

Nine-Dragon 561

Chapter 561: Killing Bai Zhe

As Bai Zhe glanced over, he could see that Su Yu's palm had not stopped bleeding. Su Yu had clearly been badly injured.

However, Su Yu was oddly calm. "Hehe. Whether you are able to kill me is still undetermined, as it could really go both ways. However, your dearest son will definitely die at my hands today!"

As soon as Su Yu finished speaking, he yelled softly, "Slash!"

As if on cue, the three little golden blades that were previously snatched by Bai Zhe suddenly freed themselves through a burst of Vital Energy. To prevent the golden blades from being snatched, Su Yu had imbued them with a stream of Vital Energy earlier on. As such, he was now able deliver an attack on his enemies unexpectedly!

Bai Yijian's facial expression changed drastically, as he stared angrily at Su Yu, as if he was about to explode. "No!" he shouted.

Bai Zhe's face also darkened. The distance between him and the blades was too close for him to have time to enact any protective barrier!

Zoom.

After a soft, whizzing sound, Bai Zhe's heart was penetrated. Thereafter, a golden light flashed by close to his neck. Another blade had circled around his neck and sliced it off!

The final golden blade pierced through his skull, which then fell to the ground. Bai Zhe was dead, so there was no saving him now!

"My son! Zhe!" Bai Yijian let out a loud cry, as killing intent filled his eyes quickly. It was as if he had turned into an angry spirit!

"I will tear you apart!" Bai Yijian let out a low growl, sounding almost like a wild beast.

Su Yu replied coolly, "You had no qualms with killing other people mercilessly. However, now that it is your son's turn to be killed, do you think you deserve to be angry?"

"I do not care. I will tear you apart!" Bai Yijian growled yet again, this time in a louder, more deafening tone.

A thunder sword suddenly appeared within Su Yu's palm. It was covered in green thunderbolts and emanated a terrifying aura!

The Fairy-level White-Eyed Fire Glass Frog within the underground lava must have been killed by the identical Cosmos Thunder Sword! Although his Vital Energy was insufficient for him to conjure a sword with this equal level of power, he still had a single Vital Energy Crystal's worth of energy. As such, the might of that would still be significant!

"Be careful!" Bai Qi barely had enough time to remind Bai Yijian, who seemed to have lost his mind.

However, based on Su Yu's calculations, it did not matter if Bai Yijian had lost his mind or not. Even if he had not, he would surely not be able to dodge such an attack! Su Yu blew Vital Energy into the Cosmos Thunder Sword and stroked it through the air!

Rumble...

It was as if a thunderbolt had just travelled by! At the same time, a bright white light flashed, while a humongous wave of sword energy cut through the space!

Bai Yijian could not defend himself in time, as the sword energy instantly hit him. As he cried out in pain, his chest was cut open. Flesh and blood were spilling out in all directions, and his entire body was roasted to a black hue by the high temperature of the thunderbolt.

A single strike from the sword had caused him such severe injuries! However, the injured Bai Yijian immediately retrieved a medicinal pill and shoved it into his mouth.

His body started recovering at a shocking pace. In the blink of an eye, his body had fully recovered to its original state!

Other than the mental strain he had experienced, there was no way to tell that he had just been struck by a thunderbolt! The effect of the medicinal pill was similar to that of the Flesh Regeneration Elixir from Zhenlong Continent.

The only difference was that this medicinal pill took effect almost immediately. Hence, its level seemed to be much greater than that of the Flesh Regeneration Elixir!

Su Yu was shocked at first. However, he soon became relieved, as if he understood something...

As he knew that the descendants of the guards had stolen a massive amount of legacies, Su Yu feared that the medicinal pills would have already been all looted by them. Based on the capabilities of Tian Jizi, leaving this kind of medicinal pill behind was nothing to be surprised about.

In this case, the situation had become slightly more complicated, as there was no way of heavily injuring the opponents in a short amount of time. So, it was even harder to kill them!

However, they could not do anything to Su Yu for the time being. So, Su Yu held the Cosmos Thunder Sword in his hand, while the round blue pearl was beneath his feet. Now, he could both attack and defend himself!

Chapter 562: The Arrival of a Puppet

After the amount of time needed for drinking a half cup of tea had passed, the three of them had already fought, exchanging more than a hundred moves. Su Yu had exhausted a huge amount of his Vital Energy and physical strength, and his body was slightly wounded.

Bai Yijian's fate wasn't any better, and he had been struck by Su Yu's Cosmos Thunder Sword. The Ghost King was in particularly bad shape, as he was a ghost, meaning that the thunder had a restrictive effect on him. Because of this, he had sustained much heavier injuries.

They all fought for a while, but they were unable to take each other down...

"You are no match for me, so you should go look for that Real Spirit Kylin. Otherwise, you will fail to accomplish both of your two objectives. Then, don't say that I didn't warn you." Su Yu slightly retreated as he coldly spoke his warning.

Bai Yijian was sobered by his words, as his objective was also to look for that darned small kylin! As such, Bai Yijian hesitated, wondering to himself about his next course of action...

Is avenging my son or leaving the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion more important?

While he was pondering, a mocking voice suddenly transmitted across the space. "Continue fighting! Why did you stop?"

Su Yu was startled by this voice, his complexion immediately becoming quite grave. Then, when he looked at the Ghost King once again, he found that his complexion was also extremely grave, fear even appearing in his eyes.

However, Bai Yijian didn't recognize him, so he coldly shouted at him, "Who's your Excellency? Why are you stealthily hiding there?"

"Hiding? Hehe... I am not hiding! It's just that you were too weak to detect my presence." As the voice spoke, a silver light flit across the opening. Then, a person whose whole body was flickering in silver light gently fell out of it.

After Bai Yijian observed him for a while, he was startled, as he was unexpectedly incapable of sensing the person's aura. There were just two possibilities for the appearance of such a situation.

The first was that he was incapable of detecting his aura because this person's cultivation base vastly surpassed his. The second one was that this person wasn't a human at all.

After he observed him for a while, he became certain that it was the second possibility. This was because, within the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion, Bai Yijian was the only person capable of displaying a power at the Fairy Realm, and he had never once heard his ancestors mentioning this existence, which was clearly just a puppet.

This meant that this puppet most likely came from the outside. As such, Bai Yijian would surely be unmatched when facing this puppet, which should be incapable of displaying its full power here.

His silver glow subsided, revealing a complexion which wasn't any different from that of a real human. He wore silver clothes that fluttered in the wind.

The corners of his mouth displayed a faintly visible evil smile. "Hehe, I'm truly not a human, but just a puppet, and I truly don't have any intention of meddling in your business."

Bai Yijian furrowed his brows, then said, "Then, why did you come here? It's extremely rare for a puppet like you to be able to cultivate its own consciousness, so if you don't want it to be wiped away, quickly leave this place!"

In Bai Yijian's point of view, if this puppet was to recklessly join them, it would be tantamount to their courting their own deaths!

"Hehe, why did I come here? Why don't you ask the two people beside you?" He was obviously the same Silver Puppet that had chased after them from the seventh level of the Divine Pavilion!

At that moment, Su Yu's and the Ghost King's hearts sank. They found themselves unexpectedly cornered by him in this sealed space.

Bai Yijian was inwardly startled by his words, and he squinted his eyes, then asked the pair, “Do you two know him?”

When he saw the pale complexions of Su Yu and the Ghost King, his heart slightly thumped. He had an ominous premonition, so he decisively chose to retreat back to distance himself from the puppet.

However, when he was retreating, the Silver Puppet smiled evilly. “It seems like you have already understood! Since that is the case, you must die.”

Creak!

Boundless and endless blood-red threads suddenly came out of the puppet’s pores, chasing after Bai Yijian like stormy waves that wanted to engulf him. Bai Yijian’s expression changed, as he hurriedly took out a charm in a panic.

The charm burst out, releasing an aura tantamount to that of someone at the Middle Stage of the Fairy Realm. A giant shield then condensed from that charm.

This shield could withstand the attack of someone at the Middle Stage of the Fairy Realm, and it was a magical treasure which Bai Yijian was reluctant to use. However, before Bai Yijian could even relax, this shield burst open, causing a cracking sound to echo throughout the space.

That blood sea, which filled the whole sky, then engulfed him. A miserable wail could be heard coming from it.

That Silver Puppet happily groaned, as if he was thoroughly enjoying all of this. He then exclaimed, “This Fairy Realm tonic is surely extraordinary!”

