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Chapter 1091: The Path to Foundation Establishment

Seeing Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang so eager to try Foundation Establishment, Yang Fei pondered briefly and said to Ye Wuya, "Brother Ye, are none of you from the Lingxiao Sect able to refine the Foundation Establishment Pill?"

Ye Wuya shook his head and said, "To refine the Foundation Establishment Pill, one must be at least a Second Rank Middle Grade Alchemist. Among us, Yun Zong Junior Brother has the highest alchemy skill, but he only advanced to Second Rank Alchemist a few years ago and still has a gap to reach Second Rank Middle Grade. Most importantly, the materials for refining Foundation Establishment Pill are quite demanding. They can be fully gathered in the Cultivation World of the Central Great World, but in this Earth Space, it's almost impossible."

Yang Fei frowned and said, "Earth is also vast and resource-rich, many herbs are available. It's not necessarily impossible to gather the herbs for refining the Foundation Establishment Pill, right?"

Ye Wuya smiled and shook his head, "Fellow Daoist Yang, you may not know, but to refine the Foundation Establishment Pill, besides precious herbs, the inner core of a spiritual beast or demon beast is needed as a catalyst, otherwise it cannot be synthesized. Earth has just experienced Spiritual Energy Revival, and there are no spiritual beasts or demon beasts yet."

Yang Fei was dumbfounded on the spot.

Qin Yanyang sighed and said, "Hearing you say that, Cultivation is really difficult."

Ye Wuya nodded and said, "Indeed, cultivating is going against the heavens, naturally full of hardships."

Yang Fei looked towards Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang, saying, "Do you two really not want to wait a bit longer? You can follow my Foundation Establishment method and refine your entire body's meridians and acupoints first. With your True Qi cultivation, this process shouldn't take more than a year or so."

Qin Yanyang nodded and said, "Yes, I also cultivated using the method Yang Fei mentioned. After my meridians and acupoints were refined to an extremely strong state, I naturally crossed the tribulation and established my foundation."

Helian Zhan's gaze was firm as he resolutely said, "Brother Ye, could you tell us the Foundation Establishment Technique? Brother Chunyang and I will study it. If it's possible, we'll try it. If not, we'll wait and follow Yang Fei's method."

Wang Chunyang nodded and said, "Yes, I think the same."

Ye Wuya immediately said, "Since you two are so anxious, I will tell you the Foundation Establishment Technique."

Ye Wuya then briefly described the Foundation Establishment Technique.

After listening to Ye Wuya's description, everyone fell silent.

After a moment, Helian Zhan said, "So, Foundation Establishment is about making the cultivator's body more in tune with the Heavenly Dao Power, converting True Qi into Immortal Law power, causing another qualitative change in True Qi, and transforming the cultivator's body into a furnace of heaven and earth, capable of refining nature's spiritual energy into mana?"

Ye Wuya nodded and said, "That's roughly it. In short, after Foundation Establishment, the absorbed Spiritual Power becomes true mana, and the cultivator can use it to wield some Divine Skills. Otherwise, with just a Martial Artist's Inner Strength and True Qi, it's impossible to unleash the power of Divine Skills."

Wang Chunyang said, "This scenario is akin to the transition from Inner Strength to the Energy Transformation Realm."

Ye Wuya, who also had some knowledge of Martial Arts, nodded and said, "More or less, but the difference between mana and True Qi is far greater than the difference between True Qi and Inner Strength."

Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang nodded.

They were well aware of this point.

No matter how formidable Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang were before, they could be opposed, but now that both had established their foundation, the power they wielded was entirely different, giving others a feeling of being overwhelmed; hence, the difference between mana and True Qi was significant.

"Therefore, once you start Foundation Establishment, your body must withstand the transition from True Qi to mana. This process involves the tempering of Heavenly Dao Power on you. If you can't endure it, you will fail in Foundation Establishment, causing great harm and often resulting in a drop in Realm," Ye Wuya warned.

Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang nodded with solemn expressions.

Afterward, both expressed their gratitude to Ye Wuya and left.

Watching them depart, Ye Wuya sighed and said, "Their conviction is incredibly strong, and their confidence in their abilities is something I have never seen before."

Yang Fei laughed and said, "Indeed, you could call them arrogant, but it's precisely because of this self-confidence that they have come this far. They've never asked about my method for Foundation Establishment, so it seems they've decided to try the method you suggested."

Ye Wuya nodded silently and said, "Yes, they'll surely try my method. However, they are in fact rushing too much. I believe that using your Foundation Establishment method would give them a higher chance of success. Additionally, if they combine it with a Foundation Establishment Pill, the success rate could increase by two to three times. This would, in turn, significantly boost the overall strength of the Cultivation World."

Yang Fei chuckled, "That's quite an exaggeration."

Ye Wuya thought for a moment and said seriously, "I'm not exaggerating; I'm stating facts. Your method of refining the body's meridians and acupoints to an extremely strong level is similar to the legendary path of physical immortality and sanctification."

Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang's expressions subtly changed.

The more they interacted with the people from the Lingxiao Sect, the more they realized that Earth's cultivation path differed slightly from the Cultivation World in the Central Great World.

Just like their own Foundation Establishment.

According to the people from the Lingxiao Sect, both were indeed at the Foundation Establishment Stage in terms of cultivation.

Yet the way they achieved Foundation Establishment was different from that in the Cultivation World.

In the Cultivation World, Foundation Establishment hardly ever triggered a Heavenly Tribulation, but when Yang Fei established his foundation, he was tempered by the Thunder Power of the Five Stars Thousand Mechanism Killing Array.

As for Qin Yanyang, she directly attracted nine thunder tribulations during her breakthrough.

The most crucial point is that neither of them used Foundation Establishment Pills, yet they succeeded.

In the Cultivation World, without the Foundation Establishment Pill, the success rate of Foundation Establishment is only one to two percent, which for an individual effectively means near zero—the likelihood of success is practically nonexistent.

A genuine Foundation Establishment Pill can increase the success rate by two to three percent, while a premium Foundation Establishment Pill can raise it to four percent.

Thus, cultivators with genuine and premium Foundation Establishment Pills face a success rate of fifty to sixty percent. Even with such odds, many still fail to establish their foundation.

This is why cultivation is so arduous.

Yet both Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang succeeded in Foundation Establishment without even knowing what a Foundation Establishment Pill is.

To the seven people of the Lingxiao Sect, this was extraordinary and extremely peculiar.

"We'll just have to wait and see. If Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang also succeed in Foundation Establishment..." Ye Wuya paused, then sighed, "If they do succeed, then the future path of cultivation for you Earthlings, who transition from Martial Artists to cultivators, might be vastly different from the traditional path of cultivators."

Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang felt a stirring in their hearts and couldn't help but become filled with anticipation for Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang's Foundation Establishment.

Qin Yanyang thought for a moment and said, "Yang Fei, why don't we keep an eye on them these next few days to ensure nothing happens to them."

Yang Fei nodded, "Alright, no matter what, they are the elite of our Earth. If they succeed in Foundation Establishment, they will be a great support in facing external threats or if we venture into the Central Great World."

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Three days later, outside the house where Helian Zhan resided, Yang Fei, Qin Yanyang, the five members of Lingxiao Sect, along with Helian Rong and Ouyang He, waited solemnly.

Especially Helian Rong, her face showed signs of worry, clearly very nervous.

"Yang Fei, will... will my father be okay?" Helian Rong couldn't help asking Yang Fei.

Yang Fei replied, "Since he's determined to attempt the Foundation Establishment Stage, he must have some confidence. Moreover, failing Foundation Establishment doesn't pose a life threat. Rest assured."

Upon hearing there's no life threat, Helian Rong instantly relaxed quite a bit.

Ouyang He, Huang Chengcheng, and several elder masters of the Divine Travel Realm with similar status to Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang, had complex expressions on their faces.

Lately, as they cultivated here, they felt considerable progress, sensing their current Realm couldn't satisfy their potential advancement.

It was a sign of imminent breakthrough.

Yet, none dared to easily attempt a breakthrough.

Now, Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang had announced seclusion to pursue the Foundation Establishment Stage, posing invisible pressure and immense encouragement to them.

Why could those two succeed and not us?

Are we really inferior to their innate talents and qualifications?

Having cultivated to the peak of the Divine Travel Realm, none were willing to concede defeat, proud, unwilling to admit inferiority to others.

Outside Wang Chunyang's residence, several top masters of Langya Wang Family also stood guard.

