

## Origin Powers 561

Chapter 561 - Drain the Pond to Get All the Fish

How could Xu Lingjun have known that just one fight...

He would become a prized target in Uther's eyes.

Or even if he did know, he probably wouldn't care...

After all, they were just a group who had taken the wrong path for decades and now couldn't turn back, destined to be abandoned by the times.

Their True Power, even if gifted to him, he wouldn't bother absorbing... they weren't even as good as those Guiyuan Grandmasters.

Taking the successful cultivation technique of Talent Source.

Xu Lingjun rushed towards the Secret Realm...

But an odd thought suddenly crossed his mind.

Now the True Essence within me has successfully evolved into Spiritual Power, merging with the Spiritual Qi of the outside world.

Especially after the Talent Source, this Spiritual Power should not differ much from that of the cultivators, even if I enter the Dao by martial arts, the Spiritual Power should be no different, so surely I can wield Magical Treasures now, right?

Looks like I should figure out a way to give myself a Magical Treasure with enhanced power.

Preferably one that can attack, defend, guard, and trap...

After all, a cultivator's strongest means is the Magical Treasure. If I had one when facing Uther, even if it was not a high-level one, it might have been enough to take his life entirely.

But probably I'd still need the help of those Qisha Military District soldiers for this matter.

When Xu Lingjun returned to the deepest part of the Secret Realm.

Han Yun City had already been waiting for a long time...

Seeing the eager look, Xu Lingjun suddenly had a strange thought, thinking if she were Miss Han, she might have fallen in love with me countless times by now.

He casually tossed over the cultivation technique, smiling, "The 'Infinite Immortal Technique,' though it may not be stronger than your Emperor Blood Heaven Slayer, it has an extra function where you can absorb Spiritual Qi from heaven and earth to nurture yourself. You might as well comprehend it a bit, take its advantages, and you can successfully draw Spiritual Qi from within Spirit Stones."

"Thanks, brother!"

Han Yun City seriously nodded at Xu Lingjun and immediately turned to her usual tree house.

After watching Han Yun City leave, Xu Lingjun called out, "Liu Shuang!"

"At your service!"

Liu Shuang appeared behind Xu Lingjun in response.

Xu Lingjun said, "Gather all Martial Artists in the Profound Realm from Baoyan First Army, Beixuan Second Army, and Cuo Wu Third Army to come to me, saying that the Commander-in-Chief has researched a cultivation technique to help everyone further their skills!"

He didn't say more, after all, this cultivation technique cost him so much Source Value, he had to extract it back from them somehow.

So some things are better explained to them in person.

But just these few words...

Instantly made Liu Shuang incredibly excited, his gaze at Xu Lingjun was like looking at a deity, and a prompt appeared in Xu Lingjun's view.

[You have chosen to share your cultivation technique with Liu Shuang, gaining his sincere gratitude, and consequently received the favor of the world origin's will, Origin Value +299!]

This guy, he's a good person indeed.

Xu Lingjun looked at Liu Shuang with even more kindness.

Liu Shuang was originally overjoyed, but upon noticing Xu Lingjun's gaze, he couldn't help but shiver, hastily turning to gather his comrades.

That gaze was a bit unsettling.

Half an hour later.

The entire Qisha Legion.

Three thousand Martial Artists who had successfully broken through the Profound Realm were all standing below.

Jun Qing slightly envied as she glanced at Gu Xi in the front row, she was still relying on the potion Xu Lingjun provided periodically... After all, she hadn't yet stepped into the Profound Realm, so she wasn't eligible to join.

Gu Xi gave her a look, gesturing that she needn't worry, Xu Lingjun wouldn't wrong those beside him.

Jun Qing nodded slightly, thinking I'm not just by his side, I'm also the caretaker of his Daxiong, now other than him, Daxiong is closest to me.

He definitely wouldn't neglect me.

And after comforting Jun Qing, Gu Xi looked up at Xu Lingjun on the stage...

An inexplicable mix of emotions surged in her heart.

Recalling the first time she saw him years ago.

How young he was then.

Now he's matured, grown stronger, looks better than before, but somehow, she began to miss him back then.

Maybe it's because he now stands at a place she'll never reach.

Fortunately, there's still time.

As long as I access this technique, maybe, I can catch up with him... This is a chance he's given me.

In front of Xu Lingjun, small words appeared once again.

[By helping Gu Xi find the way to grow stronger, you've received her heartfelt gratitude, and consequently received the favor of the world origin's will, Origin Value +399!]

I haven't even taught them yet.

Xu Lingjun lowered his head to glance at Gu Xi, who mischievously smiled at him.

Xu Lingjun smiled back, loudly saying, "You all know why you're here, right?"

Everyone shouted in unison, "Cultivation Technique!"

"Indeed, it's about the cultivation technique!"

Xu Lingjun said, "The technique I practice surpasses the Supreme God Demon Level, and it can be considered a cultivation technique. Cultivators live as long as heaven and earth, share spring with all things, can hold moon and stars in hand, traverse the cosmos with their flesh, can take a head from a thousand miles... Just like now..."

He didn't move.

Standing at the forefront, Liu Shuang suddenly noticed something and quickly moved to block, but felt an overwhelming force strike him. Despite the heavy onslaught, he was unharmed but was knocked flying directly.

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Everyone watched in surprise as Xu Lingjun remained motionless, yet directly sent Liu Shuang of the Profound Realm flying.

Their eyes immediately lit up with excitement.

"I won't boast too much, but cultivating with this 'Infinite Immortal Technique' in my hands, reaching the Grandmaster Realm is the baseline... I can guarantee this."

As soon as these words were spoken,

others were pleasantly surprised, but the members of the Baoyan First Army were almost excited to the point of howling.

The reason they initially joined the Baoyan Army Legion... wasn't it because their aptitude wasn't good enough to be selected for the Sect and Martial Mansion?

But in fact, even joining the Baoyan Army Legion, they knew that Profound Realm was their ultimate limit.

It was impossible to reach higher.

But now, Xu Lingjun tells them that the Grandmaster is the baseline... meaning that perhaps they can reach even higher realms!