His silver glow became even more resplendent. There were even signs that his cultivation base, which was at the Later Stage of the Fairy Realm, would soon break through into the Divine Master Realm!

The scene that had just unfolded, a solemn Fairy Realm expert like Bai Yijian having just died without even leaving his corpse or skeleton behind, was truly astounding!

In the aftermath, that Silver Puppet revealed an evil smile and directed his gaze at Su Yu’s body, immediately revealing an even colder smile. The puppet then said, “Lad, you are still incapable of running from me!”

Chapter 563: Dangers Abound

Su Yu’s heart sank. There was nothing worse than what was happening at this moment!

“Give it back! How dare you touch my belongings?” The Silver Puppet extended his hands in a waving motion. Immediately, ten bloody red threads shot out and were headed for Su Yu to take his life!

The Silver Puppet’s actions were beyond barbaric. It seemed to not offer Su Yu any chance at all.

Su Yu’s eyes turned cold. Even before the Silver Puppet could do anything, Su Yu was secretly manipulating the blue pearl.

As danger approached, a bright blue light flashed before him. The blue pearl had shielded him!

The blood threads were unable to pierce through the blue pearl and were immediately deflected. However, before the attack ended, three small golden blades flashed through the space. They then fell from the sky and chopped the ten blood threads into halves.

With a whisking sound, the broken blood threads bounced back into the hands of the Silver Puppet. The Silver Puppet coolly smiled, then said, "Not only did you not beg for forgiveness, you even dared to retaliate!"

Although it is normal for any human being to act instinctively in the face of danger, for someone like Su Yu, fighting back was a conscious decision. This spelled out how clearly Su Yu was not afraid of the puppet!

"If you had not touched something that you rightfully should not have, I might have forgiven you. However, now that you have touched it, I can't possibly let you live!" The Silver Puppet showed a murderous expression on his face.

For some unknown reason, ever since Su Yu had taken the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl, the Silver Puppet had been determined to kill him. In fact, killing Su Yu seemed to be more important to it than retrieving the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl!

"Die!" The Silver Puppet shouted coolly. His entire body was covered in a bloody red hue. That was the result of countless blood threads coming out of his pores!

In that instant, the Silver Puppet looked like a flaming mountain, with trillions of blood threads spewing out from its body!

Su Yu's heart went cold. As he started blowing Vital Energy into the round blue pearl, the round blue pearl immediately shot out a blue-colored light beam, which surrounded Su Yu.

Zoom.

Thereafter, the blue light beam was engulfed by a sea of blood! The endless streams of blood threads were hitting against the light beam, causing bouts of ripples to move across the surface of the light beam.

However, this was only the first wave of blood threads. Thereafter, endless blood threads were coming towards him from the back!

Crack.

Not long after, repeating cracking sounds could be heard coming from the blue light beam. The cracks, which looked like strands of hair, were slowly spreading across the light beam!

Then, a single blood thread that had managed to break in through a crack headed right for Su Yu! Using the small golden blade in his hand, Su Yu quickly chopped it off! However, the blue light beam could not withstand the attacks any longer!

The small crack had slowly enlarged to the size of half of the light beam. In fact, the crack was still getting wider and wider. Now, numerous blood threads were making their ways through the crack!

In one hand, Su Yu held the golden blade, using it to sever the incoming blood threads. In the other hand, he scrunched his fist tightly, causing the air around him to once again concentrate within his palm and continuously compress.

Very soon, a round pitch-black ball the size of a pupil was rotating within Su Yu's palm. It gave off a soft thundering sound, while it rubbed against the air around it. The numerous strands of frightening energy of compression felt as if they would explode!

Simultaneously, Su Yu's blood was dripping from his palm. His hand looked like a mess of blood and flesh!

Also, his entire arm was giving off a cracking sound. It was the sound of his bones breaking apart under the immense pressure.

Just as the Ghost Kind had predicted, his entire left arm could possibly be disabled if he was to forcefully cast the spell a second time. It seemed like his arm was not far from being rendered useless!

Fortunately, Su Yu had some experienced training. Although his physical body was not very strong, he was still much stronger than most of his peers at his level. That was the only reason that his arm could sustain such pressure!

Bang!

The light beam suddenly cracked into pieces and a sea of blood poured in! Su Yu no longer hesitated, as he flung the black ball from his palm! Wherever it passed, the space was torn into pieces.

Then, the sea of blood that covered the entire space was suddenly pierced by the black ball, which created a huge tunnel! A stream of sunlight came from above, and Su Yu felt as if he could see the sky again.

But, as time was of the essence, Su Yu did not waste another second. He stepped onto the blue pearl and followed closely behind the black ball, heading upwards. In a split second, Su Yu had managed to escape from the sea of blood and was heading straight for the opening at the roof of the Great Bone Palace!

The Silver Puppet was stunned for a while, his face revealing a surprised look. He had not expected Su Yu to be capable of such a high level of attack! Su Yu's might was even stronger than a normal Early-Stage Fairy's!

However, what surprised the Silver Puppet the most was the fact that Su Yu was able to carry out such an attack without being restricted by the rules of the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion. There were no signs of his being transported! That was what made him so unusual!

After recollecting itself, the Silver Puppet calmed down and snorted. "Thinking you can escape from me? I think you have underestimated me!"

As he spoke, his body flashed with a silver bright light, then turned into a remnant shadow. He was catching up to Su Yu in a split second!

The Silver Puppet turned its palm into a sword and sliced through the air, creating a long space crack to hit on Su Yu's forehead. The puppet's movement was as fast as lightning. If it were a normal person, he would have already been knocked to the earth!

However, Su Yu was completely calm. He retrieved a long sword that was covered in thunderbolts from his sleeves. He held it in his left hand and blew strong Vital Energy into it. He then waved it downwards!

All of a sudden, a humongous wave of Sword Energy cut through the space like a thunderbolt.

“A thunder-based half-manufactured spiritual artifact?” The Silver Puppet was surprised yet again!

However, he did not show any signs of fear. “The blade is indeed very strong. If it were held by a middle-stage Fairy, I might have been slightly concerned...” As he spoke, he lashed forward with his palm, without a tinge of fear!

Wham.

The humongous Sword Energy suddenly turned around and was headed straight for Su Yu after being hit by the Silver Puppet’s palm! On the other hand, the Silver Puppet’s palm was completely unscathed!

The humongous Lightning Sword Energy was now moving at an even faster speed after being deflected, and it soon wrapped around Su Yu completely! However, Su Yu was not afraid at all. In fact, he let out a huge sigh of relief.

Then, the Eternal Stone King Armor suddenly appeared around his body. At the same time, the blue pearl beneath his feet once again shot out a light beam. These two layers of protection kept him enclosed within them safely.

Right then, the Sword Energy came into contact with Su Yu and caused a powerful energy on impact! The blue light beam then broke into pieces with a cracking sound!

Even the Eternal Stone King Armor started vibrating, as the demonic energy moved within it! Su Yu himself was also affected by the strong vibration. His inner strength moved about in his body, and he could taste a bloody sweetness in his throat.

However, as a result of the strong impact, Su Yu was able to escape out of the opening! That was when the Silver Puppet realized what Su Yu had done. Su Yu clearly knew that the Lightning Sword was incapable of hurting him, which was why he had purposefully used it as a lure to create the deflective power!

“You were using me?” The Silver Puppet was deeply angered. It was upset that it had been short-sighted and allowed itself to be manipulated by a junior.

As it finished asking its question, another black light went out through the opening! This only served to anger the puppet even more.

“You are all seeking death!” The Silver Puppet suddenly became furious. They were escaping right before his eyes, one after another!

The puppet’s shadow flashed, as it was about to chase after the other two escapees. Before it left, it coolly turned its head to look at the only person remaining in the space, Sheng Xuelian!

Sheng Xuelian was still standing at her original spot and did not appear to have any intention of leaving. As her eyes looked into the Silver Puppet's, she did not show any signs of panic. She merely continued to match its gaze calmly.

Eh? The Silver Puppet was stunned. It looked deep into Sheng Xuelian's eyes, as if it had discovered something within them. After a while, it reacted in a slightly surprising manner. "You are..."

Sheng Xuelian did not speak. She merely smiled.

The Silver Puppet showed an expression of hesitation, then mumbled to itself for a moment before speaking. "Forget it. Regardless of whether that person invited you here or not, I will let you go for now!"

After it had spoken, it left through the opening in pursuit of Su Yu and the Ghost King. Sheng Xuelian stood exactly where she was and laughed without speaking. Her eyes were filled with a deep and concealed thought...

