

## Talisman 571

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#### Chapter 571: Fickle

On the top of the lotus platform, a ray of light flashed by before Chen Xi's figure swiftly appeared there, and he shook his head slightly before he felt more awake and couldn't help but heave a sigh of relief.

The flower petal that seemed like jade yet wasn't jade in his hand allowed him to understand that everything he encountered earlier wasn't an illusion, and it was true.

Swish!

A pile of verdant green bamboo slips descended from the sky and scattered before Chen Xi. Shockingly, they were precisely the 49 Dao Art inheritances.

Chen Xi hurriedly looked towards the surroundings when he saw this, yet he actually noticed to his shock that the entire nine layers of the lotus platform were completely empty, and there wasn't a single person besides him.

What's going on?

Chen Xi pondered for a long time yet was unable to wrap his head around it. He carefully put away the numerous bamboo slips right away and placed them into the Buddha's Pagoda along with the golden flower petal that had the Allheaven Truth recorded upon it, and then he turned around and left.

Everything he encountered today could simply be described as miraculous. He ascended the top of the lotus platform and not only had he seen numerous 'book demons' that seemed to possess intelligence, he'd even had a long chat with Dao Lotus who was a trace of the Divine Intent of the Chaotic Divine Lotus. Up until now, he still had the feeling as if it was a dream.

But if he thought carefully about it, he'd ascended the lotus platform this time for the sake of obtaining a Dao Art, and now that he'd actually unexpectedly obtained so many Dao Arts, it already made him extremely satisfied.

In next to no time, Chen Xi had already walked down the lotus platform and walked along the small pathway on the mountain of books, and then he passed by the banks of the Sea of Dao Comprehension as he walked out of the Book Reserve Pavilion.

To his surprise, the entire Book Reserve Pavilion was actually silent and without a single person!

He still remembered clearly that when he entered that gorge from before, there was no less than a few thousands of disciples within the Book Reserve Pavilion. Merely less than two hours had passed yet there was actually no trace of a single person. Such a scene was truly too unusual.

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After he walked out of the Book Reserve Pavilion and saw the old man that lay on the rocking chair was still present, Chen Xi instantly heaved a sigh of relief. At the very least, this proved that everything he saw earlier wasn't an illusion.

As for where exactly those disciples had gone, he couldn't be bothered to be concerned about it.

Presently, his entire mind was filled with how to comprehend the Dao Art, how to charge into the Nether Transformation Realm, how to use the Dao of Talismans to control his other Dao Insights, and so on and so forth. He wished for nothing more than to go into closed door cultivation, so how could he have the mood to care about these little details.

"Chen Xi." Right when Chen Xi was about to leave, the old man that lay on the rocking chair spoke abruptly. "Your master has left."

Chen Xi's figure went stiff as a wisp of gloominess flashed past his eyes, and then he nodded. "Thank you, Senior, for notifying me. I understand."

"Cultivate properly, you're the first disciple to have ascended the top of the lotus platform in a few thousand years. Don't let down the Dao Art inheritance you obtained. If you encounter anything you don't understand during your cultivation, you can enter the Book Reserve Pavilion to search through the books at any time." The old man instructed with a warm voice.

"Thank you, Senior." Chen Xi cupped his hands.

"The news of you ascending the top of the lotus platform has already been locked down, and all the disciples that had entered the Book Reserve Pavilion today have already been ordered to keep silent about this matter. This was done to protect you." The old man said slowly, "But the truth can never be concealed. Seize the opportunity of this period of time to work hard and improve your own cultivation. If you want to become an expert, then you can only rely on yourself."

Only now did Chen Xi understand why the Book Reserve Pavilion was completely empty, so it turned out that those disciples had been gathered by the higher-ups of the sect and given an order of secrecy.

After he bid farewell to the old man, Chen Xi left the Matter Radiance Peak right away, and he flashed towards the West Radiance Peak.

However, right when he was on the way, a ray of light suddenly charged over right at him, and it hurriedly cried out upon seeing him. "Junior Brother Chen Xi, quickly return to the West Radiance Peak and take a look. That Du Xuan has brought over the disciples of the East Radiance Peak and threatened to forcefully occupy your West Radiance Peak."

This person wore a fiery red long dress with beautiful long hair that flowed down like a waterfall, her appearance was clear and gorgeous while her skin was jade white, and her figure was graceful and slender. It was precisely the female disciple of the South Radiance Peak, An Ke.

At this moment, her beautiful brows were knit together while a wisp of anger could be seen between her smooth brows, and she was like a furious little kitten that was anxious and enraged.

"What!? Du Xuan actually went against the agreement?" Chen Xi's slanted brows raised up. He remembered clearly that Madman Liu had fiercely reprimanded Du Xuan before leaving. Moreover, they'd come to the agreement that Du Xuan would only fight Chen Xi during the Peak Trials that would be held three months from now.

Never had he imagined that Madman Liu had just left not too long ago yet this fellow had already returned, and he'd even brought along a group of East Radiance Peak disciples and threatened to forcefully occupy the West Radiance Peak!

"Going back on his word, domineering, and unreasonable. These disciples of the East Radiance Peak are really arrogant!" A wisp of visible killing intent flashed within his eyes, and he was slightly anxious in his heart. He wasn't worried that the West Radiance Peak would be forcefully occupied, and he was instead worried about the safety of his Eldest Senior Brother and the others.

He knew clearly that these seniors of his were a group of good and kind hearted people that stood aloof from worldly success. They were infatuated with the path of the Dao that they were skilled in, and it was utterly impossible for them to be a match for Du Xuan and the others. If they were to be injured, then it would be an outcome that he would absolutely be unable to tolerate.

"You quickly go back and take a look, I'll go notify my Big Sister." An Ke swiftly instructed before turning around and transforming into a wisp of divine light that left here.

"You..." Chen Xi's mouth opened before closing it. He originally intended to say that it was a matter of the West Radiance Peak, and it ought to be resolved by him, so there was no need to trouble others with it.

However, An Ke had already left hastily before he could open his mouth and speak, and she utterly didn't give him the chance to refuse.

"Nevermind. The pressing matter at the moment is to return to the West Radiance Peak first." Chen Xi shook his head, and he executed the Starsky Wings with his entire strength right away, causing his entire body to transform into a wisp of a flowing light that vanished in the blink of an eye.

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West Radiance Peak.

Never had Huo Molei and the others imagined that only a few hours had passed yet Du Xuan had actually returned, and he even brought along a group of East Radiance Peak disciples to forcefully occupy all the abodes on West Radiance Peak!

"Haha! This abode isn't bad! It actually possesses 36 spirit springs, and a strand of flames from the core of the earth."

"Don't fight with me, this abode is mine!"

"My god! The disciples of the West Radiance Peak are simply wasting gods give gifts! There're so many herb and material gardens yet there's actually no one gathering them!"

"Once Senior Brother Du Xuan deals with Chen Xi, this West Radiance Peak is our territory in the future."

In the distance, a wave of clamorous noise rose and fell. Some were seizing abodes, some were willfully seizing spirit herbs, and some were even discussing how to distribute the entire West Radiance Peak.

At of this caused the expressions of Huo Molei and the others to be extremely unsightly, and they were angry to the point their chests rose and fell indeterminately while flames almost sprayed out from their eyes. But, they were unable to move in the slightest.

Because just moments ago, Du Xuan had suddenly arrived here and placed restraints on all seven of them, causing their entire bodies to be limp, and they were utterly unable to exert any strength.

“Du Xuan, you’ve gone against your promise, and you’re simply a downright despicable person. You’re utterly not worthy of the name of one of the five great Elite Disciples!” Hua Molei gritted his teeth as he cried out with anger.

“I didn’t come here for the sake of fighting Chen Xi. I only brought along some Senior Brothers and Junior Brothers to find a place to cultivate.” Du Xuan who stood opposite them shook his head while smiling lightly, and he spoke in a leisurely manner.

“You’re...going too far!”

“This West Radiance Peak isn’t the territory of your East Radiance Peak. On what basis have you come to our West Radiance Peak to cause trouble and search for a place to cultivate?”

“Aren’t all of you afraid of suffering punishment if the Sect Master finds out that all of you have acted in this way!?”

When they say Du Xuan avoiding all the major points and admitting the minor points with such despicable intentions, it angered Huo Molei, Lu Sheng, Yi Chenzi, Duan Yi, and the others to the point of bursting into rage, and they shouted out furiously in succession.

Du Xuan crossed his hands before him and laughed coldly without end when he heard this, and his gaze seemed as if he was looking at a group of idiots and revealed an expression of disdain and pity.

After a short moment and after Huo Molei had finished cursed him, he said slowly, “I forgot to tell all of you. The higher-ups of the sect won’t interfere with the matters between us disciples anymore in the future. In other words, no one will pay any attention to all of you even if you cry your lungs out!”

What?

The expressions of Huo Molei and the others instantly turned grim, and they didn’t dare believe this was true. However, they faintly felt that Du Xuan wasn’t lying when they saw Du Xuan’s fearless appearance.

At this moment, their hearts unconsciously fell to rock bottom. Their Master, Madman Liu, had left, and only the few of them remained in the entire West Radiance Peak, and now that the higher-ups of the sect had disregarded them, what would they do in the future?

In the distance, the disciples of the East Radiance Peak were emitting waves of complacent laughter while seizing the numerous abodes and the multitude of spirit farmlands and herb gardens, and it seemed as if they’d taken the West Radiance Peak to be their own backyard.

It was so ear piercing when their laughter entered into the ears of Huo Molei and the others, and besides causing them to be furious, they couldn’t help but feel a wave of disappointment. Why have the higher-ups of the sect made such a heartless decision?

“Senior Brother Du, that Sword Purification Pool is enshrouded with spirit energy, and it’s the best cultivation ground in the entire West Radiance Peak. We’ve especially left it for you as your place of residence in the future?” Right at this moment, an East Radiance Peak disciple ran over excitedly.

“Oh? I heard a long time ago that the Sword Purification Pool was the place Daoist Hua Kong of our sect comprehended the Dao, and it’s miraculous and extraordinary. Leaving it to be used by these pieces of trash is no different than wasting god’s given gifts.” Du Xuan smiled lightly as he spoke.

