

## Permanent Martial Arts

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Lei Yiming also used a saber. In fact, in the Outland, many martial artists used sabers because sabers were sturdy and domineering. They were extremely effective against some massive dire beasts.

The moment Lei Yiming appeared, the saber in his hand slashed towards Lin Feng. It was like a flash of lightning, accompanied by the sound of thunder. This was definitely a profound martial technique.

The howl of wind echoed in Lin Feng's ears. With the addition of the tremendous pressure, Lin Feng felt as if he was suffocating. The moment Lei Yiming attacked, Lin Feng knew that he was much stronger than Li Wei, whom Lin Feng had challenged previously.

Whether it was his speed, strength, or comprehension of martial technique, they were all far superior to Li Wei.

However, Lin Feng still threw a punch. With the blast of his fist, the surrounding air seemed to distort. This was a special phenomenon caused by compressing the air to the extreme.

It was proof of just how powerful Lin Feng's punch was.

*Bang.*

Lin Feng's fist was extremely hard, and his physique was strong as well. He allowed the opponent's saber aura to strike his hand, and it only caused his fist to bleed. It gave him some minor injuries, but it could not deal fatal damage to Lin Feng.

On the other hand, Lei Yiming was directly blasted apart by the force of Lin Feng's fist. The condensed phantom instantly dissipated. Challenge successful!

"Challenge successful, Lin Feng. Currently ranked 20,003rd. You can choose to continue challenging opponents, or leave the Virtual Battle Chamber."

Lin Feng narrowed his eyes slightly. This Lei Yiming was not a weakling. He was ranked 20,003rd in the Virtual Battle Chamber, just a little away from being ranked in the top 20,000.

However, Lin Feng had only warmed up a little. Even though he seemed to be at a disadvantage against these weapons-wielding martial artists by fighting with his bare hands, this was a virtual battle chamber. Everything was virtual. His hand was injured just now, but it had completely recovered now. As long as the challenge was successful, he would be back to his peak condition.

“Continue to challenge Luo Kedi!”

Lin Feng made another a huge leap this time by challenging Luo Kedi, who was ranked 19,000th.

In fact, after two battles, Lin Feng had gained some confidence. He had checked online that some Grade Five professionals could basically only exert 800 kilograms of force.

The force was 1,100kg for Grade Six professionals, about 1,400kg for Grade Seven professionals, 1,700kg for Grade Eight professionals, and above 2,000kg for Grade Nine professionals.

Of course, this was only a rough estimate. After all, there were huge disparities between professional martial artists. This was naturally only based on the raw strength of one's body under circumstances where one did not use any martial techniques. Starting from Grade Four professionals, one's strength would increase stepwise by 300 kilograms.

However, Lin Feng was different. He had fused with two different types of dire beasts. Although he had not fully grasped the strength in his entire body, he could still easily exert 2,000 kilograms of force.

According to this logic, wouldn't he already be comparable to a professional Grade Nine martial artist?

It was precisely because Lin Feng was uncertain about his own level of strength that he had come to the Virtual Battle Chamber. This time, Luo Kedi, whom he wanted to challenge, was ranked 19,000th. He had already attained a Grade Seven professional certificate during his challenge.

Luo Kedi was indeed very strong. Unfortunately, Lin Feng was even stronger. He did not even use the Wild Bovine's Might, and defeated Luo Kedi with only his physical strength.

Hence, Lin Feng continued to challenge opponents. 16,000th, 14,000th, 12,000th, 10,000th...

From Grade Seven professionals to Grade Eight professionals, Lin Feng eventually entered the top 10,000th. This time, he finally challenged a Grade Nine professional.

“Ranked 7,000th, Grade Nine professional, Ouyang Tian!”

Ouyang Tian was a man in a white martial arts uniform. His expression was indifferent, and he held a short sword in his hand. It was a double-edged short sword that was even shorter than a saber.

*Swish.*

As the sword struck, Lin Feng felt as if his entire body was enveloped by the sharp blade. This strike actually made him feel like resistance was impossible.

“Wild Bovine’s Tread!”

An image of a wild bovine appeared in Lin Feng’s mind. His entire being was filled with a murderous aura. He threw a punch, and the violent power seemed to be capable of breaking through everything around him.

When Lin Feng used the Wild Bovine’s Might, the power of his punch could reach over three tons. It was indeed a terrifying force.

Relying on absolute strength, Lin Feng had challenged opponents the entire way without meeting his match.

*Snip.*

This time, something appeared to be different. Lin Feng felt a pain in his neck, and the surroundings immediately collapsed. Then, Lin Feng opened his eyes and realized that he was lying in the virtual cabin.

“I lost?”

Lin Feng was still somewhat confused. He had just gained the confidence that he was without rival, feeling as if he could defeat anyone with his invincible strength. However, Ouyang Tian’s sword seemed to have struck from the shadows. He had lost before he could even see the trajectory of the sword clearly.

If this were a real battle, Lin Feng might already be dead now.

The way of martial arts was not that simple!

“That strike must be some kind of profound sword technique. Indeed, martial arts can’t rely on brute force. I have a genetic fusion device, but I can’t underestimate martial arts!”

Lin Feng could clearly sense that Ouyang Tian’s strength was inferior to his, and even his speed could not be considered very fast. However, Ouyang Tian could easily kill him. Perhaps this was the effect of martial arts.

After his failed challenge, Lin Feng walked out of the virtual cabin.

Outside the Virtual Battle Chamber, Zhang Qiji had long exited it. Upon seeing Lin Feng, Zhang Qiji hurriedly asked, "Brother Feng, you exited after such a long time. Your ranking must be quite good, right?"

"And yours?"

Lin Feng asked instead.

"I couldn't even beat the last place. I'm currently ranked at the bottom." Zhang Qiji grimaced. His strength was indeed too weak. He only just managed to be a professional Grade Four martial artist, and perhaps even his Grade Four status was attained through compiling various resources. What combat prowess could he possibly have?

