temperatures, even if you asked me to help you find the Ice Flame Heart, I couldn't manage," Xu Nian said to Mei Ji with a wry smile.

The star might be close to extinction, but the temperatures inside were still terrifying.

Given Xu Nian's strength, there was no way he could reach the core of the star.

Even though this star was significantly smaller compared to regular stars.

"I anticipated that, so I prepared two things for you: a Leaving Fire Original Robe. When you wear it, it isolates you from all flames. On top of that, I have an Ancient Defense Spiritual Array here, which can last for two hours, insulating against all flames and temperatures. You must come out within two hours, or there will be no problems," Mei Ji said.

After speaking, two items appeared in her hands: a crimson robe and an Array Formation Spirit Talisman.

"With these two items, why do you need my help?" Xu Nian couldn't help but ask.

He had always wondered why Mei Ji asked him for help, claiming his fire control skills as the reason.

But in the face of an entire star, even powerful fire control skills would be useless, wouldn't they?

"It seems you've already noticed. Honestly, I can't enter this Flame Star because my seductive power within me would be triggered once inside. If I don't have intercourse with a man within two hours, I would undoubtedly die. Hence, I need someone to go in for me," Mei Ji explained.

"Then why me?" Xu Nian continued to ask.

"Because you're smart enough, and you also have strong fire control abilities. Most importantly, you're not a threat to me," Mei Ji answered seriously.

Xu Nian smiled.

Perhaps that last sentence was Mei Ji's true thoughts.

Finding someone who could complete the mission without posing a threat to her was indeed not easy.

"Alright, I'll help you, but don't forget your promise to help me find materials," Xu Nian said.

"Deal!" Mei Ji said earnestly.

Seeing Mei Ji nod, Xu Nian decisively put on the Leaving Fire Original Robe, grabbed the Array Formation Spirit Talisman, and flew towards the star.

He didn't immediately activate the array.

Instead, he gradually approached the star that was at the end of its life.

When he was a thousand meters away from the star, Xu Nian felt his skin start to crack.

The burning pain from the flames made him want to scream out loud.

Xu Nian immediately activated his Red Fire Flame Dragon Bloodline, feeling much better.

The energy from the flames began to flow into Xu Nian's body through his meridians, surprisingly enhancing his physical body slightly.

Flame quenching must be like this!

But after only five hundred meters, the burning pain intensified once again.

Even with the Leaving Fire Original Robe, it was to no avail.

This time, Xu Nian didn't hesitate and directly crushed the Array Formation Spirit Talisman.

The talisman broke apart, and a dark blue energy light ball enveloped Xu Nian instantly.

With the appearance of this energy light circle, all the pain on Xu Nian's body disappeared.

He couldn't even feel the slightest bit of heat.

This defensive array was indeed powerful, capable of isolating even the temperature of a star.

But he knew that the array could only last two hours.

So he had to hurry.

Therefore, Xu Nian pushed his speed to the limit, heading towards the star.

From afar, Mei Ji saw Xu Nian dive headfirst into the fiery star.

"Whether I live or die depends on you now. Hope you don't disappoint me," Mei Ji murmured.

She knew apart from the Ice Flame Heart, having intercourse with a man was her only other way out.

Mu Residence Lord knew this too, so he never forced her.

If she dared to get involved with another man, it would bring Mu Residence Lord's crazy revenge upon her.

Therefore, she had only one path left—to submit to Mu Residence Lord.

Yet she despised Mu Residence Lord.

This was why she was determined to obtain the Ice Flame Heart.

This was her last hope.

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Xu Nian entered the star and rushed toward its core.

As he progressed, the temperature inside the star remained extremely high.

As a result, the defensive light shield on Xu Nian's body began to fade.

"I'm afraid this defensive light shield can't support two hours. With such terrifying temperatures, it would be good if it lasts for one hour. I must speed up," Xu Nian thought to himself.

So he sped up further.

Finally, after nearly one hour of traveling.

Xu Nian finally reached the core of the star.

The temperature here was much lower than he had imagined.

