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Chapter 1881 1881: Soul Reaches Life and Death Realm Level 3! Consuming Bodhi Salvation Fruit!

"Ssss!!"

These remnants of souls were shattered by the branches of the mystical little tree and then devoured, transformed into essence soul fluid, which, along with the medicinal power of the Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruit, surged into Mu Jinyu's soul.

Immediately, Mu Jinyu's soul was nourished and nurtured, divine light blossomed, like the rising sun, casting down slices of golden spots.

His soul cultivation level was also continuously growing.

It reached the critical point of the peak of the Void Breaking Realm.

"Swish!"

In reality, Mu Jinyu suddenly opened his eyes, the light in his eyes blazing, brilliant as the stars. He did not stop, continuing to furiously devour the Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruit.

He was preparing to break through the barrier of the Life and Death Realm in one go.

Let his soul first reach this stage.

Soon, Mu Jinyu swallowed another seventy Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruits.

Adding to the thirty Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruits he had just consumed, he had already eaten half of the two hundred Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruits he bought!

"Boom!!"

But there was indeed an effect.

The soul power he was stuck at, at the peak of the Void Breaking Realm, finally broke through the barrier, reaching the state of the Life and Death Realm.

Mu Jinyu's soul finally reached the stage of the Life and Death Realm, and he immediately began to sense the laws of life and death between heaven and earth.

This allowed him to comprehend more.

However, due to the different path of cultivation he took, he was unable to integrate with these power of laws to achieve Unity of Heaven and Man.

He could only sense these life and death laws and then forcibly command them with violence.

However, Mu Jinyu felt that his cultivation was still not enough. Even though his soul temporarily stepped into this domain, he estimated this was just an illusion.

If he wanted to control these scattered life and death laws, it was fundamentally unrealistic.

Neither could he forcefully command them.

He would have to wait for his cultivation to catch up!

"Hoo..."

Mu Jinyu opened his eyes again, his eyes extremely bright and blazing. If there were a cultivator at the Void Breaking Realm in the room and met his gaze, they would probably be oppressed into trembling, afraid to move.

"Very good, finally possessing soul power beyond the current realm again!"

Mu Jinyu said with surprise.

In the past, when he was on Earth, the cultivation of his soul power often was a realm higher than his True Yuan cultivation level.

But upon coming to the Canglan Realm, due to the difficulty of improving realms and the change in environment, his cultivation gradually caught up with his soul cultivation.

Before consuming the Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruit, his cultivation was at the fifth layer of the Void Breaking Realm, while his soul power was merely at the late broken void realm stage, nearing the peak.

The gap was only a few minor realms.

But now, he finally had a soul cultivation level again that was ahead by a realm.

And he had only consumed one hundred Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruits.

"Divine Plants sure have many wonderful uses..."

Mu Jinyu couldn't help but say with emotion.

Originally, according to his calculations, he would need to consume about two hundred Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruits to elevate his soul cultivation level to the Life and Death Realm.

But with the help of the mystical little tree, and eliminating those remnants to enhance the medicinal power of the Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruit, he only consumed half of the Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruits to elevate his soul cultivation level to the Life and Death Realm.

"However, now that I have reached the Life and Death Realm, further consumption of the Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruit probably won't provide much enhancement, unable to elevate me to the mid-stage of the Life and Death Realm!"

Mu Jinyu muttered to himself, clearly aware.

Then, Mu Jinyu began to continue consuming the remaining one hundred Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruits.

After he finished eating these Soul Devouring Spiritual Fruits and allowed the mystical little tree to assist in refining them, he easily absorbed it on his own.

His soul cultivation level finally reached the third layer of the Life and Death Realm.

Almost reaching the fourth layer of the Life and Death Realm, which is the middle stage!

This made Mu Jinyu sufficiently satisfied and delighted.

"Phew!"

Mu Jinyu exhaled long, feeling that the over four thousand credits spent were quite worth it.

Both improving his pure physical strength and enhancing his divine soul power.

Although there was not the slightest improvement in cultivation level, his strength increased significantly.

"Now, it's time to see if there's any other foreign race bloodline left in my body..."

Mu Jinyu gradually collected his joyous feelings and then shifted his gaze to the last fruit and the two lotus plants.

It was clearly a Bodhi Salvation Fruit, which cost him two hundred credits, and two Pure Blood Red Lotuses, which cost him four hundred credits.

Since they were very expensive and Mu Jinyu wasn't sure whether there were still some other exotic blood left in his body, he only bought one and two plants initially.

If he didn't have any other exotic blood, spending two hundred credits for a check would still be worth it.

If he did, he could just buy more of these Heavenly Materials and Earthly Treasures later on.

After all, there were plenty of these Heavenly Materials and Earthly Treasures in the Treasure Pavilion.

Not afraid of buying too little this time and not being able to snatch them next time.

"Let's eat the Bodhi Salvation Fruit first. If I don't find any residual exotic blood in my body, it would mean there's none, and then I would give these two Pure Blood Red Lotuses to Chen Yinlong."

Mu Jinyu muttered softly to himself.

With that, he swallowed the Bodhi Salvation Fruit.

"Boom!!!"

After consuming the Bodhi Salvation Fruit.

Mu Jinyu suddenly felt as if his whole body was about to explode, unlike the excruciating pain that felt like burning blood when consuming the Vermilion Fruit, his current pain felt like devouring a hurricane, letting the hurricane rampage within his body, grinding through it bit by bit!

"So painful..."

Mu Jinyu had extremely strong endurance. Many wouldn't dare easily consume the Vermilion Fruit, yet after he consumed it, he didn't feel too much pain.

In the end, he could even gobble up a hundred Vermilion Fruits in succession.

But now, having consumed the Bodhi Salvation Fruit, it truly made him feel somewhat uncomfortable.

Even breathing became difficult.

And amidst this pain that made him feel his consciousness was a bit unclear, his awareness became blurry.

Subsequently, he seemed to delve into a strange realm.

He could more clearly introspect the state of his body.

He discovered that within his body, besides the purest human clan bloodline, there was also a trace of very weak, almost imperceptible golden blood...

"What is this blood?"

Seeing this golden blood, Mu Jinyu immediately understood that this was the medicinal power of the Bodhi Salvation Fruit at work.

It could be used to sweep away the superfluous foreign race bloodline within the body.

But this weak golden bloodline also left Mu Jinyu puzzled, what exactly was the bloodline of this species?

"Is it the Silkworm King's Divine Dragon Blood left in my body, or the most primordial blood of the Divine Silkworm?"

"Or, is it the Dragon Clan Blood coming from my mother's side, not completely removed?"

"Or... is it some foreign race blood left by my Mu ancestors?"

Looking at this trace of golden bloodline, Mu Jinyu guessed somewhat dazedly.

But he couldn't make a correct judgment.

Yet he was very clear about one thing, which was this trace of golden bloodline adheres to you, it absolutely wouldn't be human clan blood, but indeed foreign race blood!

"Should I remove it?"

Mu Jinyu wasn't certain if the existence of this bloodline would interfere with his Humanity Path Cultivation Path.

Nor did he know whether this golden bloodline was the root source of his blood dragon.

Thinking it over!

Finally, Mu Jinyu made a fierce decision, determined to just remove it regardless of what bloodline it was, since his cultivation now doesn't rely on these foreign race bloodlines, but rather wholly on his human clan bloodline.

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Actually, there was no need for Mu Jinyu to make much of a decision.

After consuming the Bodhi Salvation Fruit, its medicinal power would automatically take effect, purging the thin Foreign Race Bloodline within him.

However, this wisp of golden bloodline was not only deeply hidden but also firmly rooted, making it extremely difficult to eliminate.

That's why there was time for Mu Jinyu to consider whether to stop his actions before the medicinal power of the Bodhi Salvation Fruit ended.

But now, Mu Jinyu decided that no matter what kind of bloodline it was, as long as it was not Human Race Bloodline, it should just get lost!

Seeing that relying solely on the medicinal power of the Bodhi Salvation Fruit wasn't enough to uproot the golden bloodline, Mu Jinyu forcibly pulled himself out of the muddled state and immediately consumed the two Pure Blood Red Lotuses in one go.

The effect of the Pure Blood Red Lotus is different from that of the Bodhi Salvation Fruit.

It targets a specific Foreign Race Bloodline within the body for elimination.

If a Pureblooded Human or a Pureblooded Divine Race individual accidentally consumes the Pure Blood Red Lotus because they have no other exotic blood in their body, there's a chance they could be directly killed by it.

Of course, some powerful beings can use the effect of the Pure Blood Red Lotus to purify their Bloodline Power, but it's extremely difficult!

Mu Jinyu felt this wisp of golden bloodline was very stubborn, since the Bodhi Salvation Fruit couldn't remove it, so he directly consumed two Pure Blood Red Lotuses.

"Boom Boom!!!"

As Mu Jinyu swallowed the two Pure Blood Red Lotuses, suddenly, two streams of fiery medicinal power appeared within him, as if capable of burning away all filth. With great effort, Mu Jinyu directed them towards the golden bloodline to incinerate it!

"Sizzle Sizzle!!"

Under the terrifying effect of the Pure Blood Red Lotus burning Exotic Blood,

the golden bloodline within Mu Jinyu's body was actually set ablaze, being gradually destroyed bit by bit.

