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Chapter 1251:

The Thunder Palm, carrying the force of ten thousand jun, streaked across the sky, heavily striking the air, and in that moment, the entire space burst forth with a series of explosive sounds akin to mountains shattering.

Above Five Sounds Peak, the black void was instantly dyed purple.

The Thunder Tiger slammed its palms into emptiness, while at the same time, its tail whipped over, the speed of its tail falling even faster than the speed of its palm strikes.

Cao Zhen had just managed to dodge when, despite his speed, he found himself unable to evade once again; after all, his Eight Nine Mysterious Art hadn't reached level ten like Xiang Ziyu's.

The glow enveloped in numerous purple thunders was about to strike Cao Zhen's body.

To the side, a tremendous surge of might suddenly swept in!

Xiang Ziyu abruptly made his move, his hand wielding a bizarre-looking Divine Weapon resembling a fire poker, fiercely thrusting downward!

Though it was a staff that thrust down, it seemed as if a Sharp Sword was piercing through, with a hundred projections of Xiang Ziyu emerging within the void!

A hundred Xiang Ziyus, each seemingly real, each one thrusting a sword; as if a hundred peerless swordsmen were unleashing their strongest strike simultaneously, each sword filled with Unparalleled Sword Intent and an ethereal quality.

That strike again!

Around them, although everyone was contending against the Heavenly Tribulation and the Tribulation Beasts, the corners of their eyes couldn't help but monitor the battle between Cao Zhen and Xiang Ziyu, since they were up against the strongest Beast!

They knew well that Cao Zhen and Xiang Ziyu were formidable, indeed the two best-preserved among them, but they did not believe the duo could withstand the Beast.

Should any danger befall the pair, they too would rush to their aid, hence they could not afford to ignore them.

At this moment, witnessing the strike issued by Xiang Ziyu, the onlookers were instantly reminded of the previous strike unleashed by Cao Zhen.

Immortal Bi Yue even thought of the strike launched by Duo Duo not long before.

She could distinctly discern that whether it was Duo Duo's strike, Cao Zhen's strike, or the current one from Xiang Ziyu, they all stemmed from the same sword technique.

Yet, when the three individuals employed the technique, it manifested completely differently.

Duo Duo's Sword Intent was the most, Cao Zhen's sword intent seemed ordinary, while Xiang Ziyu's was filled with the power of yin and yang.

Among the hundred swords of Xiang Ziyu, fifty seemed to contain the most pure and majestic yang energy, while the other fifty were brimming with yin energy.

The two types of Sword Qi, from a hundred swords, seemed to merge into one!

This single strike was filled with incredibly pure yin and yang energy!

As the sword fell, the very space around them began to shake wildly, the void continuously fractured, heaven and earth seemed to alter hue, the whole world appeared to be on the verge of collapsing!

As the combined yin and yang energy struck the tiger's tail, a terrifying sound burst forth, so loud it felt as if the entire Five Sounds Sect was being blown apart!

The collision of the two fearsome energies even gave the illusion of tearing apart the tribulation clouds, rending the night itself, and in that instant, it seemed to bring back the feeling of day.

"This power of yin and yang!"

Jiu Yin, sensing the yin and yang energy emanating from Xiang Ziyu, a strange light flickered in her eyes. Xiang Ziyu had previously demonstrated the power of yin and yang, and she could tell that his yin and yang energies were extremely pure, even purer than many in their Great Teaching.

She was also quite astonished for some time.

However, what Xiang Ziyu was cultivating was the energy of yin and yang together.

As for her, she cultivated yin energy, and she needed someone with yang energy to cultivate together.

If she wants to find someone with the cultivation of Yin and Yang forces to pair with her in cultivation, then the other person's Yin and Yang forces must reach an extremely pure degree, a person of such caliber, she has not encountered even during the Minor Era of Inversion of Heaven and Earth.

Perhaps, after the end of the Minor Era of Inversion of Heaven and Earth, such an existence might emerge, but it is likely they have already reached the Earth Immortal Realm.

Cultivating Yin and Yang together requires both parties to have almost equal cultivation bases.

If the gap is too large, it's impossible to cultivate together!

Yet now, Xiang Ziyu, with this sword strike, has displayed Yin and Yang forces of that pure degree!

Moreover, Xiang Ziyu, just like her, is at the limit of the Golden Core Stage!

Xiang Ziyu is surrounded by a halo of light, his fighting spirit soaring, cycles of Yin and Yang revolving around his body.

Behind him, two humanoid shadows, one black and one white, emerged.

The white shadow emitted an endless ethereal aura, as if it came from an Immortal beyond the legendary Nine Heavens, while the other, a black shadow, was filled with domineering, sinister, and terrifying air, resembling a Demon King that flew out from the netherworld deep beneath the ground.

Two completely different auras yet emerged behind him.

At the same time, these two auras were filled with the power of Yin and Yang, the white being Yang, and the black being Yin!

The next moment, these two shadows flew into Xiang Ziyu's body simultaneously.

Xiang Ziyu had already been through a prolonged battle, and even though he possessed Divine Skills for healing, wounds still covered his body at this moment. However, as the two shadows entered his body, his aura climbed once more, seemingly in an instant, returning to his uninjured peak state!

Inside him, the fighting spirit continued to rise.

He, Xiang Ziyu, is a natural-born protagonist!

A mere Sect Tribulation, how could it be difficult for him?

He is destined to challenge the Heavenly Dao, to shatter the heavens!

Jiu Yin, feeling the aura Xiang Ziyu was emitting at this moment, in an instant, thought of many, many things!

"Jiu Yin, be careful!"

Suddenly, a startled cry came.

In the void, a ferocious bolt of Purple Thunder descended, striking towards Jiu Yin.

Even though Jiu Yin was already injured, with her strength, she could easily fend off this thunder, yet everyone discovered that Jiu Yin, this person at the limit of the Golden Core Stage, fighting against the Heavenly Dao, in the midst of this Sect Tribulation, was actually distracted!

The thunder fell, and Jiu Yin had no reaction whatsoever!

Just as the bolts of thunder were about to strike Jiu Yin's body, at a critical juncture, in front of Ling Xi, thirty-two Talismans converged, ready to fly towards Jiu Yin. However, only twenty-eight Talismans flew out upon their release.

There were four more Talismans remaining by her side.

Although she could deploy thirty-two Talismans, gathering them all together.

That too was her limit.

After a prolonged battle, she now no longer had the ability to gather and release all thirty-two Talismans at the same time!

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Atop the Five Sounds Peak, besides the disciples within the Musical Rhythm Tower, the rest, at their weakest, are close to the Golden Core Period Limit.

They all can face the falling Heavenly Tribulations alone.

However, their approach is not to endure the tribulations with sheer force but rather to use Divine Skills to attack and evade them.

The only one who could endure the tribulations with his physical body alone is probably only Xiang Ziyu.

Although Jiu Yin is at the Golden Core Period Limit, she too cannot endure the tribulations on her own.

