

## Talisman 2141

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#### Chapter 2141: A Rising Storm

Sledgehammer Campsite.

This was the campsite which the 1st Dao Servant, the Heavenly Wrath Daolord resided at.

At this moment, the door to the palace at the center of the campsite was closed tightly, but there were six figures gathered here before it.

If one looked carefully, one would notice that the 2nd Dao Servant, the Time Daolord, and the 3rd Dao Servant, the Light Daolord, were surprisingly amongst them.

Even though the other four looked completely unlike each other, their imposing auras weren't inferior to any of the others present here. They were similarly Dao Servants that had resided on Godrank Mountain for countless years.

"Heavenly Wrath, you've seen that scene from before. That Savior is a severe threat to the other participants now, and we'll definitely lose this Battle of Dao Protectors if we don't interfere!" The 2nd Dao Servant spoke in a low voice. The sockets of his eyes were sunken into his skull, and while his thin face seemed to be smooth like a mirror, it was suffused with an aura of age that simply surged out from him.

The gazes of the other five Dao Servants shot simultaneously towards the tightly closed palace door when they heard the 2nd Dao Servant.

Heavenly Wrath was the 1st Dao Servant's title.

"Didn't all of you try to act against him?" After a long period of silence, a heavy and aged voice resounded from within the palace.

"That's exactly why we've come here. We intended to act against him just now and annihilate that Savior. However, we were obstructed by Dark Purgatory, Void, and Battle Spirit. If it weren't for the relationship between us, then we would have probably entered into battle with each other." Even though the 2nd Dao Servant spoke calmly, his voice carried a trace of anger.

Dark Purgatory was the 5th Dao Servant, the Dark Purgatory Daolord. Void was the 11th Dao Servant, Void Daolord. Battle Spirit was the 13th Dao Servant, the Battle Spirit Daolord.

"Heavenly Wrath, in my opinion, it's time to put an end to it all!"

"The Heaven Dao has undergone an unexpected transformation and a calamity is arriving. Since we're already decided to overcome this crisis with the Sovereign Sect and create a completely new order in the world, then we naturally have to be resolute and eliminate all potential troubles!"

"Exactly." The other Dao Servants chimed in.

"The 13 of us have been residing here since the Heaven Dao was born. We've gone through thick and thin together throughout the countless years of the past. Yet now, you intended to attack and kill each

other because of an unpredictable calamity. Do all of you know what it would mean to make such a decision?" The 1st Dao Servant's aged and heavy voice finally resounded after a long time passed, and it carried an indescribably complicated tone.

The other Dao Servants fell silent.

"However, the situation will grow more and more chaotic if we continue delaying." The 2nd Daolord frowned.

"It's still early, and it's just a Savior. He still won't be able to avoid death even if he annihilates all the descendants of the Divine Dao Protector clans." This time, the 1st Dao Servants answered him without the slightest hesitation. "Most importantly, have all of you forgotten that for the sake of awakening their first ancestor, those Dao Defiants will definitely not just watch that kid leave alive!"

*The first ancestor of the Dao Defiants!* All the other Dao Servants revealed various different expressions, and they seemed to have realized something.

"But in that way, it means that we'll definitely lose the Battle of Dao Protectors. Moreover, allowing that Savior to fall into the hands of the Dao Defiants will only make things even more disadvantageous for us," said the 2nd Dao Servant in a low voice.

The 1st Dao Servant smiled. "That's exactly the objective of the Sovereign Sect. The first ancestor of the Dao Defiants will always be a potential trouble by being allowed to remain in deep slumber. The only way to eliminate this potential trouble is naturally to allow him to awaken first. That Savior is the key to awaken the first ancestor of the Dao Defiants."

As soon as these words were spoken, the other Dao Servants frowned. *All of this was arranged for by the Sovereign Sect? Then why didn't we know about it?*

The 1st Daolord sighed with emotion. "Everyone, the Master of the Sovereign Sect has exercised forbearance for so many years, and it has finally found an unprecedentedly supreme opportunity. What he seeks isn't just victory in the Battle of Dao Protectors."

"Could he be intending to encroach on our Godrank Mountain?" The 4th Dao Servant who had the most violent temper couldn't help but speak in a low voice.

"No, the Godrank Mountain is like our life, but it's nothing worth mentioning to the Sovereign Sect's Master." The 1st Daolord's voice was low. "All of you don't have to keep guessing. You'll definitely come to an understanding once it's done."

As soon as he finished speaking, not a single sound came from within the palace again.

The other Dao Servants looked at each other, and then they fell into deep thought.

Only now had they noticed that they didn't truly know what the Sovereign Sect's Master wanted since the moment they agreed to work together with him!

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At the same time. Blood Campsite.

The 6th Dao Servant called the Five Element Daolord, the 7th Dao Servant called the Bramble Daolord, the 8th Dao Servant called the Blood Abyss Daolord were silent in the palace at the center of the campsite.

"The situation has started to become slightly tricky. A battle almost erupted between us and those old fellows because of that Savior. That isn't good news for the three of us." The 6th Dao Servant broke the silence here, and he pondered deeply before he said, "7th Brother, do you think that we should change our stance?"

As he spoke, he gazed at the 7th Dao Servant.

"There's no need for that." The 7th Dao Servant had an indifferent expression as always, and he was cold like he didn't have any emotions at all.

"Why?" The 8th Dao Servant couldn't help but ask this question.

The 7th Dao Servant fell silent. He seemed to be a person like this. He merely expressed his opinion yet couldn't be bothered to explain anything.

"Nevermind. We'll continue staying neutral for now and let them do as they please. We just have to stand by and watch everything unfold." The 6th Dao Servant waved his hand and decided.

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At another campsite called Blackwood.

The 5th Dao Servant called the Dark Purgatory Daolord, the 11th Dao Servant called the Void Daolord, and the 13th Dao Servant called the Battle Spirit Daolord were gathered here.

All three of them had quite gloomy expressions on their faces.

They were the 3 Dao Servants who were openly against cooperating with the Sovereign Sect, and they'd been constantly rejecting the cooperation with the Sovereign Sect since the Sovereign Sect had paid them a visit.

However, they hadn't imagined that those old fellows would be eager to interfere in the Battle of Dao Protectors when it hadn't even arrived at a critical situation.

That was something they absolutely couldn't tolerate!

They were Dao Servants. They were born to protect Godrank Mountain, so they were naturally unable to tolerate the Sovereign Sect causing trouble here.

They didn't care about the fate of the Savior, but they cared about their own dignity.

"If Heavenly Wrath had really decided to fight us, then he would have absolutely not waited until now. But I'm unable to see through exactly what his intentions are." The 5th Dao Servant frowned as he said, "Their objective is definitely not as simple as killing that Savior. Otherwise, 2nd Brother who always refuses to stop until he accomplishes his objective would have definitely fought us when we stopped him just now."

The other 2 Dao Servants weren't able to see through the matter as well. The three of them were very clearly aware that those old fellows were definitely working together with the Sovereign Sect to seek something amidst this moment when an unexpected change had occurred in the Heaven Dao. However, the three of them weren't able to deduce their exact objective.

"In any case, we have to be prepared to fight to the death. I have a feeling that day isn't too far away from now." The 5th Dao Servant took a deep breath and spoke with certainty.

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"We must kill that Savior no matter the cost!~"

"Dispatch all the peak Divine Children. So long as they notice that Savior, they are to bring him back regardless of whether he's dead or alive!"

"Attack!"

"Attack!"

Numerous murderous and terrifying consciousnesses swept through the campsite of the Dao Defiants, and then numerous commands were issued, causing the entire campsite to be stirred.

It wasn't long before a wave of desolate horns resounded once more, and then the army of Dao Defiants swept out like tidewater that covered the heavens and the earth as they stepped foot into the vast battlefield again.

Their impetus was so grand that it was more than two times stronger when compared to the past!

Such a magnificent scene caused the heavens and the earth to dim in comparison!

At the same time, the experts of the Divine Dao Protector Clans set out as well. Regardless of whether it was Suiren Kuanglan and the others who were forced to enter the battlefield by Chen Xi or the other remaining participants, all of them refused to take a single step back when facing their common enemy.

Jin Yunsheng, Tang Xiao'xiao, and Xia Ruoyuan charged successively into the battlefield.

Shi Chuge who hadn't shown himself since he returned to the campsite had actually returned to the battlefield as well, and he killed his way into the depths of the enemy army.

A long time passed before Chen Xi finally left his palace. However, he didn't leave the campsite right away. He turned around and arrived at the most remote palace which was at the corner of the campsite.

"Do the two of you want to go kill some enemies with me?" Chen Xi kept his hands behind his back as he spoke indifferently.

Leng Xinghun and Dao Wushuang's eyes narrowed. They were surprised and bewildered. *What exactly does this fellow intend to do?*

They were watching when Beiming Canghai had been crippled earlier, and they'd watched Chen Xi banish Suiren Kuanglan and the others to the battlefield to kill peak Divine Children with just a few words. However, they hadn't expected that Chen Xi would actually take the initiative to come looking for him and even raised such a strange suggestion.

They exchanged glances and chose to remain silent.

“Since you’re both unwilling, then I’ll be heading off first. However, I have to remind the two of you that no one will be able to shake my determination to kill you once I return from the battlefield!” He just left these words to them in a casual manner before he turned around and left.

“That damnable bastard!” Leng Xinghun’s face fell. He suddenly stood up while killing intent surged explosively within his eyes.

“You intend to fight him?” Dao Wushuang’s brows raised as she spoke.

Leng Xinghun instantly became hesitant. His expression changed indeterminately for a long time before he sat back down on the spot and fell silent. He said, “It still isn’t the right time now.”

Dao Wushuang didn’t conceal her ridicule at all. “He’s growing more and more stronger. Even if you continue waiting, you’ll probably be unable to find an opportunity even if you wait until the day you die. Don’t forget that he said he intends to kill us after he returns from the battlefield.”

Leng Xinghun spoke with an icy cold expression. “Don’t forget that the Dao Defiants won’t let him return alive in order to revive their first ancestor!”

Dao Wushuang chuckled and said, “But what if he does return?”

Leng Xinghun said resolutely, “It’s absolutely impossible. It’s a hopeless situation that the Sect Master himself arranged. Chen Xi will definitely be unable to escape calamity!”

Dao Wushuang seemed to be lost in thought as she said, “What if some mistakes appear in this hopeless situation that the Sect Master arranged?”

Leng Xinghun’s pupils constricted, and he stared coldly at her. “You’re talking a bit too much about things that are beyond you. Even if you’re surnamed Dao, you’ll definitely regret it for your entire life if the Sect Master found out that you dared to question his arrangements!”

Dao Wushuang shrugged. “Relax, I was just making preparations for the worst.”

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#### **Chapter 2142: One Man Against The World**

The desolate sound of the horn shook the heavens and resounded throughout the battlefield.

The horrifying scenes of corpses piling up into mountains and blood forming into oceans appeared once more.

The ground and sky throughout every single area of the battlefield was covered in battle and conflict. Blazing techniques interweaved together and formed a horrifying yet gorgeous and dazzling scene.

Chen Xi was all by himself and had the scarlet red and brilliant Dao Calamity Sword in his hand as he stepped foot onto the battlefield again.

He raised his head to gaze at the sky, and his dark eyes seemed to reflect the secrets of the universe while suffused with a piercingly cold and indifferent glow.

The enormous consciousnesses that were paying attention to him had vanished, so Chen Xi had no further worries and strode forward.

Step! Step!

Chen Xi seemed to be taking regular and even steps, but every single step he took was even swifter than teleportation. Even time and space bowed before Chen Xi's footsteps.

Rumble!

In next to no time, a group of Dao Defiants appeared within his field of vision. However, they hadn't even been able to see Chen Xi's appearance clearly when their figures suddenly exploded into pieces. It was like a string of firecrackers had been lit while their blood was the sparks that erupted from within them.

In the blink of an eye, the ground was covered in corpses and blood.

Chen Xi didn't even pay them a glance before he continued forward.

However, along with the miserable deaths of his enemies, strands of evil and sin were devoured and refined within the Dao Calamity Sword before they were condensed into the form of a pure and glistening Pearl of Laws.

After he refined and absorbed that unfamiliar energy that was filled with strands of the aura of Destiny, Chen Xi knew that he'd transformed into a completely different state.

In his sea of consciousness, he was constantly able to observe the River of Destiny that laid across both the past and future, traversed the boundaries of space and time, and seemed to flow eternally.

He was even clearly aware that the River of Destiny was born at the place where the quintessence of the Three Dimensions' Chaos had been formed!

The River of Destiny was right within his reach!

However, Chen Xi was still a Ninth Star Region Lord.

He wasn't unwilling to break through and advance. It was because the energy he needed to breakthrough was far from sufficient. It was too far away from being sufficient.

This energy he needed was something he could only obtain through battle and killing his enemies!

At the same time, Chen Xi understood that the nine River Diagram fragments he possessed had completely fused together and merged into his body. It had become a part of him that couldn't be separated anymore.

Such a change provided Chen Xi an unprecedented experience. It caused his vision to be unrestricted by his realm of cultivation, and it was at the same height as the entire Heaven Dao and world!