Here, Xu Nian saw the Ice Flame Heart Mei Ji had mentioned.

The so-called Ice Flame Heart was a unique material formed from the star's burning substance, cooled down after being subjected to high temperatures.

This material was only the size of a fist when held, cold to the touch, like holding an ice block.

It was completely as transparent as a diamond, exceptionally beautiful.

Xu Nian quickly collected the Ice Flame Heart and was about to turn to leave.

"Buzz!"

But at that moment, Xu Nian felt a strong summons from the depths of the core.

Xu Nian frowned; how could there be a summons deep within the core?

"Boy, leave the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar here, and you, the main body, go out," Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice sounded.

Xu Nian immediately decided to summon the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar.

Then the main body flew towards the outside of the star.

Since the core's temperature wasn't high, the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar was unharmed.

Soon, the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar reached the center of the core.

However, the sight that greeted Xu Nian left him stunned.

In the core center of this star, a palace was lying there.

This summons was coming from inside the palace.

Chapter 887: Mysterious Palace

Xu Nian had his main body leave the Constant Star, as the Defensive Spirit Array of his main body could only last for two hours.

If he stayed here, it would mean that both he and his avatar wouldn't be able to leave this place.

Therefore, Xu Nian decided to leave the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar behind.

The Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar flew towards the palace at the center of the Star Core.

As he approached, the summoning didn't disappear; instead, it grew even stronger.

When the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar arrived in front of the palace, the sight of it left him somewhat shocked.

The entire palace was built from a type of jet-black stone.

Xu Nian didn't know what kind of stone it was, but he could feel that it was incredibly hard.

He feared that even if he struck with all his might, he might not be able to leave a trace on this stone.

Besides its hardness, Xu Nian could also feel a chilling sensation from the stone, a coldness that came not from touch, but from the depths of his soul.

"What kind of stone is this?" The Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar murmured to himself.

"Kid, this is Chaos Stone. I never thought someone would acquire such a large piece, hollow it out, and build a palace with it!" Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice echoed in Xu Nian's mind.

Although Wentian Demon Sovereign wasn't with the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar, Xu Nian's main body and avatar shared a soul connection, so the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar could naturally hear Wentian Demon Sovereign's Soul Transmission.

"Chaos Stone?" Xu Nian murmured to himself, looking at the palace in astonishment.

He had heard of Chaos Stone; it was a very magical stone that was born in the universe.

This stone was incredibly hard; even Immortal Emperors, not to mention Cultivators, couldn't break it open.

This Chaos Stone had another important characteristic: it could form an independent spacetime within itself.

This was different from storage rings and spatial treasures, which could form independent spaces but couldn't control time.

But Chaos Stone was different, as it could form a completely independent spacetime within.

In other words, a whole new world.

Often, a Chaos Stone the size of a thumb could create a world as large as a city.

Now, this entire palace was made of Chaos Stone, making it hard for Xu Nian to imagine how large the world inside might be.

Xu Nian, filled with awe, arrived at the front gate of the palace, where four large characters were inscribed.

These four characters left Xu Nian momentarily stunned.

Chaos Divine Palace!

A name exuding boundless dominance.

"Hmph, to actually call oneself the Chaos Divine Palace, I fear nobody in the Divine World would dare name their palace such!" Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice rang out in Xu Nian's mind.

The tone was filled with deep disdain.

Xu Nian gave a bitter smile, perhaps in the eyes of Wentian Demon Sovereign, the owner of the Chaos Divine Palace was nothing, but to Xu Nian, they were already a supreme existence.

After all, only those who reached Divine Level could open a Chaos Stone.

So Xu Nian could conclude that the owner of this palace must be from the Divine World.

"Might as well go in and take a look!" Xu Nian approached the palace gate, trying to see if he could open it.

Just as his hand touched the gate, it automatically opened.

A primordial aura surged towards Xu Nian.

Inside the palace, everything was obscured, seemingly blocked by a layer of light.

With an uneasy heart, Xu Nian walked into the palace.

He only felt a dizziness before realizing he was standing on a green meadow.