“Senior Brother Du is right. Such a precious place is something only someone of your state is worthy of possessing.” That disciple glanced at Huo Molei and the others with disdain, and when he turned around to look at Du Xuan, a wisp of a flattering expression already hung on his face as he said, “Senior Brother Du, wait a moment. I’ll help you clean up that Sword Purification Pool for you and establish a special small courtyard. I’ll welcome you respectfully to stay there once I’ve arranged everything.”

As he spoke, the disciple had turned around and left swiftly.

“This fellow is quite diligent.” Du Xuan shook his head, and he rather enjoyed this in his heart. As far as he was concerned, being able to make the other disciples to curry favor with him was a sign of strength by itself, right?

“That Sword Purification Pool is the cultivation ground we left for our Little Junior Brother, you can’t occupy it forcefully. Otherwise, I’m ready to risk everything and take you down with me!” The eyes of Huo Molei and the others almost split apart when they saw this, and they roared with rage.

“Chen Xi? He’ll be unable to protect this Sword Purification Pool even if he comes!” A wisp of cold killing intent suddenly flashed past Du Xuan’s eyes when he mentioned Chen Xi. He recalled his younger brother, Du Guan, who’d been beaten to the point of suffering serious injuries by Chen Xi, and he already wished for nothing more than to annihilate Chen Xi right now. If it wasn’t for this, he wouldn’t have turned around and returned as soon as Madman Liu left.

“Du Xuan, I’ll surely kill you if you dare touch even a single plant on my West Radiance Peak!” Right at this moment, a piercingly cold and murderous voice sounded out abruptly, and it rumbled as it resounded throughout the entire West Radiance Peak.

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#### **Chapter 572: Holding The World In His Palm**

Swoosh!

A wisp of flowing light tore through the sky, and due to its speed being too swift, it caused a wave of violent ripples to undulate in the sky from the friction while emitting an extremely piercing sonic boom.

After that, a tall figure appeared atop West Radiance Peak.

He’s finally here...

Du Xuan raised his head as his eyes that were narrow and long like blades were suffused with a wisp of extremely cold and fierce killing intent. He came to the West Radiance Peak this time because he was waiting precisely for Chen Xi!

At this moment, those East Radiance Peak disciples that were seizing the abodes had stopped what they were doing, and their gazes shot towards the tall figure in midair.

They knew that even though their Senior Brother Du Xuan said he'd brought them over for the sake of forcefully occupying the West Radiance Peak, his final objective was still to take revenge for his younger brother Du Guan.

So when they saw Chen Xi finally making an appearance, their eyes couldn't help but reveal a wisp of an excited and ridiculing expression. They seemed like hunters that were waiting under a tree for a hare to knock onto the tree by itself, and they'd finally awaited the moment their prey fell into their trap.

"Little Junior brother!" Huo Molei and the others were both anxious and worried when they saw Chen Xi. Du Xuan was one of the five great Elite Disciples, a ferocious figure that had once annihilated a cultivator at the Nether Transformation Realm, so how could they possibly not be worried about Chen Xi's safety.

"Fellow Seniors, I've caused all of you to suffer injustice." Chen Xi puckered his lips as he spoke word by word, and his tone emitted an extremely resolute killing intent that wasn't concealed in the slightest.

He was really furious to the limit because he noticed that Huo Molei and the others were all on the ground in sorry states, and their expressions were dejected and dispirited. Obviously, they'd suffered a great deal of humiliation earlier.

He noticed that the entire West Radiance Peak was in a mess. Numerous abodes were plundered while multiple spirit farmlands and herb gardens had been trampled upon. The atmosphere in the surroundings was foul and simply seemed as if it had been plundered and raided by a group of bandits, and the scene was painful to the point it was infuriating.

The person that had caused all this was Du Xuan!

At this moment, Chen Xi had already aroused killing intent in his heart. He was on the verge of exceeding the limits of his rage yet his expression became even more calm and indifferent, and people who were familiar with him knew that this was because he was already really angry.

"Haha, what high-sounding sentiments. You'll surely kill me if I even touch a single plant on your West Radiance Peak? Tsk tsk, this tone is really even more arrogant than anyone." Du Xuan laughed lightly as he glanced at Chen Xi with a gaze that revealed a trace of cold and fierce killing intent, yet most of it was disdain.

Chen Xi was the first new disciple that actually dared speak to him like this after just entering the sect, and it caused him to feel that it was slightly laughable.

"Du Xuan, do you dare come fight me!?" Chen Xi's gaze was icy cold as he shouted out loudly with a voice that was like a thunderclap that shook the surroundings.

He'd already discerned that Du Xuan had come this time for the sake of his younger brother, Du Guan, so since it was like this, he didn't have any intention to waste his breath on Du Xuan.

"Ha, this fellow is so impatient to die?"

"The earlier he dies the earlier he'll be reborn. This fellow has obviously already intended to fix the crack by smashing the jar."

"He looks like an idiot to me. If he obediently accepts his misfortune, then Senior Brother Du Xuan wouldn't make it difficult for him. After all, Senior Brother Du Xuan is someone that keeps his promises, and he would only teach him a lesson during the Peak Trials three months from now. Unfortunately, he just had to collide with Senior Brother Du Xuan now. Isn't he courting death?"

"Now, it's impossible for Senior Brother Du Xuan to not teach him a lesson."

All the East Radiance Peak disciples sneered endlessly when they heard Chen Xi talk nonsense in the air, and their expressions revealed indescribable disdain and ridicule.

"What? You're anxious to fight me now? If Martial Uncle Liu finds out, he'll probably blame me for bullying the weak." Du Xuan crossed his arms before his chest and laughed coldly.

"I asked you if you dare come fight me!" Chen Xi's expression turned even calmer as he stood in the air and spoke coldly.

"What a bad method of goading me into fighting you. If you had the confidence to defeat me, you'd probably have made a move since long ago. Making loud noises like this will only make others suspect that you're making an empty show of strength." Du Xuan remained unmoved, and he laughed endlessly.

"You're wrong. I chose to fight in midair because I can't tolerate anything on my West Radiance Peak being dirtied by scum like you," said Chen Xi calmly.

"At this moment, you actually still dare to mock me, you're truly courting death!" Du Xuan's eyes emanated cold lights as his figure flashed out like an eagle as he shot into the sky and appeared directly before Chen Xi. His brows raised as boundless baleful qi gushed out from his body, and it surged out like a tsunami.

Instantly, his entire body seemed to have transformed into a mountain that was towering, lofty, and reached the heavens. He caused others to feel like ants before him, and it was a shocking sight.

Chen Xi's heart shook as he sensed the change in the vital energy within Du Xuan's body yet he wasn't afraid in the slightest. Since he'd advanced into the perfection-stage of the Rebirth Realm, he'd very rarely fought another of the same generation. As for Du Guan, Dong Qi, and the other disciples like them, they were utterly incapable of making him exert his entire strength.

On the other hand, even though Du Xuan was only at the perfection-stage of the Rebirth Realm yet he obviously was someone that people like Du Guan could compare to. Not to mention he was capable of ranking amongst the five great Elite Disciples of the sect, so his own strength would surely be extremely shocking and couldn't be underestimated.

Moreover, Madman Liu had once said that Du Xuan had comprehended a Dao Art called the Profound Qi Instakill Technique. A single sword strike of his was like an instant strike that moved at a speed that surpassed the speed of sound by over ten times, causing it to be impossible to defend against. It was precisely by relying on this Dao Art that he'd annihilated a Nether Transformation Realm cultivator while experiencing tempering outside the sect.

So Chen Xi didn't dare be careless when facing Du Xuan.

At this moment, numerous disciples had suddenly appeared in the surroundings of the West Radiance Peak, causing the shadows of figures to be everywhere, and all of them were disciples from the East Radiance Peak, South Radiance Peak, and North Radiance Peak.

Shockingly, the East Radiance Peak's Leng Qiu and Pang Zhou; and the South Radiance Peak's Xia Yi were standing proudly amongst these figures, and they were surrounded around by the other disciples like a host of stars surrounding a bright moon, causing them to be extremely conspicuous.

Obviously, they'd come after hearing the news, and they intended to watch the battle between Chen Xi and Du Xuan.

Even though Chen Xi had just entered the Nine Radiance Sword Sect for a mere day, his reputation had already been spread to the point of being known to all, and even the Elite Disciples of the other peaks knew of this figure called Chen Xi yet only few of them had really seen him in person.

"That's Chen Xi? Supposedly he has just entered the sect yet actually dared to pick a fight with one of the five great Elite Disciples like Senior Brother Du Xuan. The young really should be feared."

"What do you know? Supposedly, this kid came from the Primeval Battlefield and was ranked the first on the Martial Emperor's Warsoul Tablet. His strength and natural talent are both matchlessly formidable. So his ability isn't something an ordinary Elite Disciple can compare to."

"The Primeval Battlefield? That's the place the gods went on an expedition. Since Chen Xi was capable of becoming eminent there, he really can't be underestimated."

"But unfortunately, Senior Brother Du Xuan is a genius from the Nethercrow Clan and one of the five great Elite Disciples of our Nine Radiance Sword Sect. Chen Xi has probably bitten off more than he can chew today."

"Oh, actually, Junior Brother Chen Xi is rather handsome. It would truly be sad if he loses..." "Ptooeey! You're delusional!"

A wave of whispered discussion sounded out ceaselessly in the surroundings of the West Radiance Peak, and all the disciples of the other peaks shot their gazes towards Chen Xi and Du Xuan while discussing animatedly.

Amongst them was no lack of beautiful female disciples from the North Radiance Peak that frequently revealed some clear, resounding, and playful laughter as they whispered in discussion, and it caused the atmosphere to become even hotter.

But Chen Xi turned a deaf ear to all of this. His mind was calm like snow, like the moon that was reflected within a well. All his thoughts were concentrated onto Du Xuan, and there was only a single thought in his heart, and it was to completely crush this person!

"Junior Brother Chen Xi, since you want to fight me, then I can only accept. You better now say that Senior Brother doesn't keep his word." Du Xuan stretched his body as he swept everyone with his gaze, and he laughed lightly.

So many people coming to watch the battle fitted exactly with his wishes. So long as he defeated Chen Xi and fiercely humiliated and trampled on Chen Xi, then it wouldn't take a single day for the entire Nine Radiance Sword Sect to know that the end of anyone who dared offend him, Du Xuan, would be just like Chen Xi!

