

Eternal Life 251

Chapter 251: The True Appearance of the Supreme Throne

Southern Flame Continent.

Fire Toad Cave.

After the Sword Envoy left the Linhai Immortal City, he was not in a hurry to return to the headquarters. Instead, he came to a teahouse in a mortal country to rest. As a sword cultivator, he preferred to experience life in the mortal world.

He sat by the window as he looked at the bustling streets filled with pedestrians and thought about the message from Hall Master Yueling.

He had seen many Hall Master-level experts at the headquarters of the True Treasure Pavilion. They even chatted occasionally. However, he rarely came into contact with top experts like Hall Master Yueling.

And it was rare for the other party to personally send a message. He thought about it. He could not figure out why Hall Master Yueling would suddenly ask about the scripture.

Whoosh.

At this moment, the surrounding space distorted and shook. Immediately after, a figure slowly appeared in front of the sword envoy. It was as if all the mortals in the teahouse did not see it at all, turning a blind eye. However, the sword envoy's entire body trembled. He hurriedly stood up and bowed respectfully. "Jianyu greets Lord Yueling!"

This was the first time he had seen such a top-notch master at the main hall level at such a close distance since joining the headquarters. The aura that was like a sea of clouds made people tremble.

"Jianyu, let me ask you, when and where did you give Shen Ping the second volume of the Talisman Beast Scripture?" A dignified voice rumbled in the ear of the sword envoy like a bell.

He did not have the time to think at all and replied directly, "Lord Yueling, eight hours ago, I personally handed the scripture to Talisman Master Shen in the backyard hall of the main station of the True Treasure Pavilion in Linhai Immortal City. The headquarters' Recording Jade could be my witness." As he spoke, he quickly took out the Recording Jade from his body.

Hall Master Yueling swept his gaze over and said in a calm voice, "Don't tell anyone about what happened today."

The phantom gradually faded. When the aura in front of him completely dissipated, The sword envoy raised his head and looked at the spot just now. He was rather shocked. "Shen Ping! What exactly happened to him that made this Main Hall expert personally appear to ask?"

His eyes were filled with bewilderment. After all, it involved the scripture. It was a matter of great importance. He did not dare to make wild guesses.

Buzz.

At this moment, his identity jade token vibrated. The sword envoy took out his divine sense and permeated it. His subordinate's voice sounded. "Talisman Master Shen has already entered the Glory Ranking and is ranked 65th more than an hour ago!"

The sword envoy was stunned on the spot. It was a long time before he came back to his senses. He could not help but confirm it a few times and get an affirmative response. He seemed to understand why Hall Master Yueling had personally appeared to ask about the scripture.

Eight hours... Heavens, this simply subverted his understanding!

Buzz!

His identity jade token vibrated again. It was the Hall Master of Sword Hall. He asked the same question as Hall Master Yueling. The sword envoy hurriedly said, "Eight hours, I'm very sure!"

"You haven't left the Southern Flame Continent, have you?"

"No."

"Return to the Linhai Immortal City quickly. Remember, no matter the price, you have to do your best to recruit that Talisman Master Shen into my Sword Hall. This is an opportunity for my Sword Hall to rise in the future!"

The sword envoy could hear the rare urgency in the Hall Master's voice. He said solemnly, "Hall Master, don't worry. My relationship with Talisman Master Shen is not bad." He ended the transmission. He took dozens of deep breaths.

However, just as he was about to board the flying ship floating in the air, his identity jade token vibrated again. It was Hall Master Huayun. Hearing what he asked, the sword envoy's mouth twitched as he repeated, "It was eight hours ago."

Buzz buzz buzz-

In the next five minutes, his identity jade token kept vibrating. Hall Masters and high-level elders sent messages one after another, asking about Shen Ping and the scripture.

In the end, the sword envoy could not help but reveal a helpless and bitter smile. He hesitated and sent a message to the Hall Master. "Hall Master, you should come to the Linhai Immortal City personally."

The Hall Master of the Sword Hall quickly replied, "I'm already on my way."

True Treasure Pavilion's headquarters

Hall Master Yueling's figure returned to the throne. He flicked his fingertip. The Recording Jade flashed to the center of the hall. Soon, the scene of the handover of scriptures recorded by the main station of the True Treasure Pavilion was projected.

Hall Master Yueling waved his hand, and the scene of him talking to the Sword Envoy appeared in front of him.

Dozens of throne phantoms focused their gazes. After reading it, the hall was instantly silent. There were only auras distorting the space. They no longer had any doubts. After all, if an expert from the main hall personally asked, it was almost impossible for a member of the Sword Hall to hide it.

“The fastest record for all the geniuses of the True Treasure Pavilion to comprehend the second volume of the beast form is three months, but this little fellow only used four hours. Moreover, the most important thing is that he didn’t comprehend the basic talisman diagram, but the final form of the beast form. Such comprehension and natural talent is something that even I find difficult to achieve!”

A gentle voice sounded. The phantom of the highest throne actually walked step by step towards the white jade tower. Every step she took, the space in the hall trembled once. The blurry and distorted phantom gradually became clear.

The dozens of throne phantoms around them were instantly stunned. Their eyes unanimously looked at the figure that had appeared in the void. However, no matter how they operated their eyesight, they could only see talismans, pill furnaces, array discs, artifact cauldrons, and other condensed objects that emitted light.

However, when this figure walked to the front of the white jade tower and stopped, all the condensed items instantly disappeared. The face of the highest throne, which seemed to be composed of a thousand different temperaments, such as solemn, holy, charming, and enchanting, was revealed in the middle of the hall.

The dozens of throne phantoms, including Hall Master Yueling, were in a daze. Even if it was them, this was the first time they had seen the Head Hall Master’s true appearance after countless years.

However, just as they were in a daze, a faint smile suddenly appeared on the face. This smile was like a blooming white lotus. Waves of gentle light gathered behind her at a speed visible to the naked eye, illuminating the entire hall.

A gentle voice sounded in the ears of dozens of throne phantoms again. “Everyone, the most monstrous genius of our True Treasure Pavilion has been born.”

Linhai Immortal City.

At the entrance of the courtyard of Yongyang Lane.

Pei Huoyu quietly put away her identity jade token. She looked at the broad figure who had been standing in front of her for an hour. Although her valiant face was still calm, her heart was already fluctuating.

The 65th place on the Glory Ranking completely shook her heartstrings. If not for the fact that Shen Ping’s aura had not changed at all, she even thought that the other party had changed his soul.

It was already unbelievable that he had comprehended the second volume of the Talisman Beast Scripture in four hours. However, Pei Huoyu did not expect that this was only the limit of her understanding..

Chapter 252: Class A

Core Jade Token.

In the ranking space.

Shen Ping, who had his eyes closed, stood in front of the two huge floating lists with his divine sense body. He looked at his ranking with a surprised expression. Initially, he thought that it would be good enough if he could reach the top 80 after passing the fifth level of the trial. In the end, he actually rushed so far ahead.

From the looks of it, there were actually more than 30 people in the top 100 who were still on the fifth level.

However, Shen Ping did not feel proud or complacent. After all, his goal was to be in the top 10 of Glory. According to Pei Huoyu, the veteran core members of the top 10 had basically all comprehended the beast bone. Now, he had only comprehended the second volume of the beast form. There were still five volumes of beast skin between them. The difference was clearly huge.

Although he had the talisman scripture and strange beast that could copy the charm and erupt with super powerful power, if he wanted to shorten the gap and catch up, he had to at least comprehend the beast skin.