"Oh right, Brother Feng, your ranking must be very high, right?"

Lin Feng hesitated for a moment, but still replied, "It's not very high. I'm ranked 8,000th."

"What? 8,000th?"

Zhang Qiji had a huge shock and could not help but exclaim. The people around them all heard it. At once, all their eyes were focused on Lin Feng and Zhang Qiji.

8,000th. This was simply too shocking. Even back when the six great prodigies challenged it for the first time, their results were probably not comparable to Lin Feng's.

"If you're really 8,000th, then... then you have the power of at least a Grade Eight or even Grade Nine professional!"

Zhang Qiji muttered in a low voice. He had suffered a blow. Although he was younger than Lin Feng by a year, it was only a one-year difference. Currently, he was only a Grade Four professional, while Lin Feng might already be a Grade Nine professional.

"Heh, these two are new students, right? 8,000th? Even 18,000th is impossible."

"Indeed, I've never seen these two before. They're probably freshmen. If even freshmen can rank 8,000th, I'd be ranked 80th."

"Even the so-called six great prodigies among the freshmen wouldn't be able to get into the top 8,000."

Lin Feng did not mind these people's disparagement. On the other hand, Zhang Qiji's face was flushed. He seemed to find it very unfair and was ready to argue, but Lin Feng stopped him.

“Let’s just go.”

Lin Feng was completely uninterested in meaningless disputes like this.

Although Lin Feng and Zhang Qiji had left, there were still some people who were somewhat skeptical. So, some people entered the Virtual Battle Chamber again and quietly challenged the martial artist ranked 8,000th.

Hence, amidst all sorts of shock and screams, news of Lin Feng quickly got out, and rapidly spread throughout the entire Myriad Academy.

## Chapter 16: Choosing Martial Arts

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“Brother Feng, I know you’re strong, but I didn’t expect you to be so fierce. You’re ranked 8000th in the Virtual Battle Chamber for your first challenge, much stronger than the so-called six great freshmen prodigies. Haha, Brother Feng, you’re the number one freshman prodigy!”

Actually, Lin Feng wasn’t that excited. Zhang Qiji next to him on the other hand had a look of excitement. Lin Feng was not interested in the title of the so-called prodigy. His sole purpose in coming to the Myriad Academy was to break the genetic lock and become inhuman.

If he did not achieve this goal, no matter how strong he was or how great his reputation was, these were all meaningless. In three years, he would be dead from a strange illness, and no one would remember him.

“Brother Feng, I won’t disturb you anymore today. Haha, let’s go out and celebrate in a few days. Consider it a welcoming reception for Brother Feng.”

Zhang Qiji turned around and left happily. He had come to the Myriad Academy just to pass time. He was only too excited to be able to “hook up” with a real genius like Lin Feng. Although Zhang Qiji seemed to have a lot of influence in Delta, there were lots of people who were more powerful than him in the Myriad Academy. Moreover, in the Myriad Academy, the subject of competition was martial arts, so Zhang Qiji was completely unimpressive in the Myriad Academy and did not have much of a presence.

Lin Feng shook his head and ignored Zhang Miracle Doctor.

After returning to the dormitory, he slowly recalled all the people he had challenged in the Virtual Combat Chamber. Actually, with his strength, if he did not challenge opponents with such leaps in rankings, his ranking would definitely be much higher than his current one. However, this was meaningless to Lin Feng. He just wanted to challenge the limit of his current strength.

After this challenge, Lin Feng also roughly understood his strength. He could indeed be considered an Grade Eight or even Grade Nine professional expert. If he met some weaker professional martial artists during the Grade Placement Assessment, there was indeed a high possibility for him to become a Grade Nine professional.

However, after so many challenges, Lin Feng also sensed his shortcomings. That strange sword strike when he faced Ouyang Tian had especially left a deep impression on him.

Martial arts. What Lin Feng lacked now were profound martial arts and martial techniques. Relying on the Wild Bovine's Might alone was far from sufficient. Moreover, he could not master his entire body with Wild Bovine's Might and could not mobilize all the strength in his body.

At the very least, the power from the second type of dire beast genes he fused, the Unicorn genes, seemed to be still dormant in his body. Even the Wild Bovine's Might was unable to mobilize this part of his power.

"Profound martial arts might be difficult to obtain elsewhere, but it's different in the Myriad Academy. You can purchase it with points."

Hence, Lin Feng immediately opened the virtual network in the school and started browsing through some martial arts and martial techniques. It would be best if martial arts and martial techniques came in one.

Moreover, Lin Feng knew very well what kind of martial arts he needed the most right now. It was the kind of martial arts that allowed him to completely grasp all the power in his body, and unleash his potential to the extreme.

Only through this way could Lin Feng continue to fuse with the genes of other dire beasts and continuously strengthen his physique.

The Myriad Academy archived many martial arts and martial techniques, including countless professional-level martial arts. Lin Feng did not even look at those professional-level martial arts. Being called professional-level martial arts did not mean that professional martial artists practiced it, but that they were created by professional martial artists. Their founders might not even have broken the genetic lock themselves, so what was the use of practicing these martial arts?

For Lin Feng, who was determined to break the genetic lock, only martial arts that could allow one to break the genetic lock and achieve the inhuman state were acceptable to him.

However, these kinds of martial arts were usually extremely expensive. They cost at least dozens of points. One point was one million, and dozens of points might mean tens of millions.

This was not a fantasy. If this wasn't the Myriad Academy, a martial art that could break the genetic lock would not be accessible for purchase, no matter how wealthy one was.

Of course, it was not impossible to break the genetic lock without martial arts. After all, the first inhuman expert in history who broke the genetic lock had no martial arts to practice. However, doing so without martial arts was equivalent to having no one to guide him. It was undoubtedly very difficult to break the genetic lock.