Chapter 564: Escaping Alive

After Su Yu escaped from the Great Bone Palace, he started weaving signs with both of his hands. The Vital Energy in his body surged, the immediately turned into two people that looked exactly like him.

With Xia Jingyu's help, he had managed to successfully comprehend the second level of the Second Grade Clone Technique! So, he was now able to create two clones at the same time! Moreover, these clones were both completely identical to the true Su Yu!

As soon as they had been created, the two clones took a glance at each other, then left. The true Su Yu then summoned a black flag in his palm. It was the Ice Soul Divine Dream Spell, which he had obtained while entering the eighth layer of the Divine Pavilion.

According to Lu Chuyu, this spell was one of the highest ranked dream spells of the Eighteen Blessed and Heavenly Lands. It was said that it could even trap an Almighty Divine Master for a while!

As his gaze flickered, Su Yu stuck the flag in the star's surface, then started swiftly pouring his Vital Energy into it.

At this moment, a black ray soared up. It was the Ghost King!

However, he didn't have the leisure of caring about Su Yu at this moment, as he immediately flew off in the sky. He was obviously trying to flee.

Su Yu looked at his disappearing silhouette for a while, then turned his attentions back to his task. He continued pouring his Vital Energy into the flag, and an eerie light started gradually being emitted out of it, which then turned into boundless snowy plains.

He had successfully activated the Ice Soul Divine Dream Spell! After he achieved this, Su Yu immediately flew away.

After he left, the extremely angered Silver Puppet followed him. However, when the puppet arrived at the place that Su Yu had just been, he discovered that he was within a snowy world!

“A dream spell?” the Silver Puppet’s quizzical gaze became grave, and the anger in his voice could be clearly heard. “That da*ned lad has struck again!”

When he tried sweeping it away with his eyes, his look became even colder. “This is no ordinary spell! But, as I’m a puppet, it won’t be able to trap me for long!”

The Silver Puppet coldly snorted, then sat down cross-legged. It seemed like he was trying to sense something.

Meanwhile, the true Su Yu had flown away a hundred thousand miles, ending up in a world that was filled with ruins. From those remnant ruins, it could be seen that this world was once a flourishing and prosperous place, with countless houses and a giant city. The remnants of the giant buildings alone showed the extreme wealth of the past inhabitants.

“This world is similar to the underground world in the straw hut in the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl’s valley,” muttered Su Yu. That small valley in the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl had also formed a world which someone could live within, which similar to this place.

When Su Yu was just about to jump down and look for a place to hide among the ruins, he suddenly noticed some oddities about them. As he was somewhat curious, he flew up till he reached the highest place in the ninth level of the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion.

When he looked down from there, Su Yu was quite startled. Those ruins were unexpectedly in the shape of a giant palm print!

Apparently, a giant palm had fallen from the sky, causing this civilization to turn into ruins. What’s more, it had left behind it an extremely tremendous palm print!

Su Yu was startled by this scene. He remembered that several ancient civilizations, which had similarly been destroyed by a mysterious palm, could be found everywhere in the Zhenlong Continent.

This thought then led him to recall that the remnant soul of Tian Jizi had once said that the so-called Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion was just a fairy artifact, which had been destroyed in a great battle.

Was this ruin destroyed by Tian Jizi’s enemy?

What relationship did Tian Jizi’s enemy have with the owner of that giant palm print that had destroyed many ancient civilizations in the Zhenlong Continent?

Such an unexpected discovery left Su Yu lost in his thoughts.

What relation was there between the Zhenlong Continent, the Jiuzhou Continent, and the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion?

Su Yu then chose a ruin that was slightly hidden underground. He entered it and started quickly restraining his aura, converging his Spiritual Energy and Vital Energy in his Dantian, carefully to not let the slightest trace of them leak out. This way, no one would discover that a human was in the ruins.

He let out a long breath and lowered his head to look at his right hand. His blood had already cooled down, but that sharp pain was still as intense as ever, causing Su Yu to involuntarily clench his teeth.

After he examined his arm for a while, he found that his arm's bone had been broken. Such an injury was undeniably quite grave. It was just fortunate that the injuries sustained by his internal blood energy channel and flesh weren't severe!

He let out a breath, letting his arm hang loosely while it healed by itself. With his left hand, he took out a black scroll from his ring and buried it in the ground.

After he completed all of this, he started calculating his trip's gains and losses. He had taken such risks and entered into the Legacy of Materials to look for the Lightning Avoiding Silver Pearl and collect the materials needed for cultivating the Evil Destroying Silver Eyes. It was a pity that the legendary lightning material in that place of legacy wasn't the same Lightning Avoiding Silver Pearl that Su Yu was looking for...

In fact, now that he carefully thought about it, he discovered that he had almost gotten nothing in return for taking such risks! After all, that precious treasure, the Real Spirit Dragon Veins that he had obtained through many difficulties, was unexpectedly stolen by a small kylin!

Moreover, the last one of those three black metal boxes was also stolen by that hateful kylin! Although, truthfully speaking, he wasn't really angry at it.

After all, those Real Spirit Dragon Veins were exposed before many people's eyes, and if only one of the people spread such news, it would be an utter disaster! Thus, when that small kyling stole it in front of all of them, it unintentionally took care of the problem, alleviating his risk of danger!

Later on, in the Legacy of Materials, he didn't obtain any profits. Instead, he had just suffered through many dangers. Even that Silver Puppet had appeared there!

It was fortunate that he had obtained many treasures in the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion, which let him avert such dangers and survive till now! If he was given another opportunity to redo all of this, Su Yu couldn't guarantee that he would still come back alive from that star's inside!

Moreover, because of all of this, he ended up being separated from Xia Yujing. In fact, he still didn't know where she was or whether she was safe.

As such, the one who had profited the most out of them was probably that small kylin! After all, that creature had stolen the Real Spirit Dragon Veins, a black metal box, the Underworld Pearl and that white Eight Directional Bamboo Flute!

These were all extremely precious, important, and rare treasures and were thus capable of tempting anyone! However, all of them were now being hogged by that small kylin!

Su Yu couldn't help but laugh at himself, while thinking of such facts. In the end, he had really gotten nothing out of all of this!

Only after a long while did he manage to calm his mind and start letting his empty Dantian slowly recover...

Chapter 565: Kylin's Master

After having several great fights and using his half-manufactured spiritual artifacts, Su Yu's Vital Energy and Spiritual Energy were at an all-time low. Hence, he needed to recover quickly.

While he was recovering, Su Yu did not just laze around, however. His soul entered the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl. Once he entered the Spiritual Pearl, Su Yu looked around him and contracted his pupils.

"I believe you are still here, aren't you?" In the silence of the Jade Pearl, his voice resonated in a clear crisp tone.

There was no response for some time. Then, a shadow suddenly appeared in front of him. Within the shadow, a blurry figure of a nine-tailed fox appeared. She was the previous owner of the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl!

Ever since her first appearance, she had disappeared completely. She only showed herself now that Su Yu had called her.

"Why are you looking for me?" The White Nine-tailed Fox sounded very weak.

Su Yu's face brightened up slightly. "Can you please tell me what kind of a relationship exists between you and the Silver Puppet?" Su Yu's instincts told him that there was something the White Nine-tailed Fox was keeping from him.

The White Nine-tailed Fox was not surprised. "Why do you only ask now? It seems like the puppet has found you!"

"I have no relation to it whatsoever. On the day that the two Beasts of All Creations fought against each other a long time ago, I was accidentally warped into this spiritual artifact. The Silver Puppet, as well as many others, were also warped inside. At the time, I was heavily injured for some reason. Unfortunately, I bumped into the Silver Puppet and was devoured by it."

The fox then added, "Thereafter, this Silver Puppet was hurt badly by a strong person and has since fallen into a deep slumber. It only recovered some of its Primordial Qi after you broke in. The fact that it could pursue you to the point where you would have to hide says that it has absorbed a large amount of blood essence, am I right?"

A fight? Did she mean the fight between Tian Jizi and his nemesis Xue Di?

Why were the rest of the people involved in the fight?

Su Yu was confused, but from what she had said, he could somewhat understand the various phenomena that happened in the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion. These creatures seemed to be the results of the many strong figures being warped in years ago. They would have left the Legacies behind, as they found no hope of escaping. The Thunder Emperor's Legacy would be one of them!