It turned into specks of golden light, dissipating completely.

It couldn't even provide Mu Jinyu with a trace of Primordial Force.

"So uncomfortable..."

Mu Jinyu felt extremely uncomfortable. After consuming the Bodhi Salvation Fruit, he already felt unbearable discomfort, and now having taken the two Pure Blood Red Lotuses, it felt as if his blood was being completely scorched, turning him into a mummy-like state.

"Whew..."

He struggled through an hour.

Finally, the medicinal powers of the Bodhi Salvation Fruit and the Pure Blood Red Lotus faded away.

Mu Jinyu was left dizzy and exhausted, unable to thoroughly check if the golden bloodline had been entirely burnt away by the medicinal effects.

With exertion, he shook his head and felt a lot better, then began to carefully examine the condition within his body.

With the help of the Bodhi Salvation Fruit, Mu Jinyu painstakingly managed to inspect the deepest part of his bloodline.

His face turned somewhat grim.

Because, although the golden bloodline was indeed mostly obliterated by the Bodhi Salvation Fruit and the two Pure Blood Red Lotuses,

there was still a faint remnant lingering within him.

"Damn, why is it so stubborn?!"

Mu Jinyu's expression turned dark, realizing that failing to completely remove the golden bloodline meant all his suffering was in vain, did it not?

So, he got up and staggered out of the room.

The toll these Heavenly Materials and Earthly Treasures took on him was significant.

Even his movements were somewhat hindered.

"Hey, Mu brother, what happened to you?"

Mo Yunqiong happened to be fishing by a lake outside the Bamboo Grove, and upon seeing Mu Jinyu stumbling out, looking pale as if gravely ill, he couldn't help but ask curiously.

"Nothing much, I just turned out this way after taking the Bodhi Salvation Fruit and Pure Blood Red Lotus. However, there's still a trace of exotic blood that can't be completely purged; I have to go buy more!"

Mu Jinyu replied casually.

He wasn't worried about Mo Yunqiong knowing.

After all, whether or not he's Pureblooded Human Race doesn't affect others looking down on him, nor would it make anyone look up to him for having Exotic Blood.

"Bodhi Salvation Fruit? Pure Blood Red Lotus? No wonder you're in such a state!"

Mo Yunqiong, hearing Mu Jinyu's words, immediately showed understanding, then asked in surprise, "How much did you take? Just taking one or two shouldn't cause this, right?"

"I only took one Bodhi Salvation Fruit and two Pure Blood Red Lotuses, not too much." Mu Jinyu answered.

Mo Yunqiong, listening to Mu Jinyu's words, felt that it wasn't a lot indeed, but was puzzled as to why he ended up like this.

After thinking for a moment, his eyes widened in shock, incredulously asking, "You... you didn't take all that at once, did you?"

"Yes, I did, I wanted to root out that stubborn Exotic Blood in one go!" Mu Jinyu nodded.

After speaking, he informed Mo Yunqiong: "I'm stepping out to buy more Pure Blood Red Lotus."

Then, Mu Jinyu passed through the Heaven Cave Gate, leaving Mo Yunqiong's Cave Heaven Eleven.

Mo Yunqiong was left staring blankly at the direction Mu Jinyu left, unable to snap out of it for a long time.

After quite a while,

he finally came to his senses, murmuring, "This brother is truly impressive!"

The Bodhi Salvation Fruit and Pure Blood Red Lotus shouldn't be consumed together, as the danger multiplies several times.

Even consuming one alone could lead to Falling into Demon, and taking both together was largely a perilous endeavor!

Even consuming the Pure Blood Red Lotus separately needs to be done one at a time, not in multiple doses at once.

Otherwise, the intensity would increase significantly, unbearable for an ordinary person.

Yet Mu Jinyu consumed both the Bodhi Salvation Fruit and two Pure Blood Red Lotuses at once.

He actually survived, though barely, seeming quite wasted, but was genuinely remarkable!

"I need to remind this brother, or if he ends up dying in my Heaven Cave, it'll be hard to explain to the Mansion Master!"

Mo Yunqiong shook his head, sighing.

After waiting for over ten minutes,

Mu Jinyu finally returned with more Pure Blood Red Lotus, arriving back at Cave Heaven Eleven.

"Mu brother, wait a moment."

Mo Yunqiong had been waiting on the spot, and upon seeing Mu Jinyu's return, with a somewhat eager look, he called out before Mu Jinyu could head back to his Bamboo Grove Retreat.

"Hmm? What's up, Brother Mo?"

Mu Jinyu, hearing Mo Yunqiong calling, stopped in his tracks, looking at him in surprise.

Mo Yunqiong quickly conveyed the prohibited practices regarding consuming Pure Blood Red Lotus and Bodhi Salvation Fruit to Mu Jinyu.

"Huh?"

Mu Jinyu, hearing Mo Yunqiong's reminder, couldn't help showing a surprised expression.

He wasn't aware of this.

Then, somewhat annoyed, he said, "Why didn't the clerk tell me either?"

Mo Yunqiong chuckled helplessly, saying, "Isn't this... Isn't this common knowledge in the Canglan Realm?"

Hearing this, Mu Jinyu was suddenly at a loss for words.

Yes, for those born and raised in the Canglan Realm, dealing with the nuisance of mixed Exotic Blood should've been a constant issue.

So, the prohibitions regarding consuming Pure Blood Red Lotus are indeed as common as basic knowledge to them.

It's just that he, not being of this realm, with not much Exotic Blood within him, never paid much attention to these matters.

Leading to the setback he suffered from consuming the Bodhi Salvation Fruit and Pure Blood Red Lotus simultaneously.

And if it weren't for Mo Yunqiong's reminder, he initially intended to take three Pure Blood Red Lotuses at once this time...

Chapter 1883: Eradicating Exotic Blood Completely! Like Breaking Free from Invisible Shackles!

"Thank you for the reminder, Brother Mo."

Mu Jinyu's expression changed a few times, then he raised his hand to cup his fist toward Mo Yunqiong, sincerely saying.

"No need to be so polite."

Mo Yunqiong chuckled and replied.

Afterward, Mu Jinyu bade farewell to Mo Yunqiong and headed back to his temporary residence at the Bamboo Grove Retreat.

Returning to the Bamboo Grove Retreat, Mu Jinyu entered his room, shut the door, and set up a forbidden formation.

Next, he took out the five Pure Blood Red Lotuses he had just purchased for one thousand credits during his outing.

"Forget it. There's no need to consume three Pure Blood Red Lotuses at once. Maybe just one will suffice now, that way I can save two Pure Blood Red Lotuses."

Mu Jinyu looked at the five Pure Blood Red Lotuses in his hand and muttered to himself.

Then he placed the remaining four Pure Blood Red Lotuses aside and opened his mouth to swallow the last one he was holding.

"Boom!"

Shortly after swallowing the Pure Blood Red Lotus, Mu Jinyu felt a pain within him as though he were about to explode.

Not daring to be careless, Mu Jinyu quickly sought out the trace of golden bloodline within him.

Due to his prior experience, finding this trace of bloodline became much easier this time.

"Sizzle sizzle!"

As Mu Jinyu targeted the faint bloodline, guiding the Pure Blood Red Lotus's burning power toward it, this golden bloodline grew dim under the scorching medicinal energy.

However, Mu Jinyu fiercely endured the agony, waiting until the Pure Blood Red Lotus's medicinal energy dissipated without fully eliminating the trace bloodline.

"So tenacious!"

Mu Jinyu opened his eyes, panting slightly, and spoke with some irritation.

Though he'd mentioned that perhaps just one Pure Blood Red Lotus could erase the trace of Exotic Blood in his body, he knew it was unlikely.

Yet failing to succeed still left him quite displeased.

"Crack!"

With a slight complaint, Mu Jinyu picked up the second Pure Blood Red Lotus and swallowed it.

Then he continued to direct its energy to obliterate the remaining Exotic Blood.

Time passed slowly.

Another half-day went by.

After ingesting the final Pure Blood Red Lotus, he finally managed, using the intense heat, to completely remove the faint golden bloodline within him.

"Boom!!"

When the faint golden bloodline was completely erased, Mu Jinyu felt a deafening roar within him.

It was as if an invisible shackle had been completely shattered.

He felt completely relieved, as though he had been carrying a thousand-pound boulder, and now it was removed, alleviating him entirely.

"Hoo..."

"Hoo... Ha..."

Despite feeling extremely comfortable and relaxed, consuming seven Pure Blood Red Lotuses to entirely eliminate the trace of Exotic Blood caused severe side effects on his body.

Mu Jinyu couldn't find much joy as he panted heavily, then abruptly fell backward, collapsing on the ground to rest.

Lying on the ground, Mu Jinyu took a few deep breaths and felt truly miserable, as if he was about to collapse.

He dared not rest too long, fearing he might sleep and never wake.

Thus, he began operating the Blood Tempering Chapter to expedite blood circulation for healing.

"Boom boom!!"

As Mu Jinyu operated the Blood Tempering Chapter, he discovered that originally, his bloodline power flowed like a stream, but now surged like a raging river.

If his blood circulation originally took ten seconds per cycle, now it only took three seconds.

This significantly accelerated his healing.

In an instant.