Of course, from the situation this time, he had copied the second volume in four hours, so even if the subsequent comprehension took a little longer, he believed that it was still possible to reach this level within the time limit of returning to the headquarters.

“The effect of the new Life Divine Talisman is indeed very strong. I have to use this advantage to establish my foundation. I can’t be too anxious.” Shen Ping pondered as his divine sense exited the space.

He more or less understood that the higher the level of copying the talisman scripture, the stronger the power that erupted. The first volume, as it was a new Talisman Beast Diagram that he had researched and figured out on his own, was based on the huge scale patterns engraved in the depths of his sea of consciousness, but the level of charm was very low. Although it had increased its power through the talisman scripture strange beast, it was clearly still quite a distance away from perfectly copying the talisman scripture strange beast.

Therefore, he decided not to be in a hurry to apply for the third volume of the Talisman Beast Scripture. Instead, he had to settle down and completely comprehend the two volumes of the strange beast pattern talisman diagram and the single-horn talisman diagram. After perfectly copying the strange beast, he would continue to comprehend them.

Thinking of this, Shen Ping felt much more relaxed. However, he still set a time limit for himself. If the perfect copy took more than three months, he would stop for the time being. He came back to his senses. He turned sideways. His gaze landed on Pei Huoyu, who was covered in light armor and had natural curves. He could not help but cup his hands apologetically and say, “Perfected Pei, I’ve made you wait.”

Hearing this, Pei Huoyu, who was in a state of fluctuation, hurriedly suppressed the waves in her heart and pretended to be calm as she replied, “There’s nothing to do. There’s no harm in waiting a little longer.”

Although she tried her best to keep her voice calm, the last vibrating sound was like a rapid stream that could not be restrained. She seemed to have realized that she had lost her composure. Pei Huoyu gently brushed a strand of black hair off her forehead and walked past the courtyard door towards the quiet room. However, before she could take a few more steps,

Shen Ping's half-smile sounded from behind. "Is Perfected Pei prepared?"

Pei Huoyu stopped in her tracks. However, just as she was about to speak, the mountain fire mark carved on her left shoulder turned red, and there seemed to be flames burning on the surface.

Her expression changed slightly as she hurriedly said, "Fellow Daoist Shen, Master has sent a message. Go back to the quiet room and wait for a moment. After the message is sent, I'll personally go and fulfill my promise."

With that, the round curve of its light armor quickly disappeared in front of Shen Ping.

Seeing this, not only did Shen Ping not feel disappointed, he even looked forward to it. If he did not remember wrongly, Perfected Pei had said that as long as he entered the Glory Ranking and advanced ten ranks a time, she could agree to a request.

Now, not only had he entered the Glory Ranking, but he had also rushed to the 65th place. This was a total of four requirements.

"Spirit fruit pear. White Tiger Roar. This time, I must show off my painting skills and flute music!" He looked up. Shen Ping looked at the invisible sky that covered the sky. With a flick of his sleeve, he walked proudly towards the main quiet room.

Who was the peak at the end of the Immortal Dao? The bamboo flute's water was empty at a glance.

Life was bold. He should not avoid the difficulties and walk forward bravely.

In the quiet room.

The moment Pei Huoyu flashed in, the raging flames quickly gathered into a face that emitted a surging aura. His face was dignified. His eyes revealed a powerful oppressive aura. It was difficult to breathe.

"Master!" Pei Huoyu bowed respectfully.

The voice of the jumping face quickly sounded, "Huoyu, that little fellow comprehended the second volume of the Talisman Beast Scripture in four hours. Such Talisman Dao talent is unprecedented in the previous cores of the True Treasure Pavilion. As long as he doesn't die midway, his future is limitless.

"You're really lucky to be his Dao Protector. This is both your fortune and your opportunity. Huoyu, do you understand what I mean?"

As soon as he finished speaking, Pei Huoyu bowed and said, "Master, I understand."

A trace of satisfaction appeared on the flaming face. Then, his expression turned solemn. "More than 80% of the hall masters and elders in the headquarters are heading to the Linhai Immortal City. I've already boarded the flying ship and will arrive in a few days. If another Hall Master descends to recruit him first, you must instruct that little fellow not to make a rash choice."

Pei Huoyu was stunned when she heard that. She could not help but look shocked. "M-Master, there are actually so many hall masters here personally?"

The flaming face sighed with emotion. “The Beast Scripture is the core of everything in our True Treasure Pavilion. If that little fellow had only comprehended the basic talisman diagram, he would definitely not have caused such a commotion. However, he comprehended the final form. He reached such a level without using any supplementary resources. One can imagine how terrifying that little fellow’s talent in the Talisman Scripture is!”

Speaking of this, his voice was low. “Huoyu, with such talent, even the Hall level no longer has the qualifications to recruit him. When those Hall Masters came personally, other than the future of the hall, they were mostly recruiting him for the main hall behind them. My Mountain Fire Hall is the same. As long as we can persuade him to join the Moon Spirit Main Hall, my Mountain Fire Hall can nurture that little fellow in the early stages.

“He’ll go to the main hall after he breaks through to the Nascent Soul Realm. Therefore, the various factions in the main hall will also compete this time. With you as the medium, the chances of success are not small.”

Pei Huoyu glanced at the flaming face and said hesitantly, “Master, there’s already a Talisman Master Jing Yu in the hall. If Fellow Daoist Shen is nurtured in the Mountain Fire Hall first, then in terms of resources...”

“Don’t worry. In the past, this was indeed a problem, but it’s different now. This little fellow has caused a huge commotion by ascending the Glory Ranking this time. There’s news from the main hall that they’ve made an exception and let him become a Class A core in advance. Moreover, the most important opportunity to comprehend the Beast Scripture Pavilion has been increased three times.”

He ended the transmission.

Pei Huoyu looked in the direction of the main quiet room. There was a happy smile on her face for Shen Ping, as well as the heavy pressure brought by her master’s message. Although she knew Shen Ping quite well, she did not have any confidence in such a decision that concerned her future..

Chapter 253:1 Can’t Do It

In the main quiet room.

Shen Ping sat cross-legged on a cushion embroidered with silver threads. The mist formed by the spiritual energy vortex around his body surged crazily from his skin and acupoints. Then, it followed his meridians and circulated a small circulation in just an hour.

He opened his eyes. He sensed a trace of Foundation Establishment magic power growing in the meridians in his dantian. He could not help but smile.

In the nearly two years since he returned to the Linhai Immortal City from the Wei Kingdom, after continuous effort day and night, his wind-element mutated spiritual root had long transformed from the jade-grade to an even higher earth-grade. His cultivation speed had greatly increased. Originally,

he needed six hours to complete a small circulation cycle, but now, it had been shortened by several times. It was much stronger than the increase from the heaven-grade to the spirit-grade.

He opened the virtual interface. Shen Ping swept his gaze across the attributes of all the spiritual roots.

[Metal Spiritual Root: Jade Grade (110,000/1,200,000)]

[Wood Spiritual Root: Jade Grade (110,000/1,200,000)]

First, it was the dual attributes of metal and wood.

These two spiritual roots had helped him the most when he was at the bottom of his cultivation. If not for the spiritual root attribute he obtained from Bai Yuying, he would not have been able to build his foundation so quickly.

[Water Spiritual Root: Heaven Grade (230,000/600,000)]

[Lightning Spiritual Root: Heaven Grade (230,000/600,000)]

Then, it was the water and lightning attributes. After Mu Jin transformed into the golden frame, the speed of improvement of these two spiritual roots had increased rapidly and had now reached the Heaven Grade.