Closest to Jiu Yin is Ling Xi, who reacts immediately to rescue her, yet she could only summon twenty-eight Talismans!

Though there seems to be only a four-talisman difference between twenty-eight and thirty-two, the disparity in power is like heaven and earth!

Twenty-eight talismans are utterly insufficient to completely block the falling Thunder Calamity.

Moreover, what's falling is not only thunder but also a burning blaze!

Even though Jiu Yin is at the limit of the Golden Core Stage, if struck by both thunder and flame, she would certainly suffer grave injuries, or even death.

In any case, whether it is grave injuries or death, their combat effectiveness would greatly diminish.

Having one person at the Golden Core Stage Limit weakened might even lead to their failure in surviving the tribulation!

Ling Xi frantically rouses the breath within her body, controlling the four inactive talismans in front of her to fly!

Suddenly, the breath within her body that had reached its limit surged explosively again, a tide of immense mana emerging from within!

In front of her, those four immobile talismans, under her frantic stimulation, abruptly flew up, heading towards the other twenty-eight.

Golden Core Period Limit!

Ling Xi, in this crucial moment of battle, had made a breakthrough!

In fact, Ling Xi had originally reached near the limit of the Golden Core Stage. After arriving in the Eastern Province, where the spiritual energy is purer and more abundant, her cultivation base kept increasing.

Although she possesses the Ancient Immortal Body and cannot directly break through, her current breakthrough is still within the same realm, moving from infinitely close to the limit of the Golden Core Stage to reaching the limit of the Golden Core Stage itself.

The thirty-two talismans converge to form instantly a towering mountain, vast and imposing, completely shielding an area of space.

The Purple Thunder falls, striking the mountain shadow above, causing the massive shadow to violently shake. The whole mountain shadow splits down the middle, yet the shadow does not vanish.

Following that, a ball of flame falls, instantly igniting the entire mountain.

The mountain, already severely damaged by the thunder, collapses instantly, while Jiu Yin has already regained her senses and swiftly dodges to the side.

With Ling Xi's intervention, she finally escapes the flames.

Subsequently, a cold voice is heard.

"Focus! Do you want to get us all killed?"

Deeply aware that she had been distracted just now, Jiu Yin, who would have died or at least been severely injured if not for Ling Xi's action, hears the rebuke and does not retort but focuses on contending with the continuous Heavenly Tribulations.

On the other side, even as Cao Zhen and Xiang Ziyu join forces attacking with full power, they could barely withstand this much stronger beast.

For a time, they are completely unable to slay it!

"Boom!"

Suddenly, another thunderbolt falls from the sky, striking the Thunder Tiger heavily. In a visible manner, the entire Thunder Tiger swells a bit.

It has grown stronger!

Cao Zhen feels a headache coming but in the next moment, sounds of musical rhythms start spreading.

"Jia, Yi, Bing, Ding, the sixteen Musical Rhythm Towers, quick, help them kill that Thunder Tiger." Array Sound unleashes a Divine Skill while loudly calling out, and as his voice falls, from the opposite direction.

From the sixteen Musical Rhythm Towers, waves of sound suddenly shoot out, sweeping toward the Thunder Tiger.

Seizing the opportunity, Cao Zhen and Xiang Ziyu quickly make a move, launching Divine Skills toward the Thunder Tiger.

Finally, with the help of half of the Musical Rhythm Towers, the two managed to kill the Thunder Tiger.

But as the sixteen Musical Rhythm Towers intervened, attacking the group, the light screens of the formations in the sky shattered, and even one Great Formation was destroyed by the Heavenly Tribulation.

Atop the Five Sounds Peak, numerous Tribulation Beasts were struck by the Heavenly Tribulation, their power increasing yet again.

But thankfully, there were no beasts as terrifying as the Thunder Tiger.

Cao Zhen does not pause at all, continuing to engage in battle.

Among them now, the strongest combatants are still Cao Zhen and Xiang Ziyu.

Everyone noticed, Cao Zhen's Golden Core is too extraordinary, releasing ten kinds of Divine Skills each time, and as for Xiang Ziyu, they have become numb to his capabilities, truly unable to imagine how he cultivates to possess so many Divine Skills.

The Heavenly Tribulation continues, and the battle grows even more fierce.

Within the Five Sounds Sect, more and more disciples begin to die, one formation after another destroyed.

Especially atop the Five Sounds Peak, nearly all formations there are ruined, even eight of the Musical Rhythm Towers destroyed.

And yet a smile slowly appears on Array Sound's face.

The sky gradually brightens.

In the distance, a group of people from the Demonic Sect, show a look of disappointment.

"Dawn is approaching!"

"Normally, Sect Tribulations take a long time, but during the Reversal Mini Epoch Period, Sect Tribulation lasts exceptionally short."

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"During the Reversal Mini Epoch Period, the Sect Tribulation of the Five Sounds Sect would only last for a single day!"

"Now that daylight is upon us, the Sect Tribulation is ending!"

"So, the Five Sounds Sect has survived the Sect Tribulation!"

"Enough, let's go!"

One after another, the members of the Demonic Sect turned and walked away.

They were not here for mere spectating; had the Five Sounds Sect failed to weather the Sect Tribulation, they would have been the first to rush into the Five Sounds Sect and plunder its resources.

But since the Five Sounds Sect has successfully weathered the Tribulation, it became inappropriate for them to plunder.

When a Great Teaching fails their Tribulation, other Great Teachings would move to plunder its resources.

However, even though the Five Sounds Sect suffered heavy losses after successfully weathering the Tribulation, the sect still stands. Plundering its resources would mean they'd have to battle the people of the Five Sounds Sect.

What's more, after the success of the Five Sounds Sect in weathering the Tribulation, other Great Teachings friendly with the Five Sounds Sect, and those who claim to follow the Righteous Path, would also lend aid to the Five Sounds Sect.

They no longer had an opportunity.

The sky was getting brighter.

Gradually, Cao Zhen even felt that fewer Heavenly Tribulations were falling from the Void, and he even had time to look up towards the horizon.

In the sky, the tribulation clouds had visibly thinned out quite a bit.

He could even see the rising sun.

The emergence of the sun is always a slow process, but now that it has risen, it sped across the sky, reaching the zenith above everyone's heads in a blink of an eye.

As the sun fully rose, all the tribulation clouds dissipated completely.

"The Sect Tribulation is over!"

"We, we held on!"

"We held off the Sect Tribulation; we've finally weathered the Tribulation successfully!"

Inside the Five Sounds Sect, when everyone saw the tribulation clouds dissipate, they all started to shout loudly. Some of them, after being on high alert and fighting for a day and a night, finally relaxed, collapsing onto the ground, while others embraced the corpses beside them.

"Senior Brother, open your eyes, look, we've weathered the Tribulation successfully, take a look!"

"Senior Brother, the Five Sounds Sect still stands, we won!"

"Senior Sister..."

Among the cheers, there were also sounds of weeping.

Although they had overcome the Sect Tribulation, countless disciples of the Five Sounds Sect had perished in it.