Mu Jinyu, who was initially pale and bloodless after consuming seven Pure Blood Red Lotuses, regained a rosy complexion.

He appeared extremely healthy, vigorous with Qi-Blood.

"Hoo..."

Mu Jinyu ceased the operation of the Blood Tempering Chapter, exhaling a long dragon-like breath, which sprayed out for over ten seconds before stopping.

Then, Mu Jinyu opened his eyes, which had appeared incredibly weak and lackluster before.

Now, his eyes sparkled brilliantly, as bright as stars.

"It was worth it!!"

Mu Jinyu recovered, fierce and energetic, his Qi-Blood surging. His eyes gleamed with delight as he swung his fist forcefully, laughing.

Initially, he hesitated whether to remove that trace of golden bloodline.

He worried about disabling his cultivation body or causing issues with the Blood Dragon.

Despite concerns, Mu Jinyu decided to erase the Exotic Blood for purity, acting decisively.

He had prepared for the possibility of dire consequences, potentially becoming incapacitated temporarily.

Unexpectedly, eradicating the golden Exotic Blood didn't weaken him but shattered the invisible shackles, boosting his condition to an unprecedented level!

Mu Jinyu still didn't know which species the golden bloodline belonged to, but it didn't matter; even if it were Divine Blood, he no longer cared.

"Crack..."

Mu Jinyu stood up, his bones producing crisp collision sounds, rhythmic like music.

"Let's go out and test my techniques."

Mu Jinyu, with anticipation, whispered softly, lifted the restrictions, and walked outside.

He thought that since the golden bloodline's removal sped up his Blood Tempering Chapter operation, enhancing his aptitude immensely.

Perhaps his divine techniques and their execution speed also intensified?!

Soon, Mu Jinyu stepped outside the room.

Arriving at the bamboo grove outside his retreat.

The bamboo grove featured restrictions, making it difficult for outsiders to peer in.

However, Mo Yunqiong owned the place, so the restrictions couldn't prevent him from observing.

Unless Mu Jinyu set his own restrictions.

Yet Mu Jinyu didn't mind whether Mo Yunqiong watched his practice.

His techniques were well-known, displayed during challenges with Shi Yiran, Ning Ruofan, and Lu Kaige.

He just needed to check if his divine power increased, with altered execution details only known to him, even if Mo Yunqiong was watching.

What harm in practicing with Mo watching?

"Let's start with the Firewood Chopping Saber Technique..."

Standing amid the bamboo grove, Mu Jinyu gripped the rusty Riot-Quelling Sword.

Then he slashed at the jade-like lush bamboo before him!

"Boom boom!!"

As he struck, the world seemed to change.

The bamboo grove shattered, turning to dust.

Even some restrictions in the grove were destroyed!

Even Mu Jinyu paused at the results.

Chapter 1884 - 1: Divine Doctor Emerges

Yinlong Mountain.

This mountain, rich in spiritual essence, was rumored to have once been considered by Huaxia's most ancient and mysterious organization, Dragon King Hall, when selecting their training base.

But for some reason, they eventually gave it up.

Within the Secluded Valley, where the Nine Dragons Hold the Pearl, lay a bamboo house hidden amongst lush bamboo.

A teenager, seemingly around seventeen or eighteen, was leisurely fishing by the riverbank, rod in hand.

Just then, a middle-aged man in a suit rushed up, panting.

He looked around and, seeing no other figures near the Divine Doctor's secluded dwelling, asked the young man anxiously, "Young fellow, do you know where Doctor Mu Shao'ai is? I have urgent business with him."

"Must you see him?" The youth glanced sidelong at Xu Zhixin, flicked his fishing rod, and immediately a large fresh carp began frantically wagging its tail on the hook.

"Yes," Xu Zhixin nodded solemnly, his eyes filled with urgency.

The youth took the big carp off, tossed it into a nearby bucket, then removed a dagger from his waist and tossed it at Xu Zhixin's feet, saying, "There, stab it into your chest with all your might, and you'll meet him straight away."

"Hmm?" Xu Zhixin, startled by the statement, quickly realized the implication, and his face immediately paled, "Are you saying that Doctor Mu has already... already passed away?!"

"Yes, he's been dead for three years now, do you still want to see him?!"

The youth said indifferently, flicking his fishing rod and continuing to fish.

"Clatter!"

Desperation in his eyes, Xu Zhixin's hand, originally reaching for his wallet, lost its strength, and the wallet fell to the ground, spilling a stack of Red Banknotes.

The young man's indifferent eyes sparkled with interest upon seeing the stack of red cash.

"You're seeking the old man for treatment? Actually, it's the same with me, I've mastered all his skills, and even surpassed him."

"You?!" Xu Zhixin's gaze sharpened slightly as he looked up at the young man, saying, "Are you also a Divine Doctor?"

"Genuine and guaranteed," the young man said earnestly.

Xu Zhixin scrutinized the youth before him who appeared to be just seventeen or eighteen; dressed in a faded white tank top and black shorts, wearing worn-out flip-flops.

He looked no different than a young farmer just back from the fields nearby.

He, a Divine Doctor?!

Xu Zhixin found it hard to believe.

But having no alternative and not wanting to return empty-handed, he had to grasp at any possibility.

"Then hurry and pack up, come down the mountain with me," Xu Zhixin quickly said.

"Don't rush," the youth put away the fishing rod, looked up at Xu Zhixin, and said lightly, "Let's discuss my fees first."

"How much do you charge?" Xu Zhixin asked.

"I am Mu Jinyu." The youth looked at Xu Zhixin, pausing between each word, "'Mu', as in being covetous, 'Jinyu' as in Jinyu Mantang."

"So..." Mu Jinyu's lips slightly curled, hinting, "My fee is very high."

"How high?" Xu Zhixin asked.

He was growing impatient inside, thinking this was just a young lad he intended to take back to complete his task, and yet the boy was starting with fanciful demands.

Mu Jinyu said, "One million yuan for treatment, ten million yuan to save a life; the price is high, but it's a fair deal."

"Hmm?!" Xu Zhixin was taken aback for a moment, then his expression hardened and his tone rose slightly as he asked, "What do you mean?"

"Literal meaning," Mu Jinyu replied calmly, "that is, for any illness, from a cold to early-stage cancer, if it's an illness and you ask me to intervene, it's a flat one million yuan."

"For saving a life, from late-stage cancer to having stopped breathing for an hour, as long as it's about saving lives, give me ten million yuan, I'll return you a life..."

"Really?!" Xu Zhixin stared at Mu Jinyu blankly.

He felt that Mu Jinyu's declaration was incredibly audacious.

Which doctor in this world could guarantee, no matter the disease, that for one million yuan, they could cure it? Or that, no matter how terminal the illness, even if a patient had stopped breathing for an hour, they could be brought back to life for ten million yuan?

No doctor would guarantee that.

Even they wouldn't dare think it.

As far as he knew, even Doctor Mu Shao'ai had never made such a claim.

Yet this seventeen or eighteen-year-old young man was making such a claim.

Arrogant, this was sheer arrogance.

But what if it were true?

One million yuan to treat a disease, ten million to save a life. Expensive, yes?

The price was indeed steep, but the deal was absolutely fair.

Although Xu Zhixin didn't quite believe that Mu Jinyu had the capacity, he still asked, "Can you treat amyotrophic lateral sclerosis?"

"Ten million yuan," Mu Jinyu responded without hesitation.

Seeing him immediately name the price without a second thought, the corners of Xu Zhixin's mouth twitched slightly.

He thought to himself, "If you had pondered over it a while and then stated the price seriously, I might have believed you a bit, but like this, it's really hard for me to trust you."

After some hesitation, Xu Zhixin finally took out a blank check, swiftly wrote down the numbers, signed it, and handed it to Mu Jinyu.

There was no choice, the young man was at least a disciple of Divine Doctor Mu Shao'ai, worth trusting once.

The most important point was, the Old Master of the Xu Family had given him a one-time-use token to seek out the doctor; if he didn't bring someone back, he wouldn't be able to answer for it.

"Prompt," Mu Jinyu accepted the check, glanced at it a few times, pocketed it, then went into the bamboo house to take out a box of Silver Needles, came out, and said, "Let's go."

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A few hours later.

Xu Zhixin drove Mu Jinyu back to River City, but just as they were about to return to Xu Family Villa.

Xu Zhixin suddenly felt his stomach churn wildly, causing a great disturbance.

His face instantly turned deathly pale.

He quickly stepped on the brake, stopped the car, and turned to Mu Jinyu with a cold sweat, "Wow, my stomach hurts so much, aren't you a doctor? Help me treat it first."

Mu Jinyu glanced at him and said indifferently, "One million yuan."

F*ck!

When Xu Zhixin heard this, he almost couldn't help but curse out loud.

F*ck, is this what you say? Asking you to cure a stomach ache, and you actually want one million yuan from me?!

Why don't you go rob someone!

"Forget it." Xu Zhixin's stomach was hurting badly, he didn't feel like arguing with Mu Jinyu and hurriedly said, "Then I'll go to the restroom first, just walk down one more street, turn a corner, and it's the Xu family, you go ahead and treat my father."

After speaking, Xu Zhixin opened the car door and ran towards the public restroom across the street.

Why didn't Xu Zhixin just go directly to the Xu Family's restroom?

