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Chapter 1341: Intelligent Guesses!

“My guess is that many more companies must have played a part in framing the Three Billion Foundation for selling substandard traditional Chinese medicine, besides the four companies exposed by Fang Qiu and the Foundation.

“Fang Qiu should have obtained all the evidence. That was why he chose to expose them one by one. He disclosed only four companies, yet the other pharmaceutical companies in the market obviously no longer dared to make any move without careful thought.

“Next, let me introduce to you the past events I have arranged in chronological order.

“In the beginning, someone took a video as evidence and reported the Three Billion Foundation’s illegal activities: its clinics sold fake and shoddy medicinal herbs. After that, Fang Qiu stepped up quickly and promised to bear all the responsibilities. Then, reporters conducted many interviews and published videos they recorded. From them, we can see that Fang Qiu immediately went to the place where the incident happened. One after another, he saved four patients who were dying because of the inferior medicinal herbs they took.

“Then, some reporters followed Fang Qiu to chase after the doctor who fled. In the end, Fang Qiu succeeded in capturing him.

“Everyone knows there are a whole variety of technological methods for interrogating suspects. Beyond this, the police attached great importance to this case. In these circumstances, such a case should have been cracked earlier. Moreover, it is certain that Fang Qiu had been to Yang Cheng. The evidence pointed to two real go-betweens: one was arrested in Yang Cheng, and the other surrendered himself to the police in Yang Cheng. So far, Fang Qiu must have gained all the vital evidence of the case.

“I wonder if anyone had noticed one minor detail. Just after Fang Qiu got the evidence, a piece of news reported that the Life-prolonging Earthly Immortal Pills may contain carcinogens appeared in Honggang, but it lasted briefly. Even now, we can find relevant photos and screenshots about the news online.

“After this news emerged, Fang Qiu and the Foundation began to officially release the case progress on the Internet and exposed the first three Chinese Medicine companies.

“Later, Fang Qiu held a press conference but didn’t say if he would expose another company. Then he announced that the Three Billion Foundation and Renyi Group would join hands to put the Chinese medicine market in order.

“There is a high probability that the news released by Fang Qiu harmed the interests of all the Chinese Medicine companies in the country. Therefore, those companies deterred by Fang Qiu’s revelations about their secrets began to stir up trouble again. You may not have noticed something abnormal after Fang Qiu’s press conference. We saw some famous Chinese Medicine doctors appearing on online media and even on many TV stations. We had barely heard of them in the past, but somehow, they had turned up with surprising frequency recently. On the one hand, they acknowledged Fang Qiu’s strength. On the other hand, they expressed their disapproval of Fang Qiu’s plan to clean up the market.

“As these people started to spread demoralizing remarks, Fang Qiu exposed the fourth Chinese Medicine company: Licheng Pharmaceutical Company.

“I am deeply concerned about these incidents. All the time, I have been paying close attention to all kinds of information about this case on the Internet. As a result, I noticed that those so-called ‘Chinese Medicine experts’ disappeared from all the online media and TV stations immediately after Fang Qiu exposed the Licheng Pharmaceutical Company. These experts remained silent. None of them expressed their ideas against Fang Qiu’s rectification of the market again.

“I don’t know the detailed inside story. I just summarized all the crucial information I found online and the details few people might not have noticed. You can take a look.

“All the above is pure surmise on my part. Any resemblance to actual individuals or events is coincidental!”

One netizen offered this answer.

It was a magnificent piece of writing. The author chronologically organized all the related events that happened from the beginning to the end and weaved all these incidents together into an intriguing story.

It was written in great detail.

One after another, netizens in this question-answer community began to read it carefully. After they finished reading it, they liked it and published their comments.

As the number of likes increased, more and more people saw this answer. They also left their opinions and reposted this answer.

“It seems to be a piece of very smooth writing?”

“I think I have come to understand it. According to the order in which these things occurred, we can connect all of them. Besides, the author has discovered many details that we ignored. Amazing!”

“If that is the case, then Fang Qiu has made impressive achievements. It is like the ‘dramatic battle against landlords’ in modern times.”

“According to the author, Fang Qiu might have been in confrontation with not only four or five companies but all the companies in the Chinese Medicine industry. Frankly, I find it rather frightening!”

“Facing the entire Chinese Medicine industry? If so, Fang Qiu has been fighting singly against the vested interest of the Chinese Medicine industry. He’s quite something!”

“He deserves to be my Prince Charming. Impressive!”

All kinds of comments were spread quickly.

Before long...

Someone went to Fang Qiu's Weibo, posted the link to the comment area under Fang Qiu's first Weibo post, and asked, "Legendary Fang Qiu, is it true?"

In addition...

Some people publicized their questions in the comment areas of the Weibo accounts of the Foundation and these pharmaceutical companies.

Soon...

Everyone was asking for the truth. In a flash, the same link appeared everywhere in the official Weibo accounts of Fang Qiu, the Foundation, and all the Chinese Medicine companies.

Usually...

As the aggrieved parties, these Chinese Medicine companies should hasten to stand up and deny it. After all, it caused quite a stir. Surprisingly, none of these Chinese Medicine companies stepped forward to prove their innocence. All of them remained silent.

This time...

The netizens had a rough idea of what was going on.

Everyone felt that their guesses were more likely to be the truth.

Unlike the vast number of netizens...

Bosses of those Chinese Medicine companies also clicked on the link and saw the malicious but accurate speculation in the answers. Still, they remained silent and felt bitter in their hearts.

They had considered their plan perfect, with no weakness that could be exploited. To their surprise, a netizen had figured it all out accurately. It made them feel terribly ashamed.

Due to the fact that Fang Qiu had warned them, they didn't dare to make any small moves now. At this moment, they felt the urge to refute and cover up the truth by leading everyone to talk about something else. However, they didn't have the guts to take any rash actions!

It was because they feared that Fang Qiu would expose another company. They might irritate Fang Qiu again if they came forward to establish their innocence.

There was no other way.

They had no choice but to endure it when their reputation was ruined.

The bosses of these Chinese Medicine companies said nothing. Like them, many others who knew the inside story also chose to remain silent about this issue, such as the police, the Foundation workers, and the people from the Renyi Group.

They all knew that...

If they stood out and confirmed it, it would mean they had declared war on these bosses for Fang Qiu regardless of the dire consequences. Therefore, no one dared to stand up and say it. If they didn't clarify it, the others could learn about the truth without causing considerable disturbance. Therefore, keeping their mouths shut was the best choice!

Over here...

In Jinling City, Jiangjing Province.

This was the city where Jiang Miaoyu's family lived. Fang Qiu had been here once. Back then, Jiang Miaoyu went to celebrate Fang Qiu's eighteenth birthday in Jianghang.

However...

It was different this time.

Just when Jiang Miaoyu walked out of the station, her face flushed with embarrassment.

“What’s wrong?”

Looking at Jiang Miaoyu, Fang Qiu’s face was full of questions.

“My, my mom and dad.”

Jiang Miaoyu stretched out her right hand and pointed to the front. Then she turned back to look at her left hand — Fang Qiu was holding it tightly. Again, she blushed all the way to her ears.

“Oh, it’s a good opportunity to meet them.”

With a grin, Fang Qiu held all of Jiang Miaoyu’s luggage in his left hand and pulled her forward with his right hand.

He focused his eyes on the couple ahead.

The middle-aged man of medium height in a suit was looking at them with a straight face. Near him stood a tall woman who wore her hair in a delicate bun. She was tall and perfectly proportioned.

They were Jiang Miaoyu’s parents.

Usually, when young men met their prospective fathers-in-law for the first time, they would be timid. Fang Qiu was different from them as he took Jiang Miaoyu’s hand and went forward to greet them.

On the way, Jiang Miaoyu was so shy that she wanted to pull her hand back several times, but Fang Qiu grabbed her hand tightly and stopped her from pulling away her hand.

“Sir, Madam, nice to meet you.”

When he came to them, Fang Qiu took off his mask, bowed to them with a smile, and said, “My name is Fang Qiu, Miaoyu’s classmate, and friend.”

“Which one exactly? Her classmate or her friend?”

Jiang Miaoyu’s mother asked with a satisfied smile.

“Uh, a friend.”

Fang Qiu was a little stunned and said.

“Humph.”

Jiang Miaoyu’s father snorted, stepped forward, and said, “Let me take the luggage. Thank you for sending her home.”

After he said that...

Instead of taking the luggage from Fang Qiu’s hand, her father pulled Jiang Miaoyu’s hand away from Fang Qiu. Then, he turned around and walked out of the high-speed railway station with Jiang Miaoyu. As he walked, he said, “Let’s go out first. Or we might be blocked on the road.”

When Fang Qiu saw this...

He gave a wry smile.

Jiang Miaoyu turned around to look at Fang Qiu and couldn't help sniggering because Fang Qiu looked so embarrassed.

"Fang Qiu, right?"

Her mother asked Fang Qiu in time, "Since you're here, let's have a meal together."

"Okay."

Fang Qiu nodded.

In fact...

He didn't want to have this meal either. Although Fang Qiu looked brave, he couldn't stand this tense atmosphere. Who wouldn't feel uneasy when they met their lovers' parents for the first time?

Unfortunately, Jiang Miaoyu's father was too smart. He took Jiang Miaoyu away but left her luggage in his hands. He couldn't give the luggage to Jiang Miaoyu's mother, could he?

In desperation, Fang Qiu could only agree.

They got out of the high-speed railway station.

Jiang Miaoyu's dad found an upscale hotel nearby and took Fang Qiu and Jiang Miaoyu there.

In a private room...

Food was served on the table.

“You came at the right time. I’m curious about one thing.”

Jiang Miaoyu’s father took out his mobile phone and clicked on the hot answer in the question-answer community. Then he put the phone before Fang Qiu and said, “Look at this. Is it true?”

Fang Qiu was stunned.

He picked it up and looked at it carefully. Then he nodded and said, “It’s a very close guess.”

“Oh, the author has guessed correctly!”

Her father shook his head and sighed with emotion. When he looked at Fang Qiu this time, his eyes softened a little, and he said, “Well done. Keep it up. It’s good for Miaoyu to have such a classmate like you.”

Fang Qiu heard his praise.

He replied modestly with a wry smile, “I know what I have done is not enough. I’ll work harder.”

“Mm.”

Jiang Miaoyu’s dad raised his eyebrows and nodded meaningfully.

Fang Qiu was surprised to find that it was not easy to please his prospective father-in-law!

“You’ve done a good job. You’re still very young, aren’t you?”

Jiang Miaoyu’s mom laughed and said as she tried to help him out.

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“Because I’m still young, I still have a lot of things to achieve.”

Fang Qiu looked gratefully at Jiang Miaoyu’s mother and said modestly.

“Let’s start eating. Go ahead.”

Jiang Miaoyu’s father picked up his chopsticks and began to eat after saying that.

They chatted as they ate.

They talked about study, work, school, and the various things Fang Qiu had done.

During this meal...

Fang Qiu felt rather awkward.

He was wary of Jiang Miaoyu’s father all the time.

Mr. Jiang regarded Fang Qi merely as Jiang Miaoyu’s classmate and there was nothing Fang Qiu could do about it.

Obviously...

Although Mr. Jiang did not say it aloud, his attitude showed he did not acknowledge Fang Qiu as Jiang Miaoyu’s boyfriend.

Fang Qiu was well aware of that.

How could it be that easy to win her parents' approval and recognition? But there was still plenty of time. Fang Qiu could only take one step at a time. Anyway, how could he achieve success in a single attempt?

Unlike Mr. Jiang, Jiang Miaoyu's mother was very hospitable to Fang Qiu and kept filling his plate with food.

The atmosphere was awkward.

It made Fang Qiu very uncomfortable.

After the meal, Fang Qiu could not relax but Mr. Jiang was still eating and chatting. Fang Qiu could only continue to chat with him.

It took them an hour to finish the meal.

"Sir, Madam, since Miaoyu has returned to you safely, I must leave now. I have to go back and deal with some things."

When they left the hotel, Fang Qiu politely said goodbye to Jiang Miaoyu's parents.

"Why do you address us like strangers? You are about the same age as Miaoyu. Actually, we've known you are a few months older than her. After the meal, you should call us Mr. and Mrs. Jiang now."

Jiang Miaoyu's mother said.

As soon as Fang Qiu heard that...

"Mr. and Mrs. Jiang..."