Lin Feng did not have much time left. Taking everything into account, he only had less than three years. Hence, he had to seize every opportunity to break the genetic lock and achieve the inhuman state within three years at all costs.

Hence, Lin Feng did not consider ordinary martial arts at all, especially when he had other requirements, such as wanting martial arts that could master the body thoroughly only.

“Bone Severing Fist Technique.”

This was a martial art that specialized in tempering the bones. It could be considered a unique approach. Unfortunately, Lin Feng was not very satisfied, so he continued his selection.

“Arcane Mnemonic of Blood Origin.”

Lin Feng took a closer look. The price was rather high, requiring a total of 53 points. This was a profound martial art that specialized in tempering and researching the blood of martial artists. It attempted to use blood as a medium to understand the mysteries of genes and thus break the genetic lock, achieving the inhuman state.

Lin Feng was a little tempted by this martial art. Unfortunately, this specialized in tempering and researching blood, and could not help him to master the condition of his entire body.

Hence, Lin Feng continued browsing.

The profound martial arts of the Myriad Academy were indeed very advanced. Lin Feng continued looking. Things such as Art of Dragon and Elephant, Art of Divine Elephant, Art of Ferocious Tiger, and so on were all form-and-intention martial arts, created by inhuman experts who had broken the genetic lock.

There was an endless display of all sorts of strange martial arts, such as the Scorching Sun Sutra, the Perpetual Water Sutra, the Glacial Mnemonic, and so on. However, none of them particularly satisfied Lin Feng.

Until Lin Feng saw a martial art that cost 100 points.

“Nonuple Body Tempering, created by the Invincible Fist Sage. The first level can be purchased with 100 points.”

When he saw this skill, Lin Feng could not take his eyes off it.

The Invincible Fist Sage was the founder of the Myriad Academy, and one of the Nine Sages of the world. The martial arts he created could only be extraordinary.

Lin Feng hurriedly checked the detailed introduction of Nonuple Body Tempering. This was a martial art with extreme power and force that focused on tempering the body, mastering the entire body, developing the potential of the body, and unleashing unprecedented power.

Once the first level was mastered, one would be able to increase their strength by one fold. For example, Lin Feng could now unleash two tons of strength. If he mastered the Nonuple Body Tempering, he would be able to unleash four tons of strength.

There was still the second level, which could increase one's strength by two fold, and the third level that could increase it by three fold, so on and so forth. It's rumored that the ninth level could increase one's strength by nine fold.

This was terrifying to the extreme. Lin Feng had never even heard of such martial arts.

Moreover, the most important thing in martial arts was to train the body and develop the potential of the body. One needed to completely master every inch of the body. This could entirely resolve Lin Feng's shortcoming of being unable to control the strength in his body.

“This is the martial arts for me, Nonuple Body Tempering!”

Lin Feng's expression was excited, and a glimmer of light appeared in his eyes. This martial arts was practically tailor-made for him. His forte was genetic fusion, and its strength was incredible. With the support of a martial art like Nonuple Body Tempering, even Lin Feng could not imagine how strong he would ultimately become.

However, as a martial art created by the Invincible Fist Sage, the price of Ninefold Body Tempering was extortionate. The first level alone cost 100 points.

And this was only the first level, not all of the Nonuple Body Tempering. It was almost more expensive than most complete martial arts.

Moreover, this was just the cost for the first level. After checking, Lin Feng found that the second level of the Nonuple Body Tempering required 1,000 points, and the third level required 10,000 points.

Seeing this, Lin Feng could only look at it with his mouth agape, struck completely speechless.

## Chapter 17: The Mission

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Only the first three levels of Nonuple Body Tempering were available for transaction, but even so, it was more attractive than any martial arts. Unfortunately, just its astronomical price was daunting enough.

The first level required 100 points, which was about 100 million yuan. The second level required a further 1,000 points, which was equivalent to 1 billion yuan. The third level required a further 10,000 points, which was equivalent to 10 billion yuan.

Even though the students of the Myriad Academy were all wealthy and had extraordinary backgrounds, such prices were still shocking.

Moreover, levels above the third were not for sale.

Lin Feng also wanted to switch to other martial arts, but after searching, he found that only the Nonuple Body Tempering was suitable for him. Hence, Lin Feng gritted his teeth and made a decision. He would choose Nonuple Body Tempering.

Even just getting the first layer was enough for his use. Once he fully mastered the strength of his entire body, he'd be able to increase his strength by one fold. Coupled with him fusing all kinds of dire beast genes, just the first level of Nonuple Body Tempering would be enough to match the effects of any top-notch martial arts.

However, 100 points was indeed troublesome.

Currently, Lin Feng had 11 million yuan in his bank card. Even if he converted it all into points, he would only have 11 points. He could actually call home and ask for more, but considering the Lin Corporation's current situation and the suppression they're facing from the East Sea Corporation, funds were very tight. He could not add to the family's burden at a time like this.

Since he could not apply for it from his family, he could only rely on himself. Fortunately, other than using money to exchange for points in Myriad Academy, he could also earn points by completing missions.

Thus, Lin Feng opened the mission forum. A dense list of missions appeared. Most of these missions were missions in the Outland, such as escorting something or someone to the Outland.

People had definitely paid a high price to get the Myriad Academy to issue missions. Thus, none of these missions were simple. The missions in the Outland posed actual dangers, and there was even a mortality rate. Even a high-level professional martial artist might die if they were unlucky enough to encounter a monstrous dire beast in the Outland.

The Myriad Academy had an annual death indicator. The academy would not compensate any students who died from carrying out missions. This was also the only path to break the genetic lock.

It was even necessary to engage in mortal combat at a certain level. Many students would take the initiative to apply to fight with terrifying beasts in the Outland, in order to break the genetic lock in life-or-death moments.

