

## Talisman 2131

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#### Chapter 2131: The First Ancestor of the Dao Defiants

Jin Yunsheng felt disbelief, and he was unable to understand it.

After all he felt that it was a showdown!

Xia Ruoyuan had come looking for a battle with Chen Xi. So, since Chen Xi had won, then why had Chen Xi allowed Xia Ruoyuan to leave? *Could it merely be that it's impossible to win in the Battle of Dao Protectors without Xia Ruoyuan?*

*Such a reason is too absurd!*

Jin Yunsheng even started having thoughts which carried no ill intent, and he just wondered if Xia Ruoyuan would allow Chen Xi to live if Chen Xi had lost!

The answer was no!

*Since it's like that, then why did Chen Xi do that?*

If it was any other person who'd done something like this, then Jin Yunsheng would have pointed his finger at the person and called that person an idiot!

However, it was Chen Xi who made such a decision, so he could only feel depressed by himself.

It wasn't that he insisted on Xia Ruoyuan's death upon losing in the battle, but he felt that Chen Xi's actions were too worthlessly kind, and it wasn't beneficial to Chen Xi at all.

Chen Xi couldn't help but chuckle when he saw this, and he seemed to have seen through Jin Yunsheng's feelings but didn't provide any explanation.

He was naturally not being kindhearted when he did that. He was just clearly aware that if he killed Xia Ruoyuan, then there would be Suiren Kuanglan. Once he killed Suiren Kuanglan, there would be Shi Chuge. Once Shi Chuge was killed, it would be Beiming Canghai next....

If he continued killing like that, then the Divine Dao Protect Clans would lose its core forces to resist the peak Divine Children of the Dao Defiants. So, it would naturally be like helping the Dao Defiants, and it was only harmful to Chen Xi's future plans.

Of course, Chen Xi hadn't told Jin Yunsheng that Xia Ruoyuan wouldn't look for trouble with him again after this defeat, and that was enough for him.

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Xia Ruoyuan lost!

It wasn't long before the entire campsite had finally confirmed that Xia Ruoyuan had lost the battle against Chen Xi!

As soon as news of this spread, the entire campsite was stirred. Numerous experts were astounded and filled with disbelief, and they erupted into an expanse of clamorous uproars.

Xia Ruoyuan was an unparalleled figure of the high level Xia Clan, and he'd inherited the Unyielding King of War's mantle. He'd reaped the souls of countless and possessed a peerlessly ferocious combat strength.

But it was exactly such a terrifying god of slaughter that had actually lost to Chen Xi! Who would have dared to believe that this would happen?

After the battle came to an end, the outcome of the battle had imperceptibly risen Chen Xi's status in the hearts of everyone to an unprecedented height!

Many had given up their thoughts of going against Chen Xi, and they didn't dare try to harm him anymore. What a joke, even Xia Ruoyuan had lost to Chen Xi, so how could all of them who were weaker than Xia Ruoyuan dare to go against Chen Xi?

They weren't tired of living!

It was even to the extent that some had started to speculate whether Suiren Kuanglan was still confident in his ability to defeat Chen Xi since Xia Ruoyuan had lost.

After all, Suiren Kuanglan had announced that he would choose a time and place to fight Chen Xi once the Heavenly Curtain of the Heaven Dao descended again!

Now, Xia Ruoyuan who was on par with Suiren Kuanglan had been defeated, so would Suiren Kuanglan alter his strategy?

Many people were waiting to watch the show.

At this moment, Suiren Kuanglan revealed a rare moment of silence when he heard of Xia Ruoyuan's defeat. He just sat in the palace by himself for an entire day, and no one knew what he was thinking about.

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Huff!

At this moment, Tang Xiao'xiao heaved a long sigh of relief, but her pure, young, and pretty face was still covered in anxiety.

"Alas, this is going to be troublesome. Since that fellow is so formidable, what would happen if I can't defeat him?" Tang Xiao'xiao was troubled by this that her anxiety made her scratch her ears and cheeks, and her little face was covered in a bitter expression.

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When he heard of Xia Ruoyuan's defeat, Shi Chuge who was originally wiping Bloodsky with concentration had clearly been slightly stunned, and his hands stopped moving.

"Not bad." He just spat out two words lightly, and then he was once again immersed in wiping Bloodsky and living in his own world.

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“Xia Ruoyuan lost?”

Rumble!

An ocean roiled before it suddenly condensed into Beiming Canghai’s figure. He seemed to be quite visibly moved, and his eyes glowed brilliantly.

“Very good. That kid has succeeded in arousing my interest. If even Suiren Kuanglan loses to him, then I’ll challenge him myself!” After he made this decision, Beiming Canghai didn’t hesitate to transform back into that ocean and continue absorbing the energy within the Divine Pool of Chaos.

He was a maniac when it came to his cultivation. His extraordinary and peerless natural talent hadn’t made him slack off at all. On the contrary, he cultivated even more painstakingly and diligently than others!

This was exactly why Beiming Canghai could become eminent and possess the glory he’d achieved!

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Leng Xinghun had a very thought provoking smile on his face.

For the very first time, Dao Wushuang noticed that Leng Xinghun who usually had a seemingly dead face that was completely icy cold as if he possessed no emotions could actually smile.

Dao Wu Shuang couldn’t help but raise her long and fine brows that were shaped like the leaves of a willow tree. “You seem to be very happy when you found out that Xia Ruoyuan lost? I wonder what your sworn enemy, Chen Xi, would think if he knew.”

Leng Xinghun didn’t mind the ridicule in her words and just said, “See, that’s the consequence of underestimating Chen Xi. I told you to never underestimate how terrifying Chen Xi is. If you want to kill him, then he must be taken to be the most dangerous enemy. It’s even to the extent that you must be ready to take him down with you!”

His voice was resolute. It was a form of deep understanding of Chen Xi, but it was similarly a trace of extreme fear that was difficult to notice.

Dao Wushuang was really unable to imagine why Leng Xinghun would be so cautious and fearful towards Chen Xi when Leng Xinghun couldn’t be compared to the past anymore, and he even possessed the terrifying ability of a Reconstructed.

Leng Xinghun was naturally not an idiot. Since his attitude had become so cautious and he didn’t even conceal his fear of Chen Xi’s strength, Dao Wushuang couldn’t help but have a strange feeling in her heart. *Is that Savior really that terrifying?*

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The storm in the campsite had died down along with Xia Ruoyuan’s defeat, and no one dared to cause trouble at Chen Xi’s palace after that day.

Two days passed by swiftly without them realizing it.

Thump!

On this day, the Heavenly Curtain that covered the entire battlefield started vanishing slowly after a world shocking sound of the drum resounded through the sky.

The curtain to the war was being drawn open slowly once more!

A wave of desolate sounds of the horn could be faintly heard from the other side of the vast battlefield, and it was like a declaration of battle.

On the side of the Dao Protectors, all the experts walked out hastily from the campsite. They seemed as if they'd forgotten the great waves that had surged through their campsite in the last few days, and their faces seethed with killing intent and battle intent.

It was time for war again, and the experts of the Divine Dao Protector Clans had set their sights onto the army of Dao Defiants in the distance!

Clang!

At the instant that the Heavenly Curtain vanished, a dazzling and resplendent blood red spear had torn through the sky and flown off into the distance. In a blink of the eye, it had vanished within the boundless battlefield.

It was Shi Chuge. He always acted in the same way. One man and one spear that swept through the boundless battlefield!

At practically the exact same moment, a surging ocean appeared from the horizon. It was vast and rumbled with a powerful imposing aura as it enveloped down towards the battlefield.

Beiming Canghai had set out as well!

"The war has begun again. I finally don't have to continue feeling vexed...." Tang Xiao'xiao stretched her little waist as she spoke. She wore a green dress with wide sleeves and held a dark blue crescent shaped blade that was even taller than her own figure. She caused rumbling to resound as she stomped through space and vanished on the spot.

After that, Suiren Kuanglan tore through the air and left.

When Xia Ruoyuan's figure appeared here, many people glanced over towards him, but they noticed to their disappointment that Xia Ruoyuan's face was just as it always was. It was cold like a mountain of ice while his killing intent was like an ocean of blood and mountain of corpses. He seemed to have not been affected at all.

At practically the exact same moment, Chen Xi's figure appeared nearby Xia Ruoyuan, and then an inconceivable scene occurred before their eyes. Chen Xi had actually cupped his hands towards Xia Ruoyuan from afar.

Moreover, Xia Ruoyuan had nodded slightly in return!

In an instant, many experts here were shocked. *Why does it seem like their relationship has become friendly after that battle? Could there be some sort of secret behind all of this?*

Before they could even figure it out, both Chen Xi and Xia Ruoyuan had charged into the distant battlefield.

“Hah! What hypocrisy!” Leng Xinghun couldn’t help but laugh coldly when he witnessed this scene.

“He seems to be trying to draw Xia Ruoyuan over to his side.” Dao Wushuang seemed to be lost in thought.

“It doesn’t matter. No matter who he draws over to his side, he’ll still be unable to leave the Battle of Dao Protectors with his life intact!” Leng Xinghun spoke indifferently. “Don’t forget that he’s a Savior, and the Dao Defiants have an even stronger desire to kill him!”

“Why?” Dao Wushuang was stunned.

“Because only the blood and life of a Savior can awaken the First Ancestor of the Dao Defiants!” A wisp of a strange expression arose in Leng Xinghun’s eyes. “Have you not noticed? Not a single expert at the Daolord Realm has ever stepped forward from the Dao Defiants’ side during all the Battle of Dao Protectors throughout the countless years of the past!”

Leng Xinghun continued before Dao Wushuang could even speak. “The reason is very simple. Once those Dao Defiants at the Daolord Realm show themselves while their First Ancestor isn’t present, then they’ll be immediately crushed by the 13 Dao Servants who preside over the battle!”

Dao Wushuang spoke with surprise. “No wonder that the Divine Dao Protector Clans only dispatch Ninth Star Region Lords during the Battle of Dao Protectors.”

Leng Xinghun spoke indifferently. “Alright, let’s go back.”

Dao Wushuang frowned. “Aren’t we going to kill some Dao Defiants?”

Leng Xinghun glanced coldly at her. “Our mission is to kill Chen Xi and not to risk our lives to kill those Dao Defiants! I don’t want to prematurely expose myself to Chen Xi.”

He turned around and returned to the campsite once he finished speaking.

Dao Wushuang stood there and pondered for a moment before she shrugged in the end and returned to the campsite.

Unlike the first vast battle on Slaughter Highlands, as soon as he entered the battlefield, Chen Xi instantly noticed that the army of Dao Defiants seemed as if they recognized him, and they moved far away to avoid him before he could even head over to attack them. They didn’t charge fearlessly at him like they had during the last battle.

*What’s going on?* Chen Xi’s eyes narrowed. It was naturally not difficult for him to pursue and kill those Dao Defiants who avoided him, but such unusual actions allowed Chen Xi to realize that something was off.

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**Chapter 2132: Targeted**

The sounds of battle reverberated throughout the battlefield. Even if they were facing Ninth Star Region Lords from amongst the Divine Dao Protector Clans, those Dao Defiants who were only at the Universe Enlightened Ancestral God Realm were still shouting loudly and charging fearlessly.

However, no matter where Chen Xi went, the Dao Defiants would immediately disperse and avoid him.

It was even to the extent that many Dao Defiants at the Region Lord Realm who noticed Chen Xi from afar had turned around and fled, and they didn't hesitate at all.

Chen Xi's brows couldn't help but raise when facing such a scene. He was just about to capture a few Dao Defiants to ask exactly what was going on when space suddenly fluctuated in the distance, and then a slender and blood red figure appeared there.

Surprisingly, it was the peak Divine Child of the Bloodsoul Clan, Chi Qingying!

As soon as he appeared here, he shot his gaze at Chen Xi and sized Chen Xi up briefly. However, not only did he show no signs of attacking immediately, he spoke instead. "Not bad, not bad. This is your peak strength. Looks like you've recovered."

The battlefield was filled with slaughter. Blood rained down while the war drums rumbled thunderously, it was extremely horrifying. However, Chi Qingying actually paid no attention to it, and he seemed to intend to have a nice chat with Chen Xi.

Chen Xi frowned. "You arranged for this all?"

Chi Qingying was stunned, and then he understood what Chen Xi meant. Chen Xi was speaking about the situation on the battlefield. Chi Qingying immediately shook his head and laughed. "No, that was from a unanimous decision from all those old fellows who lead us, Divine Children of the Heavens."

Chen Xi said, "What do you mean?"

Chi Qingying grinned and said, "An opponent like you isn't someone that those weak descendants my clans can kill. So, isn't it better to make them avoid you?"

Chen Xi's brows knit together even more tightly. "Don't blame me for being merciless if you continue beating around the bush."

Chi Qingying smiled as he shrugged. "Please don't attack. I didn't come here to fight you. I just wanted to tell you that you've been listed as our number one enemy during this war. I believe it won't be long before numerous other peak Divine Children like me will step forward to capture you."

A wisp of a piercingly cold glow flashed through Chen Xi's eyes. "Hey, why are you telling me all of this?"

Chi Qingying shrugged and sighed slowly. "It can't be helped. I'm still not confident in my ability to defeat you, but I'm unwilling to see you being captured by those fellows. So, this is my only choice."