He was quick to correct himself.

Before this...

Fang Qiu had come to meet them as Jiang Miaoyu's boyfriend, so he blurted out 'Sir' and 'Madam' to show his respect. Now, when he reflected on it, he realized he had been overly nervous. In fact, he should have addressed them as 'Mr. and Mrs. Jiang' from the beginning.

When Jiang Miaoyu saw Fang Qiu's embarrassed look.

She couldn't help but laugh.

Fang Qiu's face turned gloomy.

"I'll accompany you to the high-speed railway station."

After a while, Jiang Miaoyu said.

"No need for that."

Fang Qiu shook his head and smiled. "I'll go back by train. I have to visit a few places along the way."

"Um, okay."

Jiang Miaoyu nodded.

She and her parents knew Fang Qiu's Foundation had 60,000 countryside clinics. There were some in the countryside near Jinling City. Thus, they did not ask too much about it.

"Then I'll get you a chauffeur-driven car."

Jiang Miaoyu took out her phone, clicked on it quickly, and booked a car.

They stood in front of the hotel and chatted for three minutes.

Then, the chauffeur-driven car Jiang Miaoyu booked arrived.

Fang Qiu felt a sense of relief when the car arrived. He hurriedly got into the car and left.

Jiang Miaoyu and her parents watched Fang Qiu's car leave.

Then, the family of three got into their car. Mr. Jiang was ready to drive them back.

“What a nice young man.”

Mrs. Jiang, beaming with joy, looked at Jiang Miaoyu and patted her husband on the shoulder, and asked, “Am I right?”

Only then did Mr. Jiang give a nod of approval.

Over here...

Fang Qiu quickly booked a train ticket when he was in the car and got on it directly.

Fang Qiu chose to take the normal-speed train because he could jump off it. He couldn't do the same thing on a high-speed train. There was a high-speed railway station near the place where he had felt the fluctuation of the Qi of Heaven and Earth. But after he checked the schedule carefully, Fang Qiu found the normal-speed train set off an hour earlier than the high-speed train. If he waited at the high-speed railway station for an hour, the normal-speed train would have left long ago!

Therefore...

Fang Qiu decided to take the normal-speed train.

Of course, the normal-speed train didn't take the same route as the high-speed train. Fang Qiu had checked the map on his phone. The normal-speed train would also pass by the place where the abnormal fluctuation of the Qi of Heaven and Earth occurred. Therefore, it was best to take the normal-speed train there.

The normal-speed train was actually not that slow.

There were high-speed trains now, but these normal-speed trains had improved gradually. Though the latter were not as fast as the high-speed trains, the speed gap between the two kinds of trains was not big.

The train arrived half an hour earlier than Fang Qiu had expected. Fang Qiu reached the place where he had felt the abnormal fluctuation of the Qi of Heaven and Earth.

When he reached the site...

Wearing a mask, Fang Qiu walked to the joint between two carriages, made a flying leap into the air, and jumped down to the area where the fluctuation of the Qi of Heaven and Earth took place.

His speed was incredible. Besides, he jumped when the train was moving. Thus, no one on the train noticed what Fang Qiu did.

Fang Qiu crossed a hill and came to a dense forest. Then he stopped and moved forward quickly.

According to what he had sensed before...

The unusual fluctuation of the Qi of Heaven and Earth was deep in the mountains ahead.

He turned his head to look back.

There were no train tracks in sight.

“It’s another three kilometers from here.”

After calculating the distance in his heart, Fang Qiu got ready and darted toward the thickly forested mountains ahead.

He crossed two mountains.

When he was about to approach the target location, Fang Qiu abruptly stopped.

“Clatter! Clatter! Clatter!”

Footsteps came from the front.

Fang Qiu raised his head and looked over.

And there he saw...

A group of people who looked like college students appeared ahead.

“How many kilometers have we been walking in these mountains? But I saw nothing strange along the way. How can we find any artefacts in these deep mountains and forests?”

“That’s right. We major in archaeology, not wilderness survival. Have you led us in the wrong direction?”

Voices came from a distance.

Fang Qiu heard that.

“An archaeological team?”

“How could they have gone so deep into the mountains?”

“Could it be that they had discovered something?”

He was puzzled.

Fang Qiu saw a young man walk out of the crowd. He was in good shape and clad in sportswear. He did some calculations with his fingers and said, “The site has a high geomantic quality. There must be a big tomb!”

“You’ve said it all along the way!”

“Yeah. We’ve walked a long way with you. Where is the great tomb exactly?”

“You bragged that you have the compass skill for locating and way-finding, ways to discover the gravesite through geomancy, and the Nine Chapters on the Mathematical Art. But it seems to me you’ve tricked all of us!”

Everyone was complaining.

“Don’t worry. We’ll get there once we walk a little distance ahead.”

The young man said with a smile.

While they chatted...

The group walked to the spring-fed stream at the bottom of a steep cliff, intending to go further in by following its course.

And over there...

When he heard what he said, Fang Qiu couldn't help but take a few more glances at the young man.

Then, he was about to leave.

But just before he turned around...

In a twinkling...

“Buzz...”

A low muffled sound was suddenly heard.

Fang Qiu hurriedly looked up.

Right there...

A boulder sat at the top of the sheer cliff. Suddenly, it broke apart from the cliff and rolled rapidly toward the people below.

Fang Qiu's eyebrows shot up when he saw the danger.

The group of college students also noticed the danger. The young man who led the way and who knew how to calculate with his fingers swiftly turned around. He stretched out his hands and forcefully pushed the two female students behind him away.

The others hurriedly retreated as well.

However, after the young man pushed them away, he had no time to dodge.

The boulder gathered speed and rolled rapidly toward the young man's head.

The next moment...

“Ah!!!”

Screams of terror burst forth from the group.

No one dared to look at the young man, but even if they didn't look at him, they could still imagine the bloody scene that was about to happen. Such a heavy boulder falling from a high cliff could crush people to a pulp. Not to mention looking at it, they were too terrified to think about it!

Over at the side...

“Woosh.”

Fang Qiu looked at the young man approvingly. Then he moved sideways and rushed up in an instant.

Under the cliff...

Everyone was waiting for the sound of the boulder when it hit the ground.

But after their screams echoed for some time, none of them heard any further sounds of the impact when the huge rock crashed onto the ground.

The young man was the one who was the most terrified: he ducked his head and arched his back with his eyes tightly closed. Subconsciously, he tried to fend off the blow with his back in response to this threat.

He was already prepared to be smashed into the ground.

However, after he waited in terror for a long time with his eyes tightly closed, nothing crashed onto his back. Finally, he noticed this and ran wildly forward, still with his eyes closed. After he took a few steps ahead, he abruptly looked back.

Meanwhile...

The others opened their eyes one after another.

Before them...

They saw a young man emerging out of the blue. He stood at the cliff bottom, stretched a hand, and held up the falling boulder

This scene left everyone dumbfounded!

Everyone stared at Fang Qiu in great shock.

“Who is this person?

“How did he manage to stop such a huge stone?

“How could he possibly bear its weight?

“Shouldn’t he have been smashed to death when the stone fell on him?

“Could it be a ghost?”

All kinds of absurd ideas flashed through this group of people’s minds as they stood there in shock. They even looked toward the ground under Fang Qiu’s feet.

There, they saw a shadow under Fang Qiu’s feet.

“Not a ghost!”

The young man exclaimed and hurriedly asked, “Who are you? Why are you here? How could you stop this stone?”

In a moment...

The young man asked all the questions in everyone’s mind.

When Fang Qiu heard all these questions...

He flung the big stone onto the open ground nearby with a casual wave of his right hand. The moment the big stone hit the ground, the impact created a huge crater.

When Fang Qiu threw away the stone...

He turned his head and said something obscure to the group of people.

In the Zangjiang ruin, he found a book about Puppet Skills. Now, he talked about the several ancient measurement terms recorded in it.

He had overheard that the young man knew about the Nine Chapters on the Mathematical Art.

That was ancient mathematics.

As soon as he said that...

The others were all confused.

But the young man understood and immediately said, "You mean ancient measurement units?"

When Fang Qiu heard this...

His eyes lit up.

He didn't expect this young man to know about these.

He just wanted to give it a try. After all, only people who majored in archaeology could understand these measure units from ancient times.

"You shouldn't have come here. This place is too dangerous. Hurry up and go back."

Fang Qiu said and turned to leave.

He wore a mask.

Thus, this group of people could not see his face from beginning to end.

Fang Qiu left.

They quickly gathered together. The two girls kept thanking the young man. They were both glad that nothing had happened. If the boulder had fallen on him, they could not imagine how severe the consequences would have been and could not have borne it.

They were terrified.

No one dared to stay any longer. They quickly turned around and left.

In the forest...

Fang Qiu, who had not gone far, stared fixedly at the young man.

This was the first person he had met who knew about these measurement units. Perhaps this young man was the one who mastered the Puppet Skill and could create puppets.

However, it was not the time yet...

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Chapter 1343: The Mysterious Jade Indeed!

Fang Qiu remained in the forest.

He watched the group of young people from a distance and waited for them to leave safely.

Over there...

The group of young people went back the same way they came. All sorts of feelings welled up in their hearts and showed on their faces. Though still in a state of shock, they felt lucky. In addition, this exciting experience was also a pleasant surprise.

“That was a close call. It was too dangerous just now!”

“That’s right. If not for that person... The consequences would be too dreadful to imagine.”

“My hands and feet are still trembling.”

“But who exactly was that person just now?”

“He was amazing! How could he withstand the tremendous impact brought by the huge rock?”

“So, he might have supernatural powers!”

“Alas! Why did I leave? Why didn’t I kneel and beg to be his disciple? If I learn his supernatural powers, I won’t fear anything dangerous.”

When they talked about this...

Everyone immediately looked back but couldn’t find Fang Qiu anywhere.

“Oh, I’ve lost such a great opportunity.”

One of the women sighed bitterly. Then she turned around and stared at the young man who could do calculations on his fingers and said, “Thank you for saving me just now. Without that man, you would have died when you tried to save me. Thank goodness we are all alive. But I was touched by your brave decision at that moment.”

“Oh, please.”

The young man quickly reached out his hand and signed to her to stop and said, "I brought you into the deep forest. If I hadn't saved you, I would have been blamed to death after I came out of the mountain. So don't be so touched. Let's pretend nothing happened."

The woman was taken aback when she heard this. Immediately, she shook her head and turned around, and paid no further attention to him thereafter.

Aside...

Another lady who wore glasses and held an archaeological notebook overheard their conversation. She couldn't help sniggering and said. "See? That is why you are still single!"

"Maybe, the woman I like is actually you. Aren't you afraid I would say that?"

The young man replied with a grin.

"You..."

The girl's cheeks turned red. She immediately turned around to catch up with the woman in front.

"Haha!"

The rest of the boys burst out laughing.

"By the way."

One of the men patted the young man on the shoulder and asked, "What did the mysterious master say to you just now? I remember you answered him. Are there any meridians in your body that haven't been stimulated?"

“I finally know why your behavior was a little strange. You are only fond of archaeology and history. Besides, you like to do calculations on your fingers and tell people’s fortunes. Think about it. How could any archaeologist do his job by predicting with his fingers?”

“That mysterious master must have taken a fancy to you. Who knows, he might come to find you in the future and invite you to be his disciple. If you become a cultivator, will we still be friends?”

The young man heard these questions.

“Forget about those fantastic ideas.”

The young man couldn’t help giving a wry smile and said, “He just said something about a few ancient measurement units, and nothing else.”

“Measurement units? Are you kidding?”

“A mysterious master popped up and saved our lives. How could he merely talk about a few ancient measurement units to you? Don’t you want to tell us the truth? But please don’t make up such a poor excuse.”

“Yeah, I don’t believe it anyway.”

They all shook their heads in disbelief.

The young man was rendered speechless.

But he did not know how to explain it to everyone.

What he had just heard was indeed about ancient measuring units. However, few in modern times could understand these terms, including archaeology professors. He knew these items because his ancestors passed the knowledge to him. Therefore, he wondered how the mysterious master knew about these measurement units.

“Right.”

Suddenly, one of them patted the young man on the shoulder and said, “Since you can understand what he’s talking about, why didn’t you take the opportunity to take him as your master just now? Aren’t you a martial arts fan? You have always dreamed of going deep into the mountains to encounter great masters and instructors, right? The mysterious person just now seemed to be a real master!”