The points of missions in the Outland were all very high, but Lin Feng had no intention of going to the Outland yet. Hence, he could only give up on the missions in the Outland.

There were missions in the country, especially in Delta, but these missions rewarded very few points. For example, helping the police to arrest a criminal only rewarded one point.

Another example was to teach at a martial arts school for a period of time. Two points.

Being someone's bodyguard for a period of time. One point.

Basically all these missions rewarded only a few points, and missions with more than ten points were extremely rare. After all, one point was equivalent to one million points. No one would waste money to ask the Myriad Academy to issue some unimportant missions.

"Eh? This mission is not bad. Protect the core members of the Bai family for three days. Five points. If you kill the murderer, you can get 50 points!"

Lin Feng was immediately attracted by this mission. Protection missions usually only rewarded one or two points, and the durations were all quite long. However, this mission required only three days of protection to obtain five points.

A high reward meant that there was a high risk. The difficulty of this mission must be very high. Moreover, one could obtain 50 points by killing the murderer. What did 50 points mean? It was equivalent to 50 million.

According to the rules of the Myriad Academy, the academy would automatically collect half of the commission for any mission issued by the Myriad Academy. In other words, the Bai Clan had prepared at least 100 million commission for this mission.

Lin Feng did not take on the mission immediately. Instead, he continued to look at the details of the mission.

It turned out that the murderer in this mission was a terrifying martial artist, suspected to be a Grade Eight professional. Furthermore, he had returned from the Outland. Normally, martial artists who returned from the Outland were very terrifying. They had been fighting with dire beasts for prolonged periods, so martial artists who grew up in peaceful environments obviously could not match up to their degree of combat prowess.

The murderer's name was Long Weiping. When he went to the Outland, he was only a Grade Four professional martial artist. He was chosen by a company as a guard.

During a mission, the company's base was attacked. Everyone inside was killed, and Long Weiping went missing. Under such circumstances, Long Weiping could basically be declared death.

No one expected that Long Weiping would actually return from the Outland five years later, and that his strength would grow to an unimaginable level.

After Long Weiping returned, he discovered that his wife and daughter had died in a car accident. Later on, after Long Weiping's investigation, he found out that the son of a magnate had taken a fancy to Long Weiping's daughter. He used all sorts of methods but failed to get his way. In the end, he secretly sent someone to run over Long Weiping's wife and daughter.

Long Weiping flew into a rage and killed the entire family of the magnate. This alone wouldn't have been a big deal. After all, martial artists had special privileges.

Furthermore, the magnate's family was in the wrong. Even if Long Weiping killed the magnate's family, he wouldn't be punished.

However, perhaps because Long Weiping had slaughtered too much in the Outland and undergone such a shock on top of it, his entire personality became insane and bloodthirsty. He began to target all the rich and powerful families, slaughtering seven families and around dozens of people in a row.

The impact of this incident was very bad. The police chief of Delta was even reappointed several times due to this case, but none of the police chiefs were able to catch Long Weiping. Recently, Long Weiping had struck again. The government had sent several powerful Grade Nine professional experts to kill Long Weiping, but those wealthy people were all in terror. Just relying on the ordinary police and the ordinary martial artists they recruited was not sufficient to fend off Long Weiping at all.

As such, these magnates began to issue missions in the Myriad Academy.

Lin Feng continued reading. There were indeed a few similar protection missions, but the most generous one was still the Bai family.

“Protecting the core members of the Bai family and earning five points in three days is very good. There are so many wealthy people in the Delta. The possibility of encountering Long Weiping is very low. Even if I encounter Long Weiping, with my strength, I should have nothing to fear.”

Actually, Lin Feng really wanted to hunt down Long Weiping. Unfortunately, there was no such mission. Deep down, he faintly hoped that Long Weiping would appear, but he also knew that the possibility was minuscule.

Lin Feng quickly made his decision. He immediately accepted the mission to protect the Bai family.

“Lin Feng, ranked 8,000th in Virtual Battle Chamber. You meet the mission requirements for accepting this mission. Mission accepted. Please head to the Bai family as soon as possible and complete the mission!”

Lin Feng raised his brows. No wonder no one had accepted the mission even though he could see that it had been posted for a few hours. It turned out that there was a limitation. Only students ranked top 10,000 in the Virtual Battle Chamber could accept this mission, and Lin Feng happened to meet this requirement.

“That’s fair enough. If anyone could claim it, wouldn’t the Bai family suffer a loss?”

The Bai family wasn’t that foolish. Naturally, there were certain restrictions. People ranked within top 10,000 in the Virtual Battle Chamber basically had the power of Grade Eight professionals or above. Even if they weren’t a match for Long Weiping, they would be able to hold out for a period of time, which would be enough to protect the Bai family.

After accepting the mission, Lin Feng prepared to go to the Bai family. However, the moment he opened the door, he saw Zhang Qiji standing outside.

“Brother Feng, look, you’re famous.”

Zhang Qiji took out his phone. There was a news item displayed on it. It was about Lin Feng smashing Zhang Qiji’s out-of-control sports car with one punch and saving two young girls. There was even a video attached.

This video was even on the hot topics of news. Countless fangirls were speculating about Lin Feng’s identity. That punch he made was too explosive and shocking.

Lin Feng shook his head. He wasn’t willing to be put in the limelight like this.

“Brother Feng, where are you going?”

“I accepted a mission to protect the core members of the Bai family for three days. I have to rush there as soon as possible.”

“The Bai family? Is it the Bai family from the Tang Mountain District in the north of the city?”

“What, you know about them?”

Lin Feng saw that Zhang Qiji had a strange expression, so he paused.

“Heh, of course I know about them. The Bai family is famous and generous. Their mission must be about Long Weiping, right? Brother Feng, I’ll drive you there. I’m familiar with the Bai family.”

Lin Feng hesitated for a moment, then nodded. It would be troublesome for him to take a car there himself.