[Fire Spiritual Root: Heaven Grade (20,000/600,000)]

Next was the fire element. As Yin Honglian's obsession dissipated, her fire attribute spiritual root, which was originally slowly increasing like a snail, also advanced by leaps and bounds under the daily tempering of the Great Dao.

[Wind Spiritual Root: Earth Spirit Grade (600,000/5,000,000)]

Finally, there was this unique wind-element spiritual root. Although Perfected Qiu's virtual frame was still silver, with a large number of bonuses, his various attributes increased the fastest. However, after his wife and Dao-companions transformed into gold, the difference would continue to decrease over time.

During this period of time, while they were having sex, Shen Ping had also tried to show more concern for Qiu Ying, but their relationship had never changed. It was as if being deeply in love with him was already Perfected Qiu's limit.

He was not too disappointed. After all, Perfected Qiu had cultivated for hundreds of years. It was not easy for her to reach this level in time. He had never thought of letting every wife, concubine, and Dao companions be like Wang Yun and Yu Yan.

A moment later, Pei Huoyu arrived as promised. She walked straight to Shen Ping and sat down cross-legged. At close range, her valiant face and skin were clearly visible. With his Foundation Establishment eyesight, he could even see every vein on her red lips.

With such a face, although Shen Ping had seen it many times and had even experienced the most magnificent scenery, there were some beautiful things that he would not hate no matter how long he looked at them.

"Congratulations, Fellow Daoist Shen, for being able to enter the Glory Ranking and reach the 65th place this time. Since I've said it before, I'll keep my word! If you

have any requests, feel free to ask. No matter what it is, I will agree." Pei Huoyu's eyes were calm, as if she was talking about something insignificant.

Pink skeleton.

Physical skin.

It seemed that she had long let go and only had the Great Dao of Longevity in her heart. But Shen Ping knew that in the depths of Perfected Pei's heart, there were still shackles of secular feelings.

He thought for a moment. He was not in a hurry to invite Pei Huoyu to admire the spiritual fruits and water pear paintings on the South Sea. Instead, he smiled and said, "I have a few questions that I want to ask you to solve. I wonder if you can tell me the truth?"

Pei Huoyu nodded calmly. Seeing this, he asked bluntly, "Has Perfected Pei ever thought of having a Dao companion and cultivating immortality together?" "Never."

"Have you ever thought of dual cultivating with someone one day and having sex with them?"

"No."

Shen Ping was not surprised. Instead, he continued to ask, "According to the Views of the Gateway, most white tigers are cold on the surface but warm on the inside. Last time, when I discussed the shackles of a cultivator's body with you, I sensed your fiery and restrained thoughts. I wonder if I can be lucky enough to find out today?"

Pei Huoyu said softly, "Fellow Daoist Shen, I've already said that you can do whatever you want."

Shen Ping smiled. Then, he stood up, cupped his hands, and bowed. Then, he said seriously, "I want to become Dao companions with Perfected Pei. A Dao companion who shares life and death with you and never leaves you."

Pei Huoyu was silent for a moment. She looked up at Shen Ping and replied, "You already have a wife, concubine, and Dao companions. Why add another set of chopsticks?"

Shen Ping shook his head and did not say anything. What he coveted was not a night of pleasure, but companionship day and night.

At this point, his understanding of the virtual interface had reached a certain level. He knew very well that if he purely dual cultivated, the attribute enhancement effect he would obtain would be very ordinary. Even if Perfected Pei's cultivation level was not low, it would be of little help to him now.

Moreover, Perfected Qiu's matter had reminded him that even if he slowly cultivated and improved day and night, silver would probably be his limit.

At first, it was nothing. However, as his strength continued to increase, Perfected Pei would eventually fall far behind his wife, concubine, and Dao companions. This was not what Shen Ping wanted to see.

After all, Perfected Qiu had a special body that could allow him to obtain a powerful attribute effect like the Mystical Beast Talent. As for Pei Huoyu, who was good at spells and killing, she might not be like this.

Although he could treat everyone equally, there would definitely be slight differences over time. At that time, with his understanding of Pei Huoyu, she would definitely leave. It was precisely because of this consideration that Shen Ping directly asked to become Dao companion with her to knock on her heart.

The quiet room fell silent for a moment, with only the long breathing of the two of them. Pei Huoyu could see the sincerity and determination in Shen Ping's eyes. She immediately fell into a dilemma.

Before she came, she had made all the preparations, including losing the vital yin that she had accumulated for hundreds of years. However, she did not expect Shen Ping to make such a request.

The word 'Dao Companion' was both simple and heavy. The simple thing was that it could be abandoned at will. The heavy thing was that it could make people follow it through life and death.

Pei Huoyu had never seriously considered the issue of Dao companions. But now, she had to think about it seriously. Whether to do it for the sake of the overall situation, or to follow her heart.

Time passed slowly.

It was five o'clock in the evening. The afterglow of the setting sun shone at the door. Pei Huoyu stood up slowly and looked into Shen Ping's eyes. She said apologetically, "Fellow Daoist Shen, I can remove my armor and even dual cultivate with you. However, if we want to become Dao companions, I... can't do it. At least, it's difficult for the time being."

When she spoke up to this point, she smiled as if she was relieved of a heavy burden. "My thoughts are very simple. I just want to protect you and allow you to grow up safely. If I have to investigate carefully, I admit that my responsibility to you has already exceeded the scope of the duty of a Dao Protector, but that's all."

Pei Huoyu took a step forward and tiptoed. She kissed Shen Ping's forehead with her red lips. Her kiss was very light and clumsy. Shen Ping wrapped his arms around her thin waist and looked at her valiant face. He kissed her red lips for ten minutes. When he sensed that the beauty in his arms was about to soften, he let go of his lips and said in a low voice, "Can you do it now?"

Pei Huoyu shook her head. Shen Ping kissed her again. At the same time, a voice sounded. "Abandon all distracting thoughts and empty your mind."

Twenty minutes later, with all her distracting thoughts gone, Pei Huoyu could not help but reach out and instinctively wrap her arms around Shen Ping's broad waist. The two of them seemed to have completely forgotten everything.

A long time passed.. When he sensed that Pei Huoyu's light armor curve was about to collapse, Shen Ping raised his head and asked again, "What about now?"

Chapter 254: Inheritor

An hour later, the natural curve covered by the light armor had already disappeared. Shen Ping could not help but look down at the floor of the quiet room. There seemed to be an invisible and indescribable past recorded there. He raised his hand and smelled the special smell emitted by his

fingertips. This was the bitterness that cultivators accumulated over time. It was long and had a strange fragrance.

He thought about it carefully. Pei Huoyu's reply rang in his ears. "Give me more time." He looked in the direction of the door of the quiet room again. Shen Ping's eyes revealed a smile. He knew that after the three questions today, Perfected Pei's Dao was already in sight.

Zhongsheng Continent.

In the sky above the desolate and remote island. The phantoms of the two highest thrones, which were warm white and dark red, gradually appeared.

The master of Spring Garden looked at the figure of the throne with thousands of appearances and could not help but smile. "I didn't expect to see Senior Sister's charm again after so many years. Back then, you once said that if you can't find the person who inherited the Beast Scripture left behind by Master, you will never reveal your true appearance. Now, a rare skill genius has finally been born in the five continents and four seas.

"He comprehended the final form of the beast form of the second volume of the Talisman Beast Scripture in four hours. Even Master can't compare to this talent."

