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The emissary from the Thunder Serpent Sect had just visited the Mysterious Moon Palace, and the Mysterious Moon Palace immediately issued an Immortal Order prohibiting further external expansion.

This indicates that the Thunder Serpent Sect's visit to the Mysterious Moon Palace was likely about this matter.

If it was indeed about this, it proves that the Mysterious Moon Palace's subordinate forces have been expanding too aggressively, invading the territory of the Thunder Serpent Sect, prompting the Thunder Serpent Sect to send an emissary to the Mysterious Moon Palace, which, in order to avoid conflict with the Thunder Serpent Sect, issued such an Immortal Order to prevent conflict between its subordinate forces and the Thunder Serpent Sect.

Since the Mysterious Moon Palace issued this Immortal Order for the Thunder Serpent Sect, it shows that the Mysterious Moon Palace actually has some apprehension about the Thunder Serpent Sect; otherwise, they wouldn't care about the Thunder Serpent Sect at all.

However, speaking of it, while the Mysterious Moon Palace is cautious of the Thunder Serpent Sect, the Thunder Serpent Sect is equally wary of the Mysterious

Moon Palace, for the Mysterious Moon Palace, after all, has two Immortal Kings, while the Thunder Serpent Sect has only one.

Moreover, the Mysterious Moon Palace has come on strong, having subdued various major forces around it in such a short time, presenting enormous pressure on the Thunder Serpent Sect now.

If the Thunder Serpent Sect had another Immortal King, they would be qualified to contend against the Mysterious Moon Palace.

Thinking of this, the Quicksand Immortal Monarch immediately said to the Elder of the Quicksand Sect, "Elder Zeyang, go to the Thunder Serpent Sect and ask if they're interested in having an additional Immortal King-level Elder." Upon hearing this, the Elders in the hall were stunned. What did their Hall Master mean?

An Immortal King-level Elder?

How could the Thunder Serpent Sect have an extra Immortal King-level Elder? The Quicksand Immortal Monarch continued, "I'm just one step away from breaking through to become an Immortal King. With the Thunder Serpent Sect's help, becoming an Immortal King would be just a matter of time."

Upon hearing this, the Elders immediately realized that their Sect Master intended to betray the Mysterious Moon Palace and join the Thunder Serpent Sect.

However...

Would the Thunder Serpent Sect really help their Sect Master become an Immortal King?

After all, an Immortal King isn't an Immortal Monarch. If the Thunder Serpent Sect gains another Immortal King, it wouldn't be only the Thunder Serpent Immortal King calling the shots.

Would the Thunder Serpent Immortal King be willing to easily let go of his power?

At this time, the Elder Zeyang Immortal Monarch of the Thunder Serpent Sect said, "Sect Master, will the Thunder Serpent Immortal King trust us?"

The Quicksand Immortal Monarch continued, "I believe the Thunder Serpent Sect will agree."

The Thunder Serpent Sect originally intended to establish an Immortal Sect, but then the Mysterious Moon Palace, a force that seemed to have appeared from nowhere, occupied the airspace the Thunder Serpent Sect intended to use for their Immortal Sect, which alone would make the Thunder Serpent Immortal King very resentful of the Mysterious Moon Palace.

The most crucial point is that the Mysterious Moon Palace has two Immortal Kings, making them more powerful than the Thunder Serpent Sect. Although the two forces are quite far apart, in the Barbaric region, places with Immortal Aura are limited. If the Mysterious Moon Palace continues to expand, they're bound to attack the Thunder Serpent Sect eventually.

The current Thunder Serpent Sect is under immense pressure. If they could have one more Immortal King, it would not only make establishing their Immortal Sect easier but also relieve a lot of pressure when facing the Mysterious Moon Palace.

The Thunder Serpent Immortal Monarch continued, "That will be all for today." Upon hearing the Thunder Serpent Immortal Monarch's words, the Elders left the hall one by one. At this time, the Thunder Serpent Immortal Monarch said to the Zeyang Immortal Monarch, "Zeyang, stay behind."

The Zeyang Immortal Monarch immediately stopped, and after the other Elders left, the Thunder Serpent Immortal Monarch gave some instructions to the Zeyang Immortal Monarch, who then immediately set off for the Thunder Serpent Sect.

Meanwhile, below the Mysterious Moon Palace.

Bihai Immortal City.

This new Bihai Immortal City bears the same name as the former Bihai Immortal City in the Southern Domain, mainly because most of the Immortals who built this city were from the old Bihai Immortal City. After they followed the Mysterious Moon Palace to the Barbaric region, they missed the old Bihai Immortal City greatly, so they named this new Immortal City Bihai Immortal City.

However, the current Bihai Immortal City is not truly under the control of the Mysterious Moon Palace, as most of the city's managers are Lu Chen's people. Today, Bihai Immortal City is more like Lu Chen's private city.

Lu Chen held off the three Immortal Kings from the Blood Eagle Hall alone and later unleashed a heaven-defying formation that transported the entire Mysterious Moon Palace to the Barbaric region. Although he is only an Elder now, in the eyes of many in the Mysterious Moon Palace, his status is practically like that of a Third Hall Master.

This support from many people in the Mysterious Moon Palace allowed Lu Chen to slowly form a faction with him at the forefront, aided further by some maneuvers of the Ling Yin Immortal King, leading many of the outer hall Elders to prefer listening to Lu Chen.

Another even more important reason is that Lu Chen is the only male Elder in the Inner Hall, and when those male outer hall Elders were selected to join the Mysterious Moon Palace, they were inspected by Lu Chen. Although it seemed like just an inspection, for those people, it was Lu Chen who helped them join the Mysterious Moon Palace.

If Lu Chen had fabricated a reason back then to say they betrayed the Mysterious Moon Palace, they wouldn't have been able to join. For them, this was a favor owed to Lu Chen.

Furthermore, as the only male Elder in the Inner Hall, if other male Elders aspire to be Inner Hall Elders, with Lu Chen's tactic of identifying traitors, there will ultimately need to be his approval.

Lu Zhengze and his old subordinates seized this opportunity to turn the new Bihai Immortal City into Lu Chen's personal Immortal City and even built a City Lord's Mansion resembling an Imperial Palace in Bihai Immortal City.

This is also why Yun Yudie warned Lu Chen, as she had noticed all the small maneuvers of Lu Zhengze and his group. But considering Lu Chen's contributions, Yun Yudie initially didn't intervene.

However, as Lu Zhengze's influence grew, Yun Yudie became slightly uneasy, because the Ling Yin Immortal King of the Mysterious Moon Palace was already on Lu Chen's side. If Lu Chen continued to garner more support, the Mysterious Moon Palace might soon change its name to the "Lu" Palace. At this moment, in the City Lord's Mansion of Bihai Immortal City, Lu Zhengze

was discussing with others in the Meeting Hall about establishing an Immortal

Dynasty.

The warning Yun Yudie gave to Lu Chen was something that had happened over

a decade ago, and after she warned Lu Chen, he and Yun Yudie clashed for over ten years. During this time, Lu Chen paid no attention to the activities of Lu Zhengze and his group, allowing the power of Lu Chen's faction to further expand over those ten years.

At that moment, there were even several outer hall Elders from the Mysterious

Moon Palace in the Meeting Hall. To these outer hall Elders, Lu Zhengze and his group were boldly discussing the establishment of an Immortal Dynasty openly, and the Hall Master had not intervened, which implied that the Hall Master didn't care, giving them boldness to join in.

Just when suddenly a figure appeared in the hall, upon seeing the newcomer was Lu Chen, everyone hurriedly paid their respects.

"Greetings, Great King!"

"Greetings, Young Master!"

"Greetings, Elder Chen!"

Different people in the hall addressed Lu Chen differently. Lu Chen nodded

slightly, then looked at Lu Zhengze and asked, "What is this?"

Lu Zhengze immediately answered, "Great King, we are discussing the establishment of an Immortal Dynasty."

Upon hearing this, Lu Chen felt somewhat speechless, as his subordinates were more anxious than he was, but he wasn't surprised.

After all, he had been an Emperor for many years and knew that once he

became the Immortal Emperor, all his subordinates would benefit, the greatest benefit being the Qi Fortune of the Immortal Dynasty.

The closer one is to the Immortal Emperor, the denser the Qi Fortune one would receive, which is extremely beneficial to them.

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Lu Chen swept his gaze over the people present and felt a bit of a headache upon seeing a few outer hall elders.

Forget about Lu Zhengze and them, since they were his former followers, but why are these outer hall elders of the Mysterious Moon Palace meddling? If Yun Yudie found out, she would probably be even angrier.

But on the other hand, if he wanted to become stronger, establishing an Immortal Dynasty really was the best way. Once the Immortal Dynasty was established, with the blessing of the Immortal Dynasty's Qi Fortune, his cultivation speed would be faster.

After a moment of contemplation, Lu Chen said, "The Hall Master and I discussed the matter of establishing the Immortal Dynasty. I can create it, but I cannot occupy the lands currently controlled by the Mysterious Moon Palace." Upon hearing this, everyone exchanged looks. Lu Chen meant they needed to expand territory to establish an Immortal Dynasty, attacking other forces?

Lu Zhengze tentatively asked, "Will the Mysterious Moon Palace provide assistance?"

Lu Chen replied indifferently, "I am just an elder of the Mysterious Moon Palace. Establishing an Immortal Dynasty is my personal matter, so naturally, the Mysterious Moon Palace will not assist."

This...

Those present were not fools. If the Mysterious Moon Palace did not provide aid, it would be difficult for them alone to conquer enough land to establish an Immortal Dynasty.

An outer hall elder said, "What if the Immortals of the Mysterious Moon Palace voluntarily help you?"

Although Lu Chen said the Mysterious Moon Palace would not help, many outer hall members supported him. If these people voluntarily aided him, it would not count as help from the Mysterious Moon Palace.

After hearing these words, Lu Chen immediately understood his meaning, glanced at the outer hall elders present, and said, "I still need to ask the Hall Master about this matter."

"Okay, before reaching a conclusion with the Hall Master, do not take action on past matters." This sentence was naturally aimed at Lu Zhengze and his old followers. He knew they were preparing for the establishment of the Immortal Dynasty.

Of course, he was aware that their rapid development was likely due to Ling Yin Immortal King's secret aid. Without it, Lu Zhengze alone as a True Immortal could not have attracted so many outer hall elders.

After hearing Lu Chen's words, everyone said in unison, "Yes."

Lu Chen did not say anything more and directly turned and left the hall, heading to Yun Yudie's palace.

As he entered her palace, Yun Yudie, who was sitting cross-legged on the soft couch, instantly opened her cold eyes and stared at Lu Chen.

How long has it been since this wretched fellow came running back again? He truly is an incorrigible fallen soul.

Yun Yudie asked coldly, "What do you want?"

Yun Yudie thought Lu Chen had come to ask for Dual Cultivation again.

Seeing Yun Yudie's wary gaze, Lu Chen laughed faintly, and said, "Honored Master need not worry, the disciple has not come to offend you today. The disciple has a significant matter to discuss with Honored Master."

Upon hearing Lu Chen's words, Yun Yudie released a wave of cold air. She quickly calmed her emotions, thinking it's not worth getting angry over this scoundrel.

She then asked coldly, "What is the matter?"

Lu Chen directly replied, "I plan to establish an Immortal Dynasty."

Upon hearing Lu Chen's words, Yun Yudie was not surprised at all. Since knowing his identity, she realized the Mysterious Moon Palace would not be able to keep Lu Chen. With his talent, it would not take long for him to break through to the Immortal Emperor Realm and create his own force.

Yun Yudie said, "Are you asking for my palace's assistance?"

Lu Chen establishing the Immortal Dynasty was indifferent to her. Yet he came to tell her, which felt like he sought the Mysterious Moon Palace's help.

What Yun Yudie did not expect was Lu Chen saying, "Disciple has no such intention, just notifying Honored Master to avoid Honored Master expelling the disciple once I become the Immortal Emperor."

Once he established the Immortal Dynasty, the Dynasty and the Immortal Sect would be equivalent forces. If he stayed at the Mysterious Moon Palace, he might absorb the palace's Immortal Sect Qi Fortune.

Typically, an Immortal Dynasty's Immortal Dynasty Master should not hold positions in other Immortal Sects, unless it's a Super Force like Mysterious Moon Palace dominating a region.

Many Immortal Dynasties exist within the subordinate forces of the Mysterious Moon Palace, but that's because the palace is strong enough to suppress those

Dynasties.

Once Lu Chen established his Immortal Dynasty, their Qi Fortune might be comparable to the Mysterious Moon Palace. The palace could not suppress his Dynasty, and while cultivating, holding two positions might absorb the Dynasty's Qi Fortune and the palace's Qi Fortune, which would dilute the palace's Qi Fortune. The palace's Qi Fortune might flow into his Dynasty.

So Lu Chen thought Yun Yudie might want him expelled after he established the Immortal Dynasty.

Upon hearing Lu Chen's worries, Yun Yudie immediately understood and said, "Once you become the Immortal Emperor, it's indeed unsuitable to remain as a Mysterious Moon Palace elder."

Hearing this, Lu Chen thought she indeed planned to make him leave the Mysterious Moon Palace.

But the next moment, Yun Yudie added, "Once you become the Immortal Emperor, my palace shall make you the Honorary Hall Master of the Mysterious

Moon Palace."

Yun Yudie was not a fool. She knew the Mysterious Moon Palace could not suppress Lu Chen's Immortal Dynasty. His Qi Fortune was already very thick; a large part of the palace's Qi Fortune strength was due to Lu Chen.

Because of this, she felt the palace should bind with Lu Chen instead of

expelling him to maintain their Qi Fortune.

If Lu Chen truly left the Mysterious Moon Palace, their Immortal Sect Qi Fortune would sharply drop. Besides, if Lu Chen ran away, Ling Yin Immortal King might leave, causing a significant loss to the palace.

But after Lu Chen became the Immortal Emperor, interfering in palace matters would be inappropriate, so letting him be an Honorary Hall Master seemed fitting. He can hold the title without having duties.

After all, this beast was only focused on beastly deeds all day. Becoming the Immortal Emperor would not likely spur him to manage an Immortal Dynasty. His mind was perhaps fixed on producing offspring.

Lu Chen asked, "Honored Master does not expel me, is it because you cannot

bear to part with me?"

Upon hearing this, Yun Yudie's cold air surges towards Lu Chen, freezing the room's curtains, yet this was just a lot of noise, and the cold stopped in front of

him.

Yun Yudie coldly said, "Unless there is more, you can leave now!"

Lu Chen did not intend to spend much time here. Since deciding to establish the Immortal Dynasty, he needed to plan which places to seize for it.

"Disciple will not disturb Honored Master. Please rest well."

Just as Lu Chen prepared to leave, Yun Yudie suddenly thought of something

and said, "If anyone from the outer hall willingly aids you, my palace will not obstruct, but you cannot move palace resources on your own."

Lu Chen laughed, "Thank you, Honored Master. It seems Honored Master still cares about me."

"Get out!"

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Sect in One Year

After Lu Chen left Yun Yudie's palace, he instructed Lu Zhengze and the others to gather intelligence on the Barbaric and prepare for the creation of the

Immortal Dynasty.

Currently, they are situated in the southeastern corner of the Barbaric, known as the Dragon Land, where historical records mention the presence of powerful Dragon Clan.

Although there is some Immortal Aura here, ultimately it is too sparse to give rise to any truly powerful Immortal Sect.

Now, the Profound Moon Palace occupies one-tenth of the land in the Dragon Land and controls most of the sects here. Lu Chen wants to create the

Immortal Dynasty, he must target the remaining sects and seize their territories.

However, the lands controlled by the Profound Moon Palace are already relatively rich in Immortal Aura compared to other areas in the Dragon Land; the other place with ample Immortal Aura is the Thunder Serpent Sect.

If Lu Chen aims to establish the Immortal Dynasty, naturally he must choose places rich in Immortal Aura, thus inevitably facing off against the Thunder Serpent Sect.

After learning about the power distribution in the Dragon Land, Lu Chen gathered Lu Zhengze and those willing to assist him in founding the Immortal Dynasty at Bihai Immortal City's City Lord's Mansion.

In the Meeting Hall, people were murmuring softly; a few days ago Lu Chen had them gather intelligence on the various forces in the Dragon Land, then summoned them-is it to discuss the creation of the Immortal Dynasty?

As everyone speculated, a young man in white fluttering robes appeared in the hall. Upon seeing Lu Chen, all discussions ceased.

At this moment, Lu Chen said, "I have spoken to the Hall Master about creating the Immortal Dynasty, and she did not object."

Upon hearing this, the group, including Lu Zhengze, was thrilled; finally, they would establish the Immortal Dynasty.

But at that moment, Lu Chen continued, "The Hall Master has a requirement: we must not mobilize any resources from the Profound Moon Palace during the founding of the Immortal Dynasty."

This...

Upon hearing this, everyone in the hall was stunned.

They knew well that relying solely on Lu Zhengze and his group, it would be impossible to rival those Barbaric forces; Lu Chen's retaining force was stronger only at the True Immortal level.

If there were no support from the Profound Moon Palace, founding the Immortal Dynasty would be nearly impossible, unless...

Lu Chen could intimidate all factions in the Dragon Land single-handedly; if he achieved that, the forces might surrender willingly, allowing them to establish an Immortal Dynasty.

But it was uncertain if Lu Chen still possessed the power he demonstrated in the Southern Domain, and more importantly, those sects likely had substantial foundations, perhaps including some formidable Sect Protection Arrays, making it difficult to establish the Immortal Dynasty with just Lu Chen's strength.

Furthermore, to create an Immortal Dynasty, it's crucial for its people to acknowledge it; an Immortal Dynasty differs from an Immortal Sect, which can be founded by anyone strong enough.

To create an Immortal Dynasty and consolidate its Qi Fortune, the critical point is gaining recognition from most Immortals or cultivators within the Dynasty's territory.

Typically, when founding an Immortal Dynasty, the first Immortal Emperors would use the simplest method to force submission, which is to kill.

Once the killing reaches a certain extent, the remaining people naturally, out of fear, acknowledge the existence of the Immortal Dynasty; however, this method is only applicable in sparsely populated areas.

Given the vastness, emptiness, and sparse population in the Barbaric, Lu Chen alone killing through factions would be incredibly time-consuming, and importantly, if too many people are killed, it won't reach the population threshold required for establishing the Immortal Dynasty.