Hence, Lin Feng got into Zhang Qiji’s car and left the Myriad Academy.

## Chapter 18: Bai Family

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During the ride, Lin Feng asked Zhang Qiji about the Bai family in detail.

True to his word, Zhang Qiji knew the Bai family very well.

The Bai family was one of the top business families in Delta City. However, it had nothing to do with martial arts. It was purely a commercial family. Their family’s assets even exceeded Zhang Qiji’s family.

Although the Bai family was not a martial clan and did not have any inhuman experts who broke the genetic lock overseeing it, they had a good working relationship with the military and the government. Therefore, their business was very expansive.

“Since it’s related to the military and the government, the government and the military can’t possibly ignore the threat from Long Weiping, right?”

Lin Feng asked in confusion.

“Heh, how can they ignore it? The military will definitely send experts over, but this matter regarding Long Weiping involves more than one or two families. Even the police department doesn’t have enough manpower, let alone experts above Grade Eight. However, considering the Bai family’s relationship with the military, the military will definitely send at least one high-level professional martial artist.”

“In addition, the police department and the Bai family are social recruiting high-level martial artists. Therefore, the Bai family is almost completely safe. You’re only there to make up the numbers.”

“They gave away at least 10 million just for me to make up the numbers?”

Lin Feng had a slight understanding about the Bai family’s ‘wealth’ now. Having requested Myriad Academy to post the protection mission, as long as someone accepted the mission, they would receive five points in three days, and the Bai family would have to pay a commission of at least 10 million yuan.

This was not something an ordinary wealthy family could do.

As for killing Long Weiping, the chances of Long Weiping coming to the Bai Family were very low in the first place, never mind whether or not they could kill him. Even if Long Weiping did come, the ten million spent would not be in vain if they could hold off Long Weiping for a while longer.

“Zhang Qiji, you know so much about the Bai family. It’s not just because you are both families of the Delta City, right?”

Lin Feng also had a trace of doubt. Zhang Qiji was so solicitous the moment he heard that Lin Feng was going to the Bai family. Things were probably not as simple as Zhang Qiji made them out to be.

As expected, Zhang Qiji chuckled nervously. Then, he said sheepishly, “Actually, I’m already engaged to the third Young Mistress of the Bai family. Heh, I’m just coming along to visit my fiancée this. I can do that, right?”

Lin Feng understood. So such a coincidence could actually happen. However, considering Zhang Qiji’s profligate character, Lin Feng couldn’t quite believe that Zhang Qiji was just going for the sake of meeting a woman, even if she was his fiancée.

As Zhang Qiji explained, Lin Feng gradually understood. Zhang Qiji was initially a bit resentful towards this kind of arranged marriage. He was even rather unwilling. However, the moment this playboy saw the third Young Mistress of Bai family, Bai Jing, he was completely mesmerized by her.

From then on, Zhang Qiji even gave up his extravagant lifestyle just to win Bai Jing’s favor.

Lin Feng was a little curious. What kind of woman could make a profligate heir like Zhang Qiji change his ways?

The Bai family’s villa was in the center of the city and occupied a large area. This was a villa group, but the developer was the Bai family. Therefore, the Bai family’s villa looked more like a manor.

When Zhang Qiji’s car slowly came to a stop in front of the Bai Family villa, a few police officers immediately came forward to inquire. There were police officers standing guard

both in the open and in the dark around the Bai Family villa. Furthermore, there were also a few sharp gazes watching the movements in front of the villa.

It seemed like just as Zhang Qiji had said, the Bai Family's protective measures were already very much in place. He was just going through the motions here for free points.

"We are from the Myriad Academy, and we are here to protect the Bai family."

"Myriad Academy?"

The police interrogated them for a while and finally confirmed Lin Feng and Zhang Qiji's identities before allowing them to enter.

Upon entering the Bai residence, Lin Feng discovered that there were many people in the living room. The people seated on the sofa were probably the core members of the Bai family. There were three women and two men, as well as an elderly man and an elderly woman. They must be the patriarch and matriarch of the Bai family.

Apart from the core members of the Bai family, there were many armed police officers and a large number of bodyguards in black. However, what Lin Feng paid the most attention to was a tall man in sunglasses who was standing upright beside Old Master Bai. Looking at his standing posture, he must be a soldier. Lin Feng even sensed a hint of danger from him.

This was the most intuitive feeling Lin Feng had from fusing two types of dire beast genes.

"Qiji, the Myriad Academy sent you here?"

Old Master Bai naturally knew Zhang Qiji, and he also knew about Zhang Qiji's situation. Hence, he frowned slightly. Although the Bai family had a lot of money, they weren't fools. What was the use of sending Zhang Qiji here?

Zhang Qiji hurriedly shook his head and said, "Uncle Bai, you've got it wrong. It's not me, but my friend Lin Feng! He's much more powerful than me. Although he has just entered the Myriad Academy, he is very strong. It was also him who accepted the mission."

"A new student?"

Old Master Bai still had some doubts. It was obvious that he did not quite trust in the strength of new students of the Myriad Academy. After all, they might be dealing with a murderous criminal like Long Weiping this time. However, since the Myriad Academy had already issued the mission and someone had accepted it, he could not protest about it.

“Lin Feng, the Bai family welcomes you. Thank you in advance for your hard work for the next three days.”

“You’re too kind, Old Master. This is my responsibility.”

Lin Feng replied indifferently. He then checked around upstairs and downstairs, looking for places with weak defenses. However, he found that every blind spot and every weak area had already been taken care of. There was nothing that necessitated his work at all.

Since everything was prepared, Lin Feng could only be willing to get five points for free. Hence, he sat down and closed his eyes to rest.

Zhang Qiji also took the opportunity to approach the youngest of the three sisters in the Bai family, Bai Jing.

