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Chapter 1861 The Big Array Shattered

"Senior Brother, don't chase!" Hu Guang, who was trying hard to suppress the gap in the big array, was shocked when he saw Lion Heart chasing after Lu Ye and hurriedly transmitted this audio message.

The spectators were disappointed with Lu Ye's performance as the number one under the Sun Blaze, but Hu Guang felt something was amiss.

He had witnessed Lu Ye's strength firsthand, and while Lion Heart was formidable, it shouldn't have been able to put Lu Ye at such a disadvantage in such a short time. Coupled with Lu Ye's previous instances of using doppelgangers, Hu Guang vaguely felt that this Lu Ye appearing now was probably not the real one; it was likely just a doppelganger.

Thus, this must be a deception, and the other party's goal was to lure away Lion Heart!

Even though Hu Guang saw through this and reminded him with an audio transmission, Lion Heart, filled with battle intent and confident in his ability to kill the enemy before him, ignored it and continued chasing.

Hu Guang was both angry and anxious at the sight, feeling a frustration akin to hating iron for not becoming steel. The flaw of the Demon Race being easily swayed by emotions was truly an unsolvable problem, even for someone as strong as Lion Heart.

He quickly spoke, "Junior Sister Bao, stay alert!"

If his guess was correct and the Lu Ye that appeared earlier was just a doppelganger, then after luring away Lion Heart, the real Lu Ye would definitely appear.

The problem now was, where was the real Lu Ye hiding? He should be nearby, possibly amongst the spectators, and might have used a method to conceal his presence and approached stealthily.

He glanced around, and Junior Sister Bao also scanned with her gaze, but they couldn't find anything.

However, a few streams of light from weapon control streaked towards them, which had been released during Lu Ye and Lion Heart's clash earlier.

Hu Guang took a glance and dismissed it, as such weapon control usually couldn't exert lethal force. He even found it somewhat laughable since Lu Ye, who had already reached the Moon Jade Realm, was using weapons like these in combat.

Such tactics were only used by cultivators in the lower four realms.

Several streams of weapon control came, and one hit the gap directly, but Junior Sister Bao flashed in front of Hu Guang, reaching out to grab the weapon control.

At this moment, a sudden mutation occurred. On the seemingly ordinary stream of weapon control, the mana suddenly changed, and then it became violent. A spectral figure appeared there.

Junior Sister Bao stretched out her hand, originally reaching for the weapon control, now seemingly grabbing towards the suddenly appearing figure.

Hu Guang, who was looking around for Lu Ye's traces, turned his head abruptly, staring incredulously at the inexplicably appearing figure, seeing a face that made him both fearful and hateful. It was indeed Lu Ye, whom he had been searching for!

Their eyes met, and Hu Guang saw nothing but boundless coldness.

"Be careful!" Hu Guang shouted.

Junior Sister Bao also realized something was wrong. She reacted swiftly, almost instantly activating her Demon Origin the moment Lu Ye's true form appeared. Sharp nails like weapons extended from her five fingers, aiming straight at Lu Ye's chest.

This sudden stab, even Lu Ye didn't have time to react. He had teleported directly from the All Phenomena Ocean, catching the opponent off guard, yet he also needed a moment to adjust.

Junior Sister Bao's nails pierced through his protective magic, plunging into his flesh.

Junior Sister Bao's face lit up with joy; she had succeeded!

But soon her expression collapsed because her nails, after piercing two inches into Lu Ye's flesh, could go no further. Her wrist suddenly tightened, gripped firmly by Lu Ye's hand.

Junior Sister Bao exerted all her strength, her Demon Origin surging, yet she couldn't break free, and she was shocked at her core. The opponent's physical strength was astonishing!

In terms of pure physical strength, the human race couldn't generally compare to the Demon Race, unless they were physique cultivators who focused on developing bodily prowess to compete with demon cultivators.

Combat cultivators absolutely don't have this qualification, yet the reality was, a combat cultivator from the human race had actually locked her wrist, like a shackle, rendering her completely immobile.

This sheer power suppression was something Junior Sister Bao had only experienced from Lion Heart; even Hu Guang couldn't suppress her in this regard.

The sound of a long saber being unsheathed was extremely piercing, like a Phoenix Cry.

As the saber light flashed, Junior Sister Bao let out a muffled grunt, staggering back, with one arm missing, blood gushing from the severed stump like a waterfall.

In fact, if it weren't for her quick reaction to shift her body at the moment Lu Ye swung his saber, it wouldn't have been just a severed arm.

As Junior Sister Bao retreated, Lu Ye's gaze locked onto Hu Guang. With a flicker of strength, the severed arm in his grasp burst into a cloud of blood mist.

He leaped forward, charging through the gap in the big array toward Zixuan, and the Boulder Mountain Saber slashed down toward Hu Guang. Wherever the blade passed, even the Void had fine cracks.

Inwardly bitter, Hu Guang faced such a terrifying strike with a grim fate if he didn't dodge. But if he evaded, the Zixuan big array would be in jeopardy.

Having no choice, if Lu Ye killed him here, the big array would still collapse, so Hu Guang hesitated not at all. As this slash fell, he retreated.

The slash hit nothing, but Lu Ye had anticipated this, his form shadow-like, spinning his long blade like a moon, enveloping Hu Guang in his blade's momentum.

From the oblique side, a figure dashed rapidly, transforming into an afterimage in Lu Ye's peripheral vision.

It was Junior Sister Bao, who had lost an arm.

This female demon was incredibly tenacious; losing an arm, she made not a sound, but swiftly counterattacked instead.

All his thoughts were on Hu Guang at this moment, aiming to swiftly kill his opponent. Facing Bao Youyou's sudden side assault, he had no time to evade, hastily constructing Defense Spirit Runes for protection.

As the immense force hit him, Lu Ye felt like he was struck by a mountain, his body flying uncontrollably to the side. The hastily constructed Defense Spirit Runes shattered, and even his protective magic was dispersed by the impact.

Exclamations of astonishment erupted from afar.

The cultivators watching had seen Lion Heart chasing Lu Ye away and were initially disappointed with Lu Ye's performance, only to witness a series of unexpected events from Zixuan Island.

First, Lu Ye, who should have been pursued by Lion Heart, mysteriously appeared, rushed through the big array's gap into Zixuan Island, severing Bao Youyou's arm with a single slash, and repeatedly slashed at Hu Guang. Taking advantage of this moment, Bao Youyou side-attacked and sent Lu Ye flying.

The rapid series of events left everyone overwhelmed, their emotions fluctuating dramatically.

An even bigger change occurred.

As Lu Ye's form flew out, the gap that was originally ten feet quickly expanded—blinking, it grew to twenty feet, fifty feet, a hundred feet...

The luminous hemisphere of Zixuan Island appeared to be torn open by an invisible force, ripping from one end directly to the other.

A clear sound echoed from the depths of every observing cultivator's soul, as bright light scattered across the sky, gathering like countless fireflies, sprinkling down.

At the same time, a humming sound emerged from crucial locations within Zixuan Island. These were the sites of each array base, the violent changes causing the entire Spirit Island to shake.

The spectacular energy rain left every cultivator mesmerized, as no one had ever witnessed such a scene before.

The light gradually dimmed; after a brief brilliance, Zixuan Island came into view, making everyone aware of a terrifying realization.

The protective array of Zixuan Island, a top-class Spirit Island maintained for tens of thousands of years, had shattered!

Commotion erupted all around.

How many years had it been since the protective array of a top-class Spirit Island shattered? No one expected to witness such a historical moment, just from coming to see the spectacle.

While the shattered big array can be rearranged, the accumulation of tens of thousands of years is irrecoverable. How can a newly arranged big array compare to the previous one?

Within Zixuan Island, thousands of demon cultivators gazed lost.

Even Hu Guang and Bao Youyou felt the heartbreak that made breathing difficult, a generation of Zixuan demon cultivators' accumulation, countless predecessors' efforts, all buried under their generation.

Just by this point, they were the sinners of Zixuan.

No time to grieve, as a piercing murderous intent enveloped them.

The two Moon Jade Realm demon cultivators quickly turned aside, seeing Lu Ye, who had been side-attacked by Bao Youyou, advancing towards them with a blade.

"Join forces to stop him!" Hu Guang shouted angrily, despite having witnessed Lu Ye's might and having a deep fear of him. But now, with the enemy invading their Spirit Island, Hu Guang had no reason to retreat.

If he and Bao Youyou combined forces, though Lu Ye was mighty, they could at least engage him for a while.

Lion Heart must have seen these changes and was undoubtedly on the way to support. The shattered protective array couldn't be salvaged, but Lu Ye had to die here.

Hu Guang could ascertain that this Lu Ye was the true form, definitely not a doppelganger!

Bao Youyou still remained silent, blood no longer flowed from the severed arm. For someone like her, at Moon Jade Late Stage, though the severed arm was a severe injury, it could regrow if she survived this crisis.

The two Moon Jade Realm demon cultivators approached Lu Ye from left and right, their years of companionship allowing them to coordinate seamlessly. Behind Hu Guang, a phantom of the Six-tailed Fox Demon appeared, furry tails swaying endlessly, its eyes turning exceedingly eerie as a profoundly magical Divine Soul Power surged, distorting all things in its path—a secret technique of the Six-tailed Fox Demon clan.

Such secret techniques could create incredibly realistic illusions, even affecting the real environment. If one's Divine Soul Power was inferior, they might not even know how they died.

"Lu Ye!" Hu Guang roared wrathfully, aiming to catch Lu Ye's gaze, enhancing the efficacy of his secret technique to the fullest.

Just as he hoped, Lu Ye did indeed look his way, and the moment their eyes met, Hu Guang was taken aback, discovering Lu Ye's eyes turning blood red, with complex and intricate patterns swiftly forming within those blood-red eyes. In an instant, those eyes transformed into exceedingly bizarre eyes.

Immediately, the entire world turned crimson, as though blood flowed everywhere.

Lu Ye's figure vanished inexplicably, leaving two blood moons hanging in the sky, shedding blood-red light in all directions, instilling boundless intimidation and fear.

Hu Guang's vision filled with illusions!

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Hu Guang was taken aback, the secret technique of the Six-tailed Fox Demon clan was an extremely exquisite illusion technique, and he himself was a master at playing with illusions, so he realized something was wrong as soon as he noticed it.

Lu Ye from Three Worlds Island was actually adept at illusion techniques, and on this path, he was even stronger than him!

Full of bitterness, he never expected such an outrageous event to happen; just a human race combat cultivator, how could he cultivate such profound and exquisite illusion techniques?

Ridiculously, he had actually thought of attracting Lu Ye's attention to maximize the power of his secret technique, little did he know that this was exactly what the other party intended.

Moreover, if he hadn't also been deploying the secret technique, even though the other party had profound knowledge in this path, it wouldn't have affected him so fiercely; after all, he was at Moon Jade Late Stage, his psyche cultivation was extremely powerful, how could he be so easily defeated?

Hu Guang's thoughts were correct, if Lu Ye simply used Blood Eye Spirit Runes against him, he might have been affected to some extent, but it would never be as terrifying as it was now.

But both were deploying secret techniques, and of the same type, this was equivalent to both competing in this domain, Lu Ye's skill was superior, Blood Eye Spirit Runes were inherited from Blood Ancestor, how could they be compared to the secret technique of the Six-tailed Fox Demon clan? Thus, not only did Hu Guang suffer the influence of Blood Eye Spirit Runes, a greater part was the backlash from his own secret technique being broken.

This double blow made his situation unbelievably dire.

And in Bao Youyou's view, after Hu Guang issued a fierce shout, he stood completely stiff on the spot, not moving at all, simply staring blankly at Lu Ye, while Lu Ye, holding a raised saber, the blade surged with mana, poised to slash!

With this strike, Hu Guang would inevitably face disaster.

Bao Youyou's eyes were full of anxiety, but it was soon replaced by resolve; her initially charging figure suddenly turned, and in an instant, she lunged in front of Hu Guang, letting out a leopard roar, revealing her true demon form, a lithe and slender leopard covered in markings, with her left forelimb missing from the recent battle.

She opened her mouth, and a brilliant light manifested, ready to spray it at Lu Ye.

It was her demonic pill cultivated for over a thousand years, a desperate technique; under normal circumstances, the Demon Race would not use the demonic pill to vie, for the risk was too great, if the demonic pill was damaged, the foundation would be injured, if destroyed, the results would be even worse.

Undeniably, Bao Youyou's response was quick, and it was the only way to save Hu Guang.

The demonic pill emerged, compressing violent energy within, meeting the incoming long saber.

At the moment of contact, Lu Ye's expression turned solemn, as immense pressure emanated from ahead, the terrifying force somehow made his saber unable to strike down swiftly, even showing signs of being pressed back.