A clear stream flowed through the meadow.

In the center of the meadow, a large tree stood, with a straw hut under it.

At this moment, under the tree, an old man was sitting and drinking tea.

To be precise, it wasn't an old man, but an aged rat with white whiskers.

It wore a white robe and was about the height of an adult human.

The rat was looking at Xu Nian with bright, gem-like eyes, a smile Xu Nian couldn't read on its face.

Xu Nian instantly felt a chill down his spine, as if he had been completely seen through.

"Not bad, a human who actually possesses an Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar. Kid, it seems your fortune isn't shallow!" the rat said, looking at Xu Nian with admiration in its eyes.

"Junior Xu Nian greets Senior!" Xu Nian said awkwardly.

He had long guessed that his secrets would be seen through, but hearing it from the rat still gave him a chilly feeling.

"Senior? I'm not some senior!" the rat laughed upon hearing Xu Nian's words.

"Uh, aren't you the owner of this Divine Hall?" Xu Nian asked in surprise.

"No, I'm just the steward of this hall. As for the owner, or rather my master, he passed away ten thousand years ago!" the rat replied truthfully.

Xu Nian was taken aback.

So this rat was merely the Chaos Divine Venerable's steward. He had thought the Chaos Divine Palace's owner was a rat.

"What's the matter, kid? Do you look down on me?" The rat's sharp eyes fixed on Xu Nian, still wearing that unreadable smile.

"I dare not! I dare not!" Xu Nian quickly explained with a cold sweat.

This rat was the steward of the palace; even if he was foolish, he knew he couldn't possibly be their match.

"Kid, you don't have to be afraid. I don't have the power to harm you now; you didn't notice I'm merely a soul?" the Rat Butler smiled.

Xu Nian froze, realizing that the rat indeed lacked any aura, and was instead very weak in soul form.

"In fact, ten thousand years ago, when my master died, I also perished. But to fulfill my master's last command, I had to forcibly extract my soul and merge it with this Chaos Divine Palace! So now, I have no offensive capabilities and can never leave this hall for the rest of my life!" the Rat Butler explained with a smile.

Yet there was sadness in its smile.

Xu Nian was deeply shocked; he could imagine the loneliness of the rat spending ten thousand years in this deserted hall.

If it were him, he would have already gone mad.

After all, ten thousand years seemed an eternity to him.

"By the way, Senior, you mentioned earlier that you survived to carry out your master's final command. What is that command?" Xu Nian curiously asked.

The Rat Butler smiled upon hearing Xu Nian's question and said, "Master wanted me to find a suitable heir for him, so his path of cultivation wouldn't be annihilated."

"An heir?" Xu Nian was astonished, then recalled the rat's mysterious smile and seemed to understand something.

"You don't mean to say that heir is me, do you?" Xu Nian asked with a wry smile.

The rat smiled slightly, "Indeed it is you. But before that, you have to take a test. Only by passing the test can you become the true heir of my master!"

Xu Nian was speechless; a test again?

Chapter 888: Master of the Divine Hall

"Senior, can I refuse the test? I don't want to become your master's successor!" Xu Nian looked at the Rat Butler and said.

The Rat Butler's brow immediately furrowed, and he looked at Xu Nian sternly, "What did you say? Boy, do you know how many people in the Divine World want to become my master's successor? Even some Divine Country rulers are eager to learn just one or two moves from my master, and you dare to say you don't want it?"

Xu Nian felt a wave of helplessness upon hearing this.

To speak of inheritance, he already had more than enough.

Whether it was the Green Emperor, the Dan Sea Species Green Lotus, or his Divine Demon Refining Body.

Moreover, he had the guidance of two great powers, Wentian Demon Sovereign and Emperor Ye Tian, behind him.

To be honest, he didn't lack any inheritance at all.

He deeply understood the principle of not biting off more than one can chew.

Therefore, he wasn't particularly eager for the inheritance of this Chaos Divine Palace.

"Boy, don't be so quick to refuse. You might not know my master's name yet. If you did, I'm afraid you wouldn't refuse," the Rat Butler said proudly.