The Commander in Chief naturally wouldn't deceive them.

No wonder their emotions were so uncontrollable.

For a moment.

[You have saved Liu Sanyuan's Martial Tao path, gaining his heartfelt gratitude, thus receiving the favor of the world's origin will, Origin Value +159!]

[You have helped Sun Ning find the path forward, gaining his heartfelt gratitude, thus receiving the favor of the world's origin will, Origin Value +129!]

[You have imparted the Immortal Tao Technique to Zhou Zheng, gaining his heartfelt gratitude, thus receiving the favor of the world's origin will, Origin Value +199!]

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The notifications came like a flood.

The last time there was such an intense flood of notifications was seemingly when he successfully wiped out the Chi Yu mysterious clan.

It seems these people have been longing for the Cultivation Technique for a long time.

"Alright, everyone sit down cross-legged, listen to me explain the mysteries of the Cultivation Technique!"

Xu Lingjun also sat down, looking at the thousands of warriors below, eager to receive sustenance.

With a smile, he said, "The Path of Cultivation, the most crucial element, lies in Spiritual Qi. In fact, Spiritual Qi has always existed closely related to us. Now that you have cultivated to this point, do you feel it's entirely due to your own efforts? I can responsibly tell you that this is wrong. Spiritual Qi also plays an essential role in this process. If you misunderstand this point, then in the future, if your mindset is not correct, you will inevitably reap a wrong outcome!"

He explained very thoroughly.

From how Spiritual Qi improves the human body, to the differences between Cultivation and Martial Tao, and then the commonalities between Martial Tao and Cultivation.

Explaining bit by bit...

Although it's all theoretical knowledge, to these warriors, it was tantamount to a revelation. It perhaps doesn't directly help with cultivation, but it allows them to understand the changes occurring during their cultivation process.

Undoubtedly, this is expanding their horizons.

And without question, this knowledge is very important...

At first, only the humans were listening intently.

But slowly,

in the Secret Realm, even the birds and beasts quietly came closer.

The birds perched on the treetops, the beasts lay on the side, all listening sincerely to Xu Lingjun's teachings...

These Demon Beasts possessed wisdom not inferior to humans.

But their insight was much less than these Martial Artists... precisely because of this, listening to Xu Lingjun's explanations, they gained an even deeper understanding.

Although there were many more listeners, the scene was dead silent without a single strange sound.

Daxiong yawned twice in a row, then was slapped twice by Xiaoyun.

Only then did it pretend to listen earnestly to its master's explanations... although it actually wanted to bury its big head into his arms and act spoiled.

After a full two hours of lecturing,

Xu Lingjun finally said, "This is the difference between Martial Tao and Immortal Tao. I believe you all have some understanding now, so I will now teach you the Cultivation Technique... But before teaching the Cultivation Technique, I have something to say clearly: everyone's situation is different, and each has its own peculiarities. Whether to fully revise your Cultivation Technique to mine, or to retain your cultivation technique and only extract beneficial parts from the Cultivation Technique to improve yours,

this is for you to decide. After all, cultivation is each individual's business and cannot rely entirely on others."

Having said this, he began reciting the Technique of the 'Infinite Immortal Technique'.

And seeing that he didn't drive them away but treated them equally...

The Demon Beasts' gazes towards Xu Lingjun became much more intimate.

And in Xu Lingjun's eyes, another wave of notifications flooded in.

[You are willing to share the Cultivation Technique with Snow Leopard Xiaoyun, gaining her heartfelt gratitude, thus receiving the favor of the world's origin will, Origin Value +299!]

[You did not discriminate against the Saber toothed Tiger King Xue, gaining its heartfelt gratitude, thus receiving the favor of the world's origin will, Origin Value +199!]

[You provided the human Cultivation Technique to the Black winged Wolf Hei Feng, gaining its heartfelt gratitude, thus receiving the favor of the world's origin will, Origin Value +159!]

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Did it break even just like that?

Xu Lingjun watched as the Source Value quickly replenished, still climbing continuously.

Clearly, these Demon Beasts are very grateful to him.

[You fulfilled your promise to Ancient Tree Green Leaves, gaining her heartfelt gratitude, thus receiving the favor of the world's origin will, Origin Value +499!]

Xu Lingjun felt a slight stir in his heart and thought, is she here too?

Scanning with Spiritual Sense, he found one ancient tree, with more than a dozen birds perched on it, extraordinarily vibrant with life... It seems she is using other plants to peek over here.

Xu Lingjun smiled, not bothering with her.

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Anyway, the master guides you to the door, but the cultivation depends on oneself.

How far they can go still depends on themselves... everyone's circumstances are different, and when cultivating the cultivation technique, their experiences will also be different.

But this is their own opportunity, and he has no right to interfere.

At this moment, Xu Lingjun taught the Infinite Immortal Technique word by word.

To qualify for the Profound Realm, never mind the talent, their understanding is definitely not lacking.

Upon hearing this technique, everyone had a solemn expression, silently memorizing it, understanding it or not was not important, the most important... was to memorize it first.

But as they listened.

One by one, they quietly became entranced.

What kind of miraculous technique is this?

What kind of profound mantras are these?

Just listening to it made them feel as if they had sunk into the womb, experiencing that warmth once again...

The more seriously everyone listened, including the beasts.

The more they listened, the more they were enchanted...

By the time Xu Lingjun had been gone for a long time, not a single one of them had awakened from the sound of the great path.

One by one, they were in a trance...

Seemingly oblivious to external things.

"Thank you."

When Xu Lingjun's footsteps stopped at a tree.

The sound of the Ancient Tree suddenly rang in his ears.

The branches reached over, blocking the blazing sun for Xu Lingjun.

"It's nothing, I just fulfilled my promise, and I will teach what needs to be taught."

Xu Lingjun smiled and said, "Now you know why I value spirit stones so much, right?"

"Of course I know."

The Ancient Tree didn't speak too bluntly.

But her vision was much higher than those warriors, naturally, she could see at a glance... this Infinite Immortal Technique is truly powerful, he wasn't exaggerating earlier, if this cultivation technique can be trained to its peak, it can indeed reach a very high realm.