No wonder it was the Demon Race's desperate technique, truly not to be underestimated.

"Ugh..." Bao Youyou suddenly spewed a mouthful of blood, confronting the Boulder Mountain Saber with her demonic pill, a mere moment of contact already damaged her demonic pill, directly reflected back to her body, leaving her absolutely terrified, the opponent's long saber... how incredibly sharp, actually cleaved open the dense Demon Origin concentrated around her demonic pill, creating a notch.

Little did she know, Lu Ye's Boulder Mountain Saber was formed by a powerful Combat Race member, and after Lu Ye ascended to Moon Jade, the Boulder Mountain Saber underwent a transformation, its sharpness unmatched, coupled with Lu Ye's Divine Sharp Edge Spirit Runes, it could be said that if not for her demonic pill's robustness, this slash would have directly split it open.

At this moment, the most correct response undoubtedly was to activate the demonic pill to avert the Boulder Mountain Saber's blade, but she couldn't do that, for her demonic pill was followed by herself, behind her was Hu Guang, truly avoiding it would allow the Boulder Mountain Saber to make them a pair of doomed lovers.

Not only couldn't she do that, she had to strive even harder to activate the demonic pill.

Fortunately, the feedback from the demonic pill revealed she'd gained the upper hand in the clash, Lu Ye was struggling to support.

However, in the next moment, Lu Ye's saber stance suddenly altered, the power on the long saber layered and stacked, like tidal waves.

Tidal Sea Ten Thousand Waves!

This reward from Constellation Palace aided Lu Ye a lot during his Constellation phase, giving him the ability to barely fight Moon Jade magic with spirit force, though with Lu Ye's increasingly powerful cultivation strength, it was rarely used now.

But in this world, no secret technique was useless, it depended on the timing of its application.

Facing the extremely violent demonic pill, this secret technique would undoubtedly yield miraculous effects.

The pressure from the long saber rapidly weakened, Lu Ye twisted the saber, as brilliant as a Bright Pearl, the demonic pill was sent flying.

Bao Youyou's face suddenly turned pale, watching helplessly as the long saber descended upon her, yet she no longer had the strength to resist, in haste, she could only lift her right forelimb above her head while her long leopard tail behind her snapped fiercely.

When the Boulder Mountain Saber fell, the large leopard form froze, followed by the right forelimb dropping, the entire body splitting in half.

Another burst of exclamations erupted from the observing cultivators afar.

The events from Hu Guang shouting Lu Ye's name, to Bao Youyou rushing forward to block, spitting out the demonic pill for a desperate strike, and then Lu Ye killing her, all occurred within just the span of two breaths.

In just two breaths, a powerful Demon Race Moon Jade was slain in broad daylight!

Everyone witnessed Lu Ye's calm demeanor, and couldn't help but be horrified by his terrifying strength, finally understanding the weight of being the foremost under the Sun Blaze.

Bao Youyou's body split open, blood bursting forth like a blossoming flower, revealing Hu Guang who had been hidden behind her.

It was only at that moment that clarity slowly returned to Hu Guang's eyes.

Thanks to Bao Youyou striking him once with her tail before dying, the force was applied with extreme precision, both freeing Hu Guang from the illusion and leaving him unharmed, even propelling him several hundred feet away.

As soon as his vision cleared, Hu Guang witnessed a scene that made his eyes almost pop out.

A huge leopard body split open, blood and viscera spilled out, he was stunned, muttering, "Junior Sister Bao?"

As his voice faded, a palpable killing intent descended, along with Lu Ye's silhouette rushing in from several hundred feet away.

Hu Guang didn't know exactly what had happened, but he knew Bao Youyou died for him, grieving deeply, yet he forcibly suppressed it because he realized from the brief clash he was no match for Lu Ye.

So, seeing Lu Ye charging, he turned to flee without thinking.

He had already seen Lion Heart quickly approaching from afar, so he had a chance to survive if he could hold on for ten breaths.

In a battle, exposing one's back to the enemy is extremely unwise, but Hu Guang had no other choice at the moment.

Seeing Hu Guang begin to flee, Lu Ye's eyes flashed as he pursued, channeling his Divine Soul Power to quickly sketch out the Divine Sharp Edge runes!

The spirit runes he acquired early on from the Talent Tree basically could only be sketched using spirit force, the most orthodox form of spirit runes.

But after the Talent Tree's evolution, these spirit runes were no longer constrained to one form. For instance, the Divine Sharp Edge, sketched with mana would be spirit runes, but sketched with soul power they become divine runes.

In duels, Lu Ye rarely uses divine runes, because any enemy greatly values their psyche defense, and even if they don't cultivate psyche protective secret techniques, they will have soul treasures guarding their Divine Sea. Hastily using soul power to sketch divine runes in a duel is unrewarding and affects performance.

Only cultivators at the Sun Blaze level have a qualitative leap in psyche power, frequently using psyche power during duels.

Normally, even if Lu Ye used divine runes against Hu Guang, they wouldn't be very effective. This guy is from the Six-tailed Fox Demon clan, their psyche power is certainly strong.

But his secret technique was broken, suffering significant backlash, making his psyche likely unstable now, and his psyche defense probably full of vulnerabilities, a weakness to exploit.

The formless and invisible psyche power sketches into shape, transforming into an invisible arrow, targeting Hu Guang fleeing ahead.

Oblivious Demon Race Constellations attempted to block the way, Lu Ye casually slew them.

Hu Guang groaned, but didn't slow his pace; seeing this, Lu Ye held nothing back, continuously sketching Divine Sharp Edge runes like a tidal wave.

Hu Guang's psyche defenses couldn't withstand such onslaught, after Lu Ye launched nearly twenty divine runes, Hu Guang suddenly screamed miserably, collapsing on the ground.

A few hundred feet, Lu Ye quickly crossed the distance, stepping on his back, perceiving Hu Guang's incredibly weak aura, drenched in sweat and trembling, a clear sign of severe psyche injury, his consciousness likely muddled now.

Otherwise he'd still have some fight left, not so easily crushed like this by Lu Ye.

This was the moment to kill the enemy!

Lu Ye raised his saber, ready to strike down.

"Stop!" An angry shout came from afar, it was Lion Heart rapidly returning after sensing something was amiss, indeed, during Lion Heart's return, the Talent Tree Avatar tried to intercept but the methods it could deploy without the sword gourd were limited, moreover, Lu Ye was fully engaged in battle here, hence being unable to properly control the Talent Tree Avatar.

From far away, Lion Heart witnessed Bao Youyou's tragic death, heart bleeding yet powerless to stop it, and now seeing Hu Guang about to perish, couldn't endure further but was initially lured away, needing time to return, too late to rescue.

Lu Ye turned his head, seeing Lion Heart's frenzied anger from afar, crouched down, reaching out to grab Hu Guang's blurry consciousness head, and hoisting him up, he then kicked his calf, forcing him to kneel facing Lion Heart's direction while standing behind Hu Guang, holding the Boulder Mountain Saber horizontally against his neck!

Chapter 1863 - Blood Debt, Blood Payment!

On Zixuan Island, the Second Island Master, Hu Guang, as if lost in thought, was oppressed to his knees by an outsider human race cultivator, with no resistance whatsoever.

As Lion Heart, rushing back rapidly, saw this scene from afar, his eyes immediately turned red with anger as he gritted his teeth and shouted, "How dare you!"

There can't be more deaths!

Leaving aside the several hundred Constellations killed before, just on the Moon Jade level alone, first Junior Brother Tiger, then Red Elephant, followed by Yoan Che, Junior Brother Chai, Junior Brother Lang, and to today, Bao Youyou... in less than half a month, six Moon Jade cultivators had died. If Hu Guang were to die as well, that would make seven, leaving him as the only one on the Moon Jade level on the Zixuan side!

No matter what, he couldn't allow Hu Guang to be killed, especially not under his own nose.

As he shouted, a red glow burst from around his body, his blood Qi boiling, clearly having activated a secret technique to increase his speed, wanting to save Hu Guang before Lu Ye could act.

But the seemingly short distance was an uncrossable tribulation...

On the other side, Hu Guang, kneeling before Lu Ye, felt the cold blade of the Boulder Mountain Saber touch him, regaining a sliver of clarity, but nothing more.

At this moment, his Divine Sea was tumultuous, his psyche broken. Even if his body was unharmed, he had no strength to fight, vaguely sensing his end approaching, familiar faces of those who had passed floating before his eyes.

How did it come to this?

When did it start?

Straining to turn over the thoughts in his mind, he suddenly recalled that it all began after that banquet.

Zixuan Island had deployed against Three Worlds Island for a year's time; when Lu Ye appeared, he was lured over, and the First Island Master Lion Heart swallowed a Three Worlds Island cultivator named Wey Po alive in front of him.

Before taking action, Zixuan knew Three Worlds Island would not submit, and once conflict erupted, Three Worlds Island would surely resist.

But no one expected Three Worlds Island's retaliation to come so swiftly, so fiercely, so terrifyingly!

After Wey Po was swallowed alive, Lu Ye immediately retaliated, directly killing Junior Brother Tiger!

After Junior Brother Tiger was slain, Red Elephant was also ambushed and killed within the island.

The three Moon Jade Late-Stage cultivators led four thousand troops aggressively towards Three Worlds Island, only for Yoan Che to die midway, and several hundred Constellations were killed, forcing a retreat.

Today, Junior Sister Bao also perished, and I fear I won't survive either.

All of this came from one person! It could be said that he single-handedly turned Zixuan Island upside down, showcasing terrifying power.

Terrifying, laughable; a grand top-class Spirit Island, losing so utterly against a single person!

Hu Guang suddenly felt regret, wishing he hadn't provoked Three Worlds Island. Had they not done so, these tragedies wouldn't have occurred, nor would so many Zixuan demon cultivators have died.

But regret is the world's most useless thing; before taking action, when did Zixuan ever take Three Worlds Island seriously? Whether it was the deceased Junior Brother Tiger or Junior Sister Bao, or even Red Elephant, who among them didn't think of handling Three Worlds Island as easily as pinching a snail?

He was going to die, relying on whether the First Island Master Lion Heart could avenge them; he didn't know, not even sure if the ever-successful Lion Heart was a match for Lu Ye.

Filled with countless regrets yet powerless to achieve them.

"Blood debt!" a cold, stern voice shouted from behind, the mana-driven sound spreading across the lands, "Blood for blood!"

A sudden pain at his neck, Hu Guang found himself suddenly lifted, his perspective rising sharply, yet eerily unable to feel the existence of his body.

Blinking, he suddenly realized he had been beheaded.

Indeed, blood debt for blood; these words were shouted by Zixuan Island's demon cultivators during that banquet, but to them, it was merely a guise for dealing with Three Worlds Island.

But they really did it!

In exchange for Wey Po's death, Zixuan paid the lives of seven Moon Jade, and several hundred Constellations.

And it wasn't over yet!

Lion Heart, rushing toward Zixuan in a hurry, helplessly watched as Hu Guang, kneeling over there, had his head cut off by Lu Ye. Blood geysered from the headless neck, his urgency and worry transforming into boundless fury. The corners of his eyes burst, blood trickling down his cheeks, his appearance sinister and terrifying. With a sudden roar, a visible sound wave converged into a blast, assaulting in Lu Ye's direction from nearly a thousand miles away.

"For you!" Lu Ye kicked out, sending Hu Guang's head flying towards Lion Heart.

He turned and rushed into the interior of Zixuan Island, slashing through a group of demon cultivators charging fearlessly forward to rescue Hu Guang, and with a flash, disappeared into a grand hall.

The head, not long after being kicked out, exploded into powder under Lion Heart's sonic attack, causing Lion Heart to become even more enraged!

Countless cultivators watching from afar were silent, their hearts shocked by the terrifying scene that just unfolded.

If they hadn't seen it with their own eyes, no one would have believed that a Moon Jade Mid-Stage could successively kill two Moon Jade Late-Stages in such a short time!

Because the distance was too far, they understood Bao Youyou's death occurred due to her inability to match in a real confrontation.

But Hu Guang's death was less clear because, after Bao Youyou's death, Hu Guang was captured alive by Lu Ye without any action on his part, and was forced to kneel and be beheaded in front of Lion Heart.

This tragic scene weighed heavily on the hearts of the cultivators.

"Alas!" An old man suddenly sighed, "Killing is just a matter of life and death; this Three Worlds Island Lu Ye... has gone too far."

From an outsider's perspective, Lu Ye's method of killing Hu Guang was clearly to humiliate the opponent. Many cultivators walk the edge of life and death year-round and have experienced countless battles with a steadfast, fearless mindset. But if they had to die, who wouldn't want to go quickly?

So many people watching, being humiliated like that before dying, and even having one's head kicked like a ball, surely makes people uncomfortable.