Firstly, it was quite far, and secondly, returning to Xu Family Villa, he would definitely have to introduce and explain himself to a bunch of people, which would waste how much time? He feared he wouldn't manage to say a few words before ending up soiling his pants right there.

"Stingy." Mu Jinyu muttered as he watched Xu Zhixin hurriedly run to a public place.

After that, he also opened the car door, jumped out from the passenger seat, closed the car door, and walked towards Xu Family Villa as directed by Xu Zhixin.

"Hey, hey, hey, what are you doing?!"

As Mu Jinyu strode directly towards the Xu Family Villa, the security guards at the entrance saw him and immediately stopped him.

Mu Jinyu stopped, glanced at them sideways, and said indifferently, "What am I doing? I'm here to save the Old Master of the Xu Family."

"Are you a doctor?!" one of the security guards asked with a strange look on his face.

"Can't say I'm a doctor." Mu Jinyu thought for a moment and said, "You should call me Divine Doctor."

"Pfft!!"

As soon as Mu Jinyu spoke, a few of the security guards couldn't help but burst out laughing.

"You call yourself a Divine Doctor, and I'm the Patriarch of the Xu Family then, go away, don't cause trouble, otherwise don't blame us for being rude to you!"

"Exactly, how can any Tom, Dick, or Harry pretend to be a Divine Doctor? Look, if you want to deceive people, at least change your clothes first, right? Dressed like that, you dare to call yourself a Divine Doctor?"

"Hurry up and get lost!"

Mu Jinyu was still wearing that faded white tank top, black shorts, and flip-flops, so it was no wonder the security guards looked down on him.

"You want me to get lost?" Mu Jinyu was not angry; he just looked at them and said indifferently, "I'll remind you one last time, I'm not lying to you, someone paid ten million yuan to hire me to save the life of the Old Master of the Xu Family. If you want me to leave, it's likely you guys will be the ones to leave first."

"Ha, now you start threatening me..." One rather rogue-looking security guard laughed out loud, then suddenly kicked towards Mu Jinyu's stomach, "Get out of the way!"

"Hm?!"

Mu Jinyu saw that he had spoken nicely to them, but they resorted to violence without discussion. His eyes immediately turned cold.

As the security guard's foot came flying, Mu Jinyu raised his hand and firmly caught his ankle.

Then, with a fierce swing of his arm, Mu Jinyu sent the security guard flying out, slamming hard into the wall.

"Motherf*cker, you dare to make a move?!"

The remaining security guards, seeing Mu Jinyu actually dare to hit someone, all darkened in expression, simultaneously pulled out batons, and prepared to take action against Mu Jinyu.

Mu Jinyu stood with his hands behind his back, not taking them seriously.

He was now very angry, planning to sort out these security guards who looked down on him, and then leave directly with a flick of his sleeve.

Just as the security guards were sneering and swinging their batons, slowly surrounding Mu Jinyu.

"What are you guys doing, who told you to start a commotion?!"

Xu Zhixin, who had just finished his relief in the restroom, rushed over and seeing the conflict between the security guards and Mu Jinyu, immediately shouted angrily.

"President Xu, this guy is causing trouble; we were just about to deal with him," said the Captain of the Security, quickly revealing a flattering and humble smile on his face as he saw Xu Zhixin, and explained.

At the same time, he signaled the other security guards with his eyes, telling them to quickly drive away this troublemaker, Mu Jinyu.

Seeing their petty actions, Xu Zhixin got extremely angry and slapped him across the face, cursing, "Son of a bitch, drive him away? I spent ten million yuan to have him come here, and you guys actually want to drive him away? Are you going to pay for that ten million?!"

The few security guards who were about to act froze when they saw their Captain get slapped.

The Captain, having been hit, immediately showed a frustrated and aggrieved expression.

He was about to explain to Xu Zhixin that Mu Jinyu, this poor kid, doesn't look like a Divine Doctor at all, nor worth the ten million yuan you spent to bring him here...

Wait a minute...

Ten million yuan?

Mu Jinyu, this guy, he did mention earlier that someone paid ten million yuan to bring him here to save the life of the Old Master of the Xu Family.

But they didn't take it seriously, even after hearing it, they still attempted to drive him away.

The Captain thought and shuddered all over; his earlier frustration and aggrie...

Chapter 1885: Mo Yunqiong's Fighting Spirit! Advanced Combat Training Room!

"Yes, indeed..."

Mo Yunqiong heard Mu Jinyu's words and looked at him with a complex expression, nodding with a sense of discomfort.

Although he had also amassed quite a few academic credits, and had once accumulated over 100,000 credits, he still couldn't afford to buy a Holy Weapon.

In the past, when his credits were infinitesimally close to 100,000, he had thought about buying this Demon Sword.

But ultimately, he had too many concerns and didn't dare to buy it.

Later, due to various reasons, his credits never quite reached 100,000.

Which made it even harder to buy a Holy Weapon.

Unexpectedly, Mu Jinyu had only just become a senior student and, within about a day, managed to buy this Demon Sword.

Although it has various issues, it's still a Holy Weapon.

Moreover, it suits Mu Jinyu well, and estimated that in his hands, it can exert the power of a Medium Grade Sacred Weapon.

Thus, Mu Jinyu essentially saved 100,000 credits.

He bought a Medium Grade Sacred Weapon for only 100,000 credits!

"Alright, as long as it's fine..."

Mo Yunqiong quickly composed himself, with a faint smile, asked Mu Jinyu, "Did the commotion earlier happen because of this Demon Sword?"

Mu Jinyu nodded slightly, saying, "It probably has something to do with changing the sword."

Though he's not entirely sure, he knows the Firewood Chopping Saber Technique became so powerful partly due to his purer bloodline and partly due to changing his weapon.

After all, before he executed the Firewood Chopping Saber Technique, he always used the Firewood knife.

And that Firewood knife was merely a Medium Grade Divine Weapon.

Not a Life and Death Divine Weapon, nor a Creation Divine Weapon.

Just an ordinary Divine Weapon.

Now, using the Sacred Quietus Blade for the Firewood Chopping Saber Technique, its power would naturally increase!

The exact increase, however, would have to be tested in the training room later.

"Alright, I won't disturb your cultivation. Go ahead."

After saying a few words with Mu Jinyu, Mo Yunqiong urged him to hurry to the training room to test his moves.

"Okay."

Mu Jinyu nodded slightly to Mo Yunqiong and then bid farewell, leaving his Cave Heaven Eleven.

As Mo Yunqiong watched Mu Jinyu leave, he looked down at the fishing rod in his hand.

After his face changed a few times, he suddenly gripped the fishing rod with both hands, lifted his knee, and snapped his beloved fishing rod.

"Forget fishing, it's time for cultivation!"

Mo Yunqiong said angrily before returning to the building suited for his cultivation, no longer wasting time playing, and started closing off for cultivation.

He decided he couldn't be slack anymore.

This time, inspired by Mu Jinyu, he was determined to aim for the top ten.

And not just settle for eleventh place.

At the very least, if he couldn't aim for seventh or eighth, he should replace the current tenth position!

So the decision was made!

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Mu Jinyu left Cave Heaven Eleven and headed toward the cultivation room area.

Soon, he arrived at this cultivation room area.

This time, though, he wasn't planning to go to the Gravity Training Room but to the room testing combat capabilities, so he didn't look for the old tutor.

Shortly after, Mu Jinyu arrived at the combat training room.

The tutor in charge, seeing Mu Jinyu approach, had little reaction and merely nodded to him slightly.

Since it was Mu Jinyu's first time here, he approached the tutor and asked, "May I know how the training room charges?"

The tutor, hearing Mu Jinyu's question, glanced at him in surprise, the confusion and disbelief in his eyes were evident.

Clearly, seeing Mu Jinyu in full senior student attire, the tutor naturally assumed he had been at Dongyue Mansion for many years.

Certainly lingering among intermediate students for years.

Yet reaching the senior student level, he didn't know the training room charges?

This was indeed a first.

Though he found Mu Jinyu quite peculiar, the tutor's expression of surprise quickly faded, and he calmly replied, "Beginner combat training room charges one academic credit for an hour, the mannequins inside max out at Unity Realm Stage Peak!"

"Intermediate combat training room charges ten academic credits for an hour, the mannequins inside max out at Peak of Void Breaking Realm!"

"Advanced combat training room charges fifty academic credits for an hour, the mannequins inside max out at Peak of the Life and Death Realm."

Upon hearing the tutor's explanation, Mu Jinyu nodded slightly, realizing the charge is similar to that of the Gravity Training Room.

Yet, why aren't there rooms for the Creation Realm or Chrono Light Realm level here?

Probably because mannequins at those cultivation levels are hard to craft?

And within Dongyue Mansion, if required for testing against Creation Realm practitioners, the tutors probably wouldn't mind instructing them.

Thus, it's normal not to have such level rooms.

The tutor continued, "You're a senior student, so beginner and intermediate cultivation and training rooms are free, no academic credits needed, while advanced rooms only require half the credits."

"Which cultivation room are you planning to use?"

The tutor inquired.

Hearing the tutor's words, Mu Jinyu nodded slightly.

He had heard this rule from others.

Upon hearing it, he felt regret.

If he had known beforehand, he would have hurriedly advanced to senior student rather than advancing slowly among intermediate students.