"Does a person like you have any reputation to talk about?" Chen Xi spoke calmly and remained unmoved.

"Haha, strength is everything in this world. Junior Brother Chen Xi, merely relying on your mouth for some things just won't do!" Du Xuan roared with laughter as a cold light surged within his eyes, and then he stored forward before raising his hand and smashing out with his palm.

This palm seemed as if a dragon resided within it, it seemed to come from all directions with both straight and curved trajectories, and it seemed to be fast yet slow. It was an extremely normal palm strike yet contained boundless variations and rumbling Dao Insight, and it seemed capable of countering any martial technique in the world. No matter how his opponent dealt with it, it would be able to firmly counter his opponent a step earlier.

This palm could be said to envelop the surroundings and lock down the world.

The palm hadn't even approached him when the terrifying force contained within it had already shaken the surrounding space to the point of collapsing inch by inch while the layer of clouds dispersed, and they transformed into an expanse of chaotic flow and endless sharp droning.

"World Grasp!" The eyes of the spectating disciples squinted. This move, World Grasp, could be said to be a secret technique of annihilation that belong solely to Du Xuan, and it caused others to tremble with fearing upon hearing its name. When executed to the limit, it was capable of controlling the heavens and the earth to annihilate everything.

No one had expected that as soon as Du Xuan attacked, he would actually utilize a killing move. Obviously, he intended to completely beat Chen Xi down in a short period of time.

"Earthly Obliteration!" However, when facing this palm that seemed to be everywhere, Chen Xi didn't dodge or try to avoid it, and his figure flashed out like a dragon emerging into the world and swimming in the sky. At the same time, his right fist smashed out fiercely like a sledgehammer that descended from the heavens.

Bang! Winds whistled from his fist that was suffused with a pitch black and horrifying sheen. It was like a ferocious beast from hell had appeared in the world, and everywhere it passed, the air, light, space, airflow...everything was completely obliterated and transformed into nothingness.

"What sort of fist technique is this?" Such a phenomenon was truly shocking. It felt as if Chen Xi's right fist was the entrance that led to death, and it could obliterate everything!

"The Grand Dao of Obliteration! This is a rare Grand Dao profundity! According to rumor, everything transforms into nothingness and is eternally destroyed before obliteration!"

"Exactly, it's precisely this Dao Insight. I never imagined that Chen Xi was actually capable of comprehending such a supreme Dao Insight. No wonder he dares to pick a fight with Senior Brother Du

Xuan."Many people communicated via voice transmission and were surprised and bewildered when they saw the terrifying destruction force created by this fist strike.

Rumble!

Under Chen Xi's Grand Obliteration Fist, Du Xuan's palm was instantly struck to the point of dispersal, and the True Essence and Dao Insight on it was completely obliterated.

The terrifying and violent energy of obliteration gushed over, causing Du Xuan who had an imposing manner like a mountain that dominated the world to squint, and his footsteps were rapid as he retreated explosively without end. At the same time, he stretched out his hand to make a grabbing and tearing motion before dispersing the energy of obliteration from Chen Xi's fist strike.

But at this moment, he was already forced out 3km away. Even though he was safe and sound, it still caused his expression to become very gloomy because he never imagined that a new disciple who had just entered the sect wasn't just able to resist his annihilation technique, the new disciple had even forced him to retreat!

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#### **Chapter 573: Infinite Obliteration**

"Since we're going to fight, then let's fight to our heart's content!" After achieving success with a strike, Chen Xi pursued him without holding back in the slightest. He executed the Starsky Wings and transformed into a wisp of flowing light that moved through the sky, and his fists were like landslides and tsunamis as the Grand Obliteration Fist was executed by him with all his strength.

Since he grasped the Grand Dao of Obliteration, the might of the Grand Obliteration Fist had undergone a qualitative transformation that caused its might to surge up. Every single move of it was filled with an oppressive imposing aura of obliterating everything in the world.

At this moment, when it was executed by him with his entire strength, it was instantly as if doomsday had arrived. The entire sky was covered in a chaotic scene of obliteration and collapse, and the various airflows, light, dust that drifted in the heavens and the earth were completely crushed and obliterated by its peerless might.

"Hmph! So you have some ability. But you dare mouth off with such little tricks!?" Du Xuan laughed coldly when facing Chen Xi's attack, and his figure shot out explosively like a surging black mist, a devil god that charged directly at Chen Xi.

His expression was cold and fierce, and it revealed a ruthless and bloodthirsty aura. Every single move of his palm caused winds that surged like a tide to explode out, and he actually revealed a vast imposing aura that conformed with the heavens and the earth.

It seemed as if the entire heavens and the earth had transformed into his own, whereas he, Du Xuan, was the one and only ruler.

"Fight!" A loud shout resounded out as the two of them instantly entered into a fierce battle. True Essence rumbled and collided like the eruption of a volcano, causing the sky to wail as the airflow within it surged explosively, and it transformed the sky into a chaotic, violent, and horrifying battlefield.

Fortunately, they were in the sky, so their battle didn't bring disaster to the West Radiance Peak.

But it was completely different for the battlefield. Violent winds raged while emitting ear piercing whistling sounds, and the collision between their fist and palm caused everything in an area of 5,000km in their surroundings to become chaotic. Winds and clouds surged everywhere while blazing rays of light and chaotic flows of air dispersed.

Rumble!

Numerous azure colored lotus shaped sword qi surged out explosively and emanated a blazing glow, and there was an extremely profound aura of metal flowing faintly within it. It seemed capable of splitting the world apart and annihilating the sun and moon, and it was peerlessly fierce to the extreme.

"Myriadlotus Azuresky Sword Qi!" Everyone was shocked in their hearts. This was a formidable martial technique of the Nine Radiance Sword Sect, and its history was ancient to the point it could even be traced back to the primordial era of a million years ago. It was created by a great figure, and with a single intent, a myriad of lotuses would emerge from the azure sky. The myriad of lotuses contained a myriad of sword qi that were utilized to annihilate the enemy, and it was simply like a heaven encompassing net that caused it to be impossible to dodge.

Moreover, when this sword technique was cultivated to the extreme, its lethality wasn't any different from an ordinary Dao Art!

Om! Om! Om!

It was like the sound of countless bees fluttering their wings, and it resounded in the entire heavens and the earth. The azure lotus flowers that suffused the sky revolved endlessly and were like numerous peerless sword cultivators as they successively emitted matchlessly sharp sword qi that interweaved together like a sword rain that covered the heavens and the earth, and it poured down. Just looking at it from afar caused one's scalp to go numb and feel a powerless feeling of having nowhere to escape.

"Chaotic Obliteration!" Chen Xi's eyes squinted as well when facing this scene, and then he shouted out explosively. The True Essence in his entire body surged like a myriad of streams that returned to the sea, and they condensed onto his right fist before emitting a horrifying energy that caused others to almost spit blood.

When looked at from afar, it seemed like two worlds had been developed on Chen Xi's fist. One world's sky was at the bottom while the ground was at the top, and it seemed as if it had been overturned. The other world's sky and ground was extremely normal, yet all the beings within it were overturned, and their heads were towards the ground while their legs faced the sky.

Moreover, there were countless strands of chaotic energy of obliteration surging within it, and it displayed everything in an overturned form. Merely looking at this fist strike caused most people present to feel uncomfortable to the point of having the impulse to spit blood while the vital energy and blood in their bodies faintly showed signs of chaos, flowing backwards, and going berserk.

Bang!

The fist that carried two completely overturned worlds and filled with the energy of obliteration finally exploded out. Instantly, a 3km long rift was torn open in the sky. In the surroundings of the rift, vitality

withered as everything transformed into nothingness, and it fell into a state of chaos where order was completely destroyed.

The Myriadlotus Azuresky Sword Qi was completely crushed and obliterated, and if he didn't dodge in time, Du Xuan would have almost been swept into the chaotic flow of this fist strike as well.

"Not bad, not bad indeed. But Junior Brother Chen Xi, you have to watch out next. Senior Brother won't hold back anymore." Du Xuan's narrow and long eyes were cold like a blade as the aura emanated from his body rose explosively, and a black mist surged around him before transforming into numerous hideous red eyed Nethercrows that 'squawked' in the air.

Obviously, having two moves destroyed successively by Chen Xi has already caused him to arouse killing intent in his heart. The strength Chen Xi revealed caused him to start attaching importance to this opponent of his. He has just entered the sect for just a single day yet is already so terrifying. To what extent would he grow to in the future?

This time, even if he was unable to kill Chen Xi, he wanted to fiercely suppress Chen Xi and bury the seed of terror in Chen Xi's heart so that it would be impossible for Chen Xi to grow in the future!

"Senior Brother Du Xuan, there's no need for words. Make your move!" Chen Xi saw dense killing intent from Du Xuan's eyes. But wasn't killing intent boiling in his heart as well?

"Hahaha!! Good! Very good!" Du Xuan roared with laughter yet his eyes didn't have the slightest smiling expression, and it was instead filled with extreme icy coldness and killing intent. After that, he took a deep breath before a formidable fluctuation slowly stretched out from within his body.

Moreover, when this fluctuation gushed out into appearance, the space around Du Xuan's body actually emitted the sound of being blasted apart inch by inch, and it seemed as if space was sliced open layer after layer by an extremely sharp blade, causing an expanse of chaotic space to appear.

In an instant, Du Xuan's aura had risen explosively once more. An enormous Nethercrow with black feathers, red eyes, and silver claws had appeared above him, and it unfolded its wings with the intention of flying. Moreover, it possessed a monstrous imposing aura that seemed capable of tearing apart the sky and looking down on the world!

This is...

At this moment, the gazes of many disciples focused. Du Xuan is actually about to utilize his Innate Dao Art! This is a unique strength possessed solely by the Nethercrow Clan!

Crack!

Numerous fine cracks swiftly stretched out beneath Du Xuan's legs, and the space beneath his legs was crushed apart inch by inch at a shocking speed as if it had been corroded by a gale of frost.

Innate Dao Arts were the most special power of the myriad of clans from the primordial times. Every single clan possessed one, and they possessed it innately. As a genius of the Nethercrow Clan, Du Xuan naturally possesses this power.