But as strength increases, the craving for spirit stones will also increase significantly.

Eventually, it might even evolve to a point where without spirit stones, cultivation would be impossible...

"Don't you think it's like an addiction?"

The Ancient Tree asked.

"Ants only eat scraps, but wolves have to eat meat, when it comes to dinosaurs, they probably have to eat large animals, otherwise, they wouldn't be full."

Xu Lingjun said, "The stronger the power, the bigger the appetite, and the more one can eat... if you convert spiritual qi into food, you'll understand, changing from basic spiritual qi to spirit stones containing more spiritual qi is a normal thing."

The Ancient Tree asked, "What if the spirit stones run out? Will Blue Star face destruction once again?"

"No!"

Xu Lingjun said, "If it really comes to that, do you know how far Blue Star has evolved? There are so many planets in the cosmos, we can totally find new planets to replace it... you wouldn't be foolish enough to want to be confined to Blue Star forever, would you?"

The Ancient Tree said, "But Blue Star is so hotly contested by those mysterious races, you should understand how special Blue Star is, and how special spirit stones are."

"It's okay... they want planets, but for me, I just want their spirit stones, besides, this is probably something many years down the line, I will be careful to not exhaust the resources completely!"

Xu Lingjun thought to himself, is this really considered an addiction?

Come on, weren't the mobile phones and money in the previous life considered addictions?

Even though he didn't quite agree with the Ancient Tree's worries, Xu Lingjun couldn't help but sigh lightly.

It seems I really need to control the number of cultivators.

Otherwise, just relying on the spirit stone mine within the secret realm might not support many years.

Exhausting the resources is a problem, but it should only be a concern during peacetime.

Now with the external threat of mysterious races of the heavens, and the internal threat of the Baoxue Empire.

Before causing the sudden demise of these two...

He had no time or energy to consider these issues.

So then...

He also needed to go into seclusion.

With this thought...

He took out his phone, dialed Jun Qing's phone, and said, "Xiaoqing, I will be going into seclusion for cultivation for a while, and will also be studying the crafting of magical treasures. Please inform everyone for me, if there are any unsolvable questions during cultivation, hold onto them and ask me when I'm out."

"Yes!"

Jun Qing's voice echoed from the other end of the phone.

Only then did Xu Lingjun put down his phone, thinking to himself, it seems I need to find a way to boost the reputation of the magical treasures.

Chapter 564 - I Can Stand Side by Side with the Martial Saint

After the cultivation technique was passed down.

Xu Lingjun disappeared.

But this didn't really affect these warriors.

Even though the cultivation technique "Infinite Immortal Technique" is quite obscure and hard to understand, in fact, it is a derivative of the Martial Tao Technique, essentially an evolution of it... much like an advanced version of the Martial Tao Technique.

Although it's quite mystical, it's not difficult to understand.

Or rather, for these warriors who already have a certain foundation in the Martial Tao, and have read through the martial skills of the Cuowu Sect, Bei Xuanwu Martial Mansion, and Wind Fist Style, greatly broadening their horizons, it's really not that challenging.

However, for those demon beasts that have grown solely based on their instincts...

Facing these martial arts techniques, it's as if they're reading something cryptic.

Confused and disoriented...

They were completely at a loss, and in fact, if Xu Lingjun hadn't actually spoken it instead of handing over a book, they probably wouldn't have even understood the written text.

Now, their heads are filled with shortcuts to become stronger but they can't find the way in...

Each one is scratching their heads anxiously. If this cultivation technique hadn't been passed down together, they might even suspect they were being tricked!

Especially now, seeing those humans each having moments of enlightenment, they grew even more anxious.

Fortunately, in these situations, it's time for humans to step up.

"You don't understand? No problem, in the past few days, without rest day and night, I've managed to make some small gains, and if you don't mind, I can share with you."

Liu Shuang could swear he was never this proactive even with the senior he had a crush on back in the day...

Or perhaps, if he had been this proactive then, her child might already be in primary school by now?

It's not just Liu Shuang...

In fact, this is clearly the best opportunity.

These demon beasts are holding treasure keys but don't know how to use them, isn't this exactly the right time for them to step in?

Thus...

The warriors of the Qisha Military District each focused on the demon beasts they fancied and began to earnestly teach them.

Level 7 or below demon beasts are fairly easy to fool, but those above Level 8 aren't as easy to handle.

Fortunately, Xiaoxue had her own methods.

After swatting away a few humans who tried to get close to her.

She closely followed Daxiong's steps.

At this moment.

Lazily laying on a tree, looking so relaxed as if she was about to fall asleep...

But in fact, Xiaoxue's ears were perked up high, constantly eavesdropping on Gu Xi as she earnestly taught Daxiong.

While Daxiong, with a big confused face, stared blankly at Gu Xi, his fur-covered face clearly displayed "I don't understand, I don't know what you're talking about..."

On the contrary, Xiaoxue found it enlightening, since her strength was already there, and it was just because the systems were different that she didn't understand. What she needed were merely pointers with a few key words.

She remembered everything very well.

After all, back home, there were still several demon beasts waiting for her to return and repeat everything word for word.

Thanks to Daxiong...

Gu Xi explained in great detail, even repeating it over and over until Xiaoxue got a bit annoyed.

Finally, when Daxiong once again bashfully expressed that he didn't understand and asked if Gu Xi could explain again...

Gu Xi lowered her head in exhaustion.

She looked sympathetically at this demon beast she had once personally watched grow up, and in a way, she had even helped deliver it.

She sighed and said, "Did I accidentally squeeze your head when I helped deliver you back then?"

Hearing this, Daxiong was stunned, mewed twice, and actually patted Gu Xi's shoulder with his paw, as if saying he didn't blame her.

"I was just lamenting!"

Gu Xi shouted angrily.

Xiaoxue immediately chuckled...

She had already remembered everything she needed to, and if it weren't for the fact that she was now beside the humans, she might have already started practicing that technique.

After all, having been in the Secret Realm for so many years, who among them hadn't saved up a few spirit stones rich in spiritual qi?

She said speechlessly, "I'm really beginning to suspect now, did Xu Lingjun know this Daxiong would be difficult to teach, so he hid away early, dumping the hot potato on you..."