Every single word and action of his had an elegant and composed aura. He didn't seem like he was at a bloody battlefield where life and death were decided, and he seemed like he was taking a stroll through his backyard and speaking about daily life. It seemed completely conflicting with the atmosphere here.

However, it just so happened that others weren't able to overlook his existence at all.

At this moment, an area of 50km around Chi Qingying was actually completely empty. All the Dao Defiants seemed to be terrified of him and didn't dare approach at all.

Chen Xi held the Dao Calamity Sword in his hand while he pointed it at Chi Qingying, and then he spoke indifferently and calmly. "You don't intend to fight now but I want to take your life."

A strand of peerlessly condensed killing intent effused out without making a sound.

Chi Qingying acted as if he hadn't noticed at all, and he smiled as he shook his head. "You won't do that. Don't you want to know why we, Divine Children of the Heavens, attach such importance to you and have even not hesitated to make you our number one target to be captured?"

That was exactly what Chen Xi was puzzled about.

Chi Qingying sighed with emotion before Chen Xi could speak. "It's very simple. You're a Savior, and you're the last one in this era. Moreover, the Heaven Dao has undergone an unexpected change and caused a calamity to descend upon the world. No one knows what will happen next. Under such circumstances, the first problem both the Dao Protectors and we, Divine Children, have to think about is how to save ourselves."

When he spoke up to here, a wisp of blazing desire appeared within his red gem-like pupils. "So long as we capture you, then we'll be able to awaken our First Ancestor from endless slumber. At that time, we wouldn't even have to fear the calamity with our First Ancestor present to protect us!"

Chen Xi's eyes narrowed, and he finally understood everything. The only thing that still escaped him was why he was the number one candidate to awaken their first ancestor?

"That's your method of saving yourself?" Chen Xi spoke calmly.

"Yes." Chi Qingying didn't hesitate at all. "For the sake of accomplishing this goal, the clans on my side have provided all sorts of unprecedented prizes that can even make peak Divine Children go mad for them. Under such circumstances, the common goal of all peak Divine Children is to do our very best to capture you! Now you should understand how dangerous your current situation is, right?"

Chen Xi's expression remained unchanged. "Why are you telling me all of this?"

This was the second time he'd asked such a question, but the meaning behind it was different from the last time.

Chi Qingying smiled, and his smile was very thought provoking, and then he spoke in an extremely serious tone. "I think that you're unable to escape calamity, so I was hoping we could work together. Allow me to take you back. My offer to you is a guarantee that you won't suffer any torture before death, and I'll even try to keep you alive, if possible."

Chi Qingying wasn't joking. However, a wisp of a faint arc had arisen on the corners of Chen Xi's mouth instead, and he seemed as if he wanted to laugh. "Do you think I would agree to that?"

Chi Qingying took a deep breath and pondered seriously for a short while, and then he said, "That's probably very difficult, but you should be very clearly aware that that conditions I proposed are already extremely sincere under such circumstances."

Chen Xi couldn't stop himself from laughing anymore. "You want me to offer my life to save that so-called first ancestor of yours, yet you say that you're very sincere?"

His voice carried a wisp of coldness.

Chi Qingying instantly started laughing bitterly, and he shrugged. "I knew you would definitely not agree that easily, but I still hope that you'll reconsider."

Chen Xi spoke in a definite tone. "There's no need for that. It's absolutely impossible!"

Chi Qingying smiled, and he still continued speaking with that serious and sincere tone. "Nevermind, let's not mention that anymore. Come look for me at the first possible moment when you're unable to persist anymore or have changed your mind, alright?"

Chen Xi frowned and said, "You could have gone all out and risked everything while we were at Mist Forest. Perhaps you might have even succeeded then. Why did you not attack then yet are so interested in this now?"

Chi Qingying sighed helplessly and said, "Do you think I didn't want to? I just never imagined that those old fellows would provide such rewards for your capture. Every single one of them are rewards that I can't refuse."

If anyone who wasn't aware of the circumstances was present here, that person would probably think that Chen Xi and Chi Qingying were two old friends having a conversation.

However, only Chi Qingying and Chen Xi were aware that this conversation's foundation was established upon killing intent. So long as they noticed that the situation had gone wrong in the slightest, then they would attack without the slightest hesitation!

"Oh." Chen Xi said, "What sort of rewards?"

Chi Qingying smiled. "That's a secret that I absolutely can't tell you."

Chen Xi's brows raised. "Aren't you afraid that I would kill you right now?"

Chi Qingying sighed and said, "I told you, I didn't come here to fight you. So, it would truly disappoint me if you intend to kill me. After all, I exposed quite a bit of secrets to you. You have to feel a little grateful, right?"

A wisp of a cold arc arose on the corners of Chen Xi's mouth. "Do you think that I would?"

"Ah!" Chi Qingying sized Chen Xi up for a while before he suddenly shouted, and then he seemed as if he'd transformed into a blood red bat as he vanished on the spot.

A strand of sword qi appeared soundlessly where he stood right after he left that spot, and it merely flashed before vanishing once more.

Chen Xi couldn't help but feel slightly surprised when his attack missed. Chi Qingying's combat strength had slightly exceeded his expectations.

"Chen Xi, even though you wish for nothing more than to kill me, my intentions remain the same. You must come look for me when you're unable to persist or have changed your decision." A strand of a



voice transmission shot over to Chen Xi and entered into his ears. “Besides that, you must not get yourself killed at the hands of the other peak Divine Children. Of course, I won’t hesitate to kill you if you’re heavily injured!”

Even though it had been sent over to him, Chen Xi knew that Chi Qingying had probably gone very far away and was almost impossible to pursue.

Chen Xi thought carefully for a moment. *This fellow is really difficult to figure out.* After all, even though Chi Qingying revealed his emotions on his face, even Chen Xi couldn’t figure out Chi Qingying’s exact thoughts.

*Next time, I’ll definitely kill him as soon as I see him!* Chen Xi decided in his heart. His intuition told him that Chi Qingying was absolutely a dangerous fellow who was difficult to deal with.

“Chen Xi!?” Suddenly, a voice that rumbled like a thunderclap resounded from afar.

Accompanying this voice was a figure with the head of a bird and body of a human which was completely covered in surging black colored lightning, and this figure tore swiftly through the sky from extremely far away.

It simply seemed like lightning had descended from the heavens and were striking down towards here. Moreover, that figure’s imposing aura was ferocious and vicious to the extreme.

It was a peak Divine Child from the Thunderfall Clan!

Chen Xi’s eyes narrowed as he determined the figure’s origins.

“So there you are! Hahaha! I wouldn’t need to worry about stepping foot into the Daolord Realm once I capture you!” At practically the exact same instant that this peak Divine Child from the Thunderfall Clan appeared, a thick and large divine chain of bones had suddenly appeared in the sky on the other side. A descendant of the Sin Adjudicator Clan with a ferocious and gloomy face was standing atop the divine chain. He was a peak Divine Child as well!

Coupled with the peak Divine Child from the Thunderfall Clan, there were two peak Divine Children charging at Chen Xi from both sides, and their terrifying and vast killing intent enveloped this entire area.

In an instant, Chen Xi was sandwiched between two formidable enemies.

Meanwhile the army of Dao Defiants in an area of 500km rumbled through the battlefield as they fled swiftly because they weren’t able to endure such pressure.

It was even to the extent that the expressions of a few nearby participants from the Divine Dao Protector Clans had changed, and they didn’t have even the slightest intention to lend Chen Xi a hand. They fled far away instead. Such a scene seemed extraordinarily laughable.

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**Chapter 2133: Surprise**

Bang!

Terrifying black bolts of lightning raged and threw the heavens and the earth into disorder as the peak Divine Child of the Thunderfall Clan tore through the sky towards Chen Xi.

His imposing aura was ferocious, and he didn't conceal his killing intent at all. Moreover, his body was suffused with the glow of his black lightning, causing him to simply seem like an ancient exalt of lightning that had emerged from destruction itself.

"I'm the Thunderfall Clan's Yan Xu! Don't forget my name when you die!" As soon as he appeared here, he made a grasping motion and condensed a blade of lightning in his palm, and then he slashed it right down towards Chen Xi.

Since the beginning, he hadn't delayed at all. He was decisive and utterly merciless.

Clang!

At the same time, a clear howl resounded from the Dao Calamity Sword in Chen Xi's grasp, and then surging and dazzling blood red radiance shot through the surroundings as the sword itself slashed forward.

Bang!

The blade condensed from lightning exploded into pieces, but the attack hadn't harmed Yan Xu in the slightest. However, it still made his face turn gloomy. He grunted coldly as he carried a bolt of violent lightning of destruction within his palm and claws at Chen Xi's sword.

Chen Xi spun his sword, and a bang resounded as he destroyed Yan Xu's attack and even almost sliced off Yan Xu's palm!

Yan Xu was finally visibly moved when he witnessed this scene, and he didn't dare continue underestimating Chen Xi. His figure flashed as a silver halberd which surged with silver bolts of lightning appeared out of thin air. Yan Xu took it in his grasp before swiftly swinging it down towards Chen Xi!

At their level of cultivation, every single move they made carried terrifying Divine Dao Laws and contained the various combat techniques they'd comprehended. So, while it seemed like a simple attack, it was filled with boundless profundities and extreme might that could overturn oceans and throw the world into disorder.

Bang! Bang! Bang!

Yan Xue seemed peerlessly mighty and ferocious with the halberd in hand, and he became locked in combat with Chen Xi. They exchanged a few hundred blows in a few breaths of time.

The entire heavens and the earth in this area was torn into pieces by the aftershock of their battle. Moreover, space was thrown into chaos and the ground was cracked apart. An area of 5,000km had been transformed into ruins!

Fortunately, they were at Slaughter Highlands because such a battle would probably destroy countless stars if it occurred in the Ancient God Domain.

Bang!

Suddenly, a world shaking sound of collision resounded as Yan Xu's figure staggered back, and his pupils couldn't help but constrict.

*This Savior's combat strength is actually that formidable?*

He felt slight disbelief.

"Yan Xu, is that all you've got? I think you should step aside!" Meanwhile, an icy cold and murderous voice resounded, and then a bone chain slashed down through the air. Moreover, it transformed into a vast mountain of corpses and an ocean of blood while the sorrowful howls of the gods resounded from it. It seemed extremely terrifying.

It was that peak Divine Child of the Sin Adjudicator Clan that had launched this attack!

His name was Bo Xunjin, and the divine bone chain in his grasp was the Chain of Adjudication. It possessed terrifying destructive might that would split apart even the strongest bodies while souls would be blasted into dispersal!

It was the Ancestral Weapon of the Sin Adjudicator Clan, and it wasn't just a simple Natural Spirit Treasure. Within it was the energy of adjudication that had been accumulated through countless years, and it had been painstakingly tempered over generations by the seniors of his clan.

So, how could an ordinary treasure compare to its might?

If Bo Xunjin weren't the most outstanding peak Divine Child within the Sin Adjudicator Clan, it would be utterly impossible for him to be qualified to possess such a treasure.

Bang!

The heavens and the earth here suddenly turned gloomy, dark, and icy cold. The atmosphere was murderous like that of boundless purgatory, and only the divine bone chain seemed like a ray of world obliterating light that was sweeping towards Chen Xi.

Its imposing aura was unfathomable, ghastly, ruthless to the extreme, and capable of instilling despair in the hearts of all.

"Hmph!" Chen Xi's hair fluttered as a strand of violet divine radiance shot out from him, and the dark and icy cold heave rumbled as that strand of violet divine radiance blasted through it and illuminated the world.

At the same time, he suddenly took a step forward while the blood red blade of his sword struck accurately on the Chain of Adjudication which was descending towards him.

Bang!

It was like two universes had collided. The terrifying aftershock from the collision was like a storm that swept through the sky, and it threw the surroundings into unrest.

Stomp! Stomp! Stomp!

Bo Xunjin's expression changed a little as his figure moved backward uncontrollably, and every single step he took smashed a hole through space.

This clearly showed how strong the impact he experienced was.

“Haha! You, Bo Xunjin, are nothing great as well!” Yan Xu laughed coldly. As he spoke, he grasped his halberd in his hand and charged once more at Chen Xi while emanating an imposing aura of supremacy over the world.

“Hmph!” Bo Xunjin’s face fell as he grunted coldly, and he attacked Chen Xi from the other side as well.

After their initial probe, both of these peak Divine Children of the Dao Defiants were clearly aware of how formidable Chen Xi’s combat strength was, and it was probably impossible for them to defeat him on their own.

So, at this moment, while they couldn’t stand the sight of the other, they’d still joined forces against Chen Xi with tacit understanding.

“Is that all you’ve got?” Right at this moment, a wisp of a cold arc had arisen on the corners of Chen Xi’s mouth, and he’d finally spoken a few words after remaining silent since the beginning.

His voice hadn’t even finished resounding through the air when he actually took the initiative to attack!

Swoosh!

His tall figure seemed to have instantly become boundlessly taller, mightier, and indistinct while the dazzling and blazing violet divine radiance he emanated illuminated the world.

A howl of delight that practically trembled resounded from the scarlet red Dao Calamity Sword, and it caused Chen Xi to possess a horrifying and supreme imposing aura.

Kill!

The long howl resounded from his blood red sword, and it surged through the surroundings.