This Innate Dao Art of his Nethercrow Clan's was the Myriad Crow Soul Devourer!

Supposedly, when this Dao Art was cultivated until the limit, it was capable of summoning a true Evil Nethercrow God that shook the heavens and the earth, awed the hearts and souls of all, and was extremely formidable.

Chen Xi had once seen Du Xuan's younger brother, Du Guan, execute this Dao Art. But, different to when Du Guan executed it, when it was executed by Du Xuan, no matter if it was imposing aura or might, it was obviously more than 10 times more formidable than when Du Guan executed it.

The Nethercrow was lifelike and extremely enormous. Its eyes were like blood as it looked down upon the heavens and the earth, and it was practically like a true evil god that had descended into the world and possessed peerless might.

Squawk! Squawk!

A wave of extremely sharp, ear piercing, and unpleasant sound that seemed material was swiftly emitted from the mouth of the Nethercrow, and the soundwave that was visible to the eye transformed into numerous arrows that blazed with pitch black flames. They shot out explosively like numerous black rays of light that shook the heavens and the earth as they tore through the sky and approached Chen Xi.

"Shit! Flee quickly!"

"This madman Du Xuan actually disregarded everyone else that's nearby!"

After everyone in the surroundings of West Radiance Peak witnessed this scene, practically all the disciples revealed shocked expressions as they retreated back in unison, as they were deeply afraid of being affected by those black colored arrows that the soundwave formed.

They knew that not only was that soundwave capable of heavily injuring the body, the most formidable part of it was its capability to absorb the soul, and the slightest carelessness might cause them to meet the end of having their souls annihilated!

Only Leng Qiu, Pang Zhou, Xia Yi, and a few others stood without moving.

Om!

When facing this scene, Chen Xi's expression became extremely serious as he took a deep breath, and then he soared up. His clothes and long hair fluttered as his right hand seemed to be holding tightly onto a scorching sun that emitted an extremely blazing and resplendent white light.

At that instant, the entire heavens and the earth was filled by the dazzling and resplendent white light, causing everyone present here to feel as if their eyes were sliced into pieces, and tears flowed from their eyes.

"Infinite Obliteration!" Chen Xi's indifferent voice resounded out in the sky, and then an aura of obliteration that was caused even the heavens and the earth to tremble swiftly exploded out from his fist. It was like a chaotic torrent had gushed out from the depths of the universe, and it intended to obliterate the entire world!

This was the might of the third move of the Grand Obliteration First, and it was also the first time Chen Xi really executed this move!

In the past, because he hadn't comprehended the Obliteration Dao Insight, he was unable to comprehend this move for a long time, and he only grasped the technique, yet was unable to bring forth its essence.

But it was different now. When he was in Primeval City, his cultivation had risen steadily because he'd absorbed a huge amount of divinity, and his cultivation had risen explosively from the initial-stage of the Rebirth Realm to attain the perfection-stage of the Rebirth Realm in a single day.

Moreover, the tiny cauldron had personally passed down the complete Obliteration Dao Insight to him. All of this had allowed him to possess the conditions to execute 'Infinite Obliteration.'

Rumble!

Boundless lights of obliteration erupted to envelop the entire world, and everyone present was in a state of temporary blindness and were unable to see anything that was occurring in the battlefield.

They could only head an explosion that shook the heavens rumbling and sweeping through the world, and then a violent and raging airflow surged out in all direction and pressed down upon them to the point their bodies had no choice but to repeatedly retreat backwards.

Some with slightly weaker strengths were even directly shaken by this airflow to the point of spitting blood and being blasted flying while emitting shrill cries, and the scene was extremely shocking.

"The might of this move is simply no different than a Dao Art." Leng Qiu muttered. His face was icy cold as always, and it caused others to be unable to see through exactly what he was thinking in his heart.

"Who could have imagined that a new disciple who'd just entered the sect would actually possess such a shocking martial technique?" Pang Zhou was extremely shocked in his heart as well, and this move caused him to not dare underestimate Chen Xi any longer.

"Looks like Big Sister doesn't have to lend a hand anymore." In the extreme distance, An Ke who wore a fiery red dress, had a beautiful and pure appearance, and possessed a tall and hot body spoke with a clear and melodious voice.

"Continue watching quietly. It ought to not end here." A young woman with a gorgeous and classical appearance, a bearing that was ethereal like a deep gorge that had just experienced rain, and possessed an extremely graceful and seductive body stood by An Ke's side, and she spoke after pondering for a moment. Shockingly, she was An Wei.

"Oh?" An Ke's beautiful brows knit together, and she was slightly puzzled. But, she believed her Big Sister's judgement, and she didn't think any further before shooting her gaze towards the distance once more.

After some time, the sounds of explosion gradually sunk down, and the violent airflow returned to calm.

When everyone saw the scene before them clearly, they couldn't help but be flabbergasted.

They saw Chen Xi standing upright in the distance, his back was straight like a sword, and he was completely unharmed. But his countenance was slightly pale while his aura was slightly exhausted. Obviously, executing that move from before was a great consumption to him.

Opposite Chen Xi stood a young man that was in tattered clothes, had disheveled hair, a dirty face, and was completely burned black. His appearance seemed to be rather miserable, and it caused others to be unable to refrain from wanting to laugh.

But at this moment, no one dared to laugh. On the contrary, all their hearts jerked fiercely when they saw the person's appearance clearly. Because, surprisingly, that person was Du Xuan!

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#### **Chapter 574: Sword Qi Threads**

Less than 10 minutes had passed since Chen Xi and Du Xuan started their battle, yet the collisions between the two of them was so intense that it could be described as shocking and horrifying.

Especially at this moment when they saw Du Xuan being blasted to the point of seeming like a beggar with tattered clothes and disheveled hair from Chen Xi's strike, tempestuous waves couldn't help but gush out from the hearts of everyone.

After all, Du Xuan was one of the five great Elite Disciples and possessed a brilliant reputation and combat achievements amongst the thousands of Elite Disciples in the Nine Radiance Sword Sect, and he'd even annihilated a Nether Transformation Realm cultivator, causing him to be famous in the world.

Even if it was in the entire Dark Reverie, Du Xuan could be considered to be a famous figure amongst the younger generation. However, now he'd fallen into such a state because of a new disciple that had joined the sect for a mere day. How could it not shock everyone?

Especially those East Radiance Peak disciples that had willfully plundered the West Radiance Peak and threatened to forcefully occupy it just moments ago, all of their expressions went grim when they saw this scene, and their hearts couldn't help but constrict.

If Senior Brother Du Xuan loses, then how could any one of us be a match for Chen Xi?

On the other hand, Huo Molei and the others heaved long sighs of relief instead while smiles crept onto their faces. Never had they imagined that their Little Junior Brother would actually be so powerful and ferocious to the point that even a figure like Du Xuan wasn't capable of obtaining an advantageous position against him, and based on the current circumstances, Du Xuan seemed to have suffered quite a loss.

"I admit that I've really underestimated you earlier. But now, I'll make you completely understand exactly how great the distance is between us!" At this moment, the expression on Du Xuan's face had been completely replaced with a serious and gloomy expression, and he'd started to really take Chen Xi as an opponent of the same level.

"Senior Brother Du Xuan, cut the crap and bring it on!" Chen Xi took a deep breath and straightened his back while ancient, mysterious, and powerful Shaman Energy gushed out from his body, causing his long hair to flutter as his imposing aura rose steadily!

His countenance that was originally pale from the enormous consumption of his True Essence was instantly replaced with burning and firm battle intent, and he seemed like an ancient Fiendgod that possessed an imposing manner than shot into the sky like a rainbow.

“Shaman Energy!” In the distance, after one of the five great Elite Disciples from the South Radiance Peak, Xia Yi, witnessed this scene, his craggy face that seemed to have been chiseled out finally revealed a trace of a moved expression. He seemed to have never imagined that this new disciple that had just entered the sect would actually possess both a body refinement and qi refinement cultivation.

It wasn’t just Xia Yi, the eyes of Leng Qiu and Pang Zhou squinted as well, and they took Chen Xi even more seriously.

Only An Wei seemed to have seen through everything about Chen Xi a long time ago, and her classical and beautiful face remained unchanged. But a wisp of curiosity flashed within her clear eyes.

She really wanted to know if Chen Xi’s body refinement cultivation or qi refinement cultivation was stronger.

“The School of Fiendgod Body Refinement? Haha, I never imagined that you still had such a trump card. No wonder you seem fearless. But all of this is useless because you’ve encountered me, and you’re bound to lose!” A wisp of surprise flashed past Du Xuan’s eyes, and then his expression turned serious as he took a stride forward while his hands slowly formed into numerous profound and strange seals. The seals he formed were like sharp swords that possessed indeterminate and complicated forms, and they emitted strands of dazzling dark golden light that seemed like numerous stars were slowly rising in his hands.

Swish!

At the same time that he formed these seals, the space in his surroundings suddenly started surging violently as the world was cast into a shadow, and it seemed as if the entire sky had poured all its strength into his palms, causing it to be extremely shocking.

It was even to the extent that the surrounding people noticed acutely that the spirit energy in the surroundings seemed like sharks that had smelled blood, and they gushed madly towards Du Xuan’s palms.

It could be said to contain the might of the world and transform everything in the world to be of use to him!

This was the might of a Dao Art, and it was extremely miraculous. The various changes in the Dao Insight energies within it had stop following a fixed pattern since long ago, and every single move one made revealed a unique and terrifying imposing aura.

“Dao Art — Profound Qi Instakill Technique!” The disciples that were spectating from afar suddenly revealed shocked expressions when they saw this shocking scene, and they’d obviously recognized this Dao Art that had won great reputation for Du Xuan.

Leng Qiu and the others frowned instead as they revealed serious expressions. The might of this Dao Art Du Xuan had comprehended and grasped was absolutely not simple, and even if it was them who were similarly part of the five great Elite Disciples, they would probably be unable to take this move if they didn’t resist it with their entire strengths.

“Big Sister, will Junior Brother Chen Xi...be able to resist it? I promised Martial Uncle Liu that I would take good care of him...” An Ke’s beautiful brows knit slightly, and she spoke with slight worry.