Seeing the group's worried expressions, Lu Chen further added, "However, you need not fret. The Hall Master mentioned if anyone from the Outer Hall wishes to assist us, she won't stand in the way."

Upon hearing this, the Elders from the Outer Hall instantly understood; it seemed their Hall Master still supported Lu Chen's creation of the Immortal

Dynasty.

The Hall Master refrains from direct assistance, perhaps fearing Lu Chen might go too far and provoke hidden Barbaric forces; if Lu Chen ends up offending some hidden entities, she could easily cut ties, claiming it was Lu Chen's

unauthorized actions.

After learning that the Outer Hall could help, the atmosphere in the hall relaxed significantly. Lu Zhengze then asked, "Does the King know which place to choose as the Immortal Dynasty's capital?"

The capital of the Immortal Dynasty must be rich in Immortal Aura; the area now occupied by the Profound Moon Palace is the richest in Immortal Aura within the Dragon Land, they must choose elsewhere for the Immortal Dynasty's capital.

Bihai Immortal City, while abundant in Immortal Aura, is under the Profound Moon Palace; as such, Bihai Immortal City can't serve as the capital for the new Immortal Dynasty.

After a moment of contemplation, Lu Chen said, "The Thunder Serpent Sect is a fine choice."

In the Dragon Land, only the region where the Profound Moon Palace is situated and the Thunder Serpent Sect's territory are rich in Immortal Aura, and since the capital cannot be established on Profound Moon Palace ground, it must be placed within the Thunder Serpent Sect.

Upon hearing this, everyone in the hall glanced at one another; does this mean the Thunder Serpent Sect will be their first conquest?

The Thunder Serpent Sect is a sect with an Immortal King overseeing it; defeating the Thunder Serpent Sect might not be so easy.

However, if they manage to defeat the Thunder Serpent Sect, no force within

the Dragon Land should dare hinder their creation of the Immortal Dynasty,

making subsequent efforts simpler.

Lu Chen then said, "Alright, the next step is intelligence gathering. Try to ascertain the Thunder Serpent Sect's situation within a year, and then we will

attack it."

Upon hearing Lu Chen's words, everyone paused for a moment-a year?

Isn't this too rushed?

The Profound Moon Palace took over a decade to establish a foothold in the

Dragon Land, and given the Thunder Serpent Sect's status as a sect with an Immortal King, it would be harder to deal with; a year might not suffice to comprehend it thoroughly.

Yet, since Lu Chen has spoken, they only need to carry out orders; they believe that Lu Chen must have confidence in defeating the Thunder Serpent Sect if he

plans to attack it within a year.

Thus, they all responded in unison, "Yes."

Having set the target for confronting the Thunder Serpent Sect within a year, Lu Chen's faction mobilized immediately, beginning the relentless search for intelligence regarding the Thunder Serpent Sect.

Meanwhile.

Thunder Serpent Sect.

Within the Thunder Serpent Sect's Meeting Hall, several snakes with crackling

arcs encircle the columns. Their vertical pupils tightly fixate on Zeyang Immortal Monarch in the hall's center, causing Zeyang Immortal Monarch immense pressure at the moment.

At this point, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King spoke, "If I am not mistaken, your Quicksand Sect allied with the Profound Moon Palace long ago."

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Faced with the questioning of the Thunder Serpent Immortal King, cold sweat dripped from Zeyang Immortal Monarch's forehead, after all, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King was an Immortal King, and it seemed the Thunder Serpent Sect had recently had some conflict with the Mysterious Moon Palace.

Now, someone from his affiliated force under the Mysterious Moon Palace was running to the Thunder Serpent Sect, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King naturally had no pleasant expression towards him.

Zeyang Immortal Monarch quickly steadied his mind and then said, "I came here this time to discuss a trade deal with the Thunder Serpent Sect Master" Hearing this, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King chuckled, "A trade deal? You, an elder of an affiliated sect of the Mysterious Moon Palace, come to a rival sect to discuss a trade deal?"

"I'm very curious, is the trade you mentioned related to yourself, or did your Quicksand Sect Master send you?"

To be honest, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King didn't trust Zeyang Immortal Monarch at all at the moment. The current Mysterious Moon Palace was thriving in the Dragon Land, most importantly, they had two Immortal Kings. In the entire Dragon Land, no sect was a match for the Mysterious Moon Palace. Logically speaking, no affiliated force wouldn't dare betray the Mysterious Moon Palace at this time, yet the Quicksand Sect secretly sent someone to contact the Thunder Serpent Sect, even proposing cooperation.

This had to make the Thunder Serpent Immortal King suspect that all this was a conspiracy by the Mysterious Moon Palace, maybe they were deliberately throwing out such a bait, and if he fell for it, the Thunder Serpent Sect would be trapped.

Although the Mysterious Moon Palace had already issued an Immortal Order to stop their affiliated forces from further expansion, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King hadn't relaxed his guard but saw it as a way for the Mysterious Moon Palace to lull them. He believed the Mysterious Moon Palace would still have further actions.

As he expected, this further action arrived so quickly.

Despite suspecting it was a conspiracy, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King still planned to wait for Zeyang Immortal Monarch to finish speaking, wanting to see what medicine the Mysterious Moon Palace was selling in the gourd.

Seeing the Thunder Serpent Immortal King still guarded against him, Zeyang Immortal Monarch took the initiative to say, "It seems that Thunder Serpent Immortal King doesn't entirely trust me."

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King coldly laughed again, Zeyang Immortal Monarch belonged to an affiliated sect under the Mysterious Moon Palace, how could he trust him so quickly?

Zeyang Immortal Monarch asked at this moment, "I wonder if the Thunder Serpent Sect is interested in recruiting an elder of Immortal King Level?"

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King was momentarily stunned upon hearing this question.

An elder of Immortal King Level?

What a joke, if an Immortal King really came to the Thunder Serpent Sect, they certainly wouldn't just be an elder, at the very least they would be a Deputy Sect Master.

But in the current Dragon Land, there were only three Immortal Kings, two of them were in the Mysterious Moon Palace, and the other was the Thunder Serpent Immortal King himself, where would the fourth Immortal King come from?

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King actually thought from the beginning, if their sect could win over or recruit an Immortal King, then their Thunder Serpent Sect would have much less pressure when facing the Mysterious Moon Palace.

Unfortunately, Dragon Land had no other Immortal King, he couldn't find anyone to recruit as an Immortal King.

After coming to his senses, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King coldly said, "Are you entertaining me? Where would the fourth Immortal King come from in Dragon Land?"

Zeyang Immortal Monarch said, "Indeed, there is none now, but that doesn't mean there won't be any in the future."

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King's brow furrowed, asking solemnly, "What do you mean?"

Zeyang Immortal Monarch straightforwardly said, "Our Sect Master has reached a critical stage for a breakthrough. If we can gather more Sect Qi Fortune, there's a high possibility of achieving Immortal King level within ten

years."

Hearing this, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King paused for a moment.

He seemed to understand why Zeyang Immortal Monarch came to the Thunder Serpent Sect for cooperation.

Seeing the Thunder Serpent Immortal King remain silent, Zeyang Immortal Monarch continued, "Originally, the Quicksand Sect expanded continuously to augment sect Qi Fortune to help our Sect Master achieve a breakthrough. However, Mysterious Moon Palace suddenly issued the Immortal Order prohibiting external expansion by affiliated forces."

"Without sufficient sect Qi Fortune, our Sect Master's breakthrough to become an Immortal King might face great risks."

"Therefore, if the Thunder Serpent Sect Master is willing to assist our Sect Master to achieve the Immortal King status, our Quicksand Sect is willing to join the Thunder Serpent Sect and become part of it."

Hearing this, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's brows furrowed into a "II" character; Zeyang Immortal Monarch's words don't seem like a lie.

However...

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King then said, "I'm curious, if it's to become an Immortal King, why doesn't your Sect Master directly tell the Mysterious Moon Palace? Surely, the Mysterious Moon Palace would gladly welcome an

additional Immortal King?"

In terms of strength, the Mysterious Moon Palace was far superior to the Thunder Serpent Sect, more importantly, the Mysterious Moon Palace was an Immortal Sect, while the Thunder Serpent Sect was just a Sect.

The difference between a Sect and an Immortal Sect is significant; the Qi Fortune of Immortal Sect greatly enhances the strength of its immortals, betraying Mysterious Moon Palace doesn't seem lucrative for the Quicksand

Sect.

Zeyang Immortal Monarch had anticipated the Thunder Serpent Immortal King would ask this question, so he directly said, "Though the Mysterious Moon Palace is an Immortal Sect, it is ultimately an external force. Does the Thunder Serpent Immortal King think they trust our Quicksand Sect?"

"Most importantly, the Mysterious Moon Palace is already strong enough, even if our Sect Master became an Immortal King, it would make little difference

there."

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King instantly understood Zeyang Immortal Monarch's meaning, realizing it's better to be a head of a chicken than the tail

of a phoenix.

Although somewhat displeased that the Quicksand Sect underestimated the Thunder Serpent Sect, truth be told, the Thunder Serpent Sect indeed cannot compare to the Mysterious Moon Palace. If the Quicksand Immortal Monarch truly became an Immortal King and joined the Thunder Serpent Sect, he indeed

would be greatly utilized.

Without doubt, the Deputy Sect Master position is secure.

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King said, "I cannot yet confirm the truth of

your words."

Zeyang Immortal Monarch then created a Memory Pearl containing the conversation between him and the Quicksand Immortal Monarch and used immortal power to bring the Memory Pearl before the Thunder Serpent Immortal King.

With skepticism, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King read the contents of the Memory Pearl, falling into contemplation after finishing the memories within.

It seems this matter is likely true.

However...

For the Thunder Serpent Sect, this matter poses a risk.

If the Thunder Serpent Sect truly assists the Quicksand Immortal Monarch in

breaking through to the Immortal King Realm and the Quicksand Immortal Monarch suddenly refuses to join the Thunder Serpent Sect, then the Mysterious Moon Palace would gain another Immortal King, becoming even

stronger.

Thinking of this, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's fingers kept tapping on

the throne. After an unknown amount of time, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King finally spoke, "If your Quicksand Sect genuinely intends to join the Thunder Serpent Sect, your Sect Master should personally visit, not send you

as an elder."

Zeyang Immortal Monarch noticed the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's tone had softened significantly, indicating he probably believed him, so he said, "Of

course."

"I'm just coming ahead to inform the Thunder Serpent Sect Master and to see if

he's willing for the Thunder Serpent Sect to gain an additional Immortal King,

as Immortal King is different from Immortal Monarch." The Thunder Serpent Immortal King immediately understood Zeyang Immortal Monarch's words, if it's only to recruit an Immortal Monarch, it wouldn't challenge the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's rule at all.

But if there's an additional Immortal King, the power the Thunder Serpent Immortal King holds may be diminished.

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Serpent Sect and Quicksand Sect

Upon hearing Zeyang Immortal Monarch's words, the solemn expression on the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's face suddenly vanished, and he burst into laughter.

"If the Quicksand Immortal Monarch can truly break through to become an Immortal King and join the Thunder Serpent Sect, then why shouldn't I share half of the Thunder Serpent Sect's power with him?"

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King was not at all worried that the Quicksand Immortal Monarch would compete with him for power within the Thunder Serpent Sect, as most of the sect's members were loyal to him.

In his view, even if the Quicksand Sect were to merge into the Thunder Serpent Sect in the future, the influence of the Quicksand Sect could not create any major waves within the Thunder Serpent Sect.

Not to mention that the Quicksand Immortal Monarch had just broken through to become an Immortal King, whose powers were not as strong as his. More importantly, the formations and the majority of secrets of the Thunder Serpent Sect were in his hands as the Sect Master, making it difficult for the Quicksand Immortal Monarch to seize power.

Moreover, if the Quicksand Immortal Monarch did come to the Thunder Serpent Sect with the intention of usurping control, it wouldn't benefit the Quicksand Immortal Monarch much. Their rivalry would only advantage the Mysterious Moon Palace.

Of course, there was also the possibility that the merging of the Quicksand Sect into the Thunder Serpent Sect was a conspiracy by the Mysterious Moon Palace, but even if it was, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King still intended to agree.

At this time, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King continued, "Very well, I can agree to help your Sect Master break through to the Immortal King Realm. In that case, have your Sect Master personally visit the Thunder Serpent Sect in a few days, and we will discuss the merger further."

Zeyang Immortal Monarch replied, "I will immediately send a message to our Sect Master."

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King said, "I await the arrival of the Quicksand Immortal Monarch."

After leaving the Meeting Hall, Zeyang Immortal Monarch immediately sent a message to the Quicksand Immortal Monarch, asking him to visit the Thunder Serpent Sect in a few days.

Upon receiving this message from Zeyang Immortal Monarch, the Quicksand Immortal Monarch did not hesitate and set off for the Thunder Serpent Sect at

once.

With the arrival of the Quicksand Immortal Monarch, the merger between the Thunder Serpent Sect and the Quicksand Sect became a foregone conclusion. From then on, their main task was to help the Quicksand Immortal Monarch become an Immortal King.

Their approach was quite simple: help the Quicksand Sect continue to expand and gain more sect qi fortune. The more sect qi fortune, the higher the success rate of

becoming an Immortal King, and the lesser the possibility of being heavily wounded by the Heavenly Tribulation.

The Thunder Serpent Sect voluntarily allocated vast territories to the Quicksand Sect. After all, once the Quicksand Sect and the Thunder Serpent Sect merged, those lands would be returned, and they would even gain more territory.

Although the Thunder Serpent Sect and the Quicksand Sect collaborated secretly, their small maneuvers caught the attention of Lu Chen and his group.

Lu Chen and his team planned to attack the Thunder Serpent Sect in a year's time, so they had been monitoring it closely. The sudden cession of so much land by the Thunder Serpent Sect could not go unnoticed by Lu Chen's people. Bihai Immortal City.

Lu Chen, seated on the throne, glanced at the intelligence contained in the jade scroll, and then said, "Interesting."

At this moment, Lu Zhengze spoke up, "Could it be that the Thunder Serpent Sect has noticed something, hence they proactively abandoned those cities?" Recently, the Thunder Serpent Sect had relinquished many cities, which then fell into the hands of the Mysterious Moon Palace. When their people gathered this intelligence, they speculated that perhaps the Thunder Serpent Sect detected their plans and was retracting its battle lines to conserve strength for the conflict a year later.

The Barbaric lands were simply too vast, and the Thunder Serpent Sect's territories were extensive, but the power of one sect was limited. In the event of war, they could not defend every city.

For the Thunder Serpent Sect, abandoning those peripheral cities was actually beneficial, reducing their defensive pressure and allowing them to focus their main forces on crucial cities to fend off enemies.

Lu Chen said, "If abandoning some insignificant cities is to guard against us,

then it is indeed a rather prudent decision."

"But I sense their intent is likely not defense."

First off, only a few people knew about their plan to establish an Immortal Dynasty; even within the Mysterious Moon Palace, few were aware. How could the Thunder Serpent Sect know they intended to attack it?

Of course, it could also be that the Thunder Serpent Sect was guarding against the Mysterious Moon Palace, hence abandoning the cities bordering it. However, there was even less reason for the Thunder Serpent Sect to act this way. By giving up those cities, it's losing strategic depth. The Mysterious Moon Palace had already issued an Immortal Order, prohibiting subordinate powers from reckless expansion, so the Thunder Serpent Sect had no need to abandon those cities.

During war periods, abandoning inconsequential cities might be acceptable, but not now. Keeping those cities could better monitor the Mysterious Moon Palace's movements.

From this standpoint, the Thunder Serpent Sect's abandonment of those cities seems quite bizarre.

Furthermore, the most dubious point is that the Mysterious Moon Palace had already issued an Immortal Order, forbidding further expansion by subordinate powers. Yet all the territories the Thunder Serpent Sect abandoned were annexed by the Quicksand Sect.

The most crucial point is that every time the Thunder Serpent Sect abandons a city, that city immediately becomes a city of the Quicksand Sect. No other forces have occupied the cities abandoned by the Thunder Serpent Sect; it's as if the Thunder Serpent Sect preemptively gave the cities to the Quicksand Sect. If the Thunder Serpent Sect were truly randomly abandoning cities, then in principle, other forces should be able to seize at least one or two of them. After all, every faction dreams of expansion, yet those cities all fell into the hands of the Quicksand Sect. This scenario seems as though the Thunder Serpent Sect directly handed the cities to the Quicksand Sect.

So, the question arises, why would the Thunder Serpent Sect allocate its cities

and territories to the Quicksand Sect?

What purpose does this serve?

Lu Chen then took out a jade scroll. In the next moment, the jade scroll

projected a map of the Dragon Land, and Lu Chen scanned the map.

The Quicksand Sect is adjacent to the Thunder Serpent Sect. Compared to the

distance between the Quicksand Sect and the Mysterious Moon Palace, the Quicksand Sect is much closer to the Thunder Serpent Sect. Lu Chen immediately recalled Sky Wolf City in the Southern Domain.

Back then, Sky Wolf City in the Southern Domain sought to betray the Mysterious Moon Palace to join the Chiyan Sect, as it was relatively close to the

Chiyan Sect.

This scenario is too familiar.

Lu Chen chuckled lightly, "So that's how it is."

"However..."

Seeing Lu Chen deep in thought, Lu Zhengze, out of curiosity, asked, "My King,

what have you discovered?"

Lu Chen gathered his thoughts and said indifferently, "The Quicksand Sect is too close to the Thunder Serpent Sect and too far from the Mysterious Moon

Palace."

Hearing this, Lu Zhengze immediately grasped Lu Chen's implication, "Are you suggesting that the Quicksand Sect has betrayed the Mysterious Moon Palace? But didn't the Quicksand Sect join the Mysterious Moon Palace proactively? Furthermore, if the Quicksand Sect betrayed the Mysterious Moon Palace, shouldn't the Quicksand Sect be ceding cities and territories to the Thunder Serpent Sect? Why are they occupying the Thunder Serpent Sect's territories instead?"

Lu Chen said, "That is the part I am currently puzzled about."

If the Quicksand Sect were looking to ally with the Thunder Serpent Sect, it should be the Thunder Serpent Sect annexing the Quicksand Sect's cities and territories. Yet the current situation is that the Quicksand Sect is continually occupying the Thunder Serpent Sect's cities.

The Thunder Serpent Sect, after all, is a sect with an Immortal King, and the actions of the Quicksand Sect are indeed like reversing the heavens.