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Pu!

At the same time, Shi Chuge who was at an extremely far away area on the battlefield had killed a Ninth Star Region Lord Realm Cerberus with a single stab of his spear, and it seemed as easy as tearing cloth apart.

Shi Chuge’s expression remained calm and indifferent as before when faced with the despaired howls of his enemy as the latter perished. He casually withdrew Bloodsky, wiped its tip a little, and then turned around and charged towards another area.

There were numerous Dao Defiants at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm there, and it would provide him a huge amount of battle merits if he killed them.

However, right at this moment, Shi Chuge’s figure stopped a little as he seemed to have noticed something, and he shot his gaze towards the distance.

The sky there seethed with the glow of black lightning, and it had transformed into the shape of a spear that rampaged through the world with boundless divine might.

At the other side, there was even a divine chain of bones that danced wildly through the sky. It was white as snow yet tainted with blood, and it revealed boundless killing intent from the energy of adjudication as it whistled through the world.

However, regardless of whether it was the black lightning or the bone chain, both of them had actually been completely suppressed by boundlessly dazzling violet gold divine radiance!

Their attacks could be described as unparalleled, all-powerful, and capable of shocking the world. They possessed a terrifying force of destruction that was beyond imagination.

However, their pincer attack wasn't able to shake the suppression exuded by that violet gold divine radiance, and such a scene was extraordinarily astounding.

*Yan Xu!* Shi Chuge instantly recognized the owner of the black lightning of destruction, the peak Divine Child of the Thunderfall Clan, Yan Xu!

Moreover, Yan Xu was one of the targets on Shi Chuge's list!

Yet now, Yan Xu was in battle with Chen Xi....

Shi Chuge revealed a rare frown on his face, and he seemed to be slightly displeased. But he didn't do anything in the end.

Because it wasn't just Yan Xu who'd attacked Chen Xi this time. If he wasn't wrong, then the owner of the bone chain was the peak Divine Child of the Sin Adjudicator Clan, Bo Xunjin!

Even though Shi Chuge wasn't afraid of any one of them, he wouldn't interfere in such a battle at all.

His dignity and character made him disdain to do something like that.

Shi Chuge wouldn't frown even if Chen Xi died. Because he'd never taken Chen Xi to be someone on the same side as him.

It was even to the extent that Shi Chuge felt he was showing extreme forbearance and magnanimity by not adding fuel to the flame and seizing the opportunity to act against Chen Xi.

As for fighting alongside Chen Xi, that was absolutely impossible!

However, Shi Chuge was very clearly aware that if it was according to the current situation, then Chen Xi seemed to need no help at all....

This caused a trace of a tricky feeling to arise in Shi Chuge's heart. For the very first time, he felt that he'd underestimated this Savior, Chen Xi.

After all, not just anyone could firmly suppress the joint forces of Yan Xu and Bo Xunjin. Conversely, even Shi Chuge himself felt that it was difficult for him to accomplish that if he didn't utilize his full strength.

That was the reason for the slightly strange feeling he had because he wondered if Chen Xi had exerted his full strength!

Bang!

Suddenly, a descendant of the Sin Executioner Clan suddenly charged over from the side. He possessed a combat strength at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm, and the moment he'd chosen to launch this surprise attack was accurate and ruthless to the extreme. It just happened to be the instant that Shi Chuge's mind had eased up a little.

Pu!

However, Shi Chuge didn't even turn around. It seemed like the spear in his hand at a pair of eyes of its own, and it suddenly stabbed forward and instantly pierced a bloody hole through the center of that Sin Executioner's forehead. That Sin Executioner hadn't even had the chance to let out a shrill cry before his lifeless figure crashed to the ground.

This scene horrified the other Dao Defiants who intended to seize the opportunity to charge at Shi Chuge, and their entire bodies trembled while they didn't dare approach him again.

At this moment, Shi Chuge couldn't be bothered to pay attention to all of this. His gaze was focused on the battle in the distance while his tranquil and handsome face carried a wisp of surprise and bewilderment.

Because a bright golden trident had soared through the sky and joined the battle right now, and it attacked Chen Xi with Yan Xu and Bo Xunjin.

The trident seemed as if it was made completely out of gold. It was dazzling, resplendent, extremely divine, and wasn't inferior to Yan Xu and Bo Xunjin's weapons at all.

It was a precious treasure passed down within the Cerberus Clan, and it was in the hands of the peak Divine Child of the Cerberus Clan, Zhuo Fu!

Obviously, the current situation was one where Zhuo Fu, Yan Xu, and Bo Xunjin had joint forces against Chen Xi!

If it was any other participant of the Divine Dao Protector Clans, that participant would definitely flee before such a situation. After all, it was a battle against three peak Divine Children, and every single one of them possessed peerless strength. Even a figure like Shi Chuge wouldn't dare brag about being able to go head-on against three Divine Children at once!

But Chen Xi hadn't fled!

The violet divine radiance that covered the sky grew even more blazing and resplendent, and others could faintly discern the myriad of talismans formed by the violet gold divine radiance. The talismans seethed and filled the heavens and the earth while flickering like an ancient and obscure grand formation which was constantly changing. It was mysterious and carried a force that shook the soul.

Shi Chuge was surprised because Chen Xi's imposing aura still couldn't be suppressed and overpowered, at all, even under such a situation!

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**Chapter 2134: The Will Of The Heart**

*He's fighting 3 peak Divine Children on his own?* A wisp of a tricky feeling circled incessantly around Shi Chuge's heart. He'd been wholeheartedly concentrated on cultivating in his own world, and he'd never suffered a defeat since he started to cultivate.

Moreover, it was impossible to find an opponent at the same realm of cultivation throughout the Primal Chaos Origin who could make him, Shi Chuge, feel pressured.

That included Beiming Canghai, Xia Ruoyuan, Suiren Kuanglan, and Tang Xiao'xiao. He hadn't really taken them seriously at all.

Yet now, Shi Chuge noticed that there was actually a figure like Chen Xi outside his own world!

It was also the first time he'd experienced pressure that came from the outside world!

He didn't feel threatened, but he felt slight repulsion towards it. He'd always firmly believed that he'd stepped foot onto the peak of the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm, and he'd attained perfection in it. Moreover, it was even impossible for the seniors of his sect at the Daolord Realm right now to have been able to rival him when they were at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm!

He felt that he'd arrived at the extremes of the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm, and there were no peers in the world who could go against him.

However, when he saw how Chen Xi was resisting the attacks of 3 peak Divine Children by himself, Shi Chuge suddenly noticed that everything he believed in was being struck apart!

The divine might Chen Xi revealed seemed to even surpass the extremes of the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm which Shi Chuge was familiar with!

*How... how could this be possible?* Shi Chuge hadn't noticed that this had on Bloodsky had unconsciously tightened while his knuckles had turned slightly white.

At this moment, it wasn't just Shi Chuge who was watching the battle; Suiren Kuanglan, Beiming Canghai, Xia Ruoyuan, and Tang Xiao'xiao had stopped fighting and shot their gazes over simultaneously from different parts of the battlefield.

Because the fluctuations of the battle were too great that it seemed extremely striking throughout the vast battlefield. Moreover, an area of 50,000km had been transformed into their private battlefield which no one dared to approach!

Because it was a chaotic battle, a terrifying battle between the joint forces of 3 peak Divine Children against Chen Xi!

Such an unparalleled battle had never occurred throughout the Battle of Dao Protectors in the past, and it could be considered to be unprecedented!

Dazzling and resplendent Violet gold divine radiance covered the world, and it seemed divine and ethereal as it formed countless mysterious talismans that rise up into the sky.

Chen Xi was like an immovable divine mountain, and he still showed no signs of defeat no matter how the golden trident, black lightning of destruction, or divine bone chain attacked successively.

Suiren Kuanglan's calm expression carried a wisp of gloominess, and the expression in his eyes which seemed like they had surging divine flames burning within them couldn't help but change indeterminately.

He was unable to figure out how Chen Xi could accomplish this!

Xia Ruoyuan puckered his lips as he recalled the scene of the battle between him and Chen Xi, and his ice cold face was suffused with a complicated expression. *So he really was holding back on that day....*

*Oh, he's actually that formidable. Are all the disciples of Oracle Mountain so heaven defying? If I knew it would be like this, then I would have stayed at Oracle Mountain no matter what. Alas, Ancestral Uncle Tang Xian, it's all your fault. Otherwise, I would be as ferocious as that fellow....* Tang Xiao'xiao rubbed her brows while she puckered her glistening lips with a bitter expression on her face. She noticed that she seemed to be constantly in an annoyed state since she'd encountered Chen Xi, and she'd never had a moment of happiness. It was truly vexing to her!

*Looks like Xia Ruoyuan's defeat wasn't undeserved at all....* Beiming Canghai muttered while his eyes surged with battle intent. He suddenly had the impulse to fight Chen Xi no matter what, and he wouldn't mind even if he lost.

This impulse was extremely strong. It caused his blood to be unable to help but seethe while boundless yearning was on the verge of making him lose all reason.

However, right at this moment, another blood red cauldron descended from the distant sky, and it possessed an imposing aura capable of crushing the world and bringing all beneath its power. As soon as it appeared, it collided forcefully against the violet gold divine radiance, and it was even to the extent that the violet gold divine radiance shook violently.

Another peak Divine Child had joined the fight!

That was the 4th Divine Child!

Beiming Canghai's pupils constricted while it felt as if the yearning in his heart had been doused by cold water and had been put out completely. At this moment, no to mention challenging Chen Xi, just going near that area would probably cause him to be swept into the battle. At that time, would anyone believe that he'd gone to challenge Chen Xi?

They would take him to be Chen Xi's support!

Beiming Canghai was just like Shi Chuge, he'd never taken Chen Xi to be an ally from the same side.

Most importantly, the five high level clans had come to a unanimous agreement that they would take Chen Xi to be someone who must be eliminated.

Under such circumstances, Beiming Canghai could be considered to be very benevolent by not going over to act against Chen Xi, so how could he possibly assist Chen Xi?

But....



When he saw Chen Xi fight intensely with those four peak Divine Children, and as he witnessed the overbearing and domineering imposing aura and courage that Chen Xi revealed, Beiming Canghai couldn't help but feel complicated emotions in his heart.

*Why is such a heaven defying fellow a Savior?*

*He's fighting a bloody battle with the Dao Defiants by himself yet no one from our side is heading to provide him support. That would definitely not feel good, right?* Beiming Canghai couldn't help but sigh in his heart.

If it were possible, he would rather see Chen Xi die at his hands than watch Chen Xi die beneath the feet of his enemies!

...

The blood red cauldron was extremely terrifying and possessed formidable strength which destroyed everything in its path. Its ability to destroy was especially shocking. As soon as it appeared here, it instantly caused the violet gold divine radiance that covered the sky to start surging violently and dim down.

The blood red cauldron had a very simple name, the Crushing Cauldron. It was passed down within the Bloodsucker Clan, and it was a sacred treasure of the clan.

Now, it was in the possession of the peak Divine Child of the Bloodsucker Clan, Qiu Luo!

This meant that the situation Chen Xi was in had changed once more, and it had changed from a battle of 3 against 1 to 4 against 1!

A single person was in battle against 4 peak Divine Children of the Dao Defiant Clans. That was simply a new record! It was an unprecedented miracle!

Of course, such a miracle could only be considered as a regretful one if Chen Xi failed.

But even then, Chen Xi had been capable of accomplishing this, and it was still sufficient to cause everyone in the world to feel shocked and be visibly moved!

Peak Divine Children weren't ordinary Ninth Star Region Lords! They were the top forces of the Dao Defiant Clans! Yet now, Chen Xi was able to fight against four, so it was obvious how shocking and even unbelievable this was.

The entire battlefield seemed to be alarmed upon witnessing such a scene, and the battles that were originally being carried out actually showed a short period of stopping!

Regardless of whether it was the Dao Defiants or the Dao Protectors, all of them were astounded. They were shocked by the scene of the battle between Chen Xi and four peak Divine Children.

Such an inconceivable scene would definitely not occur in the past, and this clearly showed how astonishing this battle was.

Shi Chuge's gaze carried a complicated expression.

Suiren Kuanglan's expression grew gloomier.

Tang Xiao'xiao bit her cherry lips, her pure and clear eyes surged with a rare wisp of rage, and she seemed to be conflicted and struggling inwardly.

*Should I help him?*

At this moment, a wisp of a feeling of guilt that he'd never felt before had arisen within Beiming Canghai's heart, and even he was unable to determine the reason for it.

Xia Ruoyuan raised his head to look at the sky, and then he gazed at the other participants from the Divine Dao Protector Clans who were scattered throughout the battlefield while a wisp of ridicule and disdain appeared on his handsome and icy cold face.

But in next to no time, his expression became tranquil while an unprecedentedly firm expression surged into his eyes.

Clang!

A scarlet red flag with a totem on it appeared in Xia Ruoyuan's hand, and then his figure flashed towards the battlefield in the distance!

*There's no one lending Chen Xi a hand? Then it can start with me! Going against my heart merely for the sake of a command isn't the path that I, Xia Ruoyuan, intend to take!*

*Throughout my lifetime, I, Xia Ruoyuan have killed countless enemies, traversed mountains of corpses and oceans of blood, and experienced the tempering of life and death battles, yet I've never gone against my Dao Heart. Today will be no exception!* A piercingly cold gale howled while carrying the dense and pungent stench of blood. Xia Ruoyuan suddenly felt that he'd broken an invisible shackle of Destiny, and he felt unprecedentedly relaxed and happy.