“Oh, don’t talk about that anymore.”

The young man smiled wryly and said, “I regretted it. Finally, the two girls made me feel better. Why are you bringing this up again? I’m like Lord Ye, who claimed to be fond of dragons but was scared out of his wits when a real one appeared. When I suddenly saw a chance to realize my dream, I felt it was unreal and even a little afraid deep down!”

As soon as he said that...

Everyone burst into laughter.

The accident struck terror into their hearts. But now, they felt much less stressed.

Behind them...

Fang Qiu didn’t miss a word of their conversation.

“You like martial arts?”

Looking at the young man’s back, Fang Qiu smiled.

Then, he continued to trail them secretly.

At last, the group returned to a road that led out of the mountain safely. Only then did Fang Qiu turn around to leave.

He went back to the forest.

At once, Fang Qiu released his Divine Consciousness and zipped to where the abnormal fluctuation of Qi of Heaven and Earth occurred.

He searched around on the way.

However, after waiting for a long time, nothing unusual happened again.

He approached his final destination.

After searching around, Fang Qiu couldn't find the place with the unusual fluctuations of the Qi of Heaven and Earth. He could only wait quietly.

After half an hour...

“It's coming.”

Fang Qiu remained still. Suddenly, he turned his head and looked at the open space on the top of the mountain some 30 meters behind him.

He had caught it.

Just now, an abnormal fluctuation of the Qi of Heaven and Earth happened there. Although it vanished in a flash, Fang Qiu had felt it.

He readied himself.

Fang Qiu immediately rushed over.

When he got closer.

Fang Qiu found that the terrain here was a little strange. There were four thick trees in the north, south, east, and west. Within the square formed by the four big trees was a flat, open mountain space without any weeds.

“There are no Heaven and Earth Treasures. Nothing.”

After looking around, Fang Qiu suddenly became thrilled.

From the current situation, he could tell...

This place could very likely be an ancient ruin!

With a sudden inspiration...

Fang Qiu waved his right hand and immediately attracted a pile of thumb-sized stones from all directions. Then, with his internal Qi, he shot the stones in his palm in all directions, attempting to activate the relic gate.

In the end...

The rocks flew far away but stirred up nothing.

“Something’s not right!”

Fang Qiu’s eyebrows shot up.

“Usually, the relic gate should be here!

“But why did nothing happen after I launched these stones?”

He was utterly bewildered.

Fang Qiu lowered his head to look at the ground under him.

“I won’t spend too much time on that.”

With a stir of his mind, Fang Qiu immediately activated his internal Qi and began digging with his bare hands.

He knew that...

If an ancient relic was here, the mysterious jade stones he needed badly must be underground. As for whether he could enter the ancient relic, it was not so important.

Therefore, he didn’t spend too much time searching for the relic gate. It would be more efficient for him to dig right now. Soon, he would know if there were any jade stones underground!

Eventually...

Fang Qiu uncovered some jade pieces.

He was instantly delighted.

He quickly sensed around and found a lot of mysterious jade stones in the mountain.

“I discovered a storehouse of this precious jade!

“With these jade stones, I don’t have to worry about the growth speed of medicinal herbs!”

“Let me take a look at their quality first.”

Fang Qiu reached out and broke off a bit of jade, ready to do a careful check on the quality of the jade.

But just as he picked two pieces of jade and was about to examine them closely...

The surroundings around Fang Qiu suddenly changed.

The mountain forest was gone!

The jade vanished too.

What appeared in front of him was a brand new scene.

He faced a clear stream between two lofty mountains.

In the distance was a very high waterfall. Fang Qiu watched the magnificent waterfall cascading down the mountainside, bringing about a faint mist that hovered over it. There was a round pond at the foot of the waterfall. The water flowed out from a gap in the pond. It ran above the gravel, extending from there to Fang Qiu’s feet.

He squatted down to check it.

This stream of water was lukewarm. It was covered with a layer of faint white mist that contained thick Qi of Heaven and Earth.

He searched around...

In his view, two areas of long, flat grassland stretched from the tall mountains more than ten meters away. The two towering mountains on both sides looked bare. Except for the green grass, there was nothing.

This scene made him think of the wide open spaces of the prairies.

“Huh?”

Fang Qiu took a closer look and suddenly became confused.

“Why aren’t there any traces of the people left in this relic?”

Fang Qiu thought of this.

Unhesitatingly, he flew up and circled fast around this place, only to see an area of open grassland. Except for that, he noticed nothing unusual.

“This is... a wild relic?”

Fang Qiu was shocked.

There was no trace of any human presence. It meant no one had ever entered the relic. But since no one had ever been here, how did this relic come into being?

“A jade... relic?”

Fang Qiu’s dark eyebrows lifted in surprise. He came up with one possible explanation and murmured, “Could it be... This relic was not created by human beings. Instead, the existence of the jade mine

naturally generated such a place similar to an illusion. Those ancient sages did not create the veritable fairyland. They just found this space and learned how to use it.”

With this in mind...

Fang Qiu nodded in his heart.

The wild relic before him looked authentic. In this case, everything might be the same as he had guessed.

While thinking about it, Fang Qiu began to wander around.

“Hm?”

When he approached the waterfall, Fang Qiu was surprised to spot many spiritual herbs growing around the pond under the impressive waterfall.

Notably, the Qi of Heaven and Earth here was much richer than elsewhere.

The Qi of Heaven and Earth in the entire relic was already abundant. Therefore, Fang Qiu had never expected the Qi of Heaven and Earth near the waterfall to be so concentrated.

No wonder there were so many spiritual herbs here.

He carefully landed among them.

After careful observation, Fang Qiu confirmed that the Qi of Heaven and Earth in these spiritual herbs was intense. In this respect, these herbs were as good as Earth Treasures.

“These spiritual herbs are just right for the brothers.”

Fang Qiu nodded happily in his heart. After confirming that it was a wild relic, he began to look for a way to leave.

In the end...

In a natural cave behind the waterfall, he found a rock... the mechanism to get out of the relic.

As he pressed the stone, the scenery before Fang Qiu changed, and the relic disappeared.

And he was now in...

He was still standing among the four big trees with nothing else around him. The ground he had excavated and the jade mine were still under his feet!

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Chapter 1344: Throwing a Wild Boar with Bare Hands

Fang Qiu looked at the jade mine under his feet.

Thinking about the situation in the relic, Fang Qiu immediately filled the hole with all the soil he had just dug out. At last, he buried the mysterious jade mine again.

Then he took out his phone and fixed his current position.

"It is just right."

After obtaining the location, Fang Qiu found this area to be a source of several kinds of indigenous medicinal herbs. He made a prompt decision and called He Xue.

"Hello?"

He got through.

“I’m now in a place between Jiangjing and Jinling City. It’s an ideal place for growing indigenous medicinal herbs. I’ll send you the location. Contact someone and rent the mountain where I am. After that, you can start planting some indigenous medicinal herbs seeds in this area.”

Fang Qiu said.

“Okay.”

He Xue nodded in agreement.

After he hung up, Fang Qiu sent He Xue his location.

When He Xue received his location, she first checked the precise spot. Then she took a screenshot and marked the place down. After that, she immediately began to contact the local authorities.

In the mountains...

After Fang Qiu confirmed the matter of renting the mountain.

He retreated.

After he saved the group of college students, Fang Qiu scanned the area within dozens of kilometers nearby with his Divine Consciousness. As a result, he found these young people had not gone far. This place was surrounded by a range of mountains. It would take some time for them to find their way out of the depths of these mountains. Therefore, they could only find a relatively flat and safe place to set up camp after they went down the mountain.

Fang Qiu had done what he set out to do: to find out what had caused the unusual fluctuations of the Qi of Heaven and Earth, discover the mysterious jade mine, and enter the relic.

Naturally, his attention again shifted to the young man.

Fang Qiu was intensely curious to see if he knew ancient metrology.

Within minutes...

Fang Qiu crossed a high mountain and came to the camp of those young people.

There he saw that...

The campsite was very large. In addition to the few young people he had met before, there were many more people now. All of them were college students led by the teacher. They seemed to be here for an expedition.

Of course...

They were ordinary people with no special aura. Before Fang Qiu came, he didn't bother to sense these people carefully. His attention was concentrated on the few young men.

However, after he saw so many people, Fang Qiu's doubts were cleared.

Without the teacher leading the way...

How could these college students go deep into these remote mountains?

At this time...

Everyone was sitting on the grass outside their tents on the camp, and the teacher was doing a roll call.

Fang Qiu strode forward.

The teacher finished the roll call and confirmed that all the students were present. At this time, Fang Qiu had come up close to the camp's periphery. But because everyone had centered their attention on the teacher, no one noticed Fang Qiu's arrival.

Fang Qiu went straight forward, intending to wave his hand and say hello to the young man.

Unexpectedly...

"Honk, honk, honk..."

The sound of something charging drifted across.

The next moment...

"Ah!"

Ear-piercing screams immediately echoed around the whole camp.

In a panic, all the students turned their heads to see what was going on.

What they saw...

A wild boar dashed out of nowhere. Head down, it galloped toward the camp. Its two long tusks that stuck out from two sides of its mouth were like sharp blades and made these people's blood curdle.

"Hurry up, everyone! Spread out! Spread out!"

The teacher was greatly shocked. He quickly grabbed a wooden stick from the ground and rushed up, trying to stop the wild boar. Meanwhile, the students around him fled in different directions.

Some smart ones ran to the big trees and climbed up.

Those panic-stricken ones were looking for shelters.

In the end...

After the students quickly broke out in an uproar, the wild boar dashed aggressively toward the teacher. Its eyes seemed to have turned blood red.

Seeing this, the teacher swung the wooden stick at the wild boar. Then he flashed aside to run away.

Unfortunately...

The wooden stick couldn't hurt the wild boar at all. Instead, it only aggravated it even more.

The wild boar was extremely fast.

The teacher ran toward a big tree, but the wild boar had already caught up with him before he could get there. It was about to pounce on him.

At this extremely critical moment...

All the students' hearts palpitated with anxiety and fear.

The teacher's face turned ashen with fright.

Five or six people could not take down an adult boar. Even if they called the police, they could only subdue it with an anesthetic gun.

If it crashed into the teacher, who did not look that strong, he would probably be sent flying instantly. The impact of this accident would be as huge as that of a car crash.

The tusks on both sides of the wild boar's mouth were particularly frightening. Should the tusk gore the teacher, he would be seriously injured, if not killed!

The teacher's eyes narrowed instantly.

He tried to jump with all his might, as he tried to avoid the wild boar's attack.

However, the wild boar showed no signs of stopping. Instead, it continued dashing forward vigorously.

Seeing that his butt was about to fall onto the sharp tusks of the wild boar, the teacher suddenly closed his eyes in despair.

In imminent peril...

"Whoosh."

A sudden sound of a gust of wind was heard.

Fang Qiu, who stood a short distance away, moved and swiftly rushed up to help. Before the teacher fell onto the boar, he grabbed the pointed tusks of the wild boar and forcibly pulled it to the side.

"Bang!"

The teacher fell to the ground and quickly opened his eyes to check the situation.

Nearby...

With one hand, Fang Qiu grabbed the sharp tusks of the wild boar and jerked hard, and then swung it onto the ground.

“Pow!”

There came an ear-splitting sound.

As Fang Qiu smashed it down onto the ground, everyone felt the earth shake.

Under the powerful impact, the huge boar stiffened and fainted, its limbs not moving at all.

This scene was rare.

The teacher and all the students who came from all directions were rooted to the spot in horror and amazement.

All eyes were now on Fang Qiu.

Everyone was too shocked to speak.

What had they seen?

It was a wild boar!

A person could never stand the tremendous impact force of a wild boar and it was a huge and heavy boar!

But how could this man block the wild boar with one hand? Moreover, he forcibly swung the fierce wild boar around and flung it away in another direction!

Undoubtedly, the teacher who was the nearest to Fang Qiu was utterly shocked.

He could feel how terrifying the wild boar was. It was apparent to him that this beast was uncommonly strong. For a moment, he thought the wild boar might even break a tree.

“But this man before me stopped the wild boar with one hand!

“More than that...

“The wild boar weighs about a few hundred pounds, but he swung it with one hand and knocked it unconscious!

“What kind of person could summon up such enormous strength?