Xu Nian didn't speak, but he didn't care in his heart.

No matter how famous the master of this Chaos Divine Palace was, it was impossible that he knew him.

After all, in the entire Divine World, he only knew Emperor Ye Tian.

"Boy, let me tell you, my master is the renowned Green Emperor in the Divine World! You must have heard of him, right?" the Rat Butler said.

Xu Nian was stunned.

The Green Emperor?

Isn't he the creator of the Dan Sea Species Green Lotus that he cultivates?

Isn't he an Ancient God Emperor?

How could he have died ten thousand years ago?

"It seems you know my master!" the Rat Butler said with a cold smile.

Xu Nian's expression made him feel very satisfied.

"Senior, to be honest, I really didn't know your master was the Green Emperor. If I had known, I wouldn't have disrespected your master. To tell the truth, I have some connection with your master because the cultivation technique I practice is the Dan Sea Species Green Lotus," the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar said.

"Oh? No wonder I sensed a familiar aura from your main body earlier. It seems it's really fate. You are the successor chosen by my master," the Rat Butler said.

For once, Xu Nian didn't refute.

From the moment he started cultivating the Dan Sea Species Green Lotus, the Green Emperor was already considered half his master.

Now, he never expected to encounter the sleeping quarters of his Green Emperor master and obtain his inheritance.

"Now you shouldn't refuse, right?" the Rat Butler asked with a smile.

He was exceptionally satisfied with Xu Nian's performance.

"I won't refuse!" Xu Nian said with determined eyes.

"However, even if you practice my master's cultivation technique, you still need to pass the test. You must understand that the Dan Sea Species Green Lotus you cultivate is incomplete; it can only assist you in reaching the Earth Immortal Realm. As for the cultivation techniques after the Immortal Realm, you don't know them," the Rat Butler said with a smile.

Xu Nian nodded.

He had already discovered that even with Emperor Ye Tian supplementing the cultivation technique for him, he still felt that something was missing in the techniques after the Immortal Level.

In other words, after the Immortal Level, the Dan Sea Species Green Lotus cultivation technique could still be followed, but it wouldn't be the true Dan Sea Species Green Lotus anymore.

It seemed there was another true cultivation technique beyond the Immortal Level, and that technique was the true secret of the Dan Sea Species Green Lotus.

"I am willing to accept the test. What exactly is the test that Senior mentioned?" Xu Nian looked at the Rat Butler and asked.

Now knowing the flaw of the Dan Sea Species Green Lotus, he certainly couldn't ignore it.

He had to cultivate the true Dan Sea Species Green Lotus.

"It's very simple. Currently, the Chaos Divine Palace is inside this star, which my master created. My master once said that he hid the key to the Divine Palace inside the star. Only when the entire star is extinguished will the key appear. So your test is to extinguish this star to obtain the key to the Divine Palace, inherit the Divine Palace, and open its treasures," the Rat Butler said.

"Eh? Extinguish the star?"

Xu Nian was stunned.

Doesn't this coincide with his purpose here?

He came here not only to help Mei Ji obtain the Ice Flame Heart but also to devour this star.

Now, the test of the Divine Palace was actually this, which was exactly what he wanted.

"Alright, I accept the test!" Xu Nian answered without hesitation.

The Rat Butler laughed upon hearing this.

"If you were an average cultivator, it might truly be challenging. My master thought that someone at the Peak of the Earth Immortal Realm might be able to accomplish it, but you are different. You possess the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar. So the moment I saw you, I knew you might be able to complete the test," the Rat Butler said.

Xu Nian nodded in realization.

No wonder the Rat Butler kept looking at him with a mysterious smile.

It was because he had noticed the devouring ability of his Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar.

"However, even with the cultivation of your Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar, it's still quite challenging to swallow a star. Whether you succeed will depend on your luck," the Rat Butler said.

"Thank you, Senior. I will start devouring now," the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar said directly.

After speaking, he wanted the Rat Butler to let him out.