“He asked you to take care of him?” An Wei smiled without end, and then she pondered briefly and said, “We’ll see what happens first. If he really loses...it wouldn’t be late for me to make a move then.”

“Big Sister is the best.” An Ke smiled sweetly when she heard An Wei’s reply, and her beautiful and pure face was covered in a relaxed expression. Because what trouble couldn’t be resolved with her Big Sister standing by her side?

She tilted her small head and even started pondering about how she should ask for some benefits from Chen Xi after her Big Sister saved him...

“Little Junior Brother hasn’t comprehended a Dao Art. His situation is slightly bad.” At the same time, the hearts of Huo Molei and the others couldn’t help but rise to their throats, and they were extremely anxious and worried.

At this moment, they even started to detest themselves as they hated their inability that caused them to always be rescued by their Little Junior Brother, whereas they weren’t able to help in the slightest...

This won’t do!

I must change!

I absolutely can’t allow Little Junior Brother to bear everything by himself!

The various things they encountered today was like wave after wave of tempestuous storms that struck an enormous blow to the hearts of Huo Molei and the others, causing the feelings in their hearts to rise and fall.

Moreover, at this moment, when they witnessed how difficult Chen Xi’s situation was, it caused them to be unable to help but start looking through their lives, and they felt that they had to change themselves from today onward!

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“He’s finally executing this Dao Art?” Chen Xi’s eyes narrowed slightly as a wisp of a serious expression gushed out onto his face. Du Xuan had relied precisely on this Dao Art to surmount a realm and annihilate a Nether Transformation Realm cultivator.

Moreover, according to what Madman Liu said, this Dao Art’s was most formidable for its ability to kill instantly with a sword qi that possessed a speed that surpassed the speed of sound by over 10 times, and it was simply impossible to defend against.

Bang!

Instantly, his Shaman Energy rumbled as Chen Xi transformed into an almost 300m tall giant with three heads and six arms, and the Eye of Divine Truth opened up between his brows. At the same time, numerous dazzling and resplendent thunderstorm vortexes coiled around his body while crackling and shaking the sky.

When looked at from afar, Chen Xi was simply no different to a Fiendgod from the ancient times. His height could compare to a mountain while possessing three heads and six arms, and thunderstorms surged around him, causing him to have a great imposing aura that was majestic and powerful.

Hiss!

However, right when Chen Xi had just finished doing all this, he felt his heart tremble abruptly as the scalp at the back of his head went numb, causing him to dodge at extreme speed. A strand of sharp sword light that was tinier than a hair flashed past close to his face, and it slashed down a bunch of his hair. Moreover, the terrifying sword qi actually caused a bloody mark that dripped with blood to appear on his face.

“Sword Qi Threads!” Chen Xi spoke with a light voice. ‘Sword Qi Threads’ was a level higher than the ‘Enlightened Sword Heart,’ and it was known to be capable of destroying all techniques with a single strike. No matter what technique or treasure one possessed, a single strike would slash it apart, so it was naturally impossible to resist!

Simply speaking, ‘Sword Qi Threads’ was the condensation of sword qi into threads that were 100 times sharper, tougher, and more indestructible than sword qi. Any technique or treasure would be slashed apart by these sword qi threads, and it was terrifying to the extreme.

Obviously, Du Xuan had relied on the Dao Art Profound Qi Instakill Technique to comprehend the level of ‘Sword Qi Threads,’ and when struck out with a speed that was 10 times swifter than the speed of sound, the threads that were 100 times sharper than sword qi possessed a might that was absolutely terrifying to the extreme.

For example, if Chen Xi was just slightly slower earlier, his head would have been sliced apart earlier, and at that time, even if he was a body refiner, he would die without a doubt.

Hiss! Hiss! Hiss!

A wave of strange sounds of the air being torn apart resounded out, and it surpassed the speed of sound. Because of this, it didn’t seem to be sharp and was instead extremely tiny like the sound of a mosquito, and it conformed to the profundity of the greatest sounds being soundless.

Amongst these sounds was strands of sword qi that had transformed into threads before instantly arriving before Chen Xi from all directions, and due to their speed being too swift, they seemed extremely terrifying and as if they’d suddenly gushed out from the surrounding space.

Instant kill, it was the annihilation of one’s enemy in an instant.

This Dao Art, Profound Qi Instakill Technique carried the might of the heavens and the earth, and it circulated the strength of everything in the world. Moreover, after it was executed by Du Xuan, it was really like an enormous net that spread throughout the heavens and the earth without leaving a single spot out, and it was shocking, difficult to deal with, and revealed resolute killing intent. If it was an ordinary Rebirth Realm cultivator, the cultivator would have probably been annihilated long ago.

But Chen Xi was prepared this time. He executed the Starsky Wings with his entire strength, causing him to seem like a flowing light that leaped between space and the void, and his figure flickered repeatedly without end.

His figure was 300m in height and comparable to a mountain. At this moment, when he suddenly made such agile and swift movements, he seemed as if he was teleporting indeterminately, causing all the surrounding spectators to be dumbstruck by the sight of it. They simply didn’t dare believe that such a

terrifying movement technique that could surpass the speed of sword lights actually existed in this world.

Before this, Chen Xi had once guessed that if he executed the Starsky Wings with his entire strength, he would be entirely capable of comparing with a speed that was 10 times the speed of sound, and it wasn't the slightest bit different to teleportation.

On the other hand, even though the Profound Qi Instakill Technique was swift, yet it was only capable of being slightly swifter than the speed of 10 times the speed of sound when utilized by Du Xuan. In this way, so long as he was careful, he would be entirely capable of dodging in time.

Hiss! Hiss! However, what caused Chen Xi's heart to sink was that he'd underestimated the formidableness of the Profound Qi Instakill Technique. The sounds of sword qi tearing through the sky that was tiny like the sound of mosquitos were like the sound of death from hell, and it practically enveloped all the space Chen Xi could dodge to. Not only were their trajectories strange and ruthless, their density was like a torrential rain that left no space unaffected, causing it to be extremely strenuous for him to dodge them.

In just the time of a single breath, no less than 100 plus bloody injuries had been inflicted on his body, and all of them were torn open by those sword qi threads.

Fortunately, he'd dodged quickly, otherwise just this breath of time would have been sufficient to annihilate him over 100 times.

Moreover, the injuries on his body were only injuries to his skin, and his injuries healed automatically with a flash of white light. This was attributed to the formidableness of his body refinement cultivation, but if this were to continue, his Shaman Energy would dry up sooner or later, and he would be exhausted to death!

This won't do! The surrounding space has already been locked down by the Instakill Sword Qi. If I'm unable to break through this deadlock, then I'll probably become like a turtle in a jar and been trapped to death. Chen Xi did his best to dodge the Instakill Sword Qi that was present everywhere while swiftly contemplating in his heart, and he was like a bug that had fallen into a spider's web and was thinking of a way to escape.

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#### **Chapter 575: Seeing Through Reality**

In the sky above West Radiance Peak.

Du Xuan's entire body emitted a sharp aura of metal, and he was brilliant like a golden full moon. Profound and dense seals were ceaselessly formed in his hands while strand after strand of Instakill Sword Qi shot out explosively like torrents of flowing water.

Every single sword qi was fine like a hair and was interwoven together to form an enormous net that struck out with a speed that was 10 times the speed of sound and possessed a peerlessly sharp imposing aura, and it penetrated numerous rifts through the sky.

Chen Xi was like a bug that was stuck within an enormous net. No matter how he soared and move about, he seemed to be so powerless and helpless, and the horrifying blood and injuries on his body grew more and more numerous.

This was the Profound Qi Instakill Technique. The ferocity of its attacks created from circulating and transforming the energy of the heavens and the earth for one's own use was absolutely something a Dao Grade martial technique could compare to.

The surrounding spectators were shocked in their hearts when they saw this scene, and they speculated that if they were in Chen Xi's place, they'd probably have been annihilated by the ghastly sword qi that covered the entire heavens and the earth a long time ago.

"This Profound Qi Instakill Technique of Junior Brother Du Xuan's has been cultivated to an even more proficient level. It's filled with killing intent and peerless sharpness, and if it's advanced a step further, it would probably be able to tear space apart and slash apart all techniques." Leng Qiu spoke with a light voice, and his voice carried a trace of admiration.

"Haha, yeah. Unfortunately, even if Junior Brother Du Xuan wins, he would have won slightly unfairly. After all, Chen Xi has just joined the sect and hasn't cultivated a Dao Art, and his ability to persist until now is truly rare amongst those of the same generation." Pang Zhou spoke with a smile.

After the battle had been carried out until now, both of them had firmly affirmed that Chen Xi would lose for sure, and it was only a matter of time. But there was someone that had a different opinion from them.

"Junior Brother Chen Xi has just never come into contact with Dao Arts, so he was naturally taken off guard. But the outcome will be hard to say once he reacts to it." This voice was deep and resounding, and it emitted a cold and fierce feeling of battle. It was actually the South Radiance Peak's Xia Yi!

When they saw this young man that was usually silent like rock suddenly speaking, Leng Qiu and Pang Zhou were both stunned slightly. Because according to their knowledge, this fellow was extremely quiet and scant with words, and he rarely spoke a single word in a day.

Now, he'd actually made a rare move to support Chen Xi, and this especially drew the attention of the two of them.

They didn't speak anymore, and then they raised their eyes to look towards the battlefield. When they looked carefully, it was indeed as Xia Yi had said. Chen Xi seemed to have already fallen into an encirclement, was unable to struggle free, and was in an extremely sorry state. However, Chen Xi's expression and gaze didn't have a trace of panic, and it was calm like icy snow.

In other words, he was like a lone wolf that had fallen deep into a hopeless situation. Even if his entire body was bathed in blood while his injuries increased bit by bit, it was still incapable of collapsing his desire to survive and his fighting spirit to win!

This discovery caused both Leng Qiu and Pang Zhou to be shocked in their hearts. On one hand, they were astounded by how discerning Xia Yi's gaze was, and on the other hand, they were shocked by Chen Xi's tenacity and determination.

This caused both of them to be unable to help but examine this new disciple that had just entered the sect once more. He possesses such shocking natural talent, strength, and tenacity. If he's given sufficient time, then to what extent would he grow to?