“He is like the Hulk, a character in the Marvel Universe who has no limits to his power!

“Isn’t this a bit too horrifying?”

The entire camp fell silent.

At this point...

“Yes, it’s him!”

Suddenly, several students quickly jumped off the trees and ran toward Fang Qiu in surprise and excitement. They shouted as they ran, “He saved us. I told you someone caught a huge boulder that fell from a cliff more than ten meters high. But no one believed me. Now, he is here. It’s him!”

The few students were in a state of tremulous excitement.

To their surprise...

They met this mysterious expert here again.

When they returned to the camp, they told the teachers and students about their unbelievable experience in the deep mountains. However, the others said they were telling a fantastic story, a lie.

Since the few students had no evidence, they felt quite helpless when facing the scorn and doubts of the others.

But now...

This mysterious expert reappeared.

Moreover, he accomplished a heroic deed that shocked everyone.

He intercepted a crazy wild boar with one hand, raised and slammed it to the ground. Wasn't this scene as astonishing as catching a falling boulder from more than ten meters above?

At this moment...

All the other students and the teacher believed their previous story.

This time, they saw this man's mighty power with their own eyes. How could they not believe it?

"Thank you."

Coming to his senses, the teacher hurried forward, thanked Fang Qiu, and asked, "Who are you? Why are you here?"

Fang Qiu knew why he asked these questions.

He was worried about the safety of those students.

"I'm just a passerby."

Eyes on the teacher, Fang Qiu smiled gently. Then he turned around and pointed to the young man who could calculate on his fingers and said, "May I talk to your student?"

The teacher was stunned and hesitated.

But when he thought about it carefully...

Fang Qiu had saved the student before and came to his aid. Given these realities, this man could not be a bad guy.

"Okay, but you can't go too far."

The teacher nodded and said.

"Thank you."

Fang Qiu nodded to express his gratitude. After he turned and gestured to the young man, he then walked to one side of the camp.

The young man followed him excitedly.

“Everyone hurry up and get a rope to tie up this wild boar. Don’t let it bother us again when it wakes up!

The teacher directed the other students to take action.

This beast had charged fiercely at them like a hungry tiger pouncing on its prey. With this scene in their minds, these people hastened to tie up the boar.

Away from them...

Fang Qiu led the young man to one side of the camp.

Right before the young man, Fang Qiu swiped the air with his right hand. With this move, a stone in the distance flew into his palm at once before he crushed it into pieces.

“Do you want to learn this?”

Fang Qiu asked as he looked at the young man.

“Of course, I want to learn it!”

The young man said excitedly, “Who doesn’t want to be a master? But could you tell me who you are?”

“I’m from Wulin.”

Fang Qiu answered.

“Wulin?”

The young man’s eyes lit up, and he asked excitedly, “Does Wulin really exist?”

“Yes.”

Fang Qiu nodded affirmatively and made him a tempting offer. “If you help me make something, I’ll take you to experience the real Wulin.

“Really? That’s great!”

The young man readily agreed before he asked, “What do you want me to do?”

Fang Qiu stretched out his fingers.

As he drew in the air, some scratches immediately appeared on the ground and formed a line of words.

What Fang Qiu wrote was...

It was the production method of those wooden puppets, which contained the measurement units from ancient times.

“Can you do it?”

Fang Qiu asked after he finished writing.

The young man frowned and carefully read the words written by Fang Qiu. Then he said slowly, “I can try it. My ancestors studied astronomy and mathematics. I understand the measurement units you wrote, but I need a few days.”

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Chapter 1345: Inviting Fang Qiu to the Tomb!

“Okay.”

When he heard what the young man said, Fang Qiu nodded in satisfaction and said, “I’ll give you three days, okay?”

“Okay.”

The young man immediately agreed and said, “I should be able to finish it in three days, but if I make it, are you sure you will take me to see the real Wulin and teach me?”

“I never go back on my words.”

Fang Qiu said firmly.

“Okay.”

In no time, the young man took out his phone. With meticulous attention, he took a few photos of the words written by Fang Qiu on the ground and made sure that every word in them was recorded clearly. Then he turned around and went back to the tent joyfully, ready to tackle this task. After he walked a little way, he paused, turned his head, and said, “By the way, my name is Wu Sanqing!”

After that...

He jogged to the tent and began to study the method.

“Wu Sanqing?”

Fang Qiu’s lips curved in a smile.

“His name is quite unique.”

Wu Sanqing worked attentively on the method in the tent while Fang Qiu looked at him from outside, eagerly anticipating the result. "It would be great if this guy could make a puppet."

"With the puppets, we would have more confidence in dealing with the Nirvana Organization."

At this time.。 。

"My friend."

The teacher in charge came over and asked, "May I have your name?"

"This place is at least five kilometers from the nearest village outside. You're already deep in the forest, but these students seemed to be quite unprepared for such an expedition. Isn't it a little thoughtless of you to take them into the wilderness in this manner?"

Fang Qiu didn't answer but asked bluntly.

"Haha!"

The teacher laughed and said, "Honestly, I've been here three times. Everything around this place is quite familiar to me. Thus, I brought these students here. And we are certainly not here for a camping trip. All the students major in archaeology, and I'm their teacher. If they want to use what they have learned after graduation, they must face situations like this alone and frequently. So, I brought them here. You can consider this trip as an internship."

"They are all students, but there is strength in numbers. We are safe together."

When Fang Qiu heard his explanation...

He nodded.

The teacher's words made sense.

“Are you sure there are relics or tombs around for archaeological studies?”

Fang Qiu asked.

“I'm not sure yet.”

The teacher shook his head and said, “However, I have searched for a lot of information to locate this place. There is at least a 70% chance that there is an ancient tomb here.”

“Well, I wish you success.”

Fang Qiu walked off to the side.

The students had tied up the wild boar, so he immediately went up and untied the ropes that bound it. Then, he smacked the boar hard on its head and woke it up. He released his Qi power and pressed hard against it; the wild animal was instantly scared out of its wits. It abruptly turned its head and darted away frantically. In the blink of an eye, it disappeared.

“Hey, it was not easy for us to tie it up. How could you let it go just like that? What if it comes to attack us at night?”

The teacher hurried forward and said nervously.

“It won't come back.”

Fang Qiu shook his head and said, “Besides, I will wait here for Wu Sanqing for three days. You will be safe during these three days.”

After he said that...

Fang Qiu walked aside and sat down cross-legged to rest.

Since he had made such a promise...

The teacher did not pursue the subject.

The other students also felt relieved.

With this mysterious master here, they didn't have to worry about any attacks from wild beasts. Anyway, once this expert took action, he could knock down all the fierce animals!

At noon...

Since Fang Qiu could protect the others, the teacher in charge, together with a few students, took some pieces of equipment and went deep into the mountains to do some archaeology studies.

An hour later...

“Eureka! We found it.”

Fang Qiu had been resting with his eyes closed, but the shouts of surprise woke him up.

He turned to look at them.

He saw...

All the students who had gone with the teacher had come back safely. Everyone's faces glowed with surprise and excitement.

“We’ve found a great tomb!”

Before the teacher could say anything, a student rushed forward and said, “It is such a big tomb! Mr. Lu was telling the truth. There is indeed a big tomb here.”

As soon as he said that...

All the students immediately rushed over to ask questions, one after another.

At this time...

These students loudly cheered as if they were celebrating the New Year while the teacher went straight to Fang Qiu. He extended his hand to greet Fang Qiu with a handshake, and introduced himself, “You did not tell me your name, but it doesn’t matter. My name is Lu Jinzhou. You can call me Mr. Lu, like how these students address me.”

Fang Qiu nodded but did not shake hands with him.

At this time, he scanned Lu Jinzhou from head to toe. This man was a little chubby with a square and plump face. However, he was more burly than fat. His face under his short hair was pock-marked. At first glance, Fang Qiu could tell he had bad skin.

“Master?”

Lu Jinzhou looked at Fang Qiu and said, “May I call you that?”

“Just tell me whatever you want to say.”

Fang Qiu answered.

“Okay.”

Lu Jinzhou immediately laughed and said, “You heard it. I found a big tomb near a stream between two mountains ahead. But I did not dare to act rashly because I had my students with me. Besides, I’ve contacted my colleagues at the provincial institute of archaeology. They confirmed they would explore and protect the tomb on the phone. They will be here soon.”

“What does this have to do with me?”

Fang Qiu asked.

He only wanted to wait here for three days to see if Wu Sanqing could make a puppet. He didn’t want to care about anything else.

“You excel in kung fu, don’t you?”

Lu Jinzhou immediately smiled and explained, “The provincial institute of archaeology will send some people here, but almost all of them are researchers. Anyway, there are no experts among them like you. Thus, I would like to invite you to go to the tomb with us tomorrow. It will be safer for us if you are with us. You can also explore the tomb. You haven’t been in a tomb before, have you?”

Fang Qiu raised his eyebrows.

He didn’t expect that Lu Jinzhou would invite him to the tomb.

However...

Fang Qiu thought it over.

He had never visited a tomb, let alone go into one. He didn’t know anything about it. However, he had watched many TV series about grave robbers. He wanted to see if these tombs were as grand and magnificent as shown in the TV series.

“It doesn’t matter. You can take your time to think about it.”

Seeing Fang Qiu hesitate, Lu Jinzhou quickly added, “I’ve opened the tomb gate so that there is some airflow. Give me a reply before we set off tomorrow.”

“Okay, I’ll go to the tomb with you.”

Fang Qiu thought for a moment and nodded.

“Great.”

Lu Jinzhou burst out laughing. With this master around, they would be safe.

That night...

The provincial institute of archaeology’s expedition team arrived.

They first met with Lu Jinzhou. Under his guidance, they rushed to the big tomb and decided to stay there for the night. But Lu Jinzhou returned.

Two staff members from the provincial institute of archaeology remained in the camp to ensure the safety of these students.

Night fell.

Lu Jinzhou went to chat with Fang Qiu.

“We’ve decided to go to the tomb tomorrow morning. The people of the research institute have come to help us, but they don’t know that you’re going with us.”

Lu Jinzhou said.

“Will they spend the night guarding the tomb?”

Fang Qiu asked.

“That’s right.”

With a nod, Lu Jinzhou smiled and said, “They said they had to stay to guard it in case the grave robbers would sneak into it first. Also, they should be there to prevent anything from running out of the tomb.”

Fang Qiu heard that.

He was even more interested.

“Is there something that could come out from the tomb?”

“Well, it seems that...”

“I should go down to the tomb and have a look. I can satisfy my curiosity and protect these talents in passing.”

“What about Wu Sanqing?”

Fang Qiu asked, looking at Wu Sanqing, who was in the tent.

“He’s not going.”

Lu Jinzhou shook his head and said, "This guy wanted to stay outside to make something. He's not interested in the great tomb. After we're done, he might go to see it."

"Mm."

Fang Qiu nodded with satisfaction.

It seemed that Wu Sanqing was responsible, whatever his purposes were.

Early the following day...

Just as Lu Jinzhou had said, some people in the provincial institute of archaeology's expedition team came at seven o'clock in the morning. There was a young man with them.

"Mr. Lu, let me introduce him to you. He is Liu Qing, a martial arts practitioner with the provincial sports team. We specially called him over overnight to help."

The leader of the expedition team said to Lu Jinzhou.

"I've also found an expert."

Lu Jinzhou laughed out loud and pointed at Fang Qiu.

"Hum?"

The leader of the expedition team was stunned. While looking at Fang Qiu, he frowned and said, "Who is this person? He is wearing a mask. We don't even know what he looks like. If he goes in with us, he may break the artefacts inside."

"He is an expert in kung fu, a master."

Next to him, several students quickly came up to explain, "I've seen him catch a falling boulder from a cliff more than ten meters high with his bare hands. Yesterday, he knocked out a big wild boar with one hand."

"Haha!"

As soon as the student finished speaking, Liu Qing, the martial arts practitioner in sportswear, suddenly burst out laughing and said, "You are making up stories about him. A boulder falling from a cliff more than ten meters! It can smash a man into meat paste. How could he withstand it? And don't you know how destructive an adult wild boar can be? Knocking it unconscious with one hand? Seriously? He might be knocked out by the wild boar instead."

While Liu Qing poured out these words...

The other members of the expedition team from the provincial institute of archaeology also sneered and turned to look at Fang Qiu.

But to their great astonishment...