In his daze, he seemed to see a boundlessly vast river of Destiny surged through his mind....

Xia Ruoyuan started smiling like an ancient mountain of ice that had suddenly melted, and his smile was pure and dazzling.

Because he was finally sure that he'd finally taken a step closer to the Daolord Realm and came into contact with a trace of the aura of Destiny!

All of this had occurred after he'd made that decision. It was like his Dao Heart had been cleansed to become even purer and firmer.

Xia Ruoyuan didn't hesitate for a moment after he made that decision, and he gazed at that lone figure in the distant battlefield who was surrounded by enemies and fighting a bloody battle.

*Thanks....* Xia Ruoyuan muttered in his heart while a wisp of dense killing intent surged into his eyes, and then his figure was like a bolt of lightning that charged towards the battlefield in the distance!

*Nevermind! I'll give Ancestral Uncle Tang Xian face and save him this time. Even if he dies, he has to die at my hands!* At the other side, Tang Xiao'xiao who had been conflicted and struggling in her heart suddenly stomped her foot on the ground and rubbed her hair fiercely as if she was venting. After that, she held that blue curved blade which was taller than her, roared loudly, and charged towards the battlefield in the distance.

She knew that she couldn't hesitate anymore. She'd hesitated for too many days since seeing Chen Xi in the campsite. Moreover, Chen Xi was in imminent danger right now, so she had to make a decision!

However, right at this moment, both Xia Ruoyuan and Tang Xiao'xiao's figures had suddenly stopped before they even arrived there, and they revealed astounded expressions.

The violet gold divine radiance in midair that was on the verge of being destroyed had suddenly glowed brightly like a phoenix that rose from the ashes!

The violet gold radiance was extremely clear, dazzling, and gorgeous. It illuminated the sky brilliantly!

In an instant....

The black glow of lightning rumbled as it exploded into pieces!

The divine bone chain exploded apart!

The golden trident wailed as it shot backward!

The blood red cauldron trembled incessantly!

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**Chapter 2135: Lost**

The violet gold divine radiance glowed brightly and blotted out the sky.

The battlefield was once covered in a dense bloody aura, and it was dark, murderous, and filled with the horrifying aura of death.

However, when that strand of violet gold divine radiance appeared at this moment, it was like a scorching sun that shot through the darkness and brought the first ray of light upon the world. It illuminated the entire world!

It was dazzling and resplendent as it swept through the surroundings!

Everyone was shocked while deathly silence filled the surroundings. All the experts fighting throughout the battlefield had stopped simultaneously. Regardless of whether they were Dao Protectors or Dao Defiants, all of them were horrified at this moment.

Their pupils had dilated and were filled with disbelief.

This attack was peerlessly shocking!

Everything seemed to dim and insignificant before this dazzling violet gold divine radiance.

However....

Practically everyone had noticed that Chen Xi had become inferior in comparison and in imminent danger when facing the joint attacks of the peak Divine Child of the Bloodsucker Clan, Qiu Luo, the peak Divine Child of the Thunderfall Clan, Yan Xue, the peak Divine Child of the Sin Adjudicator Clan, Bo Xunjin, and the peak Divine Child of the Cerberus Clan, Zhuo Fu. Chen Xi was clearly on the verge of being unable to hold on any longer.

*How could he be able to instantly erupt with such terrifying combat strength under such circumstances and break through the encirclement in one go?*

*This is simply unimaginable!* Even Xia Ruoyuan and Tang Xiao'xiao who were rushing over to assist Chen Xi hadn't been able to discern the secrets of the battle.

The entire battlefield was silent. The violet gold divine radiance was vast and divine. It covered the heavens and the earth like tidewater, and it was so striking and brilliant.

But in just a few breaths of time, the violet gold divine radiance gradually vanished, and then a wave of miserable, shrill, shocked, and furious howls resounded.

Xia Ruoyuan swiftly looked over and saw the peak Divine Child of the Bloodsucker Clan, Qiu Luo, and the peak Divine Child of the Cerberus Clan, Zhuo Fu, were actually fleeing hastily towards the distance while their shocked and furious howls were filled with a huge amount of unwillingness and terror. It wasn't long before they vanished at the horizon!

They really had fled!

They seemed to have had their wills to fight crushed by Chen Xi's attack, and they didn't dare stay here for another moment.

*But....*

*Why don't I see the Divine Child of the Thunderfall Clan, Yan Xu, and the Divine Child of the Sin Adjudicator Clan, Bo Xunjin?*

*Where are the two of them?*

A scene suddenly flashed through Xia Ruoyuan's mind. In the scene, the violet gold divine radiance seethed, and it instantly enveloped both the divine bone chain and the black glow of lightning....

*They're dead?*

The divine bone chain was an Ancestral Weapon of Bo Xunjin's clan, the Chain of Adjudication, and the black glow of lightning was the Ancestral Weapon of Yan Xu's clan, the Thunderfall Spear!

Now, those two treasures had been swallowed and vanished, whereas, both Bo Xunjin and Yan Xu were nowhere to be seen as well. So, didn't that mean that they had perished beneath that attack?

When he thought up to this point, Xia Ruoyuan couldn't help but be shocked in his heart. After all, such a heaven defying accomplishment like crushing two peak Divine Children and repelling another two with a single attack was simply akin to an unprecedented miracle!

Swoosh!

Xia Ruoyuan didn't even have the time to give it further thought when a tall figure suddenly appeared within his field of vision, and it instantly drew his attention.

That tall figure's green clothes were completely tainted by blood and extremely tattered. Moreover, his dense jet black hair was slightly disheveled. Only his firm and handsome face was calm and indifferent

as well, but it was clearly quite pale. It seemed like he'd exhausted too much of his strength and had suffered quite severe internal injuries.

But at this moment, that figure was so huge and distant in Xia Ruoyuan's eyes, and it carried an indescribably dignified aura!

It wasn't just Xia Ruoyuan, many others throughout the battlefield had noticed this scene, and their pupils couldn't help but constrict while all sorts of emotions arose in their hearts.

There was shock, wonder, bewilderment, fear, awe, terror, and disbelief.

But in next to no time, Chen Xi's figure vanished from the battlefield. He moved like the wind and traversed the battlefield to return to the campsite.

All along the way, there had actually been no one who dared to obstruct his path!

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Along with Chen Xi's departure, the deathly silence of the battlefield was broken by the heavy and desolate sound of a horn.

Once could clearly notice that the army of Dao Defiants throughout the battlefield were retreating like a receding tide, and they were returning to their campsites.

That horn was actually the signal for the Dao Defiants to retreat!

Obviously, they'd noticed that their will to fight had been crushed by Chen Xi's last attack and continuing the battle would only be harmful to them.

If it were at any other time, no one would miss the opportunity to mercilessly crush these Dao Defiants when they were down. However, the experts from the Divine Dao Protector Clans didn't seize the opportunity to chase after and kill the Dao Defiants during this retreat of theirs.

The reason was very simple. It wasn't just the Dao Defiants' will to fight that had been crushed by Chen Xi, even they had been greatly affected.

At this moment, they didn't have any intention to pursue their enemies. Numerous Dao Protectors even moved simultaneously towards the area of the battlefield which Chen Xi fought at just now.

They wanted to confirm something.

Shi Chuge, Suiren Kuanglan, and Beiming Canghai weren't able to stay calm another, and they moved over in succession.

As for Xia Ruoyuan and Tang Xiao'xiao, they'd been the first to arrive at the area once Chen Xi left.

However, they noticed that there were many figures standing far away on the other side of the area which was Chen Xi's battlefield just moments ago.

Merely based on their auras alone, it was obvious that all of them were peak Divine Children of the Dao Defiants!

This discovery caused a trace of vigilance to arise in both Xia Ruoyuan and Tang Xiao'xiao's hearts. However, they noticed that those peak Divine Children didn't have any intention to attack, and they were observing the traces on the battlefield just like the two of them were. So, the two of them weren't that worried anymore.

Obviously, the experts of both sides seemed to intend to confirm something from this area in the battlefield.

This area covered a scope of over 50,000km, and it was comparable in size to the territory of an organization. The ground throughout this area had countless cracks on it while even though the chaotic space here was gradually stabilizing, it was still suffered with a horrifying aura of chaos.

Besides that, the sky here seemed to be even darker than any other part of the battlefield on Slaughter Highlands, and it emanated an oppressive aura of destruction.

It was almost impossible to find a single whole area on the ground in this area. The surroundings were covered in ruins, scorched earth, and scars from the battle. Besides that, strands of horrifying killing intent still hadn't dispersed from this area, and it caused the area to seem like a forbidden area of slaughter that horrified the hearts and souls of others.

Slight changes had started to appear on the faces of many experts of the Divine Dao Protector Clans when they witnessed such a scene.

Perhaps it was merely an area on the battlefield that was like an expanse of ruins in the eyes of others, but Ninth Star Region Lords like them were able to discern many secrets that other ordinary people couldn't.

It was even to the extent that many experts could rely on supreme techniques and the aura left behind on the battlefield to form the scenes of the battle within their minds.

Just like this very moment, many of them had done exactly that.

However, in next to no time, someone suddenly coughed up blood while revealing a surprised and bewildered expression. Besides that, some had turned pale and had astonishment all over their faces. This caused many other experts in the vicinity to become agitated.

"Such a battle isn't something that all of you can understand. Rashly trying to deduce the details of the battle will definitely cause all of you to suffer backlash. I advise you to leave right now!" Suiren Kuanglan glanced coldly at the experts in the vicinity, and he spoke in an extremely blunt manner. Instead of calling it a piece of advice, it should be called an order.

Many experts immediately turned around and left. Even though Suiren Kuanglan's words were annoying to hear, they were the truth. They were indeed unable to discover anything with the ability they possessed.

However, this indirectly proved that Chen Xi was already strong to the point that they were unable to deduce anything about him! Such a fact alone was enough to force them to take a long time in order to come to terms with it.

There were also some experts that left unwillingly. However, they had no choice but to leave sulkily when Suiren Kuanglan's icy cold gaze was on them.

Before long, only Shi Chuge, Suiren Kuanglan, Beiming Canghai, Tang Xiao'xiao, and Xia Ruoyuan remained here.

They stood at different spots on the battlefield while their gazes were fixed upon the desolate battlefield in the distance, and the atmosphere around them was completely silent.

"We have to join forces." Suiren Kuanglan broke the silence after a long time passed, and his voice was icy cold and solemn. "All of you've probably noticed that Savior is already at a strength which none of us can deal with by ourselves. We can dream of eliminating him if we don't join forces!"

"Join forces?" A wisp of a strange smile arose on the corners of Beiming Canghai's mouth, and then he glanced at Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan before falling silent once more.

Suiren Kuanglan immediately understood him, and he frowned as he gazed at Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan. "What do the two of you think?"

"I'm not interested." Xia Ruoyuan's expression was cold like a mountain of snow while he spoke these words softly, and then he turned around and left. He hadn't spared a single glance at Suiren Kuanglan since the beginning.

This caused Suiren Kuanglan's face to turn gloomy. "Someone who has lost to Chen Xi dares to act so arrogantly? How laughable!"

As he spoke, his gaze shot towards Tang Xiao'xiao. "Xiao'xiao, what about you?"

Tang Xiao'xiao rubbed her head while her clear and youthful face was covered in agony. "Oh, I have to have a good thought about it. This question is truly too difficult."

She waved her hand at Suiren Kuanglan and said, "I'll tell you when I've figured it out."

Her voice hadn't finished resounding through the air when she'd vanished on the spot.

The corners of Suiren Kuanglan's mouth twitched imperceptibly. "Looks like both of them have forgotten the assignments they were given before they came here and participated in the Battle of Dao Protectors!"

He hadn't been able to speak further as Beiming Canghai smiled and shrugged at this moment. "Joining forces or not depends on whether I'm able to defeat Chen Xi or not. Right, I'm going to challenge him right now!"

As he finished speaking, battle intent that seethed like lava surged into his eyes, and his figure transformed into an ocean that whistled through the sky.

*He's going to challenge Chen Xi on his own? Does he intend to take advantage of him?* Suiren Kuanglan was stunned. He'd clearly noticed that Chen Xi's countenance was pale just now. Obviously, Chen Xi had exhausted too much of his strength or suffered a heavy injury, so Beiming Canghai might really be able to seize a huge advantage over Chen Xi by challenging Chen Xi right now.

Suiren Kuanglan shook his head and shot his gaze towards Shi Chuge, and his expression became even more solemn than it was just now. It was even to the extent that he faintly revealed a trace of fear.

At this moment, Shi Chuge was completely distracted, and his handsome and tranquil face had a rare trace of a lost expression. He seemed like he hadn't noticed Shi Chuge's gaze at all, and he was acting rather unusually.

After that, he turned around and left.

Even when he left, the lost expression on his face hadn't vanished as he walked away by himself.

Just one person walking through the battlefield with a spear in hand.

Yet he seemed to be slightly different from before.

As he watched Shi Chuge leave, Suiren Kuanglan opened his mouth as if he wanted to say something, but he shut his mouth in the end.