"Big Sister, aren't you going to make a move?" An Ke was slightly anxious. Chen Xi was bathed in blood while his situation was extremely unfavorable, and it caused her to be slightly unable to bear to watch this continue.

"Wait a while longer. Perhaps there'll be a change." An Wei's clear eyes glistened as she stared at the battlefield, and she pondered for a long time before a sentence was spoken from her peerlessly beautiful red lips.

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Hiss! Hiss!

Instakill Sword Qi covered the heavens and the earth as it poured down like mercury, and it encompassed the entire surroundings. Moreover, its might grew stronger and stronger while the frequency of attacks grew closer and closer together. It was like an enormous net that was slowly being drawn in, and it had started to drag its prey in.

Du Xuan was extremely complacent in his heart as he looked at Chen Xi who was in an extremely sorry state under his Dao Art. His Profound Qi Instakill Technique relied on the energy of the heavens and the earth, and the longer it persisted, the greater its might would be, whereas the amount of True Essence it consumed wouldn't change much.

In other words, the longer this battle was delayed, the more advantageous it would be for him.

Sure enough, Chen Xi state deteriorated, and even more injuries that flowed with blood had appeared on his body.

Even though these injuries vanished with a flash, they still caused Du Xuan to be unable to help but sneer complacently. "Chen Xi! Go ahead and struggle! Enjoy this pain of being sliced by a myriad of swords! Haha! Oh! You've been injured once more, truly pitiable!" Du Xuan started playing his favorite game of a cat teasing a mouse, and his eyes stared fixedly at Chen Xi who struggled bitterly under his Profound Qi Instakill Sword Qi as he didn't want to miss anything.

"Tsk, tsk. You're truly tenacious! Unfortunately, all of this is a futile effort, and you're overestimating your ability! Moreover, this is the consequence of going against my East Radiance Peak!" Du Xuan laughed coldly without end, and he even started laughing without restraint.

Suffering setbacks repeatedly at the hands of Chen Xi earlier had caused him to have accumulated a belly full of resentment, and now he finally had the opportunity to take revenge, so how could he let it slip by?

Humiliate! He wanted to humiliate Chen Xi horribly. He wanted Chen Xi to make a fool of himself in front of everyone and be unable to raise his head up high forever!

Most of the people in the surroundings revealed gazes of pity and sighed repeatedly when they saw this scene. All of them knew clearly about Du Xuan's ruthless and malicious nature, and he would absolutely not stop until he tortured his opponent sufficiently.

Chen Xi who was besieged by the Instakill Sword Qi stayed silent instead as he held on bitterly. But everyone didn't notice that a vertical eye had silently appeared between Chen Xi's brows, and it was pitch black to the point of being horrifying.

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Chen Xi executed the Starsky Wings with all his strength while flickering in the sky as he dodged the Instakill Sword Qi. His brows were knit tightly, his expression serious, and he didn't relax in the slightest.

Along with the passage of time, he was able to clearly feel the pressure upon him multiplying, and he had to give more than 120 percent because the slightest carelessly would cause him to be obliterated by the attacks that covered the heavens and the earth.

It was the first time that he'd experienced the might of a Dao Art. Unlike the martial techniques he'd seen in the past, Dao Arts had a unique energy that conformed with the heavens and the earth and possessed an exceedingly terrifying might.

But he didn't give up, and he was utilizing the Eye of Divine Truth to see through the flaws of this Dao Art, and he locked down firmly upon every single threadlike Instakill Sword Qi that flashed past him.

At this moment, he was unusually calm, his mind was empty, and the sword qi that were locked onto by him flashed past like shadows within the Eye of Divine Truth between his brows.

How should I defeat this technique?

Could it be that these sword qi really have no trace to follow?

Wait, the Grand Dao is shapeless, but it will always leave a strand of a mark behind. As the saying goes, the Dao is never perfect, yet is impossible to mend. Every single Dao Art should have a flaw.

Chen Xi's eyes blinked as his mind became unprecedentedly concentrated, and he completely didn't notice that there was a horrifying jet black light flowing within the Eye of Divine Truth between his brows.

Swoosh!

After pondering for an unknown period of time, Chen Xi felt the space between his brows shake abruptly. In the next moment, the entire scene before his eyes had undergone a change, and the scenes in the surroundings were completely reflected down to the slightest detail within his heart.

The striations on the mountain range, the veins in the earth, and every single trace of change in the various airflows of the sky, everything was reflected instantly within his heart, and he had the feeling as if he'd seen through reality, penetrated through the surface, and directly seen the essence.

It was even to the extent that Chen Xi felt his gaze was capable of seeing through space and penetrate through to the world outside this area of space!

Moreover, time seemed like a string that grew longer and longer, and it became exceedingly slow. He noticed acutely that those Instakill Sword Qi that flashed towards him were like snails flying past, and every tiny property of it entered clearly and completely into his eyes.

In the distance, Du Xuan's movements of forming seals with his hands had become slow as well, and it was like every single movement was broken down before appearing clearly before his eyes...

It felt as if the entire world had become slow, and it gave him an extremely strange feeling.

It was even to the extent that Chen Xi had the misconception that so long as he casually stretched out his hand and grabbed, he would be able to easily grab onto a strand of Instakill Sword Qi!

Om!

However, right when Chen Xi just had the thought of destroying the strand of Instakill Sword Qi before him, space instantly trembled before a beam of light shot out explosively from the Eye of Divine Truth. The beam of light flowed with a jet black light, and it directly blasted the strand of Instakill Sword Qi apart with a bang!

It felt as if the Instakill Sword Qi was like a piece of paper that couldn't withstand a single blow.

But, only Chen Xi knew exactly how tough the Instakill Sword Qi was. It was the state of 'Sword Qi Threads' condensed to the limit, and it was also tough and sharp to the limit.

Now, it had been easily destroyed instead, and this could only indicate that the beam of light that was shot out explosively from the Eye of Divine Truth had a might that was even more formidable than the Instakill Sword Qi!

What a formidable Eye of Divine Truth. Not only is it capable of seeing through reality, penetrate through the surface of things to see its essence, and cause everything in the world to seem as if it had slowed down, it's even capable of blasting out a jet black light to attack... Could it be that this is the true might of the Eye of Divine Truth? This thought flashed within his mind. In the next moment, Chen Xi had already closed his eyes, and only the single vertical eye between his brows swept towards the surroundings.

The extremely delighted Du Xuan was stunned. Chen Xi has actually closed his eyes! What is this fellow planning? Could it be that he intends to surrender? Hmph! Does he think that I would let him off if he does this?

Du Xuan sneered as a cold and ruthless sheen suffused his eyes. He hadn't humiliated Chen Xi to his heart's content yet, and it was only the appetizer earlier while the main event was next.

Hmm? However, right at this moment, his pupils dilated abruptly as his sneer froze on his face.

Amidst the Instakill Sword Qi that were like an enormous net, Chen Xi who had his eyes closed moved like a butterfly between a garden of flowers, and he moved extremely precisely to the point that the sword qi that covered the heavens and the earth were actually unable to touch even the corner of his clothes!

Why...?

A bad feeling arose in Du Xuan's heart. Chen Xi was still in an extremely sorry state a moment ago and was like a trapped beast that had fallen into a hopeless situation. Now, he actually seemed as if he was strolling idly in a courtyard. Could it be that he was pretending intentionally earlier?

Wait!

It's the vertical eye between his brows that's doing this!

Instantly, Du Xuan noticed that there was a sword shaped slit between Chen Xi's brows, and within the slit was a pitch black and horrifying vertical eye that was glowing.

What cultivation technique is this?

Could it be that he's a disciple of the Cyclops Clan?

No, the Cyclops Clan only has a single eye between their brows, and they don't have a pair of eyes. It's completely different from this fellow.

Thoughts flickered endlessly within Du Xuan's heart, and he was surprised and bewildered while the bad feeling in his heart grew stronger and stronger. That vertical eye was too strange, and it actually caused him to be unable to see through its origins.

Moreover, the more unknown something was, the more terrifying it was!

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#### **Chapter 576: The Light of Eradication**

Swoosh! Swoosh! Swoosh!

Due to his speed being too swift, Chen Xi's figure dragged out a string of afterimages in the sky, and every single step he took allowed him to dodge the layer upon layer of attacks with extreme precision.

The Instakill Sword Qi that surpassed the speed of sound by 10 times were utterly unable to touch the corners of his clothes now, let alone injure him.

The scene was too shocking, and it seemed as if Chen Xi had calculated where an Instakill Sword Qi would appear beforehand, allowing him to always be able to dodge it a step earlier. It was like he was strolling idly beneath a dense rain of a myriad of swords, and it aroused shock in the hearts of all.

"Exactly what has occurred to him? Why has closing his eyes allowed him to escape danger and be able to dodge extremely easily instead?"

"How terrifying! Those Instakill Sword Qi are a Dao Art that circulates the energy of the heavens and the earth, and it's traceless. Moreover, its speed is exceedingly swift as well. It's simply unbelievable that he's able to dodge them so easily!"

"Look, quickly! Even though his eyes are closed, there's a vertical eye between his brows. Perhaps all of this is related to that vertical eye!"

"A vertical eye? This seems to be a Divine Ability, right?"

“This ability simply allowed him to turn the situation around and obtain new life in a hopeless situation. Who would have imagined earlier that he would be able to turn the situation around?”

Everyone in the surroundings couldn't help but be stunned when they saw that Chen Xi who was about to be crushed had suddenly seemed as if he was assisted by the gods, and he repeatedly avoided the Instakill Sword Qi that besieged him without suffering the slightest injury and instead become more and more at ease. After that, they exploded into an uproar, and disbelief was written all over their faces.

Just like one of the disciples had said, never had anyone imagined that Chen Xi would actually be able to return to might and turn the situation around in this precious and hopeless situation.

It was precisely because no one had expected it that everyone was shocked.

“That seems to be...” Pang Zhou was horrified, moved, surprised, and bewildered, and he was unable to maintain his composure any longer. The vertical eye between Chen Xi's brows caused him to vaguely guess something, yet because this answer was too shocking, it caused him to not dare believe it.

“Right, it ought to be that Divine Ability!” Leng Qiu's eyes surged with cold lights as he stared fixedly at Chen Xi's figure, and his lips that were like the thin edge of a blade lightly spat out a few words with a voice that actually carried a trace of shock.