Fang Qiu had already stood up and walked toward a boulder. He grabbed it with his right hand and lifted it high with great ease. Then, he threw it effortlessly into the distance as if throwing an empty can. Ultimately, the huge stone fell heavily onto the mountain and sank halfway into the ground.

This scene was unbelievable...

Members of the expedition team and the martial arts practitioner named Liu Qing stood rooted to the ground, horror and astonishment reflected on their faces!

They stared at Fang Qiu as if he were a monster.

They were so shocked that their eyes almost popped out of their sockets!

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Chapter 1346: They Run Away Because of My Handsome Appearance!

“Hehe...”

Liu Qing and the expedition team members from the provincial institute of archaeology looked greatly shocked. Seeing this, several female students couldn't help sniggering quietly.

Compared to the girls who were so reserved, the male students laughed out loud.

This was a massive slap in the face.

As soon as Liu Qing finished speaking, the mysterious master demonstrated his tremendous strength on the spot. Liu Qing felt greatly humiliated by his action.

It was indeed such an embarrassment.

“What did I tell you? Isn't he amazing?”

Lu Jinzhou said to the leader of the archaeological team.

“Okay, I agree. Let's take him to the site of the tomb.”

The archaeological captain said without hesitation.

That kind of shocked feeling was beyond description.

“Okay.”

Lu Jinzhou laughed and said, "It's getting late. Let's go."

The archaeological members were roused from their dazed states and walked to the tomb after the captain.

Many students followed them.

In the crowd, Liu Qing from the provincial martial arts team had his eyes trained on Fang Qiu. He did not hide his admiration for Fang Qiu's strength. He even moved purposefully through the crowd to approach Fang Qiu. It seemed he wanted to talk to him.

But as soon as he got closer...

Fang Qiu walked quickly to the front.

After a while...

Led by Lu Jinzhou and the archaeological captain, the group crossed two mountains and reached a gap between the mountains.

They said this place was a mountain gap, but it looked more spacious than a gap. However, it was a little narrow to be called a valley.

As soon as they arrived at the site...

Fang Qiu saw the temporary tent on the open ground set up by the provincial archaeological research team. There were computers and several unknown devices inside the tent. Five meters away from it was a shattered cave entrance that was the height of a person.

"That's the great tomb."

Lu Jinzhou pointed to the cave entrance and said, “That place was originally a small hillside. We came here yesterday, looked around, but found nothing. When the students and I walked past that hillside, it suddenly collapsed and revealed a layer of slabs. When I saw that, I knew we found the big tomb.”

As he spoke...

They arrived at the tomb gate.

Like in the TV series, the tomb’s entrance was above the ground. The gate was made up of two slabs, just like the entrance to the basement.

A large pile of red soil and several pieces of gravel were scattered around the great tomb’s entrance.

This place must have just been cleaned up.

Since the gate was opened, Fang Qiu could see a black wire-like object stretching into the tomb.

“How is it? How’s the air quality inside?”

The voice of the archaeological captain came to his ears.

“Things are quite normal.”

A reply came from the tent. “You can go down now.”

“Alright. Everyone, get your equipment ready. Let’s prepare to enter the tomb.”

The archaeological captain came over with a headlamp.

“Here you are.”

Lu Jinzhou also put on a headlamp. Then he took a small high-performance flashlight from his bag and handed it to Fang Qiu.

Fang Qiu accepted it.

“Everyone, stay close. Don’t touch anything inside. Just take a look.”

The archaeological captain cautioned everyone and took the lead to jump down.

It was only three to four meters high from the entrance to the ground. Thus, they did not need ropes.

Lu Jinzhou jumped into the entrance.

Fang Qiu also jumped into the cave.

After all of them went down...

The archaeological members walked to the front to clear the way.

Fang Qiu also stayed at the front and walked with Lu Jinzhou. He followed closely behind the members of the provincial archaeological team. On the way, he observed the passage.

This square passage was quite bleak and it gave off an uneasy vibe.

However...

Except for the coldness, there was nothing special about it.

Just like that...

Everyone used their flashlights to illuminate their surroundings and walked into the tomb.

“Stop.”

Before they had walked some distance inside, Fang Qiu suddenly stopped and said, “There’s something ahead!”

As soon as he said that...

Everyone stopped in their tracks at the same time, shocked by Fang Qiu’s shout.

“Could... could there be zombies?”

A student asked nervously.

“Zombies? You must have watched too many episodes of the Time Raiders, right?”

Another student scoffed.

“In Time Raiders, I saw experts venture into a vast underground world to explore its hidden mysteries. But in Time Raiders, there’s no one as powerful as him.”

Shocked, the student pointed to Fang Qiu and said, “Since such a mighty master is here with us, there must be terrifying zombies in this tomb.”

Everyone heard that.

That was indeed the case.

It was possible – a few zombies might come running out of the tomb.

With this in mind...

Everyone's hearts raced uncontrollably. They couldn't help but feel scared.

When Fang Qiu heard their discussion...

He couldn't help shaking his head with a wry smile.

“These university students have plenty of imagination.”

Up ahead...

The archaeological members burst out laughing. How could there be zombies? As a professional archaeological team, they had visited a lot of giant tombs. Although most of the graves they entered had been dug open, they had never heard of horrifying zombies present in those large tombs.

As they laughed in their hearts...

These archaeological members looked suspiciously at Fang Qiu as if expecting an answer.

“No zombies.”

Fang Qiu replied, “But there are many centipedes. They seem to be poisonous.”

After that...

The faces of the college students immediately changed.

Even the archaeological members frowned.

They had never seen a walking corpse, but centipedes were not new to them.

“How did you know?”

Liu Qing saw the chance and immediately came up. He looked at Fang Qiu and asked, “It’s so dark inside. How did you know there were centipedes in there?”

“See?”

Fang Qiu didn’t bother to talk to him and shone his flashlight toward the front.

The bright beam of the flashlight flashed across the area.

As the flashlight swept around the area, it lit up the surroundings.

Everyone saw many centipedes on both sides of the passage. They all looked large and strong. The scene made their flesh creep.

Those college students with tryphobia were the most frightened. These palm-sized centipedes crawled and covered the walls and ground. When these students spotted their close and numerous long legs, they couldn’t help shivering with fear, and their faces instantly turned ghastly pale.

“They are so big.”

“How could there be such large centipedes? I’m scared!”

Everyone panicked.

“What should we do now?”

Lu Jinzhou quickly discussed with the experts of the archaeological research team and said, “How about we retreat first? If these big creatures are poisonous, it will be a problem if they hurt any of us.”

“Go out and observe the situation first?”

The archaeological captain gave a wry laugh and said, “It’s even better if we wait for our engineering team. They can open the tomb from the top of the mountain.”

“It’s hard to travel up the mountain road. It will take at least a week for the engineering team to come here. We should go back first and get a bug-killing expert to the tomb. Along the way, we can exterminate all the bugs to prevent them from harming anyone. Anyway, even when the engineering team arrives, they need to find a way to get rid of the bugs first.”

Lu Jinzhou suggested.

“Well...”

The archaeological captain looked hesitant — he had no idea what to do.

But right at this moment...

“Eh?”

Lu Jinzhou turned his eyes and saw Fang Qiu walking in.

“Master! Master!”

Lu Jinzhou hurriedly cried out, trying to stop Fang Qiu.

Of course...

It was not because he was afraid that Fang Qiu might get hurt. How could this incredibly powerful master fear these insects? Lu Jinzhou was worried that Fang Qiu might damage the things in the tomb when he stepped inside directly like that.

When Lu Jinzhou shouted, everyone immediately aimed their flashlights at Fang Qiu.

There...

Under the beams of their flashlights...

An amazing scene appeared in front of everyone.

They saw that...

Wherever Fang Qiu went, groups of centipedes with numerous long legs fled from him as if they feared him.

At this time...

“Kylin Zhang.”

Suddenly, a student shouted, “Do you know the poker-faced Kylin Zhang, the character shrouded in mystery in Time Raiders? His blood can scare away poisonous insects and zombies!”

Before them...

When he heard this, Fang Qiu halted helplessly. Then he turned around and joked with these students, “Why don’t you say they fled when they saw my handsome face?”

“With the bugs’ particular taste, they would also run away when they see my stylish appearance.”

A student immediately replied confidently.

Their funny remarks lightened the atmosphere. Everyone looked less alarmed.

“Follow me. I’ll take you in.”

Fang Qiu said to everyone.

All the others heard what he said.

Lu Jinzhou hurriedly discussed it with the leaders of the provincial archaeological research team. Finally, they decided to go in after Fang Qiu. After all, Fang Qiu possessed great and impressive power. It should be safe to go in with him.

Soon after...

Lu Jinzhou arranged for the students with tryphobia to stay in the middle. He asked the other students to surround them, so as to provide a sense of security.

When everyone got ready, they went deeper into the tomb after Fang Qiu.

Traipsing after Fang Qiu, they saw the scene they had expected. As soon as Fang Qiu approached, those centipedes retreated and scattered in all directions.

Moreover...

After these centipedes dispersed...

They all stayed hidden and never showed up again, as if they had seen something extremely horrifying.

Everyone felt a huge sense of relief.

They walked for a long time.

“Hey, look, there are patterns.”

At this moment, an archaeologist suddenly stopped and shone his flashlight at the rock wall on one side of the passage.

Everyone turned around to look at it.

Indeed, there were some patterns on the walls of the passageway of the tomb.

The experts immediately went up to examine them.

After they observed these patterns for a while...

The archaeological captain abruptly turned his head and announced with great excitement, “According to these patterns on the rock wall, this place could very likely be an ancient tomb of the Chu State during the Spring and Autumn Period and the Warring States Period!”

When Fang Qiu heard this...

His heart skipped a beat. He immediately wondered if there were any ancient cultivation methods in this Chu State tomb.

After all, the Warring States Period was different from other times.

During this period, experts abounded everywhere. Every soldier practiced martial arts. Experts could be seen all over the world in that era. Ancient cultivation methods of that period might have been kept in such a large tomb.

It would be great if it were true.

“Great. That’s great.”

The few archaeologists in this archaeological research team were all excited.

“If the tomb had been well protected, there might even be ancient books that tell the actual history. If we can find one or two such books, our trip will be of great value!”

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Chapter 1347: Are You Really Kylin Zhang?!

“Hey, look, what’s that?”

All the experts and instructors beamed happily when suddenly a student shouted out. His flashlight flashed across the students around them and suddenly stopped at the corner of the passage ahead. Unexpectedly, there was a small pile of yellow soil. There was a cave entrance nearby. It was in the shape of a square with a width of about 70 or 80 centimeters.

Everyone’s eyes were focused on it.

“Rob-robber hole?”

When these experts and instructors saw this, their faces changed significantly. They strode over, even disregarding the fact that those centipedes might be lurking ahead.

Everyone followed closely behind.

As the crowd went near this robber hole, they saw a bluestone wall tile under the pile of yellow soil. Someone must have removed this tile from the wall. There were even a few footprints on the small mound of earth.

“Alas, a group of bastards!”

The archaeological captain felt heartbroken and cursed angrily.

“Er, this... How could anyone find this great tomb? Since there is a hole here, it would mean that the robbers had already gained access. The antiques inside must have been taken away, right?”

An archaeological member asked anxiously.

“Let’s go inside and have a look first.”

Lu Jinzhou suggested.

Without saying a word, the archaeological captain rapidly walked inside.

They walked on and on.

“Ah!”

A scream suddenly echoed through the place.

The expert who strode ahead had slipped. One minute he had been standing on solid ground, but a cracking sound was heard as he began to fall as if he had lost his footing.

Because Fang Qiu was not far away, he raced to the expert, grabbed him, and quickly pulled him out.

This emergency startled everyone.

They trained their lights on the place where the expert had missed his footing.

Good heavens...

What a huge hole!!!

Under the bright beams from the flashlights, everyone could see the bottom of the big pit. There was an iron plate studded with rusty iron spikes that were about 20 to 30 centimeters long.

When everyone saw these iron spikes.

They felt a chill in their hearts.

They were afraid of going ahead.

“This is Flipping-plank Quicksand!”

Everyone looked scared, and Lu Jinzhou quickly explained, “Speaking of the ancient tombs, many people will think of bloody corpses, zombies, endless traps, ancient creatures, and so on. In fact, these things are just figments of imagination. The real ancient tombs had no such mysterious things but many unknown risks. Tomb robbers often die in tombs, and robbing too many tombs can shorten their lives. Such misfortunes happen because of these hidden risks.”