Mu Jinyu thought for a bit but decided not to go to the free intermediate combat training room.

Since his combat power made challenging the Peak of Void Breaking Realm mannequins pointless.

He could even challenge mid-stage Life and Death Realm.

Hence, he might as well try mannequins at late-stage Life and Death Realm?

And if feasible, he could aim for those at the Peak of the Life and Death Realm!

"I'll go to the advanced combat training room."

Mu Jinyu replied to the tutor.

"Hmm?"

The tutor, hearing Mu Jinyu's response, glanced at him again in surprise.

He originally thought Mu Jinyu would choose the free intermediate combat training room.

Considering his cultivation was only at the Middle Stage of the Void Breaking Realm.

The intermediate combat training room should suffice for him.

However, Mu Jinyu opted for the advanced combat training room instead!

Could he be a genius who could challenge across ranks?

The tutor, who seldom ventured out, merely sprung as a keeper, was yet unaware Mu Jinyu had challenged the entire senior student cohort and became the foremost rank.

Otherwise, he wouldn't have these suspicions.

However, despite surprise, he didn't question further but reminded once more, confirming if he truly wanted the advanced combat training room.

Once Mu Jinyu nodded in affirmation, the tutor guided him towards the advanced combat training room.

Mu Jinyu thanked him and headed towards the advanced combat training room.

On his way past beginner and intermediate combat training rooms, Mu Jinyu noticed there were even queues outside, startling him somewhat; indeed, combat training rooms were far more sought after than Gravity Training Rooms!

However, upon reaching the advanced combat training room area, he found few people around.

After all, the minimum requirement was Life and Death Realm class; an hour costs one hundred credits, who would idly come here?

Thus Mu Jinyu didn't have to queue and casually chose an advanced combat training room to enter.

Chapter 1886: Adjusting the Puppet's Strength! Training Begins!

Mu Jinyu entered the Advanced Combat Training Room and saw a life-size puppet standing woodenly inside.

It didn't appear to have any of the imposing aura of the Life-and-Death Realm.

However, since it's an Advanced Combat Training Room, this puppet must certainly possess Life-and-Death Realm combat power.

"Let's swipe the card first."

Mu Jinyu glanced at the puppet a few times and noticed there was a roller on its chest, marked with numbers from one to nine.

It should be for adjusting its cultivation level in the minor realms of the Life-and-Death Realm, right?

Mu Jinyu withdrew his gaze, muttered softly, and then held the Identity Plaque, walking to the activation slot beside the training room door.

Then he inserted his Identity Plaque into it.

"Beep beep!"

"Rumble!!"

When Mu Jinyu's Identity Plaque was inserted into the slot, the activation device emitted a soft hum.

Immediately afterward, the heavy stone door began to descend slowly, sealing the entrance shut.

"Sizzle!!"

At this time, Mu Jinyu turned around and saw the life-size puppet starting to emit brilliant Thunder Light all over, crackling with energy.

Its eyes also began to glow red.

It was clearly in an activation state.

"Hmm?!"

"Activating so slowly, maybe it's giving me some time to adjust the minor realm of the puppet's activation, right?"

Observing the puppet's state, Mu Jinyu's eyes flickered a few times, roughly guessing its purpose.

Then he quickly walked to the puppet, raised his hand, and started turning the roller on its chest.

"Click click..."

The roller was quite deeply embedded, and Mu Jinyu had to exert some energy to press and rotate it.

Finally, Mu Jinyu set the roller's number to six.

This way, the puppet's final activation strength should be at the Sixth Layer of the Life-and-Death Realm.

Which is to say, the peak of the Mid-Stage of the Life-and-Death Realm, advancing one minor realm to the Seventh Layer.

Mu Jinyu had previously defeated Lu Kaige, whose cultivation was only around the Fifth Layer of the Life-and-Death Realm.

However, the opponent's strength was formidable enough to be compared to the Late-stage Life and Death Realm.

Had Mu Jinyu not created the Life and Death Reincarnation Diagram at a critical moment, he wouldn't have been able to leverage its power to defeat Lu Kaige.

So, since Mu Jinyu wasn't ready to test the power of the Life and Death Reincarnation Diagram, he naturally wouldn't set his opponent's strength to the Late-stage Life and Death Realm or even its peak.

He was prepared to first test the Firewood Chopping Saber Technique, both Sword Dragon Slashes, and the Life and Death Twin Dragon Fist to see exactly how much these moves had improved after his bloodline became purer.

"However, let's not use the Riot-Quelling Sword for now, or it will be difficult to distinguish whether the enhancement in the move's power is due to a change in the magic treasure or oneself!"

After deciding to set the puppet's specific cultivation level at the Sixth Layer of the Life-and-Death Realm, Mu Jinyu instinctively wanted to draw the Riot-Quelling Sword to face the opponent.

But soon, he recalled the recent "remarkable achievement" at Cave Heaven Eleven, where a single strike had taken down most of Mo Yunqiong's bamboo grove...

Thus, Mu Jinyu did not draw the Riot-Quelling Sword.

He also feared that if he swung the sword and accidentally destroyed the puppet, what then?

"The room should have weapons of specific quality grades, right?"

Mu Jinyu glanced around, soon spotting a weapons rack in the corner.

On it were various weapons and magic treasures.

It could basically cater to the majority of people's needs.

Only a few people using very specialized magic treasures and weapons might not find a suitable weapon inside.

Mu Jinyu quickly walked over, swept his eyes across the rack holding various sword weapons, and found a style he liked - the firewood knife style.

This style of sword weapon came in different ranks, including Top-Quality Grade Life and Death Divine Weapon, Superior Grade Life and Death Divine Weapon, Medium Grade Life and Death Divine Weapon, and regular Divine Weapons.

Ultimately, Mu Jinyu chose a Medium Grade Divine Weapon level firewood knife that he was accustomed to using.

"You'll do."

Having picked the necessary weapon, Mu Jinyu raised his hand to grip it.

He was about to carry out a simple refining beforehand, otherwise, it wouldn't be easy to handle.

However, he found that the weapons here were somewhat special, as holding them gave a feeling of bloodline fusion.

As if they had already been refined into a Life-bound Magic Treasure.

Mu Jinyu paused for a moment, then guessed why this was the case.

It was likely that the designer of this Combat Training Room took comprehensive consideration, realizing that the difference between a magic treasure that hasn't been refined and one that has a complete bloodline connection, as if an extension of one's body, is vast.

So they ensured that the magic treasures here would provide a refined effect, no matter who used them.

Enabling them to perform at their strongest state.

In this way, students who couldn't afford the Divine Weapons they needed could come to the Combat Training Room to experience the effect of high-quality Divine Weapons in battle.

Meanwhile, students who had saved enough academic credits and wished to purchase their ideal Divine Weapon could test the effects here beforehand, aiding their decision on which Divine Weapon to buy.

"Boom boom boom..."

While Mu Jinyu considered these matters, an explosion sounded behind him.

Mu Jinyu immediately snapped back to reality, scanning with his Divine Sense, he saw that the puppet was now fully activated.

Originally, the puppet had looked wooden and lifeless, entirely like a toy.

But now, after activation, it had completely transformed into a man.

Yes, at least from appearance, one couldn't see it as a puppet anymore.

But a person!

With black hair cascading down, a tall, slender build, and eyes sharp as electricity, incredibly fierce!

"Clang!!"

The puppet slightly raised its hand, a Medium Grade Life and Death Divine Weapon long blade dropped into its grip.

Obviously, after Mu Jinyu adjusted its strength to the Mid Stage of the Life-and-Death Realm, the weapon it selected was also of medium quality.

"Swoosh!!"

Once the sword weapon was in hand, the puppet, without a word, swung its blade like lightning, slashing towards Mu Jinyu!

"Boom!!"

The blade's light descended like a hanging river of stars, exuding a terrifyingly immense presence!

"Hmm?!"

Seeing this, Mu Jinyu raised an eyebrow, marveling at the puppet's power!

Then he gripped the held firewood knife tightly, his eyes focused, bursting like lightning, and slashed out.

"Swish swish swish!!"

Mu Jinyu swung several moves of the Firewood Chopping Saber Technique, invoking an indescribable Power of Laws, and fiercely clashed with the puppet's blade.

But, as expected, his Firewood Chopping Saber Technique was shattered instantaneously.

Meanwhile, the strike like a river of stars showed no significant reduction in power, continuing to slash towards him fiercely!

Mu Jinyu had foreseen this result.

After all, his firewood knife technique had already become inadequate by now, having struggled against Shi Yiran, and was practically unusable against Ning Ruofan and Lu Kaige.

The puppet's strength was rated at the peak of the Mid Stage of the Life-and-Death Realm, making its cultivation level somewhat superior to Lu Kaige's.

So how could the Firewood Chopping Saber Technique possibly withstand this puppet?!

"Ha!!!"

In this moment of danger, Mu Jinyu let out an abrupt shout, gripping his firewood knife tighter, and immediately unleashed the Bone Tempering Section with full force, executing the White Bone Sword Dragon Slash!

Chapter 1887: Malfunctioning Puppet! Peak of the Life and Death Realm? All In!

"Boom!!!"

The Stern Bone Dragon appeared, cloaked in myriad bone sword weapons, looking extremely menacing, and blasted towards that hanging galaxy!