"Gone too far?" A cold snort was heard, "Old man, what nonsense are you talking about!"

The speaking old man, at least a Moon Jade cultivator, was furious upon hearing this, turned to look in the direction of the voice, and recognized the rugged figure: "It's Fellow Daoist Mang Dang!"

The First Island Master of Five Colors Island, in terms of status and position, equivalent to Lion Heart, though he hadn't been in the All Phenomena Ocean for many years, anyone with some insight would recognize him.

Though the old man's background was decent, it was far inferior to Five Colors Territory, and Mang Dang's cultivation and power both surpassed his. It was normal for the other to reprimand him in displeasure, so he decided to swallow his anger.

Unexpectedly, Mang Dang was relentless, coldly staring at him, saying, "Without experiencing another's suffering, don't advise them to be kind. What do you know about the feud between Zixuan and Three Worlds Island to dare comment here!"

The old man, being scolded so despite his age, turned crimson and pale, even someone with great patience would be angry, not to mention he was a Moon Jade, so he immediately spoke, "I indeed don't know the feud between these two top-class Spirit Islands. If Fellow Daoist knows, why not enlighten us?"

Mang Dang snorted coldly, "Then let me tell you, a few days ago Zixuan suddenly invited guests from all directions for a feast. I happened to be on the guest list, so I went to take a look out of curiosity, and coincidentally witnessed the beginning of the feud between Zixuan and Three Worlds Island."

He proceeded to narrate the events of that day, and when it was mentioned that Three Worlds Island Moon Jade cultivator Wey Po killed several Zixuan Constellation members for no reason while passing by Zixuan Island, everyone's expressions turned subtly.

The famous Zixuan Island is known by anyone who has spent some time in the All Phenomena Ocean. No one with any sense would dare to kill their cultivators, especially near Zixuan...

Unless that Three Worlds Island cultivator named Wey Po had gone mad, so upon hearing this, anyone with a discerning eye knew it was definitely Zixuan's scheme.

Then they heard about Zixuan's demand for ten billion spirit jade, which Lu Ye agreed to without blinking an eye to save Wey Po's life, quickly gathering the amount, only for Hu Guang to go back on their word when he went out to meet them afterward.

Such unreliable behavior and breaking promises is certainly not the style of a top-class Spirit Island.

Later, Lion Heart devoured Wey Po, further causing disgust among people.

Many people know that the Demon Race has the tradition of Blood Food sacrifice, but using a living Moon Jade cultivator as a sacrifice still causes displeasure, and although many cultivators come from different races, today the Demon Race can seize a human race cultivator as a sacrifice, tomorrow they can seize cultivators of other races.

Mang Dang was not eloquent, so his explanations were not vividly captivating, but through his narration, the events of that feast day were clearly presented to the many cultivators.

The observing cultivators then understood the origin of the feud between these two top-class Spirit Islands, and the whole process seemed clearly like Zixuan was targeting Three Worlds Island.

As for the reason... Three Worlds Island is now thriving, growing wealthy daily, so it was enough to make many people envious, making it unsurprising that Zixuan would target them.

"Zixuan is untrustworthy, embezzling ten billion spirit jade from Three Worlds Island, and Lion Heart devoured the Three Worlds Island cultivator. Lu Ye's current actions are nothing more than a counterattack! Is this... still considered excessive?" Mang Dang looked at the old man.

The old man remained silent, if he were in a similar position with Lu Ye's capability and encountered the same events, he wouldn't do worse than Lu Ye, as most cultivators settle matters swiftly, who would suppress their grievances?

"It was my mistake!" The old man, being straightforward, even though he saw Mang Dang's intention of speaking for Lu Ye, and knowing this First Island Master of Five Colors Island seemed to have some personal connection with Lu Ye. When Three Worlds Island's development faced difficulties, Five Colors Island was the first to step up for support, opening a branch of the Five Colors Merchants Guild in Three Worlds Island as evidence.

But undeniably, Mang Dang's words held some truth, that without experiencing another's suffering, don't advise them to be kind. The grievances between cultivators are difficult for outsiders to see clearly

unless they are part of the situation, perhaps the oppressed party now was the one who provoked the incident initially, just like the current Zixuan Island.

Chapter 1864 - Sudden Troops Descend

The elder expressed his apologies, and Mang Dang didn't make a fuss, merely responding with a faint "Hmm."

Someone else chimed in, "But speaking of it, what foundation does Three Worlds Island have? It's truly remarkable. The battle at Baiyue years ago shocked the All Phenomena Ocean, and now they're dominant against Zixuan."

Three Worlds Island, Three Worlds Island, that's what everyone calls it, but nobody knows which star system the cultivators there originate from.

A cultivator looked at Mang Dang, "Fellow Daoist Mang Dang seems quite familiar with Three Worlds Island, do you know anything?"

Mang Dang stood with hands behind his back, calmly saying, "No need to concern yourselves with their origins, just remember one thing: The cultivators from Three Worlds Island are not unreasonable people. Although they've been in All Phenomena Ocean for a short time, they've never proactively caused any unpleasantness with any power. Take the attack on Baiyue for example, Baiyue was instigated by certain people to secretly attack Three Worlds Island cultivators, which led to the strong retaliation from Three Worlds Island. So whether back then or today, Three Worlds Island's style is never to provoke unless provoked." With those words, he changed the topic with a sly grin, "It's said that Zixuan has a female demon from the Six-tailed Fox Demon clan, strikingly beautiful, capable of reversing empires, and currently someone's concubine, who might that be?"

No one dared to respond; people understood, but saying it is not appropriate.

Back then, who exactly secretly instigated Baiyue to attack Three Worlds Island cultivators? Maybe initially nobody knew, but during Lu Ye's pursuit of Yu Huan, Sun Blaze governor surprisingly descended to 'mediate justice,' which was quite perplexing.

As for the female demon from the Six-tailed Fox Demon clan, she seems directly connected with that Sun Blaze governor.

First Baiyue, now Zixuan; piecing together all this information is undoubtedly intriguing.

A cultivator changed the topic, "How does Fellow Daoist Mang Dang see today's battle developing?"

Mang Dang snorted, "I'm not in the thick of it, like everyone else, just watching the show. How could I know how the battle will unfold? Just watch."

Despite saying such, he glanced worriedly in the direction of Zixuan Island.

Lion Heart had already fought his way back, and after killing Hu Guang, Lu Ye quickly retreated into a grand hall within Zixuan Island, no one knowing what he was doing.

One must admit, Lu Ye has demonstrated impressive power, but Zixuan demon cultivators are bold and unafraid of death. The changes happened too fast previously, causing most of Zixuan Island's demon cultivators to not react. Now, upon realizing, they're all charging at Lu Ye.

The Constellation's power indeed does not match Moon Jade, but if Lu Ye doesn't escape quickly, relying on just his strength might be challenging. No matter how strong he is, he can't single-handedly wipe out all the demon cultivators on Zixuan Island, can he?

If he were Lu Ye, he'd certainly escape before Lion Heart returns. This battle has earned him immense gains, it's already a huge victory, showing Three Worlds Island's magnificent reputation, there's no need to risk further. I believe henceforth, no one would dare provoke Three Worlds Island lightly.

Yet Lu Ye insists on staying...

Meanwhile, inside the grand hall, after Lu Ye barged in and swiftly killed several Constellation demon races, he flipped his palm. A green sea conch appeared in his hand. Without hesitation, he placed the conch near his lips and blew it.

Mang Dang thought he was alone, but in reality, he was never alone; he had all of Three Worlds Island standing behind him!

It was just that the time wasn't ripe before, so the cultivators of Three Worlds Island hadn't acted.

Now... the time has come!

Because Zixuan Island's protective array has already collapsed.

Executing the tactics used against Baiyue on Zixuan was previously impossible simply because Zixuan's protective array was too solid. So, even though Lu Ye disguised as Hou Fei using Treasure Blood Avatar and infiltrated, he only managed to kill a Red Elephant without bringing people over through Small Flower World.

Because even if he did so, it was impossible to breach the protective array in a short time, the only outcome being trapped like a sitting duck.

Now there's no need to worry about that.

At this moment, in Three Worlds Island, within the local island cultivator's compound, all Three Worlds Island cultivators who were contacted by Lu Ye gathered here!

And this location had been previously marked by Lu Ye with the green sea conch.

Lately, he had been targeting Zixuan, so some things had naturally been prepared in advance.

The portal opened by the green sea conch doesn't lead solely to Merfolk Territory; this he tried early on upon acquiring the conch. As long as a specific mark is left at a location, after blowing the conch, the portal manifests at the marked spot. This mark can be erased voluntarily, if not, it lasts for some time, then dissipates.

Lu Ye has always thought this conch could be used for surprise attacks in warfare, just that he hadn't had a good opportunity to use it.

This time, the chance is very favorable.

When the portal opened, Ma Shangsi was the first to rush through, followed closely by Luan Xiao'e, Yann Miao, and He Baichuan; it can be said that none of Three Worlds Island's Moon Jade strength remained overlooked.

Afterwards, a large number of Constellation orderly and swiftly passed through the portal.

Three Worlds cultivators, descending upon Zixuan!

Back when Three Worlds Island was dirt poor, Lu Ye dared to lead all cultivators to attack Baiyue, leaving Three Worlds Island behind; now, although Three Worlds Island has developed well, he still has no reservations!

On the Three Worlds Island side, there were no Constellation cultivators left to maintain order in the commercial district, because if they won this battle, the mighty reputation of defeating Zixuan would ensure that no one would dare cause trouble on Three Worlds Island again. If defeated, naturally everything else would be left unspoken.

Zixuan Island.

Lion Heart moved quickly, returning as soon as he sensed something amiss, but Lu Ye was even faster, first slaying Bao Youyou, then Hu Guang, leaving Lion Heart furious to the point of having his eye corners split.

He rushed back to Zixuan Island, roaring as he charged into the grand hall Lu Ye had entered, his murderous intent solidifying, swearing to kill Lu Ye there.

Next, all the cultivators watching in the area witnessed an unbelievable scene. Lion Heart charged in aggressively but within just one breath, he was embarrassingly flung out, his massive and sturdy body like a sandbag. In mid-air, even the blood Qi surrounding him showed signs of dispersing.

Right behind Lion Heart, several figures also dashed out from the grand hall, each with imposing momentum, led by none other than Lu Ye of Three Worlds Island.

"What's going on?" Exclamations sounded from all directions, unable to comprehend the scene before them, because Lu Ye had clearly gone in alone yet now several people were rushing out together.

Moreover, those several were not ordinary cultivators; they were evidently Moon Jade. And they looked... rather familiar.

"Isn't that Luan Xiao'e, the First Island Master of Three Worlds Island?" A cultivator recognized Luan Xiao'e. As the First Island Master of Three Worlds Island, Luan Xiao'e often showed her face, led by Tang Jun, to form connections with different Moon Jade factions. Naturally, many cultivators recognized her.

The speaker was puzzled, unable to understand why Luan Xiao'e was appearing on Zixuan, and emerging from that grand hall.

"That's Ma Shangsi!" Another recognized Ma Shangsi.

"And Yann Miao."

"He Baichuan is here too."

Including Lu Ye, this meant that all five registered Moon Jade governors of Three Worlds Island were assembled here, aside from Lu Ye, the other four were all Moon Jade Late Stage!

Shock, disbelief, incomprehension...

Various emotions surged within the minds of the cultivators, soon leading to subtle expressions as they finally grasped what Lion Heart had encountered.

The Zixuan Island Lord charged into the grand hall with unstoppable momentum, only to be surrounded and attacked by the five Moon Jade from Three Worlds Island lurking inside. How could the outcome be good?

Lion Heart was indeed formidable, but he was also a Moon Jade, not a Sun Blaze!

It was like mischievous village children fishing out snakes, thinking only a small snake was inside, only to suddenly find five fierce tigers.

Such catastrophe!

However, Lion Heart was truly strong, evident from his current state, as he didn't have any conspicuous injuries, indicating that even in the previous exchange, Three Worlds Island's five Moon Jade failed to deal with him effectively.

Lion Heart retreated, his eyes completely ruptured, but more Zixuan demon cultivators were charging forward, the entire Zixuan Island was boiling over, thousands of demon cultivators gathering from various directions, filling the vast Spirit Island with a shared resolve against enemies.

Lion Heart's heart sank to the lowest point, the observing cultivators couldn't figure out how these Moon Jade from Three Worlds Island appeared within Zixuan Island, but he clearly saw upon rushing into the grand hall.

In the center of the grand hall, a portal stood!

From that portal, one figure after another continuously appeared.

Using his toes to think, Lion Heart knew that portal must be connected to Three Worlds Island; he couldn't fathom how Lu Ye managed to open such a portal in such a short time. He only knew Zixuan was in big trouble this time.