Some masters of the Divine Travel Realm who were on good terms with Langya Wang Family were also present.

Three days ago, after the two received the method for Foundation Establishment, they chose to undergo seclusion for breakthrough.

During Foundation Establishment, any interference from the outside world was forbidden, so their family and friends voluntarily gathered here, acting as protectors for the two.

Though Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang had long told everyone that any disruption to the two's Foundation Establishment would be a declaration of hostility to all, the experts felt more at ease standing guard around the residences.

An additional week passed swiftly.

The two had been attempting Foundation Establishment for ten days.

This morning, a strong spiritual energy fluctuation emerged from Helian Zhan's room.

Soon after, spiritual energy gathered above the sky, seemingly containing an indescribable will of the Heavenly Dao, with this powerful force and Heavenly Dao's will continuously pouring into Helian Zhan's room.

"He's truly attempting Foundation Establishment!" Yun Zong was taken aback, speaking with disbelief.

Ye Wuya, Lu Chen, Gan Qian, and Linglong were also dumbfounded.

Gan Qian took a deep breath, muttering, "Without Foundation Establishment pills, daring to attempt is... this guy is truly crazy."

"Who said otherwise, the key is, in this situation, Foundation Establishment has begun, meaning it's already halfway successful." Lu Chen was somewhat speechless.

Earth cultivators were all greatly shocked upon hearing their conversation.

According to them, Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang's choice to attempt Foundation Establishment was a perilous endeavor. Despite this risk, Helian Zhan managed to achieve a fifty percent success rate.

No wonder he's hailed as a once-in-a-millennium cultivation genius in the Hidden Sect World, truly exceptional.

"He's successfully taken a crucial step, but for the other person, it might not be a good thing." Ye Wuya said solemnly to Yang Fei.

Everyone was startled and shifted their gaze toward Ye Wuya.

Ye Wuya explained, "With two in close proximity attempting Foundation Establishment concurrently, they might agitate each other. Helian Zhan took a critical step; if Wang Chunyang's resolve isn't steadfast, he might become anxious, leading to danger."

The four others from Lingxiao Sect also nodded.

Qin Yanyang frowned and said, "Why didn't you say so earlier?"

Ye Wuya chuckled bitterly, "Did you forget? I reminded them when they asked me for advice that day."

Qin Yanyang recalled slightly, and it seemed Ye Wuya indeed reminded them.

Yang Fei shook his head at Qin Yanyang, saying, "They're immensely prideful and arrogant individuals, thus even knowing they'll interfere with each other, they chose simultaneous Foundation Establishment, showing their resolve to succeed or die trying."

Qin Yanyang felt somewhat empathetic, saying, "Too hasty."

These are the elite of the Earth's cultivation world, sacrificing any of them would be a loss.

Yang Fei said, "It's their choice, no one can change it."

Helian Zhan's Foundation Establishment process continued steadily.

In contrast, Wang Chunyang's side remained silent.

Until two days later, suddenly, a gust of wind rose around Wang Chunyang's residence, intensifying the spiritual energy.

The five from Lingxiao Sect changed expressions drastically, showing disbelief.

Linglong exclaimed loudly, "How...how's it possible? These two...strong conviction!"

"Even under such circumstances, not being disrupted, maintaining a stable Dao Heart, their resolve is exceptionally firm." Gan Qian sincerely admired.

Ye Wuya took a deep breath, looking at Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang with a complex expression, saying, "You top cultivators on Earth indeed are quite remarkable."

Over these days, Yang Fei was also somewhat worried about Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang. At this moment, he breathed a sigh of relief, smiling, "Didn't you say before, a world with Spiritual Energy Revival will usher a wave of cultivation talent explosion, looks like Earth didn't break this pattern, the Earth cultivation world will witness tremendous development."

The members of Lingxiao Sect were left speechless.

This once-despised low-level technological civilization planet, now transitioning rapidly to cultivation civilization, and the natives seemed naturally blessed, favored by the Heavenly Dao, displaying extraordinary cultivation potential.

First, Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang, and now Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang.

If Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang succeed in Foundation Establishment, then in less than a year since Spiritual Energy Revival on Earth, four Foundation Establishment cultivators would emerge.

In the cultivation world, a single Foundation Establishment cultivator could create a small aristocratic family.

A cultivation family with four Foundation Establishment cultivators would be considered very powerful, enough to dominate a region, becoming a sovereign force.

Moreover, the presence of top-grade spiritual ore like White Jade City had the five from Lingxiao Sect overwhelmed.

The natives of this planet, in the foreseeable future, would undoubtedly grow rapidly, potentially experiencing an explosion of development.

If the Southern Domain doesn't quickly expand transport channels to allow Core Formation stage experts over, Earth's native cultivators might soon develop and grow strong.

Might even give rise to Core Formation Masters.

Once possessing several Core Formation Masters, Outer Domain forces attempting to colonize this planet would no longer find it easy.

Thus, halfway up the main peak of White Jade City, vast spiritual power gathered, mingling with two mysterious and boundless forces of nature.

This situation persisted for more than ten days, and on this evening, suddenly the skies became dense with thunderclouds, an overwhelming force appeared.

"Heavenly Tribulation!"

"How's it possible, this... is this still Foundation Establishment, how did Heavenly Tribulation arise?"

"I don't understand these Earth cultivators."

The five from Lingxiao Sect were astonished, feeling their understanding of the cultivation world had been greatly challenged.

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Although Qin Yanyang had a Heavenly Tribulation during Foundation Establishment, the people of the Lingxiao Sect had only heard about it and never witnessed it themselves.

But now, after many days since Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang entered Foundation Establishment, they unexpectedly faced a Heavenly Tribulation at the most crucial moment. This was a shocking scene witnessed personally.

For a moment, the people from Lingxiao Sect felt chaotic inside, their entire bodies numb.

What kind of world is this?

What path of cultivation is this that the cultivator follows? Why is it that the first step into the true realm of cultivation is so different from others?

At the peak of White Jade City, thunderclouds gathered densely above the sky.

The rumbling sound was faintly hidden within the thunderclouds, and the majestic Heavenly might made hearts tremble.

After brewing for an unknown amount of time, a flash of lightning cut through the night sky, illuminating the entire world.

This bolt of lightning descended toward the mid-mountain of White Jade City at an astonishing speed.

The hearts of everyone trembled, watching nervously and expectantly in the direction where the lightning struck.
It seemed to be landing between the wooden huts where Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang resided.
Crash!
With a loud bang, that gigantic lightning bolt resembling a silver dragon suddenly split into two, striking at the huts of Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang respectively.
Rumble!
Two massive explosions occurred simultaneously.
Both roofs suddenly exploded, and under the eyes of everyone, Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang soared into the sky from their rooms, flying directly to meet the two split lightning bolts.
"Rumble!"
Accompanied by the sound of thunder, two frightening bolts of lightning, driven by this force, struck Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang.
It was observed that around Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang, a protective Gang Qi enveloped them.
The arc-shaped protective shield formed by this Gang Qi was instantly covered with dense cracks.
The power of lightning and thunder seeped through, striking their bodies.
Amidst the dazzling lightning, people vaguely saw the clothes on their bodies torn into countless fragments, hanging in tatters.

Not only that, but there were also tiny spots appearing on their robes, with the smell of charred high-voltage electricity permeating the air.
The strong figures at the Foundation Establishment Stage present gleamed with surprise and joy in their eyes.
Helian Rong covered her small mouth with her hand, trembling all over.
Yang Fei said to her, "They held on, that first thunderbolt was withstood by them."
Helian Zhan relaxed a bit but quickly asked anxiously, "The first thunderbolt? Could there be a second one?"
Yang Fei nodded, "It should be."
Ye Wuya took a deep breath and said, "Once one successfully withstands a bolt of Heavenly Tribulation, a cultivator's body is tempered and infused with the power of the Heavenly Dao Immortal Technique. Their internal True Qi is refined into Immortal Mana, and the body undergoes a true qualitative transformation, becoming a genuine cultivator. Under normal circumstances, no second Heavenly Tribulation is required."
Yang Fei frowned, "No way? How can one bolt of Heavenly Tribulation temper the body to perfect condition?"
The corners of the mouths of the Lingxiao Sect people twitched.
One bolt isn't enough?
Do you even know how terrifying a Heavenly Tribulation is?