This sort of strange state made it seem like he possessed the strength to rival the heavens and the Grand Dao.

However, it just so happened that he was still a Ninth Star Region Lord, and he wasn't a Daolord who was said to be capable of reaching the heavens, in control of their own Destiny, otherworld, and on par with the Grand Dao.

But Chen Xi was very sure that when he accumulated sufficient energy and stepped foot into the Daolord Realm, then all the Daolords in this world wouldn't be a threat to him anymore!

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Chen Xi moved forward by himself through the boundless battlefield. Everywhere he passed, expanse after expanse of the Dao Defiant army would be annihilated.

From the beginning until the end, they had no room to struggle, and it was even to the extent that Chen Xi hadn't really swung his sword.

He was just walking through the battlefield while his aura effused out and enveloped the surroundings. His enemies hadn't even been able to approach when they were immediately slaughtered on the spot.

It didn't take long for such an astounding scene to be noticed by the experts of the Dao Defiants' side.

"It's Chen Xi!"

"He's over there!"

"Notify the other. Tell them to converge over here!"

Numerous terrifying consciousnesses swept through the battlefield as they conversed with each other. In practically a short moment, the peak Divine Children who were originally scattered throughout various areas of the battlefield seemed like a group of sharks that had sensed blood, and they rushed towards Chen Xi's location while filled with killing intent.

Because they'd received orders to kill Chen Xi no matter the cost!

Such movement was so grand that it even drew the attention of the experts from the Divine Dao Protector Clans. This made many of them feel fortunate in their hearts because the pressure they experienced would undoubtedly reduce greatly if Chen Xi were there to draw away the top-rate enemies they had to face.

At the same time, some had started to laugh coldly and take pleasure in Chen Xi's misfortune. They wished for nothing more than to see Chen Xi perish at the hands of those peak Divine Children.

The subtle change in the situation of the battlefield had naturally not escaped Chen Xi. However, his expression remained calm and indifferent as he just continued forward, and he hadn't hesitated or tried to avoid it at all.

Countless mountains of corpses and rivers of blood had been formed on the path he'd travelled through.

Three Pearls of Laws had been condensed within the Dao Calamity Sword again, and then they condensed into a translucent and pure lotus flower. After that, the lotus flower transformed into an

unfamiliar energy that carried strands of the aura of Destiny as it surged into Chen Xi's body before Chen Xi absorbed all of it.

Once that was done, the Dao Calamity Sword started to condense Pearls of Laws again....

It faintly formed a cycle where Chen Xi killed his enemies to absorb and refine the energy of sin and evil within them, and then surging energy which carried the aura of Destiny would be ceaselessly absorbed by Chen Xi's body.

If it was before the nine River Diagram fragments had merged into his body, then merely a strand of such energy was something Chen Xi's body would be unable to bear, and he would fall into a dangerous state where conflict and unrest surged throughout his body.

However, it was different now. His body was like a void that was actually impossible to be filled no matter how much energy he absorbed!

It was even to the extent that Chen Xi had a strong feeling that just this energy was far insufficient if he wanted to step foot into the Daolord Realm.

If it were any other Ninth Star Region Lord, that person would have attained perfection in his cultivation and attained the Daolord Realm a very long time ago.

But it was very obvious that it didn't work like that for Chen Xi who'd merged with the complete River Diagram.

Clang!

A bright golden scissors that flowed with a myriad of strands of blood red light tore through the air. It was like the mouth of a crocodile that could devour the heavens, and its sharp blades tore through the sky and split space apart!

It was a peak Divine Child who looked young and proud. His forehead was covered with a monstrously arrogant expression, and he'd attacked ferociously with his strongest attack upon noticing Chen Xi.

Crack!

Chen Xi's figure was cut apart, but it transformed into a rain of light and vanished. Obviously, that wasn't Chen Xi's real body, and it was just an afterimage which he left behind!

This caused that peak Divine Child's heart to constrict, and he swiftly flashed explosively to the side while waving the enormous golden scissors around him.

Crack!

However, he'd just launched that attack when a long and wide hand grabbed his neck from behind, and then it clenched down lightly and broke his neck while the soul within his body was obliterated.

After that, his corpse crashed to the ground.

On the other hand, his enormous golden scissors fell into the grasp of that long and wide hand. The owner of that hand was naturally Chen Xi.



He glanced at it before he tossed the scissors over to the Dao Calamity Sword to be devoured and refined.

Once he finished doing that, Chen Xi continued forward as if it wasn't a peak Divine Child that he'd killed just now, it seemed like he'd just slapped a fly to death.

One could only wonder what Suiren Kuanglan, Shi Chuge, and the others would think if they witnessed that scene.

After all, that was a peak Divine Child!

But he'd been killed in such a casual manner!

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As he went deeper into the battlefield, he gradually encountered lesser and lesser armies of Dao Defiants all along the way, and it was like they'd received some sort of order and didn't dare obstruct Chen Xi's path anymore.

After that, more and more peak Divine Children started to appear.

It wasn't long before two peak Divine Children had appeared back to back, and they charged straight towards Chen Xi. However, only a moment passed before they perished on the spot, and their faces even carried a wisp of astonishment and disbelief as they died.

Their treasures became 'food' for the Dao Calamity Sword instead, and it condensed two dazzling Pearl of Laws for Chen Xi.

"Kill!"

Chen Xi hadn't continued forward for long when a world shaking roar resounded. Accompanying the roar was a monstrous ocean of blood that blasted space apart and emanated astonishing divine might.

This attack hadn't even descended upon Chen Xi when a wave of fluctuation appeared in the distant space, and then the figures of numerous peak Divine Children appeared.

For a time, he'd actually been completely surrounded.

Rumble!

This area became a forbidden area. Divine radiance erupted, the glow of treasures shot into the sky, and no one dared to approach an area of 500,000km around it.

At this moment, both the Dao Defiants and Dao Protectors were clearly aware that the focus of the battle was on Chen Xi alone.

But regardless of which side it was, both of them wished for nothing more than to see Chen Xi killed immediately.

In the opinion of the Dao Protectors, Chen Xi was a Savior, a heretic. He was someone they had to kill, and they could absolutely not tolerate his existence.

In the opinion of the Dao Defiants, Chen Xi was the key to awaken their first ancestor. So, they intended to capture or kill him no matter the cost.

In other words, the current situation was once where the battle seemed to be between the Dao Defiants and Dao Protectors, but the true core of the entire battle had moved over to Chen Xi.

Besides Tang Xiao'xiao, Xia Ruoyuan, Jin Yunsheng, and a few others, no one else was willing to just watch as Chen Xi continued staying alive!

At this moment, Chen Xi was completely surrounded by an entire 6 peak Divine Children. In the eyes of most, it was really impossible for Chen Xi to escape calamity.

The Dao Defiants were excited.

The Dao Protectors were laughing coldly.

Such a scene seemed to be extremely strange and absurd, and it was something only the cultivators present here could understand.

It was like Chen Xi had become the common enemy of both sides right now! It was like he was going against the entire world!

10 minutes later, that world shocking and intense battle came to an end.

All the spectators in the surroundings were shocked to see that only a single tall figure remained standing there when the dust and dirt dispersed.

Just a single person stood amidst the empty heavens and the earth which were dyed with blood. Corpses laid beneath his feet, the ground around him had split apart, and the sword in his palm still flowed with a dense blood red glow that simply seemed as if blood would drip out of it at any moment.

This scene was so dazzling and horrifying. It was like a torrent of disbelief that shook every single one of their hearts.

In that battle, 6 peak Divine Children had been killed, and only Chen Xi alone remained completely unharmed!

How could this not be shocking?

After all, had any Ninth Star Region Lord in the world attained such dazzling accomplishments in battle?

If this occurred in the Ancient God Domain, it could even be remembered and praised through history, and it was capable of being a dazzling and resplendent page in the history of war!

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#### **Chapter 2143: The Sacred Ocean of Blood**

At this moment, the atmosphere throughout the entire battlefield seemed as if it had frozen. Regardless of whether it was the Dao Defiants or Dao Protectors, all of them felt a form of unprecedented coldness, and they were shocked speechless.

The desolate sound of the horn was still surging through the distant sky, but it seemed to carry a sad and dreary aura when it entered into their ears.

Every single peak Divine Child possessed the potential to charge into the Daolord Realm. They were the best experts amongst the Dao Defiants, and the loss of every single one of them was an extremely heavy blow to the Dao Defiants.

Yet at this moment, just a battle with Chen Xi alone had caused 6 of them to be killed on the spot!

That was an unimaginable blow to the Dao Defiants.

On the other hand, when the Dao Protectors witnessed Chen Xi's heaven defying combat strength, they found it difficult to accept as well.

Especially those experts like Suiren Kuanglan who'd completely offended Chen Xi. They were horrified to the point they broke out in cold sweat, and they were very clearly aware that if they had gone head-on against Chen Xi earlier, then the consequences would simply be unimaginable.

Besides that, this scene strengthened their resolution to stay far away from Chen Xi and even flee the Slaughter Highlands!

After all, if they didn't flee, then none of them was able to guarantee that they would be able to kill four peak Divine Children like Chen Xi had requested.

If they couldn't, then they would be pursued and killed by Chen Xi, sooner or later!

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When all of them recovered from their shock, Chen Xi's figure had vanished from that spot on the battlefield.

Some sharp sighted experts noticed that Chen Xi hadn't stopped at all after he killed those 6 peak Divine Children, and he'd continued forward.

But the campsite of the Dao Defiants was further ahead!

*Could he be intending to kill his way into their base camp?*

They didn't even have the time to think about it when a wave of that desolate horn resounded once more, but it was the signal for the Dao Defiants to retreat.

It wasn't a temporary stop to the battle, it was a true retreat from the Slaughter Highlands, the 1st battlefront!

When they confirmed all of that, the Dao Protectors felt dazed. *Just Chen Xi alone utterly defeated them to the point of fleeing, and he overturned the entire situation of the battle?*

This was simply unprecedented!

Even if it were throughout the Battle of Dao Protectors of the past, there had never been someone who'd been capable of turning the entire situation around with the strength of a single person!

But no matter what, such a scene had occurred, and it meant that the war on Slaughter Highlands had come to an end with the defeat of the Dao Defiants!

According to the rules of the past, once the battle on the 1st battlefield came to an end, then the Dao Protectors had to rush to the 2nd battlefield, the Sacred Ocean of Blood, to continue the battle.

However, the Dao Protectors didn't have the mood to continue killing. They'd truly been horrified by Chen Xi's heaven defying accomplishments in battle, and their hearts palpitated with horror and couldn't calm down.

Many of them had even decided to immediately teleport back to the campsite outside the Spring of Sin to firstly recuperate and cleanse the energy of sin within them, and secondly to avoid that Savior who killed without batting an eyelid and prevent Chen Xi from getting even with them now that the battle had ended.

After all, the 13 Dao Servants resided in the camps in the outside world, so it was definitely impossible for Chen Xi to go there and look for trouble with them.

Most of the experts from the Divine Dao Protector Clans were of the same mind. In any case, the Battle of Dao Protectors would be going on for a long time, so it wouldn't be too late for them to return to the battlefield and continue fighting after it was safe.

Many Dao Protectors immediately set out.

This included Suiren Kuanglan who left hastily as well. He wasn't willing to stay here for a moment longer.

Only Tang Xiao'xiao, Xia Ruoyuan, and Jin Yunsheng stayed behind. They were very clearly aware that they would be regarded as traitors upon returning to the outside world and would be attacked by everyone. The consequences of that were horrible.

So, they merely returned to the campsite on Slaughter Highlands.

Surprisingly, Shi Chuge actually traveled alone along the path Chen Xi had taken, and he quickly vanished out of sight.

No one knew exactly what he was thinking. Or perhaps it could be said that Shi Chuge seemed like a completely different person after he watched that unparalleled battle where Chen Xi killed two peak Divine Children and made two more flee before him. Shi Chuge had become reticent and reclusive, and he frequently acted on his own. This made it even more difficult for others to discern his thoughts.

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When Chen Xi's figure arrived at the campsite of the Dao Defiants, he noticed that only some weak Dao Defiants who hadn't been able to retreat in time were still left here.

They watched him arrive with horror in their eyes and despair on their faces.

Chen Xi remained silent for a moment yet didn't attack them in the end. His figure flashed through the campsite and teleported towards the distance.

In the information he obtained, the 2nd battlefield, the Sacred Ocean of Blood, was situated in the starry sky a few million kilometers away from Slaughter highlands.

It was a surging ocean of blood within the starry sky. It was covered in sin and buried countless souls. It was the central area where the Dao Defiants gathered.

In the Battle of Dao Protectors in the past, even if the Dao Protectors were able to charge through the Slaughter Highlands, they would mostly be slaughtered at the Sacred Ocean of Blood.

The reason was that when the flames of war had spread to the Sacred Ocean of Blood, it wasn't just a battle between Ninth Star Region Lords. There would even be some figures with extraordinary natural talent who obtained supreme fortune after experiencing the tempering of the previous battle, and they would break through into the Daolord Realm and annihilate all their enemies at the Sacred Ocean of Blood!