"You don't need to go out. You can devour the star inside the Divine Palace. This way, your devouring will be more stable," the Rat Butler said.

He waved his sleeve, and Xu Nian found his surroundings disappearing.

He suddenly appeared in a vast sea of fire.

In the sea of fire, there was a gigantic stone pillar, and he was now standing at its center.

"This is the gathering spirit array of the Divine Palace. Here, you can directly devour the power of the star from the outside without being harmed by the star. Whether you can finish depends on your own fortune," the Rat Butler's voice echoed in Xu Nian's ear.

The eyes of the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar lit up immediately.

If he devoured here, he wouldn't have to worry about the terrifying temperature of the star's flames.

This way, he could devour without concerns.

"Thank you, Senior!" Xu Nian gratefully said to the void.

He knew that it was the Rat Butler helping him.

"You don't have to call me Senior. I have a name; my main body is Dao Tian Rat, and my name is Daotian. If you can complete the test, you can call me Grandpa Dao Tian," the Rat Butler said.

Xu Nian was speechless.

He's not supposed to call him Senior but Grandpa instead.

This was clearly taking advantage of him!

However, considering Daotian's age, Xu Nian was relieved.

Given Daotian's age, calling him Grandpa wasn't too much.

So, Xu Nian didn't think about it further and directly transformed into his main body.

A giant beast over a hundred meters long appeared on the giant stone pillar.

The giant beast opened its enormous mouth, like a black hole, swallowing everything.

The flames around it were torn by the black hole and rushed towards it.

Chapter 889: Guihai Tianlong

The terrifying fiery energy continually transformed into fire dragons as they surged into the mouth of the Undying Devouring Sky Beast.

And as the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar devoured, the brightness of the constant star also began to dim in an extremely subtle manner.

The cultivation of the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar also started to gradually improve, moving towards a breakthrough to the middle stage of the Cave Void Realm.

Although the Undying Devouring Sky Beast had a terrifying devouring ability, the energy required for its own breakthrough was also incredibly vast.

Thus, the breakthrough of the Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar was seemingly slow.

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Just as Xu Nian was striving to achieve a breakthrough,

his original body had already exited the range of this constant star.

And as soon as he left the constant star, the defensive array on his body also dissipated.

"Luckily, I finally got out," Xu Nian thought with relief.

Although his avatar was now devouring the energy of this constant star,

the temperature of this constant star was still unbearable for him.

Without the protection of the defensive array, facing this constant star would only lead to his death.

"Whoosh!"

Xu Nian darted towards Mei Ji's spaceship.

Before long, he arrived in front of the spaceship.

"How is it? Did you get it?" Mei Ji asked excitedly upon seeing Xu Nian.

Xu Nian smiled faintly and tossed the Ice Flame Heart in his hand over to her.

Seeing the Ice Flame Heart, Mei Ji's eyes lit up instantly.

"Great, this is the real Ice Flame Heart. With it, I can cure the poison of the seductive bones in my body," Mei Ji said excitedly.

Xu Nian, seeing Mei Ji so thrilled, also smiled.

This time, his gains were no less than Mei Ji's.

If it weren't for Mei Ji bringing him here, he probably wouldn't have discovered the Chaos Divine Palace of the Green Emperor.

His Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar wouldn't have such a massive energy to devour either.

"Thank you, thank you so much, Xu Nian! I will definitely help you with what I promised," Mei Ji said gratefully to Xu Nian.

Xu Nian nodded.

With Mei Ji's assistance in the matter of the Spirit King Pill, it would surely be much quicker.

"Buzz!"

However, just as Xu Nian and Mei Ji were about to board the spaceship to return,

a stream of light swiftly approached from the distant void.

Xu Nian and Mei Ji simultaneously frowned.

They had already discerned that it was a spaceship.

And it seemed to be of significant size, moving even faster than Mei Ji's spaceship.

It was heading straight towards them.

"This is bad, it's the spaceship of the Guihai family, they must have come for revenge knowing you're here," Mei Ji's face dramatically changed upon seeing the emblem on the spaceship.