If it was only Lu Ye alone, he wouldn't be overly worried, the strength of one person is limited, Zixuan's Moon Jade were indeed all dead except for him, but Zixuan had five thousand Constellation cultivators!

Even if they had to use sheer numbers, they could overwhelm Lu Ye.

But if the cultivators from Three Worlds Island all arrived, how the situation would develop, he couldn't predict.

After just a brief moment of consideration, Lion Heart made a decision, immediately roaring: "Destroy the grand hall, annihilate the portal!"

Absolutely must not allow more Three Worlds Island cultivators to descend upon Zixuan!

"What's all the shouting for!" Ma Shangsi yelled angrily, the Blood Sea suddenly expanding forward, trying to envelop Lion Heart. Currently on Zixuan, Lion Heart was the cornerstone; if he was killed, the numerous demon cultivators, regardless of their numbers, would be nothing but scattered sand!

However, Lion Heart was ultimately incomparable to ordinary Moon Jade, though caught off guard earlier, now he remained formidable, swiftly dodging Ma Shangsi's Blood Sea advancement.

Before he could catch his breath, his expression tightened, and raising his eyes, Lu Ye was already charging toward him, blade in hand.

Chapter 1865 - Lion Heart's Misfortune

Lion Heart's expression was solemn, not daring to relax even a bit. He was quite apprehensive about Lu Ye, because even if he himself took action, he couldn't manage to kill Bao Youyou first and then cut down Hu Guang in such a short time.

Lu Ye did it, regardless of his cultivation level, his capabilities were extremely terrifying; he was definitely an opponent worth going all out against.

Suddenly, a fierce battle erupted, with two figures whirling and blades and fists wreaking havoc. In terms of size, Lu Ye was only as large as one of Lion Heart's arms, but in terms of momentum and strength, the small figure of Lu Ye seemed even greater.

Moreover, Ma Shangsi was stirring up the Blood Sea beside them, constantly looking for opportunities to envelop Lion Heart, making him extremely agitated.

At almost the same moment Lu Ye and his servant engaged Lion Heart, a battle also broke out at the hall where the portal was located.

Countless demon race Constellations arrived there, attacking towards the hall together, because Lion Heart had just given the order to destroy the hall, so they executed without needing to know the reason.

Luan Xiao'e, Yann Miao, and He Baichuan, the three Moon Jade cultivators, leapt forward, and blood light blossomed wherever they passed.

Zixuan demon cultivators, although they formed an array with the As-Close-As-Siblings array disc, even if all formed by the Constellation Late Stage cultivators, the power they could exert barely matched a newly advanced Moon Jade cultivator.

These three Moon Jade cultivators from Three Worlds Island, each was at the Late Stage, especially Luan Xiao'e and Yann Miao, who were hoping to break through to Sun Blaze. Though the Zixuan demon cultivators had formed an array, how could they be their opponents?

But just relying on the three of them obviously couldn't protect the hall. While they were slaughtering the Zixuan demon cultivators, more Zixuan demon cultivators were attacking the hall.

From within the hall, continually came Three Worlds Island cultivators forming arrays to battle the enemy cultivators.

The observing cultivators were already dumbfounded because what they saw before their eyes had exceeded their understanding. It was one thing for Lu Ye alone to enter the hall and for five Moon Jade cultivators to come out together, but now more Constellations were coming out?

Moreover, those Constellations that suddenly emerged seemed to be clearly Three Worlds Island cultivators.

Had they not known the Spirit Island was Zixuan, everyone would have thought this place was the old nest of Three Worlds Island.

The hall was the Array Base Hall, exceptionally sturdy, so it could stand unmoving amidst the dense flurry of attacks from all sides.

However, eventually the hall was breached. Though the Array Base Hall had Formation protection and the Three Worlds Island's Constellations activated the big array as soon as they arrived through the portal, how could they withstand the wild attacks of so many Zixuan demon cultivators?

After the hall was shattered, amidst the ruins, the portal was strikingly eye-catching!

The observing cultivators finally revealed expressions of enlightenment, finally realizing where the Three Worlds Island cultivators had emerged from. Clearly, this portal was the key!

Someone's eyes gleamed as they spoke, "In the battle where Three Worlds Island launched a strong attack on Baiyue, later many Fellow Daoists investigated and even asked the surviving Baiyue cultivators about the specific circumstances of that day. Although many things were clarified, there was still one unsolved mystery!"

Someone else chimed in, "Indeed, it's said in that battle, Three Worlds Island cultivators appeared suddenly within Baiyue, destroyed several array bases, leading to a significant weakening of Baiyue's protective array's power, which they then broke through forcefully. All along, nobody knew how Three Worlds Island cultivators appeared inside Baiyue; this seems to be the reason!"

Clearly Lu Ye possesses a method to open a portal connecting to Three Worlds Island at another Spirit Island, just like what happened today!

The mystery of that Baiyue incident years ago was finally cleared up, but wasn't Lu Ye's speed too fast? He entered the hall, Lion Heart chased in, and within less than ten breaths, he had opened such a portal; what kind of method is this?

No time for pondering, an upheaval occurred again on the Zixuan side!

The hall having been breached, with the portal exposed, Three Worlds Island cultivators' situation became perilous. Because of the short time, the arriving Three Worlds Island cultivators were few in number; though there were three Moon Jade cultivators leading the charge against foes, alleviating immense pressure, there were still many attacks aimed at the hall.

If not suppressed, not to mention whether the portal could withstand, even if it did, Three Worlds Island cultivators emerging from it would suffer.

Crossing the portal, even for a moment, was undoubtedly when cultivators were most vulnerable.

Fortunately, Luan Xiao'e and the others had long prepared for this scenario.

Next to the portal, seven Constellation Late Stage cultivators stood tall, seemingly in random positions, yet holding hidden mysteries. All seven were broad-shouldered and robust with surging blood Qi, all physique cultivators by nature, particularly the one at the center, whose body was largest, a burly figure with exposed chest, an honest appearance.

Holding an As-Close-As-Siblings array disc, he roared suddenly. Instantly, the seven physique cultivators connected their energies, blood Qi intertwined, with faint beast roars echoing out, forming a massive Black Tortoise array.

The As-Close-As-Siblings array disc has been popular across All Phenomena Ocean for many years, and for some common arrays everyone was well familiar. The Black Tortoise array is undoubtedly the most common; five can form it, seven is optimal, upon formation, gains the marvelous power of the Black Tortoise with extremely strong Protective Power.

Except... this suddenly appearing Black Tortoise array seemed somewhat different than what people were familiar with?

The Black Tortoise virtual image formed by this Black Tortoise array was very realistic, even the patterns on its back shell were distinctly visible. The Black Tortoise array inherently possesses strong protection, and this seemingly unique Black Tortoise array appeared even stronger, but no one could say for sure how strong.

Yet it was soon verified.

Because countless attacks fell on the back armor of the Black Tortoise's apparition, they couldn't break this formation immediately, and the portal guarded by it remained stable and unmoving!

"This formation... is so strong!" someone exclaimed, the protective capability of the Black Tortoise Array before them exceeded all expectations.

"Who is at the array eye?" someone asked, although the strength of the formation is closely linked to all the cultivators involved, the one with the leading role is undoubtedly the one at the array eye. The speaker obviously realized that this Black Tortoise Array was different and had a great connection to the cultivator at the array eye.

"This person is called Giant Armor, one of the strongest Constellations on Three Realms Island." The Moon Jade elder, who had some unpleasantness with Mang Dang earlier, suddenly spoke, "Do you all still remember the scene when the Baiyue Great Array was broken years ago?"

Someone showed a reminiscent expression: "It seems that the one that broke the Baiyue Great Array back then was also a Black Tortoise Array!"

That shocking scene, even after many years, still made those who witnessed it feel their emotions surge as they recalled it, because in the common understanding, the Black Tortoise Array was for defense. Who could have imagined that this formation could deliver such a terrifying strike?

The Moon Jade elder said, "Indeed, back then, the Black Tortoise Array was presided over by Giant Armor, assisted by several Moon Jade cultivators from Three Realms Island, resulting in such an earth-shattering strike."

Mang Dang suddenly turned his head to look at him: "Fellow Daoist seems to have quite an understanding of Three Realms Island."

The Moon Jade elder chuckled, "The rise of Three Realms Island is so rapid, it's a model for us all, so naturally, we should learn as much as possible and imitate them, even if just a little."

Mang Dang gazed at him for another moment before turning his head. Just then, an exclamation came from the side: "Something's wrong, Lionheart is in trouble!"

Mang Dang quickly looked towards Lionheart's battlefield, only to see Lionheart engaged fiercely with Lu Ye. Although their cultivation differed by a small realm, Lu Ye clearly had the absolute upper hand on the scene, suppressing Lionheart to the point where he could only defend. This undoubtedly meant one thing - one-on-one, Lionheart was no match for Lu Ye!

Of course, this might have something to do with Ma Shangsi intimidatingly lurking nearby, as this guy manipulated a floating Blood Sea, occasionally sweeping towards Lionheart, forcing him to divide his attention for defense.

This wasn't the key. The key was that during this fierce battle between the two sides, a figure quietly approached from behind Lionheart without a sound.

Mang Dang strained his ocular power to observe and found to his shock that the figure was Lu Ye!

He immediately understood that this was Lu Ye's doppelganger.

Finally, he remembered one thing: Lionheart was lured out by Lu Ye's doppelganger before. After Lionheart returned, the doppelganger disappeared without a trace.

Unexpectedly, it sneaked back at this moment, and judging by its stealthy approach, it was clearly using the Breath-concealing method because Lionheart, who was entangled in combat with Lu Ye's true self, was completely unaware!

Lionheart was about to be in big trouble! Mang Dang had seen with his own eyes the terrifying power of Lu Ye's doppelganger performing the Blood Explosion Technique, a move that had killed Junior Brother Tiger.

Suddenly, there was a surge of soul force within the crowd.

Mang Dang swiftly turned his head, locking onto an unfamiliar Moon Jade, and in a blink, he understood what was happening. He immediately clenched his fists and struck toward that Moon Jade.

The opponent's cultivation wasn't high, only at the Moon Jade mid-stage, and being ambushed by Mang Dang like this, there was no way to dodge!

This punch directly caused that Moon Jade to spit out blood and stagger back, but Mang Dang relentlessly pressed on, his mana surging, raining punches down relentlessly, leaving that Moon Jade defenseless.

"Fellow Daoist, why is this?" The mid-stage Moon Jade shouted as blood spilled from his mouth.

"I just don't like your face!" Mang Dang snorted coldly, catching up and launching several more punches, turning the cultivator into dust.

The surrounding cultivators felt a chill in their hearts.

Mang Dang glanced around coldly, "If you're here to watch, then just watch. Don't do anything that'd get on my nerves."

The Constellations were left puzzled, while the Moon Jade cultivators were well aware.

Though Mang Dang seemed to have unreasonably killed a Moon Jade cultivator, in truth, it was brought upon himself because that guy was trying to communicate with Lionheart, and the sudden surge of soul force was the most obvious evidence.

Mang Dang had a personal connection with Lu Ye, so how could he allow this person to communicate with Lionheart right in front of him? He directly killed to settle the matter!

On the other side, Lionheart, having received a warning, finally sensed the doppelganger of the Talent Tree looming behind him, but he had no good way to deal with it because Lu Ye and his servant had already consumed all his focus.

In desperation, he could only channel his power to protect his back.

The Talent Tree doppelganger launched a kick, sending Lionheart staggering with its immense power, and Lu Ye's true body immediately seized the moment to attack, forcing Lionheart to dodge to the side!

Ma Shangsi, having waited for this moment, had already spread the Blood Sea in that direction almost as soon as the Talent Tree doppelganger launched its kick.

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The blood waves surged, and Lion Heart fell into the Blood Sea and disappeared! It looked as if he threw himself in willingly.

"Finally caught him!" Ma Shangsi gritted his teeth, clearly frustrated. In the past, his Blood Sea Technique had always been successful, but this time, if not for Lu Ye's Talent Tree Avatar's assistance, it would have been quite difficult to manage.

This made him realize something: some Moon Jades' strength was truly unreasonable. He himself was in the Moon Jade Late Stage, but if he were to face Lion Heart one-on-one, he would definitely not be an opponent.

The Blood Sea violently shook. Lion Heart, who fell into it, knew the situation was not good and would not sit and wait for death. He immediately stirred his power to churn the Blood Sea.

Ma Shangsi even felt unable to suppress him for a moment. Fortunately, under his guidance, Lu Ye was already beside Lion Heart, slashing repeatedly with his long saber.