Something worthy of mentioning was that it wasn't just the Dao Defiants who would advance into the Daolord Realm, there had even been cases like that amongst the Dao Protectors.

In other words, during the war at the 2nd battlefield, the Sacred Ocean of Blood, the combat strengths possessed by both sides would undergo a breakthrough, and it would be a battle between the newly advanced Daolords!

That clearly made it even more dangerous.

In the past, numerous experts of the Divine Dao Protector Clans would definitely not head to the Sacred Ocean of Blood before they attained the Daolord Realm.

However, this year's Battle of Dao Protectors was unlike those of the past. The battle on the 1st battlefield, the Slaughter Highlands, had concluded too swiftly. It was even to the extent that many experts of the Divine Dao Protector Clans hadn't even been able to grasp the critical factor to advance within the 1st battlefield before it had already come to an end.

Just like this very moment, there hadn't been a single expert who had advanced into the Daolord Realm throughout the participants from the Divine Dao Protector Clans.

On the other hand, the Dao Defiants had suffered heavy losses. In the last few days, just Chen Xi alone had annihilated almost 10 of their peak Divine Children!

All of them were unparalleled figures who had a very good chance to break through and advance into the Daolord Realm. However, they hadn't even had the chance to break through before they'd died miserably at Chen Xi's hands. So it was obvious how heavy such a blow was to the Dao Defiants.

Besides that, it had indirectly reduced the amount of potential Daolords amongst the participants from the Dao Defiants' side. So, such a situation was advantageous to the Dao Protectors.

Of course, Chen Xi hadn't thought or cared about all of that at all.

After he killed those 6 peak Divine Children, the Dao Calamity Sword had condensed two more translucent lotus flowers which contained the aura of Destiny, and they transformed into surging energy that was fully absorbed by Chen Xi.

However, his body was like a bottomless abyss right now. It actually showed no signs of becoming full after obtaining such an enormous amount of energy, and it even revealed an extremely strong thirst for energy!

It wasn't sufficient!

This little bit of energy was far from sufficient for him to advance into the Daolord Realm!

He needed even more energy that carried the aura of Destiny!

This sort of thirst was so strong that even Chen Xi couldn't help but be slightly surprised. He roughly understood that it was a completely new transformation which his body had undergone after it merged with the complete River Diagram.

Just like how killing those peak Divine Children wasn't that difficult for him anymore, and he actually felt unsatisfied and unable to utilize his full strength.

However, his cultivation was still at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm!

This caused Chen Xi to suddenly attain a form of comprehension. His advancement into the Daolord Realm had become completely different from other Ninth Star Region Lords, and the energy he needed was utterly impossible to be controlled by other Ninth Star Region Lords!

According to legend, when a Ninth Star Region Lord's ability to sense the River of Destiny grew clearer and greater, the strength possessed by that cultivator upon advancing into the Daolord Realm would be greater.

But in the same way, it would grow more and more difficult for that cultivator to advance from the Ninth Star Region lord Realm!

Chen Xi could see the vast and eternally surging River of Destiny within his sea of consciousness at all times, and he could even see every single splash and stream of it with extreme clarity.

It was even to the extent that he could sense its source!

Under such circumstances, didn't that mean that the difficulties and barriers he encountered in his path to advancement would be far greater than others?

Chen Xi wasn't sure about that, but he could confirm that even if he was still at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm now, his combat strength and energy were still undergoing an incessant transformation and improvement!

Perhaps the energy within his body would reach a full state one day, and that would be the moment he advanced into the Daolord Realm.

When Chen Xi did step foot into the Daolord Realm, it was obvious how terrifying his combat strength would be.

So, Chen Xi urgently needed to obtain energy right now!

The Sacred Ocean of Blood at the center of the 2nd battlefield was his objective.

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At the same time that Chen Xi traveled to the Sacred Ocean of Blood, Leng Xinghun and Dao Wushuang had left without making a sound and returned to the campsite in the outside world.

Both of them had obtained news about how Chen Xi had killed 6 peak Divine Children, and they knew that Chen Xi was heading to the Sacred Ocean of Blood by himself.

Even though they were very sure that it was very unlikely for Chen Xi to return to the campsite on Slaughter Highlands, Leng Xinghun and Dao Wushuang had still left for safety's sake.

They hadn't forgotten what Chen Xi had told them before he left for the battlefield. The day he returned from the battlefield would be the day he got even with them!

Even though they were infuriated by it, they had to admit that it was impossible to suppress and crush Chen Xi with just their strength alone

So, they had no choice but to leave for now, notify Daolord Xu Tuo about everything related to Chen Xi, and then decide their next course of action.

Actually, regardless of whether Chen Xi was able to return from the Sacred Ocean of Blood, they were very clearly aware that the 13 Dao Servants and their Sovereign Sect would be unable to tolerate Chen Xi's existence any longer.

Death was the one and only outcome waiting for Chen Xi when he participated in the Battle of Dao Protectors!

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#### **Chapter 2144: Breakthrough By Force**

The Sacred Ocean of Blood.

A vast ocean of blood flowed through the boundless starry sky while numerous stars floated within it. It was a place covered in the stench of blood, and countless souls had been buried here.

In the boundless years of the past, countless Battle of Dao Protectors had erupted at the Sacred Ocean of Blood, and innumerable gods had perished here.

The ocean of blood seemed like it was made of the blood of the gods, and it covered the entire starry sky!

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On the other side of the Sacred Ocean of Blood was an ancient building that towered into the sky, and it was the base camp of the Dao Defiants.

At this moment, in the hall at the highest level of the ancient building, there were a few figures either standing or seated there. There was a descendant of the Devil Spider Clan, the Bloodsucker Clan, Sin Adjudicator Clan, Thunderfall Clan, the Stoneface Clan, Bloodsoul Clan....

Every single one of them was the most dazzling peak Divine Child of their respective clans, and all of them possessed might capable of shaking the world!

However, at this moment, all of them had extremely gloomy expressions on their faces, and they seemed to be anxious and surprised. It caused the atmosphere in the hall to be heavy and deathly silent to the point it was suffocating.

“Who could have imagined that a single Savior would actually be able to kill 6 peak Divine Children on his own and completely crush our 1st battlefront?!” The Devil Spider slapped the table before him into pieces as he shouted.

The others couldn’t help but frown and seem slightly displeased by this.

“If you have the balls, then go fight that kid yourself. Is your Devil Spider Clan only capable of being rude and venting your anger here?” A descendant of the Cerberus Clan grunted coldly.

“Do you think that I don’t dare to?” The Devil Spider’s eyes turned red, and he gazed at the Cerberus with a ferocious expression.

“If you did, then you probably wouldn’t have retreated here with your tail between your legs, right?” The Cerberus spoke with ridicule, and he was completely unafraid of the violent killing intent that the Devil Spider’s eyes revealed.

“If the two of you intend to continue fighting, then go outside and do it. We’re discussing our strategy right now. We didn’t come here to see the two of you argue with each other.” A composed and refined voice resounded as a descendant of the Bloodsoul Clan spoke slowly. He had a handsome appearance, pale skin, and every single move he made carried a composed and novel aura. Surprisingly, it was Chi Qingying.

The Devil Spider and Cerberus grunted coldly when they heard Chi Qingying, and then they shut their mouths. Obviously, they were quite fearful of him and didn’t dare act rashly.

“Chi Qingying, you’ve seen it as well. At least 11 peak Divine Children have perished at the hands of that Savior. Under such circumstances, it would probably be impossible for us to obstruct him even if all 7 of us joint forces against him at the Sacred Ocean of Blood.” A descendant of the Sin Adjudicator Clan sighed lightly with a frown on his face.

As soon as these words were spoken, the expressions of all the experts within the hall had turned even gloomier. Because the Savior was too terrifying and was simply like a monster. He was clearly just at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm, but the combat strength he revealed was inconceivably formidable.

Even they, peak Divine Children, who felt that they’d attained perfection in the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm and possessed absolutely top-rate combat strengths couldn’t help but feel horrified when facing such a heaven defying monster that couldn’t be judged by convention.

“Have all of you forgotten? Those old fellows have issued an absolute order that we must capture or kill that kid regardless of the price we have to pay. We must bring him back to the Spring.” Chi Qingying glanced at them as he spoke.

“Hmph! Talk is easy! In my opinion, no one can do anything to that Savior unless a Daolord Realm expert acts against him!” The descendant of the Thunderfall Clan who’d been silent until now grunted coldly.

“Chi Qingying, are you trying to make us go give our lives away?”



Chi Qingying spoke slowly. "I didn't say that."

When he spoke up to this point, Chi Qingying's expression turned solemn and was filled with a dignified aura. "Everyone, I have a suggestion. I wonder if all of you are willing to listen to it?"

The others frowned and looked towards him.

Chi Qingying didn't delay when he saw this and said frankly, "Your thoughts are right. I'm afraid none of us are capable of killing that Savior, and only Daolords are capable of crushing him."

"But where are such Daolords? The battle on Slaughter Highlands came to an end too quickly, so it was utterly impossible for us to seize an opportunity to advance into the Daolord Realm. Under such circumstances, where would we find Daolord Realm experts to kill him?" One of them was puzzled.

"You wouldn't be thinking of asking those old geezers of our clans to act against him, right? That's too naïve of you. They would rather hide at the Springs than show themselves at the Sacred Ocean of Blood because they are extremely afraid of being targeted by the 13 Dao Servants." One of the others was surprised.

Chi Qingying shook his head. "All of you are mistaken. We have to kill that Savior ourselves. However, we must attain a breakthrough before we head into battle with him!"

*Breakthrough?*

The others were astounded. *Talk is easy. But how could it possibly be so easy to breakthrough and advance? That's the Daolord Realm! How can anyone step foot into it without grabbing hold of an unprecedented fortune?*

*That's simply absurd!*

Chi Qingying seemed to be extremely calm at this moment. His blood red and gem-like eyes were filled with a firm expression. "I understand what all of you are thinking, but don't forget that many peak Divine Children in the history of our clans have relied solely on their own strength and not fortune to traverse the threshold of the Daolord Realm and rise to prominence!"

The others finally understood Chi Qingying's thought when they heard this. He'd actually chosen to use his own strength to break through into the Daolord Realm by force.

Such a method was one that had a slim chance of survival! It was too dangerous! Even though there had been instances of success in the past, most of those attempts had ended in failure and a miserable death!

Because the slightest mistake while charging into the Daolord Realm by force would result in instant death, and there was absolutely no chance of survival!

If there was any other choice, then not a single peak Divine Child would choose such a path of advancement because it was simply no different than courting death.

The hall fell silent for a while. No one was willing to play around with their lives, so they would naturally not dare to rashly agree with such methods.

Chi Qingying couldn't help but frown when he noticed this, and he said in a low voice, "Everyone, let me just ask all of you a single question. If there was only a single method, then would you rather die at the hands of that Savior or die on your path of advancement?"

Chi Qingying continued and spoke word by word before the others could even answer him. "Perhaps we'll still have a chance if we try to advance by force. At that time, we wouldn't just be able to annihilate that Savior, we'll even possess a cultivation at the Daolord Realm! If we don't choose that path, then there would only be a single outcome once that Savior arrives. Death for us all!"

"Can't we... return to the Spring?" The Devil Spider spoke hesitantly.

"Hmph! Fleeing without a fight? It would be fine if it were in the past, but we're fighting to awaken our first ancestor this time. Under such circumstances, you can give that a try and see if those old fellows will let you live!" Chi Qingying spoke coldly with disdain.

The Devil Spider's expression changed indeterminately, and then he fell silent in the end.

"Alright! I agree!" Suddenly, the Stoneface Devil spoke in a deep and resolute voice.

When they saw this, a few more peak Divine Children gritted their teeth and decided in succession, but there were a few including the Devil Spider who were still hesitant.

Chi Qingying didn't force them. Being able to accomplish this was already beyond his expectations. In his opinion, it would be extremely lucky if even one of them was able to successfully break through by force.

If all of them failed in the end, then they could only blame their luck.

"Since it's like this, then the Fellow Daoists who've chosen to break through by force shall stay behind and enter into closed door cultivation. The others shall start preparing for battle and strive to buy even more time for us to advance!" Chi Qingying ordered in a low voice.

"What!? You want us to go give our lives away first?" The Devil Spider instantly stamped his feet with rage.

"You can naturally stay behind if you choose to break through by force. If you're unwilling to do that, then you must head to the battlefield and buy time for our Fellow Daoists to break through and advance!" Chi Qingying seemed extremely cold and cruel at this moment, and his voice carried unconcealed killing intent.

"Hmph!" The Devil Spider's face alternated between a livid and ashen expression. In the end, he flicked his sleeve and left angrily.

The others who weren't willing to break through by force left as well.

"If all of you dare to avoid battle, then don't blame me for telling those old fellows about everything that occurred here." Chi Qingying reminded them in an icy cold voice.

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Three days later.

There was an ancient building as well on the other side of the ocean from the Dao Defiants' campsite, but it was completely empty.

However, a tall figure had soundlessly appeared here today.