"Meow!"

The hot potato very unhappily glared at Xiaoxue, waving its paw, as if saying "come down if you dare, and I'll teach you a lesson."

Xiaoxue completely ignored Daxiong's provocation.

If she really went down, Daxiong would definitely wave its paws on the tree again and ask if she dared to climb up.

She sighed and said, "Try hard, Daxiong... you have to understand, your master has now evolved to a level that far surpasses yours. In terms of combat, you can't help him at all now; a Level 7 demon beast is no different from ants to him. Why does he leave you with other humans? Because any of his current level of enemies can easily crush you."

Hearing this, Daxiong was shaken, still bragging to Xiaoxue...

But there was an inexplicable trace of gloom in his eyes.

After boasting for a while, he lowered his head and looked at Gu Xi in embarrassment, nudging her chest with his head.

"All right, all right, I'll say it again."

Gu Xi patted Daxiong's head and sighed, "But little Jun didn't disappear because he found you troublesome and didn't want to teach you, silly Daxiong, don't overthink it, okay?"

"Meow."

Daxiong meowed joyfully.

"That's right, it's a magical treasure!"

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Gu Xi said, "He's gone to refine a magical treasure."

"Just mentioned refining a magical treasure, and then disappeared for so many days."

Xiaoxue lazily sprawled on the tree and said, "What exactly is this magical treasure... even the Demon Beasts are curious about what he's been doing during this time."

"Well, I managed to extract some clues about magical treasures from Xiaoqing. By now, almost all the warriors know about it, how come you don't?"

"Of course, I don't know."

"Then let me tell you..."

In an instant, the soul of gossip burned fiercely.

Gu Xi was deeply pleased to have finally found someone to spill the beans to.

Meanwhile, Daxiong began diligently cultivating the Cultivation Technique, filled with ambition...

Xiaoxue's words indeed provoked it.

But unfortunately, Daxiong is undeterred, and if he is too weak to keep up with the master, he will just work hard to become stronger.

Even if there is only a partial understanding...

But it is fully confident that as long as it keeps trying, it will surely catch up with the master's pace.

After all, if there's anything going on, the master won't ignore it... just cultivate freely.

Don't fear mistakes, only laziness.

And Xiaoxue listened to Gu Xi's narration, repeatedly exclaiming in amazement.

It just feels that if it's really as Gu Xi described, when Xu Lingjun reappears, won't his strength become even more formidable?

"How high a peak does he want to climb before he is satisfied?"

Thinking this, Xiaoxue looked at Daxiong, who was practicing diligently below, a trace of pity in its eyes.

The master is too powerful...

No matter how hard you try, you may only be a pet in the future.

However, this little cat, with its shameless demeanor, even if its strength becomes great in the future, will probably still end up being just a pet...

After chatting with Gu Xi for a while longer.

She got up to leave... still needing to hurry back and share what she heard about the Cultivation Technique with her companions.

And also that magical treasure, which must be shared too.

Unexpectedly, Xu Lingjun silently created such a powerful treasure...

This guy is truly amazing.

In just a month.

The changes in the Secret Realm are simply unimaginable.

As of now, besides the excavators at the Spirit Stone Mines still tirelessly mining, the warriors of the Qisha Military District, and even the Demon Beasts, have all plunged into a frenzy of cultivation.

And as they cultivate...

The Spiritual Qi within the Secret Realm has become increasingly abundant.

But unfortunately, this is due to the Spiritual Qi from the Spirit Stones being tapped and not fully absorbed.

This indeed has tremendous benefits for this world...

But in the eyes of the Ancient Tree, it seems somewhat like draining a pond to get all the fish.

If the Spiritual Qi on Blue Star is overconsumed, the already surviving Blue Star may once again face destruction.

But concerning this issue...

Xu Lingjun apparently doesn't care much, as long as there exist cultivators, there is a reasonable aspect to their existence.

It's like when the relics of a cultivation novel are opened...

The treasures they left behind will return to other cultivators, but what about the Spiritual Qi they absorbed?

One must know that the conservation of everything is certain; however much Spiritual Qi a cultivator consumes while alive, so too will they release an equivalent when they die... whether it is Spiritual Qi is unclear, but something equivalent surely exists.

However, the long lifespan of cultivators only stretches this cycle's process to an extremely staggering extent.

At this moment.

While everyone was discussing what kind of powerful magical treasure their Commander in Chief was refining and even beginning to look forward to when he would leave seclusion...

Xu Lingjun was not in seclusion as everyone assumed.

Throughout this month, he indeed started with diligent cultivation.

But once Wang Qingya arrived at the Secret Realm...

Everything naturally changed.

Reuniting after a long separation.

In a place different from the Polar Star Battlefield, although Xu Lingjun was very eager to show her the various wondrous sights within the Secret Realm.

But then there's the Ancient Tree capable of transforming into anything.

It seems it's called Lu Ye... Xu Lingjun has no interest in a live broadcast; this long-lasting hobby has to be set aside for now.

And the news that Wang Qingya brought was indeed quite significant.

"Really... so Carlos wasn't transformed but was injected with a genetic drug, thus becoming a creature similar to silicon-based life."

"Yes."

"Then do we know where this genetic drug comes from?"

"Since it's news from the Desperate Great Wall, we don't know very clearly about it."

Wang Qingya snuggled in Xu Lingjun's arms.

Reaching out with her soft, lotus-like arm from under the blanket to the bedside for a book, but unable to rise, she naturally couldn't see where the book beyond the edge of the bed was, fumbling around...

This was something she wanted to show Xu Lingjun four hours ago, but an unexpected event delayed it by a full four hours.

Fortunately, it's not something too urgent.

Soon enough...

Xiaoya pushed the book into Wang Qingya's hand.

Giggled, "Sister Yaya, here it is."

"Thank you, Xiaoya."

"You're welcome."

Xiaoya said without hesitation, yet her gaze tilted sideways, unable to resist trying to peek through the gap in the blanket tightly covering the two, as if there were some rare and beautiful scene inside.