"Quick, go treat the injuries!"

"Right, hurry, Junior Brother, you're injured, treat yourself first."

Nearly all the disciples of the Five Sounds Sect were injured in the Sect Tribulation; however, none had the time to treat their wounds amidst the calamity.

Now that the Heavenly Tribulation is over, they naturally needed to tend to their injuries first.

At the location of Five Sounds Peak, Cao Zhen, having just successfully weathered the Tribulation, even sat down on the ground. For a day and a night, his mind had been stretched to the limit, always fighting in the strongest state he could muster, and he was exhausted!

Suddenly, above everyone's heads in the Void, a golden light emerged. In an instant, a terrifying aura, seemingly the noblest and most powerful in the world, emanated from the golden light.

The Power of Heavenly Dao!

Cao Zhen sharply looked up.

The next moment, the golden light burst forth, illuminating the land. Within the golden light, gentle rays poured down.

This radiance enveloped the entire Five Sounds Sect; under the golden glow, the destroyed mountains and land were rapidly restored back to form, visible to the naked eye.

At the location of Five Sounds Peak, the golden light was even more dazzling. Amidst it, one could see treasures, various Immortal Mines, Immortal Herbs... an abundance of resources falling.

Among them, there were even strands of Divine Thought, with the thickest being a full ten feet in length.

So many!

Cao Zhen, having witnessed the descent of the treasures bestowed by Heavenly Dao, finally understood why those Great Teachings were so powerful.

The things bestowed by Heavenly Dao were simply too vast; within just a moment, his surroundings were piled up with resources.

This was the reward of the Heavenly Dao!

However, these resources didn't all belong to him, but to the Five Sounds Sect. Among them, only one treasure would be his to claim.

Cao Zhen quickly scanned the treasures around him.

The Five Sounds Sect had said that the ten individuals who came to help were allowed to select some treasures from here, but only after the Five Sounds Sect had chosen twenty items first.

Furthermore, they couldn't pick any of the Divine Thoughts.

Just like Cao Zhen, Immortal Bi Yue, Zhu Jian, and the Cloud Reaching Sect Hierarchy, all turned their attention to the nearby treasures.

Array Sound seemed to know what Cao Zhen and the others were waiting for.

He nodded towards Cao Zhen and the others and said, "Thank you all for coming to help, but as per our agreement, after our Five Sounds Sect has chosen twenty treasures, you will then select your treasures.

Please wait just a moment longer."

The Five Sounds Sect had survived the Tribulation, but the losses were significant. As the Sect Hierarchy, Array Sound was also very busy; he needed to arrange various matters.

At the same time, he had to invite the experts of the Five Sounds Sect to join him in selecting the treasures.

After all, his knowledge was limited, and if he picked ordinary treasures while leaving the more powerful ones for Cao Zhen and the others, that would be troublesome!

Especially since it is the Reversal Mini Epoch Period.

Under normal circumstances, the aura of those treasures would be completely unobscured.

However, during the Reversal Mini Epoch Period, the treasures could only manifest power limited to the Golden Core Period Limit, and although they could determine the grade of the treasures through other means, it would be difficult.

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But even within the same rank, there are differences between treasures.

About half an hour later, Array Sound finished giving various orders, and by his side, there were also ten experts from the Five Sounds Sect.

These ten people, like Array Sound, all had injuries on their bodies, but now they needed to choose treasures and had no time to heal.

Everyone first looked towards the Immortal Mines and Immortal Herbs present.

Although the Heavenly Dao had bestowed various rewards, aside from those containing spells or cultivation techniques, shrouded in mystery, the most valuable of the remaining treasures were usually the Treasures!

The crowd was also the first to look at those Treasures.

Of course, there are Immortal Herbs and Immortal Mines that are extremely valuable, even surpassing Treasures, but such Immortal Herbs and Immortal Mines are rare.

They looked at Immortal Herbs and Immortal Mines first because they wanted to pick the most expensive ones before choosing Treasures.

"Ice Spirit Crystal! A Sixth Grade Immortal Mine! And such a large piece!"

"Choose this Immortal Mine first!"

After searching, everyone soon decided on an Immortal Mine, and no one had any objections.

A First Grade Immortal Mine and Second and Third Grade Immortal Mines are used to forge Common Rank Treasures; the higher the grade of the Immortal Mine used, the higher the rank of the forged Treasure.

If a First Grade Immortal Mine is used extensively, then the Treasure is likely to be of Common Low Grade. If a Second Grade Immortal Mine is used a lot, then the Treasure crafted will be of Common Mid Grade. With extensive usage of a Third Grade Immortal Mine, an Upper-grade Profound Level Treasure is produced!

Of course, you can use a Fourth Grade Immortal Mine to forge a Common Rank Treasure, but no one does that because it's too wasteful!

Yellow Grade Treasures are mostly forged from Third, Fourth, and Fifth Grade Immortal Mines. Correspondingly, they rank as Yellow Level Low Grade, Mid Grade, and High Grade Treasures.

A Yellow Level Low Grade Treasure and a Common High Grade Treasure both mainly use Third Grade Immortal Mines.

But one is just a Common Rank Treasure, while the other is a Yellow Grade Treasure. The difference is that the Yellow Level Low Grade Treasure mainly uses Third Grade but also requires the use of Fourth Grade Immortal Mines, whereas the Common High Grade Treasure uses Third Grade along with First and Second Grade Immortal Mines!

Of course, these are just the most common scenarios. It's not to say that if you mainly use Third Grade and supplement it with Fourth Grade Immortal Mines, you can definitely forge a Yellow Level Low Grade Treasure; it still depends on the forging technique!

A Sixth Grade Immortal Mine, however, can be used to forge Mysterious Rank Treasures!

The value of a Sixth Grade Immortal Mine is absolutely higher than many Common Rank Treasures and even some Yellow Grade Treasures!

Seeing a Sixth Grade Immortal Mine, it's natural for everyone to choose it directly!

"Over there, the Dragon Ripple Holy Fruit!"

Array Sound quickly took away the golden fruit, the size of a fist.

By his side, Immortal Bi Yue shook her head slightly. She had spotted the Dragon Ripple Holy Fruit at first glance. Had she been the first to choose, she would have definitely chosen the Dragon Ripple Holy Fruit first.

Dragon Ripple Holy Fruit, containing the power of the Divine Dragon, was of immense benefit to her, even if taken directly, not to mention its various uses in Alchemy and more!

Of course, she didn't intend to consume the Dragon Ripple Holy Fruit herself, but rather to feed it to a little dragon.

The people of the Five Sounds Sect chose for a long time and finally picked five items before their eyes fell upon the Treasures.

Soon, their gaze settled on three of the Treasures.

Though it's the Reversal Mini Epoch Period, and Treasures can only unleash power at the limit of the Golden Core Period or might not be able to fully display their power at all!

Yet the brilliance of these three Treasures was clearly much more dazzling than the others.

"Mysterious Rank Treasures!"