He didn't walk into the empty building, and he directly headed over to the border of the Sacred Ocean of Blood while his deep eyes silently sized up everything in the distance.

The Sacred Ocean of Blood was extremely vast. It covered the entire sky. Waves of blood surged through space, and they emanated a dense smell of blood that was truly nauseating.

One could clearly see numerous stars floating within the ocean of blood like rubies. It was an extremely horrifying scene.

Chen Xi was visibly moved because this seemingly boundless ocean of blood was actually filled with an extremely violent aura of sin and evil, and it was like a purgatory of blood.

There was no need to doubt that if any expert of the Divine Dao Protector Clans were to fall into the ocean of blood, then that expert would definitely be drowned by the surging energy of evil and sin!

If that expert was unable to escape the ocean, then that expert's path towards the Dao would end there!

However, the Sacred Ocean of Blood was filled with boundless temptation in Chen Xi's eyes, and it was a treasure trove that possessed an unimaginable amount of energy!

*Would I be able to absorb sufficient energy to attain perfection in my cultivation if I were to refine and absorb the entire Sacred Ocean of Blood?*

Such a thought couldn't help but appear in Chen Xi's mind, and it caused Chen Xi's heart to beat with excitement and eagerness. However, he took a deep breath and recovered his calm.

This was the central area of the 2nd battlefield, and it was where the Dao Defiants' main forces had gathered. Even terrifying existences at the Daolord Realm might make an appearance here. Under such circumstances, Chen Xi couldn't be careless in the slightest.

However, Chen Xi wasn't afraid!

A long time ago when he left Oracle Mountain to participate in the Battle of Dao Protectors, Chen Xi had already possessed the combat strength to fight ordinary Daolords, and even if he couldn't defeat them, his strength was still sufficient to retreat safely.

Now, after he merged with the nine River Diagram fragments and absorbed numerous strands of enormous and unfamiliar energy that contained the aura of Destiny, Chen Xi's combat strength had transformed into an inconceivable state. So, how could he possibly fear a battle with experts at the Daolord Realm?

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**Chapter 2145: Slaughter**

Chen Xi had just stepped foot onto the banks of the Sacred Ocean of Blood when the desolate sound of a horn suddenly resounded from extremely far away on the other side of the ocean, and it surged through the starry sky.

“The enemy is here!”

“The enemy has shown himself!”

“Who is it?”

“It’s that Savior!”

Rumbling shouts resounded from the campsite on the other side of the ocean, and then countless Dao Defiants formed an army that surged into the air like a tide.

Devil Spiders, Bloodsuckers, Sin Adjudicators, Stoneface Devils, Cerberus.... Countless descendants of the Dao Defiant Clans converged into a vast army that covered the heavens and the earth, and it was a rather magnificent sight.

Moreover, there were four peak Divine Children at the back of the army!

If it was at any other ordinary time, then such a menacing sight would have probably any expert from the Divine Dao Protector Clans choose to avoid the army and dare not bear the brunt of it.

However, the current situation was completely different. Only Chen Xi was there on the side of the Divine Dao Protector Clans, and he seemed extremely tiny when compared to the army of Dao Defiants that covered the sky.

But even then, not a single member of the army dared to be careless!

Chen Xi had killed too many peak Divine Children in the last few days, and his methods were cold and merciless. He was simply like an invincible god of war, and not a single person had been able to shake him until now.

He was simply like a nightmare to all the experts from the Dao Defiant Clans. It made them dare not treat Chen Xi as an ordinary expert from the Divine Dao Protector clans.

Even if he’d appeared at the banks of the Sacred Ocean of Blood by himself, the experts of the Dao Defiant Clans had practically swarmed out in full force, and they didn’t dare hold back at all.

“Kill!”

“Kill that bastard!”

“Uphold our honor!”

The vast army of Dao Defiants surged through the Sacred Ocean of Blood amidst shouts that shook the heavens and the earth, and they whistled over to Chen Xi.

At this moment, it was simply like a dark cloud that covered the sky was moving towards him. They’d formed a dense mass that approached menacingly, and it was horrifying to the extreme.

Most shocking of it all was that the aura of the Dao Defiants had clearly grown stronger when they were above the Sacred Ocean of Blood, and it was simply like they'd fused into one with the ocean. They seemed very imposing and fearless!

Chen Xi's clothes and dense jet-black long hair fluttered with the bloody winds as he stood at the bank of the ocean, and his handsome face had a calm and indifferent expression on it.

Even though he was all alone, he was completely unafraid!

When the army of Dao Defiants appeared a few thousand kilometers away from him, Chen Xi finally took a step forward, and then his figure soared into the air.

Clang!

A clear howl resounded from the Dao Calamity Sword which was scarlet red like blood, and it was like a volcano that had been dormant for 10,000 years had awoken once more.

Swish!

Chen Xi swung his sword!

It was like a natural chasm that laid across the sky had suddenly descended here. Its blood red glow was utterly otherworldly, and when it descended down, space wasn't able to endure its weight, obstacles weren't able to affect its speed, and all things wailed in sorrow before this attack!

Rumble!

If the army of Dao Defiants was like a canvas that was being unrolled, then at this moment, this descending attack made an extremely long rip swiftly appear on the canvas.

Countless experts from the Dao Defiant clans hadn't even been able to react as they were instantly annihilated by the rip, and they transformed into a mist of blood that vanished within the ocean.

The army instantly fell into disorder. Countless clamorous shouts resounded, and they were a mess of rage, terror, and panic.

This swing of Chen Xi's sword had killed at least over a thousand Dao Defiants!

It was the epitome of a strike of the sword that possessed the strength to shake the world.

Swoosh!

The army of Dao Defiants didn't even have the chance to recover when Chen Xi's figure had flashed like a bolt of lightning and charged into the army.

The scarlet red Dao Calamity Sword carried an ethereal and otherworldly glow as it swept through the army of Dao Defiants and shot towards the surroundings.

Its sword howl was like the rumbling of the Dao.

Its sword qi was like a surging tsunami.

Group after group of Dao Defiants perished before Chen Xi's charge. Blood sprayed endlessly through the sky, and it was gorgeous yet horrifying.

The experts of the Dao Defiant clans weren't weak. The weakest amongst them was at the Universe Enlightened Ancestral God Realm while the strongest was at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm. Even if it were in the outside world, every single one of them were existences that could make countless living beings shiver in terror.

Unfortunately, they were really too weak for Chen Xi right now, and they weren't able to pose a threat to him at all.

It was because the height they resided on was completely different.

Perhaps those experts of the Dao Defiant Clans were hawks that could look down upon the myriad of living beings in the world as ants. But to a Roc that traveled through the void, there was no difference between a hawk and an ant!

Chen Xi was like a rock that whistled through the surging ocean, and he crushed through all his enemies with invincible might!

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Kill!

The curtain to the horrifying war had been drawn, and a battle of life and death had begun. Even if they were respected as gods, they seemed extremely tiny before the mercilessness of war.

The vast army was merely fighting against a single person, Chen Xi.

If such a scene were recorded, it could definitely be transformed into an epic that evoked both praises and tears. Even if Chen Xi lost, it would still be a supremely glorious defeat.

After all, he was a single man going to war yet suffered resistance from an entire army of Dao Defiants!

It was a scene of a single person pushing forward courageously even if a million obstructed him!

If it happened to any other cultivator, that cultivator's blood would definitely boil and be filled with heroic spirit. But Chen Xi didn't.

He seemed to be practically completely emotionless. His expression was tranquil and indifferent while his gaze was calm and concentrated. He simply seemed like an emotionless executioner that was reaping the lives of gods!

The more he acted in this way, the more it horrified and instilled despair in his enemies.

Slaughtering in absolute silence was sometimes a force that struck directly at the heart, and it was sufficient to collapse the will of others and throw them into a state of helplessness and despair.

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However, the army of Dao Defiants weren't utterly routed by Chen Xi, and they grew even more frenzied instead. They were like moths rushing to a flame. They knew death was awaiting them, yet they still charged forward fearlessly.

Coupled with the truly enormous number of troops that formed the army of Dao Defiants, they were simply like an endless swarm of locusts, and it caused Chen Xi's speed to slow down.

Obviously, the army of Dao Defiants couldn't retreat on the 2nd battlefield, the Sacred Ocean of Blood, and they had to either fight or die.

It was unlike the battle on Slaughter Highlands where they could retreat to the Sacred Ocean of Blood even if they were defeated.

If they lost this battle, then the Dao Defiant Clans wouldn't have much of a chance at winning the Battle of Dao Protectors anymore.

According to the battles of the past, if the experts from the Divine Dao Protector Clans were to charge through the Sacred Ocean of Blood and arrived at the 3rd battlefield, the Springs, then it represented that the Dao Defiants had lost.

At that time, those old seniors of the Dao Defiants who resided at the Springs would step forward and stop the Battle of Dao Protectors, and they would provide the customary compensation to the experts of the Divine Dao Protector clans.

Those seniors didn't dare attack because once they did, it represented that they would suffer the counterattack of the 13 Dao Servants. That was bound to be a calamity for all Dao Defiant Clans.

In similar fashion, if the Divine Dao Protector Clans lost, then the 13 Dao Servants wouldn't dare attack rashly as well. Because doing that might awaken the first ancestor of the Dao Defiants who was in deep sleep!

So, the Sacred Ocean of Blood had become the key to decide the entire situation of the battle. One it fell to the enemy, then the consequences would be simply unimaginable to the Dao Defiants.

That was why those experts from the Dao Defiant Clans fought so fearlessly, madly, and without any regard for their lives.

Actually, such a scene rarely occurred, and it was even to the extent that it had never occurred throughout the history of the Battle of Dao Protectors.

The reason was that when the experts of the Divine Dao Protector Clans arrived here, the Dao Defiants would be prepared as well. So, the battle on the Sacred Ocean of Blood would usually be decided by those experts who had advanced into the Daolord Realm.

But it was very obvious that this year's Battle of Dao Protectors was extremely unique. Only Chen Xi was representing the Divine Dao Protector Clans, and he hadn't even stepped foot into the Daolord Realm.

On the other hand, the Dao Defiants were in quite a hard pressed state as well. Not only had they lost around 10 peak Divine Children before the battle had even spread to the Sacred Ocean of Blood, they still didn't possess a single expert that had broken through into the Daolord Realm.

Under such circumstances, the army of Dao Defiants had no other choice but to fight desperately with their lives on the line when facing a heaven defying monster like Chen Xi.

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“Dammit! If he continues at this speed, then that Savior will be able to kill his way here in less than a day of time! What should we do?” Four peak Divine Children were standing before the campsite of the Dao Defiants, and they gazed at the distant battlefield while their faces were covered in a gloomy and indeterminate expression.

They hadn’t chosen to break through by force, so they’d been sent to the frontlines with the task of buying time for the other peak Divine Children who were trying to break through by force.

However, 7 days had passed now yet there wasn’t any sign of movement from those peak Divine Children who were in closed door cultivation. On the other hand, the Savior, Chen Xi, was like a god of slaughter that swept through the Sacred Ocean of Blood.

Moreover, based on the way Chen Xi fought, he was simply all-powerful and invincible. So, how could the hearts of those four peak Divine Children not burn with anxiousness?

“What else can we do? We can only risk our lives if he really kills his way here!” The descendant of the Devil Spider Clan who was leading the group spoke in a cold voice.

“Risk our lives?” The expressions of the other three peak Divine Children changed indeterminately. The reason they’d refused to break through by force was because they weren’t willing to risk their lives. So, when they faced this battle that had suddenly erupted between their Dao Defiant Clans and Chen Xi, they were even more unwilling to risk their lives and go head-on against Chen Xi.

“Don’t even try to avoid it. That fellow, Chi Qingying, is extremely ruthless and merciless. Once you try to avoid battle, then it’ll just bring harm to the clans you represent!” The Devil Spider glanced at those 3 companions of his and said, “However, all of you don’t have to be too worried. That Savior won’t be able to charge over for some time. Perhaps our Fellow Daoists would have broken through to the Daolord Realm before he arrives.”

These words were clearly a form of self-consolation, and it clearly lacked confidence.

However, the situation was what it was, and they were powerless to change it. They could only hope that one of those fellows in closed door cultivation would be able to advance into the Daolord Realm before Chen Xi arrived.

Kill!

In the sky above the distant ocean of blood, Chen Xi’s blood red sword was like a bolt of lightning that shot through the surroundings.

No one had noticed that a strand of enormous energy that carried the aura of Destiny surged out from the Dao Calamity Sword from time to time, and then it was completely absorbed by Chen Xi....

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**Chapter 2146: Collapsed**



If Chen Xi's body was said to be a bottomless abyss, then the strands of energy that were ceaselessly surging into his body right now were like numerous streams that were surging incessantly into the bottomless abyss.

All of that had been going on since the battle had begun on the Sacred Ocean of Blood!

The key to everything was the Dao Calamity Sword.

As Chen Xi killed more and more enemies, the amount of energy of sin and evil that the Dao Calamity Sword devoured grew more and more enormous, and the numerous of the Pearls of Laws that it created grew more and more in number.