“This Flipping-plank Quicksand is one of the terrible risks.”

With this...

Lu Jinzhou turned around, pointed to the big pit underground, and said to the students, “I know a scene you are all familiar with. A gang of grave robbers cautiously and silently move into a tomb passage. Suddenly, countless arrows shoot over, but there is nowhere to hide and run. Ultimately, all the grave robbers end up being nailed to the ground.”

“But that can’t happen.”

Lu Jinzhou said with a smile, “Whatever kinds of bowstrings will eventually lose their elasticity after thousands of years. If a mechanism has existed for thousands of years, it can never be triggered by the weight of an adult human. The real risks in tombs are flipping boards and quicksand!”

“See this wooden board right before you? It is the so-called flipping plank that can move up and down. You can also view the mechanism as a seesaw 2.5 meters in height, and its board that is balanced on a fixed part in the middle is five meters long. The ancients often put these wooden boards flat and added some yellow soil or even floor tiles above them. Once the grave robbers accidentally stepped on the mechanism, the wooden board would drop and send these people down into the pit.”

“In front of you is a higher-level Flipping-plank Quicksand. You can see that it is composed of three layers of planks. There is a small plank in the middle at the bottom. Above it are two parallel planks. Likewise, two larger planks have been placed together on the top. After the ancients completed several small procedures, the three layers of planks could bear some weight. Afterward, they were fixed in midair. However, these planks can hardly bear any weight. Anything more than 30 kilograms can cause these wooden boards to crack. As a result, the person stepping on the plank would fall into a hole in the ground.”

“These holes in the ground are usually equipped with various metal spikes. When these tomb raiders fall on these pointed spikes, they would be killed instantly!”

Lu Jinzhou spoke knowledgeably.

He paused. Then, he looked toward the end of this tomb path and continued, “Besides, there is quicksand. Without exception, large-scale tombs are usually filled with quicksand. This quicksand is not ordinary sand from rivers but sand from faraway seas. The sea sand is more liquid and does not solidify easily. Some tomb raiders get into tombs by digging the top of the tomb. If grave robbers enter the tomb and break through the layer of quicksand, a large quantity of quicksand will flow in and stifle them!”

“Some vicious tomb owners worried that the quicksand couldn’t kill people quickly. So, they would add large rocks in the quicksand. As the quicksand moved, the rocks would fall and smash these tomb raiders to death!”

“In addition, there are deadly things like poison in corpses and deadly bacteria, but I won’t go into these details now. After all, we are not in a class.”

After that...

Lu Jinzhou quickly turned to check on the expert rescued by Fang Qiu.

At this time...

Several experts around him examined his body with their flashlights to see if he was injured.

There were too many bacteria in the tomb. Once he was hurt, his wound should be disinfected as soon as possible.

They checked him all over.

After they confirmed that he was not injured...

The expert immediately held Fang Qiu’s hand and thanked him sincerely. “Thank you. Thank you so much. Fortunately, you’re here. Otherwise, I would have died here.”

“That’s what I should do.”

Fang Qiu answered.

At this very moment...

All the experts of the provincial archaeological research team looked at Fang Qiu with respect. No one questioned the decision to take Fang Qiu into the tomb.

At least...

Fang Qiu was capable and could save them.

They were more than happy to have such an expert to protect them in a dangerous tomb.

“There’s something down there.”

Fang Qiu pointed to the bottom of the pit under several flipping planks. Even as he spoke, he was about to destroy all the boards.

“Wait a minute.”

The archaeological captain immediately spoke up to stop him, “No. Don’t damage them. They are cultural artifacts with great scientific research value.”

As he spoke...

The expert poked his head out to look into the pit.

At first glance, he saw a skeleton in the pit.

“A tomb raider. Obviously.”

The archaeological captain said with great excitement, “I hope all the grave robbers have died here. In this way, they wouldn’t get a chance to destroy this ancient tomb, so we can do scientific research and conservation valuation.”

When the others learned that a tomb raider died there...

They breathed a sigh of relief.

“Didn’t you step on the wooden board just now?”

Fang Qiu asked with a puzzled face, looking at the expert who almost fell into the hole.

“I stepped on a corner.”

The expert gave a wry smile and said, “It was too dark, and everyone was looking ahead, so I didn’t pay much attention to my steps either. I didn’t notice this big pit. Nothing was around the hole except for a piece of rotten wood smaller than a shoe. When I stepped on it, the rotten wood couldn’t bear my weight and broke immediately!”

Everyone heard that.

They all felt so fearful and panicky after the accident.

All of them had been too careless.

The previous grave robber had crushed this flipping board, but no one had noticed it. Fortunately, Fang Qiu was there. Otherwise, the expert would have died in vain.

“Everyone, be careful. Don’t focus only on the distance. Please watch your steps at the same time. We mustn’t let anything like this happen again.”

The archaeological captain reminded everyone.

The others nodded in agreement.

But at this moment...

As soon as the expert finished speaking, Fang Qiu suddenly reached out and quickly tapped on several points on the expert’s body.

Everyone was stupefied.

They didn’t know what Fang Qiu was up to.

“There’s corpse poison.”

Under everyone’s puzzled eyes, Fang Qiu explained, “After the grave robber died in the pit, the corpse started to rot and produced corpse poison, which is bacteria. The mechanism was broken, so the bacteria escaped from the pit and spread to the whole tomb. Since the space in this tomb is large, bacteria coming out of it will not cause much harm to us. However, there is a heavy concentration of corpse poison in the pit under the plank. When he accidentally fell, he would scream out of instinct. Afterward, he would gulp in the air. As a result, he inhaled some of the corpse poison in the pit. Thus, I had to detoxify him.”

Everyone heard his words.

They immediately covered their mouths with fear.

Over there...

All the experts and teachers nodded in agreement with Fang Qiu's explanation.

This was why they checked the expert to see if there were any wounds. They could disinfect external injuries. But if the expert inhaled the poison, they could only deal with it outside the tomb.

"You know how to detoxify a person?"

After listening to Fang Qiu's words, the archaeological captain looked at Fang Qiu in great surprise and asked.

"Mm."

Fang Qiu nodded affirmatively.

This time...

Everyone viewed Fang Qiu in a new and even more favorable light.

This master was simply omnipotent!

From his skills, he could be equal to a team of various talents.

Lu Jinzhou was pretty pleased with his wise decision. He felt it had been a great move on his part to include this person in the group!

In the crowd...

Liu Qing, who had been looking for an opportunity to help, was increasingly certain that he was pretty useless in this team. There was little he could do to help.

“Let’s move on.”

The archaeological captain waved his hand and said, “We should be more cautious. We have to go deeper into the tomb to check on the extent of the plundering by tomb robbers. Keep up, everyone.”

After that...

He led everyone into the depths of the tomb.

Then...

A student suddenly stepped out of his group. He quietly appeared at Fang Qiu’s side and asked in a low voice, “Master, which family of the Mystic Nine are you from?”

“Eh?”

Fang Qiu was puzzled.

“Hee-hee, you’re so powerful. You know how to detoxify and drive off insects. You must be from a tomb-raiding family. Are you from the Zhang family?”

As he spoke, the student became increasingly excited. “Kylin Zhang? Are you really Kylin Zhang? Oh! Please tell me: what is the ultimate secret behind the bronze door?”

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Chapter 1348: The Country Knows Me

Fang Qiu heard this unexpected question.

Fang Qiu shook his head speechlessly and smiled wryly. Then he turned his head and said to the college student next to him with a serious face, "There is a black hole behind the bronze door. After you enter, you will transcend time and space and move on to a fantasy world!"

His description startled the college student.

He was in a daze.

He stared at Fang Qiu with wide-open eyes and said, "You're lying. If you could travel through time, why did you come back? It must be wrong. You couldn't have done that!"

This time, Fang Qiu was quite at a loss for a reply.

"This young man is truly lost in the world of hot fantasy-action-adventure drama!"

Just then...

The people ahead stopped.

Fang Qiu quickly looked up and found they had reached the end of the tomb passage. After they turned a corner, they came to a stone door.

This stone door looked very thick and simple without any patterns on it. But there were two stone statues guarding it on both sides!

"Everyone, be careful. Don't touch anything."

After the archaeological captain said that, the crowd dispersed and began to scrutinize the surroundings.

Fang Qiu also took the opportunity to observe the situation here.

Over there...

They had entered the tomb through the straight tomb passageway. This stone door was in line with the passage. However, like an ancient screen behind a room door, a very high cyan stone wall had been placed before this stone door. If anyone in the passage wanted to enter the door, he had to go around the screen from either side.

Although the tomb did not look as clean and tidy as in the TV series, it was not that dirty either.

Other than the bugs, there were only some spider webs at the top and dust all over the ground.

The two stone men looked like warriors.

They appeared quite forbidding.

Fang Qiu approached the stone guards to take a closer look.

In the meantime...

The archaeological team also came over. Together with Fang Qiu, they scrutinized the stone guards from top to bottom before they approached the big stone door.

After a while...

“Great. That’s great.”

The archaeological captain said excitedly, “It hasn’t been destroyed. We can be sure that the tomb is untouched. The grave robbers must have died due to the previous flipping planks mechanism.”

This time...

All the archaeological members, the students, and Lu Jinzhou breathed a deep sigh of relief. Since the tomb had not been plundered, their investigation was worth it!

In a frenzy...

Several experts from the archaeological team gathered before the stone gate and searched for a long time.

“There are no mechanisms.”

One man shook his head helplessly and said, “We can only try to push it open.”

After that, all the people used all their strength to push the door.

As a result...

The stone door did not budge even an inch, though everyone exerted all their strength. All their efforts seemed to be wasted.

“What’s going on?”

Lu Jinzhou raised his eyebrows and said gloomily, “Can’t we get in?”

“According to my experience, there must be a Dragon-breaking Stone inside the stone gate. It is blocking the gate. Even if the number of our group has doubled or tripled, we can’t push it open. How do we do this?”

The archaeological captain shook his head with a bitter smile and said, “Well, we can only wait for the engineering team. When they come, they can have a try.”

As soon as he said that...

Everyone felt frustrated.

Initially, they took a profound interest in exploring a grand tomb in ancient times. To their dismay, a stone gate kept them out. They were upset.

In particular, these college students...

They felt really down.

They managed to get the chance to visit a tomb, and it was such a big one. However, they couldn't even get inside. This unexpected setback made them thoroughly frustrated.

After all, chances to explore an unopened tomb were few and far in between. They could only get such a chance after they became archaeologists. In most cases, they could only explore a tomb after the engineering team opened it.

What mattered most here...

It was rare to see a large tomb like this, even in a hundred years.

If they returned and the engineering team came, many more people would go to the tomb. To protect the precious items in this tomb, only a few of them would be allowed to return to the site of the tomb.

At that time, it was hard to say who would get the chance to return.

“Let's go.”

Members of the archaeological team waved their hands and motioned for everyone to turn back.

In the crowd...

Fang Qiu frowned.

He quickly stepped out and said, "Let me have a shot at it."

"Forget it."

Lu Jinzhou shook his head and said, "Let's go. No one can push the stone away."

Fang Qiu had knocked out an adult wild boar with one hand. In addition, he had caught a boulder that fell from a cliff more than ten meters high. Lu Jinzhou knew all of this.

From these aspects, Fang Qiu's strength was undoubtedly enormous.

However, if there was really a Dragon-breaking Stone behind the stone door, it was absolutely impossible for Fang Qiu to push it open, no matter how powerful he was.

For Fang Qiu...

They had come this far. Leaving empty-handed was totally unacceptable.

Besides...

No matter how heavy the stone gate was, could it keep a guru out of the tomb?

Fang Qiu walked to the stone gate.

When everyone had turned around and started backtracking, Fang Qiu secretly activated his internal Qi.

“Hoo!”

A loud shout echoed all around the space.

All the internal Qi in Fang Qiu rose in turbulent waves. He pressed his palms on the stone gate and gave it a sharp push.

“Crack.”

There came a crisp sound.

The others had walked five or six meters away and were about to make a turn. When they heard the sound, they all stopped and turned to look at Fang Qiu in unison.

Under their gazes...

Behind Fang Qiu’s palms, the big stone gate actually moved!

“Crack, crack, crack...”