Within the Blood Sea, Lu Ye's expression was cold and stern. He had to admit one thing: Lion Heart was indeed the strongest Moon Jade he had met so far. None of the past Moon Jades he encountered could compare to him.

Lion Heart's strength was not only reflected in his combat prowess but also in his incredulous physique!

Demon cultivators rarely used magic treasures, and the Blood Race too, but that was because the corrosive nature of blood techniques conflicted heavily with magic treasures, making them unusable. Demons were different; the main reason demons did not use magic treasures was their confidence in their own physique. Many demons, after transforming into human form, would often temper a part of their body to exhibit power comparable to magic artifacts or even magic treasures.

Furthermore, every demon was naturally proficient in their race's demon arts, essentially making the demon race dual cultivation of body and magic.

Just like the Moon Jade named Red Elephant that Lu Ye previously ambushed and killed on Zixuan; the power of his swinging trunk just before his death was in no way inferior to activating a magic treasure.

Lion Heart didn't have any particular part of his body specially tempered. Instead, he refined his entire body into an existence comparable to a magic treasure. His long life, countless years at the Moon Jade Late Stage, gave him enough time to achieve this.

His body had been tempered to the limit!

Every punch thrown, every kick delivered was an attack of magic-treasure class; anyone hit by it wouldn't have a good outcome.

So even though Lu Ye's Boulder Mountain Saber was incomparably sharp and continuously enhanced by Divine Sharp Edge Spirit Runes, slashing at Lion Heart's body couldn't cause too severe damage, barely breaking the skin.

Lu Ye originally planned to use his Treasure Blood Avatar to form an array and kill Lion Heart, but given his formidable physique, he had to abandon this plan. Since there was only one Boulder Mountain Saber and it couldn't inflict effective damage, no number of Treasure Blood Avatars would be useful, and he even withdrew his Talent Tree Avatar.

This reminded Lu Ye of his past battles against Sun Blaze beyond his realm. His attacks, when unable to break the enemy's defense, often couldn't fully manifest their unmatched slashes.

Unless he deployed the Great Windmill Secret Technique, slashing the same spot numerous times.

But would Lion Heart give Lu Ye such an opportunity?

So all Lu Ye could do was suppress Lion Heart, but he couldn't achieve any substantial victory.

Yet now was different. The powerful Zixuan Island Lord had already fallen into the Blood Sea. As long as Ma Shangsi could stabilize the situation, Lion Heart was doomed sooner or later!

The Blood Sea churned with roar after roar of the lion, and each time, the rolling of the Blood Sea became particularly violent. This invisible and immaterial sound attack was something Ma Shangsi could neither evade nor exempt from.

Lu Ye's figure darted and dashed within the Blood Sea, each time accurately slashing Lion Heart, producing the sound of metal clashing.

Lion Heart, like a trapped beast in a cage, had no space to wield his unreasonable strength, unable to even grasp the enemy's trace.

Under those precise strikes, real wounds finally appeared on Lion Heart's body.

Ma Shangsi had been waiting for this moment. His spirits immediately lifted, like a shark smelling fishy scent, and he promptly activated the Blood Attraction Technique.

Blood flowed continuously from the small wounds.

Initially, there was just one wound, but as time passed, more appeared, making Lion Heart's massive figure turn into a bloody mess.

He realized things were not going well.

Relying on his powerful physique, he was confident that on the Moon Jade level, no one could really trouble him. But today, he was shocked to find someone truly capable of penetrating his strong flesh.

Even if it were just this, it would be fine, as the opponent achieved it by repeatedly striking the same spot, and with his physique, such minor flesh wounds could recover in an instant.

But in reality, he clearly felt a strange power lingering around the wound, with no sign of the damage healing swiftly as it should.

Moreover, an esoteric force from the Blood Sea was pulling his blood quickly from the wounds.

The secret technique jointly developed by Lu Ye and his subordinate to kill the enemy was showing initial success!

The unique nature of the Boulder Mountain Saber combined with the Blood Race's Blood Attraction Technique was practically heaven-sent.

The great battle within the Blood Sea continued unbroken, but due to its concealment, the cultivators watching could not see the internal situation at all, leading to disappointment. They could only look toward Zixuan Island.

In just a brief moment, the situation within Zixuan Island has changed drastically.

The Black Tortoise Array, led by Giant Armor, still maintains its formation, safeguarding the gate beneath the array, but the pressure they need to withstand is obviously much less now because more and more Three Worlds Island cultivators are emerging from the gate, quickly forming arrays, occupying all sides, and fending off the incoming attacks.

So even though Zixuan's demon cultivators are numerous and powerful, they can't achieve any results, because in terms of strategic intent, one side is attacking, and the other is defending. In comparison, the defending side, Three Worlds Island, undoubtedly holds a great advantage.

Three Moon Jade Late Stage cultivators from Three Worlds Island are wantonly slaughtering with no one to stop them. In the sky, Zixuan demon cultivators are falling like dumplings, bloodlight bursting densely and incessantly.

All the cultivators watching couldn't help but hold their breath, for they realized one thing: regardless of position or preference, they are witnessing a historic moment!

This is a battle worthy of being recorded in the annals of the All Phenomena Ocean!

How many years has it been since top-tier forces settled in the All Phenomena Ocean, occupying top-class Spirit Islands, and there has never been a case where a top-class Spirit Island was breached and then changed hands—of course, Unparalleled Island doesn't count. Although it is a top-class Spirit Island, it is not occupied by a top-tier force.

And today, they are likely to witness it firsthand.

The pattern of top-tier forces entrenched on top-class Spirit Islands in the All Phenomena Ocean, unchanged for tens of thousands of years, is finally about to be broken.

And the ones achieving this are merely cultivators from a high-class Spirit Island.

Zixuan demon cultivators' strategy of fiercely attacking the gateway has completely failed because no more Three Worlds Island cultivators are descending from the gateway. All the gathered Three Worlds Island cultivators have already reached the battlefield, making the existence of the gateway irrelevant.

The Three Worlds Island cultivators, who descended, quickly constructed defenses centered around the already ruined Array Base Hall, resisting the attacks from all sides.

Giant Armor and others retreated, blood-covered. Earlier, they formed the Black Tortoise Array and became a trustworthy defensive shield for their comrades at the most critical moment. But even such a Black Tortoise Array was eventually broken by the Zixuan demon cultivators.

Seven physique cultivators returned vomiting blood, with healing cultivators already waiting to swiftly take over the treatment.

If it weren't for Mong Jie offering his conch and forming another defense when the Black Tortoise Array broke, there would definitely have been casualties on the Three Worlds Island side.

Currently, the strongest defense on the Three Worlds Island side formed by the Constellation cultivators is not the Black Tortoise Array, but Mong Jie's conch. That thing is truly a wondrous treasure. It was a great help against Baiyue before, and today it is equally significant.

Luan Xiao'e, Yann Miao, and He Baichuan, the three Moon Jade Late Stage cultivators, move back and forth among the enemy cultivators, like no man's land, killing enemies while also providing timely support to their Constellation cultivators. Wherever the pressure is high, they go to kill some, thus relieving the defensive pressure.

As time passes, more and more Zixuan demon cultivators are dying in battle. Around the defensive circle constructed by Three Worlds Island cultivators, countless broken bodies and limbs lie, with blood forming small rivers on the ground, flowing all around.

Numerous cultivators watching are in awe because, until now, even though the situation is at a clear disadvantage, and even without any Moon Jade watching over, the Zixuan demon cultivators still maintain a high and unmatched fighting spirit. No demon cultivator has fled or retreated, and many times, they charge into battle even knowing they will die.

This tragic scene can be seen everywhere on the battlefield, making the watching cultivators show unwillingness on their faces and yet give rise to admiration.

"Truly worthy of being Zixuan demon cultivators, this fearless toughness in battle is beyond what cultivators from ordinary forces can compare to. With these cultivators in the domain, how can the future not be strong?"

"Zixuan might be finished; now it depends on whether Lion Heart can escape."

"Even if Lion Heart escapes, it won't change the outcome; Zixuan's defeat is a foregone conclusion!"

"Have you all noticed, Fellow Daoists, that while Zixuan has suffered heavy losses, Three Worlds Island seems to have... no deaths in battle!"

How could others not notice this? Because Three Worlds Island cultivators have always been in a defensive state, and with the three Moon Jade Late Stage cultivators alleviating pressure for them, until now, many have been injured, but not a single one has died in battle.

"In the battle against Baiyue, Three Worlds Island achieved a terrifying record of zero casualties. Now against Zixuan, can they achieve the same?"

If that's true, it would be too terrifying. Achieving that against Baiyue is one thing, but this is Zixuan, a top-class Spirit Island occupied by a top-tier force, completely different from Baiyue's scale.

But from the current situation, as long as Three Worlds Island remains steady and firm, it doesn't seem difficult to achieve this result.

Cultivators almost foresee one thing: in the upcoming years or even decades, today's battle will be a topic of great interest. When Three Worlds Island attacked Baiyue, it led to years of discussion among the All Phenomena Ocean cultivators. This time won't be any less notable than back then.

Almost everyone thinks the situation won't change much now. The only variable is whether Lion Heart can escape alive!

However, just then, from within Zixuan Island, a cold and stern voice suddenly resounded: "Three Worlds cultivators, heed the order, follow us to kill the enemy!"

Upon receiving the order, the watching cultivators were still in shock.

The Three Worlds Island cultivators, initially in a defensive position, swiftly sprang into action.

In the blink of an eye, the unbreakable defensive formation was abandoned as two thousand cultivators split into three groups, resembling three dragons. Luan Xiao'e, Yann Miao, and He Baichuan, the three Moon Jade Late Stage cultivators, came forward to meet them, forming the dragon's head.

With a faint roar of the Dragon's Wail, three dragons formed by Three Worlds Island cultivators truly leapt out like flood dragons into the sea, surging in three directions!

Chapter 1867 - Demonic Pill Strike

"Ah, this..."

"What is Three Worlds Island doing?"

As the internal conflict within Zixuan Island unfolded, the onlooking cultivators all showed expressions of confusion, clearly stunned by the strategic change of Three Worlds Island.

According to the previous development of the situation, the Three Worlds Island side didn't need to make any changes. They just needed to proceed steadily, and they could capture Zixuan without paying too much of a price, with the opportunity to achieve a zero-casualty record like the last swift offensive against Baiyue.

Yet, they did not choose this. They abandoned their original defense formations, with two thousand cultivators led by three Late Stage Moon Jade warriors, transformed into three long dragons, and charged into the enemy ranks.

Not only were the onlooking cultivators dumbfounded, but the Zixuan demon cultivators were equally shocked. No one expected Three Worlds Island to make such an astonishing choice.

Thus, after the three long dragons soared into the offensive, a wider scope and larger number of casualties appeared. Originally, the task of killing was primarily handled by the three Late Stage Moon Jade warriors, but even though they were powerful, killing constellation cultivators like slicing melons and chopping vegetables, their efficiency was still limited.

But now it's different. The entire army of Three Worlds Island launched an offensive, catching Zixuan off guard, resulting in over a hundred constellation cultivators being killed on the spot in a matter of moments.

"Using offense to replace defense, Three Worlds Island intends to end the battle quickly, to avoid complications!" someone recognized the intention of Three Worlds Island.

After all, the last swift offensive against Baiyue had some issues, ultimately leading to the arrival of the Sun Blaze governor. The Baiyue battle could stir Sun Blaze, and today, attacking Zixuan, it was feared that the eyes of the five Sun Blaze governors of All Phenomena Ocean were all focused here.

If any of the Sun Blaze governors decide to intervene, Three Worlds Island would be in trouble. Although the probability of this happening is low, precautions must be taken. So even knowing that a steady and thorough approach would definitely capture Zixuan, the Three Worlds Island side couldn't continue dragging it out.

Taking the initiative to attack is different; it can greatly shorten the time required for this battle.

Wherever the cultivators looked, the three long dragons of Three Worlds Island truly resembled three torrents, annihilating everything in their path.

The fearless nature of the Zixuan demon cultivators appeared so fragile and laughable in the face of absolute power discrepancy.

What shocked the cultivators even more was that the ferocity of the Zixuan demon cultivators had left a deep impression, but the ruthlessness of the Three Worlds Island cultivators seemed even more pronounced.

These thousands of cultivators from both sides apparently had none afraid of death!

For a long time, everyone's impression of Three Worlds Island cultivators remained at the stage of the swift offensive against Baiyue, but that battle went very smoothly for Three Worlds Island. They didn't actually show much of their courage and fearlessness. Afterward, Three Worlds Island vigorously developed, and their cultivators increasingly gave off the impression of merchants, especially Tang Jun who made connections everywhere, always had a smiling face, further enhancing the prior misconception.