“Jingjing, you must be worried and scared for these past few days. But you can rest assured now. With Brother Feng around, there won’t be any problems for sure. Even if Long Weiping comes, he’ll be done for.”

Zhang Qiji said confidently as he patted his chest. He was very confident in Lin Feng.

“Ugh.”

The second Young Mistress of the Bai family could not help but laugh out loud all of a sudden. She glanced at Lin Feng, who was resting with his eyes closed, and said, “Zhang Qiji, do you think we don’t know what your friends are like? He’s just a freeloader. I don’t know how he accepted the mission.”

Zhang Qiji frowned. He knew that he didn’t have a good image before the Bai family, and this was all due to his mistakes in the past. But for Bai Jing’s sake, he had worked hard to change.

Moreover, the second Young Mistress of the Bai family was dubious of Lin Feng. This was something Zhang Qiji could not tolerate. Hence, Zhang Qiji could not help but retort, “Hmph, Brother Feng isn’t freeloading. If Long Weiping really dares to come, you’ll really have to thank Brother Feng and me.”

The second Young Mistress of the Bai family sneered in disbelief.

Bai Jing glanced at Lin Feng as well. She had a gentle personality and said softly, “Qiji, no matter what, we have to thank you. However, Long Weiping fought with dire beasts in the Outland. Even Colonel Ouyang, who was sent by the military to protect us, can’t say that he can defeat Long Weiping for certain.”

The Colonel Ouyang that Bai Jing was referring to was the man in sunglasses standing next to Old Master Bai. He was specially sent by the military to protect old Master Bai.

“Jingjing, just trust me this time. Besides, the military is specially protecting Old Master Bai. Can he protect you if there’s any danger? But with Brother Feng around, he will definitely do his best to protect us on the account of our friendship.”

Bai Jing was no fool either. She pondered for a moment and agreed with his reasoning. The military only cared about Old Master Bai. What did the safety of the rest of the Bai family have to do with the military? If any danger really occurred, the military would only protect Old Master Bai.

“Thank you, Qiji. However, I still hope that these three days will pass in peace.”

Bai Jing prayed in a low voice. Three days. This was also the time the government needed to send experts to surround and kill Long Weiping. No matter what, they would definitely capture or kill Long Weiping in three days.

Thus, all they needed to do was get through three days.

## **Chapter 19: Three Days**

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Zhang Qiji kept chatting with Bai Jing to improve their relationship. He didn’t have a care for the danger here at all. He wasn’t afraid of any danger if he could spend more time with Bai Jing.

Lin Feng occasionally opened his eyes. When he saw the smile on Zhang Miracle’s face, the corners of his lips also curled into a smile. Since he had known Zhang Qiji, this was the first time he had seen Zhang Qiji so proactive. It seemed like he had truly fallen in love with Bai Jing. Otherwise, with Zhang Qiji’s profligate character, he definitely wouldn’t be doing this.

Bai Jing was indeed beautiful and graceful. She was also poised and had a gentle personality. If the two of them could really get together, it would indeed be a fine relationship.

When Lin Feng saw Bai Jing, Qu Chen’s image appeared in his mind. He wondered how Qu Chen was doing in the Polar Academy. The competition between the top three martial arts schools in the world was intense. He wondered if Qu Chen could hold out.

However, these thoughts only flashed through Lin Feng’s mind. He quickly got rid of these messy thoughts. If he did not break the genetic lock, nothing could be decided. Now, his goal was to break the genetic lock and become inhuman. As for other matters, they could be considered in the future.

Time passed slowly. One day, two days...

There was still the last night. It was very peaceful during this period of time. The Bai family did not encounter any trouble.

However, they heard that Long Weiping had yet to be captured, but those Grade Nine professional experts had already found his whereabouts. It seemed like they were not far from catching him for good.

Lin Feng cleared his mind. He had been sensing the condition within his body for the past two days. He had the Wild Bovine's True Intent, so he could sense the power of the Wild Bovine's genes clearly.

However, Lin Feng had never been able to sense any aura of the Unicorn after fusing the Unicorn genes. In fact, he had not been affected at all.

This was extremely abnormal. If he could not sense it, it would mean that Lin Feng had not grasped the power of the Unicorn genes. Even after fusing with the genes, the power of the genes remained dormant in Lin Feng's body. Lin Feng could not mobilize it at all.

If he could not mobilize the power of the unicorn genes, then what was the point of continuing to fuse genes? He would probably never be able to break the genetic lock. This was also why Lin Feng was so eager to purchase the Nonuple Body Tempering.

Once he learned the Nonuple Body Tempering, doubling his strength was secondary. The key was that it would allow Lin Feng to control all the genetic power fused within his body. This way, Lin Feng could continue to rely on the genetic fusion device to fuse genes. Only then would he have a chance to break the genetic lock in the future.

Lin Feng's mind was very clear. At this moment, he had already completely integrated with the Wild Bovine's True Intent. It was as if he had transformed into a real Wild Bovine, galloping through the wilderness.

This feeling was too wonderful.

Nighttime had already fallen now. It was very quiet outside the villa, with only the faint sound of the wind beating against the windows.

Suddenly, in his ethereal state, Lin Feng seemed to feel a fiendish aura approaching. His body had undergone fusion with Wild Bovine genes, and his physical fitness had improved comprehensively. In terms of physical fitness, he was definitely stronger than a Grade Nine professional martial artist.

"Someone's here!"

Lin Feng suddenly opened his eyes. Hearing his words, everyone became nervous, especially Colonel Ouyang next to Old Master Bai. Colonel Ouyang immediately tensed up and scanned outside the living room.

“Go out and take a look?”

The policemen in the living room looked at each other, then at Lin Feng and Colonel Ouyang. Finally, they gritted their teeth and slowly pushed open the living room door.

Outside the main door, the wind howled, combined with the sound of raindrops pattering on the ground. However, there was no sign of anyone at all. Even when the police called the police who were secretly standing guard outside, they did not discover anything.