The gentle voice said indifferently, "Unfortunately, it was a little late. If I had discovered it earlier, you wouldn't have stubbornly wanted to use the ancient blood array to break through the barrier. How could you do something that even Master and the others couldn't do back then!

"Now that there are two beast roars and a mountain monster beast is born, it's obvious that it's awakening."

When the master of Spring Garden heard this calm voice, he said calmly, "Senior Sister, I'm sorry. I implicated you this time."

The gentle voice shook her head gently. "It can't be said that I'm implicated. The five continents and four seas are where you and I belong. If I can make the last effort for this world, my master's teachings will not be in vain. Before, I would have hated you, but now that I have a successor, even without this, I will still choose to follow Master and the others."

As she spoke, a smile bloomed on her face. "Junior Brother, it's really tiring to support the five continents and four seas. But in the future, this responsibility can finally be removed."

Whoosh.

The warm white figure slowly stepped in the air and looked at the water in the distance. She continued, "I don't know how long we can look at the five continents and four seas."

Spring Garden's master did not say anything else. He also stepped out and stood side by side with the warm white figure.

The sun set. The calm waves reflected a fiery red sun.

His voice sounded. "Senior Sister, I'll do what you don't do. Some people in the five continents and four seas have been at ease for too long. It's time for them to contribute to this world! The inheritor takes time to grow. Teach him well."

The next day, Linhai Immortal City, Virtue Tower.

The sword envoy met Shen Ping again. He watched as the broad figure crossed the door of the room. He could not help but sigh in his heart. In less than a day, Talisman Master Shen's status had undergone a huge change.

Now, it was not only him, even the Hall Masters of the various halls in the headquarters had to treat him warmly when they saw him. It was nothing to be on the Glory Ranking. However, it was extraordinary to reach the 65th place in just a few hours of comprehending the Talisman Beast Scripture.

Such a genius could not be found in the past core disciples of the True Treasure Pavilion. As long as he grew safely, his future achievements were unimaginable. Even the Hall Master level might not be the end. After all, the Beast Scripture was the foundation of the True Treasure Pavilion.

"Talisman Master Shen, I didn't disturb you from comprehending the Talisman Scripture by rashly inviting you here, right?" The sword envoy smiled and stood up to welcome him.

Shen Ping hurriedly cupped his hands and said, "It's my good fortune to be invited by the Sword Envoy!"

They exchanged pleasantries. After sitting down, the sword envoy did not beat around the bush and said bluntly, "Talisman Master Shen's talent in the Talisman Beast Scripture is admirable. This time, you have caused a lot of commotion in the headquarters. Even the Hall Masters of the various halls will come personally in a few days."

Shen Ping was stunned. Then, his eyes widened. Although he had guessed that passing the fifth level of the trial by accident would attract some attention from the headquarters, he did not expect it to cause such a huge commotion. "Lord Sword Envoy, what sort of Hall Master-level expert would come personally?" He could not help but ask.

He muttered in his heart. Although Pei Huoyu had once said that as long as one rushed to the top ten of the Glory Ranking, they would have a chance of joining the main hall and becoming the core, in his opinion, it was nothing more than becoming the disciple of a Nascent Soul at the main hall and listening to his teachings.

After all, he was only a late-stage Foundation Establishment cultivator. Even if his ranking on the Glory Ranking was slightly higher, it only represented potential. At most, a certain Hall Master would cherish him and take him in as his personal disciple. However, it was too shocking that so many Hall Masters had personally descended.

The sword envoy glanced at Pei Huoyu from the corner of his eye and said in a low voice, "Talisman Master Shen, may I ask how long it took you to comprehend the second volume of the Talisman Beast Scripture?"

Shen Ping only hesitated for a moment before replying, "Four hours." He didn't hide anything. It was mainly because it was easier to find records in the headquarters of the True Treasure Pavilion.

Before the sword envoy could ask further, Pei Huoyu said, "It's difficult to enter the Glory Ranking with just the one-horned strange beast from the Talisman Beast Scripture. The various experiences derived from the Beast Scripture are divided into the basic state and the final state. The basic state is

to perfectly comprehend and practice the strange beast pattern. The final state is to create various patterns with the charm of the strange beast through the strange beast pattern.

“In layman’s terms, the more vivid the diagrams made, the more similar they are to the charm of the strange beast, the higher the power they will erupt with. Fellow Daoist Shen was able to rush to the front of the Glory Ranking, which means that you comprehended a higher final beast form on the second volume.”

She then explained, “The reason why Perfected Yun Ya didn’t explain this aspect is mainly because he was worried that if he said the final state in advance, it would affect your comprehension and study of the Talisman Beast Scripture.”

Shen Ping came to a realization. He thought to himself that the talisman scripture strange beast manifested by the Life Divine Talisman was the perfect final form of the beast form, including the new Talisman Beast Diagram that he had created at the beginning.

From the looks of it, the ultimate goal of the Talisman Beast Scripture that he had guessed previously was indeed to create a talisman diagram that had the most strange beast charm. Furthermore, it was not only the Talisman Beast Scripture. It was most likely the same for other techniques such as pills, arrays, weapons, puppets, and so on.

Thinking of this, he felt that Perfected Qiu was even more important. Or rather, a cultivator with a special body was extremely important.

The sword envoy smiled and said, “Perfected Pei is right. Talisman Master Shen, you’ve most likely comprehended a higher final state in the Glory Ranking. It’s precisely because of this that the hall masters of the various halls came personally after knowing. After all, to be able to comprehend a higher final state in such a short period of time, Talisman Master Shen is undoubtedly an unprecedented genius in the core of the True Treasure Pavilion.

“If Talisman Master Shen is willing to join our Sword Hall, no matter what conditions you raise, our Sword Hall can agree, including letting Talisman Master Shen’s wife, concubine, and Dao companions enter the headquarters to be protected!”

Shen Ping’s eyes lit up when he heard that. He had neglected sleep and food to study the Talisman Beast Scripture and fight for the Glory Ranking. It was originally for the safety of his wife and Dao companions. Hence, he hurriedly asked, “Is what the Sword Envoy said true?”

“Fellow Daoist Shen, the Hall Masters of the various halls would also agree to the condition that Sword Hall had stated.” Pei Huoyu could not help but remind him.

Shen Ping was stunned for a moment before he quickly reacted and said, “Perfected Pei, do you mean that my current ranking on the Glory Ranking can allow my wife and concubines to follow me into the headquarters?”

The spiritual energy environment in the headquarters of the True Treasure Pavilion was very abundant. It was not something that a place like Qingyang City and the Linhai Immortal City could compare to. Shen Ping, who had just taken the assessment once, knew very well that in such a cultivation place, even ordinary cultivators with impure spiritual roots could easily build their foundation. Even Golden Core cultivators had a high chance.

As for the four main elements of cultivation, wealth, companionship, law, and land. Apart from the spiritual energy environment, the headquarters also had rare resources that were difficult to find in five continents and four seas. For example, more than 40% of the restricted resources were not available in the other sects in the Zhongsheng Continent.

It was precisely because of this that the right to live on the island in the core area of the headquarters was very precious.

Usually, only the high-level experts of the various halls could live there permanently. The core geniuses of the various techniques with outstanding talent were qualified to live there before the Pseudo Nascent Soul Realm. However, once they reached the Pseudo Nascent Soul Realm, they had to go to the five continents and four seas to train themselves. If they failed to break through to the Nascent Soul realm, they would no longer be able to enter the headquarters. In the end, they could only join a boat-level faction or go to the headquarters of the various departments in the various states to be in charge.