After three or four clicking sounds were heard...

“Buzz.”

There came the sound of the stone gate scraping against the ground.

Little by little, Fang Qiu succeeded in pushing open the heavy stone gate.

This scene was rare to see.

Everyone was dumbfounded.

“What the fuck!”

“He pushed it away?”

“What the hell was going on? He alone pushed the gate open?”

“Holy shit, all of us tried our best but failed to move it even a little. How could he do it by himself?”

This scene shocked these archaeological members to the core.

One by one, they quickly returned. However, they were so flatly taken aback that they forgot to help. They watched Fang Qiu push the huge stone away, an inch at a time.

One minute later...

Fang Qiu finally pushed the stone gate wide open.

Through the stone gate, Fang Qiu forcefully pushed back the large Dragon-breaking Stone behind it. Everyone gaped at his movement in sheer amazement.

Such a boulder weighed at least dozens of tons!

How could Fang Qiu do it alone?

Even if he was an expert or a master, he could not do it, could he?

At this point...

Everyone shifted their eyes from the Dragon-breaking Stone to Fang Qiu. They even forgot to look into the tomb. Everyone fixed their gazes on Fang Qiu as if they were looking at a monster. They were so awed at the sight that no one could speak.

Over here...

After Fang Qiu swung the gate open.

He heaved a long sigh of relief.

This stone door was heavy. Beyond that, there was a Dragon-breaking Stone that weighed dozens of tons behind it. Thus, it took him a lot of effort to push it open.

All of a sudden...

“You... Are you a human being?”

Just as Fang Qiu gasped for breath, an extremely shocked voice came from the other side.

Everyone remained silent as they waited for Fang Qiu’s answer.

Fang Qiu chuckled and said, “Of course I am.”

“How is that possible? How can a person have so much strength?”

“You’re a ghost, right?”

“Are you the owner of this tomb? You brought all of us here on purpose to...”

As a college student spoke, his voice trembled with fear.

“Haha.”

Fang Qiu couldn’t help smiling and said, “The state knows me.”

Members of the archaeological team and Lu Jinzhou heard his reply.

Their eyes lit up, and they breathed a sigh of relief.

Since it involved the country...

They felt secure enough to accept all his abnormal acts.

The students were also relieved.

A student went straight to Fang Qiu and reached out to pinch his arm.

Then he turned to the other students and said, “He is no different from any normal person?”

Words failed Fang Qiu when he heard this.

Next...

They walked through the gate together.

“This is the inner tomb passage.”

Upon entering, an archaeologist said, “We had walked through the outer tomb passage. Now, the inner tomb passage is right before us. Besides the two passages, a great tomb usually has patios, side rooms, corridors, coffin chambers, back rooms, etc. We officially entered the tomb the moment we stepped into the inner tomb passage.”

Everyone heard his introduction.

They looked up.

There was a small area behind the stone gate roughly the size of the gate. In addition, they could only see a flight of stairs leading down. Moreover, as the staircase went down, it grew wider. When it reached the bottom, the inner tomb passage became twice as wide as the passage outside. The passage base became as broad as a small square, which made them flustered.

“Let’s go.”

The archaeological captain shouted excitedly and immediately went down the stairs and led everyone toward the inner tomb passage. As he walked, he said, “This inner tomb passage is at least nine meters wide, and the walls on both sides are flat. The standard of workmanship is very high.”

“Good. That’s really good!”

Although the inner tomb passage was very wide...

Its bottom half was only about 20 meters long.

Therefore, they soon came to the end of the passage. There, they saw a spiral stairway that led upward. In this wide space, it looked like a building.

Beyond doubt...

This place was a patio.

The inner tomb passage was at the bottom of the patio. There were three rooms and two chambers on the left and right sides. The patio was about 19 meters long and 13 meters wide. It looked very spacious.

However...

The patio was high and broad, but it seemed to have no special significance except that it was connected to the inner tomb passage. The experts went up the stairs but found nothing up there. They had no choice but to come down and continue to move inside.

After the patio, they came to another gate.

It was a cyan stone gate that was larger than the previous one. There were no words or patterns on it. This time, two stone tortoises, instead of two stone soldiers, guarded the stone gate on both sides.

The archaeological captain stood before the tomb door.

He said, "As soon as the tomb door is opened, we can see the coffin chambers behind it."

After that...

He turned to look at Fang Qiu.

One after another, the others also looked expectantly at Fang Qiu.

In their opinion...

Fang Qiu had performed a miracle once. Now it was time for him to achieve another great marvel.

Everyone came to this tomb mainly for those artefacts that lay behind this gate.

Under everyone's gazes...

Fang Qiu took a deep breath, stepped forward, and stood before the stone gate. Right after his internal Qi surged out, he extended both hands to push the stone gate.

It cost him much more energy this time around to complete the task.

Fang Qiu was nearly overcome by fatigue during the process. With great difficulty, he pushed open this big stone door and revealed the situation inside.

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Chapter 1349: I'm Afraid You'll Break My Hand...

"Wow, such a huge Dragon-breaking Stone!"

"It's several times bigger than the previous one."

"How could he open this door?"

"Awesome. A master? No! He's the Supreme Master of Wulin!"

"A miracle worker for our country."

Everyone applauded and exclaimed.

At the front of the crowd...

The archaeological captain stared at Fang Qiu and muttered with sparkling eyes, "A real expert! A rarity. In the future, before we explore another big tomb, I will ask the government to send him over to help. In this way, we can save a lot of time."

"It's amazing that we managed to find such a big tomb. We may need a good luck fairy to discover another one."

Lu Jinzhou said.

"You're right."

The archaeological captain nodded knowingly.

As he spoke...

The archaeological captain led the whole team through the gate and walked inside.

"There are coffin chambers inside. Be careful, everyone. Don't touch anything, no matter what you see."

As they moved forward, the archaeological captain pointed to the passages on both sides and said, "There should be satellite coffin chambers for those who were buried with the tomb owner and storage rooms on both sides."

With this...

He walked in.

This tomb chamber was not big. There was nothing but a coffin inside.

These experts walked around the coffin.

“This coffin chamber should be made for a woman.”

“Satellite coffin chambers for women are not rare in ancient times. We can tell from the style of the coffin.”

“Generally speaking, the tomb owner should either be very powerful or of a noble status since there is a coffin chamber for a woman to be buried along with the owner!”

“This great tomb seems remarkable.”

The experts looked around and immediately brought everyone out of this satellite coffin chamber. Then they continued to take the others to go further inside.

As a result...

Within the depths on both sides of the tomb passage, they discovered five similar-sized chambers.

“Apart from the first satellite tomb chamber for a woman, there are no coffins in the other chambers. There are only some ancient burial articles and bronze items.”

However, as soon as they found these ancient treasures, the experts of the archaeological team immediately took out ropes and ringed off the area to prevent anyone from touching these things.

Like before...

While looking around, the archaeological captain explained the situation inside to everyone.

Soon...

They finished exploring the few chambers.

Under the guidance of the archaeological captain, they went all the way to the deepest part of the tomb — the last tomb chamber was there.

Unlike other chambers, this one had a wide entrance several times larger than those small-scale ones.

Apart from that, it was the only tomb chamber with a door.

The door was different from the stone gates they encountered outside.

This was an enormous bronze door!

The door was very high.

There were some blurry patterns on it.

When everyone got very close it...

They were greatly shocked by this bronze gate.

The door was excessively big.

Even the door of this main tomb chamber was larger than other chambers.

“A bronze gate! This is a bronze gate!”

In the crowd, an extremely excited voice suddenly sounded.

The experts of the archaeological research team fixed their eyes on this bronze door.

They were also very thrilled.

This meant that the main coffin chamber must be extraordinary.

“Open, open the door.”

The archaeological captain immediately stepped forward and tried to push the door open, but he failed.

Helplessly...

He could only quickly turn to look at Fang Qiu.

The others also turned and fixed their eyes on Fang Qiu again.

Their meaning was very obvious.

They wanted him to open the door.

Under everyone's expectant gazes...

Fang Qiu could only approach the bronze door and stretch his hands. After he activated his internal Qi, Fang Qiu pushed the bronze door open.

There was no Dragon-breaking Stone behind this door, but the bronze gate was very thick. The weight of this gate was colossal.

However...

Because they had arrived at the main coffin chamber, everyone was focused on the items inside. Few paid much attention to Fang Qiu.

After all, they all knew how powerful he was. Instead of being shocked to the core, they now took his marvelous strength for granted.

After Fang Qiu pushed open the bronze door...

Everyone was ready to walk in.

“Wait.”

Someone in the crowd called out. The others immediately stopped and turned to see this person.

Fang Qiu also turned to look back.

Over there...

Fang Qiu recognized the college student who shouted out — he kept chatting with him about Kylin Zhang and the bronze door. At this time, not just Fang Qiu but all the others on the scene stared at him questioningly, not knowing what he meant.

This student looked grave as he gazed into the space before him with a frown. It seemed he was waiting for something.

Everyone waited for a long time.

“Oops?”

The student’s face suddenly changed, and he said dejectedly, “I didn’t see any ghost soldiers pass by. Isn’t this place the ultimate destination?”

Hearing that, everyone was speechless.

Lu Jinzhou’s face darkened with fury, and he cast a stern glance at the young man.

He couldn’t believe he had such a brainless guy among his students. He was so deeply addicted to the grave-raiding TV series!

“Let’s go.”

The archaeological captain waved his hand and said to everyone.

As he spoke...

He led everyone into the main coffin chamber.

Upon entering, they found this chamber was surprisingly large. A jade coffin was placed on a stone platform in the middle, surrounded by many other things.

The moment Fang Qiu came in...

He scanned this place with his Divine Consciousness.

Right away, he noticed something unusual on one side similar to a stone tablet.

Though it was very dark here...

As a guru, Fang Qiu could see everything in the darkness, but the others couldn't.

Instantly...

Under the cloak of darkness, Fang Qiu flashed to a place that was slightly different.

In front of him...

He saw a piece of jade.

It was on a bronze desk.

When he took a closer look...

What a surprise! This jade piece was carved from the mysterious jade that contained the Qi of Heaven and Earth. He also spotted a roll of bamboo slips nearby.

Without hesitation, Fang Qiu picked up the bamboo roll and opened it to have a look.

“Eh?”

When Fang Qiu saw the contents of the bamboo slips, his eyes immediately lit up with ecstasy.

There was no need to read much.

He was delighted to find that this bamboo roll was a record of an ancient technique after he read the first few lines!

He didn't think much about it.

Immediately, Fang Qiu gathered up the roll of bamboo slips into his arms and wrapped it in his internal Qi to isolate it from the air.

Then he secretly controlled his internal Qi and moved. Instantly, he added a layer of dust to cover up the marks left by the roll of bamboo slips on the bronze desk. After that, it looked as if there were nothing there from the beginning.

As for the piece of jade...

Although Fang Qiu really desired to have it, he knew this item would be an incredible discovery for the archeology world of his country. He would feel too guilty if he were to take it away.

Anyway, he had a lot of mysterious jade, and it was pointless to get one more piece. Thus, he gave it up.

When Fang Qiu got the bamboo slips...

He immediately turned away.

On the other side...

The others began looking around with their flashlights.

In the end...

They finished searching the entire chamber.

The members of the archaeological team were ecstatic and laughed gleefully. Lu Jinzhou taught the students along the way, talking about bronze wares, jade coffins, various burial items, and so on. He seemed to be giving a lecture here.

Their survey was done.

“King Chu’s Tomb!”

The archaeological captain stated excitedly, “It’s almost certain that this is an ancient tomb of a Chu State King. However, without an in-depth investigation, we don’t know the exact generation of this king.”

Everyone heard that.

They exclaimed one after another.

“King Chu’s Tomb?”

“We’re so lucky. The first tomb we visited belonged to a king.”

“No wonder the tomb owner had a jade coffin.”

“Well, I have to say the quality of this jade looks so poor. It is a little opaque and has many impurities.”

“In that era, it was rare and luxurious enough to have a coffin made of this kind of jade. Besides, this coffin was made out of a whole piece of jade. Think about it: how large would the original jade have to be in order for them to carve out such a coffin?”

After the tour...

Everyone felt shocked.

This was not an ordinary tomb. This was King Chu’s tomb.

Members of the archaeological team and Lu Jinzhou were delirious with delight.