“How could this be possible!?” Pang Zhou's expression finally changed when he heard Leng Qiu's firm answer, and a scene couldn't help but emerge in his mind. An ancient Fiendgod roaring proudly in the heavens and the earth while fighting the experts of the three dimensions, and then the eye between his brows opened up before numerous black colored beams of light charged out to destroy everything before it with all powerful might!

“The Light of Eradication! That supreme Divine Ability of legend actually really exists...” Xia Yi's eyes burned as his firm face revealed a rare fervent expression. As a body refiner with a will that was firm like a rock, only encountering a supreme Divine Ability of legend was capable of causing him to be moved.

“Big Sister, exactly what Divine Ability is that vertical eye?” When she saw the expressions of all the fellows ranked amongst the five great Elite Disciples turning heavy, An Ke felt even more curious to the point she was unable to endure it any longer, and she pulled the corners of An Wei's clothes as she asked in a low voice.

“If I'm not wrong, that is probably...the Eye of Divine Truth.” An Wei spoke while staring blankly, and her beautiful and classical appearance revealed a rare ripple.

Chen Xi's display had caused her to be shocked more than once. But when she saw this scene and especially when she saw the vertical eye that appeared between Chen Xi's brows, her heart still couldn't help but tremble.

During the ancient times, this Divine Ability was an existence akin to a taboo, and it had been obliterated in the infinite years of the past to become a legend.

Now, it had actually appeared once more in the world. Moreover, it had even appeared in the possession of a young man from a small world. If news of this were to spread, it would probably give rise to a mighty uproar!

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Up above in the sky, Du Xuan's expression gradually became unsightly. How could Du Xuan have imagined that a new disciple who'd just entered the sect would actually be like a cockroach that couldn't be beaten to death while his valiance grew as the battle progressed. Now he'd actually started to turn the situation around!

Why is it like this!?

Du Xuan's heart was filled with bewilderment and unwillingness, and then flames of rage exploded forth from the depths of his heart, causing his gaze to become even more ghastly and ruthless.

As one of the five great Elite Disciples, I was actually unable to suppress a new disciple that had just entered the sect while relying on my famed Dao Art. If news of this were to spread, how would I stand up in the sect? How would I stand up in the Dark Reverie?

I absolutely can't allow this fellow to turn the situation around! Otherwise, I'll probably lose all standing and reputation today...

Du Xuan took a deep breath when he thought up to here, and his serious expression faintly revealed a wisp of madness, whereas, the speed he formed seals in his hand grew swifter and swifter, causing the Instakill Sword Qi to grow more and more brilliant.

Countless strands of Instakill Sword Qi that were fine like hairs suddenly gushed out from the surrounding space like a violent storm. They droned like tidewater while shaking the winds and the clouds in the surroundings, and the ground trembled as the beasts in an area of 5,000km in the surroundings fell to the ground while waiting endlessly.

When looked at from afar, the entire sky seemed to have been penetrated into a sieve, and they were all dense holes that were fine like needles and caused others to feel horrified in their hearts.

This was Du Xuan's full forces strike, and he'd exerted everything he had. He believed that even if it was a Nether Transformation Realm cultivator before him, the cultivator would only be instantly and easily killed and suffer the end of having his soul annihilated.

So, could Chen Xi avoid it?

Don't blame me for being merciless. You can only blame yourself for forcing me too hard... Du Xuan muttered in his head. He originally didn't intend to kill Chen Xi. After all, killing amongst those of the same sect was a great taboo of the sect, and if he was punished, he would be unable to endure it as well.

But at this moment, he didn't care anymore. Chen Xi's display was too shocking and had far exceeded his estimations. If Chen Xi was allowed to continue growing, then Chen Xi would absolutely become a disaster for him.

So he could only rest at ease after Chen Xi died.

As for the punishment of the sect, he'd already thought of an excuse, and he would say he accidentally killed Chen Xi. He believed that the sect wouldn't ask he, who was one of the five great Elite Disciples, to pay with his life for the death of a new disciple...

Om!

Right when Du Xuan executed his final strike, the distant Chen Xi suddenly steadied his body as well, and the vertical eye between his brows seemed to have come to life and surged with a dark light that was pitch black to the limit.

The dark light contained a forbidden energy that was mysterious and icy cold, and it was filled with a terrifying aura that seemed capable of eradication all techniques.

At the instant it appeared, the space in the surroundings of Chen Xi seemed as if it was suddenly confined, and everything fell into a strange and absolutely motionless state!

Everyone saw to their shock that the countless Instakill Sword Qi that shot out explosively from all directions seemed like dead fish that were frozen within a layer of ice, and they were unable to move in the slightest any longer.

After all, the speed of the Instakill Sword Qi was exceedingly swift and sharp to the point of being sufficient to penetrate anything. But it had actually instantly fallen into a motionless state, and such a visual impact caused the scalps of everyone in the surroundings to go numb and feel suffocated.

“Explode!” A word that contained a piercingly cold and indifferent aura was spat out lightly from between Chen Xi’s lips, yet it was like an order given out by a god. Practically at the instant this voice resounded out, all the motionless Instakill Sword Qis exploded apart with a bang and transformed into nothingness.

At this moment, all the obstructions that blocked Chen Xi’s path had been wiped out!

“Pu!” Du Xuan’s face went pale as he spat out a mouthful of blood. His face that was originally filled with confidence had its expression replaced with shock and astonishment. His soul almost left his body while his pupils dilated, and he seemed scared out of his wits.

“How could this be possible!? How can a new disciple that has just entered the sect like you possess such a terrifying Divine Ability!?” Du Xuan’s lips were trembling as he cried out involuntarily, and he didn’t have the slightest pride and bearing to speak of at this moment and seemed like a madman instead.

The expressions of everyone become complicated when they saw this scene. Who could have imagined that Du Xuan who was mouthing off and intending to fiercely trample upon Chen Xi just a moment ago would actually become like this at this moment?

But this sort of unfavorable change in the situation was too great, and any one of them would probably be unable to accept this sudden situation as well.

“Why can’t it be possible? Could it be that only you, Du Xuan, can willfully humiliate others, yet you can’t accept it when it’s you?” Chen Xi spoke coldly.

Earlier, when he was seeing through everything with the Eye of Divine Truth, it allowed him to acutely sense the killing intent contained within that strike of Du Xuan’s from before. Obviously, Du Xuan intended to kill him, and this caused him to arouse dense killing intent at this moment.

“Wait! How could a fellow that has come from a small world like you possess such a Divine Ability?! You’re surely a spy! You intend to sneak into my Nine Radiance Sword Sect and bring disaster to the sect!” Du Xuan’s expression changed indeterminately as his gaze flickered repeatedly, and then he suddenly shouted out explosively. “Right, it’s surely like this. It’s precisely my actions that have forced out your true identity. Fellow Senior Brother and Junior Brothers present, attack together and kill this traitor that harbors sinister motives!”

Everyone present was stunned and extremely astounded when they heard this.

Never had anyone expected that Du Xuan would actually speak such words at this moment. This was undoubtedly a reason that was put together by force to make everyone go against Chen Xi!

Of course, some people aroused suspicion in their hearts. Right, Chen Xi is a new disciple that has just entered the sect for a single day. Isn’t such strength too terrifying? Could he really be a spy sent by other sects?

There were even some people that were eager to take action and respond to Du Xuan’s summons. For example, all those East Radiance Peak disciples that had plundered the West Radiance Peak without restraint earlier revealed ferocious gazes and burned with eagerness.

They were naturally unable to accept such a situation. Because if Du Xuan lost, then their situation would surely not be good!

So they could only seize this opportunity and join forces with everyone to annihilate Chen Xi because only then would they be able to be eternally rid of future troubles.

“Making irresponsible remarks and making trouble out of nothing! A despicable person like you must suffer punishment!” Chen Xi suddenly shouted out loudly like the enormous roar of a dragon, and it carried a feeling of judgment that was dignified and inviolable.

Om!

As he shouted out loudly, a beam of dark light suddenly shot out explosively from the vertical eye between his brows, and it shot towards Du Xuan who was opposite him.

Du Xuan’s existence had similarly caused Chen Xi to arouse boundless killing intent. If a despicable and malicious person like Du Xuan were to survive, he would be a potential trouble in the end, and he might cause trouble in the future, so Chen Xi had to kill him in order to get rid of future troubles.

“How dare you! You actually dare to kill in the Nine Radiance Sword Sect and harm a fellow disciple. You simply show no respect to the law, have trampled on the rules of the sect, and must atone with death!” Right at this moment, the layer of clouds surged as space was broken open before an enormous palm that was like a mountain stretched out, and it was like the hand of a god descending from the sky as it enveloped down and grabbed fiercely towards Chen Xi!

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#### **Chapter 577: Lawless**

The profundity of space was something that only an Earthly Immortal Realm expert could master, and only Earthly Immortal Realm experts were the clearest about exactly what existed outside space.

But according to legend, the heavens and the earth of the entire Dark Reverie wasn't just made up of the single layer on the surface, and it was made up of numerous layers overlapped upon each other. Every single layer his countless amounts of space that concealed boundless profundities.

At this moment, a terrifying and enormous hand had suddenly stretched out from the space above West Radiance Peak. Obviously, it had already broken through the limits of space, and such ability was something only one that possessed a cultivation at the Earthly Immortal Realm or above was capable of mastering!

Bang!The layer of clouds collapsed as space was torn apart. This enormous hand was coiled with boundless divine light and Immortal Energy, it seemed capable of plucking the stars and scooping up the bright moon, and it possessed a vast imposing aura of annihilation.

At the instant it stretched out, it directly enveloped Chen Xi!

Bang!The intense Immortal Energy fluctuations on this terrifying and enormous hand even directly and easily shattered the strand of 'Light of Eradication,' and it spread towards the surroundings, causing space to be collapsed and the sky to crumble!

All the surrounding cultivators felt suffocated while their souls almost left their bodies, and they hastily moved far away to avoid it.

Such a terrifying and enormous hand was already not an ability someone of the Rebirth Realm or Nether Transformation Realm could grasp. It was obviously something that only an Earthly Immortal Realm expert that had seen through the Spatial profundities was capable of executing!