The clash of two forces!

Ultimately, both the galaxy and the Bone Dragon collapsed and vanished together!

"That was close..."

Mu Jinyu thought to himself.

He initially planned to use the Blood-colored Dragon-slaying Sword but later worried that its power wouldn't be enough and feared that he couldn't perform the move after a trace of his golden bloodline was erased.

So he ended up using the White Bone Sword Dragon Slash.

Finally, the White Bone Sword Dragon Slash lived up to his expectations and successfully obliterated the Combat Puppet's strike.

Mu Jinyu calculated that the power of this White Bone Sword Dragon Slash had indeed increased significantly.

Not only because his bloodline became purer, allowing smoother operation of Blood Essence, but also because of the enhancement in his Pure Physical Strength and Soul, right?

Otherwise, based on the previous power of the White Bone Sword Dragon Slash, it would barely extinguish half the power of that Combat Puppet's move.

After all, in his previous battle with Ning Ruofan and Lu Kaige, the two Sword Dragon Slashes were practically unusable.

"I still have too few moves!"

Mu Jinyu thought of the embarrassing situation at the time and sighed inwardly.

"Ssssss!!!"

Just then, the expressionless Combat Puppet, with its black hair flying, began a new assault on Mu Jinyu.

Due to the distance being slightly far, Mu Jinyu wasn't worried about not being able to perform two moves.

So, this time he first executed the Blood-colored Dragon-slaying Sword.

"Boom!!!"

The Blood-colored Dragon-slaying Sword collided with the Combat Puppet's move, and with a boom, it directly obliterated the Combat Puppet's strike, then without losing much momentum, blasted towards the puppet!

"Bang!!"

The Combat Puppet couldn't evade and was directly knocked down, its body flickering with electric light, Thunder Arcs weaving.

It seemed like a robot malfunctioning.

Making it unable to get up from the ground for a while.

"Hmm?!"

Mu Jinyu was dumbfounded by the situation.

This is not right!

Wasn't the power of the Blood-colored Dragon-slaying Sword always somewhat less than that of the White Bone Sword Dragon Slash?

Why is the situation reversed now?

The White Bone Sword Dragon Slash could barely offset the Combat Puppet's move,

while the Blood-colored Dragon-slaying Sword could obliterate the Combat Puppet's move and knock the puppet to the ground, unable to get up?

How can this be?

At first, Mu Jinyu couldn't understand.

But soon, he discovered the reason.

The White Bone Sword Dragon Slash actually borrowed the remaining Earth Emperor Bone Qi within him to execute, its power was basically fixed at that level.

But the Blood-colored Dragon-slaying Sword was performed by the Blood Dragon within him.

The power at first was indeed less than that of the White Bone Sword Dragon Slash, but... it could improve!

He had just erased that trace of golden Exotic Blood within, purifying his own bloodline, making many of his moves stronger.

Even the speed of operating the Blood Tempering Chapter increased, allowing him to recover from injuries faster.

Naturally, the Blood Dragon would also become stronger.

Making the power of the Blood-colored Dragon-slaying Sword stronger as well!

"So that's how it is..."

"Then it seems from now on I should focus more on the Blood Dragon rather than the Bone Dragon..."

Once Mu Jinyu figured it out, he showed a slight smile.

Then he looked down at the Combat Puppet lying on the ground, its body flickering with Thunder Arcs, with a somewhat helpless expression.

It seems he broke this Combat Puppet, what now?

He had yet to try the Life and Death Twin Dragon Fist and several other moves!

And if he broke a combat puppet at the Life and Death Realm level...

Will Dongyue Mansion ask him to compensate?

"Ssss!!"

Just as Mu Jinyu was preparing to leave this Advanced Combat Training Room to find out from the mentor outside what the situation was and how to handle it.

Suddenly, the Combat Puppet on the ground started to radiate Thunder Arcs.

Cracking noise filled the air.

Then Mu Jinyu noticed its aura becoming increasingly terrifying.

"Huh?! That's not right..."

Mu Jinyu's steps halted instantly.

As he turned around, he saw the numbers on the rolling wheel on the Combat Puppet's chest had somehow turned to nine!

Meaning its combat power was now adjusted to the Peak of the Life and Death Realm!

"Damn!"

Upon seeing this, Mu Jinyu couldn't help but curse out loud.

His current cultivation only reached the Fifth Layer of the Void Breaking Realm.

Though his combat power is strong, capable of challenging up to the Life and Death Realm.

But the early stage of the Life and Death Realm is pretty much equal with him.

With mid-stage Life and Death Realm cultivation, he's behind by ten Minor Realms!

His victory over Lu Kaige was a narrow win!

Considering that the Combat Puppet certainly isn't as strong as Lu Kaige, he dared adjust its power to the Sixth Layer of the Life-and-Death Realm.

That already felt extremely difficult.

Unexpectedly, after the Blood-colored Dragon-slaying Sword hit, the Combat Puppet malfunctioned and adjusted its cultivation to the Ninth Layer of Life and Death Realm!

Can this still be fought?

"To leave?"

Mu Jinyu's heart stirred with a sudden urge to leave immediately.

But after hesitating, he stopped this impulse and decided not to leave.

Although the current Combat Puppet strength was beyond his capability.

But it's after all just a Combat Puppet, if he chooses to leave now, it'll certainly leave a shadow in his heart.

This will become his Heart Demon!

Therefore, if possible, he should try first, if it proves unbeatable, leaving then won't be too late.

He can't leave without a fight, right?

Not to mention, the Canglan Realm is dangerous now, what if he encounters the Peak of the Life and Death Realm or a Creation Realm expert outside, can he simply think to run away?

He cannot develop a habit of losing his fighting spirit whenever he faces a challenge, and only thinking to escape!

"Come on, it's just a Combat Puppet, I fear you none!"

Mu Jinyu's eyes turned resolute, choosing not to leave.

He dispelled the concerns and worries in his heart.

Even if he finds he can't match the Combat Puppet later, using the Earth Emperor's Tome, Corpse-Wrapping Cloth, or even the Riot-Quelling Sword, should enable him to defeat the Combat Puppet!

"Heh!!"

Mu Jinyu quickly tossed the Medium Grade Divine Weapon firewood knife back to the weapon rack.

Then assumed a boxing stance, with his left hand entwining the Blood Dragon, right fist spinning the Bone Dragon.

The power rapidly climbing.

"Boom!!"

Meanwhile, the Combat Puppet finished its adjustment, with eyes coldly fixed on Mu Jinyu, slashing straight towards him!

In an instant, blade light swung down, eerily bright and clear, as if countless thunders striking out, the scene was terrifying!

"Kill!"

Seeing the power of this strike, Mu Jinyu's eyes held no fear, filled with killing intent. He clashed his hands together and fiercely struck out!

"Roar!!"

Momentarily, two dragons combining Life and Death energy merged together, transforming into a golden Divine Dragon, fearlessly charging towards the Combat Puppet's slash!

"Hiss!!"

A breathtaking scene unfolded.

The Divine Dragon fiercely struck the Thunder-glowing blade light and devoured it entirely, then hit the Combat Puppet!

"Bang!!"

The Combat Puppet was blown apart, fragmented instantly!

Remnants scattered everywhere...

Chapter 1888: The Mentor's Misunderstanding! Damn, Is This Your So-Called "Disabled"?

"Whoa?!"

"Did I just break it?"

"What's going on?"

Mu Jinyu stared at the scattered puppet debris on the ground, his expression somewhat blank, his tone filled with incredulity.

Originally seeing this combat puppet's power increase, its strength reaching the Peak of the Life and Death Realm, he almost felt a tinge of fear, nearly tempted to flee.

Yet who would've thought, the puppet turned out to be so feeble, crumbling under his Life and Death Twin Dragon Fist.

Reduced to debris scattered all over!

It seemed a bit like bluffing!

Mu Jinyu was initially prepared that the Twin Dragon Fist might be ineffective against the combat puppet, and then he'd try the Riot-Quelling Sword.

If that didn't work, he'd unfold the Corpse-Wrapping Cloth and use the Life and Death Reincarnation Diagram, to defeat the puppet like he did to Lu Kaige!

Still unsuccessful, he'd suppress its strength with the Earth Emperor's Tome and slowly deal with it.

Yet with one punch...

The combat puppet was crippled by him!

Mu Jinyu felt a bit doubtful about life...

Could it be, after eradicating that thread of golden Exotic Blood, he actually became very strong?

"Shouldn't be, something must've gone wrong somewhere, better go out and ask the mentor!"

Mu Jinyu's eyes flickered unpredictably, eventually shaking his head, thinking there's no way he became this strong, able to challenge a Peak of the Life and Death Realm combat puppet directly.

There must be a mistake.

Then, Mu Jinyu quickly walked to the activation recess and pulled out his Identity Plaque.

Although his actual combat training time inside was less than an hour.

He was still penalized fifty school credits.

And since the combat puppet was already crippled.

He saw no need to hang around until an hour later to leave.

Purely wasting time.

"Crack... crack..."

As the Identity Plaque was pulled out.

The massive stone door, immediately began to rise slowly.

Mu Jinyu, before the door rose completely, swiftly darted out.

"Mentor, mentor... something happened..."