Even if they broke through to the Nascent Soul Realm, it did not mean that they could enter the headquarters safely. They had to comprehend the Beast Scripture to the level of a beast bone before they were qualified to stay in the headquarters and continue cultivating.

As for the members of the hall like Pei Huoyu, who were not proficient in alchemy, talismans, weapon arrays, and other skills, the requirements were even harsher.

Although Shen Ping did not know much about this, he had occasionally heard Pei Huoyu mention it when she chatted with him. Therefore, he understood how difficult it was to let his wife, concubine, and Dao companions have the right to stay there temporarily.

Unexpectedly, he already had such conditions now that he had just advanced to the Glory Ranking.

“To be able to comprehend the final form of the second volume of the Beast Form in four hours, such talent is enough to attract the attention of the main hall experts of the headquarters. However, their status is high and they won’t come personally. Therefore, the main reason why the hall masters of the various halls have descended this time is to recruit you for the main hall experts behind them.”

There was a hint of envy on Pei Huoyu’s lips as she continued, “The Mountain Fire Hall and my master will come to the Linhai Immortal City in the near future.”

There were three major factions in the True Treasure Pavilion. They were the hall, pavilion, and boat. The core geniuses of the A and B levels would be able to join the halls in the future. The most outstanding ones would even be able to enter the higher-level main hall.

As for the remaining C- and D-ranks, their treatment was worse. They could only go to pavilions, boats, and other forces. For example, Wu Shan that Shen Ping had encountered before belonged to this category.

Therefore, although the headquarters of the True Treasure Pavilion was rich in resources, the ranks of the experts inside were strict. Hall-level members, even if they had the same cultivation level, were not people that Pavilion-level and Boat-level could provoke. This involved the distribution of many benefits. The main reason why a Boat-level member, Wu Shan, was so respectful when he sent Shen Ping back to Qingyang City was because of Shen Ping's new core identity and Pei Huoyu's protection.

If it was just an ordinary new core, Wu Shan would not treat him so respectfully. Similarly, If it were Ancestor Jinyang, he would not be as respectful as Wu Shan even if he knew Pei Huoyu's identity.

The reason was that they had different experiences and knowledge. But now, the hall masters of the various halls descended. No matter which main hall Shen Ping chose in the end, his status would quickly increase. As a Golden Core cultivator, Pei Huoyu had yet to cultivate to the realm where she could indifferently see the seven emotions and six desires. Naturally, she would be envious.

After all, the True Treasure Pavilion was different from most sects and factions in the five continents and four seas. Here, there were medicinal pills, dharma treasures, cultivation techniques, and all kinds of cultivation resources. There were even items that could assist in cultivating divine powers.

In order to increase their combat strength and cultivation realm, other cultivators had no choice but to take risks and explore ancient ruins. They fought and obtained medicinal pills and Dharma treasures by luck. However, when they arrived at the True Treasure Pavilion, as long as one's talent was outstanding, they could easily obtain them.

The Tai Yan Sect of the Zhongsheng Continent and the Moon Lotus Holy Sect also had the same treatment, but their resources were not as strong as the True Treasure Pavilion.

Hearing Pei Huoyu's words, Shen Ping suddenly understood. When he comprehended the second volume of the Talisman Beast Scripture and charged for the ranking of the trial, he did not think too much. It was mainly because he did not expect that he could directly pass the fifth level after copying more than 60% of the strange beasts.

From the looks of it, four hours was indeed a little too shocking. Fortunately, it was the True Treasure Pavilion that valued skill geniuses. Otherwise, if it was in the sect, perhaps it would not attract the attention of the higher-ups, but the covetous eyes of powerful cultivators. However, this matter still made him vigilant. He was secretly wary of himself in the future.

"Talisman Master Shen, although our Sword Hall doesn't belong to any main hall, it's rather special in the True Treasure Pavilion. Other than the conditions that you promised previously, no matter what needs you have, the Sword Hall will try its best to satisfy them." The sword envoy had a sincere expression.

They chatted for a while. Shen Ping did not give a definite reply. He only said that he would seriously consider it. Then, he bade farewell to the Sword Envoy and left Virtue Tower.

The two of them sat side by side in the Cloud Beast Carriage. A faint fragrance lingered.

"Have you considered it, Perfected Pei?"

“Fellow Daoist Shen, have you considered it?”

The two of them spoke almost at the same time. Shen Ping smiled. “Perfected Pei seems to have a tacit understanding with me.” He sniffed. The smile on his face widened. “A Golden Core cultivator’s body is untainted, but you took a rare bath last night. I wonder what you were contaminated with?”

They had been together for so long. When Pei Huoyu saw Shen Ping’s expression, she knew that his heart was starting to stir. Helpless, she looked away and replied, “Fellow Daoist Shen knows better than me what it is. As for your request, I still need time..”

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Before she could finish speaking, his broad figure blocked her vision. Immediately after, that familiar warm touch spread throughout her body again. Pei Huoyu’s round earlobes could not help but blush when her body collapsed into Shen Ping’s arms. She released her lip line.

Shen Ping lowered his head and looked straight at this valiant face. He smiled and said, “I know that Perfected Pei’s thoughts are very simple, but I still want to make someone appear in this simple mind.”

Pei Huoyu looked away and said softly, “Some things are hard to force.”

Shen Ping bent down. Heat rushed to her earlobe. He sensed the light armor’s curve tremble. He said in a low voice, “According to the Views of the Gateway, white tiger roars are better at hypocrisy. I’m afraid Perfected Pei’s condition is similar to this. Perfected Pei, you should take another bath tonight.”

He then knocked on her heart again.

A moment passed, the two of them walked slowly along the street of Yongyang Square. While a gentle breeze blew, her black hair fluttered.

Shen Ping raised his wide-striped long sleeve and cupped his hands to get down to business. “I know very little about the situation at the headquarters of the True Treasure Pavilion. I don’t have any idea how to choose. I hope Perfected Pei can give me some suggestions.”

Seeing this, Pei Huoyu suppressed her rising and falling emotions and said in a low voice, “There are a total of 12 main halls in the headquarters. Every main hall has more or less three to four hall-level forces. In addition, there are also forces like the Sword Hall that don’t belong to any main hall. It’s complicated.

“However, the resources of the twelve main halls are not much different. The main difference is that the skills they are good at are different. For example, the Moon Spirit Main Hall, which the Mountain Fire Hall belonged to, is good at pills and talismans. Although other skills are involved, they are only balanced.”

Speaking of this, she reminded him, “Fellow Daoist Shen, because your cultivation realm is not high, even if you join the main hall this time, you will be temporarily arranged to be nurtured by the

hall-level factions under their jurisdiction. You will only truly become the core of the main hall when you break through to the Nascent Soul Realm in the future. However, don't worry. The treatment will be given according to the members of the main hall."

Shen Ping said in surprise, "In that case, no matter which main hall I choose, it actually doesn't have much of an impact. What I really have to consider at this stage is a hall-level faction?"

Pei Huoyu nodded. "The most important resources for nurturing core members in the headquarters are two types of resources. One is restricted items, and the other is the Beast Scripture Pavilion. For restricted items, you can rely on the Glory Ranking to continuously obtain them. As for the Beast Scripture Pavilion, before you reach the Nascent Soul Realm, every main hall is actually the same. Therefore, the cultivation environment of the hall-level factions is the most important to you now."

Shen Ping smiled. "According to Perfected Pei, the Sword Hall is the most suitable for me."