Xu Nian's brows also furrowed deeply.

He hadn't expected the Guihai family to arrive so quickly.

"Whoosh!"

Sure enough, as soon as Xu Nian sensed something amiss,

the starship halted not far in front of them.

Two people emerged from the spaceship.

One was a middle-aged man, the other an elderly man with white hair.

Xu Nian and Mei Ji both recognized the elder, it was Yann Hui, who had been forced to retreat by Mei Ji.

However, what truly brought boundless pressure to Xu Nian and Mei Ji was not Yann Hui, but the middle-aged man standing in front of him.

This man was burly and had a heroic appearance.

The most critical part was, his cultivation had reached the middle stage of the Tribulation Crossing.

Although it was just one level above Yann Hui, the aura it exuded was enough to make Xu Nian and Mei Ji feel immense pressure.

"I didn't expect him to come as well. Xu Nian, it looks like you're in real trouble this time. He is Guihai Tiangong of the Guihai family, the cousin of Guihai Tianxing, with extremely formidable strength," Mei Ji said to Xu Nian through sound transmission.

Xu Nian remained silent but his brows furrowed intensely.

The strength of Guihai Tiangong had already surpassed Yann Hui; even if Mei Ji wanted to protect him, it would be difficult.

"Master Tianlong, that young man is Xu Nian, he was the one who killed Mr. Tianxing," Yann Hui stated.

Although Guihai Tiangong was a hundred years older than Guihai Tianxing, his status as Tianxing's cousin gave him a high position within the Guihai family due to his immense strength.

Hearing Yann Hui's words, Guihai Tiangong turned his gaze to Xu Nian.

When he saw that Xu Nian's cultivation was only at the peak of the Cave Void Realm, a hint of surprise flashed in his eyes.

But he did not underestimate Xu Nian; he wasn't like his younger brother who was a conceited playboy.

He knew that in the cultivation world, some people's true strength couldn't be gauged just by their surface-level cultivation.

This guy could kill his brother in front of Yann Hui, he should not be taken lightly.

However, he did not engage Xu Nian directly but instead turned his gaze to Mei Ji standing beside Xu Nian.

"Fairy Mei Ji, long time no see. What a coincidence to meet you here, it seems that fate has brought us together," Guihai Tiangong said with a deep, resonant voice and smiled at Mei Ji.

"Mr. Tianlong is also indeed gallant. It's my honor to meet you, but I wonder what brings Mr. Tianlong here?" Mei Ji responded calmly.

Guihai Tiangong laughed and pointed at Xu Nian. "Fairy Mei Ji should know why. This man killed my cousin Guihai Tianxing. Today, I must take his head back. I hope Fairy Mei Ji will not interfere."

"No way, Mr. Tianlong, Xu Nian is already an Artifact Refiner of Tianbao Pavilion. If you wish to kill him, Tianbao Pavilion will never agree," Mei Ji firmly stated.

Upon saying that, she intentionally stepped forward to shield Xu Nian.

Xu Nian felt deeply moved at that moment.

Even though he no longer had any use for Mei Ji,

Mei Ji could have just abandoned him right then and there.

But instead, she chose to stand up and protect him proactively, making Xu Nian feel that he wasn't helping the wrong person.

"So, there's no room for negotiation. In that case, I must offend you. Yann Hui, attack!" Guihai Tiangong didn't waste any more words and directly commanded Yann Hui to take action.

"Yes!"

Yann Hui immediately responded.

Then he charged towards Xu Nian.

Mei Ji's face changed; she hadn't expected Guihai Tiangong to completely disregard her threat.

With no choice, she engaged Yann Hui.

Yann Hui's goal was clear: to stall Mei Ji.

Since Mei Ji was favored by the Mu Residence Lord, no one from their side would harm her.

However, by holding her off, Guihai Tiangong could easily kill Xu Nian.

Xu Nian understood everything. He looked at Guihai Tiangong ahead with a cautious look in his eyes.