Mu Jinyu turned past the beginner and intermediate combat training room areas, soon arriving at the mentor's location, loudly shouting.

"What's wrong, what's wrong? What happened?"

The mentor saw Mu Jinyu looking odd, immediately stood up, curiously asking.

He knew Mu Jinyu was in an advanced training room, isn't someone crippled by the combat puppet?

That would be no small matter!

Mu Jinyu hurriedly explained to the mentor: "Mentor, here's the situation, I just chose an advanced combat training room, and after the combat puppet was struck by me, it flickered with Thunder Arc all over, seemed something went wrong, and then its strength started rampaging, suddenly became Peak of the Life and Death Realm..."

"Peak of the Life and Death Realm?! Holy crap!"

Upon hearing Mu Jinyu's words, the mentor couldn't help but widen his eyes, burst into swearing.

A combat puppet with Peak of the Life and Death Realm power, wasn't something just anyone could handle!

Among Dongyue Mansion's students, probably only the top three senior students, Shi Yiran, Ning Ruofan, and Lu Kaige could struggle a bit in such a scenario.

Even if they had some strong cards, they could pull off risking wins!

But ordinary folks wouldn't be a match for combat puppets of that level.

That indeed was a big deal!

"Who got injured by the combat puppet? Quick, quick, quick, take me to see..."

Once the mentor grasped the situation, he hurriedly urged Mu Jinyu.

Although he just heard Mu Jinyu mention, it was the room he opened, typically, the one facing such danger would naturally be Mu Jinyu.

But...

Inside Dongyue Mansion, many students didn't have many credits, so they pooled together credits, then entered the training room for combat practice.

Thus, seeing Mu Jinyu unharmed, speaking with such urgency and concern.

The mentor naturally presumed Mu Jinyu and others opened an advanced combat training room together.

Then something went wrong, the other person got injured by the combat puppet, maybe even at death's door.

And Mu Jinyu saw things weren't right, seized the chance to sneak out, reporting to him.

So, he must promptly find out who was in trouble, and which room, so he could rush over to save them.

"No one got hurt... it's the combat puppet that's crippled."

Seeing the mentor urgently inquire, Mu Jinyu somewhat sheepishly scratched his head, self-reproachfully said.

"No one got hurt?!"

The mentor heard Mu Jinyu's words, went still, "No one got hurt, but instead the combat puppet got crippled?"

"Phew..."

Upon learning this detail, the mentor instantly exhaled a breath of relief.

Even though the combat puppet's construction cost was hefty, if crippled, it's indeed a big loss.

But humans are surely more important than puppets!

If such a situation occurs, it's clearly much better than humans getting injured by puppets.

Hence, he felt it's acceptable.

Later, just repair the puppet, it's fine.

The mentor's expression relaxed significantly, then asked Mu Jinyu: "Hey, who else could cripple a combat puppet rampaging to Peak of the Life and Death Realm, isn't it that the person who went with you into the training room is Lu Kaige?"

"No, Lu Kaige wouldn't go into a training room with anyone else!"

"Then it should be Ning Ruofan?"

"He's approachable, it's possible, plus once he goes crazy, even scarier than Lu Kaige, crippling the puppet seems reasonable..."

The mentor formulated various self-assured analyses, clicked his tongue in praise.

Mu Jinyu was momentarily stunned hearing this, unsure why he made such assessments.

Then replied: "No, I was alone when I entered the combat training room, the one who crippled the puppet was me..."

He didn't desire to pin the blame on those two.

After all, a day ago they nearly got beaten by him, now they're heavily injured, requiring extended rest.

Many senior students were aware of this situation.

And he went and falsely accused them, dumping blame onto them, they'd be livid if they found out!

"You?!"

The mentor heard Mu Jinyu's answer, couldn't help but look at him in utter disbelief.

Then cracked a amused expression, said: "You're only at the Fifth Layer of the Void Breaking Realm, how could you cripple a combat puppet at Peak of the Life and Death Realm? Stop joking."

Mu Jinyu sighed helplessly: "I wasn't joking with you, it's meaningless..."

The mentor thought about it and agreed, skeptically examined him a few times, then said: "Alright, let's go, I'll accompany you there to see, then assess the damage on the combat puppet, see how much credits you need to compensate..."

Mu Jinyu sighed inwardly, sure it's gonna cost.

No choice, he trashed the combat puppet like that...

Then Mu Jinyu led the mentor back to his advanced combat training room early.

"Hmm?!"

The mentor followed Mu Jinyu into the advanced combat training room, gazed at the debris scattered all over, and froze.

He took a deep breath, looking at Mu Jinyu incredulously, asked with a tone like seeing a ghost: "This is the crippled combat puppet you mentioned?!"

"Goodness!"

Initially, he thought when Mu Jinyu mentioned crippling the combat puppet.

It meant the puppet malfunctioned, losing the ability to fight.

Yet its structure remained, repaired, it'd be alright.

Who would've thought, Mu Jinyu meant crippled.

Was that an entire combat puppet outright changed to heaps of debris!

Chapter 1889: Let the Mansion Master Inspect! Malicious Targeting!

Mu Jinyu felt a bit embarrassed and asked the mentor, "Mentor, what kind of compensation do you think is needed in this situation?"

The mentor shook his head upon hearing this and looked at him with a mix of pity and admiration, saying, "I don't know. If the combat puppet only malfunctioned, I might be able to roughly estimate how much you need to compensate. But you've blown up the entire combat puppet; I don't know the cost of the combat puppet, but it must be at least over 100,000 credits..."

"Over 100,000 credits?"

Mu Jinyu felt dizzy at these words, almost fainting.

100,000 credits!

That could buy another Riot-Quelling Sword.

And this is just the initial estimate.

Probably not less than 100,000 credits.

That could buy a more decent Holy Weapon.

Mu Jinyu felt he really lost out on this.

Obviously, he hadn't gained any advantage in the fight against the combat puppet, and he almost got beaten up by it.

Then, he just struck it once, and it ended up demolishing itself into a pile of debris.

He spent 50 credits and hadn't even stayed in this actual combat training room for an hour yet!!!

He hadn't even properly tested his own strength to see what progress he had made.

Just like this!

He's going to compensate tens of thousands of credits?

Damn, it's like a freaking dream!

Mu Jinyu felt it was too unfair.

He deeply suspected, could it be that this mentor was tricking him, deliberately putting a nearly broken combat puppet into the training room, then randomly letting someone blow it up, just to swindle credits out of people?

With this in mind, Mu Jinyu looked at the mentor with an indignant and suspicious gaze.

"Don't look at me like that!"

As if knowing what Mu Jinyu was thinking, the mentor said plainly, "I wouldn't do such a thing, and the credits you're compensating aren't for me. Why would I do this?"

"I can only say you're unlucky, just happened to encounter this situation."

The mentor was also shocked at first by the situation, couldn't comprehend how Mu Jinyu, someone at the Fifth Layer of the Void Breaking Realm, managed to smash a combat puppet that suddenly went out of control and elevated its strength to the Peak of the Life and Death Realm into debris.

Later, calming down, he suspected that perhaps there was an issue with the combat puppet itself. Although its aura and gauges showed the Peak of the Life and Death Realm, in reality, it might not even have Unity Realm Stage power?

Otherwise, how could it be smashed like this by Mu Jinyu in one blow?

Therefore, facing Mu Jinyu's questioning and hostile gaze, the mentor could roughly guess his thoughts and advised him not to look at him like that, suggesting to let the Mansion Master and others come to check the situation later.

"Alright, the Mansion Master and others are reasonable people. If it's really the combat puppet's fault, causing you to smash it, they probably won't punish you. I'll notify them to come and inspect the situation first."

The mentor spoke softly, trying to stabilize Mu Jinyu.

After that, he took out his Identity Plaque to notify Vice Manor Master Wang Yeqing about the matter.

Soon.

Wang Yeqing and several Institute Heads, upon hearing of the matter, quickly arrived.

"Wow, really something..."

"This puppet's material is pretty special; the Mansion Master once evaluated it could withstand an all-out strike from an Early Creation Realm cultivator!"

"And it was blown up by Mu Jinyu like this!"

"Could his combat capability have reached Creation Realm levels?"

"Impossible, right?"

"He struggled when facing Lu Kaige before; how could his combat strength possibly soar to the point of destroying a combat puppet that even Creation Realm cultivators couldn't blow up in just one day?"

"Did you forget how he defeated Lu Kaige? It was with that move of leveraging force against force."

"That's right, maybe he enraged the combat puppet, causing its strength to rise to the Peak of the Life and Death Realm, and then used that move to blow it up in one go!"

"..."

These Institute Heads arrived at the actual combat training room, looking at the metal debris scattered on the floor, and couldn't help but marvel.

Afterward, they whispered discussions, speculating about the possibility of Mu Jinyu blowing up the combat puppet.

They strongly suspected Mu Jinyu utilized the Life and Death Reincarnation Diagram, leveraging force, to blow this tough combat puppet up.

"I didn't use that move!"

Upon hearing the analysis from these Institute Heads, Mu Jinyu couldn't help but feel annoyed and coldly refuted.

The Institute Heads of Dongyue Mansion varied in strength, with stronger ones reaching the Creation Realm level.

The weaker ones, about the Mid-late stage of the Life and Death Realm.