“The discovery of the tomb of King Chu will shock the entire world.”

“That’s right. This is a scientific investigation of great value!”

Everyone talked excitedly about this discovery.

While the others were discussing animatedly...

In high spirits, the archaeological captain walked to Fang Qiu. Before he said anything, he reached out to hold Fang Qiu’s hand. “Thank you so much. I want to thank you on behalf of the National Academy of Archaeology. Thank you for saving the lives of our team members. Thank you for bringing us here. With your great help, we were able to see the true features of this tomb. Thank you.”

As soon as he finished speaking...

Without waiting for Fang Qiu’s response, the archaeological captain quickly withdrew his hand as if he had touched boiling water.

“Eh?”

Fang Qiu was stunned.

“Well...”

The archaeological captain smiled awkwardly and said, “Don’t take it to heart. You have great strength in your hands. I was afraid you might accidentally break my hand.”

His words came as a surprise.

Fang Qiu couldn't help shaking his head with a wry smile.

“Well, the survey is over. Now, follow Lu Jinzhou and Fang Qiu. Let's go back the way we came.”

Members of the expedition team did not gather together like before. Instead, they spread out to observe and monitor the others for fear that these people would take something out of the tomb.

Fortunately...

Along the way, no one played any dirty tricks.

Soon, they returned to the outer tomb passage and were close to the mechanism of flipping planks.

“Oh, crap!”

As soon as they reached the mechanism, Lu Jinzhou, who led the way, immediately stopped and said in a panic, “A section of the tomb before us has caved in. The tomb passage is blocked.”

The archaeological captain heard that...

He instantly rushed forward.

“It wasn't caused by quicksand.”

After careful observation, the archaeological captain said, “After a long time, the ground surface changed. In addition, someone had dug a hole there. As a result, the surface collapsed. The place ahead must have been buried. Fortunately, this is an outer tomb passage, and there is nothing worth studying.”

“But how can we get out?”

A student asked in a panic, “If the tomb passage has collapsed, there will be no way out, right?”

“Contact the people outside.”

The archaeological captain immediately turned on the walkie-talkie but could not find any signal.

“Don’t worry, everyone. We have people outside. When they see that the tomb passage had collapsed, they will call for help instantly.”

Lu Jinzhou said.

“But there is not much air left inside the tomb. And there is corpse poison and bacteria. How long can we hold on?”

A student asked.

Everyone heard what he said.

All of a sudden, they started to feel alarmed.

“Let me see what I can do.”

Fang Qiu came forward. He activated his internal Qi to cover his hands and started digging with his bare hands.

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In fact...

Fang Qiu could have waited for the rescue team outside to dig them out of the cave. Anyway, the corpse poison and bacteria in this tomb were not harmful to him at all.

However, for the other people, the situation was different.

They had opened the tomb door before going down the tomb. In this way, there was airflow in the tomb passage, but this was the case only in the outer tomb passage.

The inner tomb passage and the main tomb chamber contained more bacteria and corpse toxins. But because the opened tomb door acted as an air vent, they were safe when they were in the tomb for a short period of time. But now, when the tomb passage collapsed, the airflow through the vent was cut off. When the air inside decreased, the temperature inside the tomb would slowly rise. Then, more bacteria and corpse toxins would emerge and would spread at a more rapid pace. If they sat around and waited for the engineering team to save them, it would be too late. After staying inside for two or three hours, everyone would be infected by the bacteria and become seriously ill when they got out.

Therefore...

Fang Qiu chose to dig with his bare hands.

“Consider it my repayment for taking the bamboo roll.”

With that in mind, Fang Qiu began to dig quickly.

In the beginning...

Everyone shook their heads, for none believed he could dig a way out. No one knew how large the collapsed area was outside. Whenever he dug out some sand, more sand would slide down and fill it up again. When would this helpless situation end?

However, in just three minutes...

They found Fang Qiu had made quite a large pit. Even better, he dug out the robber hole's entrance buried by sand and stones.

“This robber hole was dug from the top downwards, at a slanting angle through the ground. Thus, only a small amount of sand and rocks could enter the hole. At most, the sand has filled only half of the hole. Everyone, get ready. Let's get out through this robber hole.”

With this...

Fang Qiu immediately began to dig along the hole.

“The tomb passage has collapsed. Is it safe to go through this robber hole?”

A student asked, “Will the hole collapse when we are halfway up there?”

“Very unlikely.”

The archaeological captain shook his head and said, “Do you remember the skeletons under the mechanism of Flipping-plank Quicksand? Judging from that, this hole must have existed for a long time. When we came in, the robber hole was in a good condition still. It proves that it is very stable. Moreover, before these tomb raiders started digging, they would have conducted an investigation and chosen the best place to make the hole. Although this outer tomb passage has collapsed, the robber hole is still secure. It means the hole has a solid layer of soil. We can get out of the tomb from it.”

Hearing this, everyone was relieved.

Sure enough...

Fang Qiu dug with his bare hands for two minutes and opened up the space.

“Rope.”

Fang Qiu called out.

Lu Jinzhou immediately handed over a safety rope.

“I’ll go out first. Grab the rope and come out one by one.”

Fang Qiu grabbed one end of the rope and quickly climbed out of the robber hole. Within the hole was a slope that led to the surface. Fang Qiu was afraid the people behind him couldn’t climb up, so he took the safety rope.

Soon after...

After he got out of the robber hole, Fang Qiu pulled the others out one by one with the safety rope.

When everyone came out...

They couldn’t help gasping for breath.

When they saw daylight again, they were wild with joy.

Fang Qiu looked around.

He found he was on an inclined slope near the tomb entrance. This tomb seemed to run through the high mountain.

“Fortunately, it’s in the opposite direction.”

Fang Qiu stole a glance at the wild relic and breathed a sigh of relief in his heart.

If this tomb was too close to the relic...

It might not be easy to rent that area and grow medicinal herbs.

Over there...

Everyone calmed down.

One after another, they turned to look at Fang Qiu, their eyes full of gratitude.

“Lucky for us all, you came with us into the tomb. Otherwise, all of us would have died there.”

“Yeah, I feel uncomfortable whenever I think of those large centipedes. I feel itchy all over. I have to take a good shower when I go back.”

“It doesn’t have to be like that. If we hadn’t kept walking inside, the outer tomb passage might not have collapsed. We should have exited before we entered the inner tomb passage. In that case, nothing serious would have happened. But it was hazardous inside. It was quite scary. Without the master’s protection, I wouldn’t have dared to go deeper.”

“Hum, when the master pushed the two big stones open, the Dragon-breaking Stones also moved backward. It’s very likely that the movements caused the outer tomb passage to collapse. However, we should thank the master. How could we have found such a big tomb if it weren’t for him? How could we have entered and come back safely?”

As they spoke...

Everyone expressed their thanks to Fang Qiu.

The archaeological team members and Lu Jinzhou even walked to Fang Qiu, shook hands with him and expressed their gratitude.

“Well.”

After he shook hands with everyone, Fang Qiu immediately nodded and waved his hand and said, “This is what I should do. I explored a great tomb with you, didn’t I?”

After they heard what he said...

Everyone looked at each other and smiled.

Then, they strode away.

As they walked, they animatedly discussed the details of the tomb.

Soon...

They reached the tomb entrance.

Some members of the archaeological expedition team were assessing the situation outside. At this time, they were anxiously trying to contact the rescue workers. When they saw the group coming out of the tomb, they were stunned and instantly relaxed.

The archaeological members stayed where they were, while Fang Qiu and Lu Jinzhou returned to the camp with the students.

When they returned to the camp...

It was already sunrise.

It was already the third day!

When they appeared, everyone there breathed a long sigh of relief. These people outside the tomb also received the news that the tomb passage had collapsed. Thus, they thought the others had been buried inside.

The staff of the institute of archaeology guarding the campsite confirmed that everyone was okay. Then, they rushed to the tomb entrance.

Over at the site...

The students who didn't enter the tomb gathered around and bombarded the rest with questions.

They heard about Fang Qiu's performance in the tomb. Fang Qiu dug out a passage with his bare hands and saved everyone from danger. After they heard this, these students looked at Fang Qiu with admiration and respect.

Just as everyone was listening with interest and discussing enthusiastically...

Wu Sanqing, who was busy in the tent, suddenly poked his head out. He glanced around and finally fixed his eyes on Fang Qiu. Then he waved to Fang Qiu with a look of delight.

Fang Qiu immediately walked over.

He came to the tent.

"It's done."

Wu Sanqing took out an arm and handed it to Fang Qiu, with a proud and smug look on his face.

Fang Qiu took it and had a look.

The arm was precisely the same size as the arms of the wooden puppets he saw in the Zangjiang relic. They looked exactly alike. Even the details were identical.

“Well done.”

Fang Qiu gave Wu Sanqing a thumbs-up with satisfaction.

“Of course.”

Wu Sanqing smiled proudly and said, “These skills were passed down from my ancestors.”

At this point...

After a glance at the other students, Wu Sanqing could not help asking, “I’ve done what I promised you. When will you teach me kung fu?”

“Martial arts practitioners are divided into different levels.”

Fang Qiu said, “Nowadays, there are three types of cultivators in different realms in Wulin: martial arts practitioners, Martial Superiors, and gurus. Martial arts practitioners are divided into nine levels, and Martial Superiors have nine classes. Be a Martial Superior first. I will get someone to contact you later, and he will help you to become a Martial Superior.”

“A Martial Superior.”

Hearing this, Wu Sanqing became even more thrilled. He grabbed Fang Qiu and asked, “Which realm are you in? I want to be as powerful as you!”

“I’m a guru!”

Fang Qiu replied.

“Wow!”

Wu Sanqing was shocked and hurriedly asked, “Then, when can I become a guru?”

“Well...”

Fang Qiu carefully observed Wu Sanqing from head to toe. Then, after he kept quiet for a long time, he helplessly gave a wry smile and said, “In your next life!”

“Ah?”

Wu Sanqing paused, looked at Fang Qiu for a long time, and said gloomily, “You said that because you are jealous of my talent, right?”

“You can think of it that way, as long as you’re happy about it.”

Fang Qiu said with a smile.

“You are a guru, but why must I wait until the next life?”

Wu Sanqing asked.

“It is because I’m handsome.”

Fang Qiu smiled.

“Humph.”

Wu Sanqing sneered disdainfully and said, “In terms of handsome appearances, I can become a guru in a year!”

“Alas.”

Fang Qiu patted Wu Sanqing on the shoulder and said, “With your level of self-cognition, I’m afraid you will have to wait for two lives before you can become a guru.”

After that...

He turned away, ready to find a place to study the bamboo slips he brought out of the tomb.

“You’re just jealous. You’re jealous of my talent.”

“Wait and see. I’ll show you how capable I am. I’ll become a guru within three years. Absolutely!”

Wu Sanqing shouted behind Fang Qiu’s back.

But Fang Qiu waved his hand without looking back.

Over there...

Everyone was engaged in a heated discussion about the large tomb, so they did not notice Wu Sanqing and Fang Qiu, let alone hear their conversation. Even when Wu Sanqing cried out at the top of his voice, no one turned to look at him.

Fang Qiu left the camp.

Quietly, he returned to the relic.

Instead of entering it, he sat cross-legged on the hill outside the relic, took out the bamboo slips, and began to read.

After Fang Qiu went through it...

He learned the motion route for the ancient guiding technique recorded in the bamboo slips. This method was not much different from the modern ones.

Notably, the bamboo slips emphasized that cultivators should practice Kung Fu at noon or midnight. During these two periods, they could absorb the essence of the sun and the moon while practicing Kung Fu. Moreover, a note said that these two periods were the best time to absorb the Qi of Heaven and Earth quickly.

Beyond that...

Even the 24 solar terms were recorded in the bamboo roll.

The 24 solar terms were also the key to practicing Kung Fu. In particular, the conversion period between two solar terms was also a perfect chance to practice Kung Fu!

After Fang Qiu finished reading the whole article...

He put away the bamboo slips and began to meditate with his eyes closed.

Only when it was close to noon did he begin to practice. It was because he wanted to verify the authenticity of the content in the bamboo slips.

After the exercise...

Sure enough, the speed of absorbing the Qi of Heaven and Earth during these periods was more than ten times faster than the normal speed.

“It is indeed effective!”

Fang Qiu was overjoyed.

This guiding technique was simply the supreme way to improve cultivation!