His heart was filled with complicated emotions as well.

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#### **Chapter 2136: Fear**

Chen Xi's calm and indifferent face showed no signs of relaxing when he saw the outline of the campsite gradually clearing up in his vision.

Conversely, his brows had knit together even more tightly while his slightly pale and handsome face actually showed faint signs of growing paler.

It was like he was suffering some sort of pain within him.

Pu!

At the moment he arrived at the campsite, Chen Xi actually couldn't help but spit out a mouthful of blood while his entire body trembled.

Especially his vital energy, it seemed to be stable yet was faintly revealed dangerous signs of being on the verge of falling into disorder.

Chen Xi took a deep breath and forcefully suppressed the surging and violent energy within him, and he was just about to flash towards the palace which belonged to him when he seemed to have noticed something, and his gaze suddenly shot towards the side.

Swish!

At practically the exact same time, two figures had appeared out of thin air, and it was the figures of a man and a woman. Surprisingly, it was Leng Xinghun and Dao Wushuang!

Leng Xinghun's expression was cold and indifferent as before, but his gaze was slightly strange as he looked at Chen Xi. It seemed to carry surprise, pity, and a faint trace of killing intent.

Dao Wushuang was grinning at his side while her clear eyes were sizing Chen Xi up with curiosity. She seemed to be trying to confirm something.



Chen Xi's eyes narrowed. He hadn't expected that he would encounter this old enemy of his, Leng Xinghun, at a time like this!

No, he should actually be called a 'Reconstructed'.

On the way to participate in the Battle of Dao Protectors, his Eldest Senior Brother, Wu Xuechan, had told him that Leng Xinghun had indeed died. The current Leng Xinghun was just an existence that the Sovereign Sect's Master had utilized a secret technique to recreate, and he just possessed all the memories which Leng Xinghun possessed before his death.

Obviously, Leng Xinghun and Dao Wushuang had arrived at the campsite a long time ago, and it was even to the extent that they'd clearly witnessed the battle from before.

Now, since they'd suddenly appeared before him, then they'd clearly come with ill intent!

Leng Xinghun suddenly clapped and praised. "Amazing. Even I never expected that not only would you be able to leave easily from the joint attack of 4 peak Divine Children, you even seized the opportunity to kill two of them. Such accomplishments in battle are sufficient to be considered as unparalleled throughout the world."

The praise of an enemy could never be taken to be true praise because it might be ridicule.

Chen Xi merely glanced at Leng Xinghun before he said indifferently. "The opportunity you grabbed isn't bad. It really is my weakest moment. Perhaps you really might have a chance to kill me if you attack right now."

A divine glow surged within Leng Xinghun's eyes. He seemed to be surprised yet itching to give it a try as well. However, he couldn't help but frown. "Are you trying to trick me?"

Chen Xi shrugged and said, "This is the only opportunity you'll have. You can feel free to try if it's true or not."

As soon as he finished speaking, Chen Xi actually paid no further attention to Leng Xinghun and Dao Wushuang. He just walked straight towards the campsite while his expression had never changed from the beginning.

It was even to the extent that he couldn't help but cough violently a few times when he'd just stepped foot into the campsite, and there was even a strand of blood flowing out of the corner of his mouth.

Leng Xinghun's eyes flickered with divine light while his heart surged endlessly with killing intent. He knew that this was the best opportunity he had to kill Chen Xi until now, and no one knew when he would get another chance like this if he were to let it slip by.

*But....*

*Is this fellow really at his weakest state?*

Leng Xinghun wasn't sure.

A long time ago at the Forgotten Grounds of Chaos, he'd once suffered a miserable death at Chen Xi's hands because he'd underestimated Chen Xi. So, since the moment he'd become a 'Reconstructed', he'd

treated Chen Xi as his greatest enemy in his entire lifetime, and he didn't dare underestimate Chen Xi in the slightest.

Coupled with the scene he just witnessed where Chen Xi had killed two peak Divine Children and forced two more to flee, Leng Xinghun was even more assured that his cautiousness wasn't mistaken because the combat strength Chen Xi possessed was too heaven defying indeed.

However, Chen Xi clearly seemed to be in a weak and heavily injured state, and it was the best opportunity to kill Chen Xi, so Leng Xinghun hesitated on whether he should give it a try!

Leng Xinghun was conflicted to the extreme in his heart. When it really came to the moment to attack Chen Xi, he suddenly noticed that he was actually still not fully confident even when facing Chen Xi who seemed to be extremely weak!

*Why?*

*Could a shadow of fear and terror towards Chen Xi have been left behind in the depths of my heart?*

All of this took some time to describe yet had actually occurred in an instant. All of this had simultaneously surged into Leng Xinghun's heart, and it caused his cold and emotionless face to actually start changing indeterminately.

"We'll miss this opportunity if we still don't attack!" Dao Wushuang brows were knit together as she spoke. She seemed to be puzzled by Leng Xinghun's indecisiveness at this moment because she'd never seen him act like this in the past.

"I...." Leng Xinghun gazed at Chen Xi who was moving further and further away. The veins on his forehead bulged up while a conflicted expression appeared on his face.

"Forget it! Since you don't intend to attack and take revenge yourself, then I'll deal with him for you." When she spoke up to this point, her charming and pretty face actually appeared divine and dignified, and the fair and slender tip of her finger had a strand of extremely condensed and surging killing intent coiled around it.

"Don't!" Leng Xinghun suddenly shouted loudly like an agitated beast. His eyes were bloodshot as he grabbed Dao Wushuang's shoulder, and his fingers were like iron clamps that pierced deep into her shoulder blade.

Dao Wushuang seemed to be in pain, and it caused her beautiful brows to knit together while a wisp of coldness flashed through her clear eyes. "You're afraid of that fellow, but I'm not. I'll kill you if you dare to stop me again!"

Leng Xinghun roared. "I'm afraid of him? I'm afraid of him!? I'm saving your life! Do you think that you'll be able to kill him by just charging over there? Do you know who he is? He's Chen Xi! A dangerous existence that you've never truly understood! Have you figured out whether he's putting on an act or not before you dare to charge at him?"

At this moment, he seemed as if he'd gone mad, and the conflicted thoughts in his heart had completely surged out from within him.

Dao Wushuang had never seen Leng Xinghun lose his composure like this. Her clear pupils couldn't help but constrict, yet she still remained unconvinced. "I... can't even give it a try?"

Leng Xinghun seemed to have noticed that he'd lost his composure. He swiftly took a deep breath and tried hard to suppress the intense emotions within him as he shook his head. "There are some things in this world which you can't try, like death."

Meanwhile, Chen Xi was on the verge of vanishing from their fields of vision when he suddenly turned around and spoke indifferently. "You're right. No matter how weak I am, I'm not someone the two of you can kill. However, this really is the best opportunity to kill me, and you won't have another chance like this in the future."

As soon as he finished speaking, Chen Xi turned around and continued forward.

These words caused Leng Xinghun's expression to change indeterminately again. He almost gnashed his teeth apart yet forcefully restrained himself from attacking in the end.

He'd died once, and he didn't want to gamble with his life again!

"Ha! How arrogant!" Dao Wushuang had been infuriated by Chen Xi's words. Her figure instantly flashed through space towards Chen Xi.

She was so swift that even Leng Xinghun hadn't been in time to stop her.

However, she'd merely travelled halfway when she suddenly stopped. She stared fixedly at Chen Xi who was walking off into the distance while extremely abundant killing intent suffused her clear eyes.

If it were any other ordinary person, then merely this strand of killing intent would have been sufficient to take that person's life. However, Chen Xi seemed as if he hadn't noticed it at all, and he hadn't even turned around as he continued forward.

Swoosh!

Dao Wushuang suddenly gritted her teeth while she lightly flicked the tip of her slender figure. A light green leaf appeared out of thin air, and then it appeared above Chen Xi before drifting down towards him.

This light green leaf was utterly weightless, had clear veins throughout its body, yet was condensed from the purest form of the Order of the Heaven Dao!

However, it vanished without a sound when it was about to descend onto Chen Xi's back. It seemed like snow that had melted in water, and it hadn't left a trace behind or caused any sound of collision.

This caused Dao Wushuang's clear eyes to narrow, and then she raised the tip of her finger once more with the intention of giving it another try.

"Enough! Do you really want to die!?" Leng Xinghun suddenly appeared by her side and grabbed onto her arm, stopping her from launching another attack.

"Hmph!" Dao Wushuang glanced coldly at Leng Xinghun. "Even if I'm unable to kill him by myself, we'll definitely be able to kill him if we join forces!"

"How naïve." Leng Xinghun spoke these words lightly as he gazed towards the distance. At the end of his gaze, Chen Xi's figure had vanished within the palace.

"Naïve? How laughable! It was all because you were too fearful. Perhaps it was exactly because you've died once at his hands that made you so afraid of him." Dao Wushuang shook her head with slight disappointment, and then she turned around and left by herself. "Only now have I noticed that your so-called cautiousness is only an excuse for your fear of him."

*An excuse?* Leng Xinghun's expression was icy cold and gloomy while he felt unprecedentedly furious and agitated in his heart. *Could I have really been constantly afraid of Chen Xi in the depths of my heart?*

*No!*

*Dao Wushuang doesn't know how terrifying Chen Xi is at all! How could she understand my thoughts?*

Leng Xinghun took a deep breath and muttered. "Even if this opportunity is gone, there's always another one. But once our lives are gone, then it's the end of everything...."

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Thump!

As soon as he entered the palace, Chen Xi's entire body seemed as if it had lost all support, and he slumped down to the ground while strands of blood surged ceaselessly from between his lips.

His countenance was horrifyingly pale and was faintly greenish.

It was especially so for his vital energy. It was in disorder like a herd of wild horses. It was rampaging throughout his body and was on the verge of escaping his control.

Chen Xi gasped for breath rapidly while a wisp of ridicule arose on the corners of his mouth. *Leng Xinghun? He really is nothing worth mentioning!*

A long time passed before Chen Xi crawled up to his feet and walked forward with difficulty. He moved his figure to the Divine Pool of Chaos.

Chen Xi took a deep breath, discarded the distracting thoughts in his mind, and concentrated all his attention into his body. His entire body was soundlessly concealed within the water of the pool and vanished from sight.

No one knew that an unexpected change had occurred in the Dao Calamity Sword during his battle with the four peak Divine Children, and it had almost caused him to be killed on the spot.

No one knew that it was exactly that unexpected event that had allowed Chen Xi who was on the verge of falling into a dangerous situation to launch a counterattack and kill two of his enemies in one go while the other two were scared off.

In the end, everything had been caused by the unexpected change in the Dao Calamity Sword!

If he'd utilized the Talisman Armament in battle, then even if he couldn't defeat them in a short period of time, such a sudden and unexpected change in the situation wouldn't have occurred at all....

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### **Chapter 2137: Destiny**

Since he'd entered the Spring of Sin, the Dao Calamity Sword seemed as if it had awakened from its deep slumber, and it revealed yearning that it had never displayed in the past.

It had a natural ability to counter the energy of sin and evil, and it was even capable of devouring, refining, and absorbing the energy of sin and evil. It was extremely miraculous.

After his battles on Slaughter Highlands, 3 pure and dazzling Pearl of Laws had been condensed within the Dao Calamity Sword, and every single one of them possessed a trace of the aura of Destiny and were unfathomable.

However, Chen Xi had never imagined that such a shocking change would occur to the Dao Calamity Sword when he fought those four peak Divine Children with it.

Perhaps it was because the Dao Calamity Sword had absorbed and refined too much energy of sin and evil. The 3 Pearl of Laws within the sword had suddenly fused into one at that time, and it seemed like a seed that swiftly transformed into a pure lotus flower that seemed like it was made of glass!

The lotus flower had 36 petals. Every single one of those petals was crystalline and translucent, and they were branded with dense and mysterious markings.

At that time, Chen Xi was in battle with those 4 peak Divine Children, and he'd been caught off guard by this sudden change, causing him to almost lose his life at the time.

When Chen Xi recovered from it, he felt an extremely violent and pure energy of Divine Dao Laws surge from the Dao Calamity Sword towards his body.

At that time, Chen Xi felt like his entire body was about to explode. The region within his body was circulating madly at an unprecedented speed, the blood throughout his body surged, and his vital energy seethed.

It was like he was a volcano that had been lying dormant for 100,000 years and was suddenly about to erupt. So, Chen Xi didn't hesitate to swing his sword.

It was exactly that swing of his sword that killed Yan Xu and Bo Xunjin while Zhou Fu and Qiu Luo were scared away!

However, it was exactly that swing as well which caused the energy throughout Chen Xi's body to fall into a state of chaos and conflict. His vital energy was practically in disorder, and even all his strength was only barely able to prevent himself from suffering qi deviation, yet it was almost impossible for him to continue fighting.

Thus, Chen Xi had no choice but to return to the campsite.

So, when the others saw his pale countenance, they thought that Chen Xi had suffered a heavy injury or exhausted too much of his strength.

Moreover, it was exactly the reason why Leng Xinghun and Dao Wushuang had seized the opportunity to look for him with the intent to kill him. But in the end, the fear in the depths of his heart had caused Leng Xinghun to give up on that opportunity.

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Gurgle~

The Divine Pool of Chaos was enveloped by mist, and it completely covered Chen Xi's figure.