Having children earns benefit, start competing for dominance in the world by marrying a wife

Lu Chen pondered for a moment but still couldn't think of why the Thunder Serpent Sect would let some of its cities be occupied by the Quicksand Sect. At this moment, Lu Zhengze continued: "Could it be that we are overthinking this? Perhaps the Thunder Serpent Sect just simply thinks these cities are useless and has given them up. Other affiliated sects haven't occupied these cities due to the Immortal Order!"

"And the Quicksand Sect doesn't fear the Immortal Order, thinking these cities have already been abandoned and are no one's land. Even if they occupy them, the Mysterious Moon Palace wouldn't trouble them, so they boldly incorporate these cities into their territory"

Lu Chen said, "This possibility can't be ruled out. However, the Mysterious Moon Palace has specified that unauthorized expansion is prohibited, even if those cities have already been abandoned by the Thunder Serpent Sect, but they were once under Thunder Serpent Sect's control."

"Initially, those unowned lands could serve as a buffer zone between the Thunder Serpent Sect and the Mysterious Moon Palace. Quicksand Sect's unauthorized expansion has caused the Thunder Serpent Sect and Mysterious Moon Palace to constantly remain adjacent, which might incite dissatisfaction from Thunder Serpent Sect toward Mysterious Moon Palace."

Originally, the Thunder Serpent Sect voluntarily abandoned some cities, probably to show goodwill towards the Mysterious Moon Palace, creating a buffer zone to suggest keeping the peace. When the Thunder Serpent Sect abandoned a city, the Quicksand Sect would occupy it.

If the Thunder Serpent Sect truly intended to construct a buffer zone, seeing the Quicksand Sect do so, it would surely feel the Mysterious Moon Palace is pressing harder.

While others are proactively abandoning some cities and lands as buffer zones, the Mysterious Moon Palace instead keeps pushing forward, it's no wonder the Thunder Serpent Sect would be angry.

However, up until now, the Thunder Serpent Sect hasn't sent any envoys to the Mysterious Moon Palace to negotiate this matter.

After thinking for a bit, Lu Chen said, "Let's continue to watch the Thunder Serpent Sect and Quicksand Sect. Try to send someone to infiltrate the Quicksand Sect and see if we can find out their recent movements."

"I'll go ask the Hall Master and see what they have to say."

With that, Lu Chen's body instantly vanished from where he stood.

Soon, Lu Chen appeared in Yun Yudie's Ice Palace. Yun Yudie was half-leaning on an Ice Crystal Chair, with one delicate jade hand supporting her head. She looked as though she was resting.

When she sensed Lu Chen's presence, her beautiful eyes immediately opened wide, staring straight at Lu Chen.

Every time Lu Chen comes, she remains alert, always feeling that Lu Chen is plotting against her. This scoundrel has antagonized her for over a decade, so she definitely doesn't believe he has no other intentions upon seeing her.

Yun Yudie asked coldly, "What is it?"

Lu Chen asked, "Do you know about the abnormalities with the Quicksand Sect?"

Yun Yudie inquired, "What abnormalities?"

Unlike Lu Chen, Yun Yudie doesn't focus much on affiliated sects, not to mention the Quicksand Sect, which is relatively distant from the Mysterious Moon Palace.

Actually, if it weren't for Lu Chen's faction wanting to attack the Thunder Serpent Sect, aiming to make it the Immortal Dynasty capital, they wouldn't have discovered the minor actions of the Quicksand Sect.

Lu Chen directly said, "Recently, Thunder Serpent Sect has abandoned more cities, but these cities have all been occupied by the Quicksand Sect."

Upon hearing this, Yun Yudie fell silent for a moment, but her face showed no emotion. Lu Chen continued, "The Mysterious Moon Palace recently issued an Immortal Order, prohibiting affiliated forces from unauthorized expansion, but the Quicksand Sect has ignored this order. It seems the Quicksand Sect has different intentions."

Yun Yudie still did not speak. Now that she is an Immortal Venerate, with her strength, just a Divine Thought could perceive the events within the territories controlled by the Mysterious Moon Palace.

At this moment, Yun Yudie used her Divine Thought to scan the entire Quicksand Sect, instantly detecting the changes in Quicksand Sect's Qi Fortune, realizing it's become immensely dense. In addition, there seems to be a wisp of Immortal King's aura above the Quicksand Sect. Yun Yudie instantly understood what was happening.

Immortal Monarchs have certain signs before breaking through to the Immortal King Realm, which Immortal Venerates can directly sense.

Obviously, someone in the Quicksand Sect is about to break through to the Immortal King Realm, so they are continuously expanding their domain to accumulate sect Qi Fortune, using it to withstand the Immortal King's Heavenly Tribulation.

If someone in the Quicksand Sect is about to become an Immortal King, ignoring the Mysterious Moon Palace's Immortal Order and continuing to

expand would be nothing unusual.

After all, who doesn't want to become an Immortal King?

However, the Quicksand Sect hasn't reported this matter.

Someone becoming an Immortal King in an affiliated sect is already considered

a major event, and such incidents must be reported. If not reported, it indicates they have ulterior motives.

Furthermore, it's quite coincidental that Thunder Serpent Sect abandoned some cities or territories, and the next moment, these were controlled by the Quicksand Sect, thereby enhancing its Qi Fortune. This doesn't seem coincidental.

Most likely, the Quicksand Sect and Thunder Serpent Sect have reached some agreement, where Thunder Serpent Sect assists the Quicksand Sect's individual in breaking through to Immortal King, while the Quicksand Sect does certain things for Thunder Serpent Sect.

Regardless of what the matter is, the Quicksand Sect pretty much amounts to betrayal of the Mysterious Moon Palace.

After figuring out the situation, Yun Yudie directly said to Lu Chen, "The Quicksand Sect has an Immortal Monarch about to break through. They are accumulating sect Qi Fortune."

Upon hearing this, Lu Chen realized, "Oh, so that's it!"

He wondered why, if the Quicksand Sect had betrayed the Mysterious Moon Palace, they would occupy the Thunder Serpent Sect's cities instead. From the looks of it, the two sides have reached some form of cooperation.

Lu Chen asked, "What do you plan to do then?"

Yun Yudie answered indifferently, "I won't interfere, this is your chance."

Most parts of Dragon Land with abundant Immortal Aura are controlled by the Mysterious Moon Palace. To establish an Immortal Dynasty, Lu Chen must either seize territory from Mysterious Moon Palace's affiliated forces or attack

the Thunder Serpent Sect.

Lu Chen, being an Elder of the Mysterious Moon Palace, cannot feasibly seize territory from its affiliated forces. However, if an affiliated force betrayed them, that's a different matter, and the Mysterious Moon Palace could even provide assistance in eliminating traitors to help Lu Chen.

Now that she is an Immortal Venerate, exterminating an Immortal King isn't difficult. Yun Yudie is unconcerned whether the Quicksand Sect will produce an extra Immortal King; even multiple Immortal Kings would be no match for

her.

Lu Chen immediately understood Yun Yudie's meaning and said with a smile, "I'm just a Heavenly Immortal now, likely not a match against two Immortal

Kings." Yun Yudie shot a cold look at Lu Chen, saying nothing further. How could a Heavenly Immortal single-handedly confront three Evil Immortal Kings? She only felt that Lu Chen was acting with deception.

Seeing Yun Yudie not responding to him, Lu Chen continued, "Should I encounter any danger, my Honored Master would surely step in to help, right?" Yun Yudie still paid no attention to Lu Chen's words and simply said, "If you have no other matters, you may go about your business."

Seeing Yun Yudie so swiftly issue a dismissal, Lu Chen lightly chuckled, then

said, "Alright, I'll head back now. I trust my Honored Master will definitely step in to assist me."

Saying this, Lu Chen turned and left Yun Yudie's Ice Palace. Watching Lu Chen's back, Yun Yudie couldn't prevent releasing waves of coldness from herself. This scoundrel, his gaze on her growing more blatant; earlier his eyes swept over her, as if ready to pounce anytime.

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The Qi Fortune of the Quicksand Sect accumulated very quickly, but just as the Quicksand Immortal Monarch was preparing to break through to become an Immortal King, he suddenly felt a strong sense of crisis in his heart, as if something was watching him.

At this very moment, within the forbidden grounds of the Quicksand Sect.

The Quicksand Immortal Monarch sat cross-legged, floating above the Immortal Pool where Immortal Aura had liquefied. The Immortal Aura above the pool was swirling like a dream or illusion.

The Quicksand Immortal Monarch abruptly opened his eyes, a look of terror on his face. Clutching his chest, he muttered to himself in confusion, "What's going on? Why has the Quicksand Sect's Qi Fortune suddenly dropped significantly?" He had just been preparing to attempt a breakthrough when suddenly the Sect's Qi Fortune plummeted. Fortunately, he didn't break through directly. If he had, he might have suffered backlash from the Sect's Qi Fortune, leading to failure in his breakthrough.

Even if failing to break through was not crucial, the backlash caused by the sudden downturn in Sect Qi Fortune could potentially render him crippled.

Thinking about this, beads of cold sweat appeared on the Quicksand Immortal Monarch's forehead.

After regaining his composure, the Quicksand Immortal Monarch suddenly felt like he was being watched and had the feeling that something or someone was staring at him.

The Quicksand Immortal Monarch didn't dwell on it. Compared to the feeling of being watched, he was more eager to understand why the Quicksand Sect's Qi Fortune had dropped so quickly.

Could it be that the Thunder Serpent Sect reneged and took back all the cities they had given?

Thinking of this possibility, the Quicksand Immortal Monarch immediately sent a message to Zeyang Immortal Monarch, summoning him to the forbidden area.

Zeyang Immortal Monarch, seeing the pale face of the Quicksand Immortal Monarch, was momentarily stunned and hurriedly asked, "Sect Master, are you alright?"

Just a few days ago, their Sect Master said he would be in seclusion to assault the Immortal King Realm. Now, within just a few days, their Sect Master was summoning him to the forbidden area, clearly indicating something had happened.

In that moment, Zeyang Immortal Monarch felt concerned.

The Quicksand Immortal Monarch said, "I'm fine. You should send someone to investigate if something has recently occurred in the Quicksand Sect, as the Sect's Qi Fortune has suddenly plummeted."

Hearing this, Zeyang Immortal Monarch breathed a sigh of relief. As long as their Sect Master wasn't experiencing a breakthrough failure, joining the Thunder Serpent Sect wouldn't have diminished their status.

Zeyang Immortal Monarch said, "I will investigate right away."

With those words, Zeyang Immortal Monarch's body turned into a stream of light and left the forbidden area.

After half a month of investigation by Zeyang Immortal Monarch, he did not discover any issues.

Quicksand Sect, Meeting Hall.

The Quicksand Immortal Monarch sat above the hall, listening to Zeyang Immortal Monarch's report below, with a look of bewilderment on his face. "You mean there's been no anomaly in the Quicksand Sect recently?" The Quicksand Immortal Monarch frowned deeply. If nothing occurred, why would the Quicksand Sect's Qi Fortune suddenly decline so significantly?

At first, he thought that the Thunder Serpent Sect had reneged, regretted their decision, and took back the cities, which caused the sudden drop in the Quicksand Sect's Qi Fortune. However, Zeyang Immortal Monarch told him not only did the Thunder Serpent Sect not take back the cities, but they also gave away additional cities.

In this situation, it would be expected that the Qi Fortune should have increased; why would it suddenly decrease?

Could it be...

The Quicksand Immortal Monarch suddenly thought of something, his expression turned grave.

Qi Fortune of the Sect is not only affected by the internal dynamics but also by external influences.

If nothing happened internally within the Quicksand Sect, this proves it's the external environment of the Quicksand Sect that has changed, potentially leading to a crisis, hence the decline in Qi Fortune.

Has something occurred externally? Could it be that the Mysterious Moon Palace has noticed the Quicksand Sect's minor actions?

Thinking of this possibility, the Quicksand Immortal Monarch's face turned even more serious. He'd been feeling watched for the past few days, initially believing it to be an illusion, not paying it much mind.

But now, it seems that this might not be an illusion; the Mysterious Moon Palace might indeed have their eyes on him.

Thinking about this possibility instilled some panic within the Quicksand Immortal Monarch. Since he hasn't broken through to become an Immortal King yet, if the Mysterious Moon Palace decided to attack now, it wouldn't be long before the Quicksand Sect would be wiped out.

That being said, if their small actions had indeed been discovered, and the Mysterious Moon Palace knew of their betrayal, the Palace would have already sent forces to attack. Since they haven't made any moves, it suggests that the Mysterious Moon Palace is merely suspicious and lacks concrete evidence. After all, they are an affiliated sect of the Mysterious Moon Palace and even willingly offered allegiance. The Mysterious Moon Palace wouldn't act without evidence; doing so would make other affiliated sects see the Palace as being

too tyrannical.

Today they might destroy the Quicksand Sect without evidence, and tomorrow they might obliterate others they dislike without evidence.

Since the Mysterious Moon Palace is an external sect, they would consider the consequences before making any moves. Too much dissatisfaction from affiliated forces, inevitably driving them to the Thunder Serpent Sect, would not bode well for the Mysterious Moon Palace.

With this thought, the Quicksand Immortal Monarch felt a bit relieved. They just needed to buy time to prevent the Mysterious Moon Palace from finding evidence of their betrayal while hastening his breakthrough to the Immortal

King Realm.

Once he becomes an Immortal King, the Mysterious Moon Palace would be powerless against him.

The Quicksand Immortal Monarch was unaware that Mysterious Moon Palace had already birthed an Immortal Venerate. In his view, even if he becomes an Immortal King, even if he's not as powerful as the two Immortal Kings of the Mysterious Moon Palace, he could still hold out until Thunder Serpent

Immortal King intervenes.

Thinking this, the Quicksand Immortal Monarch immediately told Zeyang Immortal Monarch, "You are to visit the Thunder Serpent Sect again and have

them give us more cities."

Hearing this, Zeyang Immortal Monarch paused.

The Thunder Serpent Sect had already given them over a dozen cities. It should

be noted these cities are not mere Mortal Cities; they are cities imbued with Immortal Aura. Demanding more might agitate the Thunder Serpent Immortal

King.

Seeing Zeyang Immortal Monarch's hesitation, the Quicksand Immortal Monarch understood his concerns, "If the Thunder Serpent Immortal King inquires, tell him that our minor actions have been noticed by the Mysterious Moon Palace. I must achieve a breakthrough to the Immortal King Realm before

the Mysterious Moon Palace finds evidence."

Zeyang Immortal Monarch said, "I understand."

With those words, Zeyang Immortal Monarch's body transformed into a stream of light and left the hall.

Southern Domain, Heavenly Splendor Hall.

Within the magnificent golden palace stretching a hundred zhang, Wuya Immortal Venerate looked down at the tiny figures below, a trace of displeasure

in his eyes.

"So many years have passed, and you haven't found a single clue of him?" Upon hearing Wuya Immortal Venerate's voice, which resembled a resonant bell, Qingyun Immortal King felt as though a heavy punch hit his chest. He struggled against the formless pressure released by Wuya Immortal Venerate and said, "Honorable One, perhaps they have already left the Southern

Domain..."

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Hearing Qingyun Immortal King's words, Wuya Immortal Venerable snorted coldly, and an even more terrifying pressure descended, instantly forcing Qingyun Immortal King and the other Immortal Kings to kneel on the ground. Wuya Immortal Venerable was somewhat unwilling to believe that the Mysterious Moon Palace had already left the Southern Domain. After all, the Mysterious Moon Palace was an Immortal Sect, and even if Lu Chen's Transmission Array was found in the Chaotic Sea and was a High-level Teleportation Array capable of teleporting the entire Immortal Sect, the teleportation distance shouldn't be that far.

The transmission distance of a Transmission Array is not only related to its Grade, but also to Immortal Aura or immortal power. It's quite impressive that such a large Immortal Sect could be teleported away; how could it be directly teleported out of the Southern Domain?

He had always felt that the Mysterious Moon Palace should have been teleported to a certain place within the Southern Domain, so as long as the various forces in the Southern Domain could cooperate with the Heavenly Splendor Hall to search, they would soon find the Mysterious Moon Palace. Once they found the Mysterious Moon Palace, perhaps they could find traces of Lu Chen. Yet, in the blink of an eye, more than ten years passed and they hadn't seen even a shadow of the Mysterious

Moon Palace, as if the entire palace had vanished from the Southern Domain completely.

At this time, Qingyun Immortal King gritted his teeth and spoke with determination: "Honorable... calm yourself, if the Mysterious Moon Palace truly remained in the Southern Domain, it would be impossible for us to detect no traces at all. Even if we couldn't find them, among so many Immortal Sects and Immortal Dynasties in the Southern Domain, surely someone would be able to discover them."

"Since no force has found any trace of the Mysterious Moon Palace, it proves they are either hiding in some Secret Realm or small world, or they have indeed left the Southern Domain..."

Upon hearing Qingyun Immortal King's words, Wuya Immortal Venerable still furrowed his brows.

At that moment, a suddenly appeared elder in a Qingyi robe casually glanced at the kneeling Immortal Kings in the hall and then focused on Wuya Immortal Venerable.

"Wuya, what has gotten you so fiery?"

The newcomer was another Hall Master of the Heavenly Splendor Hall, Taihua Immortal Venerable. Seeing Taihua Immortal Venerable's arrival, Wuya Immortal Venerable then withdrew his pressure.

Afterward, he said indifferently: "Nothing significant."

He wasn't planning to tell other Immortal Venerates about Lu Chen for the time being, as in their current circumstances, Lu Chen posed no great threat to them; their focus was entirely on the Demon Emperor.

Wuya Immortal Venerable asked: "What brings you to find me?"

Taihua Immortal Venerable said: "The Mysterious Moon Palace has sent a reply; they've refused to join the alliance troops."

Hearing this, Wuya Immortal Venerable was momentarily stunned. Ever since knowing the Demon Emperor's return, the top forces in several domains had almost instantly banded together, but the Mysterious Moon Palace remained silent.

The Mysterious Moon Palace is located in the Central Domain and is the largest force there. If the Southern Domain's coalition moves northward, they would need to pass through the Central Domain, so the Heavenly Splendor Hall hoped the Mysterious Moon Palace would also join the coalition, making it convenient for their army to cross the Central Domain.

Even though the Central Domain isn't solely controlled by the Mysterious Moon Palace, given the palace is the boss of the Central Domain, if they don't consent, the army of the Heavenly Splendor Hall entering the Central Domain rashly would certainly offend the Mysterious Moon Palace.

Wuya Immortal Venerable returned to his senses and asked puzzledly: "Why did they refuse?"