Only now, witnessing this incredible battle firsthand, did the cultivators of All Phenomena Ocean realize that Three Worlds Island cultivators were not harmless merchants; they were a group of ruthless attackers who dared to invade your home, kill and burn until you were completely wiped out!

Even if you bear the mighty name of Zixuan!

Indeed, if they weren't such lawless people, how would they dare to attack a spirit island like Zixuan?

The battle continued intensely, and casualties among the Zixuan demon cultivators were appalling. Originally, the number of cultivators on Zixuan Island was twice that of Three Worlds Island. However, by now, the numbers on both sides were already even, and Three Worlds Island had even more cultivators.

Facing the wanton slaughter by Three Worlds Island's three long dragons, the Zixuan demon cultivators also wanted to organize resistance, but even if they gathered, without Moon Jade leading, they couldn't withstand the opponents from Three Worlds Island.

Desperate emotions began to grow and spread, with subtle changes appearing in the fearlessness and bravery of the Zixuan demon cultivators.

"Go, everyone go!" A lion's roar suddenly echoed, bursting through the heavens and the earth.

The watching cultivators immediately turned their heads towards the boiling Blood Sea, realizing it was Lion Heart calling out.

Trapped by Ma Shangsi's Blood Sea Technique, Lion Heart had been unable to escape. Although he was unclear about the specific situation of the battle outside, his Mental Consciousness perceived some signs.

The Zixuan demon cultivators had died too many!

Now, on all of Zixuan Island, there was only one Moon Jade left, and he was trapped here. The island itself couldn't withstand the fierce attack from Three Worlds Island.

If this continues, the Zixuan demon cultivators would likely be killed to the last!

Only escaping remains; counting how many can escape, being pursued is still better than being completely wiped out. That's why he shouted to issue orders.

The Zixuan demon cultivators were already struggling to sustain themselves, their initial sharpness extinguished, and now with the Island Master giving the order, many demons hesitated no longer, but fled in all directions.

"Kill! Do not let a single one go!" Luan Xiao'e commanded coldly, her previously dignified and grand manner now burning with the flames of hatred in her eyes.

Wey Po was a cultivator from her Jade Conch, who had managed to advance to Moon Jade in All Phenomena Ocean but was swallowed whole by Lion Heart. In terms of hatred toward Zixuan, she was the most intense.

The three dragons abruptly dispersed, reforming into various formations, chasing after the fleeing Zixuan demon cultivators.

Zixuan is finished!

Among the crowd of watching cultivators, the thought arose within everyone's mind. Although it was anticipated that this might happen halfway through the battle, when such a result truly appeared, it still felt incredibly unreal.

A high-class Spirit Island, capturing a top-class Spirit Island with only half the enemy's forces!

Moreover, this time the battle took even less time than the previous assault on Baiyue, achieving a decisive victory almost within half a day!

Even witnessing such a ridiculous event firsthand, it's hard to believe.

At that moment, an astonishing and terrifying energy aura suddenly emanated from one direction, causing everyone to turn their heads towards it in surprise.

Because that was where the Blood Sea was spreading, and within it were Lu Ye, Ma Shangsi, and Lion Heart, three Moon Jade legends, in a fierce struggle.

The sudden surge of energy waves was terrifyingly intense, not at the Sun Blaze level, but definitely at the pinnacle of the Moon Jade level!

"Lion Heart has unleashed the demon core!" someone exclaimed in horror.

Such a fluctuation could not be caused by ordinary means. The only possibility was that Lion Heart had unleashed his demonic pill, refined over thousands of years!

It was a desperate move by a top late-stage Moon Jade cultivator.

It's unimaginable what happened in that Blood Sea to force Lion Heart to such a point!

Almost at the same moment as the words fell, a golden light suddenly bloomed within the boundless Blood Sea. The brilliance of the golden light amidst the blood was overwhelmingly dazzling.

In the next instant, the golden light suddenly expanded and swelled like a big sun exploding!

The terrifying energy swept all around, and the vast Blood Sea burst open a huge hole. In the golden light, the twisted outline of Lion Heart's body could be vaguely seen.

Lu Ye and Ma Shangsi were nowhere to be seen. The master and servant, upon realizing that Lion Heart had unleashed the demon core, had already moved far away. This was a desperate move by Lion Heart, so even Lu Ye dared not underestimate it.

Not only that, Lu Ye continuously activated his Defense Spirit Runes to protect his body.

The Blood Sea surged turbulently, Ma Shangsi exclaimed in shock, and then began to cough violently, obviously injured by Lion Heart's terrifying strike.

Several layers of the protective spirit runes on Lu Ye's body also shattered, and this was even with the protection of Ma Shangsi's Blood Sea, indicating the horror of Lion Heart's strike.

But his eyes were extremely bright because he knew this was Lion Heart's last attack. For the Demon Race, unleashing the demonic pill was a last resort, and after one strike, they would inevitably suffer great damage to their vital energy!

Before the terrifying energy aftermath settled, Lu Ye rushed towards the direction where Lion Heart was.

However, before he arrived, he saw Lion Heart turn his head to look at him, pale as death, gritting his teeth and shouting, "Today's hatred will be repaid a hundredfold in the future!"

As he spoke, a rich purple light suddenly emanated from his body.

Lu Ye's speed suddenly increased, and with a swift maneuver, he reached Lion Heart's position. The Boulder Mountain Saber hummed with mana, and all his strength poured into this strike, slashing down fiercely!

This slash, however, hit nothing but air. The hulking figure of Lion Heart vanished in an instant before the long blade fell.

The flesh on Lu Ye's right arm holding the saber cracked, a result of exerting all his strength, overloading his right arm, but he seemed to feel nothing. He closed his eyes, mental consciousness surging, carefully sensing!

As the Blood Sea contracted, Ma Shangsi dashed to Lu Ye's side, wiping the fresh blood from the corner of his mouth, and asked perplexedly, "Where's he gone?"

Such a large Lion Heart disappearing without a trace made no sense.

"Teleportation Symbol!" Lu Ye suddenly opened his eyes, turned to look in a direction, and said, "Over there!"

As he spoke, a drop of treasure blood exploded, enveloping him in a layer of blood light as he chased out.

Ma Shangsi was momentarily stunned but quickly followed. However, having been hit by the aftermath of Lion Heart's demon core attack, his breath was unstable, and he couldn't keep up. Soon, the blood light wrapping Lu Ye vanished from his sight, leaving him with no choice but to turn his attention to hunting down the fleeing Zixuan demon cultivators.

Years ago, in the Western Region, Mount Fangcun passed through the All Phenomena Ocean, reaching several deals with various factions to exchange for resources needed by the Dwarf Race.

Although Zixuan Island wasn't keen on magic treasures, they were quite interested in Spirit Talismans, and they too made deals with the Dwarf Race.

The transposition talisman on Lion Heart's body came from the Dwarf Race and allowed for quicker and farther teleportation than those made by other cultivators.

However, the transposition talisman had a drawback: once activated, it teleported to a location beyond one's control.

These things were mostly used as lifesaving measures in critical moments. The red talisman that Lu Ye still carried was exactly such a transposition talisman meant for escaping, and being a red talisman, its effect was surely superior to Lion Heart's.

Normally, if Lion Heart used the transposition talisman to escape, Lu Ye wouldn't know which direction he went no matter his ability. Lion Heart would merely need to find a place to hide and would be able to escape successfully.

But during the previous battle, Lu Ye inflicted numerous wounds on Lion Heart, and within those wounds lingered the barghest's power.

Lu Ye indeed didn't know where Lion Heart had teleported to, but as long as the distance wasn't too far, he could sense the barghest's power using the Boulder Mountain Saber and locate him!

As long as Lion Heart lives, the hatred for Wey Po's death remains unpaid. How could Lu Ye allow Lion Heart to continue living?

Chapter 1868 - Fox Clan Enchantress

With Lion Heart severely wounded and having previously used his demon core in a desperate fight, now is the perfect opportunity to eliminate him completely.

Using the Boulder Mountain Saber, Lu Ye could vaguely sense a faint trace of barghest's power in a certain direction, which undoubtedly was the direction Lion Heart was in.

With the burst of treasure blood enhancement, the Blood Escape Technique was pushed to its limits, transforming Lu Ye into a streak of rainbow light!

As time passed, the sense of barghest's power became clearer, undoubtedly indicating that the distance was gradually closing, but Lu Ye couldn't help but frown.

For in his perception, Lion Heart was fleeing straight towards All Phenomena Island.

After a brief thought, Lu Ye discerned Lion Heart's intention.

Indeed, with Zixuan broken and the Zixuan demon cultivators dead or injured, he being the last survivor on Moon Jade's side, if he wished to continue living, he must find a place to recover and rejuvenate.

All Phenomena Island was undoubtedly his best and only choice.

Realizing this, Lu Ye immediately took out the star map of the All Phenomena Ocean, verified his current position, and estimated Lion Heart's location. Comparing their speeds, his frown deepened.

For according to his calculations, if he continued the chase like this, he might fail because Lion Heart, being much closer to All Phenomena Island, would reach there first even if he was slower.

Once Lion Heart entered All Phenomena Island, Lu Ye wouldn't be able to get him; he couldn't barge into All Phenomena Island to kill someone—that would be suicidal!

After a brief moment of consideration, Lu Ye changed his original plan, immediately altering his direction to fly straight toward All Phenomena Island. Since time was not on his side, he would intercept Lion Heart before he reached the island!

Meanwhile, inside a short-stay palace on All Phenomena Island, an elder was sitting, and in front of him, a charming and incredibly alluring lady was kneeling, gently sobbing, her pitiful expression evoking sympathy.

Not far from the elder's side, Yuan Cheng stood respectfully, head bowed, eyes downcast.

Being in such a place and receiving such respectful treatment from Yuan Cheng unmistakably indicated the elder's identity - Yuan Du, one of the five Sun Blaze governors of the All Phenomena Ocean.

In the quiet environment, only the slight sobbing of the alluring lady could be heard.

Yuan Cheng dared not speak, only occasionally checking his audio talisman to receive information coming from outside.

"How is the situation?" Yuan Du suddenly asked.

Only then did Yuan Cheng reply, "Ancestor, Zixuan has fallen, Lion Heart ordered the Zixuan demon cultivators to flee, and used his demon core for a desperate attack, escaping with a Spirit Talisman."

"Useless!" Yuan Du coldly snorted, from his perspective, he couldn't fathom why Zixuan was so inadequate.

In his original plan, Zixuan only needed to lure that Lu Ye onto the island and kill him, then quickly deploy troops to seize Three Worlds Island.

Even if Lu Ye wasn't killed, with such a pretext, Zixuan could still deploy the troops.

But unexpectedly, the conflict did not develop as planned, with Zixuan suffering heavy losses, while Three Worlds Island remained peaceful and undisturbed by war.

As a result, Zixuan never attacked Three Worlds Island; instead, the cultivators from Three Worlds Island descended with divine weapons into Zixuan, and now, even Lion Heart was on the run.

"Is that Lu Ye truly so powerful?" Yuan Du asked as he looked at Yuan Cheng.

Yuan Cheng couldn't help but recall a scene from a previous banquet, at that moment, Lu Ye rushed directly toward him, and he almost thought he was a goner, but at the critical moment, Lu Ye changed his target and killed that Junior Brother Tiger.

Afterward, he learned that it was just an avatar.

"Looking at all the gathered intelligence, he indeed qualifies to be the number one under Sun Blaze," Yuan Cheng cautiously responded, knowing that such a strong figure as Lion Heart from Moon Jade was forced to hastily flee, who else under Moon Jade in this vast stellar space could be his opponent?

"Woo woo woo..." Her gentle sobs suddenly grew louder. The alluring lady kneeling before Yuan Du, tears streaming down her cheeks, looked up pitifully at Yuan Du: "My kin died so tragically, and so many clansmen from my realm were killed, my husband, you must avenge them."

Old Tang had once told Lu Ye, this old fellow Yuan Du has no other hobbies besides having many concubines, of which, one of his most favored concubines hails from the Zixuan Demon Planet, a Six-tailed Fox Demon, and her name is Hu Xue.

Sharing the same Six-tailed Fox Demon lineage, she naturally had some connection with Hu Guang. Upon receiving the news of Hu Guang's demise, she immediately came crying to Yuan Du, which led to Yuan Du summoning Yuan Cheng for inquiries.

Now, hearing Hu Xue cry again, Yuan Du felt a headache coming on.

Hu Guang was killed by Lu Ye in the conflict between the two islands; even with all his powers, Yuan Du couldn't avenge Hu Xue. If he did, it would surely break the longtime rules held within the All Phenomena Star System.

But he was indeed very fond of this concubine and did not want to offend her, so he could only sigh and say, "Get up and speak."

Hu Xue sniffled, "I won't get up if you don't promise me."