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Wang Qingya didn't mind, leaning into Xu Lingjun's arm, she said, "Even though we couldn't find out, based on the Baoxue Empire's active publicity of the war, we can still catch a glimpse, for instance... Thirteen years ago, the Baoxue Empire went all out to promote their achievements because of a great victory at the Desperate Great Wall."

She added, "You should also know the character of those people from the Baoxue Empire. When they do something wrong, they refuse to admit it, and find all sorts of grand excuses to cover it up, but for the slightest achievements, they have to publicize it widely."

"So the target they defeated in that great victory was..."

Wang Qingya said, "Silicon Mysterious Clan! And after that great victory, the Silicon Mysterious Clan basically withdrew from the Desperate Great Wall and no longer had the ability to invade Blue Star."

"In other words, it's likely that the Baoxue Empire started contacting those Silicon Based Race people as early as thirteen years ago, but since the two inherently hostile races had to cooperate, there were many difficulties, delaying them for over a decade to finally reach a consensus?"

"There's also another possibility, which is that the Silicon Mysterious Clan was exterminated by the Baoxue Empire... But I don't believe that possibility, after all, not every empire has a famous general like Xu Lingjun."

Wang Qingya looked up at Xu Lingjun with pride in her eyes.

"Ah haha... Sister Yaya, you're praising me so much, I'm a bit at a loss."

Under the covers, Xu Lingjun could feel that Wang Qingya was truly sincere in her words, as she spoke with much substance.

"So how is Carlos?"

Wang Qingya replied, "We've already frozen him. After all, he's a Grandmaster, and to prevent him from escaping, we've completely erased his consciousness."

As she said this,

Her eyes seemed to gleam as if she wasn't talking about a person, but rather an amusing toy.

At this moment, Wang Qingya was no longer the sister who let him adore her at will in his arms.

She had transformed into a scientific maniac.

The desire for research in her eyes made Xu Lingjun shiver.

The immediate reaction was sensed by Wang Qingya.

She looked down in surprise and asked, "Did I scare you?"

"Of course not."

Xu Lingjun naturally couldn't admit it, he quickly said, "Keeping him, this is our ultimate weapon against the Baoxue Empire. With Carlos here, it's hard for them to deny it, but..."

"I understand what you mean, rest assured, the Pavilion Master has already instructed the Zhanzheng Academy to fully cooperate in studying Carlos and uncovering a weapon to restrain silicon-based life forms!"

Xu Lingjun nodded.

In this way,

The initiative against the Baoxue Empire was now in his own hands.

As long as the people from the Qisha Military District completed their training...

At that time, they could launch the final decisive blow against the Baoxue Empire.

But since this battle was to take place within Blue Star, they had to minimize the possibility of nuclear bombs exploding.

This group of mad dogs, with the slightest dissatisfaction, would trot out nuclear bombs for a spin.

It seemed either they needed to find a way to completely shield against nuclear bombs, or make it so they couldn't use nuclear bombs even in their dying moments...

Xu Lingjun gently stroked Wang Qingya's body, pondering in his heart.

At this moment, Wang Qingya had already pulled Xiaoya over to her side, quietly asking about Xu Lingjun's life during this period.

The two of them, one big and one small, were quite harmonious.

And just at this moment...

From afar, a sudden shout was heard.

"Xu Lingjun, I have broken through to Grandmaster, come out and fight me!"

Xu Lingjun immediately chuckled and said, "This is perfect, the pillow arrives just when I feel sleepy... I didn't expect Old City to be so supportive."

"What about you? Is my visit a bit untimely?"

Wang Qingya worriedly said, "I heard you were researching some magical treasures, but since I've come, you haven't been cultivating much..."

"Silly, the magical treasures have already been researched. Whenever needed, I can bring them out at any time, it's just for now... I want to wait a bit longer."

"What are you waiting for then?"

"This is to save resources, Sister Yaya, wait for me a moment, I'll be back soon."

Xu Lingjun lightly lifted Wang Qingya's smooth chin and chuckled, "In ancient times, there was the tale of slaying Hua Xiong with just one drink before the wine turned cold, now I shall fight Han Yun City, before the water dries not halting the joy... I'll be back soon..."

Wang Qingya bit Xu Lingjun angrily, her face flushed as she scolded, "Nonsense!"

And Xiaoya curiously asked, "Is there some water that needs to dry up?"

Chapter 567 - A New Realm

With the power of the Cultivation Technique, Han Yun City breaks through to Grandmaster!

Now, he stands in the air, Blood Qi seething around him...

Below, countless warriors have eyes full of fervor.

During this time, they haven't spent much time with Xu Lingjun, but instead have spent long periods with Han Yun City.

For this reason.

They know more clearly that Han Yun City has only recently broken through to the Ninth Layer of Profound Realm, and theoretically, successfully breaking through to the Grandmaster Realm within ten years would be considered fast.

But now it has only taken a mere one or two months to successfully step into the Grandmaster Realm.

Obviously, this is due to the fortune provided by the Cultivation Technique Xu Lingjun offered.

For this reason, when Han Yun City successfully broke through the Grandmaster Realm and challenged Xu Lingjun.

Everyone erupted in cheers... because today's Han Yun City is tomorrow's them.

Even if there is a gap between both sides.

But with the same Cultivation Technique, the gap surely won't be too large.

"Deputy Commander, show the Commander in Chief!"

"Deputy Commander, keep it up."

"Deputy Commander, we support you!"

Even the Demon Beasts perched on the distant tree branches, stared intently at the formidable presence of Han Yun City.

Xiaoxue's eyes showed a bit of shock, exclaiming, "Just barely broke through yet already has such presence?"

She felt that even though she was a Level 8 Demon Beast, theoretically possessing power rivaling a Grandmaster, if she were to fight this young man, she might die miserably...

This Cultivation Technique is astonishing to such an extent.

And when Xu Lingjun appeared, drenched in sweat...

The atmosphere quickly reached its peak.

"Take this, Old Xu!"

Han Yun City laughed up to the sky, his hands crossing, the vast Blood Qi no longer dispersed as before, but rather condensed like a pillar of energy... rising skyward, transforming into a giant blade, slashing straight toward Xu Lingjun.