"Don't they understand what the return of the Demon Emperor signifies?"

"Once the Demon Emperor regains power, all Immortal Sects and Dynasties in the Tianyan Immortal Domain will be crushed under the Demon Emperor's heel."

Taihua Immortal Venerable responded: "The Mysterious Moon Palace didn't give a reason, but I believe they should also know the consequences if the Demon Emperor isn't dealt with."

Wuya Immortal Venerable fell into contemplation; indeed, the Mysterious Moon Palace surely understands the repercussions of the Demon Emperor's return. Then why wouldn't they agree to ally in order to collectively defeat the Demon Emperor?

Could it be that they want to see the major Super Forces of the Tianyan Immortal Domain and the Demon Emperor mutually ruin each other, so they can reap the benefits?

Considering this possibility, Wuya Immortal Venerable's expression turned grim, while Taihua Immortal Venerable continued: "The Mysterious Moon Palace did find an excuse, claiming calamity is near, so they want to devote all their focus to dealing with the disaster and haven't the mind to resist the Demon Emperor."

Wuya Immortal Venerable snorted coldly, "Calamity is near? Isn't the Demon Emperor the calamity?"

Taihua Immortal Venerable continued: "However, on the other hand, although the Mysterious Moon Palace refused to join the coalition, they are willing to allow a passage, permitting the Southern Domain's army to cross through the Central Domain."

Hearing these words, Wuya Immortal Venerable's mood improved somewhat; if the Mysterious Moon Palace hadn't allowed their army through the Central Domain, they would not know how much Immortal Crystal they'd need to spend using Transmission Arrays. If they didn't use Transmission Arrays, their large force would have to detour, either via the Barbaric, or the Eastern Domain, both of which would be a long roundabout, which is unfavorable for the Southern Domain's army to campaign against the Demon Emperor. Wuya Immortal Venerable then said: "The Mysterious Moon Palace perhaps wants to watch as the Demon Emperor consumes the military strength of the major top forces of the Tianyan Immortal Domain, and then reap the benefits." Taihua Immortal Venerable said: "Regardless of their intentions, it's sufficient that they are willing to lend the Southern Domain's army passage." Speaking of lending passage, Wuya Immortal Venerable recalled the Transmission Array used by the Mysterious Moon

Palace. If the palace truly used that array to teleport the entire palace out of the Southern Domain, then

if they acquired it, the Southern Domain could similarly achieve long-range massive troop deployment.

Just as Wuya Immortal Venerable was deep in thought, Taihua Immortal Venerable said: "The Demon Emperor's power is expanding, and many Immortal Sects and Dynasties have already chosen to surrender to him; we

must hurry."

Once he had finished talking, Taihua Immortal Venerable's body vanished on the spot. After Taihua left, Wuya Immortal Venerable again swept his eyes over

the kneeling Immortal Kings in the hall.

Wuya Immortal Venerable then declared: "From now on, expand the search and no longer limit tracking the Mysterious Moon Palace to the Southern Domain." He greatly valued the Transmission Array of the Mysterious Moon Palace; if they truly discovered it in another domain, it would prove the array is even more extraordinary than he imagined.

An array capable of teleporting an entire Immortal Sect to a distant location, if used for teleporting an army, would certainly be highly effective on the

battlefield.

Moreover, he believed, Lu Chen must have more than just this Transmission

Array; he might have brought out other good things from the Chaotic Sea.

Most importantly, Lu Chen might know some secrets about the Chaotic Sea. If these secrets were obtained, he might find the opportunity to surpass the Immortal Emperor.

After hearing Wuya Immortal Venerable's words, Qingyun Immortal King and

the others immediately said: "Yes, Honorable."

Wuya Immortal Venerable no longer wasted words with Qingyun Immortal King and his group, and coldly uttered: "Dismissed."

In the next moment, the group of Immortal Kings was sent out of the hall by a wave of Space Power.

After Qingyun Immortal King and the others left the hall, they exchanged glances, although Wuya Immortal Venerable instructed them to expand the search area, the entire Tianyan Immortal Domain is vast, and they didn't know where to start looking.

The other domains aren't like the Southern Domain. In the Southern Domain,

the Heavenly Splendor Hall is the largest force; a word from the hall can ensure other forces cooperate to search for the Mysterious Moon Palace. But if they go to another domain, the name Heavenly Splendor Hall doesn't hold power.

After thinking for a moment, Qingyun Immortal King said: "Even if the Mysterious Moon Palace could really teleport out of the Southern Domain, it likely went to the Eastern Domain."

Another Immortal King added: "I also believe the Mysterious Moon Palace went to the Eastern Domain."

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Qingyun Immortal King glanced at the nearby Immortal King who shared his views, then continued, "Even if that transmission array could teleport the entire Immortal Sect, due to the limitations of immortal aura and immortal power, at most they could be teleported to a realm adjacent to the Southern Domain."

"The Western Domain is a barbaric land with sparse immortal aura. If they want to revive their Immortal Sect, it's impossible to choose the barbaric area. And Yun Yudie, who defected from the Mysterious Moon Palace, naturally wouldn't return to the Central Domain controlled by the Mysterious Moon Palace."

"So the only place they could choose is the Eastern Domain. If we send more people to the Eastern Domain, we should be able to uncover some trace of the Mysterious Moon Palace."

Listening to Qingyun Immortal King's analysis, the Immortal Kings also found it reasonable, and shortly after, they sent numerous disciples to the Eastern Domain to search for clues about the Mysterious Moon Palace.

As for the barbaric land and Central Domain, they paid no attention to them at all.

Thunder Serpent Sect.

In the grand hall, after Thunder Serpent Immortal King listened to Zeyang Immortal Monarch's words, his brow slightly furrowed. Then he asked, "You mean, the matter of Quicksand Sect pledging allegiance to Thunder Serpent Sect has been discovered by the Mysterious Moon Palace?"

Zeyang Immortal Monarch replied, "They might only have some suspicions, currently without evidence."

Upon hearing Zeyang Immortal Monarch's words, Thunder Serpent Immortal King fell into contemplation. After a while, Thunder Serpent Immortal King spoke, "I will give your Quicksand Sect ten more cities rich in immortal aura and population. If your Sect Master still can't break through, then your Quicksand Sect should simply merge into Thunder Serpent Sect."

Since the Mysterious Moon Palace is already suspicious of Quicksand Sect, they will definitely send people to investigate immediately. It won't take long before the Mysterious Moon Palace can find evidence of Quicksand Sect's allegiance to Thunder Serpent Sect.

Thunder Serpent Sect has already given Quicksand Sect so many cities, and now they will give them ten more cities. Even fools from the Mysterious Moon Palace would see there is a problem, so they must act swiftly.

If Quicksand Immortal Monarch truly can't break through, then simply join Thunder Serpent Sect and rely on Thunder Serpent Sect's qi fortune to attempt a breakthrough.

Perhaps after joining Thunder Serpent Sect, Quicksand Immortal Monarch may successfully break through to the Immortal King Realm.

Zeyang Immortal Monarch said, "I will return and convey your intentions to our Sect Master."

Thunder Serpent Immortal King said nothing more, and Zeyang Immortal Monarch promptly saluted, then transformed into a stream of light and left the grand hall.

Just as Zeyang Immortal Monarch departed, a Thunder Serpent Sect Elder appeared inside the grand hall and asked, "If Quicksand Immortal Monarch doesn't break through, does the Sect Master really plan to accept Quicksand Sect?"

The main purpose of accepting Quicksand Sect is to have one more Immortal King. If Quicksand Immortal Monarch does not become an Immortal King, then Quicksand Sect loses its value.

Not only does it lose its value, but it also becomes a hot potato for Thunder Serpent Sect because Quicksand Sect is an affiliated force of the Mysterious Moon Palace.

If Thunder Serpent Sect accepts Quicksand Sect, they would be opposing the Mysterious Moon Palace. Should the Mysterious Moon Palace use this as an excuse to attack Thunder Serpent Sect, Thunder Serpent Sect might not be able to match the Mysterious Moon Palace.

Thunder Serpent Immortal King naturally understood this reasoning. He said, "I just want to see if Quicksand Immortal Monarch can use Thunder Serpent Sect's qi fortune to break through."

"If he can break through, naturally there is no problem. If Quicksand Sect merges into Thunder Serpent Sect and he still can't break through to the Immortal King Realm, I will then eliminate him as a statement to the Mysterious Moon Palace."

Thunder Serpent Immortal King is no fool. He certainly understands that doing so may offend the Mysterious Moon Palace, but the pressure from the Mysterious Moon Palace is indeed too great. To contend with the Mysterious Moon Palace, Thunder Serpent Sect must have one more Immortal King. Currently, no Immortal Monarch in Thunder Serpent Sect shows signs of breakthrough, so the hope can only rest on Quicksand Immortal Monarch. If Quicksand Immortal Monarch breaks through, the crisis for Thunder Serpent Sect is temporarily averted.

If it fails, Quicksand Immortal Monarch and Quicksand Sect are the sacrificial pawns. As for whether the Mysterious Moon Palace will accept Thunder Serpent Sect's explanation, that is something to consider later.

At this point, Thunder Serpent Immortal King glanced at Dongliang Immortal Monarch in front, then asked, "How is the task I assigned you going?"

Dongliang Immortal Monarch frowned and shook his head, "Still haven't discovered those people's whereabouts."

Upon hearing Dongliang Immortal Monarch's answer, Thunder Serpent Immortal King fell silent for a moment, then said, "Keep searching, eventually we will find some trace of them.""

In the barbaric land exists a force named Hidden Moon Sect, rumored to possess beings at the Immortal Venerate level. Once you join Hidden Moon Sect, it offers protection.

But no one knows where Hidden Moon Sect is located, and most importantly, even forces that join Hidden Moon Sect don't reveal their membership. This makes it extremely difficult for other forces to join Hidden Moon Sect. For Thunder Serpent Sect, joining Hidden Moon Sect presents a path of retreat. If indeed one day the Mysterious Moon Palace attacks and Thunder Serpent Sect joins Hidden Moon Sect, Hidden Moon Sect naturally won't stand by idly. With Hidden Moon Sect backing them, the Mysterious Moon Palace would be powerless against them. Most importantly, the Mysterious Moon Palace is still a foreign force, while Hidden Moon Sect, being a Super Force hidden in the barbaric lands, likely doesn't want the Mysterious Moon Palace to grow

stronger.

Of course, before finding and joining Hidden Moon Sect, these scenarios are just wishful thinking. Moreover, Thunder Serpent Immortal King knows even if Hidden Moon Sect is found, joining it won't be easy.

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With Thunder Serpent Sect transferring ten more cities to Quicksand Sect, Quicksand Sect quickly restored their previously lost sect qi fortune, and the

fortune became more substantial.

However, the feeling of being watched still lingered in Quicksand Immortal

Monarch's mind, making him restless and eager to break through to the

Immortal King Realm.

Seeing that Quicksand Sect's qi fortune had gathered sufficiently, Quicksand Immortal Monarch wasted no time and directly chose to break through. Originally close to a breakthrough, aided by Thunder Serpent Sect's supplied sect qi fortune, Quicksand Immortal Monarch's breakthrough to the Immortal King Realm became inevitable.

In just moments, he overcame the Immortal King Tribulation and successfully advanced to the Immortal King Realm.

Instantly, all Immortals of Quicksand Sect felt an overwhelming pressure appearing over them. They immediately reacted, knowing their Sect Master had broken through; the entire Quicksand Sect became excited.

Yet at this time, Quicksand Immortal King felt no joy. Strangely, just as he broke through to the Immortal King Realm, the qi fortune of Quicksand Sect sharply declined as if a crisis was impending for the sect.

Quicksand Immortal King thought, could the Mysterious Moon Palace have found evidence of his betrayal, and they intend to strike Quicksand Sect? Considering this possibility, Quicksand Immortal King had no hesitation and immediately took out a jade scroll. Upon activating the jade scroll, Thunder Serpent Immortal King's projection appeared in the cultivation chamber. Seeing the dense immortal aura on Quicksand Immortal King, Thunder Serpent Immortal King was first taken aback, then he beamed a smile, "Quicksand Immortal King, congratulations on breaking through to the Immortal King

Realm!"

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Facing the congratulations from the Thunder Serpent Immortal King, the Quicksand Immortal King's face showed no sign of happiness. Instead, his expression was incredibly solemn, as if something major had occurred.

Seeing that the Quicksand Immortal King seemed unhappy, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King asked, "Why does the Quicksand Immortal King look so unhappy?"

The Quicksand Immortal King directly said, "Although I have made a breakthrough, at the moment of my breakthrough, the Qi Fortune of the Quicksand Sect almost fell to the lowest point. I suspect that the Mysterious Moon Palace has probably found evidence of the Quicksand Sect's allegiance to the Thunder Serpent Sect, and it won't be long before the Mysterious Moon Palace comes to crusade against the Quicksand Sect."

Upon hearing this, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King nonchalantly said, "I thought it was something major. Since you, Quicksand Immortal King, have now made a breakthrough, we have no reason to fear the Mysterious Moon Palace."

"Immediately announce the break from the Mysterious Moon Palace. As long as you make them aware that you have joined the Thunder Serpent Sect, they won't dare to do anything to the Quicksand Sect."

The Quicksand Immortal King said, "Very well, I shall announce that the Quicksand Sect formally breaks from the Mysterious Moon Palace and joins the Thunder Serpent Sect."

As soon as the words fell, the Quicksand Immortal King transmitted this message throughout the Quicksand Sect, "From today on, the Quicksand Sect is no longer part of the Mysterious Moon Palace and has joined the Thunder Serpent Sect!"

Hearing this, the disciples of the Quicksand Sect were stunned. Most of them were unaware of the sect's plan to join the Thunder Serpent Sect, and the sudden announcement by their Sect Master caught some of them off guard. However, for most disciples, they had no choice. What the Sect Master says, goes.

Seeing the Quicksand Immortal King announce the joining of the Thunder Serpent Sect, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King smiled and said, "From now on, Quicksand Immortal King, you shall be the Deputy Sect Master of the Thunder Serpent Sect."

The Quicksand Immortal King was taken aback for a moment and then said, "This seems inappropriate. After all, we just joined the Thunder Serpent Sect. If I am made the Deputy Sect Master, it might be hard to convince others."

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King said, "If an Immortal King cannot be a Deputy Sect Master, then who can be?"

"Quicksand Immortal King, rest assured. No one will oppose your position. From now on, you and I will jointly manage the Thunder Serpent Sect, striving to make it stronger."

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King thought to himself that now they finally had the strength to counter the Mysterious Moon Palace. Even without joining the Hidden Moon Sect, they needn't worry about the Mysterious Moon Palace for now.

With two Immortal Kings, they can definitely deter the Mysterious Moon Palace, making them hesitate to act rashly.

Meanwhile.

In the Ice Palace of the Mysterious Moon Palace, Yun Yudie.

Sitting in meditation on the ice bed, Yun Yudie's eyes suddenly opened. Feeling the Immortal Sect's Qi Fortune of the Mysterious Moon Palace drop slightly, Yun Yudie immediately knew that the Quicksand Sect had broken away.

Yun Yudie then used her Divine Thought to probe and indeed found that she could no longer detect the area of the Quicksand Sect, indicating that the Sect Master had officially announced their breaking away.

Since the Quicksand Sect had already betrayed the Mysterious Moon Palace, the next steps would be easy. Yun Yudie then transmitted a message to Lu Chen, "The Quicksand Sect has colluded with the Thunder Serpent Sect and betrayed the Mysterious Moon Palace. From today on, you can use this as a reason to attack the Quicksand Sect."

Logically speaking, the Quicksand Sect's betrayal of the Mysterious Moon Palace should be handled by her as the Hall Master of the Mysterious Moon Palace. But considering Lu Chen's ambition to establish an Immortal Dynasty, Yun Yudie decided not to interfere, leaving the matter for Lu Chen to handle. Moreover, she had previously stated clearly that if the people of the Mysterious Moon Palace were willing to help Lu Chen establish the Immortal Dynasty, she would not stand in their way. This, in a way, could be considered helping Lu Chen, due to his significant position in the outer hall.

All it would take is a word from him, and many Elders from the outer hall would undoubtedly lend their assistance.

At this time, busy with Ye Chuyao, Lu Chen paused upon receiving Yun Yudie's message. He hadn't expected the Quicksand Sect's betrayal to happen so

quickly.

Nonetheless, such an opportunity couldn't be missed. He immediately sent one clone to Yun Yudie's Ice Palace and another to Bihai Immortal City to convene at meeting with his faction.

When Lu Chen arrived at Yun Yudie's Ice Palace, even before he could speak, Yun Yudie proactively said, "As long as you can conquer the Quicksand Sect and Thunder Serpent Sect, all their territories will belong to you."

Upon hearing Yun Yudie's words, Lu Chen chuckled; wasn't this only natural?

Lu Chen asked, "Honored Master truly doesn't plan to lend a hand to assist this disciple?"

Yun Yudie replied coldly, "The Dragon Land has the aura of another Immortal Venerate. Until that Immortal Venerate acts, I will not intervene."

Hearing Yun Yudie's words, Lu Chen furrowed his brow slightly. The Dragon Land has another Immortal Venerate?

Could that Immortal Venerate be the ancestor of the Thunder Serpent Sect?

No wonder Yun Yudie, after becoming an Immortal Venerate, remains cautious and advises against the Mysterious Moon Palace expanding further, having detected the presence of a hidden power.

"Since Honored Master is unwilling to assist, this disciple will refrain from

asking further. However, the Ling Yin Immortal King is under my command; I

presume you would permit her to act?"

Yun Yudie shot Lu Chen a cold glance, not speaking. Lu Chen was plainly stating the obvious. Even if she did not agree, should the Ling Yin Immortal King choose to aid Lu Chen, she would have no means to prevent it.

She couldn't possibly use her powers as an Immortal Venerate to confine the Ling Yin Immortal King.

Seeing Yun Yudie remain silent, Lu Chen continued, "Since the Quicksand Sect has already betrayed the Mysterious Moon Palace, it indicates that the Sect Master of the Quicksand Sect must have broken through to the Immortal King realm. I alone cannot handle two Immortal Kings."

Yun Yudie replied indifferently, "Do not let her act unless necessary."