Any cultivator facing a Heavenly Tribulation is extremely fearful because the Heavenly Tribulation represents the will of the Heavenly Dao. It's the Heavenly Dao sensing that you are seizing its fortunes, knowing you are violating its will, so it sends down the Heavenly Tribulation to destroy you. And you actually want multiple Heavenly Tribulations? However, just when the Lingxiao Sect people were internally complaining, there was a thunderous roar from above the sky, and the second bolt of lightning fiercely descended. Similarly, this bolt of lightning split into two again, striking Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang. Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang were prepared, and once again condensed powerful protective Gang Qi around their bodies. The crowd was surprised to find that the protective Gang Qi they condensed this time was noticeably more solid and strong than the previous one. It even had a faint metallic luster. Rumble! Lightning struck again on the protective Gang Qi around them. However, the protective Gang Qi still couldn't withstand the terrifying power of the lightning. Though this protective Gang Qi was much stronger than before, the power of the Heavenly Tribulation seemed even greater. The Heavenly Dao was determined to destroy them.

"Ah!"



It was either going to destroy their bodies or temper them, elevating their bodies from mortal flesh to the fundamental constitution of a cultivator. Although it seems like a long story, the process from when the Heavenly Tribulation strikes to when it disappears is merely a momentary instant. In the blink of an eye, the lightning vanished from their bodies. The crowd's tightly clenched hearts relaxed a bit because they noticed that the two were still alive. They had survived another tribulation. Rumble! The third bolt of thunder descended rapidly, seemingly not giving them time to react. The two indeed appeared somewhat frantic, but they simultaneously let out a roar, soaring skyward to meet the separated bolts of lightning. The dazzling lightning flashed and vanished. Everyone observed that almost all the clothes on their bodies were burned away. The women hurriedly averted their eyes, not daring to look further. The men, however, didn't care about that much, watching the high sky with tension. Above the sky, the thunderclouds dispersed. At the same time, two strong auras were released.

Yang Fei exclaimed with joy, "Did it work?" Qin Yanyang silently nodded. Though she lowered her head and didn't look at the two in the sky, she could feel their auras were now vastly different, at least threatening to some extent. The five members of Lingxiao Sect were stunned. These two reached Foundation Establishment simultaneously, not affected, but instead driven as if stimulated, competing with each other, ultimately attracting the Heavenly Tribulation for tempering, and it was three bolts that tempered them, directly elevating their strength to the Foundation Establishment Early Stage. Who would tell me what exactly is happening here? When did Foundation Establishment become this easy? No. This is far more terrifying than the cultivators of the Central Great World establishing their Foundation. If the two hadn't withstood those three bolts, they'd face death and obliteration, vanishing from existence. However, in the Central Great World, if a cultivator's Foundation Establishment fails, at most they fall in realm, damage their Dao Heart, and most never get another chance at successful Foundation Establishment. But they can at least live. Yet, cultivators on Earth face a life-and-death calamity in Foundation Establishment.

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The people from Lingxiao Sect expressed confusion about the cultivation methods of this world.

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Soon, someone brought robes for Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang to wear.

When the two who successfully established their Foundation appeared again in the sight of everyone, it felt as though their auras were completely different.

How to say it, just like Qin Yanyang, Yang Fei, and the few Foundation Establishment Cultivators from the Lingxiao Sect, they exuded a transcendent aura, at a glance making people feel they were not ordinary.

This is after Foundation Establishment, they have been truly recognized by the Heavenly Dao as true cultivators, and to ordinary people, they are already Immortals.

Although, the true meaning of becoming an Immortal is still far, far away, stepping into the Foundation Establishment Stage marks the critical first step in a journey of a thousand miles, which is of utmost importance.

Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang exuded strong confidence. After landing on the ground, they first nodded to their loved ones to express gratitude for their guardianship during this time, then looked at Yang Fei, Qin Yanyang, and the five from the Lingxiao Sect.

Everyone was now in the Foundation Establishment Stage. Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang originally felt that they were impressive, but at the moment, they still sensed a tremendous threat from these few individuals.

The two suppressed their prideful emotions, exchanged a glance, then simultaneously cupped their fists and bowed: "Thank you for your guardianship."

Yang Fei waved a hand and said: "We are all allies on the path of cultivation, it's expected. Moreover, the success of you two in establishing your Foundation is entirely a result of your own efforts."

Ye Wuya took a deep breath, looking at the two with a complex expression, confirming that they had indeed successfully established their Foundation, he sighed: "You have shown us an alternative method of Foundation Establishment."

He gave a thumbs-up and continued: "Foundation Establishment that attracts Heavenly Tribulation, and even withstands three bolts of lightning, your future cultivation path will most certainly be smoother and farther than the vast majority of cultivators."

Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang's eyes lit up upon hearing this, and the latter couldn't help but ask: "Is there really such a saying?"

Ye Wuya nodded and said: "In the cultivation world of the Central Great World, occurrences of Foundation Establishment attracting Heavenly Tribulation have indeed happened, but they are extremely rare, and cultivators who experience it during Foundation Establishment often are erased by the Heavenly Dao. Those who succeed go on to achieve extraordinary accomplishments on their cultivation journey."

The envious and astonished expressions of Yun Zong, Gan Qian, Lu Chen, and Linglong were apparent, and they all nodded to show affirmation of Ye Wuya's words.

Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang were overjoyed in their hearts.

People love to hear nice things, especially since the two had just successfully established their Foundation, they were naturally happy.

However, the two still displayed a modest demeanor. Helian Zhan once again bowed to several people and humbly asked for guidance: "We know little about the Immortal Law and Divine Skills in the cultivation world, and will need to trouble you several for guidance in the future."

The Lingxiao Sect members all nodded without issue.

But deep down, a crisis of teaching disciples and starving master arose in them.

They felt that the cultivation speed of these Earth Foundation Establishment cultivators might surpass their own pace in the future.

It seemed they also needed to work harder to improve their strength, and not let these people overtake them, otherwise they would feel truly embarrassed.

Yang Fei looked at Huang Chengcheng and said, "Master, you need to focus more on cultivation, and as for establishing the Taoist sect, wait until you become a Foundation Establishment Cultivator, and when more people on Earth step into the cultivation domain, then it won't be too late to strive for it."

Huang Chengcheng blushed, rolled his eyes, and said, "You brat, your wings have hardened now, daring to lecture your master."

Yang Fei chuckled: "I'm just worried that if you're surpassed by others, you'll lose face."

Huang Chengcheng huffed: "Get lost, once I start working hard, you might not even be able to keep up, it's just Foundation Establishment, I can soon achieve it."

Ouyang He looked at Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang, then quietly turned and left.

Helian Zhan noticed his departing figure, wanting to greet him, but ultimately chose silence.

He knew that although they were once at the same realm, now that he and Wang Chunyang had stepped into the Foundation Establishment Stage ahead of time, the impact on Ouyang He's heart was not small.

This was good, too, in such a special era, there was either striving forward for strength or being ruthlessly eliminated by the world.

Wang Chunfeng, Wang Chunjiang, and Wang Changchun all turned and left with determined expressions.

Zhuge Cang, Zuo Wenjun, Mo Li, Chen Liangzhong, Mo Yunhai, and other Divine Travel Realm experts were all stimulated by Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang simultaneously stepping into the Foundation Establishment Stage, and everyone had a surge of determination to strive forward.

If they can do it, so can we.

The path to immortality requires striving forward to succeed, any slack or degeneration will only leave one forever behind.

Besides Divine Travel Realm cultivators, those detected with a cultivation Spirit Root were also filled with vigor, eager to cultivate and quickly enter the Foundation Establishment Stage.

Soon, everyone dispersed to return to their cultivation.

Ye Wuya reminded Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang: "The two of you just succeeded in Foundation Establishment and need to refine and familiarize yourselves with this state, and solidify and deepen your Foundation Establishment Stage."

Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang nodded repeatedly, the two also felt that although they had successfully broken through to Foundation Establishment, there seemed to be something missing, a sense of unfamiliarity with their own bodies.

"Everyone, gratitude doesn't need words, we need to stabilize our realm, so we will take our leave." Helian Zhan cupped his fists and took his leave.

Wang Chunyang didn't speak, also cupping his fist as a salute to everyone before leaving with Helian Zhan.

Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang also prepared to return to cultivation, when Lu Chen suddenly called after them, "Wait a minute, you two."

The two turned to look at Lu Chen.

Lu Chen said, "Senior Brother Li Yue just sent some information."

Yang Fei's eyes lit up, and he curiously asked, "Oh? How did you communicate? How was the message transmitted over such a long distance?"