Pei Huoyu hesitated for a moment but did not refute. The Sword Hall was united, and there were few open and hidden conflicts. As the two of them spoke, they had already walked to the entrance of the courtyard and sat down in the stone pavilion.

Shen Ping first brewed twice the amount of spirit tea before continuing, "Mountain Fire Hall has done me a favor. Perfected Yun Ya and the Green Talisman Handbook bestowed by your master have benefited me greatly." Although the new Life Divine Talisman could manifest a talisman scripture strange beast, he knew very well. If not for the Green Talisman Handbook, it would have been very difficult for him to figure out the new patterns and strange beast talisman diagram of the Talisman Beast Scripture. It was precisely because of this experience that the complete talisman scripture strange beast was born when the Life Divine Talisman condensed.

Not to mention, there was also Pei Huoyu's relationship. Even though Mountain Fire Hall had transferred Perfected Yun Ya because of Talisman Master Jing Yu, Shen Ping would not ignore Pei Huoyu's efforts just because of this estrangement.

"Fellow Daoist Shen, I hope you choose the Mountain Fire Hall." Pei Huoyu said seriously, "But I'm more inclined to you choosing the Sword Hall."

Shen Ping reached out and held her fair and slender palm. He teased, "It seems that Perfected Pei's thoughts are not simple. Other than the Mountain Fire Hall and the Sword Hall, are there any other suitable hall-level factions?"

Pei Huoyu frowned and pondered for a while. Then, her eyes lit up. "There's a senior who's quite good at Talisman Daoism in the Moon Spirit Main Hall. If you can obtain his guidance, you'll be able to comprehend the Talisman Beast Scripture better."

On the deck of the large flying ship of the True Treasure Pavilion, which was engraved with the pattern of a cauldron, two figures emitting thick and surging auras were talking to each other.

"Hall Master, I'm afraid our chances in Linhai Immortal City this time are slim.

Compared to the Mountain Fire Hall, the other halls have nothing to do with Talisman Master Shen. If the Dan Hai Hall can take out those conditions, the Mountain Fire Hall can also take it out. Moreover, according to what I know, Talisman Master Shen has many wife and concubines. His Dao heart is not firm, and the guardian of the

Mountain Fire Hall is a female cultivator.” Perfected Yu, who was wearing a green and purple robe, shook his head and said.

Hall Master Dan Hai stroked his beard and said with a smile, “Every cultivator has a preference for their Dao companions. We can’t generalize. Moreover, the Mountain Fire Hall has the relationship of a Dao Protector. My Dan Hai Hall also has some connections. When Qingling was newly promoted, she happened to be in the same batch as that little fellow. The two of them might have interacted.”

Perfected Yu’s expression darkened slightly as he frowned and said, “Hall Master, Qingling’s cultivation technique and talent are relatively special, and her personality is not good at communicating with others. Even if they’re in the same batch, she won’t be of any help to our goal for this trip.”

Hall Master Dan Hai looked at Perfected Yu and sighed softly. “Qingling is my disciple. How can I not know how special she is? But it won’t be a good thing for her if we keep protecting her. The headquarters has been releasing the Hidden Dragon Glory Rankings for nearly six years. However, that little fellow from Linhai Immortal City has rushed to the 65th place in the Glory Rankings, while Qingling has always been at the bottom of the Hidden Dragon Rankings..”

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“Have you considered her feelings in regards to this disparity?”

Perfected Yu fell silent for a moment.

In recent years, every time he went to the cave abode to visit, he sensed that his daughter had become thinner than before. Her face was obviously unhappy. Now, it seemed that she was really affected by the rankings.

Hall Master Dan Hai continued, “The twelve main palaces of the headquarters have more than forty hall-level forces under them. Although the headquarters has a strong foundation, the competition for internal resources is especially intense. My Dan Hai Hall has been ranked last for nearly a thousand years. If this continues, the resources will gradually decrease. It was not easy for us to have Qingling. If she goes silent because of this, where will the future of the Dan Hai Hall be?

“Only by allowing Qingling to frequently exchange cultivation comprehension with that little fellow can we cheer her up. Even if we fail this trip, with this relationship, we can more or less obtain some benefits in the future.”

Perfected Yu frowned. He felt that there was something wrong with this sentence. After thinking for a moment, he said, “Although what the Hall Master said is true, if Qingling is bewitched...”

Hall Master Dan Hai laughed involuntarily. “You are too worried. With you and me taking care of the headquarters, what could happen to Qingling?!”

That’s true, even if Talisman Master Shen had outstanding talent, he did not dare to do anything inappropriate at the headquarters.

Thinking of this, Perfected Yu's brows relaxed a little as he smiled and said, "Then we'll do as Hall Master says. I'll send a message to Qingling now. Speaking of which, Qingling indeed has to interact more with other cultivators. Core Formation and Nascent Soul cultivation can't be done alone."

Hall Master Dan Hai nodded. "It's not too late that you could think it through."

Headquarters.

In the side hall of the Dan Hai Hall.

The elegant and quiet Yu Qingling held her chin and leaned against the window to look at the grand halls in a daze. In the spirit vein cave abode in the Zhongsheng Continent, she could still occasionally admire the scenery to relax, but on this headquarters island, there were cold palaces everywhere.

Buzz-

The jade token vibrated. She took out her divine sense and infiltrated. She heard that familiar voice. "Qingling, your master and I are about to head to the Linhai Immortal City. You once participated in the new core assessment with Talisman Master Shen. Although you didn't interact, you're from the same batch after all. Your relationship is more or less... Father and your master hope that you can meet him first through the core jade token and tell him some of the conditions of the Dan Hai Hall. It would be best if you can recruit him into the hall!"

Yu Qingling, who was originally gloomy, instantly seemed to have a life of its own when she heard this transmission. However, she quickly became conflicted and hesitant.

After all, the two of them had not seen each other for several years, let alone communicated. Moreover, the other party was no longer the same as before. Would he still be interested in her like before? If she rashly disturbed him, would it cause him to be annoyed?

All kinds of thoughts appeared. Yu Qingling instantly felt that her mood was bad again. At this moment, her master sent a message. "Qingling, your father should have already sent you a message. I hope you can help the hall once."

Yu Qingling instantly shuddered, and her dispirited state was swept away. Her intelligent eyes were no longer conflicted and hesitant, and they seemed to be instantly filled with firmness. "Don't worry, Master. Qingling will definitely do her best."

Almost at the same time.

Not only the Dan Hai Hall, but the hall masters and higher-ups of the other halls were also using various methods to contact Shen Ping in advance. After all, whoever raised the conditions first would have a higher chance of winning.

Although they knew that the main purpose of the hall this time was to nurture Talisman Master Shen, even so, the various palaces were still thinking of ways to rope in Talisman Master Shen.

The Beast Scripture was the core of the True Treasure Pavilion and represented all resources.

To be able to comprehend the Large Success Final State in the second volume of the Beast Form, this talent meant that as long as one didn't die midway, he would at least be at the Hall Master level in the future..

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Zhongsheng Continent.

Spring Garden headquarters.

In a remote, dark red mountain range, a nest-like blood cocoon covered every mountain peak like a spider web. Above the blood cocoon, there were palaces floating. In the most majestic central palace, Blood Lords, who distorted space, gathered in the hall.

They looked at the phantom of the huge throne carved with the waves of the sea of blood.

“Everyone, the ancient blood formation's activation speed is increasing. The time to break through the barrier of the five continents and four seas and receive the most ancient and powerful bloodline is approaching. However, if you want to succeed in the end, you still need a key condition.”