After all, the Ling Yin Immortal King is the Deputy Hall Master of the Mysterious Moon Palace. If she were to act, it would mean the Mysterious Moon Palace was fully involved. Until the identity of the Immortal Venerate hidden within the Dragon Land is confirmed, Yun Yudie does not want the Mysterious Moon Palace to become completely entangled in this conflict. Yun Yudie did not believe that Lu Chen could not handle those two Immortal Kings. When Lu Chen was in the Southern Domain, he was able to fight against three Evil Immortal Kings single-handedly.

And ordinary Immortal Kings are much weaker than Evil Immortal Kings. Moreover, the Sect Master of the Quicksand Sect has only just broken through to become an Immortal King. Lu Chen should have a fair chance against these

two Immortal Kings.

At this moment, Yun Yudie took out a Jade Scroll, which instantly floated in front of Lu Chen, and she continued, "If an Immortal Venerate intervenes, activate the Jade Scroll."

If the Quicksand Sect and Thunder Serpent Sect are only backed by Immortal

Kings, Lu Chen and the Ling Yin Immortal King alone would suffice. However, if the hidden Immortal Venerate from the Dragon Land acts, Lu Chen probably won't be able to handle it, and it wouldn't be too late for her to intervene then.

Lu Chen grabbed the Jade Scroll that floated before him, smiling broadly, "I knew it. My Honored Master is truly concerned about me."

Yun Yudie's face remained expressionless, replying coldly, "If there is nothing else, you should go and prepare."

Lu Chen, smiling, said, "Honored Master, await my good news, and when I establish the Immortal Dynasty, I shall appoint you as Empress!"

Upon hearing this, Yun Yudie immediately emanated a terrifying coldness.

"Get out!"

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Seeing Yun Yudie's fury, Lu Chen merely smiled faintly, then turned and left the Ice Palace.

Watching Lu Chen's departing figure, Yun Yudie's brow furrowed slightly, her expression turning extremely cold and serious. She seriously doubted that Lu Chen's words just now were not a joke.

This scoundrel might actually consider crowning her as Immortal Queen after establishing the Immortal Dynasty.

She definitely didn't want to be Lu Chen's Immortal Queen; having dual cultivation with Lu Chen in private had already breached her limits. If Ye Chuyao were to find out about her relationship with Lu Chen, how would she see her?

Of course, Ye Chuyao's opinion was secondary; the most important thing was that when she had initially brought Lu Chen back, she had accepted him as her Direct Disciple. If the disciples of Profound Moon Palace saw that their Hall Master had such a relationship with her disciple, wouldn't the future of Profound Moon Palace be in chaos?

Even though, upon learning about Lu Chen's identity, she did not internally acknowledge the teacher-disciple relationship, even if she did not admit it, the disciples of Profound Moon Palace still regarded them as teacher and disciple. After all, the disciples of Profound Moon Palace did not know Lu Chen's true identity.

If she, as the Hall Master, set this precedent, in the future Profound Moon Palace would surely witness many impure teacher-disciple relationships. If true love exists between teacher and disciple, so be it. Her concern was regarding some Elders or those of higher status, exploiting their identity to recruit disciples as mere pets.

Such occurrences are not absent in Tianyan Immortal Domain, especially in some Immortal Sects with improper practices. Yun Yudie was worried that such things might occur in Profound Moon Palace in the future.

Meanwhile, in Bihai Immortal City.

City Lord's Mansion.

In the main hall, over a dozen Immortal Monarchs had arrived. Among these Immortal Monarchs were Outer Sect Elders from Profound Moon Palace, as well as sect masters or elders from affiliated forces.

They all belonged to Lu Chen's faction; upon hearing that Lu Chen wanted to convene a meeting, they arrived at the meeting hall of the City Lord's Mansion without delay.

At this moment, an Outer Sect Elder from Profound Moon Palace inquisitively asked, "Elder Chen, what matter have you summoned us for?"

Lu Chen replied directly, "I just received news that the Sect Master of Quicksand Sect has broken through, and immediately chose to betray Profound Moon Palace, bringing Quicksand Sect to join Thunder Serpent Sect."

Upon hearing these words, everyone present was stunned; once they

recovered, an Elder hastily asked, "Is what Elder Chen said true?"

Another sect master from an affiliated sect also asked, "I wonder where Elder Chen got this information from?"

Lu Chen said, "This news was told to me by the Hall Master. After Quicksand Sect parted from Profound Moon Palace, the Hall Master immediately sensed a significant decline in the Sect Qi Fortune of Profound Moon Palace."

Upon hearing Lu Chen's words, everyone's eyes met briefly; since the news came from their Hall Master, it was likely true.

However...

An Outer Hall Elder curiously asked, "Strange, why hasn't the Hall Master convened us to discuss such a major incident?"

Betrayal of affiliated sects is no trivial matter, particularly as Lu Chen mentioned, the Sect Master of Quicksand Sect has broken through, now being an Immortal King, who isn't easily dealt with.

Yet, Profound Moon Palace is at least an Immortal Sect; if betrayal by affiliated sects is ignored, more might choose to betray Profound Moon Palace in the future.

Moreover, since Profound Moon Palace itself is considered an outside force, its roots in the Barbaric lands aren't stable. At this time, more thunderous means are needed for swift suppression of traitors to effectively achieve the deterrent effect.

If Profound Moon Palace doesn't adopt strong measures to suppress traitors, in the eyes of those affiliated sects, Profound Moon Palace would become a joke. Who would heed Profound Moon Palace's words afterward?

Amidst the confusion among the Immortal Monarchs in the main hall regarding why Yun Yudie hadn't convened them to discuss how to deal with traitors, Lu Chen said, "The Hall Master has stated that this matter is to be handled by me."

"If we're able to capture Quicksand Sect and Thunder Serpent Sect, then the lands of these two sects belong to me, and then I'll establish an Immortal Dynasty above these two sects."

Upon hearing this, everyone immediately realized that their Hall Master had already made arrangements.

However...

Lu Zhengze asked, "Your Majesty, did the Hall Master mention providing any assistance to you?"

Lu Chen replied indifferently, "No, however, anyone from Profound Moon Palace willing to assist me in the campaign against the Immortals of Quicksand Sect and Thunder Serpent Sect can go; she wouldn't stop them."

Upon hearing Lu Chen's words, the crowd fell into contemplation, pondering why their Hall Master hadn't acted directly but rather let Lu Chen handle it?

It seemed as though their Hall Master was prepared to sever ties with Lu Chen at any moment?

Perhaps it was due to the creation of the Immortal Dynasty? After all, an

Immortal Dynasty requires recognition. If Quicksand Sect and Thunder Serpent Sect are defeated relying on Profound Moon Palace's strength, the people on Quicksand Sect and Thunder Serpent Sect's lands would only recognize Profound Moon Palace, not their Immortal Dynasty.

As the group indulged in wild guesses, Lu Zhengze said, "Before establishing the Immortal Dynasty, we need to create an Empire, so the Barbaric people know to which force we belong, thereby enhancing their recognition of our Immortal

Dynasty."

At this point, Lu Zhengze looked towards Lu Chen, "I wonder what nation name Your Majesty plans to adopt?"

Lu Chen pondered briefly, then said, "Let's go with Great Qin."

Upon saying this, Lu Chen cast another glance over the present crowd and continued, "From today, I am the ruler of Great Qin!"

Upon hearing this, everyone immediately reacted, hastily saluting Lu Chen, "Greetings, ruler of Great Qin!!!"

As they saluted, Lu Chen noticeably felt an increase in Qi Fortune upon himself, though this thread of Qi Fortune was neither here nor there for him.

This was merely Dynast Qi Fortune, not Immortal Dynasty Qi Fortune; for the Empire to upgrade to an Immortal Dynasty, recognition from more Immortals was necessary. At present, Great Qin was no different from those countries established by cultivators.

Lu Chen indifferently said, "Rise!"

"Since the Empire has been established, next is the Western Expedition. Now, you all must find ways to spread the news of Quicksand Sect's betrayal of Profound Moon Palace and rally more forces into the crusade."

The crowd unanimously responded, "We obey Your Majesty's decree!"

Just like that, an Empire dominated by Immortals emerged on the lands of the

Barbaric.

Lu Chen already had a certain reputation within Profound Moon Palace, coupled with his faction controlling Bihai Immortal City, whose Qi Fortune was far richer than those secular Empires established by cultivators. Therefore, Lu Chen's creation of an Empire was immediately recognized by Heavenly Dao without any need for ceremony.

Now that the Empire has been established, all that is left is continuous territorial expansion, obtaining more Immortal recognition, thus enabling the Empire to upgrade into an Immortal Dynasty.

As the Great Qin Dynasty was established, news of Quicksand Sect's betrayal of

Profound Moon Palace to join Thunder Serpent Sect also immediately spread throughout Dragon Land.

Upon learning of Quicksand Sect's betrayal of Profound Moon Palace, almost all forces in Dragon Land were observed watching Profound Moon Palace's

response.

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The forces within the Dragon Land are eager to learn how the Mysterious Moon Palace plans to deal with the traitor, the Quicksand Sect, which has currently allied itself with the Thunder Serpent Sect, adding the Quicksand Immortal King to its ranks, thus making the Thunder Serpent Sect possess two Immortal Kings.

However, if the Mysterious Moon Palace does nothing, it risks losing all face, for its affiliated factions have betrayed the main Sect, and the main Sect merely watches without doing anything-this would be exceedingly embarrassing. Especially concerning the affiliated factions of the Mysterious Moon Palace, they pay extra attention to its movements, yet to their surprise, time passes day by day, but the Mysterious Moon Palace shows no activity.

Conversely, a force from who-knows-where, the Great Qin Dynasty, is recruiting soldiers everywhere, claiming to fight for the Mysterious Moon Palace against the Quicksand Sect.

Initially, when the forces of Dragon Land heard of the Great Qin Dynasty, they thought it was merely trying to make a good impression before the Mysterious Moon Palace for proactive reasons, but as the Great Qin Dynasty drew more and more factions, people began to sense something amiss.

How could a dynasty, not even an Immortal Dynasty, recruit so many affiliated factions of the Mysterious Moon Palace? This dynasty must not be the secular dynasty established by cultivators they assumed.

News of the Great Qin Dynasty soon reached the Thunder Serpent Sect.

Now the integration of the Quicksand Sect with the Thunder Serpent Sect is complete, and the Quicksand Immortal King officially becomes the Deputy Sect Master of the Thunder Serpent Sect.

Within the Meeting Hall of the Thunder Serpent Sect, everyone was discussing the recent movements of the Mysterious Moon Palace.

At this moment, an Elder said, "It's strange indeed-the Quicksand Sect and the Thunder Serpent Sect have merged for so long, yet the Mysterious Moon Palace shows no activity. Could it be they think there is no benefit in acting, so they prefer to act like nothing happened?"

Since the merger of the Thunder Serpent Sect and the Quicksand Sect, they have kept eyes on the Mysterious Moon Palace, believing that even if the Mysterious Moon Palace thought there was no benefit, it should still make

some move.

After all, a betrayal by an affiliated Sect greatly affects the main Sect. If the Mysterious Moon Palace does nothing, how could it intimidate other affiliated Sects in the future? The affiliated Sects of the Mysterious Moon Palace may no longer obey its orders.

Even if the Mysterious Moon Palace doesn't truly attack the Thunder Serpent Sect, it should make some statement; yet the Mysterious Moon Palace has done nothing.

Such silence only makes people feel something is not right.

The Quicksand Immortal King said, "Perhaps they think that even if they send troops to punish, it would result in nothing, showing Dragon Land forces their empty power, so they simply ignore it."

The choice to handle this coldly might damage the prestige of the Mysterious Moon Palace, leading to more affiliated factions refusing to hear its commands in the future.

But if the Mysterious Moon Palace truly waged war and could not claim victory, it would become even more troublesome; forces that still feared the Mysterious Moon Palace might entertain more ideas upon seeing it unable to defeat the Thunder Serpent Sect.

As long as war doesn't commence, nobody knows the specifics of the Mysterious Moon Palace's power, so its affiliated factions will continue to be apprehensive.

Having listened to the Quicksand Immortal King, everyone thought it made very much sense; at this moment, an Elder said, "Though the Mysterious Moon Palace shows no movement, I hear a force called the Great Qin Dynasty has rallied many affiliated Sects of the Mysterious Moon Palace to form an alliance force, ready to punish our Sect."

Upon hearing this, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King, seated upon the throne, calmly said, "It's merely a dynasty-they might only wish to impress the Mysterious Moon Palace, they're not to be feared."

In the eyes of the Thunder Serpent Immortal King, a dynasty, even if it embodies Immortals, the force isn't very significant, at most rallying a few Immortal Monarchs.

Without an Immortal King, as long as the Immortal Kings of the Mysterious Moon Palace don't join in, even if all affiliated factions of the Mysterious Moon Palace unite, they pose no threat to the Thunder Serpent Sect.

However, as soon as the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's voice fell, the Quicksand Immortal King suddenly thought of something, and promptly

proposed an alternative viewpoint.

"I suddenly feel something's off-how can just a dynasty unite so many Sects?"
"This Great Qin Dynasty surely isn't an ordinary dynasty."

Upon hearing this from the Quicksand Immortal King, others began to react similarly indeed, ordinary dynasties are established by cultivators, not even Immortals; they certainly lack the capability to unite so many Sects.

Even if this dynasty were created by Immortals, to rally the affiliated Sects of the Mysterious Moon Palace, the Emperor of this dynasty should have some

standing.

The Quicksand Immortal King said, "I fear this is the Mysterious Moon Palace's response."

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King slightly furrowed his brows, then asked, "You mean to say this Great Qin Dynasty is supported by the Mysterious Moon

Palace?"

The Quicksand Immortal King said, "Other than this reasoning, there seems no other explanation as to why those affiliated factions willingly heed the orders

of the Great Qin Dynasty."

At this moment, a Steward entered the hall and directly stated, "Sect Master, Deputy Sect Master, the Great Qin Dynasty has arrived outside Quicksand City with their punitive force!"

Upon hearing this, everyone was shocked within -how could it be so fast?

They earlier received news saying that the Great Qin Dynasty gathered many affiliated factions of the Mysterious Moon Palace, forming a punitive force, yet in such a short time, the punitive force led by the Great Qin Dynasty has already approached Quicksand City?

Quicksand City is originally the location of the Quicksand Sect, renamed after integrating into the Thunder Serpent Sect, now considered the second most important fortress of the Thunder Serpent Sect.

Logically, there are other fortresses surrounding Quicksand City, for the allied forces organized by the Great Qin Dynasty to approach Quicksand City, those fortresses need to be taken first; when the allied forces of the Great Qin Dynasty advance, disciples of the Thunder Serpent Sect stationed there surely would send reports; thus informing the Thunder Serpent Sect of the Great Qin Dynasty's assault.

But the current situation is, those fortresses sent no information back, and yet the allied forces organized by the Great Qin Dynasty directly arrived at

Quicksand City.

How did this Great Qin Dynasty bypass those fortresses?

In this level of warfare, without Immortal Kings, logistics is crucial. How could

they suddenly appear at Quicksand City without fear of having their supply

lines cut?

Is it possible there's a transmission array outside Quicksand City enabling the Great Qin Dynasty's forces to reach Quicksand City so quickly?

Amid discussions among the Elders in the hall, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King said with a dark face, "Totally unexpected, the Great Qin Dynasty moves swiftly; I just claimed them to be no threat, yet they have reached Quicksand City so fast; it

seems there is indeed the backing of the Mysterious Moon Palace behind this Great Qin Dynasty."

At this time, one Elder asked, "Sect Master, what should we do now?"

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King pondered for a moment, then said, "Immediately dispatch reinforcements to Quicksand City, I'd like to see the true power of the Immortal Sect that is the Mysterious Moon Palace."

As the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's voice fell, the Thunder Serpent Sect promptly sprang into action; fortunately, there exists a transmission array between the Thunder Serpent Sect and Quicksand City, enabling the disciples of the Thunder Serpent Sect to quickly reach Quicksand City.

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Outside Quicksand City, yellow sand fills the sky.

High above, rows of warships are lined up, hovering in the air.

At this moment, the people on the warships are staring in astonishment at Quicksand City, which is enveloped by the formation in the distance.

Beside Lu Chen, an Immortal Monarch dazedly said, "We're... here???"

They were in Bihai Immortal City just two hours ago, and in less than a quarter of an hour, they've already reached Quicksand City.

Keep in mind, the Barbaric region is vast, and even for immortals, using warships would still take many days to travel from Bihai Immortal City to Quicksand City.

Unless an Immortal King or Immortal Venerate directly tears through space.

However, among the Great Qin Dynasty's allied forces, the strongest is only an Immortal Monarch. Naturally, they weren't sent by an Immortal King or Immortal Venerate, but directly transmitted by Lu Chen using a special transmission array.

Lu Chen spoke at this time, "Deploy the troops, once we capture Quicksand City, the cities behind will naturally pose no threat."

Quicksand City was originally the Quicksand Sect's Sect residence, and now is the Thunder Serpent Sect's second most important city. Taking Quicksand City would

sever the Thunder Serpent Sect's connection with other Quicksand Sect cities, and most importantly, demoralize the defenses of those cities.

When the time comes, it will be much easier for the Great Qin Dynasty to annex all the Quicksand Sect's original cities, and possibly without much military effort, these cities could surrender to the Great Qin Dynasty.

Of course, Lu Chen's decision is based on his confidence in his own strength, coupled with the fact that Ling Yin Immortal King is also here this time, even if Thunder Serpent Sect's two Immortal Kings descend on Quicksand City, they can't stop them from taking Quicksand City.

Upon hearing Lu Chen's words, everyone snapped back to reality, and the elders from each faction immediately led their disciples to prepare for the attack.

Meanwhile, inside Quicksand City.

Zeyang Immortal Monarch stared at the projected scene with a somewhat grim expression. Those warships appeared suddenly without any warning, clearly they were transmitted directly.

But the outside of Quicksand City doesn't seem to have transmission arrays of this level, how could so many warships suddenly be transmitted here?

This left Zeyang Immortal Monarch quite perplexed.

Could it be that someone had long since arranged a teleportation array outside Quicksand City just for today?

Is there a traitor in Quicksand City?

Just as Zeyang Immortal Monarch pondered who in Quicksand City might be the betrayer, the warships outside had already activated their attack formations. Seeing those formations emitting multicolored lights, Zeyang Immortal Monarch immediately cast aside his thoughts.

Now is not the time to find traitors; the urgent task is to repel the enemy's attack. Zeyang Immortal Monarch immediately sent a voice transmission to the elders guarding Quicksand City.

"Activate the Sect Protection Array immediately!!!"