Lu Chen replied, "The Ten Thousand Mile Communication Talisman."

Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang's expressions changed, shocked: "The Ten Thousand Mile Communication Talisman?"

Lu Chen nodded, "Yes, but I currently can't refine this talisman on my own, it was a gift from my master. When Senior Brother Li Yue and Senior Brother Du Hui left, I entrusted one talisman to Senior Brother Li Yue. As long as you're within ten thousand miles, you can use your mana to activate this divine talisman for simple communication and conveyance."

Yang Fei took a deep breath, amazed: "Is it that amazing? The Rune Tao is truly profound and extensive."

Lu Chen smiled, "Indeed, the Rune Tao has widespread applications in the cultivation world and often achieves many unexpected effects."

Qin Yanyang asked, "What did Li Yue and Du Hui say?"

The other Lingxiao Sect members also looked curiously at Lu Chen, wanting to know who exactly were the cultivators who came to Earth this time.

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Lu Chen, upon hearing this, took out a jade token engraved with runes in front of everyone.

This jade token was palm-sized, smooth as a mirror, with densely engraved tiny runes on both sides.

When Lu Chen infused it with mana, a faint golden glow suddenly appeared on the ten-thousand-mile communication talisman, and the original runes disappeared, replaced by ancient unified text from the Central Great World.

The Lingxiao Sect members didn't find it odd, but Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang were secretly amazed.

In the age of technological civilization, communication was very advanced; a phone call could reach anywhere in the world. So after the great cataclysm, as the entire technological civilization regressed by hundreds of years, people like Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang, who originally lived in modernized cities, felt very uncomfortable and had difficulty adapting due to severe communication constraints.

Unexpectedly, the communication tools in the Cultivation World were so impressive.

The ten-thousand-mile communication talisman, if referring to a straight-line distance of ten thousand miles, would indeed be impressive.

Ye Wuya and others gathered around Lu Chen, their eyes fixed on the text appearing on the jade token.

Yang Fei understood these texts slightly, and Qin Yanyang had also studied a lot recently, but still, there were some words she couldn't quite understand.

She said to Lu Chen, "What's the content? Read it aloud for us."

Lu Chen said, "Senior Brother Li Yue mentioned that the team coming this time includes people from the Flame Moon Sect, Great Dao Sect, Qingchuan He Family, Fengtai Feng Family, and Zhong Family of Sunset Island. They came with a total of eighteen people on one Spirit Ship."

Yang Fei's gaze swept over the jade token, confirming that the content was indeed as Lu Chen described.

Lu Chen continued, "Senior Brothers Li Yue and Du Hui are already with them, and have ascertained that no Core Formation stage powerhouses are in their entourage. It appears the passageway to Earth still has limitations on the cultivators' realm."

Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang breathed a slight sigh of relief.

As long as no Core Formation stage powerhouses were accompanying them, it was fine.

Though the two had never witnessed the power of a Core Formation stage, from the Lingxiao Sect members' descriptions, they sensed an overwhelming difference between Core Formation and Foundation Establishment Stage.

In a cultivation world where realm hierarchy was strict, within the same realm, with magic treasures and some special secret technique means, there might be a possibility of defeating enemies beyond one's realm, but crossing the vast gap between major realms to eliminate opponents was almost impossible.

The two deeply understood this.

For example, with their Foundation Establishment stage cultivation, those in Divine Travel Realm or below Innate Realm couldn't possibly defeat them.

"It seems the sect surmised something went wrong on our side, or else the people from Flame Moon Sect, Great Dao Sect, and the three great aristocratic families wouldn't have come in such numbers," Yun Zong said.

The Lingxiao Sect members nodded silently, their faces showing a bit of shame.

The sect regarded them as future elites to be nurtured here for opportunities, yet they couldn't return, and in a sense, had betrayed the sect.

They looked at Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang, unsure of how these two planned to handle the upcoming events.

Would they detain these people here, or intend to kill them? Ye Wuya asked, "Friend Yang, how do you plan to address this matter?" Yang Fei said, "Since they've come, let them not return for the time being. I don't want the situation here to be known by the people of the Central Great World, or it will be a huge disaster for our Earth." The Lingxiao Sect members shuddered internally. Indeed. Yang Fei had already considered Earth as his own territory, especially with the rich cultivation resources in White Jade City; he certainly wouldn't allow others to covet it. The few nodded in understanding of Yang Fei's decision. If it were them, they would also risk everything to defend the colossal treasure of White Jade City. As for the huge disaster he mentioned. Hehe, to speak bluntly, the Lingxiao Sect members truly didn't believe Yang Fei was that high-minded. Moreover, for most ordinary human beings on Earth, who couldn't cultivate, whoever ruled over them made little difference to their bottom-of-the-ladder status. As long as those who came to Earth weren't demonic cultivators, they wouldn't indiscriminately kill the innocent, and ordinary folks would continue living their own lives. Qin Yanyang asked Lu Chen, "Did they mention how far away they are?"

Lu Chen shook his head, "No. But the maximum distance my pair of ten-thousand-mile communication talismans can reach is twelve thousand miles, so we can determine they are within this range, otherwise, we wouldn't receive Senior Brother Li Yue's messages."

Yang Fei said, "Ask him if this team is heading this way."

Lu Chen nodded and immediately activated his mana to engrave the inquiry on the jade token.

Soon after, a golden glow flashed across the jade token, and those words were transmitted.

This operation was just like people sending texts on their mobile phones.

Except that mobile phones use tech-based communications, while these ten-thousand-mile communication talismans require a specific expenditure of mana and telekinesis to transmit messages to one another.

After sending the message, they waited for the time it takes to brew a cup of tea before receiving a reply from Li Yue.

He said the team had detected that the Earth's spiritual energy was spreading from the Arctic region, and their Spirit Ship was heading full speed towards White Jade City and could arrive in three hours.

"So fast?" Yang Fei was slightly surprised.

Lu Chen said, "At around twelve thousand miles range, if the Spirit Ship goes full throttle, it might reach in an hour. But, Earth being a planet with recently revived spiritual energy, still has significant spatial constraints, so full throttle causes considerable wear on the Spirit Ship, necessitating a slowdown."

Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang were slightly taken aback.

Previously, the Spirit Ship piloted by the Lingxiao Sect disciples didn't seem particularly fast.

Unexpectedly, the Spirit Ships of the Cultivation World could reach such speeds.
Three hours equated to six hours.
That was akin to over two thousand miles per hour, comparable to the speed of the fastest passenger plane.
But the two could understand.
Currently, the speed at which they maneuvered their Flying Swords exceeded two hundred kilometers per hour. With a mighty rune formation empowering the Spirit Ship, speeds comparable to airplanes were naturally insignificant.
"We need to prepare in advance," Qin Yanyang said to Yang Fei.
Yang Fei nodded and turned to the Lingxiao Sect members, "Ladies and gentlemen, how do you think we should handle this team?"
The Lingxiao Sect members exchanged glances, revealing troubled expressions, hesitant to voice an opinion.
Yang Fei chuckled, "Since this team doesn't belong to your Lingxiao Sect, if I suggest eliminating them all, you wouldn't object, would you?"
They shivered internally, gazing at Yang Fei in shock.
They hadn't dismissed the possibility but never imagined Yang Fei would truly consider such action.
Linglong's mouth twitched, unable to resist saying, "Such heavy slaughter will offend the significant cultivation forces of the Southern Domain and will be troublesome in the future."

Yang Fei glanced at her, recalling her identity as an infiltrator, and couldn't help but smile slightly.

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Linglong saw Yang Fei's gaze sweep over herself, then revealed a peculiar smile, her cheeks slightly reddened, she snorted and turned her head away.

Ye Wuya and the others with Yun Zong heard Linglong's words and their hearts shivered, worried it would backfire. Gan Qian couldn't help saying, "Fellow Daoist Yang, Junior Sister Linglong is right, although the Cultivation World is decisive in killing, not afraid to offend people, if too many enemies are made, it's impossible to move even an inch."

Ye Wuya hurriedly said, "Yes, the passage connecting Earth to the Central Great World is ultimately within the Southern Domain. If the enmity between Earth and the Southern Domain's Cultivation World is too great, and the relationship is not handled well, the Earth Cultivation World will never be able to reach the Central Great World. The cultivation forces of the Southern Domain can definitely block the road leading from Earth to the Central Great World, sealing it off."