Cao Zhen marveled in his heart. This was only the weakest Sect Tribulation, and among the treasures bestowed by the Heavenly Dao, there were three Mysterious Rank Treasures. It was just unknown whether they were Upper-grade Profound Level, Middle-Rank Mystical Level, or Lower Profound Grade Treasures.

After all, he had only glanced from a distance, and the people of the Five Sounds Sect had already taken the Treasures away, so he couldn't make an accurate judgment.

After selecting these three Treasures, the people of the Five Sounds Sect began to slowly choose other Treasures.

One by one, the Treasures were picked up by the people of the Five Sounds Sect.

Gradually, the people of the Five Sounds Sect had taken ten Treasures.

Suddenly, one person's gaze fell on a pair of winged Treasures.

This winged Treasure appeared to be much thicker than the silver wing and orange wing Treasures of Cao Zhen, but it seemed to be missing almost half at this point.

Ling Xi's gaze couldn't help but land on these wings, full of curiosity: "This clearly looks like a Treasure descended by the Heavenly Dao, so how could it be damaged?"

Immortal Bi Yue knew that Ling Xi and the others came from the Eastern Wasteland and had limited experience, so she voluntarily explained: "Nobody knows why the treasures bestowed by the Heavenly Dao would be damaged. Perhaps these treasures were originally collected by the Heavenly Dao from somewhere else, hence they could be damaged, or maybe, there was an accident as the Treasure descended from beyond the Ninth Heaven. In any case, after each Great Teaching survives a Sect Tribulation, among the treasures descended by the Heavenly Dao, there are always a few damaged ones.

As for these damaged Treasures, how should I put it?

Some repaired Treasures can be extremely powerful indeed, but repairing them is really difficult. After all, no one knows the methods of refining these Treasures."

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Moreover, there is also a possibility that even after the treasure is repaired, it may not reach its previous efficacy. Overall, choosing these damaged treasures involves some element of risk, and the probability of selecting extremely powerful treasures is not high."

As the words of Immortal Bi Yue fell, the individual from the Five Sounds Sect still shook his head and then put down the feather.

Gradually, the people of the Five Sounds Sect finally finished selecting twenty treasures.

At this time, counting the damaged feather, there were only nine treasures left.

Array Sound quickly turned to Cao Zhen and others with a clasped fist saying, "Gentlemen, it's now time for you to choose treasures. As for who will choose first, you can decide among yourselves."

As his words fell, the people around them invariably turned their gaze towards Cao Zhen and Xiang Ziyu, without a doubt, the ones who contributed the most were Cao Zhen and Xiang Ziyu, and the difference was quite distinct!

The Sect Hierarchy of the Cloud Reaching Sect took a step back and said, "During the previous Heavenly Tribulation, everyone could see that Taoist Xiang and Cao were the most contributive. They should choose first."

Zhu Jian immediately nodded in agreement: "I have no objections."

"I have no objections either. However, whether Cao or Xiang Ziyu chooses first, I'm not the one to decide."

"I'm also not sure, but since Cao and Taoist Xiang are master and disciple, let them decide for themselves. Let's choose the third person."

"The third person, Immortal Bi Yue would be more appropriate."

Apart from Cao Zhen and Xiang Ziyu, indeed, Immortal Bi Yue was the one who contributed the most, especially with her fast speed, always providing support everywhere.

The fourth to choose would be Baijie.

It's not that Baijie is stronger than the Sect Hierarchy of the Cloud Reaching Sect and others, but under severe consumption, Baijie and Tongxin could still use the Combined Attack Technique.

Following Baijie were the Cloud Reaching Sect Hierarchy and Zhu Jian.

The seventh was Ling Xi, who had recently achieved the limit of the Golden Core Period.

The eighth went to Tongxin, and following with the ninth went to Yan Yourong.

Similarly, Tongxin's contribution was considered greater than Yan Yourong's because of using the Combined Attack Technique with Baijie.

As for Jiu Yin, due to her significant error earlier, being distracted in battle and nearly jeopardizing everyone, she ended up being the last one to choose, although she was at the limit of the Golden Core Period.

Jiu Yin was also aware of how serious her previous mistake was, so she did not argue.

Once everyone had made their choices, Xiang Ziyu turned to Yan Yourong and said, "Senior sister, let's swap spots. You and master choose first; I'll choose last."

"Huh?" Yan Yourong was momentarily stunned and asked in confusion, "Why do you suddenly want to swap with me?"

"Because what I want to choose is different from everyone else, I am certain no one will compete with me for it. It doesn't matter if I choose first or last, so you go ahead, senior sister."

Xiang Ziyu looked seriously at his senior sister, feeling that there really was no need for him to choose first. As the protagonist, he was bound to choose last anyway.

As for why not let the eldest sister choose, it's because he knew that if he let her choose, in the end, she would definitely let the second sister choose. It would be better to directly let the second sister choose.

Though there were not many rules set within Four Treasures Peak, within their sect, there had always been a tradition of seniors letting juniors choose first.

Cao Zhen and the others, upon hearing this, instantly understood what Xiang Ziyu was up to. Clearly, Xiang Ziyu was going to choose those rare and unusual items again.

Cao Zhen was truly impressed.

Normally, within his Immortal Sect, when Xiang Ziyu chose Divine Weapons or Cultivation Techniques, choosing some damaged ones was still acceptable, since, after all, it was their own Immortal Sect—the remaining treasures would still be within their sect.

But what about now?

This situation involved choosing treasures from someone else's Great Teaching. Haphazardly choosing and picking a damaged item that turned out to be useless would simply be advantageous to others.

One is about not letting the water flow into outsiders' fields, and the other is about letting all the water flow into outsiders' fields. Are they the same?

Moreover, this is after passing the Sect Tribulation and the rewards bestowed by the Heavenly Dao, opportunities like this should be cherished!

If it were the earlier days when he had just cross-transported, he would have seriously educated Xiang Ziyu. But now...

After so many years, he knew that no matter what he advised or said, Xiang Ziyu wouldn't heed him.

Xiang Ziyu, that guy continuously hypnotizes himself, convinced that he is indeed the protagonist, akin to a patient that even the ICU has given up on; further words would be useless.

Meanwhile, the rest of the people listening to Xiang Ziyu's words couldn't help but show a look of envy. This was a reward from the Heavenly Dao, and Xiang Ziyu was giving this opportunity to his senior sister, exhibiting such a magnanimous spirit and love among the disciples!

The Sect Hierarchy of the Cloud Reaching Sect couldn't help but let a smile appear on his face, clearly showing that Xiang Ziyu was not a blade of selfishness, and having observed the dao of their Cloud Reaching Sect, Xiang Ziyu would surely remember the kindness of the Cloud Reaching Sect.

However, Jiu Yin had an odd look on her face. Why would Xiang Ziyu give this opportunity to his senior sister? Even with the loving relationship among disciples, it shouldn't be the case.

Could it be that there's something between Xiang Ziyu and his senior sister?