The White Nine-tailed Fox sighed softly, then gave Su Yu advice. "You must go and hide carefully. Once I have fully recovered, the Silver Puppet will only want to run away when it sees me. Yet, at least for now, I am only a remnant soul and have no way of helping you."

Su Yu's instincts told him that the White Nine-tailed Fox was still concealing a part of the truth. "In that case, I am sorry for disturbing you." Su Yu held his fists together as a sign of gratitude.

The White Nine-tailed Fox nodded her head gracefully. Her body then slowly faded out. Before she disappeared, she paused and said, "I hope you still remember my wish."

"It was an oath that I have sworn. I certainly could not forget it." Su Yu nodded slightly. They were speaking of the price he had to pay for having the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl, which was to find the demonic fox clan and deliver a message on behalf of the White Nine-tailed Fox.

"I can part in peace now." The White Nine-tailed Fox then gradually disappeared. The only thing that remained was an echo that passed through the valley.

The demonic fox clan? Su Yu became increasingly curious about the Jiuzhou Continent. What kind of a world is it?

The ghost clan and the demonic fox clan... How do they get along with the humans?

"Master!" Equally surprised-looking was Wu Aoyue, who rushed over.

Although they had only been apart for a day, Wu Aoyue's aura had grown much stronger! Her Vital Energy could be seen flickering all around. This was a sign of her having recently entered the state of a Half-Fairy, as she still could not quite control her Vital Energy in a stable manner.

"Congratulations! You have broken through as a Half-Fairy," Su Yu said with a smile.

Wu Aoyue could not help but laugh, despite her cool facial expression. She was beautiful to behold.

Not wanting to behave inappropriately, Wu Aoyue forced herself to control her laughter. She could not help but blame herself for being too comfortable around Su Yu. For a short moment, she forgot that she was actually enslaved by him. Such an act of forgetting her shameful position left her feeling ridiculous.

"It is all thanks to you, Master," Wu Aoyue said without any facial expression.

Even though he sensed the change in her attitude, Su Yu did not take it to heart. "So, how is the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo? Has there been any change?"

Hearing this, Wu Aoyue's facial expression became one of glee. "Master, there have been some movements!"

The Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo was a kind of Divine Wood that was rare, even in Jiuzhou. Being able to witness its revival caused an excitement within Wu Aoyue that she could not conceal, even if she had wanted to. This was because the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo that not even a Beast of All Creation would be able to grow was about to be born!

"What?" Su Yu looked surprised. This was indeed good news!

Waving his hand, Su Yu brought Wu Aoyue along and teleported to the front of the cottage's nursery garden. As of now, the Thunder Herb had been fully harvested. The nursery garden was empty, except for the Incredible Feather Spiritual Pomegranate Tree that was white as a feather.

The fruits had originally been plucked from the tree. Now, they had started growing again. There were three or four of the green fruits, each the size of a fist. Such a high rate of growth was flabbergasting!

In the external world, this kind of plant would take decades to blossom and bear fruit. However, in the Supreme Growing Soil of the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl, these plants had blossomed so quickly!

Coincidentally, in a few days, the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion would come to an end when the Exchange Festival took place on the Divine Sparrow Stage. This would be the perfect occasion for Su Yu to make use of the fruits!

However, with the Silver Puppet on a murderous rampage, it was uncertain whether the Festival could happen successfully. In fact, Su Yu wondered how many people would actually remain alive to even be able to participate in it!

During the time of the Seventh Level Divine Vault, many geniuses from more than a hundred factions had become cordial with the Silver Puppet. Thinking about the Silver Puppet caused an uneasiness in Su Yu, like there was a knife dangling above his head.

He took in a breath softly and looked towards the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo in the nursery garden. All he could see was that two jade-like saplings had begun to sprout up.

In fact, they looked like green jade onions. They were half an inch above the ground, and their two heads peeked out slightly from the soil.

“Are these the saplings of the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo?” Su Yu’s eyes were smoldering.

Once they were fully grown and plucked, they could be used to craft the remaining six golden blades. Su Yu could then finally reform the Nine Yin-Yang Sword Formation!

Its might was not comparable to that of the Nine Steel Needles. However, its explosive might would still be a sight to see!

Su Yu suddenly felt much better. There was finally one piece of good news.

However, before he could say anything, a pink light suddenly flashed by! Then, a cloud of pink mist suddenly appeared above the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo, and out popped a live spirit about the size of a fist!

Su Yu was stunned for a moment. It was the Real Spirit Kylin!

When did it sneak into the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl?

Right then, the little kylin opened its mouth widely and excitedly attempted to bite the newborn Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo! After Su Yu recollected himself, he could not help but laugh, even though he was angry!

Not only did it snatch his Real Spirit Dragon Vein, it even dared to trespass into his Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl and tried to eat his Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo!

“You must want to die!” Su Yu yelled.

His murderous intent could be felt, as a white layer of flames surrounded his body. He then sped towards the little kylin!

The little kylin was shocked. It immediately turned to escape! However, it was not escaping to the external world. Instead, it ran into Wu Aoyue's bosom!

Wu Aoyue hugged the little kylin, then asked, "Master, is this not your pet? What are you doing?"

The little kylin opened its big eyes, an expression of self-pity glowing from them. It nodded its head fervently and even stood like a human, as it held its front hooves together in a gesticulating motion towards Su Yu.

It then uttered some noises that could not be understood. After a long while, it managed to spurt two discernible syllables from its mouth, "Mas...ter..."

Master? Su Yu was stunned. When had he become the master of this Real Spirit Kylin?

Chapter 566: The Kylin Who Recognized Someone as Its Master

The small kylin indignantly opened its mouth and spouted out a large quantity of pink fog.

Clunk!

A crisp sound echoed. It was the sound of something falling on the ground. Su Yu lowered his head and looked toward it, his eyes contracting when he saw it.

The Real Spirit Dragon Veins, black metal box, Eight Directional Bamboo Flute and Underworld Pearl were all within that pink fog! The small kylin jumped out of Wu Aoyue's bosom and landed on the ground, then pushed the pile of treasures to Su Yu's feet with its nose. It seemed like it intended to give him all of its treasures.

At this moment, Su Yu still hadn't come back to his senses after what just happened. He had to wonder...did this young Real Spirit just recognized him as its master?

After all, this was only their second meeting. So, he had to wonder why he had become this small kylin's master!

"Master, isn't this your spiritual pet?" Wu Aoyue was also dumbfounded by the sight.

After Su Yu came back to his senses, he frantically asked, "When did it appear here?"

"Just a short while ago." Wu Aoyue didn't know how to express her current intense emotions, as this small kylin was surely no ordinary Demonic Beast! It might even have a slight trace of a Real Spirit's bloodline!

She then added, "When it entered here, it said that it was your pet and that it had been waiting for you in the Incredible Feather Spiritual Pomegranate Tree. But, it never expected that you would try to kill it!" Wu Aoyue smacked her lips as she spoke.

After the small kylin pushed those treasures towards Su Yu's feet, it put on a pitiful look and crouched on the ground, then raised its head and looked at Su Yu. It seemed like it intended to let him handle it however he wanted.

Su Yu was still confused and slightly wary of it, so he asked, "Why have you recognized me as your master?"

After the small kylin heard him, it immediately stood up on its two rear hoofs, like a human, and started gesticulating with its two forelegs, uttering some incomprehensible noises. Even after a long while, it still didn't express anything that Su Yu could understand.

In the end, it became somewhat agitated and anxious, then lowered its head and nipped its right forelegs until a bit of blood came out and spilled onto Su Yu's body. Its blood was scorching hot, like a flame, and Su Yu felt an intense stabbing pain when it spilled onto his skin.

However, he didn't get angry, as it seemed like this small kylin was trying to convey something to him. Just after that, he was astonished to discover that this small kylin's blood had unexpectedly drilled into his body through his pores, then fused with his blood!

After a short while, a faint pink fog also came out of Su Yu's body, revealing that he now possessed one of the small kylin's characteristics! Su Yu's body went from a physical state into an illusory state. Su Yu was quite astonished to discover that, via the small kylin's blood, he was unexpectedly capable of possessing one of its innate powers!

However, what astonished him even more was that a fluctuation, which was buried in the deepest part of his mind, had spread at such a moment. That fluctuation had the same aura as this small kylin's!

It was like his body had already possessed this small kylin's aura for a long time. Su Yu felt his mind rumbling, as if a clap of thunder had struck it. He swiftly took a pink kylin scale from his space ring, and when he compared it to this small kylin's scales, he found that it was one of its own scales!