Yang Fei chuckled and said, "We Earth humans are peace-loving and won't strain relationships until absolutely necessary. But we will never allow foreign forces to invade Earth and plunder resources belonging to Earth humans. Whether our relationship can remain harmonious depends on the attitude of the Southern Domain's cultivation forces. If the major cultivation forces in the Southern Domain insist on enslaving Earth humans and plundering our resources, Earth humans will undoubtedly resist to the end. It's no big deal if we never leave Earth before a major force leaves the Southern Domain."

Qin Yanyang nodded in agreement and said, "Yes, it's better if both sides can get along peacefully, but if the Southern Domain's cultivation forces want to enslave Earth civilization, we will resist to the end."

The few from Lingxiao Sect nodded silently but couldn't help but secretly smile bitterly.

The Cultivation World is a place where the weak are prey to the strong, with strength being paramount, so even the reputable sects act quite domineeringly.

As long as your strength is enough, the resources and territories you lay claim to are yours.

They knew very well that once the various forces of the Southern Domain learned that Earth had a top-grade spirit ore, they would absolutely stop at nothing to seize it.

The Cultivation World is vast and boundless, but cultivators are as numerous as stars in the sky. Cultivation resources are the foundation of all cultivation, and any individual cultivator or sect from an aristocratic family goes crazy at the sight of abundant cultivation resources.

"Let's see how strong this team is. They actually came with eighteen people. In terms of numbers, we are at a disadvantage," Yang Fei thought for a moment and said.

Everyone nodded silently.

Qin Yanyang said, "This team will arrive here within three hours. Can we make any defensive preparations during this time?"

Yang Fei looked towards Lu Chen and said, "Fellow Daoist Lu, can we two join forces to set up a Mountain Protection Array during this time?"

Lu Chen shook his head with a wry smile, "You overestimate me. With our current cultivation accomplishments, we cannot set up an array big enough to cover this vast mountain range spanning hundreds of miles."

Yang Fei shook his head and said, "I'm not trying to cover the whole mountain range, just to protect the main peak of White Jade City first. After all, even if we're no match for the opponent, escaping isn't an issue, but those who remain here at the Foundation Establishment Stage or below will be in danger."

Lu Chen pondered briefly and said, "Time is still too tight. You and I can't inscribe too many talismans in such a short time."

Yang Fei smiled and said, "We have two more helpers. The four of us together might give it a try."

Lu Chen thought of Tong Yunshu and Zhuge Cang's talent in talisman arts, pondered for a moment, and nodded, "It's worth a try."

Without delay, Yang Fei immediately sent a message to Tong Yunshu and Zhuge Cang.

The four selected more than a hundred large top-grade spirit stones, and the others helped carve them into square jade tokens with a knife. Yang Fei, Lu Chen, Zhuge Cang, and Tong Yunshu then began inscribing runes on these jade tokens.

Lu Chen had a talisman pen, and Yang Fei also inherited one from Sun Lei's 'legacy'. When he used the talisman pen to inscribe runes on the spirit stones, Yang Fei found his speed much faster than before, with a higher success rate.

Compared to the jade tokens used before, painting runes on spirit stones is actually much more difficult, but now Tong Yunshu and Zhuge Cang are at a higher realm than before, so they can barely succeed in recording the inscriptions.

In less than two hours, the four of them inscribed 108 spirit stone talismans.

Lu Chen took out a compass to position these 108 talismans, then everyone split up and took half an hour to bury these talismans underground around the main peak of White Jade City.

The Array Eye was made from the largest spirit stone, which was a cubic meter-sized amethyst spirit stone. When the array was activated, the entire main peak of White Jade City was immediately enveloped in the array. The spiritual energy overflowing from the main peak was tightly contained within the array, and not only that, but the spiritual power emitted from the surrounding peaks also converged here.

A Gathering Spirit Array combined with the Five Elements Thousand Mechanism Killing Array was completed in less than three hours through everyone's efforts.

Lu Chen couldn't help but show a few traces of pride. Looking at Yang Fei, Tong Yunshu, and Zhuge Cang, he said with a complex expression, "The depth of your achievements in talisman and array arts is remarkable. Who would have thought that the four of us working together could set up such a Mountain Protection Array in such a short time? Although the power of this big array isn't very strong, we four operating it is more than enough to deal with enemies of the same realm."

Yang Fei smiled and said, "Where there is a will, there is a way. We feared we couldn't make it before, but now we've succeeded."

Zhuge Cang looked at Lu Chen and said, "Fellow Daoist Lu, your skill in inscribing runes is so pure. You single-handedly almost completed one-third of the talismans, and the talismans you inscribed are stronger. Though this Mountain Protection Array was hastily built, its power is actually stronger than the Cloud Mist Mountain Array."

Lu Chen humbly said, "Fellow Daoist Zhuge, you're too kind. The Cloud Mist Mountain Array uses jade as the fundamental material, whereas here we're using top-grade spirit stones, so naturally, the power is different."

Qin Yanyang said, "We've been busy cultivating recently, and then Helian Zhan and Wang Chunyang's Foundation Establishment delayed us, otherwise, with a bit more time, the few of you working together could have set up a more powerful array. After this is over, put more effort into it; it would be best to cover the entire White Jade City mountain range within it, so we can remain invincible here when dealing with external forces in the future."

Everyone nodded, feeling that it must indeed be treated as a major priority.

Even the few from Lingxiao Sect had no objections, gradually considering themselves part of the place and recognizing the necessity of building a sect-like home for cultivation at the White Jade City mountain main peak and ensuring its security and defense.

As they were speaking, Ye Wuya suddenly looked up towards the southeast, his expression turning serious, and said, "They are here."

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Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang looked in the direction of Ye Wuya's gaze. After a few breaths, they sensed a powerful aura coming from the distant void, startling both of them.

In terms of cultivation realm, there was indeed a gap between the two and Ye Wuya.

At least Ye Wuya's realm was more solid.

However, during real combat, because Yang Fei had the Soul Binding Rope and could teleport, it made Ye Wuya and other Lingxiao Sect disciples feel helpless against him.

If it weren't for the Soul Binding Rope and the ability to teleport, Yang Fei felt he might not be able to defeat any of the eight Lingxiao Sect disciples.

But there are no "ifs" in life.

Having obtained the Soul Binding Rope meant he held an overwhelming advantage over opponents of the same realm.

Lu Chen, Yun Zong, Gan Qian, Linglong, Zhuge Cang, and Tong Yunshu also looked into the distance.

Zhuge Cang and Tong Yunshu took a few more breaths to sense the majestic energy coming from afar.

Compared to those in the Foundation Establishment Stage, the two were still too weak.

Before long, a silver dot appeared in the distant sky, gradually becoming larger at a rapid speed until it turned into a small spaceship in their line of sight.

It looked almost identical to the Spirit Ship the eight Lingxiao Sect members used when they arrived on Earth, with a visible silver-white Light Shield surrounding the ship, making it seem like it created a special spatial corridor while traversing the void rapidly, looking extremely spectacular.

Buzz... Buzz buzz...

The sound of breaking through the air echoed like distant thunder, approaching from afar.

Soon, a powerful gust swept over, forming waves of strong winds. The vast mountains of White Jade City were filled with intense gales, causing the vegetation to rustle, with crackling sounds echoing in the forest, breaking many branches in the wind.

This entrance deeply shocked all the Earthlings on White Jade City Mountain.

So handsome and domineering.

This imposing aura was like a celestial being descending, instantly elevating the grandeur.

"Oh, there's actually a Mountain Protection Array?"

As the ship drew nearer, a sudden exclamation was heard.

The speaker's voice was so clear and full of energy that every word reached everyone's ears distinctly.

The Earth Human Clan on White Jade City had been diligently learning the language and pronunciation of the Central Great World recently, and given the strong learning capability of cultivators, they could already understand some of it.

As the spaceship approached the body of White Jade City Mountain, its speed visibly decreased, and its altitude lowered.

The exquisite and magnificent ship appeared in the sight of the Earth Human Clan on White Jade City Mountain, and the closer they got, the more shocked and amazed they were.

This ship, made of wood, could fly through the void at an incredible speed without falling apart, which was truly miraculous.

Those with good eyesight had already noticed the various runes engraved on the ship.

As the ship drew nearer, everyone saw a group of cultivators in Hanfu standing on the ship's deck.

Each of them had eyes like knives or swords, and most Earth humans involuntarily lowered their heads when looking into their eyes, feeling a sense of worship.