But then, why wasn't it the other senior sister? Could it be that Xiang Ziyu doesn't like the elder one?

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Jiu Yin looked down at herself, a trace of worry appearing on her face.

Cao Zhen, having heard that Xiang Ziyu had given up his opportunity to Yan Yourong, turned his gaze toward Ling Xi and said, "Alright, Ling Xi, you and your junior sister select first. I just acquired two Treasures, and I am not lacking in them; let's exchange one with you, my disciple."

"But Master..." Ling Xi did not agree outright, yet beside her, Immortal Bi Yue gently supported Ling Xi's shoulder and smiled, "Alright, since your master has said to let you choose first, you should go ahead and choose. Your master is not short of Treasures.

Besides, if you don't have a suitable Treasure, your master will have to find you one. Then, it would actually trouble your master more, so it's better to choose one now."

If it were one of Cao Zhen's other disciples, she might not have said much, but to this gentle, obedient, and sensible Senior Disciple, she indeed held genuine affection.

Ling Xi, hearing this, realized her master was a Great Ability reincarnate, and he must have many treasure vaults left, surely containing Treasures suitable for him.

Moreover, the master treated his disciples exceedingly well. If she did not choose a suitable Treasure, the master would surely devise a way to refine one for her, which would instead delay the master's cultivation.

In that case, it would be better to choose a Treasure first.

"Thank you, Master, then this disciple will choose alongside my junior sister." Saying this, she hesitated slightly and looked at Immortal Bi Yue, whispering, "You come with us too."

Under normal circumstances, one would select Treasures one by one.

However, Ling Xi and Yan Yourong, being from the same Sect, naturally had no issues with selecting together. And the third person to choose after them was Immortal Bi Yue, whose relationship with Cao Zhen seemed to allow her to join the selection without any problems.

Furthermore, since the people choosing had no objections, others naturally couldn't object either.

Moreover, the three of them selecting together would save time, allowing them to pick out Treasures faster.

"Alright, let's choose together then." The smile on Immortal Bi Yue's face widened as she pointed to two Treasures, "First, take a look at those two Treasures."

Now that the Five Sounds Sect members had selected, nine Treasures remained here, among which two were Common High Grade Treasures. The rest were either Common Mid Grade or Common Low Grade. Immortal Bi Yue was pointing to the two Common High Grade Treasures.

Although she agreed to choose together, could she really compete with Cao Zhen's disciples for a Treasure?

After all, Cao Zhen's disciples would eventually become her own disciples too; it would be unreasonable to compete with her own disciples for Treasures!

Ling Xi, upon hearing this, shook her head gently and then turned to gaze at a large apricot-yellow flag, whispering, "I choose this Formation Map."

If there were Talismans here, she would certainly have chosen a Talisman first, but since there were none, she decided to go with the next best thing, the Formation Map.

Even though the two items were Common High Grade Treasures and this flag was a Common Mid Grade Treasure, she believed the one that suited her was the best.

Besides, once she had made her choice, the remaining two people were her own acquaintances; they would probably pick the Common High Grade Treasures, and in the end, they wouldn't lose out.

Without realizing it, she had already started to consider Immortal Bi Yue as one of her own.

Not far away, Baijie saw Ling Xi's choice and couldn't help but shake his head gently. His target was also that flag.

After all, there would be three people choosing before him, and he felt that they wouldn't miss the Common High Grade Treasures no matter what. Apart from those, his target was among the three remaining Common Mid Grade Treasures, the Formation Map being of the most interest to him.

Unfortunately, before he could choose, that Common Mid Grade Treasure had already been selected by another.

Beside him, Mana surged from within Yan Yourong, covering the two Treasures.

Although the Treasures nowadays could not exert their full might, and some of them were beyond their control and usage, they could still sense the essence of the Treasures.

Soon, a look of joy appeared on Yan Yourong's face.

She reached out and a square seal rose into the air, landing in her hand.

Yan Yourong said with a smile, "I choose this Treasure!"

She could feel the Five Elements Power contained within this Treasure, making it the most suitable one for her, and also one of the two highest-grade remaining Treasures after the Five Sounds Sect members had finished choosing.

Immortal Bi Yue, seeing that the two had finished choosing, did not hesitate and grabbed the last blue Longsword remaining in her hand.

The fourth to choose, Baijie, shook his head lightly; he knew that the others would not leave a Common High Grade Treasure for him.

He would have to make a choice from the remaining two Common Mid Grade Treasures.

After obtaining the Treasure, Immortal Bi Yue extended her hand and handed the Sharp Sword to Cao Zhen, her smile charming, "For you."

Behind them, Baijie, who was still selecting Treasures, suddenly stumbled, while Sect Hierarch Zhu Jian and the leader of the Cloud Reaching Sect, who were waiting, displayed obvious twitches on their faces.

That was a Common High Grade Treasure, and she was giving it away just like that?

Even if she belonged to the Dragon Chant Sect, and even if her elder family members were wealthy, wasn't she being too generous?!

Chapter 1257:

Cao Zhen was stunned for a moment: "You don't want it? This..."

"I have my own treasures, and I certainly can't wield a sword. Since you use one, you should take it."

As Immortal Bi Yue spoke, she directly stuffed the sharp sword into Cao Zhen's hand, and she stepped forward, whispering into Cao Zhen's ear: "Besides, what you've given me is already more than enough, just that one Divine Skill alone is worth far more than this treasure."

Her words were the truth. The value of that Divine Skill could not be measured by any mortal-ranked treasure.

Didn't the people from the Five Sounds Sect say, they wouldn't allow the selection of Divine Thoughts, and that they would keep all the Divine Thoughts for themselves? Among those, there would certainly be Divine Skills, but she was certain that even the Divine Skills bestowed by the Heavenly Dao as rewards wouldn't compare to the Divine Skills taught to her by Cao Zhen.

How many Sect Tribulations has their Dragon Chant Sect gone through? Although she herself had not experienced a Sect Tribulation, wouldn't her master, her seniors tell her about it?

She was very clear that the Divine Skills bestowed by the lowest level of Sect Tribulations could never match the Eight Nine Mysterious Art that Cao Zhen had given her!

Cao Zhen looked at the longsword in his hand, and for some reason, felt like he was being kept.

Moreover, this longsword, he could feel was filled with the aura of thunder. Upon reaching the Earth Immortal Realm, if he used this longsword to cast the Five-thunder Righteous Method spell, he could maximize the might of the Five-thunder Righteous Method, which was precisely the treasure he needed.

Soon, Baijie had already chosen his treasure, which was a copper mirror, while the Cloud Reaching Sect Hierarch made an even quicker decision, directly picking the remaining common mid-grade treasure.

At this point, there were only five treasures left, among which were four common low-grade treasures and one damaged treasure.

The target for Zhu Jian was these four common low-grade treasures.

He hesitated among these four treasures, and eventually took a flute treasure, perhaps because the flute somewhat resembled a sword in appearance.