And as the Sword Qi slashed down.

He merged himself with the Sword Qi, uniting man and sword, directly pressing toward Xu Lingjun.

The momentum was terrifying, far beyond what it was before.

"Spiritual Power?!"

Su Xun shouted in delighted surprise.

Though its purity was far from his own, Han Yun City undoubtedly replicated his success, successfully stepping into the world of cultivators, becoming the third cultivator.

As for the second cultivator, they were still lying inside the house.

However, Wang Qingya had been thanked and appreciated multiple times, forcefully imbued with cultivation by Xu Lingjun to transform her body, her combat prowess was just a joke...

She only had a much better physique.

But Han Yun City truly fought his way up, having been suppressed by Xu Lingjun for a long time, without even the qualification to challenge him, his heart was already filled with much dissatisfaction...

Now all is vented out.

"Come on, come on, hahaha... huh? My intelligence hasn't dropped..."

Emperor Blood Heaven Slayer was unleashed to full power.

Han Yun City naturally couldn't change his cultivation technique, only learned the best parts, but now unleashed to full power, he was shocked to find his mind was still clear, no longer in previous chaos.

He was overjoyed, his sword force even more absolute.

"Well done!"

Xu Lingjun raised his hand.

The Invisible Sword manifested a trace in his palm.

In the brilliant golden light.

Excalibur surged upstream, directly sweeping out the boundless Blood Qi and rushing toward Han Yun City.

Han Yun City was caught off guard, directly getting his face smeared with his own Blood Qi...

"I win!"

Xu Lingjun smiled faintly, "Old city, you've lost."

Han Yun City angrily shouted, "It's unfair, relying on the advantage of weapons, what's the ability in that, if you have the guts, fight me fairly!"

"Fine, then I'll fight you fair and square!"

Xu Lingjun laughed heartily, sheathed his sword, and leapt forward.

And Han Yun City roared wildly, slashing down hard, countless blood-colored Sword Qi rained down.

But Xu Lingjun's figure continuously shifted, surprisingly moving against the Sword Qi, no matter how turbulent the Sword Qi was, it couldn't harm him at all.

Before the Sword Qi even fell.

The two of them already exchanged a direct strike.

Han Yun City was sent flying backward...

The next moment, he rushed again, although he kept his rationality, he still laughed wildly and arrogantly.

Although no match...

But it seemed Han Yun City was never a match for Xu Lingjun.

But before, the gap was so vast it was like heaven and earth, Han Yun City didn't even have the qualification to challenge him...

Now though the gap is still large, at least it's not uncomparable anymore.

At the same realm.

Just that is enough...

The remaining distance, Han Yun City will catch up step by step.

The two sides fought fiercely again.

In the mesmerizing eyes of the crowd...

The two seemed like two streaks of light, relentlessly entangled in combat.

The continuous rumble between heaven and earth, the booming roars echoing.

The overwhelming air waves shocked the surroundings, ancient tree branches quivered, and the earth cracked inch by inch.

Their exchange of blows was strong enough to shake heaven and earth...

And after a few dozen breaths, Xu Lingjun raised his palm, a finger as sharp as a blade, seemingly Zhou Family's Thousand Slaughter Blade Technique, but its power exceeded the Thousand Slaughter Blade Technique several times over.

Concentrated Blade Qi mixed with scorching flames.

As he forcefully slashed.

A fire dragon roared, rushing fiercely toward Han Yun City.

Such vivid transformation, it was no longer achievable by Martial Skill, but rather... magic!

The fire dragon roared past Han Yun City's head.

Hitting the ancient tree behind him, in an instant, the giant tree, enough for two people to encircle, exploded suddenly.

Boundless and fierce flames roared and erupted.

Han Yun City was stunned.

Without a doubt, if Xu Lingjun's strike hadn't gone astray, he might have been completely melted by the surging fire dragon.

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Looking back at the ancient tree, he exclaimed, "You've already become so strong, I'm afraid even those in the Creation Realm are no match for you now, right?"

Xu Lingjun laughed, "Your strength isn't much worse than the Creation Realm either."

Through Han Yun City, he had already realized this.

In fact, entering the path of martial arts, the foundation laid earlier is very important too.

Just like him, at the moment of breakthrough, he possessed the strength to rival the Creation Realm, but in fact, it was all because his foundation had been laid so deeply before. Upon breakthrough, like a carp leaping over the Dragon Gate, he soared straight to the sky.

Though Han Yun City's accumulation wasn't as deep as his, it was still profound.

The strength also surpassed that of ordinary Grandmasters by far...

But as for others, they might not have such good fortune.

Moreover... the strength of Han Yun City was weaker than he imagined.

He originally thought Han Yun City could battle with him for dozens of rounds... after all, both were in the same realm now.

But Han Yun City's strength was indeed very strong, yet he was almost completely suppressed when facing his spiritual power.

No.

Xu Lingjun immediately realized.

It must be due to the "Infinite Immortal Technique."

The "Infinite Immortal Technique" derived from the "Infinite Divine Demon Body Refining Technique," and that's why his spiritual power was countered by him.

Xu Lingjun reached out to pull up Han Yun City, laughing, "Not bad, your current strength has surpassed eighty percent of the Grandmasters."

Han Yun City laughed, "More importantly, I feel I have not yet reached my limit, the bottleneck no longer exists."

"Well, the phase of rapid progress comes next, then we can spar more often."

"Don't even think about it."

Han Yun City refused resolutely.

Are you kidding... once we fight, that feeling comes again.

It felt like something was lost, but he just couldn't figure out what was lost; it's probably that his spiritual power was unknowingly devoured by him.

After the strength increased, fighting with this guy could suppress the satisfaction springing up inside.

But if we fought too many times... the cultivation might drop back down.

After the two landed.

Xu Lingjun was immediately surrounded by people.

"Commander, why didn't you use a magical treasure just now?"

"Is that sword you made, the magical treasure?"

"So powerful, does it mean that after we breakthrough, we can be as strong as Vice Commander Han?"

Everyone was talking at once...

Obviously, although defeated by Xu Lingjun.