The master of Spring Garden's voice was indifferent. He glanced at the Blood Lord on his left and right and continued, “The spiritual energy of the five continents and four seas is not enough to support the pressure of that ancient and powerful bloodline. We have to constantly increase our spiritual energy to the point of being able to withstand it in order to be foolproof!”

A Blood Lord immediately asked, “Chief, the spiritual energy in the five continents and four seas is mainly provided by the spiritual veins of the various states and the three main spiritual veins. If we want to increase the concentration of spiritual energy, we have to increase the number of spiritual veins. However, it's difficult for us to leave the five continents and four seas. How can we obtain additional spiritual veins?”

The other Blood Lord added, “The birth of a spiritual vein often takes more than ten thousand years. Recently, mountain monsters have been born in various states to devour the spiritual veins. It's extremely difficult to increase the concentration of spiritual energy under such circumstances.”

The remaining Blood Lords nodded. They did not know how the ancient blood formation was activated and all kinds of problems that might happen. Only the Chief knew. Therefore, if he wanted to break through the shackles of his bloodline and step into a new realm, he had to break through the enchantment of the five continents and four seas and receive the ancient bloodline.

Even if they had doubts about this condition, they had no choice but to comply. However, the Blood Lords would still raise the questions and difficulties that he should have. After all, they were in Spring Garden. Although the Chief was in charge of everything, the Blood Lords had their own thoughts. They would only follow the general situation.

The master of Spring Garden's voice sounded in the hall again, “Everyone, not to mention the difficulty of increasing the spirit vein, just the time it takes to cross is incomparably long. We don't have much time left, so we can only use another faster way to achieve this condition.”

The other Blood Lords looked at each other. They really did not know that there were other ways. “Chief, please explain.”

“Have you heard of Whale Fall? There’s a beast called the Demon Whale on the South Sea. Every time it dies, it will bring a large amount of spiritual energy to the entire sea. As the saying goes, when a whale falls, all things are born. Cultivators above the Divine Transformation Realm in the Zhongsheng Continent are the Demon Whales wandering on the South Sea. As long as they die, the five continents and the four seas will welcome the richest spiritual energy environment.”

As soon as he finished speaking, the entire hall was so quiet that one could hear a pin drop. The Blood Lords stared at the Chief in a daze. If they were not sure that the aura of the Chief in front of them had not changed at all, they would definitely think that the Chief’s sea of consciousness had been corroded by the mental demon and occupied his body.

Although there were not many cultivators above the Divine Transformation Realm in the Zhongsheng Continent, if he wanted to kill them all, the difficulty was not inferior to breaking through the barrier of the five continents and four seas with one’s own strength.

Not to mention anything else, just the foundation of the top factions, the True Treasure Pavilion, was not inferior to their Spring Garden. In fact, it was even stronger to a certain extent, let alone top sects like the Taiyan Sect and the Moon Lotus Holy Sect.

“There’s no need to care about the True Treasure Pavilion. They won’t interfere either.”

Hearing this, the Blood Lords in the hall heaved a sigh of relief. Without the True Treasure Pavilion, there was still a chance of winning.

“Chief, if the Taiyan Sect, the Moon Lotus Holy Sect, the Heavenly Inspection Platform, and the other sect experts form an alliance, with the strength of my Spring Garden...”

The master of Spring Garden said indifferently, “I’ll take the initiative to kill the supreme elders of these sects. I’ll leave the rest to you and Spring Garden. To you, this is both a tempering and a challenge. Five years. I’ll only give you five years. If anyone can’t fulfill the requirements, don’t blame me for not caring about our many years of friendship. I’ll test the effect of the whale fall on you first!”

With that, the blood-colored waves gradually faded. However, the hall was completely silent. All Blood Lords could not react to the Chief’s last sentence for a moment. One had to know that the cultivation realms of the Supreme Elders of the top sects were already at the peak of the five continents and four seas. How could such an expert die so easily?

Although the Chief was powerful, even if he paid the price, he would at most kill one. When the other experts learned of the news, they would definitely join forces. At that time, their Spring Garden would be in danger.

“What is the Chief trying to do?!” A Blood Lord muttered.

However, no one in the hall responded. The Blood Lords vaguely sensed that something was wrong. However, in this world, no matter what the Chief’s goal was, they could only brace themselves and

continue. They knew the Chief's personality. If they really could not complete the mission, the other party would definitely do what he said.

A few days later, in a courtyard in the Linhai Immortal City.

In the morning hall.

After Shen Ping sat down, he looked at the table full of delicacies and said in surprise, "When did Yun'er know how to make the signature dishes of Virtue Tower?"

Bai Yuying blinked and said, "Husband has been immersed in cultivation these few days. Naturally, you don't know what Sister Yun'er is doing every day."

Yu Yan glanced at Shen Ping and said meaningfully, "One will get tired after eating some dishes for a long time. Yun'er has been cultivating her culinary skills these days and spent some money to learn a few specialties from Virtue Tower. This is her first time cooking this signature dish. I don't know how it tastes.."

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"But whether it suits you or not) it's still fresh."

Luo Qing, Mu Jin, and the others remained silent. Bai Yuying nodded repeatedly and added, "Sister Yu Yan is right. Husband, try it quickly. It will definitely be better than the previous dishes. At the very least, you won't get tired of it."

Listening to these words, Shen Ping immediately thought of a hint of resentment. He could not help but ask himself. Recently, in order to break through to the Glory Ranking as soon as possible, he had been studying the Talisman Beast Scripture day and night. Even if he had the time, he was with Pei Huoyu and had indeed neglected his wives and concubines.

Although the goal was to let his wives and concubines enter the headquarters to be protected, life's neglect was indeed the truth. Moreover, the novelty that Yu Yan mentioned was also an objective thing.

He looked up. Shen Ping looked at every wife and concubines carefully.

Beautiful forehead, refined eyebrows.

Moisturized skin.

Round curves.

Beautiful makeup.

The charm and enchantment that had once made him excited, delicate and cute, cold and sweet, were no longer as palpitating as before. He plowed day and night more for cultivation.

In the past, he had used the Snow Ganoderma Pill many times. But now, even if most of his wife and concubines had reached the Foundation Establishment realm and could withstand the Spirit Jade Ginseng Ointment, he rarely used it again.

This was because just by relying on the Vajra Body, he could let his wife and concubines experience the feeling of ascending to the heavens.

However, the Snow Ganoderma Pill, the Spirit Jade Ginseng Ointment, and other supplementary resources for dual cultivation not only represented a direct feeling, but also a sincerity.

Thinking of this, Shen Ping put down his bowl and chopsticks, stood up, and walked out of the hall. Bai Yuying's pretty face changed slightly. Yu Yan bit her lower lip and looked at Shen Ping's broad back. She regretted saying what she had said previously. His wife and concubines stopped eating and stood up one after another to walk to the door of the hall.

Shen Ping stood in the courtyard and looked up at the sky. Under the powerful perception of the strange beast talent, the boundless unknown fear was still there. Every time he sensed it, his heart could not help but tremble.

It was the same this time. However, he did not feel any palpitations. Instead, he stared at the sky. He let himself tremble.

Life was bitter.

Cultivation was difficult.

Under his protection, his wife and concubines were provided with sufficient resources and did not have any cultivation pressure. They looked carefree, but the pressure in their hearts was probably unknown.

He had never really understood this.

"Yu Yan." He suddenly said, "If the sky collapses one day, are you afraid?"