"Boy, do you think with Tianbao Pavilion backing you, my Guihai family wouldn't dare touch you? To kill you, Tianbao Pavilion won't make an enemy of the Guihai family for a dead man. Now, are you ready to die?" Guihai Tiangong sneered at Xu Nian, and his overwhelming aura locked onto Xu Nian.

Xu Nian didn't respond to Guihai Tiangong's words; instead, his mind was racing.

He was considering how to deal with Guihai Tiangong in front of him.

And the final conclusion was clear: escape!

Without hesitation, Xu Nian summoned the Divine Travel Boat and prepared to flee aboard it.

"Escape? Dream on!" When Guihai Tiangong saw Xu Nian attempting to escape, a cold look flashed in his eyes.

He instantly drew a battle saber and, without hesitation, unleashed a powerful strike.

"Boom!"

Before Xu Nian could activate the Divine Travel Boat, the terrifying sword light struck the boat heavily.

The Divine Travel Boat suffered a devastating impact,

like a meteorite crashing onto an uninhabited distant planet,

creating a massive crater on the planet's surface.

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"Cough, cough!"

Xu Nian coughed twice and climbed out of the Divine Travel Boat.

The saber strike from Guihai Tiangong just now was truly terrifying.

If not for the strong defense of the Divine Travel Boat, that strike alone would have been enough to kill Xu Nian.

Even so, he was still shaken to the point where his organs were in severe pain.

"Die! Asura First Style! Abyss Hell!"

Guihai Tiangong shouted loudly, and Xu Nian saw a sword light that made his heart palpitate fiercely slashing towards the planet he was on from the void.

Xu Nian was shocked and quickly pushed his speed to the extreme to dodge the strike.

"Buzz!"

The terrifying sword light grazed past Xu Nian.

It directly cut down on the uninhabited planet.

"Boom!"

The entire planet was instantly split in half.

And Xu Nian was also blasted off the planet's surface by the terrifying Sword Qi, drifting into the Cosmic Void.

Xu Nian looked at the uninhabited asteroid that had turned into two pieces, his heart filled with endless shock.

The Asura strike executed by Guihai Tiangong had much greater power than that of Guihai Tianxing.

To cut an entire planet in half with a single strike?

What kind of terrifying attack power is this?

They say that a cultivator can destroy planets with a mere wave of their hand, and now it seems not false at all.

"You actually managed to dodge my strike? Boy, it seems your luck is really not bad," Guihai Tiangong said, looking at Xu Nian with a cold smile.

He looked at Xu Nian as if he were watching a bug struggling desperately.

Indeed, at this moment, in his eyes, Xu Nian was just a bug struggling in its death throes.

From a distance, Mei Ji also noticed the commotion here and wanted to come over to help Xu Nian.

However, she was tightly entangled by Yann Hui.

"Senior Wentian, come out quickly!" At this moment, Xu Nian covered his painfully aching chest and frantically called out in his heart.

The only one who could help him now was the Wentian Demon Sovereign.

As for his Undying Devouring Sky Beast Avatar, it absolutely couldn't be exposed now.

Otherwise, Guihai Tiangong would discover the location of the Chaos Divine Palace.

Moreover, even if his avatar took action, it would be all in vain.

"Boy, you finally know to ask for my help? But even if you ask me, it's no use, the gap between your realms is too big!" Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice sounded in Xu Nian's mind.

Xu Nian was at a loss for words.

If it weren't for the disparity in realms, he would have already made a move himself.

Why would he come to you?

"Senior Wentian, please help me, lend me your power, I'll strike him down!" Xu Nian urgently transmitted his voice.

"It's useless; even if I lend you power, you won't be able to defeat him," Wentian Demon Sovereign denied.

"What should I do then, just wait to die?" Xu Nian asked anxiously.

He didn't want to die here; there were still many things he hadn't done.

"What are you afraid of? Don't you still have your avatar? At worst, wait until your avatar gets strong, then wipe out the Guihai Family to avenge yourself," Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice continued.

Xu Nian felt even more speechless.

He had long predicted that Wentian Demon Sovereign would say such a thing.

But he didn't want to abandon his human body just like that, as this was his true form.