In fact, the strength Han Yun City displayed was already far stronger than the Grandmaster Realm experts they had imagined!

However, Xu Lingjun's rare appearance.

Compared to the expected overwhelming victory, what they cared more about was actually the magical treasure!

The Commander already had an invisible sword in his hand... they didn't know whether it was a magical treasure or not.

Xu Lingjun laughed, "The forms of magical treasures are ever-changing. Even a silk scarf, a piece of paper, can be nourished by spiritual power and transformed into a magical treasure. Once you possess true essence, you can have a magical treasure as well... Currently, I'm researching the specific methods to refine magical treasures, but as for form, I already have some concepts."

He thought for a moment, then said, "In the future when you have free time, you can take a look at some figurine products from Wang's Corporation, you know, the cultivation techniques were actually my concepts from long ago that hadn't been put into practice. So I left those ideas in those products."

As these words fell.

Everyone's eyes suddenly lit up.

Someone asked, "Commander, is it that Wang's Toy Store?"

Xu Lingjun nodded.

This could also be considered as promoting his family business, right? And these people had considerable faith in him, as long as they believed, there would be no worry about authenticity...

Actually, he could have attributed the talent source to some of the magical treasures long ago.

Why not attribute it right away...

Wasn't it just waiting for the source value to decrease?

Those who wait are destined to achieve ultimate victory.

Hearing this, everyone immediately nodded, indicating they would certainly peruse it carefully...

Now that the internet was already installed in this secret realm, as long as they wished, they could view the Commander's creations at any time.

Xu Lingjun nodded in satisfaction and chatted a few more words with Han Yun City.

Then turned around and went back...

Inside the house.

Wang Qingya was pretending to be asleep at this time.

Xu Lingjun took a shower, washing off the dust from the battle just now...

With a mischievous grin, he snuck under the covers.

Then smiled and said, "How about it, didn't I keep my word?"

Wang Qingya kicked Xu Lingjun, pouting, "Xiaojun, you've turned bad."

"It's Sister Yaya who led me astray."

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In the blink of an eye, another month passed.

During this time, the warriors of the Qisha Legion made great strides in strength.

Liu Shuang and more than ten of the most powerful martial artists made successive breakthroughs, this realm of Grandmaster that had once seemed insurmountable, was now crossed within mere months.

Liu Shuang and the others were ecstatic, now basically regarding Xu Lingjun as a deity,

But even more surprising were the demon beasts.

With longer lifespans than humans and relying on their accumulation, many of these powerful demon beasts, although having accumulated deeply over the years, burst forth one after another.

The number of Level 9 demon beasts greatly increased, advancing faster even than humans.

Especially Daxiong.

Though Xu Lingjun had been in seclusion, he gave Daxiong quite a bit of benefits... now it had successfully broken through to Level 8 Demon Beast.

Though still far from matching Xiaoyun, especially after Xiaoyun's breakthrough, it became even stronger.

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But at the very least, Daxiong has genuinely begun to find the motivation to become stronger.

Accompanying this, his physique has become more elongated than before, verging on plumpness, infinitely close to Pang Hu's side, gradually returning to the form of a Snow Leopard.

The power within the Secret Realm has greatly increased.

The Ancient Tree even very ambitiously declared that if those people from the Baoxue Empire dare to come again, it will definitely give them some surprises.

Previously, she could only watch...

But now, she is evidently able to do something.

And during this period.

Xu Lingjun saw Wang Qingya off, and then set a promise to definitely have Su Huanqing come over next time...

It's not because of any personal matter; the main thing is that since the Cultivation Technique was created, it naturally needs to benefit our own people.

By then, just have her thank me a few more times, wouldn't that be enough.

In any case, it doesn't cost anything...

Afterward, it was a long period of peaceful cultivation.

And during this time, apart from the Spirit Stones that must be used by the Baoyan Army Legion.

The engineering team also discovered more than three hundred Spirit Stones in total, categorized into High Grade, Middle Grade, and Low Grade based on their quality. In fact, in terms of purity, there isn't much difference between them.

It's just the amount of Spiritual Qi within that differs.

Some of these Spirit Stones were sent back to the Four Great Academies...

Obviously, they want to research the composition of these Spirit Stones. After all, the Ancient Tree said that these Spirit Stones might be the real reason why Blue Star hasn't been destroyed.

Since they obtained the Spirit Stones, they naturally want to study their value carefully and see if mass production is possible...

The fact that the Baoxue Empire is willing to go to any lengths indicates that these are obviously much more valuable than merely being used for cultivation.

In the blink of an eye, several months passed...

And at this time.

Baoxue Empire, Baofeng City.

In an area where every inch of land is precious, stood a small detached villa.

Who would imagine that in this seemingly unremarkable small villa... resides the top powerhouse in the entire Baoxue Empire.

And during this period.

Visitors have been arriving one after another, and if the identities of these visitors were revealed, it would surely send shockwaves through the entire Baoxue Empire!

King of Blades, Renault!

Paladin, Caludia!

And Heiyin Envoy, Aemon!

Among them, aside from Caludia, the remaining Renault and Aemon have both been notorious villainous figures. Their deeds, though not devoid of humanity, are certainly not considered virtuous.

They are individuals whom the Holy Hall must eliminate.

In the past, they were also chased by the Holy Hall, fleeing in disgrace.

It's just that within the rules of the Baoxue Empire, anyone who breaks through to the Creation Realm...

Can immediately possess a status equivalent to the Sovereign... all past crimes and misdeeds will be forgiven.

So the pursuit could only be put on hold.

But in reality, like Caludia and Uther, on ordinary days they don't think much of these two Creation Realm Grandmasters, and if it weren't for worrying about causing great damage to the Baoxue Empire...

Perhaps they would have already started fighting each other.

"Hey, I didn't expect you, you old short cannon, would want to contact me one day. What's up? Just say it... I've been living here for dozens of days now, and you're still being secretive. If I didn't know you're incapable of harming me, I'd really think you tricked me over to kill me!"

Aemon may be an elder.

But apart from his white hair, he doesn't look much different from a man in his forties or fifties.

There's just a bit of gloominess in his eyes.