Only Hu Xue dared to speak to Yuan Du this way. If any other less favored concubine did so, Yuan Du would've kicked them away.

But how could he agree to such a thing? Yuan Du could only patiently say, "That Lu Ye is destined to die, but we must come up with a good plan, this matter needs long-term consideration."

Hu Xue wanted to say more, but upon meeting Yuan Du's eyes, she quickly swallowed her words, gracefully got up, and dabbed the corners of her eyes: "You said it, when you kill that Lu Ye, I want to see him die with my own eyes."

She wasn't a fool; being of the Six-tailed Fox Demon clan, how could she be? Although she does act spoiled, everything has its limits, and she knew no matter how much she whined and forced, Yuan Du could never personally slaughter Lu Ye, but she needed Yuan Du to make a statement.

"Alright, alright." Yuan Du readily agreed.

Hu Xue finally stood contentedly behind Yuan Du, gently massaging with her jade-like hands, appearing extremely docile.

She was dressed very revealingly, large patches of snow-white skin dazzling to the eyes, yet Yuan Cheng did not dare to look, keeping his head down the entire time.

The audio talisman suddenly had some activity. Yuan Cheng quickly checked it and looked up sharply, saying, "Ancestor, Lion Heart has sent a message."

"Useless, still has the face to send a message!" Yuan Du couldn't help but curse again, impatiently asking, "What did he say?"

Yuan Cheng replied, "He said he is heading towards All Phenomena Island, badly injured, and needs to come to the ancestor to recuperate."

Yuan Du snorted coldly, "After expending his demonic pill, he will indeed suffer a huge loss of vital energy and needs a great elixir pill to recuperate. Looking around the All Phenomena Ocean, coming to me is indeed his best choice."

"Then..." Yuan Cheng tentatively spoke up.

Yuan Du sighed, "Ultimately, he belongs to Zixuan, it's not good to ignore him. Go and receive him."

"Yes!" Yuan Cheng answered.

"I shall go along as well. Back in Zixuan, Senior Brother Lion Heart took good care of me, like a brother. Now that he is in trouble, I should see if there's anything I can assist with," Hu Xue spoke softly.

"Go ahead." Yuan Du waved his hand; such a small matter he naturally wouldn't refuse.

Yuan Cheng and Hu Xue then flew out together, Yuan Cheng in front, Hu Xue behind. It wasn't that Yuan Cheng was being impolite, but Hu Xue's attire made it inappropriate for him to walk behind her. If he did, he wouldn't know where to look.

Soon, the two left All Phenomena Island and stood in a certain spot outside the island, waiting for Lion Heart's arrival.

"How long will it take?" Hu Xue asked.

Yuan Cheng said, "When I contacted Fellow Daoist Lion Heart earlier, he was already very close. He should be here in a short while."

Hu Xue nodded slightly, standing there with grace and aplomb, attracting the involuntary gazes of many cultivators passing by, though she seemed oblivious.

Suddenly, a powerful aura rapidly approached from the side with unimaginable speed.

Both Hu Xue and Yuan Cheng turned their heads to look in that direction, seeing a red light.

The red light abruptly stopped not far from them, revealing the hidden figure within.

The figure stood tall like a sword, exuding an astonishing aura, with a young face and a cold expression.

Yuan Cheng was taken aback, "Lu Ye!"

How could this guy appear in this place? Indeed, among the messages he received earlier, it was mentioned that Lu Ye was chasing after Lion Heart, but if he were tailing him, he shouldn't appear here; he should be behind Lion Heart!

Something was wrong! Yuan Cheng's heart raced.

"Is he Lu Ye?" Beside Yuan Cheng, Hu Xue immediately focused her gaze, her star-like beautiful eyes filled with anger and murderous intent, glaring intensely.

She had just been pleading with Yuan Du to kill Lu Ye, not expecting the person himself to appear right before her eyes in the blink of an eye.

Despite her deep scheming, she couldn't suppress the murderous intent in her heart.

The two spoke one after another, and Lu Ye merely glanced at them blandly before withdrawing his gaze.

Although he didn't know Hu Xue, he recognized Yuan Cheng at a glance, having interacted twice before, though neither encounter was pleasant for the other party.

As for Hu Xue... Lu Ye sensed demon Qi from her, and given her extraordinary beauty, he vaguely guessed her identity.

The first thought that arose was why these two were here?

But he quickly had a conjecture.

Yuan Cheng seemed to be waiting for someone here...

And judging from the direction Yuan Cheng had been looking, the person he was waiting for should be none other than Lion Heart who fled to All Phenomena Island!

Lu Ye immediately understood; Lion Heart must have communicated with Yuan Cheng, hence Yuan Cheng was waiting here to receive him. In other words, he wasn't late; Lion Heart was still approaching.

This undoubtedly confirmed that his previous strategy was correct, he should have come directly to All Phenomena Island to intercept Lion Heart!

Zixuan Island Lord, today is the day you die!

Just as he was thinking this, a black dot appeared at the edge of his vision, rushing towards them, albeit not very quickly due to poor condition.

And from the location of the black dot, the distinct sensation of the barghest's power could be felt.

Lu Ye's long saber vibrated in his hand as he darted forward to meet it.

Chapter 1869 - Duel with the Enchantress

As Lion Heart was about to arrive, Lu Ye suddenly appeared, looking murderous, and charged forward with his blade.

Even Yuan Cheng, as dim-witted as he was, knew what was about to happen. Feeling something amiss, he urgently shouted, "Fellow Daoist, hold on!"

In the Zixuan Moon Jade level, only this sole sapling remained; in any case, he had to preserve Lion Heart's life. In a daze, he couldn't help but recall the battle between the Three Worlds Island and Baiyue.

At the last moment, the Moon Jade level also had only Yu Huan as the sole sapling left; at that time, he stepped forward intending to rescue Yu Huan, but Lu Ye paid him no mind at all.

History astonishingly repeats itself, because today, Lu Ye once again showed no intention of paying heed to him!

Yuan Cheng was frantic; if Lion Heart got killed in front of him, he wouldn't know how to explain it to Yuan Du. Just as he was at a loss for what to do, Hu Xue beside him suddenly made a move.

Flipping her delicate hand, she summoned something resembling an array disc, commanding with a light shout, "Go!"

With a wave of her hand, she hurled the item forward.

Yuan Cheng's eyes shrank abruptly, and he hurriedly shouted, "Stop!"

But how could he be in time?

Hu Xue turned to look at Yuan Cheng with a gleam of smugness in her eyes, "Assist Brother Lion Heart, bring him back to heal." In the next instant, miraculous visible ripples spread over her body, and Hu Xue suddenly disappeared.

Disappearing along with her was Lu Ye, who was advancing to confront Lion Heart.

In fact, when Hu Xue suddenly struck at him, he sensed it and dodged, as he didn't know what Hu Xue had thrown at him. But regardless of what, since he already deduced Hu Xue's identity, he was reluctant to entangle with this woman too much.

Yet the array disc-like thing near him suddenly emitted a faint light, followed by rippling waves radiating in all directions, and then he felt a mysterious force locking onto him, his vision darkened, and the scenery changed.

At that moment, Yuan Cheng's face turned ashen; both Hu Xue and Lu Ye had disappeared without a trace, even the array disc-like treasure that Hu Xue hurled out vanished.

It gave him a sense of impending doom; Hu Xue didn't have much contact with Lu Ye all these years yet gained Yuan Du's favor, and besides being obedient in front of Yuan Du, she was generally reckless in front of outsiders.

She probably thought her identity was special and that Lu Ye wouldn't dare do anything to her, so she summoned that treasure to restrain Lu Ye's actions to protect Lion Heart.

But after several interactions with Lu Ye, Yuan Cheng found this guy to be a maniac, truly lawless and unfettered!

Even though Hu Xue's identity was special, he couldn't guarantee that Lu Ye wouldn't kill her in a fit of rage; what if Hu Xue's actions angered Lu Ye, and she ended up dead under Lu Ye's blade... the consequences would definitely be much more severe than if Lion Heart died.

Yuan Cheng shivered involuntarily, only able to pray that Lu Ye wouldn't be too mad; otherwise, even if he killed Hu Xue, his own death today might be unavoidable.

This sudden turn of events was so unexpected that Yuan Cheng had no time to react, shocked by how quickly Hu Xue's thoughts turned, as given the current situation, it was indeed the best way to protect Lion Heart. Without that treasure to limit Lu Ye, when Lu Ye confronted Lion Heart, Lion Heart would be undoubtedly dead.

In an unfamiliar space, Lu Ye abruptly appeared, turned around, and looked around, frowning because it was evidently a vast void with meteors of various sizes scattered around.

At this moment, he stood on a small meteor, slowly turned his head, and saw a mesmerizing figure standing quietly in that direction.

"Combat Arena!" Lu Ye immediately understood what was happening; Hu Xue had summoned the Combat Arena against him, pulling him into the Combat Arena's space.

Lu Ye wasn't unfamiliar with the Combat Arena, as a Combat Arena existed in the Nine Provinces, and it's a type of exotic treasure.

However, the Combat Arena in the Nine Provinces wasn't a genuine exotic treasure; it was merely a tool created by Number Nine. Once the holder activated the Combat Arena, they could connect with Heaven's Augury to create a special space for one-on-one duels, fighting to the death.

The reason it's considered just a tool is that the Combat Arena in the Nine Provinces has no effect outside the Nine Provinces; it requires the support of the Nine Provinces Heaven's Augury to work.

The tool created by Number Nine was undoubtedly derived from a genuine Combat Arena.

In fact, not only the Combat Arena, but many exotic treasures in the Nine Provinces have prototypes in stellar space.

What Hu Xue summoned was undoubtedly a genuine Combat Arena, and the powers of this treasure were far superior to the inferior version in the Nine Provinces.

After being activated, the Nine Provinces Combat Arena cannot provide any support to the holder, but the genuine Combat Arena can; Hu Xue is the master of the Combat Arena and has significant control over this exotic treasure. With this treasure, she can fight across realms!

The biggest difference is that once the inferior version in the Nine Provinces is activated, the fighters cannot escape unless one dies, but the genuine Combat Arena doesn't work this way.

Lu Ye stared at Hu Xue and shouted sharply, "Release it!"

As the master of the Combat Arena, Hu Xue could actively disengage it. With Lion Heart over there, Lu Ye had no time to waste here, especially when facing someone related to Yuan Du from the Demon Race.

Hard to fight, hard to kill, entangling with her was merely a waste of time.

"Wishful thinking!" Hu Xue gritted her teeth, her seductive and charming demeanor replaced with ferocity. Previously, she pleaded Yuan Du to kill Lu Ye, but that was merely retreating to advance because she knew Yuan Du couldn't agree to such a thing; yet she never expected, she had the chance to personally take revenge.

Even possessing Moon Jade Late Stage cultivation, with the support of the Combat Arena, she was confident she wasn't inferior to any Moon Jade, even if Lion Heart were here, she could battle him!

So when she saw Lu Ye, she immediately realized this was an opportunity for revenge, which is why she decisively summoned the combat arena, catching Lu Ye off guard.

And she could also save Lion Heart, killing two birds with one stone.

As she spoke, demonic energy surged around Hu Xue, an inexplicable power descending from the sky.

Lu Ye saw his location suddenly light up in all directions, forming bright lines that, in the blink of an eye, constructed a big array, trapping him within.

The array was built into the combat arena, not Hu Xue's inherent ability, but as the owner of the arena, she could mobilize the array's power at will.

In a moment, the trap array was formed, and the area within dozens of miles of Lu Ye turned into a prison.

More bright lines flickered within the prison, and array after array quickly materialized.

Trap first, then kill—that was Hu Xue's confidence in dealing with Lu Ye. With the combat arena's support, no Moon Jade could break such a trap array, so all she needed to do was continuously unleash the array's power and blast Lu Ye to death here.

Energy suddenly became volatile, with the array's powers erupting one by one. Inside the trap array, golden light flashed, flames soared to the sky, and mysterious forces swept in all directions, leveling everything. Hu Xue's eyes reflected the changing colors, and Lu Ye's figure had long disappeared, making her laugh with wild abandon.

So-called Sun Blaze's number one was only so much!

The laughter stopped abruptly because Hu Xue was shocked to discover a crack suddenly appeared on the trap array's barrier!

From within the trap array, an extremely terrifying force suddenly erupted, and the source of that explosive aura wasn't from the arrays she activated!

Kacha kacha...

Dense cracking sounds echoed, and the cracks on the trap array's barrier rapidly extended everywhere.

"How can this be?" Hu Xue was dumbfounded. As the owner of the combat arena, she could clearly sense how terrifying the suddenly erupted power was; it was simply beyond her understanding.