With Zeyang Immortal Monarch's words falling, the elders of Quicksand City flew into the sky, and collectively gathered immortal power towards it.

The next moment, the previously bright sky instantly darkened, followed by the appearance of a giant black vortex in the sky, and within the black vortex, stars emitting light emerged.

Zeyang Immortal Monarch then flew into the sky and shouted loudly, "Cloud Sky Star Formation! Activate!"

With his words landing, the Great Array fully formed, and then the stars in the black vortex turned into streams of light shooting towards the warships outside Quicksand City.

Seeing Quicksand City initiate the attack, Lu Chen also immediately ordered, "Attack with full force!"

With Lu Chen's words, the attack formations prepared on the warships instantly emitted dazzling lights. Subsequently, beams of light in various colors blasted towards Quicksand City's Defensive Array.

After all, the arrays of Quicksand City are the Sect Protection Arrays of Quicksand Sect. A round of volleys from the warships didn't cause much damage to the array, although it did consume a significant amount of Immortal Aura from the array.

But at this moment, the elders inside Quicksand City had already activated the attack formations. If the Defensive Array of Quicksand City isn't quickly breached,

the Cloud Sky Star Formation above would inflict heavy casualties on the Great Qin Dynasty's allied forces.

At this time, Lu Chen was already considering whether to let Ling Yin Immortal King take action, but he quickly restrained this thought; Thunder Serpent Sect's Immortal Kings haven't appeared yet, so his side's Immortal King can't act hastily.

If they act now and consume a lot of immortal power, they might not be able to contend with Thunder Serpent Sect's two Immortal Kings later.

Lu Chen subsequently ordered, "All Immortal Monarchs, attack one spot with full strength!"

With his words, Lu Chen directly unleashed a red Sword Qi.

This Sword Qi instantly struck the barrier of the Sect Protection Array of Quicksand City, but just at the moment of impact, the Sword Qi dispersed.

Of course, Lu Chen didn't expect his Sword Qi to destroy the array; he was merely guiding the other Immortal Monarchs to target the spot touched by his

Sword Qi.

Following Lu Chen's Sword Qi display, the Immortal Monarchs from various forces quickly united to attack that spot repeatedly.

Within moments, the collective attacks of the Immortal Monarchs took effect; a

massive crack appeared on the barrier of Quicksand City's array, and the entire barrier seemed on the verge of collapsing.

Seeing that crack, Zeyang Immortal Monarch's expression became instantly grim; he was somewhat puzzled how could a dynasty rally so many Immortal

Monarchs?

Zeyang Immortal Monarch did not attend the Thunder Serpent Sect's meetings, so he hasn't suspected that the Great Qin Dynasty is supported by the Mysterious Moon Palace. Nevertheless, even though he didn't suspect earlier, after witnessing the Great Qin Dynasty's tactics and its gathered Immortal Monarchs, he realized the Great Qin Dynasty is definitely not an ordinary dynasty.

Now, he can only hope for Thunder Serpent Sect's support. He believes that once Thunder Serpent Sect gets the news, they will immediately send reinforcements.

At this moment, seeing the barrier cracked, the Great Qin Dynasty's Immortal Monarchs increased their efforts, employing all kinds of magic treasures and

attacking methods.

After consecutive bombardment from numerous Immortal Monarchs, finally, the barrier of Quicksand City showed signs of collapse. Yet, at this juncture, several powerful presences suddenly appeared within Quicksand City. The next moment, the barrier, which was about to collapse, unexpectedly began repairing at a speed visible to the naked eye. Seeing this scene, the allied Immortal Monarchs realized Quicksand City's reinforcements had arrived.

At this moment, an Immortal Monarch approached Lu Chen and said, "Your Majesty, what should we do now?"

They had exerted relentless effort attacking the barrier earlier, consuming too much of their internal immortal power. If this consumption continues and the enemy counterattacks, they might have no option but to retreat.

Lu Chen didn't answer immediately but glanced at the barrier, pondering

whether to take action now.

After contemplating for a moment, Lu Chen transmitted a message again, "Continue the attack!"

Upon hearing Lu Chen's command, the Immortal Monarchs present hesitated

for a moment, but considering Lu Chen's identity, they ultimately chose to

continue attacking.

Seeing the Immortal Monarchs outside still unleashing relentless bombardments against the array barrier, Zeyang Immortal Monarch's lips curled into a faint sneer.

Having children earns benefit, start competing for dominance in the world by marrying a wife

Seeing that the Immortal Monarchs outside were not holding back at all, Zeyang Immortal Monarch came up with a plan: let the formation of Quicksand City continue to deplete those Immortal Monarchs, and once their strength was almost

exhausted, they would immediately close the formation and take the initiative to attack.

The group outside had no idea about conserving their strength; when they launched their counterattack, they would surely be defenseless.

Then, Zeyang Immortal Monarch continued to maneuver the Cloud Sky Star Formation, relentlessly destroying the warships outside Quicksand City. As the number of warships diminished, gradually, some people in the Expeditionary Allied Forces began to have cold feet.

After all, they came from different forces and were not unified. Seeing their severe losses, naturally, some began to have second thoughts.

At this moment, an Elder from the Outer Hall of the Mysterious Moon Palace approached Lu Chen and whispered, "Elder Chen, this won't do. Some people are already having the intention to retreat."

The Elder from the Outer Hall of the Mysterious Moon Palace stood on Lu Chen's side. As long as Lu Chen didn't order a retreat, they wouldn't, but it was different for the affiliated forces of the Mysterious Moon Palace.

After thinking for a moment, Lu Chen directly communicated, "Retreat for now!"

Hearing Lu Chen's transmission, those affiliated forces finally breathed a sigh of relief. Then, the warships quickly distanced themselves from Quicksand City, out of the range of the Cloud Sky Star Formation's attacks, and those Immortal Monarchs who were bombarding the barriers of Quicksand City also withdrew.

Seeing the Expeditionary Allied Forces actually retreating, Zeyang Immortal Monarch thought their opportunity to counterattack had arrived, and immediately signaled the immortals inside Quicksand City.

"They're done for, attack immediately!"

Following Zeyang Immortal Monarch's words, the great array of Quicksand City was deactivated, and the immortals inside rushed out.

Seeing this scene, Lu Chen chuckled, realizing that these people truly dared to charge out.

As the immortals from Quicksand City began their counterattack, the Immortals from the allied forces were momentarily thrown into chaos, especially the Immortal Monarchs who had expended a large amount of power trying to break through the formation barrier of Quicksand City.

Now that the Immortal Monarchs from the Thunder Serpent Sect were on the move, it was likely that they were not a match for those Immortal Monarchs. At

this time, all the Immortal Monarchs from the Great Qin Dynasty turned their gaze to Lu Chen.

Lu Chen thought for a moment. Since the other side had already come out, there was no point in holding back.

Moreover, the Immortal King on the opposing side probably had the same idea; as long as their Immortal King did not appear, the opposing Immortal King might also stay hidden, biding his time to ambush.

Lu Chen then transmitted a message to Ling Yin Immortal King, "Ling Yin, make your move!"

Upon hearing Lu Chen's transmission, Ling Yin Immortal King no longer hid his aura, and the next moment, a terrifying pressure was released from the warship where Lu Chen was situated.

Feeling this pressure, the Immortals from the Great Qin side were instantly thrilled.

This aura... was from an Immortal King!!!

Their Immortal King had made a move!!!

With an Immortal King present, mere Quicksand City was nothing to fear!!! Subsequently, the allied forces turned to launch another attack.

At this moment, when Zeyang Immortal Monarch and the others sensed the Immortal King's pressure emerging from the front, their faces changed dramatically.

Zeyang Immortal Monarch hurriedly said, "Retreat! Fall back immediately, activate the great array!!!"

But just as Zeyang Immortal Monarch finished speaking, an equally intense pressure emanated from Quicksand City. Shortly after, a gigantic humanoid Law Manifestation appeared above Quicksand City,

It seemed as if flowing sand covered the humanoid Law Manifestation, which was hundreds of feet tall, blocking out the sunlight over Quicksand City.

Seeing this Law Manifestation, Zeyang Immortal Monarch exclaimed excitedly, "It's the Quicksand Immortal King!!! The Quicksand Immortal King is here!!!" For a moment, the morale on the side of Quicksand City soared.

Seeing the Quicksand Immortal King release his Law Manifestation immediately upon arrival, Ling Yin Immortal King also unleashed his Law Manifestation, and in an instant, a purple figure appeared in the sky.

With the appearance of the two Immortal Kings' Law Manifestations, two terrifying pressures clashed, and the people from both sides struggled to straighten up under those pressures.

Realizing that fighting here would affect their own people, Quicksand Immortal King then said, "My friend, this is not the place for our battle. How about we change locations?"

An altercation at the Immortal King Level causes tremendous damage; fighting here would be like hurting the enemy by a thousand and self-damaging by

eight hundred.

As soon as Quicksand Immortal King finished speaking, a cold voice echoed in the sky, "Agreed!"

Following Ling Yin Immortal King's words, the two colossal Law Manifestations transformed into streams of light, flying deep into the Barbaric Lands. Once people felt the pressure from the Immortal Kings dissipate, they all heaved a sigh of relief.

At this time, Zeyang Immortal Monarch suddenly transmitted, "The opposing Immortal King is gone; this is our chance to counterattack!!!"

Immediately following, Zeyang Immortal Monarch led the immortals of Quicksand City in a counteroffensive. Seeing Zeyang Immortal Monarch and them counterattacking, the Immortal Monarchs on Lu Chen's side again started

to have second thoughts.

They had thought that with an Immortal King backing them up, this war was without any suspense, but with the Immortal King gone, they were once again plunged into a predicament.

From Quicksand City's side, over twenty Immortal Monarchs rushed out. It was apparent that the Immortal Monarchs from the Thunder Serpent Sect had come to aid, while the allied side had only about a dozen Immortal Monarchs, who had already spent much of their power breaking the formation earlier.

At this moment, the Elders from the Outer Hall of the Mysterious Moon Palace looked towards Lu Chen. The Elders had witnessed Lu Chen once fighting against three Evil Immortal Kings alone.

It was precisely because of this that these Outer Hall Elders chose to join Lu Chen's faction and help him expand his territory.

They believed that with Lu Chen present, those Immortal Monarchs would

pose no threat to them.

Seeing the Elders of the Outer Hall looking at him one by one, Lu Chen calmly said, "Why are you looking at me? The Thunder Serpent Sect has two Immortal Kings; one has already arrived. Do you think the other isn't here?"

Lu Chen, of course, knew what these Outer Hall Elders were thinking; they were simply waiting for him to make a move.

Upon hearing Lu Chen's words, the Outer Hall Elders got tense, right, the Thunder Serpent Sect now had two Elders, and if that Elder appeared later, Lu Chen would likely move away from the battlefield to avoid involving them.

By then, they would still have to deal with the Immortal Monarchs of the Thunder Serpent Sect.

At this point, one of the Outer Hall Elders said, "Elder Chen, we'll buy you time!"

They believed with Lu Chen's strength, even if the Immortal King of the Thunder Serpent Sect appeared, Lu Chen wouldn't take long to repel him, as Lu Chen had once held off three Evil Immortal Kings in the Southern Domain single-handedly.

Evil Immortal Kings were far stronger than ordinary Immortal Kings; if Lu Chen

could contend with three of them, then ordinary Immortal Kings should pose no significant threat to him.

Following that Elder's words, the other Outer Hall Elders charged toward the Immortal Monarchs of the Thunder Serpent Sect. This was the best opportunity for them to showcase themselves in front of Lu Chen.

If they received Lu Chen's approval, Lu Chen might speak well of them to the

Hall Master in the future, giving them more hope of entering the Inner Hall and becoming Inner Hall Elders.

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Seeing the external Elders of Mysterious Moon Palace rush forward, the Immortal Monarchs of the affiliated forces of Mysterious Moon Palace could only brace themselves and follow, engaging in magic duels with the Immortal Monarchs of Thunder Serpent Sect.

In an instant, sand and dust filled the sky outside Quicksand City, and various magical phenomena occupied the entire heavens.

The Immortal Monarchs from the affiliated sects of Mysterious Moon Palace did not exhibit the same strong desire to perform as the external Elders. Most of them had never witnessed Lu Chen's strength, and coupled with Mysterious Moon Palace's suppression of all information regarding Lu Chen, few forces in Dragon Land knew about this hidden "Immortal King"

They only knew that Lu Chen was the Direct Disciple of the Palace Master of Mysterious Moon Palace and an Inner Hall Elder. Not knowing his strength, the Immortal Monarchs from these affiliated forces felt there was no chance of victory in this war unless the Palace Master of Mysterious Moon Palace personally arrived.

Yet even if the Palace Master of Mysterious Moon Palace did personally arrive, Thunder Serpent Sect still had an Immortal King.

Soon, some Immortal Monarchs from certain forces began to retreat.

Seeing this, Lu Chen did not say anything. He did not anticipate these Immortal Monarchs playing a significant role.

His gaze was fixed on Quicksand City, pondering how patient the Sect Master of Thunder Serpent Sect was for not taking action until now.

Although on the frontal battlefield, the alliance's fighting power was inferior to Thunder Serpent Sect, on the Immortal King battlefield, the current Quicksand Immortal King was already being crushed by Ling Yin Immortal King.

Ling Yin Immortal King had broken through earlier than Quicksand Immortal King, and having Dual Cultivated with Lu Chen, her strength had long surpassed that of a typical Immortal King.

Realizing that Ling Yin Immortal King's strength far exceeded his own, Quicksand Immortal King immediately sent a message to Thunder Serpent

Immortal King, urging him to join the battle.

Meanwhile, inside a warship in the sky above Quicksand City, Thunder Serpent Immortal King was quietly observing the two battlefields.

The expeditionary army organized by the Great Qin Empire posed no significant threat to Thunder Serpent Sect, but the power of the Immortal King of Mysterious Moon Palace was somewhat overwhelming.

Mysterious Moon Palace had only revealed one Immortal King so far, and it was estimated that another Immortal King was still hidden in the shadows. If he acted now, and that other Immortal King from Mysterious Moon Palace suddenly ambushed him, he could suffer a severe blow.

But if he continued to refrain from acting, once Quicksand Immortal King was defeated, the Immortal King of Mysterious Moon Palace would surely target the Immortal Monarchs of Thunder Serpent Sect, and by then, he would still have

to act.

In any case, he would have to act eventually, so dragging it out served no purpose. It would be better to force out the other Immortal King of Mysterious Moon Palace.

He could gauge the opponent's strength, see how large the gap was between their powers, and if the gap was too great, they could simply retreat and use the Great Array for defense.

If their strength was not too far apart, then after taking action, he could still intimidate the opponent.

With this in mind, Thunder Serpent Immortal King no longer concealed his aura. In the next moment, he directly unleashed his Immortal King pressure. When the Immortal Monarchs of Mysterious Moon Palace sensed the new Immortal King pressure within Quicksand City, their faces immediately turned

pale.

At that moment, more Immortal Monarchs began to have second thoughts. They were already not the opponents of Thunder Serpent Sect's Immortal Monarchs, and with another Immortal King from Thunder Serpent Sect on the scene, they were even less likely to win.

If they continued to stay here, they feared they would meet their end. They were only here to perform in front of Mysterious Moon Palace and didn't want to lose their lives here.

Before Lu Chen could give any orders, those Immortal Monarchs immediately began retreating to the rear. Seeing the Immortal Monarchs of the Great Qin Alliance retreat, the Immortal Monarchs of Thunder Serpent Sect grew even more excited, and both the disciples and Elders of Thunder Serpent Sect started to brim with confidence.

In their eyes at this moment, Mysterious Moon Palace was no big deal after all; their Sect Master had just released his aura, and the Immortal Monarchs of Mysterious Moon Palace were scared into a hasty retreat.

Seeing the Immortal Monarchs trying to flee, Thunder Serpent Immortal King sneered, and the next moment, dark clouds gathered in the sky, and in a moment, the entire area was enveloped in surging arcs of electricity, as if everyone were trapped in a cage made of lightning.

Feeling the pressure released by those bolts of lightning, the Immortal Monarchs of the Great Qin Alliance turned ashen with despair.

"It's over, it's over, this is Thunder Serpent Immortal King's Thunder Domain!!!"

"Where is the Palace Master? Why hasn't the Palace Master taken action yet?"

"Palace Master, act quickly; if you don't, we'll all be annihilated!"

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Apart from the external Elders of Mysterious Moon Palace, the Immortals from the affiliated forces had already panicked. Those external Elders were still struggling hard, believing that Lu Chen would soon act, and so they hadn't retreated yet.

At this time, even Thunder Serpent Immortal King couldn't help but feel a bit puzzled by the continued inaction of the other Immortal King from Mysterious Moon Palace.

He had already expanded his domain, so why hadn't the opponent acted yet? Was Mysterious Moon Palace not afraid that he would kill all those Immortal

Monarchs?

Although most of those Immortal Monarchs were from the affiliated forces of Mysterious Moon Palace, if Mysterious Moon Palace just watched them being killed, those affiliated forces would definitely harbor resentment towards Mysterious Moon Palace.

After contemplating for a moment, Thunder Serpent Immortal King snorted coldly and said, "Forget it, since you still haven't acted, this seat will show no

mercy."

If he killed those Immortal Monarchs from the affiliated forces, it would undoubtedly weaken the Qi Fortune of Mysterious Moon Palace's Immortal Sect. Thinking of this, Thunder Serpent Immortal King went all out.

In an instant, countless lightning bolts rained down from the sky, and the entire world seemed as if the apocalypse had arrived.

However, just at this moment, another Immortal King pressure appeared on the

battlefield, and this Immortal King's aura was being released from the warship

of the Great Qin Empire.

The moment this pressure appeared, everyone present felt their breathing become difficult, as if a mountain were pressing down on their chests, making it hard to breathe, and a terror from the depths of their divine soul seemed to

be looming over them.

Not only those with lower strength felt this way, even Thunder Serpent Immortal King felt the same. Thunder Serpent Immortal King's heart was shocked; why did this Immortal King aura make him feel like there was a threat of death in the depths of his divine soul?

Before Thunder Serpent Immortal King could react, the original Thunder

Domain instantly turned blood-red, and the entire world transformed into a scene of blood and mountains of corpses.

Seeing this scene, people immediately realized it, and so did Thunder Serpent Immortal King.

This was the Slaughter Domain!!!