There were twenty people standing on the deck of this ship, including Li Yue and Du Hui.

All except Li Yue and Du Hui had dignified expressions, exuding a powerful Foundation Establishment Stage pressure, looking down with arrogance at the Earth Human Clan appearing on the mountainside of White Jade City as if gazing at ants from a low-civilization world.

"So Fellow Daoist Lu Chen is here as well, no wonder such a Mountain Protection Array could be established." said a Flame Moon Sect disciple upon spotting Lu Chen.

The other Foundation Establishment Stage experts from the Flame Moon Sect, Great Dao Sect, and the three major cultivation aristocratic families nodded.

Being cultivators from the Southern Domain of the cultivation world and in the Foundation Establishment Stage, most of them had heard of each other's names, and many had even worked together before.

After all, disciples of the same generation in each sect often engage in sparring and exchange, and even compete as opponents in some tasks.

Lu Chen was among the outstanding Foundation Establishment Stage disciples of the Lingxiao Sect, skilled in talismans and formations, and considering that the Lingxiao Sect members had been on Earth for several months, it wasn't surprising for him to set up a Mountain Protection Array here.

Li Yue and Du Hui, sensing the presence of this Mountain Protection Array, were also secretly astonished.

When they left, there was no Mountain Protection Array established here. It seemed that after learning about other teams arriving from the Central Great World, Yang Fei, Qin Yanyang, and others began their preparations.

On the deck, two people sensed the Mountain Protection Array, secretly disdaining it.

Said to be a formation genius of this generation in the Lingxiao Sect, Lu Chen's Mountain Protection Array was nothing special.

Despite taking a long time, the Mountain Protection Array constructed was ordinary and unremarkable.

These two were from the Flame Moon Sect and Great Dao Sect, both skilled in talismans and formations.

If they knew Yang Fei and the other four had established this array in less than three hours, they'd be shocked.

Even though this Mountain Protection Array was average and not particularly strong, it still required considerable time and effort to build.

Although they could do it too, alone, it would take at least a month to complete.

And sufficient materials were also necessary.

"Fellow Daoist Li, Fellow Daoist Du, would you please contact the fellow Daoists of the Lingxiao Sect to allow us to enter?" said Chai Xun, the leader of the Great Dao Sect, who was in the later stages of Foundation Establishment, one of the top three highest realm individuals present, and quite influential. He looked at Li Yue and Du Hui and spoke.

Li Yue and Du Hui nodded, saying, "Everyone, please wait a moment. We'll inform our fellow disciples."

The others nodded accordingly.

Li Yue and Du Hui flew downward, heading towards the formation of White Jade City.

The formation did not prevent outsiders from entering, and seeing Li Yue and Du Hui approaching, Yang Fei, Lu Chen, and others naturally wouldn't activate the Killing Array.

The two approached Yang Fei and the others. Li Yue transmitted a message to them: "Everyone, I and Junior Brother Du Hui told these people that this is a phosphorus ore mountain discovered by our Lingxiao Sect, and the Earth humans are Earth cultivators captured by us to work here. Fellow Daoist Yang, Fellow Daoist Qin, please cooperate."

Yang Fei replied with a transmission: "Brother Li, you're being too polite. It's only right so they would believe."

The Lingxiao Sect members chuckled wryly to themselves.

What Yang Fei said made sense; no one would doubt the Lingxiao Sect dominating the low-civilization Earth.

If Li Yue and Du Hui claimed all Lingxiao Sect disciples were wiped out by Yang Fei instantly, nobody in this team would believe it.

After all, upon arriving on Earth, they had searched and found some cultivatable individuals, only to discover they were just Martial Artists.

To cultivators, Martial Artists were indeed too weak.

Li Yue transmitted a message asking, "What should we do now?"

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Yang Fei spoke directly: "What else can we do? Of course, let them know the truth."

Saying this, he strode forward, then soared into the sky, flying high. On the flying ship, the pupils of the people from the Great Dao Sect, Flame Moon Sect, He Family of Qingchuan, Zhong Family of Sunset Island and Feng Family of Fengtai slightly contracted. They could all sense that this young man was also at the Foundation Establishment Stage. But the problem was, none of them recognized this young man. Chai Xun said: "Fellow cultivators, does anyone recognize him? Since when did the Lingxiao Sect have another Foundation Establishment? Everyone shook their heads. No one knew Yang Fei. At this moment, Yang Fei spoke: "I am Yang Fei. According to your statement, I am an Earth native. Welcome to all of you coming from afar." The expressions of those on the spirit ship changed greatly, and exclamations arose. "What, an Earth native?"

"How could there be a Foundation Establishment born on this planet?"

"This place seems to be at the stage of Spiritual Energy Revival, how could a Foundation Establishment cultivator emerge in such a short time?"

Hearing the exclamations, Yang Fei laughed heartily and said: "No need to be so surprised, everyone. Although Earth's cultivation realm has only just begun, there are already four at the Foundation Establishment Stage. Although this cultivation realm is nothing in the Central Great World, as you said,

Earth has only just begun its Spiritual Energy Revival. In the future, Earth cultivators can go even further."
The people on the spirit ship were all moved.
One person said: "The Spiritual Energy Revival on this planet has just begun, how long have you been cultivating?"
Yang Fei said: "I have practiced martial arts for more than ten years to achieve today's accomplishments, it's nothing."
The people inhaled sharply,
Nima, are you boasting here?
Everyone present is a genius in cultivation, but to cross from the Qi Refinement Realm to the Foundation Establishment Stage, besides cultivation talent, a large amount of cultivation resources is needed, along with a senior mentor to protect the way.
Even so, entering the Foundation Establishment Stage is still extremely difficult and cannot be achieved without decades of accumulation in cultivation.
Yet this guy boasts without thinking, saying he achieved Foundation Establishment after just more than ten years of cultivation.
"Haha, what a big tone, cultivating for over ten years to achieve Foundation Establishment, even in the Central Great World, you would be considered a genius among geniuses."
"Yes, such a genius, wasted on this small planet, what a pity. Are you interested in joining our Great Dao Sect?"
"Our Flame Moon Sect also welcomes you to join."

"Your name is Yang Fei, right? If what you say is true, as long as you're willing to marry into our family, the women of the Zhong Family from Sunset Island are at your disposal. Additionally, the cultivation resources of the Zhong Family can be tilted in your favor, allowing you to enter higher realms sooner."

Instantly, the people on the flying ship all spoke up.

The words were mostly mocking.

Yang Fei saw these people making sarcastic remarks and couldn't help but smile slightly. He kept a certain distance from the others, holding a steel knife in one hand and a Soul Binding Rope in the other, ready to guard against anyone from the opposing camp making a move.

The people on the spirit ship saw his manner and many laughed wantonly, finding it amusing.

They were also Foundation Establishment cultivators, although they were surprised that Earth could produce Foundation Establishment cultivators, they did not take him seriously, for they all hail from great sects and aristocratic families, having no fear or concern for cultivators of the same realm from Earth.

Yang Fei did not pay attention to these people's mockery, and said with a smile: "Why have you all come to Earth?"

Chai Xun pointed to the massive mountain range behind Yang Fei and said bluntly: "Of course, to explore the cultivation resources here. According to our friends from the Lingxiao Sect, this is a huge spirit ore. Is that so?"

Yang Fei nodded and said: "Correct, this mountain range is currently the first spirit ore resource discovered on Earth."

The people on the spirit ship were overjoyed.

In fact, as they approached this place, they had already sensed its uniqueness, along with the responses from their spiritual detection instruments, proving that this massive mountain range indeed contained a large amount of spirit ore, so everyone was very excited.

In the crowd, Chai Xun slightly furrowed his brows, staring at Yang Fei, suddenly feeling a bad sensation in his heart.

He glanced at the few people from the Lingxiao Sect, seeing that Ye Wuya, Li Yue, and the others were standing there not speaking, entirely in an onlooker's stance watching the situation unfold, which made his heart tighten. He immediately said: "Be cautious, everyone, something seems off."

"Indeed, the reaction of these people from the Lingxiao Sect is a bit strange."

"Yes, ever since Li Yue and Du Hui joined them, I've noticed that these individuals from the Lingxiao Sect seem to have an unusual relationship with them."

Two people spoke up, one named Zhang Dazhong, the other named Dong Ping, both disciples from the Great Dao Sect. They had been secretly observing since seeing people from the Lingxiao Sect, noticing something amiss long ago.