After breaking through to the Creation Realm, emotions are generally hard to brighten, the longer the breakthrough, the more so...

After all, breaking through to Creation is a time of great ambition, only to find the road ahead suddenly cut off.

It's hard for anyone to be happy about that.

"Hmm... I didn't say anything because I was afraid you'd gobble it all up, but this feast you simply can't swallow on your own."

Uther swept his gaze over the three faces, saying, "Gentlemen, after stepping into Creation, do you feel lost? Not knowing how to proceed?"

Aemon tapped the table and said, "What nonsense are you spouting? Isn't this all obvious?"

Caludia and Renault didn't speak, but their eyes clearly conveyed the same sentiment...

All are Martial Artists of the Creation Realm; don't you think stating that is a waste of time?

"Is that really a waste of time? Then what I'm going to say next will definitely interest you."

Uther's face displayed a sinister smile...

"Alright, stop smiling, no matter how much you smile with that big beard, we still can't see your smile."

Uther paused and said, "Beyond Creation, there is a brand new realm, a realm that can be infinitely elevated... I haven't reached this realm, but I know someone who has. If you are interested, I can take you to find him."

As soon as these words came out.

The three immediately lit up with wild eyes.

Gazing at Uther with eyes already burning with intensity.

Chapter 570 - A Fight to the Death

Uther's objective is quite clear.

The power of that King of the Secret Realm is extremely strong... If he were to engage in a life-and-death battle with him alone, he likely wouldn't be able to take him down.

However, if four Creation Realm individuals unite, the possibility of capturing him is still significant, or rather, the opponent would have no chance to resist...

As long as he is willing to reveal this secret, the possibility of advancing the Realm again... no strong figure of the Creation Realm can refuse this possibility.

Just like Renault and Aemon, who were once fearless of anything and no one could restrain them... but once he voluntarily threw out this news, they couldn't help but come running over.

"I can swear by the name of the Holy Light, I discovered this matter personally."

Uther unbuttoned his shirt.

On that chest full of hair, a knife scar remained.

He said, "This is the mark from my fight with that person... I deliberately kept this scar as evidence, you can come and sense it carefully."

Aemon leaned over.

His gaze fervently fixed on his chest, reaching out to touch it.

Then withdrew his hand, his fingertips already cut with a gash...

But even so, he could still sense the nearly endless rich vitality within.

He exclaimed in surprise, "Who is the person you fought with?"

"Want to find him?"

Uther smiled, "Not afraid to tell you the truth, if I hadn't retreated on purpose back then, I probably wouldn't be here talking to you well today... that person's strength is formidable, hoping to monopolize him, even if one's strength is twice mine, it's absolutely impossible."

Caludia furrowed his brows, "That formidable?"

"Would I be raising the other's morale and diminishing my own courage?"

Uther said, "No strong figure of the Creation Realm can refuse this information, but similarly, I do not want to share it with anyone. The reason for contacting you is because you are from the Baoxue Empire, and no matter how rebellious you are, on major issues of right and wrong, I hope you can grasp it!"

Renault said, "Conditions!"

"I can share the information about this person with you, even working together to capture him, extracting the secrets we want from him, but correspondingly, if we succeed in this operation, I need you to serve Baoxue Empire for twenty years, how about it?"

Uther said, "If you don't agree, then I can only resort to people from another country, you know, no one can refuse this news."

"You've repeated it a hundred times."

Renault stood up, saying, "If this is true, I agree, but if it's false, Uther, you'll find out what a terrible enemy you've provoked."

"I agree too."

Aemon gazed at the wound on his hand dazedly.

Even now, the wound hasn't healed yet.

Obviously...

This power is completely different from his True Power, more vibrant, with stronger destructive capability.

This is a level above Guiyuan, different from Creation, another kind of Realm.

He licked his wound with infatuation, and began to laugh softly.

"Very well, now let me talk about our plan!"

Uther said seriously, "That person is extremely powerful, and within the Secret Realm, it's still his domain. Under the conditions where he has the terrain advantage, the possibility of capturing him alive is minuscule, so we must strike unexpectedly... The Baoxue Army will invade the Secret Realm again, and this time, twenty Holy Hall Grandmasters will be going."

Twenty Holy Hall Grandmasters?

The three of them know what Uther means by these words.

The Holy Hall has only recruited fifty strong Grandmasters in total, though there are quite a number of wandering Grandmasters out there, their strength is actually not up to par... In the Empire, there are just those few dozens of true Grandmaster Level experts.

This practically mobilized half of them at once.

Unfortunately, these three have no idea that actually nearly ten of these people have fallen.

Plus these twenty.

They already invested over half of their combat power into the Secret Realm.

"Victory is a must!"

Uther said coldly, "If we fail, our Baoxue Empire will completely lose the ability to counter the Desperate Great Wall... and we four are the killing blow this time. As long as we can capture the King of the Secret Realm alive, then, with their leaderless chaos, we will be inevitably victorious!"

"You're the one in charge!"

The few nodded in agreement.

"Then I'll go and inform His Majesty, it's time to act."

Caludia spoke.

The most elite Holy Cross Army of the Desperate Great Wall is urgently transferred to the Secret Realm... it surely can't be finished in one or two days.

Moreover, for every day the Holy Cross Army leaves the Desperate Great Wall, the crisis faced by the Desperate Great Wall escalates.

Their time is very pressing as well.

Seven days later.

Xu Lingjun was in the Secret Realm, receiving a communication from Han Xu Yang.

During this period, apart from mining Spirit Stones, the engineering soldiers weren't idle, having already successfully set up signal towers here that ensure complete communication between the Imperial Capital and the depths of the Secret Realm.

Just like now.

Xu Lingjun sat in the Secret Realm, yet he could directly communicate with Han Xu Yang.

"What?"

Upon hearing Han Xu Yang's words, Xu Lingjun frowned and said, "The Baoxue Empire's army has started mobilizing again?"

Han Xu Yang nodded and said, "After the incident some time ago, we have already been able to directly monitor the Baoxue Empire... this time, they didn't use powerful weapons, but instead, launched an elite force. It seems they have not given up their intention to obtain Spirit Stones."