“No findings.”

The policeman glared at Lin Feng.

Old Master Bai glanced at Colonel Ouyang beside him and asked softly, “Colonel Ouyang, did you discover anything?”

Colonel Ouyang hesitated for a moment and even glanced at Lin Feng, but he shook his head and said, “I didn’t discover anything either.”

Hearing Colonel Ouyang’s words, everyone relaxed. The second Young Mistress of the Bai family went so far as to roll her eyes. “Don’t spook people if there’s nothing going on..”

Zhang Qiji hurriedly said, “Brother Feng wouldn’t spout nonsense. Someone must have approached just now.”

“Is he more powerful than Colonel Ouyang?”

Initially, Zhang Qiji wanted to argue, but after a moment of consideration, he did not say anything else. Colonel Ouyang was an expert sent by the military. Even if Lin Feng was a genius of the Myriad Academy, he couldn’t say that Lin Feng was stronger than an expert from the military.

Faced with everyone’s discontent, Lin Feng’s expression remained unchanged, appearing very calm. Since he had took the mission, he wouldn’t really just take the money for nothing.

His senses could not be wrong. Ever since he had fused the Wild Bovine genes, Lin Feng’s senses were extremely sharp. Someone had indeed approached the living room just now.

Perhaps it was someone standing guard in secret, or perhaps it was an animal, but it was better to be safe than sorry.

“I think nothing will happen today. This is already the last night. I have to go upstairs to sleep.”

The second Young Mistress of the Bai family stretched. The core members of the Bai family were required to stay in the living room for the past two days. With so many people around, how could they possibly rest soundly?

Now, the second Young Mistress of the Bai family couldn't tolerate it anymore and wanted to return to her room to rest.

Everyone also felt that most likely, nothing will happen, and relaxed their minds. However, Lin Feng's sharp senses told him that someone was approaching again.

This time, he could even feel the opponent's powerful essence.

“Someone's here!”

“Still trying to trick me?”

The second Young Mistress of the Bai family sneered. However, just as she finished speaking, a figure crashed through the wall near the stairs in the living room.

Bang.

As the wall was smashed through, a black shadow flew towards the Second Mistress of the Bai family like a ghost.

Everyone was stunned. For a moment, there was no movement.

In a breath's time, the black shadow approached the second Young Mistress of the Bai family. Then, it stretched out its hand and made a grabbing motion. The second Young Mistress of the Bai Clan had a terrified expression on her face, but it was futile. Her head was instantly crushed by the black shadow like a watermelon. Red and white splattered all over the ground.

“Ah... Fire, fire!”

“Sister!”

“It's Long Weiping! He... He really came!”

The scene was in chaos. No one had expected Lin Feng to be telling the truth. Long Weiping had really come, and had killed the second Young Mistress of the Bai family.

As soon as the second daughter of the Bai family died, the police and bodyguards reacted. The police fired wildly, and the bodyguards rushed towards Long Weiping valiantly.

However, all these were useless against the epitome of a Grade Eight professional martial artist.

Long Weiping's essence erupted. A scarlet shadow seemed to appear around him. It was almost as if his entire being had turned into a shadow. In the blink of an eye, he had killed more than ten bodyguards and police officers. He rushed towards Bai Jing at top speed.

Zhang Qiji clenched his teeth and shielded Bai Jing immediately. He was at least a Grade Four professional martial artist. In this moment, there was no choice but to step forward.

Yet Colonel Ouyang, who was the closest, didn't move a muscle. It was as if he had no intention of striking. Just as Zhang Qiji had said, Colonel Ouyang only intended to protect Old Master Bai. The safety of the rest of the Bai family had nothing to do with him!

## Chapter 20: Lin Feng Strikes

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“Qiji, you...”

Bai Jing watched as Zhang Qiji leapt before her and shielded her. She was actually very touched. Deep down, she was very unhappy with this arranged marriage between family, especially when Zhang Qiji was a typical hedonistic son of a wealthy family, who would take joy in picking up girls and racing cars every day.

Therefore, even though Zhang Qiji had improved his behavior recently, she still didn't warm up towards him.

However, Bai Jing didn't expect Zhang Qiji to go so far as to accompany her and step up to defend her in a life-or-death situation. Against the savage Long Weiping, what could a mere Grade Four martial artist like Zhang Qiji do?

Actually, Zhang Qiji was also terrified deep down, but he firmly believed that Lin Feng would save him. He even muttered under his breath, “Brother Feng, hurry up and make a move. Otherwise, I'm done for.”

Boom.

Lin Feng had indeed made his move. He couldn't possibly just watch Zhang Qiji die before him. Furthermore, he had gone all out when making his move—like a wild bovine, he leaped a few steps forward instantly and threw a punch.

When Lin Feng used the Wild Bovine's Might, his strength could reach up to three tons. Hence, the pressure he exerted was immense. Even Zhang Qiji and Bai Jing, who were far away, felt as though they were about to suffocate, let alone Long Weiping.

At this critical moment, Long Weiping suddenly turned around and reached out with a clawed hand. His entire body was surrounded by his bloody essence, and his killing intent surged. There's no knowing just how many dire beasts he had killed to attain such a terrifying killing intent. A martial artist with a slightly weaker will wouldn't even have the courage to stand before him.

Bang.

The two clashed head-on. Lin Feng had the upper hand in terms of strength, but Long Weiping's force was very strange. It actually drilled towards Lin Feng's body in a frenzy, forcing him to take a few steps back. It appeared like the two were evenly matched.

This was also the case in reality. Without a doubt, Lin Feng's strength had already reached the level of a Grade Nine professional. Moreover, his physique was even stronger. Even if Long Weiping attacked with all his might, he would still be able to withstand it.