The accumulation of more and more Pearls of Laws caused the pure energy of the Divine Dao Laws that contained the aura of Destiny to grow larger in number, so they surged ceaselessly into Chen Xi's body.

All of this caused Chen Xi's combat strength to show no signs of weakening, and he even grew stronger as the battle progressed. His imposing aura was rising steadily as well!

Such a scene was like one where Chen Xi was undergoing an incessant transformation in battle, and it had no end to it!

If it was any other Ninth Star Region Lord in his place, then not to mention undergoing a ceaseless transformation, they would probably even be unable to endure a portion of all the energy Chen Xi was absorbing, and it would cause them to suffer qi deviation and perish on the spot.

This was the miraculous ability Chen Xi had gained after he fused with all the River Diagram fragments. He was like a void that was completely boundless, and it made him completely different from all the Ninth Star Region Lords in the world.

At the very least, even if he was fighting incessantly, absorbing energy without end, and transforming ceaselessly, he was still at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm!

This had simply broken all the conventions of cultivating, and it had surpassed the existing scope and boundaries of his realm of cultivation. It couldn't be judged by any standards.

Chen Xi was clearly aware of it as well. As he obtained more and more energy, he yearned more and more for it.

He had a strong feeling that he had to absorb even more energy in order to advance into the Daolord Realm!

Kill!

The heavens and the earth shook while the area above the Sacred Ocean of Blood had become a true purgatory. Corpses descended like raindrops while the blood of the gods poured down, causing surging and tempestuous waves to arise from the ocean of blood below.

Shrill cries, furious howls, the sounds of battle, the sounds of collision.... All sorts of sounds were interweaved together and surged incessantly in the starry sky above the Sacred Ocean of Blood, and it was simply horrifying.

Chen Xi who held the Dao Calamity Sword in his hand was still calm, indifferent, and concentrated as before while he swept mercilessly through the enemy army, and countless souls were reaped by the blade of his sword.

Clang!

Later on, the Dao Calamity Sword suddenly soared into the sky, and then its blade pointed downward before it stabbed forcefully into the Sacred Ocean of Blood.

In an instant, the army of Dao Defiants in an area of 5,000km around the Dao Calamity Sword perished where they stood, and their bodies exploded into pieces and vanished on the spot.

At this moment, the blood red blade of the Dao Calamity Sword was dark red and seemed to be seething as it stabbed into the ocean like an immovable mountain.

One could clearly see energy of sin and evil was surging over and being devoured incessantly by the Dao Calamity Sword. All of that energy had come from the corpses of Chen Xi's fallen enemies and the boundlessly vast Sacred Ocean of Blood!

There was a boundless amount of the energy of sin and evil buried within the ocean, and countless experts from the Divine Dao Protector Clans had lost their lives here.

Yet now, the ocean of blood that covered the starry sky and contained monstrous energy of sin and evil was like an inexhaustible supply of energy to the Dao Calamity Sword, and it was ceaselessly and madly devouring and refining the ocean of blood!

The ocean water which was thick like blood within an area of 500km around the Dao Calamity Sword was visibly transforming into a clear and translucent state.

That was because all the energy of sin and evil within it had been devoured by the Dao Calamity Sword, so the color of the water changed accordingly.

But in next to no time, the cleared up area of the ocean was covered in an endless blood red color again. The reason was that the Sacred Ocean of Blood was too vast, and the amount of sin and evil it contained was inconceivable.

However, all of this was exactly what Chen Xi wanted. Because it allowed the Dao Calamity Sword to ceaselessly devour even more energy.

At the same time, Chen Xi stopped pushing forward, and he started to kill around the Dao Calamity Sword. Even though he was barehanded, every single move he made possessed the might to pluck a star from space or crush a moon. Even if enemies were surging over from all directions, they were actually unable to shake him in the slightest.

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"That fellow has finally been trapped!" One of the peak Divine Children at the campsite heaved a sigh of relief.

“Idiot! He isn’t trapped at all! He’s clearly using that blood red sword to refine and absorb the energy within the Sacred Ocean of Blood!” The Devil Spider had a livid expression on his face as he berated in a low voice.

In an instant, the other peak Divine Children were surprised and bewildered.

At this point in the battle, how could they have been unable to discern that Chen Xi’s imposing aura showed no signs of weakening, and it was growing stronger instead!

Especially the blood red sword of his. It was simply all-powerful, swallowed everything around it, and actually innately countered the energy of sin and evil!

*Exactly what sword is that? Why is it so heaven defying?*

It was unimaginable to the four of them, but they were able to discern that as it ceaselessly devoured the energy of sin and evil, Chen Xi’s combat strength was actually undergoing an incessant transformation. It was growing stronger and stronger!

This caused their hearts to feel cold as if they’d fallen into an icy pit. Chen Xi was all alone and hadn’t even stepped foot into the Daolord Realm, but he possessed such heaven defying and terrifying combat strength, and it made them wonder how terrifying he would be if he was able to advance into the Daolord Realm!

The army of Dao Defiants that was stationed at the Sacred Ocean of Blood was said to possess 100,000 members while the weakest amongst them was at the Universe Enlightened Ancestral God Realm. So long as a Daolord didn’t act against it, then such an army was sufficient to sweep through the entire Ancient God Domain with ease.

But at this moment, such a vast army was merely fighting against a single person, Chen Xi. However, not only had it been unable to crush him until now, the losses it suffered were growing along with the passage of time.

At this point at least around 20,000 Dao Defiants had lost their lives at Chen Xi’s hands!

Such an amount didn’t seem very shocking, but only someone who truly understood what they represented would understand how terrifying it was.

After all, it was an accomplishment in battle that just a single person had attained!

Had anyone been able to accomplish it throughout the history of the Battle of Dao Protectors?

No one had!

Yet now, Chen Xi had accomplished it. Moreover, this number was increasing incessantly along with the passage of time!

“We can’t hesitate any longer. Our army hasn’t been able to kill him for so long, and it has caused their spirits to be dampened. The situation is showing signs of falling into disorder. If we still don’t head over and support them, then it won’t be long before our army will lose its will to fight and flee!” One of the peak Divine Children had an extremely gloomy expression on his face as he gritted his teeth and spoke.

“Support them? Who will do that? We’ll only be going to give our lives away even if the four of us went there together! That kid isn’t a human at all, he’s a monster! Only a Daolord Realm expert can stop him!” The Devil Spider shouted in an agitated state. “All of you can go over there if you want! I’m not going to go give my life away!”

The expressions of the other 3 peak Divine Children changed indeterminately. They were horrified, anxious, aggrieved, and helpless. Their hearts were conflicted and heavy to the extreme.

“Didn’t that fellow, Chi Qingying, brag about breaking through by force? So many days have passed yet there hasn’t been any sign of movement from them? It seems to me like they were just using it as an excuse, and they were actually utterly unafraid of facing that Savior in battle!” The Devil Spider grew more and more agitated as he spoke. “In my opinion, they’ve clearly taken us to be their cannon fodder. They would naturally be happy to see it if we’re able to stop that Savior, and they would probably be the first to flee if we fail!”

He spoke with a furious tone, and he was clearly venting the uneasiness and terror in his heart.

Meanwhile, one of the other peak Divine Children was about to speak when his figure suddenly stiffened, and his eyes almost popped out from their sockets. He cried. “Shit! Our army has collapsed!”

*What?*

The expressions of the other 3 peak Divine Children changed simultaneously as they swiftly shot their gazes towards the ocean of blood in the distance. In an instant, they noticed that the vast army which was attacking Chen Xi actually seemed like a group of beasts that were fleeing in panic. They were crying in horror as they fled towards the campsite.

Every single one of them had terror all over their faces. Their will to fight had completely collapsed. At this moment, it wasn’t just impossible to stop them because they wouldn’t dare face Chen Xi again even if they were threatened with death.

“Flee!”

“That fellow is a monster! He can’t be killed!”

“I don’t want to die! I don’t want to die!”

“Flee! Quickly! That Savior isn’t someone we can deal with at all! The clansmen of our Stoneface Devil Clan will be annihilated if we don’t flee right now!”

A wave of shouts resounded throughout the starry sky above the ocean of blood. When the other Dao Defiants who still had the will to fight witnessed this scene, their will was instantly shaken, and then they fled as well.

For a time, the starry sky above the ocean of blood was covered in fleeing figures. It was like an abyss was right behind them, and it intended to swallow them up.

All of the peak Divine Children were dumbstruck by this scene, and it was like they’d lost their souls. *We’re finished. The army had been completely defeated. It’s impossible to turn this situation around even if the four of us head over ourselves.*

*What should we do? Is the Sacred Ocean of Blood really going to be lost as well? Moreover, it's going to be lost to a single person?*

Such a blow was too heavy, and they were utterly unable to accept it.

"Get the fuck back there! Get the fuck back there and fight him! I'll kill anyone who dares to retreat!" A peak Divine Child was furious. He howled with a grim voice that shook the surroundings. But would anyone listen to him now?

It was even to the extent that some roared madly with resentment. "All of you peak Divine Children are hiding at the back and asking us to give our lives away! How ruthless of you!"

It was like a single stone in a pond that gave rise to a thousand ripples. In an instant, numerous insults and curses resounded, and all of them were directed towards the 4 peak Divine Children.

Their faces instantly turned grim, and they were aggrieved to the point they were on the verge of exploding with rage. However, they truly didn't dare to step forward and fight Chen Xi.

So, they could only watch helplessly as the entire army collapsed and fled.

However, to their surprise, Chen Xi who was standing above the Sacred Ocean of Blood hadn't pursued the army, nor had he seized the opportunity to charge into the campsite. Conversely, he just strangely remained on the spot.

This caused the 4 peak Divine Children to be stunned. *What does that fellow intend to do?*

"He... he... he's refining and absorbing the energy within the Sacred Ocean of Blood!" Someone had seen through it and couldn't help but cry out in shock and fury.

However, the 4 peak Divine Children weren't infuriated when they noticed all of this. On the contrary, they actually felt lucky like a heavy burden had been lifted from their shoulders....

Yes, they felt like a heavy burden had been lifted from their shoulders. Even though it seemed very humiliating, but... wasn't it better if that fellow didn't charge over for now?

Was it absurd?

Was it laughable?

It was nothing before the prospect of death!

### **Talisman Emperor**

#### **Chapter 2147: Highgod Domain**

Dazzling blood red radiance surged from the Dao Calamity Sword, and it crazily devoured the energy of sin and evil within the Sacred Ocean of Blood. After that, the energy was transformed into pure energy of the Divine Dao Laws that contained the aura of Destiny, and all of it surged into Chen Xi's body.

At this moment, Chen Xi gazed at the collapsing army of Dao Defiants yet didn't pursue them.

Compared to the energy he obtained from killing the Dao Defiants, the energy within the Sacred Ocean of Blood was definitely more abundant and powerful.

His body was like a bottomless abyss which he absorbed the energy which contained the aura of Destiny with all his might. However, Chen Xi was slightly surprised to notice that his cultivation still showed no signs of attaining a full state even until now.

*Why is it like this?* Chen Xi was unable to deduce the reason as well, and he could only attribute it to the River Diagram fragments which had fused with his body.

It wasn't long before Chen Xi shot his gaze towards the other side of the ocean. It was where the campsite of the Dao Defiants resided. But at this moment, it was covered in chaos.

Chen Xi's gaze was like a dark ray of light that shot through space as he looked into the distance.

At this moment, he suddenly had a feeling that what he was constantly yearning for resided extremely far away in the distance!

Perhaps it was energy.

Perhaps it was the critical factor to advance that he was looking forward to for so long.

Om!

A trace of trembling suddenly arose in the heavens and the earth. The entire expanse of the starry sky which the Sacred Ocean of Blood actually seemed as if it had been terrified, and it showed signs of falling into a deathly still state.

At practically the exact same moment, an unimaginably terrifying and extraordinary aura suddenly arose from the campsite of the Dao Defiants in the distance.

Chen Xi suddenly withdrew his gaze while a wisp of icy coldness flashed in his deep eyes. *Someone has actually broken through and advanced?*

...

Rumble!

A cloud that was translucent and clear like glass surged into appearance in the sky above the campsite of the Dao Defiants. It was divine, vast, and filled with the aura of Destiny that caused all living beings to tremble with fear.

*That's....* The 4 peak Divine Children at the campsite raised their heads swiftly, and then their pupils dilated slightly as they cried out involuntarily. "The glow of Destiny? Someone actually succeeded at breaking through by force!"

At this moment, the figures of the collapsed army of Dao Defiants that were fleeing in panic had stiffened while a suffocating feeling that they couldn't resist arose in their hearts. The legs of many experts became weak, and they fell to their knees!

"What a bunch of trash! All of you actually fled from battle when dealing with a single Savior. I'll be coming for all of you once I've killed that Savior!" Amidst an elegant and indifferent voice, a blood red ray of light shot into the sky, and then it transformed into divine radiance that filled the sky as it rumbled towards the Sacred Ocean of Blood.

Once could faintly see an extraordinary figure that emanated divine radiance and a scarlet red cape fluttering through the air.