"Isn't there another way?" Xu Nian said helplessly.

"There is a way, but it's extremely dangerous, and you only have a one percent chance of survival; it's up to you whether you're willing to try," Wentian Demon Sovereign said.

"I'll do it; what's the method?" Xu Nian hurriedly asked.

One percent chance was better than doing nothing and waiting to die.

"Alright, since that's the case, let me tell you, do you see that planet fifty thousand kilometers to the left?" Wentian Demon Sovereign said.

Xu Nian immediately looked to the left, where a planet was orbiting a dying constant star.

That planet still had no life, its surface desolate.

But how was this connected to resisting Guihai Tiangong?

"Boy, take a closer look, what's inside that planet?" Wentian Demon Sovereign's voice continued to sound.

Upon hearing this, Xu Nian immediately released his Spiritual Sense Power to scout.

Upon probing, Xu Nian gasped in shock.

"Is it... is it that?"

Xu Nian's heart was filled with terror.

"That's right, it's exactly that. As long as you awaken it, Guihai Tiangong will naturally be afraid. However, in doing so, you and that woman called Mei Ji may not survive, and even the entire Taiheng Star Domain would suffer," Wentian Demon Sovereign replied.

Xu Nian was utterly shocked.

He never thought that so close to him, such a thing could be hidden.

Understand that this thing can sweep across an entire Star Domain.

It is the nightmare of all star fields.

Yes, it is the Void Insect Clan.

A single Void Insect Clan is not terrifying, but if hundreds of billions, trillions of Void Insect Clans attacked at the same time?

Even Earth Immortal Experts wouldn't dare to say they could withstand it.

Because these Void Insect Clan can devour everything.

Wherever they pass, even planets will be devoured clean.

Even if an Earth Immortal Realm expert used True Essence to resist, they could devour the True Essence.

They are one of the most terrifying creatures in the universe.

So, in the universe, the Void Insect Clan has always been defined as a Cosmic Level disaster.

And now, at the center of that planet, lies a Void Insect Clan's egg.

It seems this Void Insect Clan's Queen is hibernating.

Once awakened, it would truly be an epic disaster.

Xu Nian felt his heart pounding furiously.

If he really did that, how many people would die with him?

"What's wrong, boy? Thought over your last words? If ready, then die!" Guihai Tiangong said.

"Whoosh!"

Xu Nian immediately dashed towards the direction of the planet, while threatening Guihai Tiangong, "Stop, if you don't want your Guihai Family and the entire Taiheng Star Domain to be buried with me, then by all means, make a move."

"Uh?"

Guihai Tiangong was taken aback, looking at Xu Nian in confusion.

Xu Nian pointed to the planet behind him and said, "See for yourself what's inside that planet?"

Upon hearing this, Guihai Tiangong quickly used his Spiritual Sense Power to look at the planet.

At this sight, he was almost so scared that his battle saber nearly slipped from his grasp.

"The... Void Insect Nest?" Guihai Tiangong said in an almost trembling voice.

Yann Hui and Mei Ji, standing aside, were also stunned when they heard these four words.

They all looked at the planet.

The universe hides endless terror, among which the Void Insect Nest is one.

Such a terrifying existence, once it appears, is a disaster that would doom the entire star field to destruction.

"How could such a thing be here?" Guihai Tiangong broke out in a cold sweat, no longer daring to make a move.

He even entirely retracted his aura, fearing to awaken the Void Insect Nest.

Yann Hui and Mei Ji did the same.

"Leave here, or even if I die, I'll take you with me as a burial," Xu Nian threatened, brandishing his long sword towards the planet as he spoke to Guihai Tiangong.

Upon hearing this, Guihai Tiangong's face showed a look of struggle.

But thinking of the scene if that terrifying creature inside the planet awoke, he felt terrified.

"Let's go!" Guihai Tiangong immediately commanded.

He then quickly led Yann Hui into the spaceship and left.

He didn't want to stay even a moment longer.

Xu Nian saw them leave and finally sighed in relief.

But when looking at that planet, his heart remained cold as ice.