Feeling the Power of Slaughter in the air, Thunder Serpent Immortal King's expression instantly solidified and was quickly replaced by panic. He finally understood why there was a sense of life-threatening danger deep within his divine soul; it turned out the opponent was an Immortal King who wielded the

Power of Slaughter.

Wait a minute...

According to the information they gathered, the other Immortal King of Mysterious Moon Palace was supposed to wield the Ice Power. The Immortal King battling Quicksand Immortal King followed the path of music, so the next Immortal King was supposed to be the Palace Master of Mysterious Moon Palace practicing the Ice Path.

How could there suddenly be an Immortal King wielding the Power of

Slaughter???

Lost in thought for a moment, Thunder Serpent Immortal King quickly came to

his senses as the Power of Slaughter in the Slaughter Domain began to gather, hastily saying, "Friend, you shouldn't be a member of Mysterious Moon Palace,

right?"

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Serpent Sect

The Slaughter Path is one of the most challenging Daos to cultivate among the myriad Dao paths. To cultivate the Slaughter Path to the Immortal King Realm, one must slay countless peerless geniuses.

When the Thunder Serpent Immortal King felt the Power of Slaughter, the thought of surrender arose in his heart.

However, he was still somewhat unwilling. From the intelligence they gathered, the Mysterious Moon Palace did not have an Immortal who cultivated the Slaughter Path, so perhaps this Immortal was not from the Mysterious Moon Palace.

If he could recruit this Immortal and have him join their Thunder Serpent Sect, this crisis would be resolved. Not only would the crisis be resolved, but with the presence of this Slaughter Immortal King, the Thunder Serpent Sect's strength would immediately surpass the Mysterious Moon Palace. At that time, it might even be possible for the Thunder Serpent Sect to turn around and annex the Mysterious Moon Palace.

Upon hearing the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's words, the Immortals from the Mysterious Moon Palace's affiliated forces also felt a jolt in their hearts. The Thunder Serpent Immortal King suddenly stopped attacking and instead started

saying such words, which clearly meant he wanted to recruit this mysterious Slaughter Immortal King.

Those affiliated forces did not know that the Slaughter Domain was released by Lu Chen. At this moment, like the Thunder Serpent Immortal King, they also believed that this Slaughter Immortal King was not from the Mysterious Moon Palace.

Only the Outer Hall Elders of the Mysterious Moon Palace had a playful smile on their faces. The Thunder Serpent Immortal King truly had unrealistic dreams, thinking he could recruit their Inner Hall Elder at the Mysterious Moon Palace.

At this moment, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King indeed spoke, "My friend, why not join our Thunder Serpent Sect? Whatever the Mysterious Moon Palace can offer you, our Thunder Serpent Sect can offer as well. We can make you a Deputy Sect Master."

No sooner than the Thunder Serpent Immortal King finished his words, Lu Chen's voice echoed in the sky, "Rather than being a Deputy Sect Master, I desire the entire Thunder Serpent Sect!"

Upon hearing Lu Chen's voice, the Immortals from the Mysterious Moon Palace's affiliated forces were stunned.

Wasn't this Elder Chen's voice?

When did Elder Chen become an Immortal King?

Although they could discern from the Outer Hall Elders' attitude toward Lu Chen that his status in the Mysterious Moon Palace was not simple, most of the Immortals from the affiliated forces believed his status was due to him being the Direct Disciple of the Hall Master of the Mysterious Moon Palace.

At this moment, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King, upon hearing Lu Chen's voice, was also taken aback, especially at the word "I," which made him immediately suspect that the Great Qin Dynasty was established by the person speaking.

Thinking that the Great Qin Dynasty's master was actually an Immortal King, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's face darkened instantly, having already guessed some things.

It was likely the Mysterious Moon Palace hadn't taken action, rather allowing the Great Qin Dynasty to intervene because there was an Immortal King within the Great Qin Dynasty itself, and surely, there was some kind of cooperation between the Great Qin Dynasty and the Mysterious Moon Palace. The Great Qin Dynasty used the Quicksand Sect's betrayal as an excuse to recruit some of the Mysterious Moon Palace's affiliated forces, helping the Great Qin Dynasty expand its territory.

Meanwhile, the Mysterious Moon Palace needed to pay very little to eliminate the Thunder Serpent Sect, a formidable foe.

At this point, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King sneered; the Mysterious Moon Palace had planned well!

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King did not know about Lu Chen and Yun Yudie's relationship. From his perspective, the Great Qin Dynasty and the Mysterious Moon Palace were two different forces that reached a cooperation due to certain reasons.

The Mysterious Moon Palace needed to clear out opposing forces in the Dragon Land and to set an example, while the Great Qin Dynasty likely needed more territory to establish the Immortal Dynasty, so the cooperation between the two forces was very normal.

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King suddenly thought of something and then instigated, "My friend, though I don't know what terms the Hall Master of the Mysterious Moon Palace promised you, if you really help the Mysterious Moon Palace defeat the Thunder Serpent Sect, you guys might become the next target of theirs."

"Compared to us, an Immortal King who possesses the Power of Slaughter presents a greater threat, and the Mysterious Moon Palace cannot tolerate.

you."

"Why not, I offer some land to you, and we establish an alliance. I am willing to help you found the Immortal Dynasty."

"My friend, don't let the Mysterious Moon Palace's conspiracy succeed." Hearing the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's attempt to sow discord, Lu Chen chuckled softly. He did not intend to waste time since the Immortal King's Remain Curse had limited usage time, and he needed to defeat the Thunder Serpent Immortal King quickly.

Seeing Lu Chen remain silent, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King thought he had persuaded him and was just about to seize the opportunity to speak

further.

A towering Law Manifestation appeared within the Slaughter Domain, holding an Immortal Sword that exuded a terrifying pressure, and slashed it out. This slash harnessed the immense Power of Slaughter, charging toward the Thunder Serpent Immortal King, who immediately became enraged upon witnessing this scene.

He thought that the person had listened to his words, yet the attack was already initiated.

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King shouted, "Since you insist on being obstinate, then I have no choice but to fight you to the death!"

"Thunder God War Drum!!!"

As he spoke, a gigantic war drum appeared in front of the Thunder Serpent Immortal King. The moment the drum emerged, the surrounding lightning became incredibly violent. Simultaneously, two drumsticks appeared in the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's hands.

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King used all his strength, lifted his right hand, and struck the drum with the drumstick. The next moment, the drum emitted sound waves infused with Thunderbolt Power, rushing towards Lu Chen. When the sound waves carrying the Thunderbolt Power collided with the Sword Qi after Slaughter, a fierce explosion ensued instantly, causing the entire Slaughter Domain to quake.

Seeing the Thunder Serpent Immortal King bring out a Heaven Rank Immortal Artifact, Lu Chen knew that such an attack alone might not be enough to defeat

the Thunder Serpent Immortal King.

Subsequently, he gripped the Immortal Slaying Sword tighter and once again gathered the Power of Slaughter.

The next moment, a blood-red Dao Path appeared within the Slaughter Domain. Seeing this path, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King was dazed for a moment before snapping back to reality, realizing the opponent was about to use the Power of the Slaughter Path.

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King, in response, also utilized the Power of Thunder Dao, and above the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's Law Manifestation appeared a vision of a path with flashing thunder and lightning. Instantly, two contrasting hues emerged within the Slaughter Domain, one was blood-red, while the other blue.

After gathering the Power of Slaughter, Lu Chen struck out with the immortal sword, "Green Fall Cyan Dragon Roar!!!"

The next moment, a gigantic Blood Dragon, formed by the Power of Slaughter, surged forth.

Seeing the Blood Dragon heading directly towards him, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King also mobilized the Power of Dao, his arms swiftly moving, continuously striking the Thunder God War Drum.

The drum sound grew louder, and the Thunderbolt Power carried by the sound

waves became even more violent. Subsequently, countless arcs of lightning formed by the Thunderbolt Power clashed with the distant Blood Dragon.

When the forces of Dao collided, they erupted in an instant burst of dazzling light, blinding nearly everyone within the Slaughter Domain.

As the intense light slowly faded, people were shocked to discover that the

Blood Dragon still hadn't vanished and was already right before the Thunder Serpent Immortal King.

Seeing the Power of Slaughter coming straight at him, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's face immediately showed a look of panic, and he quickly activated the Protective Dharma Treasure on his body.

In an instant, a golden light emanated from the Thunder Serpent Immortal

King.

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After the Thunder Serpent Immortal King activated all his protective dharma treasures, the Blood Dragon halted ten feet away from him. However, the terrifying pressure it released still immobilized him.

Seeing that he barely managed to block the sword qi imbued with the power of slaughter, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King breathed a slight sigh of relief. Yet, just as he thought he had escaped calamity, the golden protective light before him shattered like glass.

His face changed drastically once again, and in the next moment, the Blood Dragon directly crashed into his body. In an instant, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King was sent flying, and the law manifestation in the sky dissipated as well.

Perhaps due to the protective dharma treasures absorbing some impact, Lu Chen's sword's power was greatly weakened. Although the Thunder Serpent Immortal King was severely injured, he quickly recovered.

The power of slaughter continued to ravage his body, forcing the Thunder Serpent Immortal King to clench his fists involuntarily.

Within the slaughter domain, his strength was significantly diminished. Combined with the opponent's own formidable power and the power of slaughter being far greater than thunderbolt power, he stood little chance of winning against this person.

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King was puzzled. Why would such a powerful being, whose immortal path was proven through slaughter, come to a place like the Barbaric Lands?

Logically, someone pursuing slaughter should head to the Northern Domain. Now that the Demon Emperor has returned, the North is bound to erupt in large scale wars, which is an ideal battlefield for an Immortal looking to enhance their strength through killing.

After spitting out a mouthful of blood, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King said, "My friend, with your extraordinary strength, why come to the Barbaric Lands? The Northern Domain is where you ought to be..."

Lu Chen replied indifferently, "Where I choose to go is my own freedom."

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King clenched his fists again but eventually released them helplessly, realizing that continuing to struggle was futile. He directly stated, "If I'm not mistaken, you must be planning to establish an Immortal Dynasty."

An Immortal King founding an empire isn't just for the sake of it; it's likely preparation for creating an Immortal Dynasty. Coupled with the desire for Thunder Serpent Sect's land, the possibility of establishing an Immortal Dynasty is very high.

Lu Chen did not respond to the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's words. Instead, he once more began gathering the power of slaughter. Seeing Lu Chen preparing to strike again, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King hurriedly said, "I am willing to submit to the Great Qin Dynasty and serve as its tributator!"

"If I join the Great Qin Dynasty, it will certainly enhance its qi fortune, making it easier for you to gain the Heavenly Dao's recognition when establishing the Immortal Dynasty."

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King was gambling that Lu Chen valued the Immortal Dynasty more. Typically, those who prove their path through slaughter prefer killing. If encountered under different circumstances, a slaughter-driven Immortal King would likely kill him, as they need to constantly slay the strong to grow stronger.

However, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King believed that one planning to establish an Immortal Dynasty, even a slaughter-driven Immortal King, would restrain his killing nature somewhat.

Of course, if the other refused and insisted on stepping over his corpse to cultivate the path of slaughter, the only options left for him were either to fight to the death or perish together with Lu Chen.

At this moment, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King was prepared to self-destruct his divine soul in a mutual demise with Lu Chen.

After a moment of contemplation, Lu Chen said, "Soul source."

Upon hearing these two words, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King hesitated. If he handed over his soul source, his life and death would be completely controlled by the Immortal King before him. Self-destruction of his divine soul would be impossible then.

Seeing his hesitation, Lu Chen gathered the power of slaughter once more. He didn't have the time to waste words with the Thunder Serpent Immortal King. After dealing with him, he still needed to help Ling Yin Immortal King. Facing Lu Chen's impending move, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King clenched his fists again. Without handing over his soul source, choosing to self-destruct his divine soul, even in the slaughter domain, wouldn't guarantee mutual destruction with Lu Chen.

He preferred life over death. Though the opponent practiced the slaughter path, the creation of an Immortal Dynasty meant that the inclusion of an Immortal King should be more valuable to Great Qin.

With this realization, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King decisively offered his soul source. Seeing it hovering in the air, Lu Chen lifted his hand, and the soul source flew into his grasp.

In the next moment, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King felt his life controlled by another. This was an uncomfortable sensation, yet to survive, he could only look for ways to adapt.

At this moment, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King respectfully said, "Your former servant pays respects to Your Majesty!"

With his submission, Lu Chen immediately sensed a remarkable boost in the Great Qin Dynasty's qi fortune.

Lu Chen subsequently retracted the slaughter domain. As it dissipated, the sky returned to its original appearance.

The moment the slaughter domain vanished, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's voice resounded across the battlefield: "From this day forth, Thunder Serpent Sect submits to the Great Qin Dynasty; all members of Thunder Serpent Sect, cease fighting immediately!"

Upon hearing this announcement, those in Thunder Serpent Sect, who were preparing to counterattack, froze in place.

Their Sect Master has surrendered?

This implies that their Sect Master and that slaughter-driven Immortal King

have settled the outcome?

A sense of defeat surged through every member of Thunder Serpent Sect.

However, they understood that defeating an Immortal King wielding the power of slaughter was nearly impossible for a regular Immortal King unless the opponent was gravely injured or nearing the end of life.

Of course, another method was to use a formation to buy time, but this wasn't within Thunder Serpent Sect, whose formations couldn't be used. In this

situation, surrender seemed the only option.

Following the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's declaration, the clash between Thunder Serpent Sect and the Great Qin Dynasty abruptly ceased.

At that moment, a distant rumbling explosion was heard, followed by a surge of sandstorms; an obvious result of the battle between Ling Yin Immortal King

and Quicksand Immortal King.

Lu Chen's body transformed into a stream of light, rushing towards the location of Ling Yin Immortal King and Quicksand Immortal King.

Soon, he arrived at the desert where the two resided. At this point, Quicksand Immortal King was heavily wounded, blood dripping from the corner of his mouth, and the law manifestation behind him appeared increasingly illusory, as if it could disappear at any moment.

As soon as Quicksand Immortal King sensed the presence of another Immortal King, his expression shifted drastically. Seeing the newcomer was not the Thunder Serpent Immortal King but an unfamiliar individual, panic surged

within him.

What is happening? Why is there another Immortal King here? Where is the Thunder Serpent Immortal King?

Ling Yin Immortal King, upon seeing Lu Chen's arrival, knew that the main battlefield's battle was over, thus he ceased his attack.

Quicksand Immortal King warily observed Lu Chen and asked, "Who might you

be? There's no male Immortal King in the Mysterious Moon Palace, right?"

Lu Chen responded calmly, "I am naturally not an Immortal King of the Mysterious Moon Palace."

Hearing Lu Chen refer to himself as "I," Quicksand Immortal King quickly realized that this was the founder of the Great Qin Dynasty!

He immediately understood why it was the Great Qin Dynasty rallying forces to

attack Thunder Serpent Sect rather than the Mysterious Moon Palace stepping in; clearly, this was preparation for establishing the Immortal Dynasty.

Having children earns benefit, start competing for dominance in the world by marrying a wife

The Quicksand Immortal King wasn't foolish. While battling with the Ling Yin Immortal King earlier, he sensed two Immortal King auras appear from afar.

Now that the Thunder Serpent Immortal King hasn't arrived and an unknown Immortal King has instead, it means Thunder Serpent Immortal King was defeated.

Originally, he wasn't a match for that female Immortal King, and now with another one joining, he was even less a match. The Quicksand Immortal King instantly felt the urge to escape.

However...

The Quicksand Immortal King sensed the surrounding space and discovered it was indeed sealed. To tear the space and flee, he must break the spatial seal.

But with two Immortal Kings opposing him, he might be gravely injured before even breaking the spatial seal.

While pondering how to escape, the Quicksand Immortal King suddenly sensed a familiar aura quickly approaching, and in the next moment, a lightning bolt appeared from afar.

The lightning bolt arrived before them at tremendous speed, and upon stopping, it transformed into a human figure. Seeing the arrival was the Thunder Serpent Immortal King, the Quicksand Immortal King breathed a sigh of relief.

The Quicksand Immortal King said to Thunder Serpent Immortal King, "Sect Master, you're here just in time; I thought you were defeated and had left Quicksand City."

Upon hearing this, Thunder Serpent Immortal King's face twitched slightly but before he could say anything, the Quicksand Immortal King continued, "Friend, now that our Sect Master is here, even with your formidable strength, you cannot keep us here; let's end it here today, shall we?"

Just as the Quicksand Immortal King finished speaking, Lu Chen chuckled softly and said, "It seems you're unaware of the current situation."

Upon hearing Lu Chen's words, the Quicksand Immortal King paused, suddenly feeling a bad premonition. He looked towards Thunder Serpent Immortal King, hoping to gather some insight from him.

Thunder Serpent Immortal King did not hesitate and directly said, "Quicksand Immortal King, I have decided to surrender to the Great Qin Dynasty."

This...

The entire Quicksand Immortal King froze, but soon realized that Thunder Serpent Immortal King's surrender indicated the opposing force was far superior, otherwise, with Thunder Serpent Immortal King's strength, he would choose to flee even if defeated.

Thunder Serpent Immortal King's surrender meant he hadn't even had the chance to escape, hence forced to submit.

After Thunder Serpent Immortal King finished speaking, he glanced at Lu Chen, who still remained expressionless, and continued, "Quicksand Immortal King, hand over your soul source; Your Majesty plans to establish an Immortal Dynasty, and henceforth we will be its tributaries. Your Majesty will not shortchange us."

The Quicksand Immortal King frowned, hesitated for a moment, knowing that if he didn't hand over the soul source now, escape would be difficult.

Thunder Serpent Immortal King asking him to hand over the soul source indicated he had already surrendered his own to the man before them, so if he attempted

escape, Thunder Serpent Immortal King would be siding with the Great Qin Dynasty.

With three Immortal Kings pursuing him and the degradation of immortal power within him, alongside injuries, escaping seemed nearly impossible.

Seeing Quicksand Immortal King still hesitating, Lu Chen directly released his Law Manifestation along with the Power of Slaughter.

Upon witnessing the potent Power of Slaughter emanating from Lu Chen's body, the Quicksand Immortal King instantly understood why Thunder Serpent Immortal King surrendered.

At this moment, the Quicksand Immortal King no longer hesitated and said, "I am also willing to submit to the Great Qin Dynasty and become its tributary." Despite feeling unwilling inwardly, for the sake of his life, there was no other choice; fleeing was not an option anymore, surrender was the only path.