*Chi Qingying!* The figures of those 4 peak Divine Children shook. How could they have been unable to discern that Chi Qingying had advanced successfully and had become a Daolord!?

Besides feeling excited, a wisp of dense envy couldn't help but surge in their hearts. They were excited because Chi Qingying had advanced successfully, and it meant that crushing that Savior would be as easy as flipping his palm!

They were envious because they were all top-rate existences at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm before this, and there wasn't any gap between their strengths. But from this moment onward, they weren't on the same level as Chi Qingying anymore. Even though it was only a single realm that separated them, it was like they were worlds apart!

*A Daolord!*

*Lord Chi Qingying has become a Daolord!*

The army of Dao Defiants was excited, and their eyes flowed with boundless fervor, respect, and admiration.

However, they were puzzled as well. *A total of 5 peak Divine Children entered into closed door cultivation to break through by force, but why has only Lord Chi Qingying broken through and left his closed door cultivation? Where are the other 4 peak Divine Children?*

*Could they have suffered misfortune?*

At this moment, the Devil Spider and the other 3 peak Divine Children in the campsite had clearly realized this as well, and they couldn't help but exchange glances while the same thought arose in their hearts. *The other fellows have probably... failed!*

Failure represented death!

It was a realm that represented Destiny, it was the extraordinary realm of Daolords, so how could it be so easy to break through and advance into it?

Normally speaking, it was already very lucky if one out of five peak Divine Children was able to advance smoothly into the Daolord Realm.

No matter what, Chi Qingying had advanced successfully at this moment, and the gazes of practically everyone had shot towards the Sacred Ocean of Blood in the distance.

There was a heaven defying and invincible monster at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm over there, so would Chi Qingying be able to kill him after Chi Qingying had advanced into the Daolord Realm?

Everyone was looking forward to obtaining the answer to that.

...

Rumble!

The entire ocean of blood started to surge while tempestuous waves arose from it. Space wailed and fell into disorder, and it seemed to be unable to endure such pressure.

Right amidst this state of great unrest, the divine radiance that covered the sky suddenly retracted to form Chi Qingying's slender figure. His face was handsome and pale, his eyes seemed like a pair of blood red gems, and his scarlet red cape fluttered with the wind.

Unlike in the past, he was like an overlord of this world right now, and every single move he made flowed with boundlessly supreme imposing aura that surpassed the restraints of all Daos!

It was the bearing of a Daolord!

As it was said in the legends, I control my own destiny and not the heavens. After he took control of his own destiny and comprehended the true secrets of the Grand Dao of Destiny, Chi Qingying was a true Daolord.

He merely took a single step, yet the ocean of blood fell deathly still. Time and space had stopped and submitted beneath his feet. It seemed like the entire sky had become a decoration made specially for Chi Qingying!

"Chen Xi, if it wasn't for you, then I wouldn't have been forced to take an unusual route and break through by force. Now that I speak of it, I should thank you for it." As he spoke in an elegant and indifferent tone, Chi Qingying hadn't even seemed to have moved his figure at all yet he'd arrived 3km before Chen Xi.

Moreover, his eyes that were like a pair of blood red gems had shot an indifferent gaze at Chen Xi.

Chen Xi's expression was calm and indifferent as before. Since the moment he noticed that Chi Qingying had advanced into the Daolord Realm, there hadn't been a change in Chen Xi's expression, and even his figure was still upright like a spear and hadn't moved at all.

"It's very easy to thank me. Just leave your life behind." Chen Xi spoke indifferently. He seemed as if he hadn't noticed the terrifying pressure that filled the heavens and the earth here.

"Haha! I've already grasped the true secrets of Destiny. I'm equal to the heavens and on par with all Daos. Even if the heavens intended to take my life, it isn't that easy to be accomplished, let alone a Ninth Star Region Lord... like you?"

Chi Qingying had spoken those last few words with intentional emphasis, and they were filled with extraordinary ridicule like he was looking down at Chen Xi from a high and supreme position.

Yes, no matter how formidable Chen Xi's combat strength was right now, he was still a Ninth Star Region Lord. On the other hand, Chi Qingying was different, his cultivation had arrived at a completely new state that was said to reach the heavens!

Under such circumstances, Chi Qingying felt that he definitely possessed sufficient ability to look down upon and trample on Chen Xi.

However, Chen Xi's display had exceeded his expectations. Chen Xi spoke in an indifferent tone that was practically completely flat. "The heavens might be unable to take your life, but it doesn't represent that I



can't. If you think that you can act fearlessly by relying on the strength you attained from advancing into the Daolord Realm, then it only shows how naïve you are."

Chi Qingying's eyes narrowed. Never had he imagined that this Savior would actually dare to act so arrogantly when facing him when he was a Daolord now.

Chi Qingying couldn't help but feel speechless, and then he shrugged and said, "It isn't for you to decide whether I'm naïve or not. But as a form of kindness, the conditions I gave you on Slaughter Highlands are still valid. So long as you give up your life obediently, then I'll give you an honorable death. After all, not many are qualified to be taken as an opponent by me."

No one had expected that Chi Qingying hadn't crushed Chen Xi immediately upon advancing into the Daolord Realm, and he started to debate with Chen Xi instead.

This made the other 4 peak Divine Children feel a wave of displeasure in their hearts, but they didn't dare say anything about it. After all, Chi Qingying was at a height which they couldn't reach, and even they didn't dare offend him.

At this moment, Chen Xi actually started smiling, and he sighed with emotion. "Chi Qingying, if I were you, I would have definitely not wasted my breath and talked so much nonsense. I'm quite curious. Are all the members of your Bloodsoul Clan like you and have to run their mouths for a long time even when they are facing an enemy?"

Chi Qingying's face stiffened imperceptibly while a trace of rage surged out from the bottom of his blood red eyes. He said indifferently, "Fine, since you refuse to realize your weakness, then I'll send you on your way."

As he spoke, he raised his right hand, and then translucent light coiled around his slender and fair fingers.

Bang!

Merely such a casual movement had caused the sky above Chen Xi to suddenly collapse. A black hole had instantly split hole in space, and it rumbled as it started swallowing everything below it.

At this instant, the heavens, the earth, and everything seemed to have been isolated. It caused Chen Xi to fall into a state where he was all alone, and it was like he'd been abandoned by the Grand Dao!

It was an extremely terrifying force. It took control of all Daos, seized everything from the heavens and the earth, and caused one's opponent to fall into a state of being under one's control.

It was an ability possessed by experts at the Daolord Realm — the Highgod Domain!

Once ordinary cultivators fell into it, they would be utterly powerless to struggle free from it. Their fate would fall completely into the hands of the Highgod Domain's owner, and they would be at the mercy of that Daolord.

Only other experts at the Daolord Realm could go against it.

Chi Qingying was very confident that this attack of his would be able to throw Chen Xi into eternal damnation! At that time, he intended to allow Chen Xi to experience what it was like when Chen Xi's fate was in his control, and when Chen Xi had no choice but to submit before him!

However, Chen Xi merely raised his head and lifted his hand in a casual manner. The black hole that was rumbling down towards him instantly exploded into pieces, and it was obliterated into nothingness.

At the same time, the invisible energy that covered Chen Xi's surroundings seemed to have suffered a heavy blow, and it ceased to exist amidst deafening rumbling and disorder.

An attack that carried the energy of a Daolord's Highgod Domain had actually been destroyed by Chen Xi in such a casual manner! Based on how casually he'd accomplished it, it was simply as easy as blowing off dust!

In an instant, the coldness of the corners of Chi Qingying's mouth had frozen while his blood red eyes narrowed. *That was the might of the Daolord Realm!*

After all, could any Ninth Star Region Lord throughout the world resist the might of a Daolord?

Not to mention that Chen Xi had accomplished it with such ease. It was simply unimaginable.

No matter how composed Chi Qingying was, he couldn't help but feel disbelief.

*Is this fellow really a Ninth Star Region Lord?*

At this moment, even all the experts at the campsite of the Dao Defiants had gasped and were extremely shocked when they witnessed this scene.

*That was the might of a Daolord! Yet he dispersed it with such ease! How could that kid be heaven defying to such an extent!?*

### **Talisman Emperor**

#### **Chapter 2148: Kingdom Of Burning Blood!**

No one knew that Chen Xi had fought his Eldest Senior Brother, Wu Xuechan, in head-on battles in order to break through into the 7th level of the Sword Emperor Realm while he was at Oracle Mountain.

No one knew that when he'd succeeded at attaining a breakthrough in the Sword Dao, he'd succeeded in defeating Wu Xuechan in a head-on battle while Wu Xuechan was using 20% of his strength!

What sort of figure was Wu Xuechan?

He was an extraordinary top-rate existence even amongst Daolords. So, that 20% of his strength was sufficient to rival an ordinary Daolord.

Wu Xuechan's evaluation of Chen Xi's combat strength at that time had proved all of that. Because Wu Xuechan had said that Chen Xi possessed the ability to protect himself even if he fought an ordinary Daolord.

Chen Xi had obtained this evaluation before he'd even participated in the Battle of Dao Protectors. Now, Chen Xi had fused with the River Diagram fragments while an immeasurable amount of pure energy that

contained the aura of Destiny had been accumulated within his body. So, his combat strength had undergone numerous transformations as this occurred.

At this point in time, Chen Xi would have completely refined and absorbed the Sacred Ocean of Blood if Chi Qingying hadn't suddenly shown himself.

Even Chen Xi himself wasn't able to accurately determine exactly how formidable his current combat strength was.

He'd originally thought that Chi Qingying who had advanced into the Daolord Realm would cause him to feel unimaginably terrifying pressure. Unexpectedly, he didn't feel threatened at all by that attack which carried the might of Chi Qingying's Highgod Domain.

Conversely, he was slightly surprised. He felt that since Chi Qingying was a peak Divine Child that possessed extraordinary natural talent and accumulations, then Chi Qingying's combat strength should be extremely terrifying after he'd advanced into the Daolord Realm.

But... why... was that attack of his so... weak?

If Chi Qingying knew Chen Xi's thoughts, he would definitely be infuriated to the point of spitting out blood. Has anyone in the world ever seen a Ninth Star Region Lord dare to doubt the strength of a Daolord?

Was any Ninth Star Region Lord mad enough to think that the strength of a Daolord was... weak?

Not a single one!

Fortunately, Chi Qingying wasn't aware of Chen Xi's thoughts. After he saw Chen Xi destroy his attack with ease, he understood that this Savior was far more difficult to deal with than he'd imagined.

No wonder those other peak Divine Children weren't able to defeat him. Such a heaven defying freak isn't someone who can be judged by convention.

However, Chi Qingying still firmly believed that the gap between the Daolord Realm and the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm was a chasm that couldn't be overcome.

That chasm was formed by the true secrets of Destiny!

No matter how heaven defying Chen Xi's combat strength was, Chen Xi who was still a Ninth Star Region Lord was bound to be no match for him while that chasm existed between them!

Bang!

While he thought like that in his heart, Chi Qingying issued a command in his heart. Suddenly, numerous gorgeous and brilliant flames of blood surged out from him!

It was like countless pools of the blood of gods were burning. They bloomed one by one to envelop and lock down this expanse of the heavens and the earth. They were gorgeous, horrifying, bloody, and filled with the energy of Destiny that instilled terror in the hearts of all living beings.

This was the true appearance of the Highgod Domain which Chi Qingying attained after he advanced into the Daolord Realm — the Kingdom of Burning Blood!

Blood was utilized as a catalyst to form a kingdom with his domain!

Chi Qingying was the creator, he was the supreme king within the Kingdom of Burning Blood.

On the other hand, so long as his enemies fell into his kingdom, then their strength, Destiny, and souls would suffer a form of absolute suppression. Their lives would escape their own control, and they would be at Chi Qingying's mercy!

Bang!

Chen Xi suddenly felt that the pressure he experienced had multiplied. It was like his entire body was held by an invisible hand, and he had the misconception that he was on the verge of being crushed.

But in just a moment and as the energy within his body circulated, this suffocating pressure had been resisted.

Chen Xi didn't move and just sensed everything around him in silence.

It was the first time he'd had the chance to experience a true Highgod Domain.

According to rumor, every single Daolord possessed their own Highgod Domain, and it was a method to manifest their strength.

The Highgod Domain contained a Daolord's will, vital energy, strength, and comprehensions of the true secrets of Destiny.

The deeper and more complete a Daolord's comprehension and grasp of the Grand Dao of Destiny, the stronger that Daolord's Highgod Domain would be, and it was one of the standards to determine the strength of Daolords.

The most terrifying part of it was that the Highgod Domain was like an independent world. The development and energy of this world were formed entirely by the will of the Daolord. One an enemy were to fall into the Highgod Domain, then so long as one's own will couldn't resist the will of the Daolord, then one would fall completely into the hands of the Daolord. One's mind would be seized, and one's fate would cease to be in one's own control. It was like one's life and death would be in the hands of that Daolord!

Normally, so long as any cultivator beneath the Daolord Realm were to be trapped within a Highgod Domain, then that cultivator wouldn't have any room to struggle free from it.

It was a gap in strength, and it was a form of absolute suppression from the gap in their cultivations!