Chen Xi held his breath in concentration while his complete attention was gathered upon the unfamiliar energy within his body.

That energy was pure, vast, and filled with the most primitive Divine Dao Laws. Moreover, it was faintly enshrouded by strands of the aura of Destiny.

However, at this moment, that energy was wild and impossible to tame like a ferocious dragon, and it rampaged incessantly through the region within his body. Everywhere it passed, the stars within the region shook, divine energy surged, and it was an utter scene of chaos and turmoil.

Obviously, it was exactly this strand of energy that had caused Chen Xi to fall into a 'weak' state.

After a period of deduction and probing, Chen Xi finally discerned that the reason this energy was so violent was because it contained strands of the aura of Destiny!

Destiny was supreme, ethereal, and indistinct.

Only by comprehending and grasping a trace of the true profundities of destiny would one have the chance of stepping into the extraordinarily supreme realm of Daolords!

In other words, such an energy was too supreme that only Daolords could comprehend and control it. So, Chen Xi who was just a Ninth Star Region Lord wasn't qualified to possess such energy!

Yet now, traces of the aura of Destiny had fused by coincidence into that strand of pure energy of the Divine Dao Laws, and it had entered into Chen Xi's body in the end. It was really impossible to say if it was fortune or misfortune for him. The only definite thing was that Chen Xi's body was in a really bad state.

The crux of the matter was how to tame, refine, and absorb that strand of energy!

Chen Xi had realized this problem as well. His consciousness had converged onto this problem and he utilized all his ability to deduce a method.

However, he hadn't noticed at all that the River Diagram fragments which were in a deathly silence state within his sea of consciousness had silently emanated strands of obscure and strange fluctuations.

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Numerous figures were gathered outside the tightly closed door of Chen Xi's palace, and they were all the experts of the Divine Dao Protector Clans who had returned from the battlefield.

Along with that world shocking attack that Chen Xi had executed, the Dao Defiants had immediately decided to retreat, and it caused the vast war to suddenly fall into a temporary ceasefire.

Many experts from the Divine Dao Protector Clans had complicated emotions in their hearts and didn't have the desire to continue fighting. They'd returned successively to the campsite while their gazes had converged onto the palace that Chen Xi resided in.

Everything that had occurred on the battlefield today was too shocking, and it finally allowed all the experts from the Divine Dao Protector Clans to realize how terrifying Chen Xi was.

However, they still remembered that Chen Xi was a Savior! He was an enemy that all the Divine Dao Protector Clans have decided to eliminate before the Battle of Dao Protectors had even begun!

Under such circumstances, would Suiren Kuanglan who had an agreement to fight Chen Xi still be confident in his ability to fight Chen Xi?

Would Shi Chuge, Beiming Canghai, and Tang Xiao'xiao have the confidence to do that?

What sort of decision would they make when facing such circumstances?

The other experts from the Divine Dao Protector Clans didn't know the answer to that. They needed someone to step forward and guide them towards their next step, otherwise, they wouldn't be able to eat or sleep in peace while Chen Xi existed here.

Sure enough, those experts noticed that some others had arrived here before them.

It was Beiming Canghai, Suiren Kuanglan, Tang Xiao'xiao, and Xia Ruoyuan. Besides Shi Chuge, all the other participants from the 5 high level clans had gathered here!

However, some discerning experts in the crowd clearly noticed that Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan were standing before the door to Chen Xi's palace. Even though they had their backs to them, Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan hadn't taken any action at all, and this seemed very strange to them.

On the other hand, Suiren Kuanglan stood in the distance with a calm yet indifferent expression while his hands remained behind his back. No one knew exactly what he was thinking.

Only Beiming Canghai took large strides forward upon arriving here, and then he said in a deep voice, "Chen Xi, are you there? Do you dare to fight me, Beiming Canghai?"

His speech was straightforward, and he didn't conceal his thoughts at all.

It instantly caused clamorous noise to resound in the surroundings.

No one had expected that Beiming Canghai would actually dare to do this after Chen Xi had defeated Xia Ruoyuan beforehand and just defeated 4 peak Divine Children in one go.

The confident and awe-inspiring aura he emanated caused many experts to be unable to avoid being visibly moved.

Of course, there were others with different opinions. They felt that Beiming Canghai was clearly trying to take advantage of the situation by doing this. After all, everyone was aware that Chen Xi had just fought four peak Divine Children. Even though he'd left the battle safely, many had noticed that Chen

Xi's countenance was pale. Obviously, he'd exhausted too much of his strength or suffered internal injuries.

It was naturally unavoidable for others to have all sorts of thoughts when Beiming Canghai had directly come over to challenge Chen Xi under such circumstances.

But it was very obvious that Beiming Canghai didn't care at all. The battle intent in his eyes blazed like lava, and his imposing aura had been accumulated to its peak.

He yearned for battle!

Even if it ended in his defeat!

Most importantly, Beiming Canghai was clearly aware that he had no chance of defeating Chen Xi if Chen Xi was at his prime.

Even though such actions were contemptible in the eyes of others, Beiming Canghai didn't think it was. Because it was the best opportunity to kill Chen Xi indeed!

"If you're very bored, how about I accompany you in battle?"

"You want to fight Chen Xi? Pass through me first."

Unexpectedly, Beiming Canghai had just finished speaking when Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan who had their backs towards everyone had actually turned around in unison, and their gazes simultaneously shot towards Beiming Canghai while they spoke at the same time.

Even though they'd spoken different words, the meaning behind them were the same. Anyone who wanted to fight Chen Xi had to go through them first.

In an instant, the others in the surroundings couldn't help but feel astounded, and they were unable to figure out why such an unexpected scene had occurred no matter how they wracked their brains. *Why did Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan go over to Chen Xi's side?*

Suiren Kuanglan's face was slightly gloomy while he said to himself, *As expected!*

Suiren Kuanglan had noticed that Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan's actions were slightly unusual while Chen Xi was in battle with those four peak Divine Children. So, when he witnessed this scene, it had undoubtedly confirmed the suspicions in his heart. They really had gone against the will of their respective clans, and they'd even gone from bad to worse by standing on Chen Xi's side!

*This is simply an unforgivable betrayal!* Suiren Kuanglan's eyes were suffused with a wisp of coldness.

"You...." Beiming Canghai seemed to be unable to recover from his shock. His brows were knit together tightly as he gazed at Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan. "Do you realize that your actions are equivalent to betraying the agreement formed between our respective clans?"

"A betrayal?" A wisp of a dazed expression appeared on Tang Xiao'xiao's clear, pure, and youthful face.

"I just noticed that you were slightly bored and intended to accompany you in battle out of the kindness of my heart."



"The word betray is too severe. The only thing I'm sure of is that I'll take responsibility for my own decisions!" Xia Ruoyuan words were firm and provided no room to maneuver.

This caused Beiming Canghai's face to instantly turn gloomy. Besides feeling shocked and furious, he couldn't help but feel aggrieved from having no way to back down from the current situation.

If it were at any other time, he wouldn't hesitate to fight Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan at all. However, he didn't have any intention to fight them at such a critical moment. If that were to happen, then he wouldn't just miss the best opportunity to kill Chen Xi, it might even cause him to completely offend both Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan. That wasn't something that he, Beiming Canghai, wanted.

*What should I do?* Beiming Canghai wasn't able to make a decision.

"Perhaps I can help you obstruct these two traitors." Meanwhile, Suiren Kuanglan passed through the crowd and stood by Beiming Canghai's side. He gazed indifferently at Xia Ruoyuan and Tang Xiao'xiao. "Moreover, I believe that many fellow Daoists in the surroundings will step forward to help Fellow Daoist Beiming complete the mission!"

As soon as these words were spoken, Beiming Canghai's eyes lit up. At the same time, many experts in the surroundings had really become ready to act.

In an instant, Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan couldn't help but frown.

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#### **Chapter 2138: Nine Into One**

Behind the tightly closed door to the palace, Chen Xi's figure was hidden within the mist of the Divine Pool of Chaos.

The events outside the palace hadn't disturbed him at all.

The unfamiliar energy was still rampaging through his body. It was enshrouded by strands of the aura of Destiny that had come from the Dao Calamity Sword.

If Chen Xi scanned the Dao Calamity Sword now, then he would definitely be able to notice that the mysterious lotus flower formed from the 3 Pearl of Laws had vanished.

Obviously, the unfamiliar energy which surged into his body was formed from the mysterious and translucent lotus flower.

Unfortunately, Chen Xi wasn't able to separate his attention to care about anything else.

Every single second which passed was an extra bit of danger he faced from the unrest within his body. Chen Xi had no choice but to concentrate fully on suppressing and dealing with the unrest within his body.

However, up until this point in time, he was still unable to deduce a specific method to deal with it.

In the end, it was because this unfamiliar energy was filled with strands of the aura of Destiny, and it was almost impossible for him to control the aura of Destiny with his cultivation at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm.

*What should I do?* Chen Xi was at a loss for what to do.

Chen Xi hadn't noticed at all that his extremely concentrated consciousness was gradually becoming dazed and indistinct....

If it were at any other ordinary time, Chen Xi would have immediately noticed such a change in his consciousness. But at this moment, he actually seemed like he was possessed and hadn't noticed it at all.

Suddenly, Chen Xi arrived at a dark and mysterious place in his dazed state. The place was indistinct, boundless in both size and height, and he didn't know where he was. It was filled with chaos and was utterly indescribable.

*The quintessence of the three dimensions' Chaos!* It was like wisdom that came from luck as Chen Xi suddenly gained comprehension and understood where he was.

However, he didn't even have the time to think about it in detail when his consciousness blurred, and he felt like he'd transformed into a torrent that charged through the darkness and out of the quintessence of the three dimension's Chaos.

The vast torrent surged while disregarding the restraints of time and space. It traversed the limits of material space, whistled from the past to the future, and it was eternal and exceeding the scope of all Daos.

It was so vast and divine. Every single spray from it was filled with mysterious energy, Laws, Karma, fortune....

It was like a natural chasm that laid across the sky above all gods, yet it was also like the source of all things. It was supreme, in sight, but beyond reach.

It....

Was destiny!

It was the River of Destiny!

When this thought appeared in Chen Xi's mind, it simply felt like he'd been struck by lightning. His soul felt as if it had left his body and was drifting around the void, and it completely seemed as if it were about to travel along the River of Destiny to search for where the river began.

Such a feeling was very profound, so it was impossible to describe!

Chen Xi had lost all his senses and thoughts. He was in a dazed state like that of a newborn, and only his pure heart was left behind to float about through this profound state.

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Chen Xi wasn't able to sense the changes in his consciousness at all. The cracks between the 8 River Diagram fragments within his sea of consciousness was gradually vanishing. In the end, there wasn't a single sign of them having been fitted together, and they'd formed a complete whole.

It was like a translucent ball of light that was divine, primitive, ethereal, and profound. Moreover, the sight of it caused one to be shocked to the core.

But in the end, these 8 River Diagram fragments which had fused into one had actually transformed into a rain of light that vanished within Chen Xi's sea of consciousness....

No!

It hadn't actually vanished but had fused!

Moreover, the thing it fused with was actually Chen Xi's body!

It was his blood, tendons, meridians, apertures, vital energy, soul.... Every single inch throughout his body was covered in a layer of translucent light which was divine, ethereal, primitive, and profound!

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All those years ago, Chen Lingjun had told him that he'd possessed the 9th River Diagram Fragment before he'd even been born, and it made him a Savior whose fate was concealed by the River Diagram fragments.

The 9th River Diagram fragment was in the form of the character for Dao, '道', and Chen Lingjun had obtained it when he participated in the Battle of Dao Protectors before he'd reincarnated himself.

It was exactly that 9th River Diagram fragment which caused Chen Lingjun to suffer attacks from the Heaven Dao and be forced to reincarnate himself.

However, even Chen Lingjun hadn't imagined that while he was avoiding the Sovereign Sect's pursuit, the River Diagram fragment he obtained on Godrank Mountain would have coincidentally fused into the child who his wife, Zuoqiu Xue, was pregnant with at that time.

It was also from that day onward that the unborn child, Chen Xi, had his fate completely changed, and no one in the world could deduce his fate!

Yet now, the unexpected change within his body had caused the River Diagram fragments which had stayed completely silent within his sea of consciousness for so long to awaken completely, and they underwent an unprecedented transformation.

This transformation caused the 8 River Diagram fragments to completely fuse into Chen Xi's body and become a part of him!

Coupled with the '道' character shaped River Diagram fragment which had already fused with Chen Xi, the nine River Diagram fragments which came into existence after the River Diagram was blasted apart during the conflict between Origin Heaven and Godsbane Heaven could be considered to have finally recovered and returned to its whole state!

At this moment, even if Chen Xi was conscious, he would still be unable to imagine why such an surreal and inconceivable change would have occurred.

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Bang!

Right at the instant that the River Diagram fragments fused into his body, Chen Xi's muddled consciousness suddenly shook before it recovered clarity.

The dazed expression in his eyes gradually vanished and transformed into a type of clarity and calmness. It seemed like they could reflect all things in the world.

His consciousness moved inadvertently, and then the disorderly and conflicting energy within his body suddenly stopped moving, and then they seemed to transform into extremely meek sheep that fused into the region within Chen Xi's body.