"You were that same person inside that skeleton, who absorbed my soul energy?" Su Yu involuntarily cried out, as he was extremely astonished.

He was recalling a time when he was once teleported into a secret room of the Corpse Grassland, along with Gang Dalei, Qin Jiuyang, and Yu Chan. There was a skeleton in that secret room, which he later took out from that Silver Puppet's body. Then, when he tore open its illusory rib, a great amount of his soul energy was absorbed, which caused him to faint on the spot!

When he woke up, he discovered that his soul power had experienced a drastic increase and his cultivation base had made a breakthrough. The only thing that remained after all of that was a kylin scale, which was lodged in the empty rib's crack.

At that time, he was confused by all of these things. However, he now understood everything! That small kylin had been sleeping in that rib, and when Su Yu woke it up, he had formed a connection between their souls, like a master and servant relationship.

Now that he thought about it, the kylin had to be who tore a big hole in that Silver Puppet! Countless emotions were intertwining in Su Yu's heart, as he realized that the kylin was now his spiritual pet.

The small kylin detected the changes in Su Yu's attitude toward, but was still quite upset. Its big eyes were filled with tears, as it turned its head around, almost looking as if it wanted to separate from Su Yu. At such a sight, Su Yu could only smack his lips. He truly didn't know what he should do now.

He crouched down and gently stroked its head, then said in a gentle voice, "I'm sorry, I didn't recognize you. Did I scare you just now?"

When it heard him, the small kylin felt even more aggrieved, its tears continuing to flow, while it constantly gesticulated with its forelegs. Since he had now received a bit of its blood, Su Yu could perfectly understand the meaning of this small kylin's motions.

"Are you saying that you left me alone to look for treasures for me?" asked Su Yu.

The aggrieved small kylin nodded at him and whimpered. It didn't need to explain what had happened after that, as Su Yu had witnessed with his own eyes how it was chased and hunted, then forced to run away!

If it wasn't for its astonishing innate gift, which allowed it to transform its body between a physical and illusory state, it would have surely met a tragic fate! After all, it had worked hard for its own master, and yet it was almost killed by him!

"Since you know that I'm your master, why did you steal my Real Spirit Dragon Veins in the Wisest Milky Way Formation?" Su Yu asked, puzzled.

The small kylin started gesticulating once again. Su Yu quickly understood its meaning this time, and his expression couldn't help but change.

"Are you saying that you knew how important the treasure was, so you were worried that people would attack me in order to obtain it? And, that is why you stole it in front of all of them?" Su Yu was somewhat shocked.

This small kylin had stolen the treasure to distract people and divert their attentions from him! This small kylin was protecting him!

He suddenly recalled what Xia Yujing had said to him about it. As it turns out, she had been mistaken when she said that this small kylin tore open the Mountain Tumbling Formation of the Four Divisions in order to kill him!

In reality, the small kylin had sensed his aura and come over to meet him, but it had been discovered by Xia Yujing, who saw through its identity and forced it to flee.

As the small kylin knew that meeting Su Yu would just bring trouble to Su Yu, it avoided revealing itself to him. It was only after all of those matters ended that it transformed into its illusory form and entered Su Yu's Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl.

Su Yu picked it and hugged it, then asked, "You truly suffered so much for my sake! Although we had a soul connection, we had barely been acquainted, so why did you do so much for me?"

The small kylin's grief was eased. This was because it now felt that Su Yu understood its sufferings and sympathized with it. It started gesticulating with its forelegs once again.

"Are you saying that you are grateful to me because I liberated you from that seal, and that you wanted to pay me back for it?" asked Su Yu.

The small kylin nodded. Su Yu became more and more fond of this small kylin. This was because its pureness, cleverness, and mischievousness reminded him of the feeling that he had gotten when he first met Xianer.

He stroked its head and sincerely said, "From now on, this Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl can be your home. But, if you have a home, then I will deliver you back to it."

The small kylin shook its head and gesticulated for a while, explaining that its previous master was dead, so it was now alone.

Was that so-called previous master that skeleton's owner?

It seemed to Su Yu like his name was probably the Divine Master Tu Mo! He must have unexpectedly managed to take the young Real Spirit as his pet!

Did he also die in the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion?

Chapter 567: Ancient Spiritual Worms

There was no way of knowing the answers to these questions. The only thing that Su Yu knew was that this young Real Spirit, which every All Creation Old Monster could only dream of having, had now become his pet!

However, after giving it some thought, Su Yu said, "If there is nothing else that you need to accomplish, stay in the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl. Until you grow strong enough, your appearance will put you in great danger!"

As it was a young Real Spirit, once it appeared before humans, its only fate was for it to be pursued and captured. Hearing this, the little kylin was slightly dissatisfied. After all, it had an innate desire to stay active and did not like the idea of staying within the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl.

Rolling its eyeballs, the little kylin leapt from Su Yu's body. The pink mist around its body shone brightly.

In a split second, the figure of a lady walked out from the mist of light! The lady had a beautiful face that did not belong to the human world. Hers was a suffocating kind of beauty.

"Xia Jingyu?" Su Yu was shocked!

The lady who had walked out of the mist of light looked exactly like Xia Jingyu! The beautiful face, coupled with an inextinguishable aura, was eerily similar to her in every way!

The only difference was that Xia Jingyu's beautiful pupils had been replaced by a pair of purple pupils that belonged to the little kylin. Matched with Xia Jingyu's facial features, there was an additional sense of mystery.

Su Yu was stunned. Only when the little kylin had thrust itself into Su Yu's arms did he realize what had happened and uncomfortably pushed the little kylin away.

"Coughs... Why did you turn yourself into this?" Su Yu asked.

As the little kylin was still unable to articulate itself clearly, it used its two hands to gesture. It meant to say that it was naturally good at transforming itself, such that normal people would not be able to distinguish between the real and fake forms.

However, Su Yu was concerned about something else at the moment, so he asked more specifically, “What I meant to ask was, why did you use Xia Jingyu’s appearance?”

The little kylin oddly tilted its head to the side and gesticulated further, revealing in an unclear manner, “Master...in your soul, this is the most... memorable... person...”

Su Yu’s heart beat wildly, and he lost all of his senses on the spot.

The most important person in his heart was Qin Xianer! Or was it? When had it become Xia Jingyu?

Impossible...impossible!

Su Yu was frantic. He could deceive himself, but not the little kylin! Based on its senses, the kylin had discovered that Xia Jingyu was more memorable than Qin Xianer in Su Yu’s soul. Therefore, it had turned itself into Xia Jingyu’s doppelganger!

After a long moment of silence, Su Yu showed a bitter emotion that could be observed by the change in the corners of his mouth.

When the hills are all flat and when the Heaven and Earth combine, not until then will I part with you... When he heard this in his mind, he felt a change in his heart. I should have known....

He had to ask himself if the most important person in his heart was truly Qin Xianer. Also, he had to wonder if he never really had feelings for Xia Jingyu. In fact, it was not that he did not have feelings for her, but that he would not admit it.

But, between Qin Xianer and Xia Jingyu, who do I really love?

It was such a difficult question to answer. His heart was only big enough to accept one person. If he admitted feelings for one of them, there would not be enough space for the other.

All along, he had thought that the person within his heart was Qin Xianer. However, the truth was that Xia Jingyu had always been the one!

Had he truly loved Xianer? They were engaged within days of knowing each other. Thereafter, they parted ways and only had a brief reunion before being separated again.

Until today, he had never properly spoken to Xianer. The thing that had kept them together was the contract that officially connected them as fiancé and fiancée.

It was Qin Xianer’s humble reliance on Su Yu and her thoughtfulness that had touched him so deeply. It was also Su Yu’s tender love and sense of responsibility towards her that had cemented the relationship.

However, Su Yu now realized that his sense of responsibility and need to protect Qin Xianer were greater than his romantic feelings for her. As for Xia Jingyu, Su Yu felt true emotions of love.

There were many times that she had faced death willingly for his sake, which touched him deeply. She had been with him through thick and thin. All the while, Xia Jingyu appeared soft and gentle, but she was really strong and resilient!

If Qin Xianer’s feelings were the kind that flowed gently and made someone love her tenderly, then Xia Jingyu’s feelings were the kind that brought forth waves of emotions that were eternally unforgettable.

The bitterness in the corners of his mouth spread as he admitted his true feelings for the first time. This was thing that he did not want to face most!