At this moment, Chi Qingying had utilized his Highgod Domain, the Kingdom of Burning Blood, and it was because he'd resolved to annihilate Chen Xi in one go.

"Chen Xi, do you have any last words before you die?" At this moment, when he saw Chen Xi had really been trapped within his Kingdom of Burning Blood without anything unexpected happening, Chi Qingying couldn't help but reveal that usual refined smile of his, and he seemed arrogant and indifferent.

It was like he'd caught a rat in a pot. His enemy was trapped, and he had complete control over his enemy's fate.

"It may not necessarily be my last words. I'm just curious. Exactly how much of the truth of the River of Destiny did you see when you advanced?" Chen Xi's expression remained the same as he spoke calmly, and he didn't attack at all.

However, Chi Qingying felt that Chen Xi had given up on resisting him when he witnessed this scene, and he couldn't help but become even more calm and composed.

"Haha, I can tell you the answer to that question. When I broke through by force, I witnessed a myriad of waves that were vast and flowed incessantly. It was the energy of Destiny, and it was the most supreme energy I've ever laid eyes on!" Chi Qingying's eyes carried a wisp of burning desire and a trace of pride. "They were so pure, so divine, and so powerful. It was exactly because I saw through their true secrets that I was able to smoothly comprehend the Kingdom of Burning Blood!"

A wisp of a faint arc that was thought provoking appeared on the corners of Chen Xi's mouth.

Chi Qingying couldn't be bothered to guess what Chen Xi was thinking. He was a Daolord. He didn't have to guess what others were thinking at all, and he didn't have to care about what others thought as well. If he couldn't bear the sight of something, then he could just crush it!

As if he was showing off and as if he were expressing his happiness from advancing into the Daolord Realm, Chi Qingying took a deep breath and spoke proudly. "You still don't understand it, but the true secrets of Destiny that I comprehended are top-rate even amongst us Divine Children of the Heavens. Even those old geezers dare not be disrespectful to me!"

He paused for a moment, and then revealed pity in his eyes as he looked at Chen Xi and said, "Unfortunately, you don't understand it now, and it's impossible for you to understand it in the future."

"Why?" asked Chen Xi.

Chi Qingying's gaze towards Chen Xi revealed even more pity. "You should understand what I mean. You're unable to escape calamity this time. Even if you do struggle, it would only be in vain."

That slight arc on the corners of Chen Xi's mouth grew even more obvious. "Really?"

Chi Qingying frowned. "What? Do you think that you can still survive? Don't forget that the Divine Dao Protector Clans treat you as a heretic as well, and they wish for nothing more than to kill you and celebrate. It's impossible for anyone to come and save you at a time like this."

He paused for a moment, and then he looked up into the distant sky and spoke slowly. "Moreover, I can even tell you a secret out of consideration for the fact that you are about to die."

Chen Xi nodded. "Go ahead."

Chi Qingying sighed with emotion. "You wouldn't have fallen to such a state if you had been so meek on Slaughter Highlands that day."

Chen Xi didn't say a word and just gazed at him in silence.

Chi Qingying felt even more happy in his heart when he saw this, and he had a mocking gaze as he said, "This secret is actually not difficult to guess on your own. Don't you think it's strange? Why a Savior which everyone wishes for nothing more than to annihilate would be able to participate in the Battle of Dao Protectors without encountering any obstruction?"

Chen Xi's eyes narrowed as he said, "I'm representing the Chen Clan. No one has any reason or right to deprive me of this right."

Chi Qingying laughed with ridicule while the pity on his face grew denser. "You're wrong. A mid level clan is nothing! If those 13 Dao Servants wanted to kill you, then not to mention a mid level clan, even a high level clan wouldn't be able to stop them at all."

Chi Qingying spoke frankly before Chen Xi could even speak. "The reason you were able to participate was because they wanted you here to give your life away!"

"To give my life away?" Chen Xi's brows raised.

"Exactly! To use your blood and life to awaken the First Ancestor of the Divine Children! That's the objective of the 13 Dao Servants!" Chi Qingying's face had an indifferent expression on it as he said coldly, "Otherwise, do you think that a Ninth Star Region Lord like you would have been able to survive until now?"

Chen Xi fell silent for the first time, and he said after quite some time passed, "What do they stand to gain by doing that?"

A wisp of ridicule appeared on Chi Qingying's face. "It's far from being a benefit. They just want to use you as bait to draw out our First Ancestor so that they can kill him."

Chen Xi asked while his expression had recovered its calm and indifference. "Since it's like that, then why are all of you trying to kill me as well? Wouldn't that be helping the 13 Dao Servants?"

"Haha! How naïve!" Chi Qingying laughed coldly. "No matter what those 13 Dao Servants are planning, the First Ancestor still needs your blood and life to be awakened! However, do you really think those 13 Dao Servants would be able to kill him with such ease once he has awoken?"

Chen Xi said, "This is the secret you wanted to tell me?"

Chi Qingying seemed to be slightly surprised. He seemed to have never expected that Chen Xi would actually still be able to maintain his composure after finding out about all of this.

If it was any other cultivator, when that cultivator found out he'd been abandoned by his own comrades and treated as bait that had to give his life way, that cultivator would definitely stamp his feet with rage and feel extremely furious, right?

But it just so happened that Chen Xi seemed as if he wasn't affected by it at all, and he was even calm and indifferent to a slightly terrifying extent.

Chi Qingying couldn't help but feel slightly disappointed by this. Obviously, he'd also spoken so much because he wanted to use these words to strike a huge blow on Chen Xi. He desired to see Chen Xi's pitiable appearance when Chen Xi was filled with despair and rage.

But it was very obvious that all the effort he'd put in had been for nothing.

Chi Qingying even felt slightly curious. This fellow has been treated as an enemy by the Divine Dao Protector Clans, taken to be bait that should give his life away by the 13 Dao Servants, and regarded as a target that had to be captured and killed by us Divine Children of the Heavens. Does he not feel any rage or despair when he's in such a situation?

### Talisman Emperor

#### **Chapter 2149: Mistaken Intentions**

Blood red flames enveloped the heavens and the earth here, and they formed the Kingdom of Burning Blood that Chi Qingying alone ruled over.

When looked at from afar, it was like an expanse of dazzling blood red light had covered that area, and only Daolords could see through everything occurring within it.

However, it was fortunate that they couldn't see through it. Otherwise, if the experts from the Dao Defiant Clans at the campsite saw that not only had Chi Qingying refrained from attacking Chen Xi immediately, he was even talking with Chen Xi until now, then they would definitely be infuriated to the point of spitting out blood.

While he resided within the Kingdom of Burning Blood, Chen Xi finally understood the situation that he was in, but he refused to fully believe Chi Qingying's one-sided statement.

As for whether he should feel furious or despair, Chen Xi had never thought about it.

Even if he were at odds with the entire world right now, it would be very difficult for there to be much of a change in his emotions.

Because Chen Xi really was different after he fused with the nine River Diagram fragments. The innate desire of his body and the target who sought in his heart were both to break through into the Daolord Realm!

Chen Xi firmly believed that he needed to accumulate sufficient energy. He needed energy that could allow his cultivation to feel full and at a state of perfection.

Such energy was far ahead in the distance!

Chen Xi's intuition told him that he just had to pass through the 2nd battlefield, and then it wouldn't be long before he could locate that energy which he yearned for.

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However, Chen Xi had to first deal with Chi Qingying's obstruction before he could move forward to search for it.

Chen Xi didn't hesitate to raise his head and gaze at Chi Qingying before he said, "Truthfully speaking, I hadn't intended to listen to so much nonsense from you. However, you did speak of some things that were quite useful to me. So, I'll give you a chance."

Chi Qingying was stunned, and the refined smile on the corners of his mouth had instantly frozen while his expression became icy cold and indifferent. This fellow is about to die yet he actually boasts about giving me a chance? How absurd! He's simply courting death!

"Oh? What chance is that?" Chi Qingying intended to heart if Chen Xi had really gone mad.

"A chance to live." Sure enough, Chen Xi's answer caused Chi Qingying to instantly experience the true meaning of 'madness'!

Chen Xi nodded with a calm and tranquil expression. "You can move aside right now, and I'll let bygones be bygones. I won't make it difficult for you anymore. That's the limits of what I'm willing to accept."

His limits...? Chi Qingying almost doubted his ability to hear. Has this kid gone mad? Would any other ordinary cultivator dare to speak in such an absurd manner while on the verge of death?

Chi Qingying took a deep breath and forcefully restrained the fury within his heart. He didn't want Chen Xi to think that he'd been infuriated by just a few words.

That would make him seem lacking in mentality, and it wasn't something that should be displayed by a Daolord.

However....

It was truly aggrieving to be treated in this way by Chen Xi's madness!

At this moment, Chi Qingying was aggrieved to the point he felt like he was on the verge of suffering internal injuries because of it.

He'd encountered Chen Xi some time ago in the Mist Forest, and he'd tried to make a deal with Chen Xi at the Slaughter Highlands. But he'd failed in the end.

However, as far as Chi Qingying was concerned, Chen Xi was one of the few amongst the Dao Protectors who he respected as an opponent, so such a figure should at least be shrewd and composed.

But who would have imagined that this opponent who he took rather seriously would actually act like a mad and ignorant idiot that was courting death! This made Chi Qingying wonder whether he'd misjudged Chen Xi in the past!

Chen Xi couldn't help but frown when he saw Chi Qingying's expression change while Chi Qingying himself remained silent, and then Chen Xi said, "My patience is limited. Have you finished considering it or not?"

His patience is limited...? In an instant, Chi Qingying's face turned completely gloomy, and he wasn't able to restrain his rage anymore. He said coldly, "Chen Xi, I feel that I've never misjudged anyone, but your current display is truly disappointing to me...."

Chen Xi interrupted him before he could even finish speaking. "Could you really be intending to continue wasting your breath? Do you think that I'm joking?"

Aren't you joking!? Chi Qingying almost spoke without thinking. Because it didn't seem like just a joke to him, it was simply like something idiotic which only an idiot would say!



At this moment, even the corners of his mouth couldn't help but twitch fiercely, and he took a few deep breaths in succession before he spoke in an icy cold voice. "Fine, since you...."

Chen Xi immediately nodded upon hearing this, and his expression eased up and said, "That's right. You are much more sensible than most people for being able to make such a decision."

As he spoke, Chen Xi started walking forward.

Chi Qingying opened his eyes wide, and he almost lost control and started shouting. You motherfucker! Let me finish speaking! When did I ever agree? You even said that I was very sensible? Why did he sound so arrogant?

Chi Qingying was aggrieved to the point he almost spat out blood, and his face was unsightly. Because he's intended to say — fine, since you refuse to realize your errors, then don't blame me for showing no mercy!

However, he hadn't even finished speaking when Chen Xi had mistaken his intentions....

Chi Qingying even wondered what exactly was wrong with Chen Xi. He wondered why Chen Xi had become such an idiot, and he wondered if Chen Xi was still that heaven defying monster who made all the peak Divine Children shudder with fear!

However, when he saw Chen Xi start moving, Chi Qingying acted instinctively. His killing intent surged while he raised his hand unconsciously, and a strand of seething and dazzling blood red flames rumbled as they gathered towards his palm.

They were divine flames formed from the true profundities of Destiny, and they contained Chi Qingying's strongest and most quintessential strength after he attained the Daolord Realm.

He firmly believed that not to mention a Ninth Star Region Lord like Chen Xi, even an ordinary Daolord would suffer a heavy injury from this strike of his palm!

Swish!

However, right at the instant when Chi Qingying had decided to attack, he suddenly saw Chen Xi wave his hand lightly, and then a gap had been torn open in the Kingdom of Burning Blood which was condensed from his strength.

It simply felt like... Chen Xi was casually tearing apart a piece of brittle paper.

Hiss!

Chi Qingying gasped, and he felt like he'd been struck by lightning. His entire body became cold like it had fallen into an icy pit of darkness, and he felt indescribably horrified and cold.

After all, it was the Highgod Domain he'd condensed upon advancing into the Daolord Realm! Even those old fellows of the Dao Defiant Clans had said that his Highgod Domain was first-rate!

Yet now, it had been torn open with ease by a Ninth Star Region Lord?

How could this be possible?

This scene that overturned common sense was simply like a storm that caused Chi Qingying's heart to fall into unrest and uneasiness, and his entire body stiffened on the spot.

Chen Xi was just about to walk out of the Highgod Domain when his gaze glanced over inadvertently, and he saw Chi Qingying whose hand was still raised. Chen Xi couldn't help but be slightly amused. Could this fellow be trying to wave me goodbye? He really is a weirdo! But this fellow was quite sensible. At the very least, he made a wise decision.

As he thought like that, Chen Xi waved and said, "It won't be so easy for you to survive if you fall into my hands again. Take care of yourself."

Chi Qingying's entire mind became blank, and he unconsciously waved his hand at Chen Xi. After that, his mind cleared up, and his hand that was waving at Chen Xi had instantly stiffened while his expression turned dark red from aggrievance and shame.

It was simply more painful than being slapped on the face!