In shock, her mental consciousness surged as she hurriedly attempted to stabilize the trap array's barrier. As long as it was steady, there would be a chance to repair it.

But she had no chance. Accompanied by a crashing sound, the trap array's barrier completely shattered, and the many array powers she had activated swept outward.

At the same time, a Black Tortoise shadow suddenly rushed out from the violent energy, charging straight toward her.

Hu Xue was stunned because, as far as she could see, there was one, two, three... a total of seven Lu Ye, forming a Black Tortoise Great Array. Each Lu Ye was vivid, and each emanated the aura of Moon Jade Mid-Stage.

Indeed, the trap array was incredibly sturdy, beyond what a Moon Jade could break, but with a formation of seven Moon Jade Mid-Stage, especially one led by someone like Lu Ye... the trap array couldn't hold!

Hu Xue screamed, hurriedly retreating while continuously channeling the combat arena's power to unleash a ferocious assault to hinder Lu Ye.

But it had no effect at all.

Though she had the combat arena's support and could leverage its power, the force unleashed by Lu Ye and the Treasure Blood Avatar's formation genuinely surpassed the Moon Jade's realm.

In a flash, the Black Tortoise Great Array had pressed near, and the Black Tortoise shadow raised a claw, striking ruthlessly.

A scream echoed, and Hu Xue flew back, spitting blood. At that moment, she almost thought she was dead!

Her delicate body crashed into a meteorite, utterly disheveled. Before she could get up, a cold blade pressed against her long, white neck.

Looking up, Lu Ye's indifferent countenance loomed above: "Release it!"

Feeling Lu Ye's intense killing intent, Hu Xue couldn't help but shiver. But recalling the earlier scene, she calmed her mind, a cold smile appearing at the corner of her mouth: "You must know my identity now. Do you dare to kill me?"

The reason for such an inference was because, during the Black Tortoise strike earlier, the young man clearly held back; otherwise, she would have had no chance of surviving that blow.

His restraint meant he had reservations, and the only thing worth fearing would be Yuan Du!

Amidst provocation, her mind flickered with thoughts in the blink of an eye. Calculating the time, Lion Heart shouldn't have arrived at All Phenomena Island yet, so no matter what, she couldn't release the combat arena to free Lu Ye. She had to delay some time!

"I'll count to three!" Lu Ye's long knife pressed slightly down, the sharp blade slicing Hu Xue's skin.

"One!"

The blade pressed further, cutting into the flesh, crimson blood oozing out.

"Two!"

Mana surged, pouring into the long knife, the blade cut an inch into the flesh.

The killing intent was tangible!

Chapter 1870 | Undid It...

Against Zixuan, everything was meticulously planned; with the Small Constellation Palace breaking Zixuan's protective array, first killing Bao Youyou, then extinguishing Hu Guang, leading the powerful arrival of cultivators from Three Worlds Island.

The great battle was nearing its end, yet one thing was still imperfect.

Standing from Lu Ye's perspective, he must kill Lion Heart to account for Wey Po who died before him, to give Luan Xiao'e an explanation.

Since he recognized Hu Xue's identity, he naturally knew what the consequences would be if he killed this woman, but there are some things in this world that cannot be avoided just because they are known.

Moreover, he felt Hu Xue was not yet to the point of facing death fearlessly! So he had to show his stance, only then could he intimidate the opponent.

The Boulder Mountain Saber pressed against her slender neck, Lu Ye's killing intent fierce, words from his mouth like eternal ice, cold and piercing.

Hu Xue blinked and saw the determination in Lu Ye's eyes, realizing he wasn't bluffing; if she didn't unlock the combat arena, this young man might really strike.

Of course, she could take a gamble; maybe he was just bluffing, who would dare kill her with Yuan Du backing her on the All Phenomena Ocean?

What choice to make? Even though Hu Xue's thoughts were clever, she found herself in a dilemma.

Seeing Lu Ye about to speak again, with the long saber in his hand pressing downward, Hu Xue dared not hesitate, crying out: "Don't!"

"Unlock it!"

"I'll unlock it..." Hu Xue responded in kind, as her mana surged around her, the sound of fabric tearing echoed, clear and pleasant.

Lu Ye was stunned, staring at the white figure before him...

Hu Xue's expression turned to tears, full of resentment, inexplicable blushes appeared on her cheeks, truly charming, especially because of mana's activation, behind her six white fox tails' phantom swayed, adding some wild allure.

"What are you doing?" Lu Ye's eyelids drooped down.

Hu Xue blinked: "Weren't you asking me to unlock it? I've unlocked it..."

She did indeed unlock it, but it wasn't the restraint of the combat arena she unlocked, rather her own clothes, even though Lu Ye had experienced countless battles, never had he encountered something so absurd.

In the midst of life-and-death struggle, with the long saber poised to take a life, such a delicate girl suddenly bursting out of her clothes was truly unthinkable.

The charm of Hu Xue gathered, suddenly covering her mouth and softly chuckling: "Oh? You meant unlocking the combat arena? Should've clarified, I misunderstood, alright, I'll unlock the combat arena..." Her eyes held provocal taste: "I can unlock it, will you let me unlock it?"

Lu Ye finally understood the Ghost Master's scheme of this woman.

If Hu Xue were to unlock the combat arena now, their state would immediately be displayed under the eyes of the outside cultivators, how would others think upon seeing this scene?

When word reached Yuan Du, what would he think?

In the Spirit Island struggle, Sun Blaze governor cannot intervene at will; this is All Phenomena Ocean's rule unless one party requests arbitration.

Thus, even if Lion Heart fled to All Phenomena Island, Yuan Du would not personally intervene, only sending Yuan Cheng to assist.

But if "Three Worlds Island Lu Ye oppresses Hu Xue" was exposed, then Yuan Du would have a reason to intervene, even if he kills Lu Ye on the spot, outsiders would say nothing, any man with a hint of masculinity would not remain indifferent if his woman were so mistreated by others; this concerns a man's face and dignity, especially Yuan Du who is a Sun Blaze powerhouse!

The combat arena space is sealed off; who knows what happens between a lone man and woman inside? Then Hu Xue only needs to exaggerate a bit, Lu Ye's lives are nowhere near enough.

With thoughts in mind, Lu Ye rather admired the female demon before him; in such an uncertain situation, she thought of countermeasures so swiftly, he had to acknowledge her agile mind, killing intent restrained, speaking: "I've long heard the Six-tailed Fox Demon clan is cunning and changeable, indeed the reputation is well deserved."

"Thank you for the compliment." Hu Xue pursed her lips in a coquettish smile, placed two fingers on the Boulder Mountain Saber's blade against her neck, gently pushed it away, and then gracefully rose, unfazed by her exposed figure, her six tails' phantom behind her danced ever more enchantingly, "I ask for nothing more, you wait with me here for thirty breaths, I shall unlock the combat arena and release you, naturally not ruining your reputation, I don't wish to expose myself to the masses in such a manner, so you may rest assured."

"Is it worth it to save Lion Heart?" Lu Ye looked at her.

Hu Xue's expression turned wistful: "Of course, it's worth it!" She glanced at Lu Ye's few doppelgangers, intrigued: "Your Clone Technique is indeed mystical..."

"A pity!"

"What?" Hu Xue turned to look at Lu Ye, what met her eyes was the extremely bright blade light; Hu Xue's face changed drastically, only managing a scream as the brilliant blade light enveloped her.

When the blade light dissipated, Hu Xue herself vanished without a trace, leaving only a burst of blood mist where she stood, within the mist, a pink demonic pill and several storage rings were conspicuously prominent.

Lu Ye sheathed the saber, expression as calm as water, the six Treasure Blood Avatars reconvened into Treasure Blood absorbed back into his true form, simultaneously, the surrounding scenery quickly collapsed, signifying the combat arena's restraint was lifted with Hu Xue's death.

If possible, he actually didn't wish to kill Hu Xue, just as he didn't wish to kill Yuan Cheng in Zixuan that day, because these two were too closely tied to Yuan Du, killing them would certainly bring trouble.

But Hu Xue's self-proclaimed clever response forced Lu Ye to strike.

Although Hu Xue had already assured that her reputation wouldn't be tarnished when unlocking the combat arena, which evidently meant she would be dressed before unlocking the arena, Lu Ye dared not easily believe her.

Having intersected with Hu Xue for such a short time, Lu Ye had deeply experienced this woman's cunning; who knew which of her words were true and which were false?

If Hu Xue still remained in this form to unlock the combat arena, even if he had a thousand mouths, he couldn't explain away.

Therefore, Lu Ye had only one thing to do—kill and destroy the body!

Hu Xue had already exploded into a mist of blood; ghost knows whether she was clothed or not.

As for whether this would anger Yuan Du... that's certain, but Hu Xue took the initiative to attack, while his counterattack was justified in killing the enemy, even Yuan Du couldn't pick a fault.

Between two harms, choose the lesser; killing Hu Xue was better than being smeared by her.

As for subsequent troubles... there was already a grudge with Yuan Du, Zixuan's current targeting of Three Worlds Island had Yuan Du's influence, were troubles scarce?

After collecting the demonic pill and several storage rings Hu Xue left behind upon her death, brightness filled his vision; when Lu Ye returned to his senses, he was again appearing above All Phenomena Ocean, still at the position where he had previously disappeared, with a treasure by his side—the combat arena of Hu Xue—which Lu Ye grabbed and stored away.

The Nine Provinces' combat arenas were one-time-use exotic treasures, but combat arenas in stellar space weren't and could be used multiple times.

Lu Ye hurriedly looked forward but saw no trace of Lion Heart.

Suddenly turning around, he saw on All Phenomena Island a tall and robust figure standing, breath unstable, face pallid to the extreme—who else but Lion Heart?

Lu Ye gritted his teeth; he was ultimately a step late!

The entanglement with Hu Xue actually didn't take much time; he didn't hesitate in slaying Hu Xue, yet Lion Heart had entered All Phenomena Island.

This meant the ambush attempt had completely failed, endless unwillingness surged within, and Lu Ye's gaze at Lion Heart seemed to emit flames.

Beside Lion Heart stood Yuan Cheng, his face full of horror, gaze searching around behind Lu Ye, clearly looking for Hu Xue's whereabouts, but where could he find her?

Though there was speculation already, he still couldn't help but ask, "Lu Ye! Where's Hu Xue?"

Lu Ye utterly ignored him, merely raised the Boulder Mountain Saber pointing at Lion Heart, "You'd best hide inside there for a lifetime!"

Lion Heart entered All Phenomena Island; there was no possibility of killing him inside, which equated to seeking death, but Lion Heart couldn't forever hide inside; should he one day dare leave All Phenomena Island, that would be his demise!

Sheathing the saber, he turned and left.

Heart suddenly skipped a beat, immense danger descended from above, Lu Ye didn't even think, promptly urged mana to connect with the red talisman nurturing within.

When Hu Xue was killed, he already foresaw this likely happening; after all, Hu Xue was one of Yuan Du's most favored concubines, killing her like this, Yuan Du was unlikely to let it pass.

As it turned out, Yuan Du indeed came!

Having anticipated this scene, how could Lu Ye be without contingency? The red talisman nurtured within was his reliance, and to escape from Sun Blaze's grasp, only by activating the power of the red talisman could it be possible.

If he could evade Yuan Du here, he would have a chance to live.

Because Hu Xue's attack came first; his response was counterattack, occurring completely in public view, impossible to falsify.

Yet Yuan Du, descending in wrath, overlooked others having firmer fists, Lu Ye must avoid the edge.

If Yuan Du pursued relentlessly to kill him, it would be disregarding the rules they themselves established, and then other Sun Blaze governors within All Phenomena Ocean likely wouldn't remain indifferent.

It could even be said that Yuan Du's descent at this moment already violated the rules.

Of course, to All Phenomena Ocean's Sun Blaze, others were outsiders, and Yuan Du was the insider; even if they intended to uphold rules here, reacting a bit slowly was possible, and such momentary delay was enough for a Sun Blaze to take a Moon Jade's life.

Thus Lu Ye couldn't and dared not to entrust his own life to others.

The prestige of Yuan Du's Sun Blaze spread widely; though his form hadn't arrived, the pressure crushed like a mountain, hindering breath, but Lu Ye had triggered the red talisman's power, intending to activate it when suddenly sensing another Sun Blaze's aura emerging in a different direction within All Phenomena Island.

The pressure originally brought by Yuan Du's descent was instantly swept away.

Soon followed a third aura...

Lu Ye couldn't help but feel perplexed; the responses of these All Phenomena Island's Sun Blaze governors were so swift?

Initially, he thought even if Yuan Du violated rules, other Sun Blaze would turn a blind eye, letting Yuan Du vent his anger before addressing, unexpected was someone genuinely wanting to maintain rules, which greatly surprised him.