“Master, what is the matter? If you are not happy, I will change my appearance.” The little kylin could not understand Su Yu’s expression.

Its body flashed. This time, it turned into a likeness of Qin Xianer. They looked supremely alike. Even its facial expression was a perfect imitation of Qin Xianer’s.

Su Yu remained silent for a long while. His joy of acquiring the young Real Spirit as his pet had diminished. After he recollected himself, Su Yu looked at the little Kylin and said, “I think it is best if you change your appearance again.”

The little kylin murmured in acknowledgement and obediently changed into another human form. This time, it turned into a likeness of Lü Chuyi!

How could it be her? Was she next in line after Qin Xianer in my heart?

After a brief moment, Su Yu understood that his feelings for her were more of an apologetic nature than one of romance. Among these ladies, Lü Chuyi was the only one that Su Yu could not keep his mind off of.

More importantly, Su Yu had taken away her first time, despite her having someone else in her heart. Su Yu felt very guilty for his actions towards Lü Chuyi, which is why he could not stop thinking about her.

“Do you want me to change again?” The little kylin blinked its big purple eyes as it gesticulated with its hands. It behaved mischievously, which was the complete opposite of Lü Chuyi’s cold demeanor.

“Forget it. You can stay this way. However, if you can help it, do not leave the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl.” As Su Yu gave his order to the little kylin, it laughed happily and approached closer to him, looking at him endearingly.

Su Yu helplessly pushed it away and changed the topic. “Oh yes, why did you jump towards the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo? Do you like eating this kind of spiritual fruit of the universe?”

He guessed that a mysterious creature like the Real Spirit might have an unusual diet. However, the little kylin shook its head, then pulled Su Yu along as it moved towards the front of the nursery garden. It then pointed to the sapling on the right.

Su Yu was confused. Upon closer observation, he noticed that the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo on the right had a slightly darker tone.

The little kylin gesticulated thereafter. Finally, Su Yu understood it and asked, “What you mean to say is, there is a pest that has grown inside this sapling?”

The little kylin nodded its head and opened its mouth widely as if it was ucking in air. The shapeless sucking force contained a power that could not be felt. It went through the sapling without hurting it, then reached somewhere deep below the ground.

All that could be seen was a pink mist that flashed brightly. Then, a worm the size of a grain was suddenly sucked out from the silver-colored sapling. It was round and was crawling on the ground. It looked like it had just had a feast.

“Even the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo can breed pests?” Su Yu was rather surprised.

The seed of the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo was known to be extremely tough, after all. So, he had to wonder what kind of worm was able to dig into the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo and absorb its essence.

Observing the weakened Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo, Su Yu could not help but feel angered. He lifted his leg and was prepared to step on the pest to kill it!

It was such a strange worm. If it were allowed to reproduce in the nursery garden, Su Yu was worried that all the plants they planted in the future would be destroyed.

“Please stop, Master!” Wu Aoyue called out urgently after giving it some thought.

As she spoke, she ran over with a box made out of jade, then placed the worm inside it. After observing it for a brief moment, her facial expression suddenly became unsettled.

“Master, please wait for a while. Let me check the literature on it. I recall seeing this in the literature, and it looks to be one of the ancient spiritual worms!”

Ancient spiritual worms? It would appear that the two seeds of the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo had indeed existed for some decades. The worm had also appeared very unexpectedly. Before this, no worm had existed in the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl.

Could the ancient spiritual worm have been in a deep slumber within the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo all this time?

Could it be that, since the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo had finally sprouted, it was awakened?

Chapter 568: The Chaos Butterfly

When he carefully observed the creature, he found that it was a worm the size of a grain of rice, which had a round and smooth translucent body that was faintly glowing. A faint fragrance of flowers was permeating out of its body, along with an extremely intense Life Force.

This seemingly weak and puny worm had a Life Force that was as strong as the White-Eyed Fire Glass Frog’s, which made it extremely marvelous! Wu Aoyue took out a thick book from her space ring, which had the words “Ancient Spirits Record” written on its cover.

“This is the Purple Cloud Palace’s ancient record. It details all of the ancient spirits who appeared in the Jiuzhou Continent in the past, and it even has some Ancient Spiritual Worms recorded in it.” Wu Aoyue swiftly flipped through its pages and started comparing the worm to the illustration in each of the book’s pages.

However, even after she went through most of its pages, she still didn’t find a picture of this particular worm, so she weakly said, “I probably just remembered incorrectly.”

Su Yu was discouraged by her words. If this worm wasn't recorded within that book, then it was probably just some peculiar ordinary worm.

"I'm just happy that you tried to help me, so it isn't really important whether it's an Ancient Spiritual Worm or not." Su Yu warmly smiled to ease the awkward tension in the air.

When Wu Aoyue heard his words, she slightly blushed, then muttered in embarrassment, "I was just curious about Ancient Spiritual Worms... I didn't do it for you..."

Her tone was weak, and even Wu Aoyue herself didn't believe her own words. She inwardly reprimanded herself for being so disappointing.

"I wasn't of any help to you just now." Wu Aoyue's expression was somewhat downcast, as she placed her notebook down.

At this moment, the small kylin suddenly bit the notebook, while snatching it from her hands. It then threw it on the ground and used its right foreleg to swiftly flip through its pages.

It seemed quite earnest and serious. After a short while, the kylin stopped upon the ninth page and pointed to the illustration on it. It then started gesticulating towards Su Yu.

"Are you saying that the worm before us is the spiritual worm in this picture?" Su Yu was somewhat astonished, so he picked up the record and started to carefully examine it.

Wu Aoyue came over to him, looked at the image and description, then asked in confusion, "Is it the Ancient Spiritual Worm, Chaos Multicolored Butterfly?"

The ninth illustration was a lifelike picture of a beautiful and extraordinary-looking butterfly, with a body that glowed in nine bright colors. It seemed transcendent, like a fairy, and it was extremely beautiful. Su Yu was somewhat enchanted by it.

"It's impossible for it to be such a Spiritual Worm." Wu Aoyue dismissed such a possibility and firmly shook her head. However, the small kylin waved its forelegs to express how certain it was of it.

"It's impossible! The Chaos Multicolored Butterfly was an Ancient Spiritual Worm, which has already been extinct for a long time, so how is this possible?" Wu Aoyue had a broad knowledge of the species, so she was skeptical.

"The Chaos Multicolored Butterfly's appearance doesn't resemble the one before us. Instead, it has a human-like appearance." Wu Aoyue spoke slowly, "When it's born, it's perfectly similar to a human. Only after going through an extremely long transition phase will it turn into a butterfly. Also, it doesn't have any stages where it's just a worm."

This made Su Yu wonder many things...

Was there really a Spiritual Worm that had a human appearance as a newborn? And, would it really only turn from a human to a butterfly later on?

If it was truly the case, then there was a great possibility that this worm wasn't a Chaos Multicolored Butterfly! But, then why was the small kylin so sure of it?

Suddenly, Wu Aoyue's eyes lit up. "I recalled something!" she exclaimed. "I finally recalled where I once saw such worm! It is not a Chaos Multicolored Butterfly, but rather a variation of the Chaos Multicolored Butterfly! Pure Chaos Multicolored Butterflies are born as humans, but their variations are born as worms! Now I remember that there were missing pages of the 'Ancient Spirits Record,' which had been torn out, and this worm was recorded on one of them!"

As such, the variations of the Chaos Multicolored Butterflies were also Ancient Spiritual Worms! Su Yu was astounded by such a fact.

Seeing his excitement, Wu Aoyue issued a warning, "Master, you shouldn't let anyone know about this, as all Ancient Spiritual Worms possess some peculiar and special abilities from ancient times. This means that this worm's ability is powerful, so you may be in danger, should someone want to take it from you. They may even kill you for it!"

Su Yu nodded at her, then asked, "What is this one's special ability?"

"Silk!" Wu Aoyue's face was filled with envy and excitement. "The silk made by it is extremely hardy and durable. In fact, it's rumored that even All Creation Realm old monsters are incapable of cutting it open!"

Su Yu's pupils contracted when he heard her words. Obviously, the silk spouted by this variation of Chaos Multicolored Butterfly was truly precious!

"However, there are many kinds of variations of Chaos Multicolored Butterfly. They are divided into nine grades, and only a nine-grade variation Chaos Multicolored Butterfly is capable of creating such extraordinary silk," Wu Aoyue explained.

Su Yu wasn't truly surprised by such a fact, so he asked, "How can we judge this worm's grade?"