Even the aura of Destiny within the unfamiliar energy had been completely absorbed, and it hadn't resisted at all.

When Chen Xi withdrew his consciousness from himself, an indescribably obscure and ancient aura suddenly effused out from his body.

At this instant, it was like the Chaos had just been split open and the world trembled!

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Outside the hall.

Suiren Kuanglan and Beiming Canghai stood side by side while all the other experts of the Divine Dao Protector Clans stood behind them with hostile expressions on their faces.

Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan couldn't help but frown when facing such a scene.

It wouldn't be difficult for them if they just had to deal with Suiren Kuanglan and Beiming Canghai.

However, if those other experts were included, then the situation would become quite troublesome.

"Hmph! Chen Xi killed 2 peak Divine Children on the battlefield just now, and his merits in battle can simply be described as unparalleled. However, all of you intend to harm him while he's in a weak state. That's truly too despicable!" Jin Yunsheng stepped forward and gazed at them with a furious expression, and he spoke bluntly in a deep voice.

"Are you courting death?" The divine flames in Suiren Kuanglan's eyes blazed as he stared coldly at Jin Yunsheng. He said indifferently, "It's best if you fuck off right now. If you refuse to realize your mistakes, then it won't just be you who loses your life, the clan you belong to will suffer calamity along with you!"

If it was any other ordinary person, then that person would definitely be ridiculed for speaking these words. After all, Jin Yunsheng was a descendant of the mid level Jin Clan in the Primal Chaos Origin. A mid level clan wasn't something that just anyone could threaten!

However, Suiren Kuanglan was qualified to speak these words because he was from the high level Suiren Clan, and no one dared to doubt him if his clan really looked for trouble with the Jin Clan.

In an instant, Jin Yunsheng's expression changed slightly. He wasn't afraid of death, but it didn't mean that he refused to consider the safety of his clan.

"If the Jin Clan suffers any adverse effects, then I, Xia Ruoyuan, guarantee that the person who did it wouldn't be able to eat or sleep in peace!" Xia Ruoyuan spoke coldly while his calm tone was filled with killing intent.

"How dare you!" Suiren Kuanglan's eyes narrowed while a cold glow flashed within them.

"Why not?" said Xia Ruoyuan in an indifferent tone.

Suiren Kuanglan suddenly started laughing when he heard this. "You're trying to delay us? Impossible! Brother Beiming, I think it's time to act!"

At the same time, he said to the others who were behind him. "Everyone, trap these two traitors, Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan, with me for now. They won't be able to escape death once Brother Beiming deals with that fellow, Chen Xi!"

His voice seethed with killing intent, and it rumbled as it resounded through the surroundings.

In an instant, the situation suddenly became tense and was on the verge of erupting.

"Hahaha! Then I'll be troubling everyone!" Beiming Canghai suddenly roared with laughter as his figure transformed into a vast ocean that rumbled as it charged towards the tightly closed door in the distance.

At practically the exact same moment, Tang Xiao'xiao held her dark blue curved saber in hand as she charged over with the intention of stopping Beiming Canghai.

However, Suiren Kuanglan had attacked ferociously and stopped her while she was only halfway there.

At the same time, all the other experts of the Divine Dao Protector Clans surrounded Xia Ruoyuan with murderous expressions on their faces. Even though they feared him, they felt that they had the advantage in numbers, and it was possible for them to keep him here for some time.

"Dammit!" Tang Xiao'xiao's oval eyes opened wide with anger but she was forcefully kept busy here by Suiren Kuanglan.

At the other side, even though he used all his strength, Xia Ruoyuan was actually unable to shake off the siege from the numerous experts in the surroundings.

As for Jin Yunsheng, he was surrounded by a few experts as well. Not to mention breaking out of the encirclement, even keeping his life intact was very difficult for him.

Under such a chaotic situation, Beiming Canghai could be said to move swiftly without any obstruction, and he instantly arrived before the tightly closed palace door. He blasted the door open in an extremely domineering manner and charged into the palace.

At this instant, Beiming Canghai was simply excited to the extreme. His battle intent and killing intent blazed like an ocean of flames, and he was filled with complacency.

The conflict just now had made him quite worried about whether he could fulfill his wish to kill Chen Xi. But he didn't have to worry about it now!

Because if Chen Xi hadn't suffered a heavy injury, then Chen Xi would have probably charged out of the palace when the conflict outside the palace had occurred. But Chen Xi hadn't shown himself!

So, Beiming Canghai felt that Chen Xi was clearly severely injured and had no choice but to hide like a turtle that shrunk back into its shell.

When he thought up to that point, how could Beiming Canghai possibly hesitate at all?

As soon as he charged into the palace, his consciousness had instantly locked onto Chen Xi who was within the Divine Pool of Chaos!

*That fellow really is heavily injured and even had no choice but to rely on the Divine Pool of Chaos to recover as soon as possible....*

*Unfortunately, it's too late!Bang!*

The experience he'd gained from years of battles and slaughters allowed Beiming Canghai to be clearly aware that he couldn't hesitate or waste his breath at all.

He didn't delay at all. He circulated the strength within his entire body, held a jade green saber that was covered in killing intent with both hands, and then slashed it down!

The blade of his saber shot straight towards Chen Xi who was within the Divine Pool of Chaos!

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#### **Chapter 2139: Cripple**

Beiming Canghai was a top-rate figure within the Beiming Clan which was one of the five high level clans, and his cultivation in the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm was unparalleled.

Besides that, he even had the Oceanblue Pearl within him, and it provided an endless supply of divine energy to him.

Even if he was compared to Shi Chuge, Suiren Kuanglan, Tang Xiao'xiao, and Xia Ruoyuan, Beiming Canghai wasn't inferior to them in the slightest.

But at this moment, Beiming Canghai didn't show a trace of underestimating Chen Xi who was recovering within the Divine Pool of Chaos, and he utilized his full strength instead!

The jade green saber in his hand was an Ancestral Treasure, and it was called the Heavensplitter.

The attack he executed was called Godslayer!

Even if he went against Shi Chuge or the strongest peak Divine Child of the Dao Defiants, Beiming Canghai was still absolutely confident that even they wouldn't dare bear the brunt of this attack!

Swoosh!

The blade didn't leave a single trace as it shot through the air because the boundless might and Divine Dao Laws it carried were perfectly condensed within the jade green blade.

The blade seemed indistinct and faint, but it was inconceivably swift. It instantly enveloped down upon the Divine Pool of Chaos and slashed down explosively!

*Die!* Beiming Canghai muttered in his heart while the seething battle intent in his eyes had been completely replaced by icy cold killing intent. Moreover, his eyes faintly carried a wisp of complacency from having a heavy burden removed from his shoulders.

However, a fair and slender hand suddenly stretched out from within the Divine Pool of Chaos that was enshrouded by mist. The hand's movements were filled with a natural aura. It seemed to be slow, yet it accurately grabbed the jade green blade before it could descend down!

The casual way it moved was so smooth like it was catching a falling leaf, and it was completely otherworldly.

However, it was exactly such a hand that had grabbed firmly onto the blade of a peerless saber like Heavensplitter, and it had dispersed the terrifying might of the Godslayer technique contained within the blade!

Beiming Canghai was astounded while his pupils constricted into two needles. Moreover, the wisp of a complacent smile on the corners of his mouth had frozen completely.

*How could this be possible?*

Beiming Canghai almost cried out involuntarily from the enormous shock he experienced. *My best attack has actually been grabbed firmly by a hand?*

*Even if Chen Xi was at his prime, it would probably be impossible for him to accomplish this with such ease, right?*

It was unimaginable!

It was simply like a thunderclap that resounded through a clear sky. It caused Beiming Canghai to be dazed as it was truly too shocking.

*Dammit!*

However, the will he'd tempered through many years of battle allowed Beiming Canghai to avoid becoming frustrated and feeling defeated because of this.

He'd howled loudly at practically the exact same moment that shock arose in his heart, and he circulated all the energy within his body and forcefully exerted all his strength onto Heavensplitter.

However, the counterattack and struggle he expected hadn't appeared. The entire jade green saber trembled violently and howled instead. It trembled incessantly while being held by that slender hand, and it actually showed faint signs of collapse.

Beiming Canghai's heart sank when he witnessed this, and he finally realized that he hadn't just been unable to take advantage of the situation, he'd bit off more than he could chew!

*He's able to render my strongest attack powerless with just a single hand. Exactly how formidable is this fellow's combat strength?*

Beiming Canghai didn't dare continue on this train of thought. He couldn't help but feel horrified in his heart while the strong feeling of danger he felt made him truly wish for nothing more than to turn around and flee right now.

Swish!

Meanwhile, water splashed within the pool as a figure walked out from within it. The figure was tall and imposing like a spear that seemed to be on the verge of stabbing a hole through the sky!

He strode out of the Divine Pool of Chaos while his palm still held firmly onto the jade green blade, and it was like he was holding a fallen leaf.

The mist around him dispersed to reveal a handsome face. It was calm, indifferent, and composed. Coupled with his eyes that were like two abysses, it caused him to reveal a dignified aura that made all beings tremble before him!

Beiming Canghai's entire body couldn't help but tremble when he met Chen Xi's gaze. It felt like he was meeting Chen Xi for the first time, and his heart felt unprecedentedly pressured and suffocated.

This was something he hadn't felt from Chen Xi in the past!

*Could this fellow have advanced into the Daolord Realm?*

*Wait!*

*His aura is clearly still within the scope of the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm, but why has it become so supreme and dignified?* Beiming Canghai wasn't able to see through Chen Xi, and the more it was like that, the more fearful he was.

"You want to kill me?" Chen Xi spoke while he gazed calmly at Beiming Canghai whose expression was changing indeterminately.

"No, I came to fight you. I said so outside the palace." Beiming Canghai's gaze flickered as he spoke these words.

"Oh." Chen Xi nodded. "Since it's a battle, then it naturally has to end with the death of one party."

Beiming Canghai's heart constricted while his entire body felt slightly stiff. He gritted his teeth and said, "Fellow Daoist, you seem to have misunderstood. You didn't end the battle against Xia Ruoyuan with death. It's enough just for victory to be determined during our battle as well."

Chen Xi glanced at him with a spurious smile as he said, "Are you sure?"

Beiming Canghai nodded forcefully. "Of course."

Bang!

He'd just finished speaking when he saw something flash before his eyes. After that, an irresistible and terrifying force collided with him. It was like a myriad of mountains had collided with him, and he couldn't help but let out a shrill and miserable cry while his figure flew uncontrollably out of the palace.



On the other hand, Chen Xi was still standing on the spot without moving at all. Only the jade green saber in his hand seemed like paper that soundlessly melted into a puddle of jade green liquid that flowed down the cracks between Chen Xi's fingers.

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Outside the palace, Tang Xiao'xiao's rage blazed as she fought an intense battle with Suiren Kuanglan, and she was locked in combat with him. Every single time she tried to charge into the palace, Suiren Kuanglan would definitely stop her. He was simply like a plague that refused to leave, and it caused her youthful and clear face to be covered in rage.

On the other side, Xia Ruoyuan was standing by Jin Yunsheng's side, and he was fighting all the experts of the Divine Dao Protector Clans while taking care of Jin Yunsheng. He didn't have the spare time to do anything else.

The situation was obvious. They were in a stalemate.

Suiren Kuanglan grew even more complacent when he noticed this, and his voice was extremely icy cold. "You two traitors still refuse to realize your mistakes until now. It'll be time for the two of you to die once Fellow Daoist Beiming kills that damnable Savior!"

"Even if I do die, I'll take you down with me!" Tang Xiao'xiao's oval eyes were opened wide and simply seemed like they were about to burst into flames.

Suiren Kuanglan's face froze for a moment, and then he chuckled. "Tang Xiao'xiao, don't forget that Shi Chuge hasn't made a move yet. Do you think that he would watch as that happens?"

Tang Xiao'xiao said, "Even if he does come here, do you think you'd be able to leave safely if I go all out and put my life on the line?"

Suiren Kuanglan roared with laughter. "Silly girl, if Shi Chuge isn't sufficient, then what if the two Fellow Daoists of the Sovereign Sect are included?"

Tang Xiao'xiao's eyes couldn't help but narrow while the rage she felt cleared up quickly. Only now did she notice that the figure of a man and woman had actually appeared extremely far away from them.

If she wasn't wrong, then they were the experts which the Sovereign Sect had sent to participate in the Battle of Dao Protectors!

She had no doubt that their combat strengths were definitely very formidable because just looking at them as they stood in the distance caused vigilance to arise in her heart.

It was the aura of danger!

"Unfortunately, it's too late for you to regret your decision now. You're bound to pay for your betrayal!" Suiren Kuanglan roared with laughter in an arrogant manner. It was a form of attitude that appeared when the outcome was within one's grasp.

At this moment, Tang Xiao'xiao, Jin Yunsheng, and Xia Ruoyuan's hearts sank!

Is it really impossible to turn the situation around?

Thump!

Right at this moment, a shadow shot over like a shooting star, and it flew out of the palace and crashed to the ground.

After that, an extremely shrill and miserable cry resounded!

The hearts of both sides in this battle shook, and they looked over in unison. All of their expressions changed when they noticed that the shadow was actually Beiming Canghai's figure which had shot out from within the palace.