At present, Lin Feng only lacked profound martial arts and experience in mortal combat. Long Weiping was stronger in these two aspects. His had rich experience in mortal combat, and he also had profound and strange martial arts. His strength and physique were clearly inferior to Lin Feng's, but he was not at a disadvantage and was evenly matched with Lin Feng.

How devastating was the clash between two high-level martial artists? Just the aftershock alone had already shaken the hall into shambles, causing dense cobweb-like fissures to appear on the ground.

Lin Feng glanced at Colonel Ouyang from the corner of his eye and shouted, "Colonel Ouyang, aren't you coming up to help?"

Indeed, although Lin Feng was evenly matched with Long Weiping, he could not gain the upper hand. If this continued, he was afraid that Long Weiping would escape.

After all, this was equivalent to 50 points. He would be able to obtain 50 points as long as he could kill Long Weiping. This was a great opportunity that Lin Feng had never dreamed of, but now he had really encountered it.

Fortunately, Lin Feng had fought many battles in the Virtual Battle Chamber previously, which had increased his combat experience. In addition, his physical fitness was indeed superior to that of Long Weiping's, which allowed him to fight evenly with Long Weiping. If not, he would already be in grave danger now.

After all, every expert in martial arts had been honed by life-or-death battles. Peacetime martial artists in the arena were far inferior to martial artists who countered death and fought dire beasts in the Outland.

At the side, Bai Jing and the rest were stunned. They never expected Lin Feng to be so powerful. Zhang Qiji wasn't bragging at all.

Zhang Qiji was even more pleased with himself. He laughed and said, "Jingjing, how is it? Brother Feng very powerful, right? I wasn't lying to you. Brother Feng is a true prodigy!"

Bai Jing was full of worry. She looked at Old Master Bai and said, "Dad, it's difficult for Lin Feng to subdue Long Weiping alone."

Old Master Bai undoubtedly knew what his daughter meant. He pondered for a while, then said to Colonel Ouyang, "Colonel Ouyang, now is the best opportunity to kill Long Weiping. Please assist Lin Feng in killing Long Weiping."

Colonel Ouyang was also paying attention to the battle situation. Now was indeed a chance to kill Long Weiping. As long as he killed Long Weiping, his mission would be completed ahead of time, and he wouldn't have to stand guard next to Old Master Bai all the time.

"All right."

Colonel Ouyang also attacked. His fist was like a flood dragon soaring into the sky. There was a faint dragon's roar, and the surrounding air was instantly compressed to the extreme.

"What a powerful fist technique! It's another profound martial art!"

Lin Feng lifted his head and glanced at Colonel Ouyang. The other party's fist technique focused on binding and suppressing. Once he joined the battlefield, Long Weiping was immediately suppressed.

After all, Long Weiping was facing two martial arts experts who were not inferior to him in the least.

Long Weiping roared furiously. The bloody aura on his being seemed to explode all of a sudden. He leaped backwards, intending to escape.

“Where do you think you’re going?”

Colonel Ouyang’s movement was swift and stealthy as a ghost. In the blink of an eye, he was behind Long Weiping, immediately blocking Long Weiping’s path of retreat. Although Colonel Ouyang didn’t seem to have much strength or attack power, his movement technique was indeed very unpredictable. Even Lin Feng couldn’t see his image clearly.

However, Colonel Ouyang could only impede Long Weiping. It’s still up to Lin Feng to defeat or even kill Long Weiping.

Long Weiping’s eyes were bloodshot and filled with madness. His retreat was blocked, and he could only use all his strength to deal with them. However, his weakness was revealed.

“Good opening.”

Lin Feng’s eyes lit up, and he took a deep breath.

He bellowed.

All of a sudden, it was as if a gigantic wild bovine dashed out of the wilderness and stomped down.

“Wild Bovine’s Tread!”

Lin Feng had unleashed this punch to its fullest extent. Moreover, he had already completely integrated his consciousness into the true intent of the martial art. At this moment, it was as if he had really transformed into a gigantic wild bovine.

Boom.

Lin Feng’s fist landed fiercely on Long Weiping’s chest. The entire villa seemed to be shaking. Long Weiping’s chest collapsed immediately, and he fell hard onto the ground like a kite with its string severed.

“I... I can’t accept this!”

Long Weiping could no longer live. This madman started his insane revenge due to the deaths of his wife and daughter. Eventually, he reached a dead end.

This was a pitiful man too!

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Long Weiping was dead, but the matter was not over yet. The police quickly called those few professional Grade Nine martial artists to confirm Long Weiping's identity.

Soon, the people arrived. After they learned about the situation, they looked at Lin Feng in surprise. It was hard to believe that Lin Feng was the one who killed Long Weiping.

However, Lin Feng was a student of the Myriad Academy. Even inhuman experts who broke the genetic lock had apprehensions about the Myriad Academy, let alone them.

Hence, Long Weiping's identity was quickly confirmed. Lin Feng was the one who killed him, so he could obtain 50 points smoothly. In addition to the five points from protecting the Bai family for three days, that was a total of 55 points. The gains this time were indeed very generous.

"Old Master Bai, I have to return to school to turn in my mission. Goodbye."

Just as Lin Feng was about to leave, Old Master Bai held him back and said, "Lin Feng, if not for you just now, I'm afraid our family would have met with disaster this time. You killed Long Weiping and worked hard for all these days. We are willing to give you an additional 20 million commission as a token of appreciation."

"20 million?"

Lin Feng thought for a moment and understood. The Bai family was trying to display goodwill towards him. By giving him an additional 20 million, if the Bai family had any similar troubles in the future, they would not even need to go through the Myriad Academy, and could just contact Lin Feng directly.

Lin Feng needed money at the moment, so he did not refuse.

"Thank you, Old Master Bai. This is my contact number. If anything similar happens in the future, you can find me again."

With that, Lin Feng bade farewell to the Bai family and left the Bai family with Zhang Qiji.