In response to his question, Wu Aoyue took out a bowl the size of someone's palm in which nine demonic beasts of different form and shapes were depicted. She then said, "This is a bowl that is capable of testing its Spiritual Qualities. If we put this worm in it, the pictures of the demonic beasts that are depicted on this bowl will start glowing, and the number of demonic beasts' pictures that glow will reveal its grade. This is a technique that is habitually used in the Jiuzhou Continent, and it's extremely accurate."

Wu Aoyue put the bowl down and placed the worm in it. When the variation Chaos Multicolored Butterfly fell into it, it wasn't flustered at all.

Both Wu Aoyue and Su Yu were filled with expectation, wondering what the grade of this variation Spiritual Worm would be. It was at this moment that the bowl started glowing.

A faint red glow was emitted from just one demonic beast's picture. Wu Aoyue was startled by it, and her face stiffened. "The first grade. That is the lowest grade," she said lowly.

Su Yu was disappointed, as he now had no hope of obtaining a silk that was capable of withstanding an All Creation Realm old monster's attacks.

"A first grade variation worm has only a faint trace of the Chaos Multicolored Butterfly's bloodline, so the silk that it makes is worse than even the kind made by some amazing ordinary worms," said Wu Aoyue. She paused for a while, then asked softly, "Master, how should we handle this?"

Her unspoken implication was that there was no use in their keeping the worm. Su Yu looked at it and hesitated for a while, then looked at the bleak sapling, which had started withering. He then said, "Let's keep it and raise it for now. We can feed her the Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo's sapling, which incubated it. In any case, it's already impossible for the sapling to survive."

After all, this worm had already eaten one Heavenly Orchid Silver Bamboo, and it would be a pity to just throw it away now. So, he figured that he would try this route and at least collect some of its silk.

Chapter 569: Underworld Refinery

Even if it was of the lowest grade, the silk that the worm secreted would still be extraordinary. While it might not be of use to Su Yu, at least Xianer, Xia Jingyu, and the Duke of Xianyu would find it valuable.

Wu Aoyue agreed with this opinion, so she retrieved a huge container and placed the worm within it, determining to feed it regularly. However, both she and Su Yu did not notice that the moment she put the bowl with the pictures of demonic beasts away, the second picture brightened up for a brief moment, only to fade away again...

Su Yu finally had time to sort through the four treasures that the little kylin had snatched earlier. When Su Yu held the Real Spirit Dragon Vein in his palm, he felt joyful.

This type of silk yarn treasure was Su Yu's best offensive treasure. Even more wonderful was the fact that no one else knew that the Dragon Vein had been returned to Su Yu.

He then turned his attention to the Eight Directional Bamboo Flute, which was capable of controlling souls and had a very strong deadly energy. Su Yu had personally witnessed its frightening might.

Unfortunately, he could not complete the set with the Six Directional Ruler. The Eight Directional Bamboo Flute and the Six Directional Ruler would have complemented each other so well, as one was used for offense and the other was perfect for defense, respectively.

The Underworld Pearl was next. It had been sealed, along with the Desolate Sea Lost Pearl, in the final place of Legacy. It contained the thunderbolt energy, which could allow a prototype fairy artifact to be developed into the next stage. This was actually the first time that Su Yu had heard of the Underworld Pearl, so he had no idea how effective it was.

"The treasure of the Ghost World, the Underworld Pearl!" Wu Aoyue looked over, following Su Yu's gaze, her pupils filled with surprise and shock. "Could it be that Master entered the place of Legacy of Materials that was protected by the descendants of the guards?"

Su Yu asked her in return, “Why do you ask? Do you know about the Underworld Pearl?”

Wu Aoyue was tongue-tied, but was finally able to stammer out, “Everyone in the Jiuzhou Continent knows about it! There was a great war between humans and the ghosts about a century ago. The Master of the Ghost World had released five treasures that had been refined with the Underworld Pearl. None of the Old Monsters from the Jiuzhou Continent could defend themselves against it and were all killed as a result. If it were not for an emergency in the Ghost World, which caused the great army of the Ghost World to retreat, I am afraid our Jiuzhou Continent would have been completely destroyed by the Master of the Ghost World!”

Hearing this, Su Yu’s eyes brightened.

Was there such a great war between the humans of Jiuzhou and the ghost clan? And, was the Underworld Pearl really this powerful? Surely there was not only one All Creation Old Monster in the entire Jiuzhou Continent!

“This Underworld Pearl must have been left behind by the Master of the Ghost World when he was surrounded by the All Creation Old Monsters. From the looks of its might, it may have deteriorated significantly and would not be as strong as it used to be,” Su Yu observed aloud.

After all, if the Underworld Pearl had been in its prime, Tian Jizi would not have faced such a terrible fate.

“Do you know about the details of the great war?” Su Yu then asked.

Wu Aoyue shook her head. “The great war was very elaborate, as it involved the entire Jiuzhou Continent. I would not be able to recount every single detail for you. The one thing I do know is that nearly half of the almighty humans were wiped out. All of their Primordial Qi was also greatly affected. The master of the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion, Tian Jizi, was unfortunately struck down while fighting the Master of the Ghost World. Even his Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion fairy artifact was destroyed and floated into the void.”

She then added, “I’m not certain how many of the strong ones died or went missing, but they were all sucked into the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion.”

Eh? Su Yu raised his eyebrows. Something is not right! After all, Tian Jizi had died at the hands of Xue Di, not the Master of the Ghost World!

“If you are interested, you could have a look at the literature that recalls it. However, the more secretive news reports would only be available within the bigger factions’ archives. The Purple Cloud Palace would have it!” she offered.

Su Yu was deep in thought as he nodded his head and said, “Yes, please continue talking.”

Naturally, he would not go to the Purple Cloud Palace, as he was too concerned about Lü Chuyi! After all, she was the outside sanctum elder of the Purple Cloud Palace!

How could I face her?

“What is the use of this Underworld Pearl?” Su Yu curiously tried to pick it up. However, to his surprise, he could not even lift it! The little pearl felt as heavy as ten big mountains that were stacked on top of each other!

Wu Aoyue covered her mouth as she laughed. She then said, “It looks like you have discovered its use! It sure is heavy! In fact, the Underworld Pearl is the most condensed object in the entire world!”

She then continued to explain, “It would require a strong person, who was well-cultivated in body training techniques, to move it! The fact that the little kylin was able to bring it here should attest to its extraordinary abilities!”

Su Yu suddenly realized something... Could it be that the reason the central star in the Wisest Milky Way Formation was so heavy was because of this Underworld Pearl?

This object was so heavy, it could even crush an All Creation Old Monster! Thus, it was quite odd for Su Yu and the little kylin to be able to move it!

“The pearl contains the blood essence of the Master of the Ghost World. Even an All Creation Old Monster would not be able to refine it for its own use. I advise Master not to waste your time on this! Even if you were able to refine it, you would need to cultivate a strong body to make it work properly,” Wu Aoyue explained.

The Underworld Pearl was a treasure of the Ghost World that could be seen, but not touched. Hence, it was practically useless.

Is that so? Su Yu caressed his chin and placed his palm over the Underworld Pearl. With a thought in his heart, he summoned forth a silver charm, which appeared in the heart of his palm and began turning slowly. Not long after this, a black-colored ghost energy that contained a bloody scent slowly seeped out from the Underworld Pearl.

Wu Aoyue was stunned. She immediately reacted by asking, “Erm... The mark has been lifted! What did you do?”

The amount of shock she had just experienced was even greater than when she had discovered the existence of the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl! After all, this was supposed to be a treasure that even an All Creation Old Monster could not refine, yet Su Yu was able to lift the mark!

After a moment, Su Yu removed his palm. He looked slightly pale and very exhausted.

He was also very surprised. He had tried to use the Milky Way Star Sand to purify the pearl, intending to remove the mark as a way to get rid of the contaminants.

However, the Milky Way Star Sand was only capable of removing one percent of the contaminants, and it had already used up a large amount of his mental energy. Now, he felt more tired than ever.

No wonder it is a treasure of the Master of the Ghost World! It could even withstand the might of an emperor-based saint artifact!

Su Yu was secretly surprised. It seemed like refining the entire Underworld Pearl would take at least three full months, even if he worked at it day and night! Su Yu’s pupils shone with excitement and expectation, and he wondered what kind of might the pearl would hold once it was fully refined.

Even if it was in a deteriorated state, surely it would still have a very strong might! As such, the rewards of the recent events would be immeasurable. Moreover, it was all thanks to the little kylin!