However, unlike the astonishment on the faces of Suiren Kuanglan and the others, Tang Xiao'xiao, Xia Ruoyuan, and Jin Yunsheng were very surprised.

"What's going on?" Suiren Kuanglan suddenly stopped attacking and left the battle with Tang Xiao'xiao. Once he stopped, all the other experts who were besieging Xia Ruoyuan and Jin Yunsheng stopped successively as well. They'd been horrified by this shocking scene before their eyes, so how could they possibly have the mood to continue fighting?

After all, they were hoping that Beiming Canghai would kill Chen Xi quickly, and then return here to help them deal with Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan.

They'd never expected that Beiming Canghai would leave and return quickly, but he was blasted back here!

This scene was simply too horrifying.

Tang Xiao'xiao, Xia Ruoyuan, and Jin Yunsheng didn't continue fighting as well. All of them heaved sighs of relief in their hearts, and they stood at the side while they shot their gazes towards Beiming Canghai's figure as well.

At this moment, Beiming Canghai's entire body was twitching incessantly on the ground while his face was warped and ferocious. Moreover, there was even a wisp of extreme resentment and wonder on his face.

His entire body was bathed in blood, his hair was disheveled, and his face was covered in dirt. Moreover, his vital energy had crashed to an extremely weak state. Besides that, the meridians within him had been broken inch by inch while his foundation had completely collapsed. Even his soul had suffered a heavy and irreparable injury.

In other words, Beiming Canghai wasn't that extremely dazzling and peerless figure anymore, and he'd been reduced to a cripple!

His meridians were broken apart, his foundation in the Dao had collapsed, and his soul was heavily injured. All of this determined that Beiming Canghai's path towards the Dao would stop abruptly today, and he was very lucky to even be alive.

Suiren Kuanglan couldn't help but gasp when he noticed all of this, and he felt horrified while an extremely livid expression covered his face. *Such methods... are simply eviler than just killing him!*

The hearts of the other experts couldn't help but shudder when they saw all of it clearly. Beiming Canghai was a direct line descendant of the high level Beiming Clan, and his combat strength was considered to be the best in the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm within his clan. Yet now, he'd actually been crippled!

Their hearts couldn't help but feel cold because of this, and it felt like they'd fallen into an icy pit. *Who did this? Could it have been that Savior, Chen Xi?*

*But how could that be possible? Didn't he fall into a weak state?*

The atmosphere here suddenly became heavy to the point it was almost suffocating. Only Beiming Canghai's miserable and shrill cries were still resounding incessantly, and it caused the expressions of Suiren Kuanglan and the others to change indeterminately.

Tang Xiao'xiao, Xia Ruoyuan, and Jin Yunsheng were shocked as well, but they were shocked by Chen Xi's ability to accomplish this.

Meanwhile, the sound of footsteps resounded from within the palace.

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When the sound of footsteps resounded, it didn't matter if it was Suiren Kuanglan's group who were still in shock or Tang Xiao'xiao and the others who were surprised. All of them had shot their gazes over in unison, and then they saw Chen Xi striding over towards them.

He was still in green clothes with a handsome and firm appearance, eyes that were deep like abysses, and an otherworldly bearing. However, unlike before, he had a strange and obscure aura as well.

That aura was faint and seemingly ethereal, but it made the hearts of every single person here feel cold, and their hearts trembled with fear.

It was like a void was lying dormant within Chen Xi, and it could devour the universe upon release!

It was exactly that obscure and strange aura that allowed Chen Xi to suddenly see unfamiliar and distant in their eyes.

*What's going on?*

Besides feeling horrified, they couldn't help but feel slightly dazed.

They clearly remembered that Chen Xi was in a weak state after that world shocking battle with the 4 peak Divine Children, and they were able to confirm it with utmost accuracy from the aura he emanated at that time.

However, while just a short period had passed, Chen Xi hadn't just recovered to his peak state, he'd even become even more terrifying than before!

*How... how did he accomplish this?*

All of this seemed inconceivable to them. Even a figure like Suiren Kuanglan was surprised and bewildered at this moment. He was able to discern that Chen Xi hadn't advanced into the Daolord Realm, but the imposing aura Chen Xi emanated caused him to feel extremely shocked.

At the instant they laid eyes upon Chen Xi, all of them realized that it was indeed Chen Xi who reduced Beiming Canghai to such a miserable state.

In the blink of an eye, a top-rate figure from one of the five great clans had been crippled just like that!

*Exactly how formidable is Chen Xi now?*

The expressions of many experts here couldn't help but change when they realized this, and they felt extremely uneasy in their hearts. If the situation didn't disallow it, then they would truly wish for nothing more than to vanish from Chen Xi's sight!

Chen Xi stood before the door of the palace amidst the deathly silent atmosphere here, and his gaze was calm and indifferent as it swept through everyone here.

After that, he said, "Many of you have considered me a needle in your eyes since the day that I participated in the Battle of Dao Protectors. I don't blame all of you for doing that. After all, you're just following orders. Moreover, I even tried to change your attitudes towards me in the past. Like a few days ago, I rescued over 10 Fellow Daoists from the battlefield."

When he spoke up to this point, the expressions of some cultivators in the crowd became slightly uncomfortable. They were those people who Chen Xi had rescued a few days ago.

"However, I noticed that all of my actions were in vain. Not only do all of you feel no gratitude, you've even turned around and tried to kill me. Isn't that going a bit too far?" Chen Xi's voice was calm and indifferent. "I, Chen Xi, have never taken all of you to be my enemies, but all of you've offended me over and over again, and you even intend to kill me. So, tell me. How should we deal with this matter?"

The expressions of many in the surroundings changed indeterminately.

Suiren Kuanglan spoke with an icy cold expression. "Chen Xi, you've mistaken something. You're a Savior, a heretic! We are descendants of the Divine Dao Protector Clans and we protect the Heaven Dao. How could we allow a heretic like you to live in the face of such a righteous cause?"

Chen Xi gazed at Suiren Kuanglan and said, "Oh, that makes senses. Since you think that you can disregard everything before a righteous cause, then I, this heretic you speak of, am standing right here before you. Do you dare to attack and kill me?"

Suiren Kuanglan was instantly speechless when he heard this, and his expression was gloomy and livid. Beiming Canghai was still alive on the ground, and he was still letting out shrill, miserable, and sorrowful cries. How could Suiren Kuanglan dare to rashly take a risk when such an example was right before his eyes.

"You don't dare?" Chen Xi's voice was calm and without any ridicule. But it became a form of trampling and humiliation of Suiren Kuanglan when the others in the surroundings heard him.

Even Tang Xiao'xiao, Xia Ruoyuan, and Jin Yunsheng couldn't help but feel a trace of pity in their hearts. Because Suiren Kuanglan had been extremely arrogant in the past, yet he actually didn't dare to face Chen Xi right now!

"Hmph! Do you really think I wouldn't dare to?" Suiren Kuanglan suddenly took a deep breath while it seemed like a volcano had erupted in his eyes, and it surged with seething killing intent.

"You don't." Chen Xi spoke calmly. He just stood there with his hands behind his back while looking indifferently at Suiren Kuanglan, and it was like he was looking down upon an ant that was shouting at him.

"You...." The veins on Suiren Kuanglan's forehead bulged while his chest rose and fell incessantly. Obviously, he was furious to the extreme, and he was on the verge of erupting with rage.

However, Chen Xi had withdrawn his gaze and pointed at the distant battlefield. "I'll give you a chance if you don't want to be reduced to the same state that Beiming Canghai is in. Go to the battlefield and kill the Dao Defiants there. I'll let bygones be bygones when you are able to kill 4 peak Divine Children."

Suiren Kuanglan was first stunned by this condition that Chen Xi had raised, and then his face fell while his eyes almost split apart from rage. He gritted his teeth and said, "You call that an opportunity?"

*Four peak Divine Children? He's clearly asking me to go get myself killed!*

Chen Xi said coldly, "You refuse?"

In an instant, an extremely dangerous strand of coldness surged into Suiren Kuanglan's heart. It was like a sword was placed against his throat, and it caused the hairs on his body to stand on end. He didn't doubt that he would definitely suffer a horrifying attack from Chen Xi if he dared to refuse!

When he thought about how Beiming Canghai who was his equal in strength had been reduced to a cripple, Suiren Kuanglan couldn't be bothered about saving face. He flicked his sleeve angrily, and then his figure transformed into a wisp of light that whistled towards the distant battlefield.

Suiren Kuanglan was very clearly aware that only by escaping Chen Xi's sights would he have a chance to regain face in the future. But if he were to be crippled, then everything would be over.

As for killing 4 peak divine children to gain Chen Xi's forgiveness?

That was impossible!

Suiren Kuanglan refused to be casually ordered around by another!

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When they saw Suiren Kuanglan leave in extreme dejection, humiliation, and rage while accepting Chen Xi's conditions instead of attacking, the other experts in the surroundings felt perturbed and horrified.

Even a peerless figure like Suiren Kuanglan had yielded to Chen Xi, so how could they have the courage to face him?

"The conditions I spoke of are the same for all of you as well." Chen Xi glanced at them, and he spoke as if he'd seen through the terror in their hearts. "Remember, this is the last opportunity I'm giving all of you."

His tone wasn't threatening in the slightest, but it caused all of their hearts to tremble while they felt surging killing intent assault them.

Many experts immediately left hastily with their tails between their legs, and it wasn't long before the crowd outside Chen Xi's palace had vanished completely.

Only Tang Xiao'xiao, Xia Ruoyuan, and Jin Yunsheng remained there. Of course, Beiming Canghai who was howling miserably on the ground was still there as well.

The irony was that not a single one of those fellows who'd fought by Beiming Canghai's side had helped him before they left.

"Kill me, kill me...." Beiming Canghai raised his head while his gaze actually carried a wisp of a pleading expression.

"Have you forgotten that our battle was only one where victory and defeat is decided but not death? I've done as you wished, and I won't help you further." Chen Xi spoke calmly.

Beiming Canghai's entire body trembled as he stared fixedly at Chen Xi with a resentful, hateful, yet slightly dazed, pained, unwilling, and complicated expression.

Suddenly, he struggled up to his feet and roared madly with laughter. "Chen Xi, don't forget that you're a Savior. Even if you're able to survive the Battle of Dao Protectors, the 13 Dao Servants, the various Divine Dao Protector Clans, and the Sovereign Sect won't let you go! Hahaha!!! At that time, you'll be unable to avoid death in the end!"

His voice shook the clouds, yet it hadn't even finished resounding when Beiming Canghai bled from all 7 apertures and crashed to the ground without even a trace of vitality left within his entire body. He'd actually taken his own life!

"At least this fellow had some backbone." Chen Xi flicked his sleeve and released an expanse of divine flames which incinerated Beiming Canghai's corpse. In the end, only a crystalline and translucent azure blue pearl remained on the ground, and it was enshrouded by dense and surging Chaotic Divine Energy.

It was the Oceanblue Pearl, a precious ancestral treasure of the high level Beiming Clan. According to rumor, it was born from within the quintessence of Chaos, and it possessed the mysterious and miraculous effect of providing an endless supply of divine energy to its owner.

Chen Xi picked it up, sized it up for a moment, and then put it away.

"Since you crippled Beiming Canghai, then why didn't you seize the opportunity to kill Suiren Kuanglan?" Meanwhile, Tang Xiao'xiao walked over to Chen Xi and asked this question with a puzzled expression.

Xia Ruoyuan and Jin Yunsheng shot their gazes over as well. Obviously, both of them were puzzled about the same time.

Chen Xi raised his head and looked into the sky for a long time before he finally withdrew his gaze. He said, "A few consciousnesses that made me feel very uncomfortable were paying attention to everything occurring here. I'm still unable to go against them with the strength I possess right now. However, I'll naturally get even with them when I leave the Spring of Sin!"

Chen Xi's voice was piercingly cold as he finished speaking.

Their hearts shook when they heard this. *There were a few consciousnesses paying attention to everything that was occurring here? Was it the 13 Dao Servants who are standing on guard outside the Spring of Sin?*

When they thought about how Chen Xi was actually able to clearly notice all of this while they were completely ignorant of it since the beginning, all of them couldn't help but feel extremely shocked. *Exactly how formidable is Chen Xi's combat strength right now?*

But no matter what the circumstances were, they finally understood why Chen Xi had let Suiren Kuanglan and the others go. It turned out that the Dao Servants were paying attention to the events here.

They couldn't imagine that if Chen Xi attacked brazenly, then it would probably really cause a monstrous calamity to descend upon him.

"Thank you for your help." Chen Xi gazed at Tang Xiao'xiao and Xia Ruoyuan as he spoke seriously.

He was very clearly aware that their choice to stand on his side had gone against the wills of their respective clans, and they'd sacrificed a great deal by doing that.

"So, you must stay alive and take us away from here. Otherwise, we'll be treated as traitors, and that would be extremely troublesome." Tang Xiao'xiao spoke with a clear and melodious voice, and she was very straightforward.

Chen Xi nodded. "Of course."

Actually, Chen Xi would have done that even if she didn't say anything because he'd never hesitated to pay any price for his friends.

Even though he hadn't gotten to know them well, he'd regarded them as friends since the moment they stepped forward and took his side.

As for Jun Yunsheng, he was naturally no exception.

At the same time, tremendous waves were surging outside the Spring of Sin....