Yu Yan said without any hesitation, "As long as I can face it together with you, even if the sky collapses, there's nothing to be afraid of!"

Shen Ping turned around and asked, "Yun'er, what about you?"

Wang Yun said gently, "As long as I can be by my husband's side, I'm not afraid."

He looked at Bai Yuying.

"Ying'er will be afraid. However, if I can die in husband's arms, I will not be afraid anymore."

Luo Qing did not say anything. However, the meaning in her eyes was already clear. What did the collapse of the sky have to do with her? She only had Shen Ping in her life. If Shen Ping died, she would not live alone.

Mu Jin said softly, "I'm very content to be with my husband."

Yin Honglian smiled and did not speak either. In the end, only Perfected Qiu remained. She saw Shen Ping and his wife and concubines look over. A hint of seriousness appeared on her charming and graceful face. "Husband, I'm afraid of death. If the sky really collapses, I hope that you can accompany me."

What is a wife? No matter if he was poor or rich, she would never leave.

What was a Dao companion? They were on the same boat. They did not fear difficulties and faced everything head-on.

Shen Ping finally understood the hearts of his wives and concubines. If the calamity descended, what they cared about was not life and death, but whether they were with him. But what about him? His gaze swept across the faces of his wives and concubines.

Shen Ping suddenly felt a sense of guilt. Because he knew very well. He could not achieve the feelings of his wife and concubines. "Let's eat!" He did not say anything else.

Back in the hall.

After sitting down again, he took a few bites of the signature dish of Virtue Tower that his wife had made. His eyes could not help but light up. "Not bad, it's indeed different. As expected, fresh and delicious food is still the best. I'm not immune to it."

Bai Yuying immediately turned around and hugged Shen Ping's arm. She said coquettishly, "Husband, we can make new dishes, but what about us?"

Yu Yan, Luo Qing, and the others also looked at Shen Ping. Ordinary dual cultivation of Dao companions would not have such problems. This was because most cultivators often went into seclusion, took risks to explore, or cultivated techniques. Only when they were bored would they have sex with their Dao Companions to relieve the pressure of cultivation.

But Shen Ping was different. Spring, summer, autumn, and winter, he had never stopped. It was inevitable that such problems would arise overtime. He didn't have a good solution. He could only let his wives and concubines return to their rooms today and not go to the master bedroom to have sex together.

In the core space of the jade token at dawn the next day, Shen Ping had just condensed his divine sense into the narrow house when he received a message from Yu Qingling. This surprised him. Ever since they met in the communication space last time, the other party had never contacted him again. He had taken the initiative to send a few messages, but Yu Qingling didn't respond. Hence, the two of them broke off contact.

Who would have thought that after five to six years, Yu Qingling would actually take the initiative to send a message?

He read the content. Yu Qingling's slightly undulating curves couldn't help but appear in front of him.

Whoosh.

With this thought, a door appeared on the wall of the narrow house. Shen Ping pushed it away. He saw an elegant and quiet female cultivator standing not far away. She was wearing a simple pink embroidered dress. Her black hair fluttered in the air, and her brocade jade belt fluttered. The bright sword-shaped mark between her eyebrows still gave off a sharp and oppressive aura..

However, after his divine sense transformed to the early-stage Nascent Soul Realm, he could already easily withstand the sharp aura of the mark. She seemed to have noticed the gaze. Yu Qingling immediately pinched the hem of her skirt with her fair palm, and her eyes hurriedly lowered to look at the green and pink ankle boots.

Shen Ping walked over. He waved his hand casually. Tables and chairs appeared beside them. “Fellow Daoist Yu, please take a seat.”

“Thank you, Fellow Daoist Shen.”

After sitting down, first, he drank a cup of spiritual tea. Shen Ping smiled and said, “Fellow Daoist Yu has been cultivating quite hard in recent years. You don’t even have the time to come to this communication space to chat.”

Yu Qingling’s face flushed red, and she hurriedly shook her head. “Fellow Daoist Shen, please forgive me. I was worried that I would disturb Fellow Daoist Shen’s cultivation, so I didn’t respond.”

Speaking of this, she mustered her courage and looked up at Shen Ping. “Fellow Daoist Shen is already ranked 65th on the Glory Ranking. I didn’t dare to disturb you.”

Shen Ping was stunned. If it was any other cultivator who spoke of this reason, he would only think that it was a perfunctory excuse. However, Yu Qingling was different. Since she said this, it was most likely true.

“What is a Fellow Daoist? We share similar personalities and exchange cultivation comprehensions. We accompany each other to solve various problems. This is the purpose of befriending Fellow Daoist.

“Although I’ve become the leader of the Hidden Dragon Ranking and even rushed to the Glory Ranking, how can these external factors affect our friendship? If Fellow Daoist Yu thinks that I’m a shallow person, then there’s no need to talk today!”

He got up and left.

When Yu Qingling heard these words, the trace of sorrow and pressure in the depths of her heart instantly vanished, and she hurriedly stood up as well. “Fellow Daoist Shen, I was wrong. Fellow Daoist Shen, please forgive me!”

Shen Ping acted as if he did not hear anything. Seeing this, Yu Qingling couldn’t help but be anxious. She hurriedly took a few steps forward and stood in front of Shen Ping. She bowed seriously and said, “Qingling was wrong!”

Shen Ping asked, “Fellow Daoist Yu, if you promise that you won’t have such thoughts in the future, I can sit back down.”

“I swear...”

He saw Yu Qingling making an oath skillfully. The corners of Shen Ping’s mouth twitched. This action was really about to become instinctive.

Soon, they both sat back down.

Yu Qingling's elegant and lively eyes were much more relaxed than before. The corners of her mouth revealed a smile as she cupped her hands and said, "Congratulations, Fellow Daoist Shen, for being on the Glory Ranking. In comparison, I am much worse. I'm still at the end of the Hidden Dragon Rankings."

Shen Ping comforted her and said, "Fellow Daoist Yu, you were only disturbed by the knot in your heart previously. Now that the problem has been resolved, the speed of researching skills will definitely increase in the future. However, I'm worried that Fellow Daoist Yu will be troubled by the past. For example, solving the problem of cultivation. I wonder if Fellow Daoist Yu has found a solution?"

Yu Qingling shook her head. "I didn't find it."

"In that case, it's my duty as a friend to help Fellow Daoist Yu resolve your difficulties." Shen Ping said seriously.

Yu Qingling's face flushed red as she said in a low voice, "Fellow Daoist Shen, I appreciate your kindness. However, I'm afraid such a matter will be troublesome."

"How can it be troublesome? Fellow Daoist Yu, there's no need to be so polite." Shen Ping said seriously, "Fellow Daoist Yu, are you feeling depressed now?"

"A little."

"Then does Fellow Daoist Yu know how to resolve it?"

"I don't know... Fellow Daoist Shen said it before, but I forgot." Yu Qingling's fair hands intertwined, and her voice became softer and softer.

Shen Ping's expression changed slightly when he heard that. He sat up straight and placed his arm on the jade table. He leaned forward and said, "Do you need me to help in a suitable way personally?"

"This, this isn't convenient, right?"

"Fellow Daoist Yu, there's no need to be nervous. This space is only a body condensed from the divine sense in the jade token. Even if there's some contact, it won't affect the body."

Yu Qingling replied after a long time, "Can it really resolve the pain of cultivation?"

"I've tried it before. It's very useful."

"But... I'm afraid."

Shen Ping's voice sounded faintly. "It won't take too long. Fellow Daoist Yu, follow me.."