After Zhu Jian, it was originally Ling Xi's turn, but Cao Zhen had previously exchanged turns with Ling Xi, so now Cao Zhen, holding a treasure, once again began to choose.

However, the remaining treasures didn't seem particularly suitable for him.

"A treasure of the power of yin... This is a treasure of the power of water. Even a flame treasure would be good, I could bring it back to Yi Sheng... This one is of no use either..."

Cao Zhen's mana passed over each treasure, and he shook his head in resignation.

In the end, his gaze fell upon the damaged sword treasure. The damage to this sword treasure was quite severe, and he couldn't even determine what rank the treasure was.

Perhaps, Xiang Ziyu will choose this feather-wing treasure soon.

Thinking of Xiang Ziyu's style, and out of curiosity, Cao Zhen also directed his mana onto this feather-wing treasure.

The next moment, a strange expression suddenly appeared on his face.

Chaotic Power!

He actually sensed a trace of Chaotic Power within this feather-wing.

This Chaotic Power was much weaker than what he had previously obtained from the Chaos Beads given by Old Man Wu Shuang, so much weaker that if he hadn't come into contact with Chaotic Power before, if he hadn't handled the Chaos Beads, he might not even have noticed this power.

Chaotic Power, that's an existence even more rare than the forces of Yin and Yang.

Now that he has seen a pair of wings imbued with Chaotic Power, even though these wings are severely damaged, he would certainly choose this pair of wings.

Unexpectedly, this time as he helped the Five Sounds Sect through their Heavenly Tribulation, he would actually come across such a gain.

Cao Zhen suppressed the excitement in his heart, without a change in his expression, he raised his hand and with a suction, drew the wings into his hand, and said to the crowd, "I feel, recently I have a connection with winged treasures, so I choose this pair of winged Treasure."

"Wings?"

The crowd exchanged looks of surprise, the winged Treasure was too badly damaged; why would Cao Zhen choose this winged Treasure?

The members of the Five Sounds Sect also cast their glances over.

Cao Zhen, after all, is someone who has reached the Golden Core Period Limit with a Nine Abnormal Phenomenon Golden Pills, and even his disciple has reached the Golden Core Period Limit with a Nine Abnormal Phenomenon Golden Pills; another one of his disciples has now reached the Golden Core Period Limit as well.

Such a person certainly wouldn't randomly pick a Treasure, could it be that there's something about this Treasure that they haven't noticed?

Xiang Ziyu, seeing his master choose a damaged Treasure, revealed a look of satisfaction, and loudly said: "Master, you have grown. Truly worthy of being the master of the protagonist, knowing to choose such treasures."

He felt that his master was influenced by him, and now even seemed to have absorbed some of his protagonist's luck.

Otherwise, how could his master have just come to the Eastern Province and been embraced by a woman with a background as strong as Immortal Bi Yue, with high natural talent and such stunning beauty?

Otherwise, how could his master have gone to an ancient relic and obtained the best Treasure inside?

Now his master has again chosen the kind of Treasure that he, the protagonist, would pick, surely because his master was influenced by him, possessing a small part of his protagonist's luck!

Meanwhile, Immortal Bi Yue, out of curiosity, sent a private telepathic message to Cao Zhen to inquire: "Why did you choose those damaged wings? Is there something special about them?"

"Indeed there's something special," Cao Zhen responded telepathically, "Inside these wings, there is Chaotic Power!"

"What!" Immortal Bi Yue almost cried out in shock, she couldn't remain calm upon hearing about Chaotic Power, even with her impressive background, "Inside there's actually Chaotic Power... the Five Sounds Sect, they've made a huge loss! They didn't realize this is a Treasure possessing Chaotic Power!"

But that's also expected, now that we are in the Minor Era of Inversion of Heaven and Earth, they must have never encountered Chaotic Power. How could they possibly detect Chaotic Power.

However, if it were a normal period, the experts from their Great Teaching would be around, and they definitely wouldn't have missed out on this Treasure. But if it were a normal period, they wouldn't have allowed us to come and help them with the Heavenly Tribulation either."

Cao Zhen nodded slightly, he also realized that the Reversal Mini Epoch Period was really too favorable for him, it's truly a great period for spotting opportunities!

After a brief pause, he continued to send a private telepathic message to Immortal Bi Yue: "Actually, after I excavated the living tomb of Old Man Wu Shuang, from Old Man Wu Shuang's living tomb, I also got a bead that contains an even richer Chaotic Power!"

As the words fell, Immortal Bi Yue went silent for a moment.

After a long while, the voice of Immortal Bi Yue sounded within his mind: "Next time you dig up a living tomb, take me with you!"

Even though it was a private telepathic message, her voice was emphatic, word by word!

Chapter 1258:

After Cao Zhen selected the treasures, only the last two items of Mortal Rank remained, among which one was a Yin Breath Treasure. Tongxin did not choose it in advance to sell it to Jiu Yin at a high price. She then picked the other treasure.

Jiu Yin watched as Xiang Ziyu, who exchanged places with Yan Yourong, went forward to choose a treasure. Jiu Yin sighed helplessly in her heart. Xiang Ziyu cultivated Yin Yang Qi, and that piece of treasure would also be useful for him.

Moreover, it was the only piece of treasure left. Even if Xiang Ziyu had not cultivated Yin Yang Qi, he would still have chosen that piece.

She felt she really suffered a significant loss in this Heavenly Tribulation, as she couldn't even acquire any treasure.

Jiu Yin sighed in her heart, but suddenly, a voice came from beside her.

"I took a bit long choosing the treasure. Never mind, you go ahead and choose first."

Jiu Yin turned her head in astonishment, looking at Xiang Ziyu's indifferent face filled with surprise.

Xiang Ziyu was actually letting her choose first.

Although it was just one place difference, but there was only one treasure left. If she took it, what would he have?

It was understandable if he let Yan Yourong choose, considering they were senior sister and junior brother, but why let her?

Was he directly giving a treasure to her?

Why would he give it to her?

Could it be?

In that instant, Jiu Yin thought about many possibilities.

On the side, the members of the Five Sounds Sect, and Cloud Reaching Sect Hierarchy, among others, also showed surprise on their faces. Xiang Ziyu letting Jiu Yin choose first was akin to giving the treasure to someone else directly!

Xiang Ziyu and Jiu Yin had no relationship; this was...

Cao Zhen, Ling Xi, and Yan Yourong were also slightly surprised, then they also figured it out. It seemed normal for Xiang Ziyu to do this; he was uncertain what to choose and really didn't know much about how long he would take.

Moreover, Xiang Ziyu definitely wouldn't choose the remaining treasure, so simply letting Jiu Yin choose first was not a problem.

Thinking about the previous complaints by Bei Yan and Cao Zhen regarding how slow Xiang Ziyu chose treasures, the three of them even sat down cross-legged to begin the circulation of their Cultivation Technique, recuperating their injuries and restoring their energy.

They had helped with the Heavenly Tribulation for a day and night, their energy continuously tense, and their exhaustion was significant by the end. Even using various talismans didn't restore as much Mana as at the start due to their great consumption.