At this moment, Yang Fei asked: "I just need to know one thing. Once you've discovered this ore vein, what do you plan to do?"

The expression of the people on the spirit ship slightly changed, his tone was quite haughty.

To speak so assertively in front of so many people, as if bringing them to account, wasn't that too presumptuous?

Chai Xun said: "Of course, we're going to excavate the spirit ore and send it back to the Central Great World."

A cold light flashed in Yang Fei's eyes as he said: "According to your cultivation realm's rules, everything good belongs to those who are capable, right?"

Chai Xun nodded: "That's correct."

Saying this, he flew out from the ship, hovering in the void, facing Yang Fei from tens of meters away, and asked: "From what you said, are you trying to stop us?"

Yang Fei nodded and said: "This is Earth, all the cultivation resources belong to the people of Earth. Since you are outsiders, don't think about getting a share."

Chai Xun laughed lightly, sizing up Yang Fei several times, and said: "You seem to have just reached Foundation Establishment not long ago. Do you know what it means to say this?"

He conversed with Yang Fei while constantly observing the people from the Lingxiao Sect, filled with suspicion.

What exactly is going on?

Why are the people from the Lingxiao Sect allowing this person to speak with us like this?

What is the attitude of this person with the people from the Lingxiao Sect?

Does the Lingxiao Sect want to monopolize this spirit ore resource?

On the mountainside, the people from the Lingxiao Sect felt the gazes from Chai Xun and some people from the spirit ship, their faces flushed, feeling both ashamed and helpless.

High up in the sky, Yang Fei said to Chai Xun: "Certainly understand. But do you know what my 'your death and mine' means?"

Chai Xun snorted, a cold light flashing in his eyes: "Are you trying to say that you can guard this precious wealth?"

Yang Fei nodded: "Yes. According to your cultivation realm's rules, the capable occupy, and I believe I am the strongest, so the things here are mine."

Chai Xun laughed heartily, directly ignoring Yang Fei, looking towards Ye Wuya and asked: "Ye Wuya, what's happening with your Lingxiao Sect? Is this person a puppet you pushed out, does the Lingxiao Sect want to monopolize this ore vein resource?"

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Upon hearing Chai Xun's words, the members of the Lingxiao Sect felt extremely complicated emotions.

They indeed wanted to monopolize the resources of this spirit ore, but they also needed the strength to do so.

Moreover, even if they were puppets, it was not Yang Fei and Qin Yanyang who were their puppets, but they became Yang Fei's puppets.

But if this were said, who would believe it?

Ye Wuya sighed and honestly said, "Chai Xun, fellow Daoists, to be frank, it's not that our Lingxiao Sect wants to monopolize this vein's resources, but that all of us from Lingxiao Sect are defeated by Yang Fei. Thanks to Yang Fei's magnanimity, he did not hold a grudge against us, which is why we are still alive today to meet you; otherwise, our people from Lingxiao Sect would have perished long ago, with no bones left."

Chai Xun and others were stunned, never expecting Ye Wuya to say such a thing.

They all looked towards the seven members of the Lingxiao Sect with suspicion, then glanced at Yang Fei with confusion.

No matter how they looked, they didn't think Yang Fei had the strength to crush the seven of Lingxiao Sect.

Moreover, even if Yang Fei's combat power was stronger than several from Lingxiao Sect, that would only be in a one-on-one situation. There were seven people from Lingxiao Sect here; no matter how strong Yang Fei was, how could he be a match for all seven of them?
Therefore, their first reaction to Ye Wuya's words was disbelief.
Ye Wuya was lying.
But how could Ye Wuya dare to randomly lie about something that both damages personal image and even harms the reputation of the Lingxiao Sect?
What on earth is going on?
Everyone was suspicious and was puzzled when Xiang Yuncong, the disciple leading the Flame Moon Sect team, said, "Brother Chai, if you want to know whether Ye Wuya is deceiving us, why not test this young man's combat skills?"
"Indeed, Ye Wuya would not lower himself to say that a few people from the Lingxiao Sect were defeated by him, so Brother Chai, why not test his skills?"
"Yes, defeat him, and Ye Wuya's lies will be self-defeating."
The crowd on the airship voiced their thoughts.
Ye Wuya and the others from the Lingxiao Sect heard these words and secretly smiled bitterly in their hearts.
They knew no one would easily believe such a thing.
But it was the truth.

So be it.
These people need to learn a lesson to understand how cruel reality can be.
Xiang Yuncong said, "Brother Chai, will you make a move, or shall I?"
Chai Xun waved his hand, "Since I'm here, there's no need to trouble you to act."
Saying so, he looked at Yang Fei with more seriousness in his expression, saying, "Did Ye Wuya say they were defeated by you? Haha, could it be that I misjudged, and you, with your mere Foundation Establishment Early Stage Cultivation, have some special divine skill or ability?"
From the bottom of his heart, he did not believe Ye Wuya's words. However, he also observed the reactions of Ye Wuya and several other disciples of the Lingxiao Sect just now and found that their expressions were complex, as if carrying some shame and embarrassment.
So he became slightly wary, suspecting that Yang Fei must have some special magic treasure or divine skill.
Yang Fei smiled calmly, without holding back, and said, "I do have some special divine skills. Do you want to have a taste?"
Chai Xun said, "Go ahead and show what you have."
Yang Fei chuckled and shook his head, saying, "You should make the first move. Otherwise, once I act, you will have no chance."
Chai Xun was inwardly furious.
He had been cultivating for over a hundred years, being one hundred and twenty-one years old now. Although not considered a strong expert in the Southern Domain's three two-star sects after achieving

the Foundation Establishment Stage, he was a genuine expert when traveling outside the three two-star sects of the Southern Domain.

Unexpectedly, he encountered such a presumptuous junior in this small Earth Space.

He suppressed his inner rage and snorted, "Such arrogance! With your mere Foundation Establishment Early Stage cultivation realm, even if I let you take ten moves, you would still not be my match. Stop wasting words and make your move. Let me see what you can do."

Yang Fei smiled and said, "Are you really not going to make the first move?"

Chai Xun retorted, "Make your move."

His voice contained a powerful pressure, as loud as a booming bell, causing one's eardrums to ache slightly.

Although Yang Fei had the treasure Soul Binding Rope and could do instant teleportation, his cultivation realm was indeed only at the Foundation Establishment Early Stage, still two smaller realms weaker compared to Chai Xun. At this moment, feeling the opponent's sharp aura, an inexplicable fear arose in his heart, sensing a powerful threat.

He shivered internally, not daring to be overconfident, and said sternly, "You asked me to make the first move."

After speaking, his figure vanished instantly from where he stood.

Chai Xun's pupils suddenly shrank, showing a horrified expression on his face. Just as he was about to speak, Yang Fei had already appeared less than twenty meters away from him. He saw Yang Fei swing the silvery-white long whip in his hand fiercely towards him.

The long whip was more than three meters long. Yang Fei used instant teleportation to arrive directly less than twenty meters in front of Chai Xun, and the Soul Binding Rope swung out, almost hitting Chai Xun.

At such a close distance, as the Soul Binding Rope lashed out, a loud bang echoed in the void. Almost at the same time, when Chai Xun was still shocked by Yang Fei's ability to teleport instantly, his Sea of Consciousness was pried open by a powerful force. His pupils contracted, almost scared out of his wits. He felt a powerful binding force pulling his soul from within his Sea of Consciousness. Chai Xun was immensely terrified, but at the critical moment, he let out a high-pitched roar. With this roar, a terrifying sound wave surged towards Yang Fei. His soul even gained some strength, attempting to break free from the binding force. When Yang Fei heard Chai Xun's thunderous roar, he was almost dazed, his mind buzzing, briefly losing focus. Immediately, a surge flowed through the Soul Binding Rope, snapping him back to clarity. With mana urging, the Soul Binding Rope burst out with its strongest power, instantly extracting Chai Xun's soul from his Sea of Consciousness Space. It may have seemed long in the telling, but in reality, all this happened in just an instant. When Chai Xun's thunderous shout reverberated and everyone was still stunned by the shout, Chai Xun's body suddenly lost balance and plummeted headfirst to the ground from the sky. "Senior Brother Chai Xun!"

"Brother Chai, what's wrong?"