At this point, the Quicksand Immortal King handed over his soul source as well. Just as Lu Chen secured Quicksand Immortal King's soul source, his Immortal King aura vanished instantly, and he appeared just like a Heavenly Immortal.

Witnessing this scene, Thunder Serpent Immortal King and Quicksand Immortal King paused for a moment. No wonder they weren't aware of a third Immortal

King in Mysterious Moon Palace-it turns out he was always disguised as a Heavenly Immortal.

At this moment, Thunder Serpent Immortal King curiously asked, "Your Majesty, what is your relationship with Mysterious Moon Palace?"

Lu Chen replied indifferently, "The Hall Master of Mysterious Moon Palace is my couple partner."

This...

Thunder Serpent Immortal King and Quicksand Immortal King's hearts sank slightly, especially the Quicksand Immortal King, thinking if he'd known the Hall Master of Mysterious Moon Palace had an Immortal King couple partner who proved his way through slaughter, he wouldn't have betrayed Mysterious Moon Palace.

Now his identity seemed somewhat awkward, having just defected not long ago, only to surrender again; Mysterious Moon Palace punishing him as a warning seemed inevitable.

While the Quicksand Immortal King was distracted, Lu Chen spoke up, "Now that the war is over, prepare for establishing the Immortal Dynasty, as long as you two have no other agendas. When the Great Qin Immortal Dynasty flourishes, I will return your soul sources."

Thunder Serpent Immortal King and Quicksand Immortal King did not believe

these words at all, but nonetheless respectfully said, "Thank you, Your Majesty; we will sincerely and wholeheartedly assist Your Majesty in founding the Immortal Dynasty in the future!"

The war had ended, and next, it was time to tidy up the battlefield. As Lu Chen led the Quicksand Immortal King and Thunder Serpent Immortal King back to Quicksand City, the entire battlefield fell into a deathly silence.

Seeing the Quicksand Immortal King return and standing beside Lu Chen, people realized Thunder Serpent Sect was now completely under Lu Chen's

control.

At this moment, Lu Chen's voice rang out in the sky, "From now on, Thunder Serpent Sect will exist no more; all disciples of Thunder Serpent Sect are

subjects of the Great Qin Dynasty."

Upon hearing Lu Chen's words, Thunder Serpent Immortal King's heart still ached faintly, for Thunder Serpent Sect represented eons of his life's work, and

now it was dismantled just like that.

Initially, he held a glimmer of hope, thinking his surrender to the Great Qin Dynasty might allow Lu Chen to occupy some of Thunder Serpent Sect's territories while possibly preserving it, as having sects within a vast Immortal Dynasty was commonplace.

Not just sects either; even the Eastern Domain boasts myriad Super Immortal Dynasties which include numerous Immortal Sects.

Yet clearly, Lu Chen did not trust Thunder Serpent Sect and simply disbanded

it.

Lu Chen's actions were not without reason; maintaining Thunder Serpent Sect offered no advantage to the establishment of the Immortal Dynasty. Thunder Serpent Sect's disciples might prioritize the sect, undermining the acceptance of Great Qin Immortal Dynasty, hindering its creation.

Thus, not only Thunder Serpent Sect but all surrounding forces were slated for disbandment; future formations of new powers weren't his concern, but before establishing the Immortal Dynasty, no entities affecting the Great Qin's Qi Fortune were permitted on its lands.

As Lu Chen's declaration ended, Thunder Serpent Immortal King and Quicksand Immortal King first reacted, immediately bowing to Lu Chen and saying, "We solemnly heed Your Majesty's decree!!!"

Seeing the two bow to Lu Chen, Thunder Serpent Sect's disciples and elders reluctantly followed suit,

A chorus of countless voices rose from below.

"We solemnly heed Your Majesty's decree!!!"

Having children earns benefit, start competing for dominance in the world by marrying a wife

After the Thunder Serpent Sect surrendered to the Great Qin Dynasty, Lu Chen immediately had his people take over all the cities of the Thunder Serpent Sect, and he personally visited the Thunder Serpent Sect to inspect the situation.

The Thunder Serpent Sect is located in a valley on the western side of the Sunset Mountain Range, where the Immortal Aura is abundant and the terrain is very flat, making it an ideal place to establish an Immortal City.

Without any hesitation, Lu Chen decided to use the valley where the Thunder Serpent Sect was located as the capital and instructed the disciples of the Thunder Serpent Sect to start rebuilding the entire sect.

Seeing the drastic changes in the Thunder Serpent Sect in a short period, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King felt very distressed. He even considered temporarily leaving this place and returning after the reconstruction was completed.

Above Thunder Serpent Valley, Lu Chen stood on the deck of an Immortal Ship, observing the Immortals below who were busy constructing the Imperial Capital.

At that moment, Lu Chen suddenly thought of something and then said to the Thunder Serpent Immortal King beside him, "Thunder Serpent Immortal King, once my Immortal Dynasty is established, you can establish a Thunder Serpent Academy and recruit students."

Upon hearing Lu Chen's words, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King was slightly taken aback. Although the Thunder Serpent Sect would be gone, being able to establish an academy related to himself would at least leave a legacy. Most importantly, he could use this academy as a foundation to build his own faction.

Once he realized this, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King immediately said to Lu Chen, "Thank you, Your Majesty!"

At this moment, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King asked, "I have a question. May I ask Your Majesty?"

Lu Chen replied indifferently, "Go ahead."

The Thunder Serpent Immortal King said, "With Your Majesty's power, establishing an Immortal Dynasty in other realms would be much easier. I wonder why Your Majesty chose to come to the Barbaric lands?"

For an Immortal King who wields the power of slaughter, establishing an Immortal Dynasty would likely be easier than for those ordinary Immortal Venerates. Moreover, the other realms have denser populations; establishing an Immortal Dynasty might only require capturing a few Immortal Cities.

The Barbaric lands are sparsely populated, making it necessary to annex more forces to establish an Immortal Dynasty, which would consume more time.

The most crucial point is that Immortal Kings typically establish an Immortal Dynasty to gather its Qi Fortune, thereby enhancing their power to help themselves break through.

The more people and stronger individuals an Immortal Dynasty has, the more prosperous its Qi Fortune becomes. In a place like the Barbaric lands where there aren't many strong individuals, if Lu Chen was after the Qi Fortune, it would be more suitable to establish an Immortal Dynasty in regions like the Eastern Domain or the Central Domain where there are more strong individuals.

Although the expansion difficulty increases with more strong individuals, as an Immortal King who wields the power of slaughter, with his strength, it would be very easy for him to establish an Immortal Dynasty as long as no Immortal Venerates from the Central or Eastern Domains interfered.

At this moment, the Thunder Serpent Immortal King couldn't help but suspect that Lu Chen must have discovered some special treasures or opportunities in the Barbaric lands, which is why he came to this vast but sparsely populated place with such sparse Immortal Aura to establish an Immortal Dynasty. Upon hearing the Thunder Serpent Immortal King's question, the other Immortals following Lu Chen all turned their heads to look at him. They were also very curious about this question.

At that moment, Lu Chen calmly said, "Because my couple came to the Barbaric lands."

Upon hearing this, everyone was stunned for a moment. Just this reason??? His couple came to the Barbaric lands, so he followed???

Is this something an Immortal King who wields the power of slaughter would say?

Since when does an Immortal King who wields the power of slaughter get entangled in love and relationships?

They thought in their hearts, perhaps their Majesty did not want to reveal the specific reason to them, and so they didn't dwell on the topic further. Anyway, as long as he stayed in the Barbaric lands, they would eventually find out why he came to the Barbaric lands.

The construction of the Great Qin Imperial Capital went very smoothly, taking less than two years to build an Immortal City on the former territory of the Thunder Serpent Sect.

As the capital was completed, the fame of the Great Qin Dynasty spread wider and wider, even to the Barbaric forces outside of Dragon Land, with news of an

empire having three Immortal Kings.

The Great Qin Dynasty, Imperial Capital.

A clone of Lu Chen sat cross-legged in a cultivation chamber. At this moment, he suddenly felt the immortal power within his body increasing rapidly. Before he

could react, a vast amount of Immortal Aura surged out from his body. Lu Chen felt slightly surprised. Over the past two years, he had not cultivated intentionally, nor had he engaged in Dual Cultivation with Yun Yudie. Yet he still broke through just like that.

Soon, Lu Chen understood what was happening. The Qi Fortune of the Great Qin Dynasty had become very abundant, reaching a level sufficient to establish an Immortal Dynasty. With such abundant Qi Fortune upon him, it was difficult not to break through.

Lu Chen opened his eyes, feeling the True Immortal cultivation state within. him, and thought to himself that it seemed about time to establish the

Immortal Dynasty.

With that in mind, Lu Chen sent a voice transmission to the Thunder Serpent Immortal King and Lu Zhengze, "Prepare yourself, establish the Immortal

Dynasty in ten days."

Upon hearing Lu Chen's transmission, everyone was very excited, especially those Immortal Monarchs who chose to join the Great Qin Dynasty. Once the Immortal Dynasty was established, everyone would be influenced by its Qi Fortune, further enhancing their cultivation state and strength.

The most excited were the Thunder Serpent Immortal King and the Quicksand Immortal King. Ever since the disbandment of the Thunder Serpent Sect, without the support of the Sect's Qi Fortune, their strength had declined

considerably.

They had been eagerly awaiting the establishment of the Immortal Dynasty.

Over the past two years, they had been striving to expand the influence of the Great Qin Dynasty, gaining more recognition from the forces and people of

Dragon Land.

Soon, the news that the Great Qin Dynasty was going to elevate to an Immortal Dynasty spread throughout Dragon Land. None of the forces were surprised by this news. An empire with three Immortal Kings not transforming into an

Immortal Dynasty sooner was the strange part.

Mysterious Moon Palace, Yun Yudie's bedchamber.

Clad in white, she sat composed within the Ice Palace. At this moment, she felt

a sense of something and then opened her beautiful eyes to investigate the events happening within the Mysterious Moon Palace's territory.

When Yun Yudie discovered that Lu Chen was going to elevate the Great Qin Dynasty to an Immortal Dynasty, her expression remained unchanged, as she had long known Lu Chen would create an Immortal Dynasty. To her, whether or not Lu Chen established an Immortal Dynasty made no difference.

At that moment, she frowned slightly as, in her perception, that scoundrel was rapidly approaching the Ice Palace.

Yun Yudie thought to herself that the scoundrel is about to create an Immortal Dynasty, so why is he coming to her now? Creating an Immortal Dynasty requires the recognition of the Heavenly Dao. No matter who is creating the Immortal Dynasty, all their efforts must be focused on it; otherwise, they might fail and not receive the Heavenly Dao's recognition.

Without the Heavenly Dao's recognition, there can be no Qi Fortune of the

Immortal Dynasty.

Moments later, Lu Chen entered the Ice Palace, and Yun Yudie was the first to

ask, "What are you here for?"

Lu Chen smiled as he said, "I want to ask for Honored Master's help."

Seeing Lu Chen's cheeky smile, Yun Yudie immediately realized it wasn't anything serious, so she coldly said, "You're about to become the Immortal Dynasty Master. I can't help you with anything now."

Once Lu Chen became the Immortal Dynasty Master, the strength of the Daqin Immortal Dynasty might surpass even that of the Mysterious Moon Palace. With the addition of Lu Chen, the Daqin Immortal Dynasty now had three

Immortal Kings, making the Mysterious Moon Palace of no help to him

anymore.

Lu Chen smiled as he said, "But that's not the case now."

Yun Yudie coldly asked, "What exactly do you want to do?"

Having children earns benefit, start competing for dominance in the world by marrying a wife

Lu Chen no longer hid anything and directly said, "Although Great Qin now has two Immortal Kings, there are really too few powerful figures, and the population is not large either. This disciple feels that the creation of the Immortal Dynasty this time will fail.

Upon hearing this, Yun Yudie's cold eyes fixed on Lu Chen, "What does that have to do with me?"

"Do you want me to carve out more territories for you?"

Considering this possibility, strands of chill emanated from Yun Yudie's body. Although they had slept together, some things still needed to be settled, especially when it came to interests.

They could dual cultivate, but her possessions were still hers. Just because they dual cultivated did not mean she became his person, or that her Mysterious Moon Palace became Lu Chen's.

Seeing Yun Yudie so wary of him, Lu Chen smiled lightly and then said, "Honored Master need not be so guarded. This disciple is merely asking to borrow some Qi Fortune."

Upon hearing Lu Chen's words, Yun Yudie's brows furrowed slightly. Borrow Qi Fortune?

She seemed to understand something.

Some Immortal Dynasties, when being founded, fear insufficient Qi Fortune, and thus rope in certain Immortal Sect forces to create momentum for them. With those Immortal Sect forces backing them, the Immortal Dynasty finds it easier to gain the Heavenly Dao's approval. This method is also called borrowing Fortune.

If it is merely to support Daqin Immortal Dynasty, helping it gain momentum, there is nothing wrong with that.

Then Yun Yudie said, "Alright, on the day you establish the Immortal Dynasty, I will personally visit the Great Qin Imperial Capital."

Yun Yudie thought to herself that attending the creation ceremony of the Daqin Immortal Dynasty was fine, as it had no impact on her, and going there

personally was acceptable.

Lu Chen said, "You don't need to make a special trip, Honored Master; this disciple has a better plan!"

Yun Yudie asked curiously, "What plan?"

Lu Chen said, "During the ceremony to establish the Immortal Dynasty, we dual cultivate."

With these words, Yun Yudie's chill erupted dramatically. The entire Ice Palace's temperature dropped to hundreds of degrees below zero, and everything inside was frozen.

Seeing Yun Yudie's strong reaction, Lu Chen contemplated and said, "As long as we dual cultivate, the Heavenly Dao will recognize our couple identity. At that time, part of the Immortal Sect Qi Fortune from the Mysterious Moon Palace will flow into the Daqin Immortal Dynasty. If Daqin Immortal Dynasty's Qi Fortune is insufficient, then the Qi Fortune from the Mysterious Moon Palace can replenish it, making it much easier for the Daqin Immortal Dynasty to gain Heavenly Dao's approval."

Yun Yudic glared at Lu Chen coldly; this rascal was quite the strategist.

She suddenly remembered that Lu Chen seemed to have mentioned before that after creating the Immortal Dynasty, he would make her Immortal Empress.

Clearly, Lu Chen was aiming for this. He wanted to dual cultivate with her during the ceremony, ensuring the Heavenly Dao recognized her as Immortal Empress.

After all, on such an important day like the creation of the Immortal Dynasty, if they were dual cultivating, what else could she be if not Immortal Empress?

If the Heavenly Dao truly recognized her as Immortal Empress, she would be tied to the Daqin Immortal Dynasty, sharing future Qi Fortune with the Mysterious Moon Palace and Lu Chen.

Yun Yudie coldly asked, "Do you think I don't know what you're up to?"

Lu Chen said, "Honored Master must have misunderstood; this disciple merely wants to borrow a bit of Qi Fortune."

Yun Yudie said coldly,

"You just want to bind me to you completely, and then shamelessly do those dirty things to me."

Lu Chen smiled faintly and said, "Honored Master's so-called dirty things, do you mean dual cultivation?"

"Dual cultivation benefits both you and me; how can it be called dirty? Besides, if I want to dual cultivate with you, I can go directly to the Mysterious Moon Palace; why resort to any plots and schemes?"

Yun Yudie's face turned even colder, "From what you said, it seems you believe that if you want it, I will agree to dual cultivate with you?"

"What do you take me for?"

While she indeed might agree to dual cultivate with Lu Chen, his words made her very displeased, as it sounded like she was some kind of loose woman.

Especially his confident tone made her feel extremely uncomfortable.

Seeing Yun Yudie's guard raised, Lu Chen said, "If Honored Master is unwilling, then forget it. If the Daqin Immortal Dynasty fails to gain Heavenly Dao's approval, this disciple will just stay at the Mysterious Moon Palace, accompanying Honored Master"

Upon hearing this, Yun Yudie's heart skipped a beat, and she asked coldly, "Are you threatening me?"

Lu Chen replied, "What kind of threat is that? Just stating the facts. If the Immortal Dynasty isn't established, then this disciple indeed has no need to

remain at the Great Qin."

Yun Yudie coldly watched Lu Chen without speaking, realizing that this guy's face was thicker than the Great Wall.

If she didn't agree, Lu Chen might come to the Ice Palace to seek dual cultivation every now and then.

Lu Chen said nothing more, his fiery gaze fixed on Yun Yudie's face. Seeing the heat in Lu Chen's eyes, Yun Yudie recollected herself, seriously suspecting that Yun Qingshu was lured away by this rascal through such despicable methods. After a while, Yun Yudie eventually spoke, "After the Immortal Dynasty is founded, you

are to leave the Mysterious Moon Palace immediately." Upon hearing her words, Lu Chen reacted instantly, realizing Yun Yudie had

agreed.

"Alright, Honored Master."

At this point, Lu Chen walked toward Yun Yudie, saying, "Honored Master, with only a few days until the creation ceremony of the Immortal Dynasty, we can

start today."

Yun Yudie, being an Immortal Venerate, was highly perceptive and sensed the unrest within Lu Chen's body earlier.

Without speaking, in the next moment, she was at the soft couch, still sitting cross-legged.

This time, Yun Yudie did not plan to demand control like before, knowing well that once in that state during cultivation, she would completely lose the

initiative.

Since she would ultimately lose control, she let Lu Chen take charge; as for the

offense, she had already been thoroughly dominated by this rascal, making another offense inconsequential.

Seeing the Cold Fairy waiting on the soft couch, Lu Chen's immortal power surged more violently, and the next moment he flashed to the soft couch.

Lu Chen crawled over, reaching Yun Yudie's front, who coldly watched him and said, "But I'll remind you one last time, don't hope for me to fully become your

woman."

Lu Chen chuckled lightly, said nothing, and directly leaned forward to block the fairy's red lips, pressing her onto the soft couch.

Upon contact with Lu Chen, chills released within Yun Yudie's body, which she

quickly suppressed.

As before, Lu Chen found that simple kisses or actions didn't stir Yun Yudie's

desires.

Lu Chen then began activating the Spirit Charm Harmony Scripture, and as expected, in the instant he invoked it, Yun Yudie uttered sounds of

"mmm-mmm".

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In the blink of an eye, several days passed, everything was ready, and the ceremony for Daqin Immortal Dynasty's creation officially began. Lu Chen's True Immortal Clone stood on the altar, first reciting some

incantations, then closing his eyes to gather Dynast Qi Fortune and try to communicate with the Heavenly Dao.