Now that the great battle had ended, they definitely needed to recuperate properly.

Although Bi Yue was unfamiliar with Xiang Ziyu, seeing that Cao Zhen and others sat down cross-legged, she also sat down in the same manner and began meditating to resume her cultivation.

Xiang Ziyu, seeing that Jiu Yin still remained stationary like a clueless goose after he spoke, felt helpless inside.

I already let you choose, why aren't you selecting anything?

Do you want to be the last one to choose, like me?

Don't you know, only the protagonist can be the last to choose?

You also wish to be the last one? Wishful thinking!

He had to prompt her again: "Aren't you going to choose?"

Upon hearing Xiang Ziyu's voice again, Jiu Yin finally snapped out of her scattered thoughts. She turned to look at Xiang Ziyu, confirming again, "Are you really letting me choose first?"

"Yes, I'm letting you choose first, aren't you going to choose?" Xiang Ziyu's face showed impatience, wondering if this woman's mind wasn't working properly.

He had already let her choose first, why wasn't she choosing yet?

What, must she be ranked behind him, letting him choose all day before her turn?

Jiu Yin, sensing Xiang Ziyu's impatience, quickly responded, "Alright, I'll choose now."

As she spoke, she extended her hand to grab the last treasure from mid-air. After obtaining the treasure, she immediately turned back to look at Xiang Ziyu, thanking him, "Thank you, Senior Brother Xiang, for your generosity. Senior Brother Xiang, you have also cultivated Yin Yang Qi. Our Yin Yang Sect also cultivates Yin Yang Qi. If you have the time, you should come visit our Yin Yang Sect."

Xiang Ziyu didn't answer her. While Jiu Yin began to levitate to pick the item, Xiang Ziyu had already turned around, starting his search for the real treasures meant for the 'protagonist'!

Xiang Ziyu looked at each treasure, shaking his head while inspecting them.

"This won't do..."

"This one is too ordinary!"

"This... is too common..."

"This one isn't much either..."

Surrounding people watched as Xiang Ziyu shook his head while searching for treasures, becoming more incredulous. If he disliked these treasures so much, why did he let Jiu Yin have a chance? Why didn't he choose directly?

Could it be...

Xiang Ziyu had his eyes on Jiu Yin?

But, wasn't the cost too high then? Giving away a treasure directly!

The more Xiang Ziyu looked, the more disappointed he became. He had observed these items before, noticing some peculiar items, but now upon checking, none of these odd items were particularly special.

There weren't so many damaged items here.

Seems like this time, a meticulous and careful selection is necessary.

People initially watched Xiang Ziyu choosing the treasures, but gradually, their looks turned more and more puzzled. Why was Xiang Ziyu checking everything?

After a while, people finally realized why Cao Zhen and the others had sat down early to meditate; Xiang Ziyu was taking an exceptionally long time to choose.

Chapter 1259:

Gradually, the Sect Hierarchy of the Cloud Reaching Sect and the others also took their seats and began to recover.

Array Sound looked at the seated crowd, then glanced at Xiang Ziyu, who was still making his selection, his face filled with a sense of helplessness. What kind of situation was this?

You want to pick slowly, that's fine, but aren't you picking way too slowly?

Could it be that selecting a treasure could take an entire day?

You are here selecting treasures now, and we simply cannot put the treasures away.

After all, what the Five Sounds Sect had promised was, after they had selected twenty treasures, the remaining ones would be chosen by others. Currently, as Xiang Ziyu had not finished selecting the treasures, theoretically any of the remaining items could potentially be chosen by him. Hence, until Xiang Ziyu finished his selection, they truly couldn't take those items away!

Thankfully, Xiang Ziyu didn't take a whole day; he only took from dawn until midnight, picking until the sky darkened before he finally chose his item.

It was a piece of Immortal Mine.

The reason he chose that particular Immortal Mine was that it had a mark on it made by a bolt of lightning.

Choosing a treasure as an Immortal, his reasons were indeed quite peculiar!

Other people would either pick what's right or what's expensive, but he did not pick what's right, only what's odd.

Finally, the people from the Five Sounds Sect could take away all the treasures.

The crowd did not leave immediately, as they needed to recuperate.

That night, Cao Zhen returned to the courtyard he had been staying in before, where he rested while contacting Yi Sheng through the China Cloud. After making an inquiry, he learned that the Eastern Wasteland was still moving forward at its usual pace, and they were still very far away from the mist.

Only the experts at the Golden Core Stage could see the mist. Those below the Golden Core Stage, with their vision, couldn't even see the mist.

That mist was not ordinary in its expanse; this proved that they were still a long way from connecting to the Eastern Province. Cao Zhen felt at ease with this information.

After another day of recuperation, they bid farewell to the people from the Five Sounds Sect.

Cao Zhen initially wanted to take his own disciple to the southern part of the Eastern Province, but Immortal Bi Yue insisted on following Cao Zhen. With Bi Yue following, Yu Long and his thirty or so members of the Dragon Chant Sect also wanted to come along.

This didn't surprise Cao Zhen; what did surprise him was Jiu Yin's intentions?

Aboard the Flying Boat, Cao Zhen looked at Jiu Yin, who was snugly by Xiang Ziyu's side, with a perplexed expression, then looked at Immortal Bi Yue next to him, wanting to ask if the women of the Eastern Province were all so bold?

Even compared to Jiu Yin, Bi Yue was more reserved. This Jiu Yin had actually gone to Xiang Ziyu and directly stated she wanted to dual cultivate with him!

"No, stop following me," Zi Yu said with a headache looking at Jiu Yin trailing behind him. "I've told you many times already, I'm not interested in women.

I'm only interested in cultivation. What's that? That's also cultivation? Then I'm no longer interested in cultivation either.

I know I am the protagonist. I'm very charming, but you should know, as the protagonist, lots of women will like me by destiny. Jiu Yin, this is meaningless for you, don't waste your time on me.

Women will only affect the speed of my sword draw!"

"What? I don't use a sword? Then women will affect the speed at which I draw my sword!"

No matter what Zi Yu said, Jiu Yin was fixated on him, determined to stick by his side.

Unexpectedly, Immortal Bi Yue admired Jiu Yin's forthrightness and then left Zi Yu be.

"Let it be, if you must follow, follow. After all, that is also a presence at the limit of the Golden Core Stage; one more person gives us additional strength." Cao Zhen decided not to bother with these issues, instead, he returned to his own room and started to contact Yi Sheng again.

Before long, the image of Yi Sheng appeared in his sight. This time, Yi Sheng was neither on Four Treasures Peak nor near any spring or lake, but on a Flying Boat.

"Yi Sheng, why are you on the Flying Boat? And all these people around you, these are the Disciples of Hundred Peaks Sect, where are you guys heading?"

Cao Zhen was surprised to see a group of Disciples of Hundred Peaks Sect inside the Flying Boat.