He opened his mouth with the intention of shouting, and then charging over to fight Chen Xi to the death. However, he suddenly thought of how Chen Xi casually tore open his Kingdom of Burning Blood, and his body couldn't help but shiver while his expression alternated between a livid and ashen expression.

Only now did Chi Qingying realize that Chen Xi might have not been joking just now! He really... possesses the strength to defeat me? Impossible! I'm a Daolord! How could I possibly be defeated by a Ninth Star Region Lord? But when he recalled the scene of Chen Xi tearing his Highgod Domain open, Chi Qingying didn't have a shred of confidence left in his heart.

He just stood stunned on the spot while his expression changed indeterminately. It was like he'd been abandoned, and his figure seemed extremely bleak.

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At the campsite of the Dao Defiants.

All the experts of the Dao Defiant Clans were waiting anxiously as they stared fixedly at the extremely dazzling blood red glow that covered the distant sky.

Even though they were unable to witness the situation there, they knew that it was the Highgod Domain that Chi Qingying obtained after advancing into the Daolord Realm.

It was even to the extent that the Devil Spider and the other 3 peak Divine Children couldn't help but feel envious when they witnessed this scene because it was a form of strength that they really yearned to obtain as well.

But along with the passage of time, there had been no movement within the Kingdom of Burning Blood, and it caused all the Dao Defiants to feel surprised and bewildered.

Could a mishap have occurred?

This thought had just appeared in their minds when they saw the dazzling blood red glow suddenly surge violently.

This instantly raised the spirits of the Dao Defiants, and they looked over with burning anticipation. However, they didn't see Chi Qingying's mighty figure, and they saw Chen Xi striding out instead. Chen Xi had a calm expression as if he were strolling through his own backyard.

All the Dao Defiants were instantly stunned. What... what... what exactly is going on? Could Chi Qingying have lost? How could that be possible! Had anyone throughout the annals of time heard of a Daolord being defeated by a Ninth Star Region Lord?

Not a single one!

But... what exactly is going on?

Many experts even doubted their eyes, and they almost couldn't help but start rubbing their eyes.

Right at this moment, the dazzling blood red light that covered the sky shook, and then it rumbled as it vanished and revealed Chi Qingying's figure.

However, Chi Qingying's current actions were very strange. He was standing on the spot while looking towards Chen Xi was leaving towards, and his right hand was still raised and opened fully as if he'd been waving.

This made it seem like Chi Qingying was waving Chen Xi goodbye and was reluctantly watching Chen Xi leave....

At this moment, even those 4 peak Divine Children at the campsite opened their eyes wide while a thought couldn't help but arise in their minds. Could Chi Qingying have let Chen Xi go on purpose? Otherwise, why would their actions and expressions seem so... impossible to explain?

One was leaving in a composed manner as if he were strolling through his own backyard while the other seemed to have been waving. So, how could the others not misunderstand all of this?

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Chi Qingying's body shook as he realized that the situation was slightly off, and then he suddenly returned to his senses.

"You... let the Savior go?" Meanwhile, those 4 peak Divine Children couldn't restrain the questions in their hearts any longer and had charged over to him.

"What did you say?" Chi Qingying frowned while his handsome face was suffused with a wisp of indifference as he recovered the imposing aura of a Daolord.

However, the descendant of the Devil Spider Clan seemed to be exasperated at this moment, and he said furiously, "Chi Qingying, you refuse to admit the dirty deeds you've committed? If you didn't let that kid go on purpose, then how could he have escaped your Highgod Domain while just at the Ninth Star Region Lord Realm?"

The other 3 peak Divine Children looked suspiciously at Chi Qingying as well.

“You said that I... let that Savior go?” Chi Qingying’s face turned gloomy while a wisp of killing intent surged within his eyes.

The Devil Spider’s figure stiffened as he felt a suffocating pressure descend onto him. However, he still gritted his teeth and said, “What? You dared to do it yet dare not admit it? Don’t even think that you can run wild because you’ve advanced into the Daolord Realm! Your actions are equivalent to betraying our divine clans!”

Chi Qingying was infuriated to the point he almost went berserk. This fellow actually thinks that I colluded with the enemy and let Chen Xi go on purpose? He’s simply an idiot! “All of you are of the same mind as well?” Chi Qingying gazed at the other 3 peak Divine Children.

Even though there was fear on their faces, they tacitly approved of it.

“Hmph! It isn’t just us. All the Fellow Daoists in the campsite witnessed it as well! You, Chi Qingying, were actually audacious to such an extent upon advancing into the Daolord Realm. Do you know who you allowed to leave? That was the key to awakening our First Ancestor!” The Devil Spider laughed coldly.

Chi Qingying felt horrible.

Earlier, Chen Xi had played him for a fool just now, and it caused him to be humiliated to the point he wished for nothing but to look for Chen Xi and fight Chen Xi to the death. Now, even the allies on his side had misunderstood him and blamed him, so how would Chi Qingying feel?

Could it be that I can’t do as I please even after I’ve advanced into the Daolord Realm?

Chi Qingying was depressed to the point he almost coughed up blood. Never had he imagined that right after he advanced into the Daolord Realm, he hadn’t even been able to make a show of strength to the world when he’d suffered a string of unexpected events. Moreover, it even caused him to slightly wonder if his actions of forcing a breakthrough had infuriated the River of Destiny, causing his destiny to be tainted by some Karmic Energy of misfortune....

Because if it wasn’t that, then why was he so unfortunate today?

“What? You’ve finally stopped arguing about it?” The Devil Spider laughed coldly when he saw Chi Qingying remain silent.

“Fuck off!” Chi Qingying couldn’t be bothered to continue explaining, and he just spat out two words.

The Devil Spider’s face changed. “What did you say?”

“I told you to fuck off!” Chi Qingying’s blood red eyes were suffused with dense undisguised killing intent, and it horrified the Devil Spider to the point his countenance turned pale while he felt fearful and uneasy.

“Hmph! Just you wait! I’ll report everything that occurred here today!” He turned around and left with his tail between his legs.

“Chi Qingying, even though you’ve advanced into the Daolord Realm, but your actions were....” The other 3 peak Divine Children couldn’t refrain from speaking, and they seemed to intend to provide him with some advice.

“All of you fuck off as well!” Chi Qingying suddenly interrupted them impatiently. As he gazed at their expressions that suddenly changed, he suddenly felt indescribably carefree in his heart. Chen Xi probably had such a feeling when he interrupted me just now, right?Uh....Dammit!Why have I thought about that fellow?

Chi Qingying’s carefree state of mind had instantly become horrible and depressed.

“I’m a Daolord! Yet all of you dare to run your mouths off at me? You’re really tired of living!” Chi Qingying watched them leave in dejection before he let out a long sigh, and then he seemed to have realized something. Since Chen Xi has left, then where did he go?

Chi Qingying practically instinctively looked towards the distance....

The Springs!That kid definitely went there!His intuition told him that Chen Xi who was capable of tearing his Kingdom of Burning Blood open with ease would definitely not return to the campsite of the Dao Protectors.

Since he has left, then he has definitely headed to the 3rd battlefield, the Springs!

The Springs was the base camp of the Dao Defiants, and it was where the Dao Defiants resided and cultivated. According to the past rules of the Battle of Dao Protectors, there would be no need to continue the battle once an expert of the Divine Dao Protector Clans entered the Springs because it represented that the Dao Defiants had lost the war.

But right after, Chi Qingying shook his head and laughed in a carefree manner.

This Battle of Dao Protectors is unlike the battles of the past. That fellow, Chen Xi, is bait that the 13 Dao Servants tossed to us, so he’s undoubtedly like a sheep walking into the mouth of a tiger travelling to the Springs himself. He’s bound to be crushed by those old fellows!Moreover, the 13 Dao Servants would be happy to see that happen because that’s the only way to awaken our First Ancestor.

“Chen Xi! Oh! Chen Xi! You’re just a Ninth Star Region Lord yet you’ve so impatient to give your life away. Why?” Chi Qingying muttered. His intuition told him that Chen Xi wasn’t that stupid. Because he’d told Chen Xi all of those secrets, but Chen Xi was still courting death and heading to the Springs, so he felt that there was probably some sort of secret behind all of that.

When he thought up to this point, Chi Qingying was instantly unable to stay still. His figure flashed through space as he shot towards the Springs.

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Outside the Spring of Sin.

At the Sledgehammer Campsite which was presided over by the 1st Dao Servant, Heavenly Wrath Daolord.

"That kid has headed to the Springs." The Time Daolord, who had his eyes closed until now had suddenly opened them, and it seemed like the boundless annals of time were flowing through his eyes, causing him to be suffused with a dense aura of age.

"Good!" The eyes of the other Dao Servants lit up.

"Don't get happy too early. According to my observation, there seems to be something off about the situation." The Time Daolord frowned while his thin face had a slightly solemn expression on it.

"What happened?" The others frowned.

"I noticed that the peak Divine Child, Chi Qingying, advanced into the Daolord Realm just now, and he succeeded in utilizing his Highgod Domain to trap that kid, Chen Xi. But he didn't kill Chen Xi in the end and even let him go." The Time Daolord spoke of the questions in his heart. "Unfortunately, I wasn't able to observe the events within Chi Qingying's Highgod Domain as I was preventing my aura from being exposed. Otherwise, I would be able to know what happened from the beginning until the end."

"That's quite strange indeed. Logically speaking, Chi Qingying has no reason to let Chen Xi go." The other Dao Servants noticed that there was something off as well.

"What surprised me the most was that kid, Chen Xi, actually fought an army of 100,000 Dao Defiants by himself, and he crushed them like dry leaves and all-powerful might. Especially that blood red sword in his hand, it seemed like that legendary sword...." The Time Daolord frowned and seemed to be recollecting everything he'd witnessed. Especially when he spoke about the blood red sword, he actually revealed a slightly solemn expression.

"What legendary sword?" The others couldn't help but ask this question.

"It's probably not that legendary sword. I've heard of a sword called the Dao Calamity Sword, and it's similarly capable of countering all evil, calamity, and sin. That blood red sword in his possession is probably the Dao Calamity Sword." The Time Daolord pondered deeply for a moment before he spoke of his deductions.

The Dao Calamity Sword?

The others thought for a moment and remained completely indifferent. They were naturally aware that the Dao Calamity Sword was a sword that the Chaotic Divine Lotus had left behind, and it wasn't very miraculous.

"Daoist Brother Time, let's forget about the Dao Calamity Sword for now. Which legendary sword were you talking about just now?" The Light Daolord spoke abruptly.

The Time Daolord shook his head and said, "I was just making a wild guess. It can't be taken seriously.

As soon as these words were spoken, it caused the other Dao Servants to acutely notice that there was probably some sort of secret behind the identity of that legendary sword!

Right at this moment, an aged and low voice resounded.

"That sword is called Samsara. That sword was exactly why the First Ancestor of the Dao Defiants was crushed by the Heaven Dao all those years ago and fell into eternal slumber."

The Sword of Samsara! The hearts of all the Dao Servants shook as they gazed at the tightly closed door to the palace. It was exactly the Heavenly Wrath Daolord who'd spoken just now.

They believed that the Heavenly Wrath Daolord would never be wrong!

When realized that it was actually the legendary sword that caused the First Ancestor of the Dao Defiants to fall into eternal slumber, the expressions of the other Dao Servants changed slightly as if they'd recalled scenes of the past.

A long time passed before the Time Daolord said, "Fortunately, that Savior should be in possession of the Dao Calamity Sword and not Samsara."

When he spoke up to here, he seemed to have noticed something and suddenly closed his eyes while he spoke swiftly. "He has arrived at the Springs. I'll continue observing the situation there. All of you prepare yourselves. We'll make a quick and crushing strike once the First Ancestor of the Dao Defiants is awakened!"

The hearts of the other Dao Servants trembled when they heard this, and they held their breaths in concentration.

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The Springs.

It was a dense expanse of buildings that were established within the starry sky, and they stretched out in rows and filled the boundless starry sky!

Every single building was might and lofty. They were 30km tall, completely brilliant gold in color, and suffused with divine and boundless divine radiance.

When looked at from afar, it was like there were numerous buildings like this, and they seemed like a vast expanse of stars that were simply immeasurable. It was like a divine kingdom in the starry sky, and it seemed brilliant and eternal like history itself!

This was where the Dao Defiants resided, it was their base camp. It was just like the Primal Chaos Origin of the Divine Dao Protector Clans.

When Chen Xi arrived here, he'd never expected that he would actually witness such a dazzling and divine scene of a kingdom in space.

Thump!

Suddenly, Chen Xi's heart thumped heavily like a drum, and it created an invisible pulse.

In practically an instant, his gaze shot swiftly towards the deepest depths of the kingdom in space!

The energy his body yearned for and the fortuitous encounter to break through which he'd searched for all along the way until now was probably hidden there!

What exactly... is it? In next to no time, Chen Xi took a deep breath, and his eyes recovered their calm and indifference. He soundlessly tightened his grasp on the Dao Calamity Sword, and a blood red glow rippled out from its blade.

At this instant, he clearly sensed over 10 formidable and terrifying consciousnesses sweeping over towards him!