“For now, stay in the Nine Jade Spiritual Pearl. I still need to deal with a very strong enemy. So, it would be unwise for you to show yourself,” Su Yu said to the little kylin.

The little kylin was slightly dissatisfied. However, it nodded its head obediently, then tugged at the lowest end of Su Yu’s pants with its two hooves. This was a signal for Su Yu let it out as soon as possible.

Su Yu smiled and looked at the final treasure, the steel box. The box had also been snatched by the little kylin.

After a moment of thinking, Su Yu decided to wait until he could find Xia Jingyu to open the box with her. Su Yu then exited the space and returned to his physical body.

He had already rested there for two hours. As such, the injury on his right arm seemed to be recovering fine, as were his bones.

After all, as he had broken through as a Half-Fairy and acquired Vital Energy, his healing abilities had improved tremendously! In fact, it seemed like it would take less than half a day for him to fully recover!

However, right then, Su Yu felt a pain in his chest. His facial expression changed slightly, while he asked, “It managed to break free from the formation so soon? It even killed one of my clones?” Su Yu’s clone was linked to him telepathically, therefore, he could naturally sense it after it had been destroyed.

According to his plan, the Ice Soul Divine Dream Spell should have been able to trap the puppet for a day. If he were lucky, it would have been trapped until the Mysterious Heavenly Divine Pavilion ended.

However, Su Yu did not expect it to break free in merely two hours! It had even managed to discover one of his clones!

It looked like Su Yu could not leave yet, as the chance of him being discovered was too great. Suddenly, Su Yu felt a warning in his heart...

He immediately stood up and looked into the darkness, his eyes contracting as he spoke, “How did you find me?”

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There was a tall and upright person coming out of the darkness. He had a ferocious-looking face and ghost energy was twirling around his whole body. This person was none other than the Ghost King!

However, Su Yu didn’t believe that such a coincidence could occur, where he would run into him and stumble upon his hiding place by chance! It must be known that the Ghost King had fled in another different direction.

He became somewhat tense and nervous, while thinking of this... If the Ghost King was able of easily find him, then wouldn’t it be even easier for that Silver Puppet?

The Ghost King looked at the empty place where his right arm had been and calmly spoke, “With my arm in your hand, it wasn’t difficult for me to sense your position!”

Su Yu was surprised by his words, yet was also relieved by them. In the Zhenlong Continent, to express how sincere he was in cooperating with Su Yu, and to fool the old man within the painting, the Ghost King broke one of his arms, then left it in Su Yu’s space ring. Thus, it had been extremely easy for the Ghost King to sense his arm’s location via his connection to his blood essence.

“What did you come here for? if you immediately go and hide now, you can still make it, but if you waste time until that Silver Puppet comes, it will be impossible for any of us to escape it!” Su Yu stealthily held onto his golden small sword, while putting up a calm and cool front.

The Ghost King snickered. “I obviously came to take your life! Did you assume that you could continue to live, while taking my prized objects?” These so-called objects were obviously the Ghost Suppressing Golden Ring and the Mysterious Heavenly Map, which the old man within the painting held.

Su Yu’s expression was still calm, as he replied, “Take my life? I’m afraid that you still don’t have enough power for that. Unless you want to die, you should forget about it.”

The Ghost King looked at Su Yu’s right arm and sneered. “You have only one Thunder Sword remaining, along with one formation orb of the Dry Cloud Five Elemental Formation, so killing you won’t be difficult.”

After he spoke, the Ghost King’s body, which was as black as ink, disappeared in the darkness. His powerful body then burst out with a formidable power.

Such a powerful body had even once forcefully blocked by Su Yu’s Buddhist Saint’s Eight Characters’ attack and saved Bai Qi! As such, Su Yu would be left half-dead if he even slightly collided against such a powerful body!

However, Su Yu’s expression still barely changed, as he said, “I have plenty of ways for dealing with you.”

He waved his hand, and a golden ring of light immediately shot out of his sleeves, then went after the Ghost King. Many characters and words were written in that golden ring, and after he poured his Vital Energy into it, eighteen vivid Buddha statues appeared.

The statues were reciting Buddhist scriptures with loud voices, and they were engulfed by a golden halo. The might of the Ghost Suppressing Golden Ring, which was imbued with his Vital Energy, was incomparable to its past one.

Such a peerless Buddhist treasure was the nemesis of the Ghost King, who just looked on as that golden aura engulfed him. However, the Ghost King wasn’t afraid of it.

Instead, he coldly laughed and asked, “How could I not know that you had the Ghost Suppressing Golden Ring? However, I’m not surprised at all by your use of such a deadly treasure.”

When he spoke, a painting appeared in the Ghost King’s bosom, and an old man, who had his hands clasped behind his back, walked out of it. The old man’s whole body was transparent, so one could see straight through him.

This old man's soul was extremely powerful and was near the stage of turning into a physical entity. This was the soul of a Divine Master!

Su Yu had to wonder...

Who was the old man within the painting, and why did he have a soul at the Divine Master level?

After that old man appeared, he raised his hand and grabbed at the air. At that moment, Su Yu unexpectedly lost his connexion with the Ghost Suppressing Golden Ring that he already refined, as it was easily taken over by that old man!

"Using my treasure to attack me? Youngster, you still have many things to learn!" The old man within the painting grinned as he spoke. "Hand over the Mysterious Heavenly Map, and I will grant you a painless death."

Even at this moment, Su Yu's expression was still as calm as before. "I don't believe that you would dare to start a fight here. If we fought, the fluctuations caused by our fight would be easily detected by the Silver Puppet! If Silver Puppet comes over, then none of us would survive."

The Silver Puppet was a blade that hung over all of their heads. However, the old man within the painting, as well as the Ghost King, just revealed somewhat odd smiles when they heard his warning.

"You are still too young and naive," said the old man. "First, I already set a spell in those ruins, so no matter how intense our fight is, its fluctuations won't spread outside. Second, I believe that you aren't an opponent worthy of me anyway."

After he finished speaking, a cold glow filled the old man's eyes. The Ghost King revealed a fierce-looking expression we well.

However, Su Yu just smiled and replied, "I'm truly relieved by your preparations."

Eh? The Ghost King and the old man within the painting were slightly startled and confused by his words and calm demeanor.

"You are just putting up a strong front. After all, you've already lost the Ghost Suppressing Golden Ring, so what else could you have?" The Ghost King coldly snorted, as his body disappeared once again, like a formless wind.

Su Yu immediately turned over his hand and used his Cosmos Thunder Sword, which he waved at them. It clearly illuminated the Ghost King hideous-looking body.

The Ghost King was somewhat wary of it, but he didn't retreat. Instead, he faced it head-on with his powerful body.

He then thrust his fist at it and scattered the sword's energy. After just an instant, the Ghost King was inches away from Su Yu!

Su Yu moved aside and tried to dodge him, but suddenly felt a chill in his back. At the same time, he heard an ice-cold voice from behind him...

"Lad, it will end here!" The old man within the painting had taken advantage of Su Yu's being distracted to teleport behind him and fling a deadly attack at him!

As if it was instinctive, a blue light beam flickered from under Su Yu's feet and enveloped him. The old man within the painting calmly shook his head and said, "It's useless. The defense of a semi-manufactured spiritual artifact can't stop or block my attack."

A cracking sound echoed, as that blue light beam cracked open, just like what the old man had said. That old man's transparent palm had directly entered Su Yu's heart.

However, a faint smile appeared at the corners of Su Yu's mouth...

Buzz!

Suddenly, the entire place trembled, as four beads of different colors appeared around Su Yu's body. They formed a ring, along with that blue bead, and enveloped Su Yu, the Ghost King, and the old man. The five colored light beams then soared up into the sky and formed a five-colored seal, which sealed all of them within it.

"Is this the complete Dry Cloud Five Elemental Formation? Didn't you have just a single bead?" the Ghost King was quite surprised by this phenomenon, and the old man within the painting's expression gravely changed.

They had no idea that Su Yu had deliberately avoided revealing that he had the whole set of the Dry Cloud Five Elemental Formation in his hands! Hence, most people assumed that he had just one bead that had been lent to him by one of his sect's elders!

Su Yu's body flickered, then smoothly went through that seal and stood outside of it. He then calmly said, "You weren't mistaken! It turns out that a fight between us won't be intense at all! Since you are clearly done attacking me, from now on, it's my turn!"

A cold glow flickered in Su Yu's eyes...