"Daoist Chai!"
Exclamations continued nonstop.
Several figures dashed rapidly towards the scene.
However, none of them were as close to Chai Xun as Yang Fei. Yang Fei's figure flickered, and he had already grabbed Chai Xun, holding him under his armpit.
Subsequently, he swung the Soul Binding Rope in his hand, and a power that strongly bound the divine souls of all diffused outward. It made the few people rushing up tremble with fear, each revealing a look of terror as they instantly released their Protective Gang Qi and brought out their life-saving magic treasures, trying to resist this dreadful mystical power.
"Hahaha"
Yang Fei laughed heartily, carrying Chai Xun's body while leaping backward, instantly opening a greater distance between himself and the others.
Earlier, when he used his mana to urge the Soul Binding Rope to strike, he did not precisely lock onto any particular opponent, but this strike led him to discover that the Soul Binding Rope also had a group attack effect.
It was just that his mana was not strong enough to achieve the effect of binding the souls of three or more cultivators of the same realm at once.
Nevertheless, he was exceedingly pleased.
As long as his cultivation realm continued to rise, the power of the Soul Binding Rope in his hands would grow stronger.

With the Soul Binding Rope in hand, as long as no Core Formation Masters emerged, Yang Fei was invincible.

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The first three people who rushed out to try to rescue Chai Xun were disciples of the Great Dao Sect.

They were particularly concerned about Chai Xun's life and death, so they acted immediately to rescue him. However, they did not expect the silver whip wielded by Yang Fei to be so bizarre, almost extracting their souls.

Thinking about Brother Chai Xun's situation, the few of them were greatly alarmed and both shocked and fearful.

One of them shouted loudly, "Everyone be careful, this person's whip is strange, it seems to be able to capture souls."

"Yes, just at that moment, the gate of my Sea of Consciousness was forcibly pried open, and a terrifying force almost took my soul away."

"Indeed, this silver whip is peculiar."

After coming to their senses, the three disciples of the Great Dao Sect cried out in alarm, warning the others.

The other two disciples of the Great Dao Sect looked extremely serious, one of them said, "Brother Chai Xun was plotted against by this kid, and his soul essence was extracted?"

The three nodded silently, one said, "It should be so, otherwise Brother Chai Xun could not have been so easily captured."

On the spaceship behind them, the twelve people from the Flame Moon Sect and the other three great cultivation family were also extremely shocked.

They had just witnessed Yang Fei's attack on Chai Xun.

Chai Xun was definitely one of the top combat forces in their team, yet Yang Fei had taken him out in an instant, it was really too strange.

Besides being wary of the strange whip in Yang Fei's hand, everyone also recalled Yang Fei's teleportation scene just now.

"This person is very strange, a Foundation Establishment Cultivator has actually comprehended the space laws. That method he used to approach Chai Xun for a sneak attack should have been an instant teleportation."

"That's right, it was teleportation. How... how can he teleport?"

"This is too exaggerated. Not to mention the Foundation Establishment Stage, even at the Core Formation Stage, it's unheard of to comprehend the space laws and understand instant teleportation divine power. Only a Nascent Soul truly masters space laws to a certain extent for teleportation."

"Yes, how can someone in the mere Foundation Establishment Stage teleport?"

"No, this person hasn't comprehended the space laws, but should have used the power of the Rune Tao. Just now before he teleported, I seemed to see him say something. This should be the effect of the Rune Tao's following the order once spoken."

As soon as this statement was made, many people looked towards the speaker.

"A talisman master capable of achieving the effect of following the order once spoken is already a Divine Talisman Master, whose strength is comparable to a Divinity Transformation Stage expert. How could this person, cultivating on Earth where spiritual energy has just revived, achieve such a level of the Rune Tao?"

"Yes, the practical ability of a Divine Talisman Master is comparable to a Divinity Transformation Stage expert, it's simply impossible!"

For a moment, doubts arose.

The face of the cultivator being questioned slightly flushed, muttering, "But if not, how could his Foundation Establishment cultivation comprehend the space laws, doing instant teleportation? Can anyone here achieve this point? So he must be using the power of the Rune Tao."

Everyone was suddenly silent, unable to refute.

Yes, if this person hadn't used the methods of the Rune Tao and could teleport solely by his Foundation Establishment cultivation, that would be too exaggerated.

Such a genius would be unmatched even compared to those notorious prodigies of the one-star sects in the Central Great World.

How could such a prodigy emerge from a backward cultivation civilization world where spiritual energy has just revived?

The entire high sky was filled with the cries and discussions of those seventeen Foundation Establishment cultivators.

After Yang Fei distanced himself from them with Chai Xun, he heard these discussions and laughed heartily, "Who else wants to try my methods?"

The Foundation Establishment experts from the Flame Moon Sect, Great Dao Sect, and the three great cultivation families all felt a shiver in their hearts, a nameless dread rising instinctively from the depths of their hearts.

The five disciples of the Great Dao Sect, though concerned about Chai Xun's safety, did not dare to act rashly.

However, after a moment, Xiang Yuncong of the Flame Moon Sect flew out with a stern expression, looking at Yang Fei and said, "Young one, you think yourself invincible with a special magic treasure, boasting in front of us? You underestimate our Southern Domain's cultivation realm too much."

As he spoke, he reached into the void, and suddenly a shimmering white umbrella appeared in his palm.

With a buzzing sound, the white umbrella opened, and a magnificent aura was released from it, shaking the heart.

"Glazed Soul-Seizing Banner!"

"Unexpectedly, he even brought such a treasure!"

"It seems the rumor about the Flame Moon Sect was true. This item is the magic treasure of Master Li Yang of the Flame Moon Sect. With this treasure, Master Li Yang made a fearsome name in the Southern Domain, known as the Soul-Stealing Fairy. Unexpectedly, he even lent such a treasure to Xiang Yuncong for this adventure on Earth."

"Hush, matter involves a Core Formation Master, Brother Jing, be careful with your words."

"Cough, cough, thank you for the reminder."

Across, Yang Fei heard a cautious voice coming from behind him, "Fellow Daoist Yang, be careful. This item is a powerful magic treasure of a Core Formation Master, called the Glazed Soul-Seizing Banner, with the same effect as the Soul Binding Rope."

It was Lu Chen who reminded him.

Yang Fei nodded silently. When Xiang Yuncong offered up this artifact, he felt an inexplicable deterrence, an instinctive fear from the depths of his soul.

However, soon, a refreshing force arose from the Soul Binding Rope in his hand, dispelling most of the fear in his heart.

He was secretly delighted, the Soul Binding Rope was indeed marvelous, as it also possessed the effect

of enhancing one's soul defense, automatically increasing immunity to external threats to his soul.

It seemed that compared to the Soul Binding Rope in his hand, the Glazed Soul-Seizing Banner should be slightly inferior.

He steadied himself, waved his hand, and threw Chai Xun's body behind him.

Ye Wuya flew up to catch him.

Xiang Yuncong yelled, "Boy, try my magic treasure."

With that, he activated his mana, and from the Glazed Soul-Seizing Banner suddenly burst a dazzling white light. That light was soul-captivating, making Yang Fei's heart race, his Sea of Consciousness unsettled, feeling as if his soul would be hooked away at any moment.

He hurriedly recited the Calming Incantation, trying to keep his Primordial Spirit Soul firm in the Sea of Consciousness, while from the palm of his hand, a cooler sensation came from the Soul Binding Rope, refreshing his spirit, resisting that terrifying soul-capturing power.

"Courting death!"

Yang Fei was nearly robbed of his soul, was furious inside, and suddenly lashed the Soul Binding Rope towards Xiang Yuncong.

Xiang Yuncong was already prepared, and the Glazed Soul-Seizing Banner in his hand suddenly blocked in front of him.

"Crack!"

The sharp cracking sound spread through the void, within a few hundred meters around, eve	ryone felt
their spirits wavering, their Primordial Spirit unstable.	

In the high sky, the Soul Binding Rope struck the open Glazed Soul-Seizing Banner, and two strong forces erupted from these two magic artifacts.

From the Soul Binding Rope burst a brilliant silver-white brilliance, completely covering the Glazed Soul-Seizing Banner's light.

Yang Fei and Xiang Yuncong both felt their arms tremble, a massive numbness sweeping over them.

A gentle force instantly emanated from the Soul Binding Rope, dispelling the numbness in Yang Fei's arm.

Xiang Yuncong wasn't so lucky, his whole body trembled violently, his hands holding the Glazed Soul-Seizing Banner cracked open, blood flowing from his tiger mouth.

"Puff!"

A mouthful of fresh blood spurted from Xiang Yuncong's mouth, his entire body along with the Glazed Soul-Seizing Banner flew backward.