Not much difference from ordinary mentors.

Mu Jinyu naturally wouldn't pay them much respect given his current combat capabilities.

Though he respects teachers and the path, it depends on whether the other is worth respecting.

If the other party is worth respecting, even if they only possess Unity Realm power, he wouldn't neglect them.

But if not worth respecting, naturally he wouldn't bow before them.

At present, these Institute Heads immediately start theorizing in a joking manner, even before inspecting, making conclusions that he deliberately destroyed the combat puppet.

Really malicious intentions.

Mu Jinyu firmly believed he hadn't offended them; no reason they'd specifically target him.

But if there's any reason for them targeting him.

It might be because their students include Ning Ruofan or Shi Yiran, who he had defeated before, thus they want to get back at him, using such mean tricks.

Although knowing it might not cause substantial harm or loss to him, making him uncomfortable is enough.

"It's not up to you whether you used it or not; the Mansion Master must inspect."

One of the Institute Heads, hearing Mu Jinyu's rather angry words, casually glanced at him and said.

Her name was Chi Yanyu, who was close to Zhao Donglai; her top student was precisely Ning Ruofan.

Thus, her attitude toward Mu Jinyu was naturally unfriendly.

She wouldn't mind kicking him while he's down if the opportunity arises.

"Alright, everybody stop arguing, I'll inspect and it'll be clear!"

Wang Yeqing saw them arguing over this matter, felt a headache coming and coldly reprimanded them.

This made them cease arguing.

Subsequently, Wang Yeqing began using a secret technique, drawing a circle to replay the combat scene from an hour ago.

'Damn, there's such a method?'

Mu Jinyu saw Wang Yeqing's method and felt a surge of fear.

Thankfully, during the fight with the combat puppet, it was really easy and straightforward.

So the moves and techniques he used were his usual ones, not afraid of being seen by them.

He didn't utilize the Earth Emperor's Tome, which should not be randomly displayed.

Otherwise, he would have to consider leaving Dongyue Mansion.

There would be no choice.

Even if Wei Qiankun and Wang Yeqing are righteous people without thoughts of seizing the Earth Emperor's Tome, it doesn't guarantee others wouldn't envy and spread the news.

If the Earth Emperor's Tome, which had previously drawn foreign rulers to compete, reemerges, there would fearfully be a tumult, bloodshed endless, making it really hard for him to escape with it.

Chapter 1890: Unbelievable! Chi Yanyu's Proposal

The spell cast by Wang Yeqing slowly replayed everything that had happened half an hour ago.

This spell of his was different from the Round Light Mirror.

The Round Light Mirror allowed one to remotely observe others' actions and what they had done.

But this spell did not specifically target anyone to spy on them; it merely replayed the events that had already occurred.

Mu Jinyu watched as his figure in the circle finally stepped into the real combat training room, deciding in his heart that he could not rely too heavily on the Earth Emperor's Tome in the future. If he supported himself in everything with the Earth Emperor's Tome, it would be too dangerous.

Unless absolutely necessary, he should avoid using the Earth Emperor's Tome.

And once he prepared to use the Earth Emperor's Tome,

he would have to be ready for the possibility that the matter of the Earth Emperor's Tome could become known throughout the Canglan Realm.

Be prepared to face the world as an enemy!

As Mu Jinyu pondered these matters heavily,

Wang Yeqing's spell also accelerated, replaying everything Mu Jinyu had experienced in the real combat training room.

"Did he really not use that move?"

"Strange, could it be that the combat puppet was the problem?!"

"..."

After watching the footage of Mu Jinyu battling the combat puppet, Chi Yanyu and those institute heads who harbored some malice towards Mu Jinyu whispered with grim faces.

They couldn't understand it.

Since Mu Jinyu did not use the move that borrowed strength, he only used a few techniques he had displayed in battles with Shi Yiran and Ning Ruofan. How did he manage to damage the combat puppet this way?

Clearly, those moves of Mu Jinyu, especially the Life and Death Twin Dragon Fist that blew up the combat puppet, were moves that even Shi Yiran struggled with.

Against Ning Ruofan, they were even less effective, only managing to defeat Ning Ruofan with the help of that strange Corpse-Wrapping Cloth.

However, even Ning Ruofan couldn't guarantee that he could defeat a combat puppet set to the Peak of Life and Death Realm with full effort, let alone blow it up.

Yet Mu Jinyu destroyed the combat puppet with a move powerless against Ning Ruofan's Life and Death Twin Dragon Fist.

This made them feel very strange.

Could it really be that the combat puppet malfunctioned, that it was already damaged?

So it was blown up so easily by him?

Wang Yeqing watched the scene's replay, frowning tightly, feeling puzzled.

Then, he crouched down to carefully examine the pile of metal debris on the ground.

After a while.

Wang Yeqing sighed and said, "The combat puppet indeed had some issues, this puppet was purchased over a hundred years ago..."

He continued, puzzled, "However, although it had some issues, it wasn't too serious; it just couldn't withstand the full force of a Creation Realm strike or the full force of a Peak of Life and Death Realm cultivator!"

"So why did your punch reduce the puppet to this state?"

Wang Yeqing stood up, looked at Mu Jinyu with astonished eyes, then his eyes flashed as he asked, "Could it be that the power of your punch now equals the full force of a Peak of Life and Death Realm fighter?"

His tone was filled with surprise and disbelief.

Clearly, he found it hard to imagine that Mu Jinyu's strength could escalate so sharply in just a single day!

Mu Jinyu listened to Wang Yeqing's analysis, also finding it somewhat reasonable.

Then, knowing that the purification of his bloodline couldn't be concealed from a determined investigation, especially since he had bought those Bodhi Salvation Fruits and Pure Blood Red Lotus at the Treasure Pavilion, he realized it would be simple for them to look into.

Thus, Mu Jinyu didn't hide it from them and replied, "Maybe that's it..."

He directly explained how, after acquiring 100,000 credits, he purchased over two hundred Vermilion Fruits and other Heavenly Materials and Earthly Treasures to Wang Yeqing.

Especially mentioning the strange bloodline originally in his body, which he ultimately eradicated using the Pure Blood Red Lotus, increasing his practice cultivation speed and amplifying the power of several techniques.

Mu Jinyu speculated it might be due to this reason?

Might it be why the power of that move reached the level of the Peak of the Life and Death Realm.

Mu Jinyu's words left them all momentarily stunned.

Even though Mu Jinyu was only at the Fifth Layer of the Void Breaking Realm, achieving the full force of a Peak of Life and Death Realm expert was astonishing to them.

However, Mu Jinyu already had a track record of defeating Lu Kaige, who was at the Mid Stage of the Life and Death Realm.

He had consumed so many Heavenly Materials and Earthly Treasures, increasing his power.

It seemed reasonable.

At least it was more reasonable than him unleashing the full force of a Creation Realm expert and blowing up the combat puppet?

"Is that so? Then let's test it? See if you unleash that punch again, whether I can easily take it."

Chi Yanyu heard Mu Jinyu's words, her eyes twinkled, and she spoke softly.

She wanted to take this opportunity to spar with Mu Jinyu and teach him a lesson.

After all, usually, a mentor and mansion master couldn't easily fight with students.

Only if a student actively challenged a mentor or institute head would it be permitted.

And since Mu Jinyu had not yet chosen an academy affiliation, he was not bound by hers.

So Mu Jinyu couldn't possibly challenge her actively.

She also wouldn't have the chance to deal with Mu Jinyu.

Now, there was an opportunity.

Mu Jinyu said that after purifying his bloodline, his strength increased, possibly enabling a punch to destroy the Peak of Life and Death Realm combat puppet.

She found it untrustworthy and wanted to use this opportunity to handle Mu Jinyu.

Upon hearing Chi Yanyu's words, Wang Yeqing frowned, lightly reprimanding, "No fooling around."

Chi Yanyu replied, "Mansion Master, I am not fooling around. The institute heads present are all around Mid Stage of the Life and Death Realm, having lost to Lu Kaige, while I am at the Peak of the Life and Death Realm, making me the most suitable to take action."

Saying this, she paused, and Chi Yanyu looked at Wang Yeqing, smiling faintly, "Otherwise, Mansion Master, perhaps you could personally step in to test this kid's true combat strength?"

Upon hearing this, Wang Yeqing gently shook his head.

What a joke.

He was the Vice Manor Master of Dongyue Mansion; how could he personally spar with a student in technique practice?

What kind of precedent would that set?

Moreover, if he suppressed his cultivation to the Peak of the Life and Death Realm and truly got overpowered by Mu Jinyu.

How would he hold any face?

Wouldn't it be utterly embarrassing?

After some thought, Wang Yeqing looked at the institute heads, seeing their cultivation was only around Mid Stage of the Life and Death Realm, even inferior to Lu Kaige's.

It was unlikely they could assess Mu Jinyu's true combat prowess.

Wang Yeqing finally looked at Chi Yanyu and sighed, "Alright, then you test him out!"

"But let me be clear, don't take the opportunity to seek revenge on Mu Jinyu!"

He was aware that Ning Ruofan was Chi Yanyu's student and close to Zhao Donglai.

Thus, he worried that Chi Yanyu might be taking this chance to retaliate against Mu Jinyu, hence the deliberate reminder!