Yi Sheng wouldn't normally leave Hundred Peaks Sect so casually.

"Master, you finally contacted me!" Yi Sheng immediately responded upon hearing his master's voice. "Master, just yesterday evening, something strange happened. For some reason, our Eastern Wasteland, as well as East Breeze and the Eastern Border, and other large domains, suddenly accelerated their speed flying towards the white mist.

Previously, those below the Golden Core Stage couldn't see the mist, but overnight, as dawn broke, even those at the Core Formation Stage could see the mist.freewebnovel.com

At this rate, we might connect with the mist very soon. Therefore, we are now rushing towards the mist with the greatest speed."

"What! How is our Eastern Wasteland dealing with this now?"

Cao Zhen hadn't expected that when he contacted Yi Sheng yesterday noon, everything was still fine, but by evening, an unexpected event had occurred.

Yi Sheng's face showed a determined expression: "The major Immortal Sects of our Eastern Wasteland have discussed this. Now, each major Immortal Sect is sending out experts to head to Desolate Cold Country, as we need to stand guard at the place closest to the mist.

If any power attempts to attack our Eastern Wasteland, we will fight to the last drop of our blood!"

Desolate Cold Country is the northernmost country of the Eastern Wasteland, home to only one sect, the Falling Frost Sect.

But relying solely on the Falling Frost Sect, one sect naturally cannot withstand potential attacks from the Eastern Province.

Chapter 1260:

Once the major powers of the Eastern Province start wreaking havoc in the Eastern Wasteland, by then, each Immortal Sect will be fighting on their own, making it very difficult to resist the others. Therefore, after consultation among the Immortal Sects, a unanimous decision was made to each send their top experts to the Desolate Cold Country to guard the very forefront!

"Good, your teacher already knows. Now, I am hurrying towards the south of the Eastern Province at the greatest speed—that is the place that connects to our Eastern Province."

After hastily cutting off the connection with Yi Sheng, Cao Zhen swiftly left the room and shouted to the people: "Full speed ahead, right now our Eastern Wasteland is rapidly approaching the Eastern Province!"

As soon as his words fell, the faces of everyone aboard the Flying Boat immediately tightened.

However, Jiu Yin looked utterly bewildered. What thing? What and what? What does he mean by our Eastern Wasteland? What is that? Approaching the Eastern Province? Oh, right, it seems they said, some remote areas are to be connected to the Central Five Provinces.

The Eastern Wasteland is a remote area?

But why did Cao Zhen say 'our Eastern Wasteland'?

Jiu Yin only knew that some places were to be connected to the Eastern Province, but she never really cared about it. The connection of those remote areas to the Central Five Provinces had no effect on her; she might as well pay more attention to where relics appeared than concern herself with these matters.

As she pondered in confusion, she turned to look at Immortal Bi Yue beside her and asked curiously, "Immortal Bi Yue, what is going on?"

Immortal Bi Yue was naturally not her teacher, but Xiang Ziyu was Cao Zhen's Disciple, so that's how she addressed her.

Immortal Bi Yue was very satisfied with Jiu Yin's title for her, but at this moment, she also said with a serious expression, "Since you have come along, and the Eastern Wasteland will soon be connected to our Eastern Province, it doesn't hurt to tell you. You should know about the Eastern Wasteland, right?"

"I don't know." Jiu Yin shook her head and asked softly, "Is it those remote places outside the realm that are to be connected to our Central Five Provinces?"

"Exactly, those places." Bi Yue said and glanced at Cao Zhen, explaining softly, "Aren't you all very curious why you never heard of the Hundred Peaks Sect, from which Cao Zhen and Xiang Ziyu claim to come?"

"Yes." Jiu Yin nodded, "I know, many people are inquiring about the Hundred Peaks Sect, but no one has ever heard of it."

"Naturally, you haven't heard about the Hundred Peaks Sect, because the Hundred Peaks Sect comes from the Eastern Wasteland! They are not from an Immortal Sect of the Eastern Province at all. Cao Zhen and his Disciples are all from the Eastern Wasteland."

"What!" Jiu Yin suddenly exclaimed, with wide eyes, "How is that possible! I may not know much about those remote territories beyond our realm, but I do know that they are not supposed to be able to reach us, they..."

Immortal Bi Yue explained, "Don't be so surprised, nothing is impossible, and obviously, you really don't know much about those places. In fact, it is not that those places cannot reach our Eastern Province, nor that the people in our Eastern Province cannot reach the territories of the Eastern Wasteland, it's just more troublesome. However, one must travel at specific times. And Cao Zhen and others, they found a special passageway, so they directly reached our Eastern Province."

"No, I am not surprised about that." Jiu Yin expressed her amazement, "They are already so strong. Including Ling Xi, the Hundred Peaks Sect should have three individuals at the Golden Core Period Limit, right? That number is as many as our Yin Yang Sect. Such a strong force actually comes from a remote territory beyond our realm? Can that even be considered a remote territory?"

Especially Cao Zhen and Xiang Ziyu, with their Nine Abnormal Phenomenon Golden Pills reaching the Golden Core Period Limit, such existences are not even found in our Eastern Province. Does this imply that the Eastern Wasteland is stronger than the Eastern Province?

How could that be possible!

"Indeed, now that you mention it, even I am quite astonished. However, in the entire Eastern Wasteland, only Cao Zhen and Xiang Ziyu could reach the Nine Abnormal Phenomenon Golden Pills and become individuals at the Golden Core Period Limit.

Also, I heard from them that currently, in the whole Eastern Wasteland, only they two along with Ling Xi are individuals at the Golden Core Period Limit. It's just that their Hundred Peaks Sect, or rather, the people from their sect, are comparatively stronger."

"I can accept that a bit more, but how come they are so strong..."

While Bi Yue and Jiu Yin were conversing, Cao Zhen had already made contact through the China Cloud with Duo Duo.

Duo Duo and several others had set off to the southern part of the Eastern Province when they were aiding the Five Sounds Sect during their Heavenly Tribulation.

As soon as Cao Zhen connected with Duo Duo, he didn't wait for her to speak and directly said, "Duo Duo, listen to me, right now, our Eastern Wasteland is quickly approaching the Eastern Province, and the time the Eastern Wasteland connects to the Eastern Province might be much earlier than we anticipated. Don't wait for us now, go ahead at full strength towards the south of the Eastern Province, we'll meet up in the Eastern Wasteland!"

"Yes, Master, I understand!"

Duo Duo's expression immediately became grave, speaking earnestly, although she was from the Central Continent, she had fled from there to the Eastern Wasteland when she was very young. Having grown up in the Eastern Wasteland, she felt a deep connection to it.

Duo Duo quickly relayed Cao Zhen's words to everyone else.

Instantly, everyone became anxious.

They drove the Flying Boat even more forcefully, speeding towards the south of the Eastern Province as swiftly as possible.

The extreme southern end of the Eastern Province, being close to the endless sea and also being on the frontier of the Eastern Province, was regarded as a remote area within the whole of the Eastern Province.