A wisp of an extremely dangerous aura swiftly gushed into his heart as great terror enveloped all Chen Xi's senses. At this instant, he'd sensed the copious killing intent within this enormous hand.

Obviously, it wanted to kill him in one go and utterly not give him the slightest chance to react or struggle!

Om!

Under the stimulation of death, a sun and moon surged within the Eye of Divine Truth between Chen Xi's brows as it displayed a myriad of variations in the workings of the heavens. It seemed to reflect everything in the universe and flowed with strands of Light of Eradication that caused one to feel extremely uneasy.

At this moment, if an ordinary cultivator were to meet the gaze of Chen Xi's vertical eye, then the cultivator would surely have a horrified feeling as if he'd fallen into an abyss of hell, and even his soul would be on the verge of sinking into it.

At this instant, all the scenes, time, and space before Chen Xi became slow, and even the movement of grass from being blown on by the wind had become slow like a crawling snail.

He noticed Du Xuan's originally terrified expression burned once more with a wisp of hope when he saw this enormous hand tear through the space, and the corners of his mouth even curled into a wisp of a complacent cold smile.

He noticed the distance Leng Qiu and Pang Zhou suddenly stop as their expressions eased up, and they secretly heaved a sigh of relief. Obviously, both of them intended to rescue Du Xuan earlier. But when they saw this enormous hand appear, then stopped right away.

He noticed that many disciples revealed astonishment, shock, and bewilderment... After that, all these complicated expressions transformed into pity and inability to bear to continue watching. They seemed to have firmly believed that Chen Xi would surely die miserably beneath this enormous hand.

He similarly saw the sorrowful and furious appearances of Eldest Senior Brother and the others, and this caused him to be unable to help but feel warm in his heart, and his desire to survive grew stronger.

However, his heart went cold because when facing this terrifying and enormous hand that descended from the sky and when he let the Immortal Energy that was suffused upon it, he actually aroused a deep feeling of being unable to resist it.

It was even to the extent that even room to struggle had been stripped away from him!

What should I do?

Chen Xi unconsciously held the tiny cauldron on his chest tightly.

The tiny cauldron was extremely mysterious. On that day at the Primeval Battlefield when he was facing the threat of Bing Shitian, the tiny cauldron had once said that it possessed a 30% chance to heavily injure Bing Shitian. Now, when facing this enormous hand, Chen Xi could only entrust his hope onto the tiny cauldron and risk everything.

When the enormous and terrifying hand was about to grab down and at this extremely critical moment that was right at the instant Chen Xi intended to utilize the tiny cauldron, the distant sky exploded open with a bang, then a slender and white enormous hand flew out and directly grabbed towards the terrifying and enormous hand.

Bang!

Two enormous hands that tore through space to arrive here collided above Chen Xi. At the instant they collided, they exploded out with a boundless rain of light formed from Immortal Energy, and it was like a dazzling sun had exploded with a deafening blast that charge out in all direction.

The collision of such forces was truly too terrifying. In merely an instant, violent winds rose from all directions, lights formed into sparkling rivers, and Immortal Energy interweaved together and flashed as it drowned the entire sky.

Rumble!

This was the sky above the West Radiance Peak. As one of the nine peaks of the Nine Radiance Sword Sect, the West Radiance Peak was similarly set up with countless restrictions. At this moment, when it encountered a threat, it suddenly exploded out with boundless brilliance and resisted the impact caused by this collision.

On the other hand, those spectators had already retreated a sufficient distance yet were still assaulted by the strong winds and dazzling lights, causing their bodies to be shaken to the point of being on the verge of collapse while their vital blood roiled endlessly.

“Retreat, quickly!” Everyone was greatly shocked. A collision of force at such a level was truly too heaven defying, and it caused the minds of everyone to tremble while they felt as if they’d fallen into an icy pit.

At the same time, Chen Xi felt a gentle energy hold him before bringing him flying right away, and he descended onto the extremely distant ground and barely avoided this collision that shook the heavens and the earth.

Instantly, the two terrifying and enormous hands transformed into surging airflow that dispersed into the surroundings. They raged out like a solar storm that tore countless horrifying rifts in the sky that seemed like innumerable ravines and valleys, and it was extremely terrifying.

When the light dispersed, there was already a group of figures standing at the point of collision. All of their sleeves fluttered in the wind while their entire bodies were coiled with Immortal Energy. Shockingly, it was all the elders of the Nine Radiance Sword Sect, whereas, the person in the lead was precisely the Sect Master, Wen Huating.

Besides being shocked, everyone in the distance couldn’t help but heave a sigh of relief in their hearts when they saw the Sect Master and elders appear in unison. After all, the scene from before was truly too terrifying, and if it were to continue, then they were very worried if they would be affected by it.

Chen Xi didn’t have these feelings from surviving instead, and his gaze swept the Sect Master and the others before finally descending onto Yue Chi.

That terrifying and enormous hand from before was surely executed by one of the higher-ups of the sect, whereas only Yue Chi would dare to intend to kill him willfully and without the slightest fear!

The reason was extremely simple. This person had always been at odds with Madman Liu, and he was Du Xuan’s master. So when he saw Chen Xi intended to punish Du Xuan, he naturally couldn’t tolerate such a thing occurring.

“Senior Brother Yue Chi, what’s the meaning of this!?” Wen Huating spoke with a low voice. At this moment, his face that was warm like jade already carried a feeling of fury, and his eyes were like cold lightning that caused the hearts of others to palpitate.

At this moment, everyone present understood that it was shockingly Elder Yue Chi that made a move against Chen Xi earlier!

Even though they understood why, Yue Chi’s actions caused most of the people present to frown.

Because it was common knowledge that Yue Chi was the Peak Master of East Radiance Peak. At this moment, he’d interfered in a battle between disciples instead, and the palm strike from before even wanted to annihilate Chen Xi in one go. Such overbearing actions naturally caused everyone to be extremely uncomfortable in their hearts.

It was Chen Xi today, then what if it was them tomorrow?

Everyone was a disciple of the Nine Radiance Sword Sect. On what basis had Chen Xi had to be annihilated when Du Xuan was bullied? If it was like this, then who would dare spar with disciples of the East Radiance Peak in the future?

“Sect Master, could it be that you didn’t notice this kid’s methods are ruthless, and he intended to annihilate Du Xuan? Such a malicious disciple should naturally suffer some punishment, otherwise he might cause some disaster in the future.” Yue Chi’s expression was calm as he spoke casually, and he didn’t show the slightest guilt. It seemed as if everything he did to Chen Xi earlier was only an extremely ordinary thing.

The Sect Master, Wen Huating, frowned as deep displeasure flashed past his eyes, and he was just about to speak when Chen Xi was a step before him.

“May I ask Martial Uncle Yue, did the Sect set the rule that higher-ups of the sect can’t interfere in the competition between disciples?” Under the focused of numerous shocked gazes, Chen Xi suddenly took a step forward and questioned coldly. His figure was tall, his clothes fluttered in the wind, and his expression was calm and fearless.

Everyone couldn’t help but arouse admiration in their hearts when they saw this. Chen Xi is probably the first person that dares to speak like this to an elder of the sect, right? But what Chen Xi said was precisely what they were thinking in their hearts.

They’d already known early on that the higher-ups of the sect had provided that they wouldn’t interfere in the competition between the disciples of the sect. No one had imagined that this order had only been issued out for less than a day, yet Elder Yue Chi had already went against this rule?

“Audacious! As a disciple, you actually dare go against your superiors. You’re simply lawless!” Yue Chi’s eyes squinted as he berated loudly and with shocking might.

As an elder of the sect and the Peak Master of East Radiance Peak, he possessed a lofty status and a respected identity. When had he ever been questioned so bluntly by a disciple?

This was simply a provocation to his standing!

“Who’s lawless? Martial Uncle Yue, I respect you as a senior, but you better not make irresponsible remarks!” Since he’d already shed all pretenses, how could Chen Xi be courteous? And he naturally wouldn’t be intimidated by Yue Chi’s imposing aura.

Chen Xi took a step forward and pointed at Du Xuan. “Let me ask you this. This person led his companions and colluded with them to plunder my West Radiance Peak without restraint, and he even repeatedly humiliated these seniors of mine with despicable methods and an arrogant and overbearing attitude. Why didn’t you bother about this?”

“When Du Xuan fought me, he aroused killing intent on many occasions and intended to annihilate me. Why didn’t you bother about this?”

As he spoke, Chen Xi’s voice grew louder and louder, clear and indignant, and it shook the surroundings and already carried an overbearing feeling. “As an elder of the sect, you didn’t differentiate between right or wrong before making a move against me. What evil intentions did you harbor when doing this?”

Three questions that were like three successive thunderclaps that exploded in the sky, and it shook the heads of all the disciples present to the point that they were dazed. They didn’t dare believe that Chen Xi actually dared to speak to an elder of the sect like this!

Even Wen Huating and the other elders were slightly stunned by this, as they never imagined that this little fellow Chen Xi's nature would actually be so unyielding, resolute, and firm.

After that, they came to an understanding. Because as far as they were concerned, Chen Xi had just escaped death, and he was probably extremely upset, causing him to vent his bellyful of indignation.

On the other hand, Yue Chi's expression was already completely gloomy to the extreme. These successive questions of Chen Xi's were simply like successive provocations towards his reputation in front of everyone, and it was no different from slapping him on the face!

This caused him to be extremely furious in his heart, and he wished for nothing more than to smash this fellow that made sharp remarks to death.

However, before he could open his mouth, Chen Xi had shouted coldly and questioned loudly. "As an elder of the sect, you have no self-respect, trample on the rules of the sect, and allow your disciples to bring disaster to the sect! Now you even disregarded your demeanor and bullied the young! Martial Uncle Yue Chi, you're the one that's truly lawless!"

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#### **Chapter 578: Kneel**

"As an elder of the sect, you have no self-respect, trample on the rules of the sect, and allow your disciples to bring disaster to the sect! Now, you even disregarded your demeanor and bullied the young! Martial Uncle Yue Chi, you're the one that's truly lawless!" Chen Xi's shout was simply like the sound of a resounding bronze bell, and it resounded in the heavens and the earth. Moreover, the overbearing feeling revealed from his words caused everyone present to gasp.

He's too domineering!

A new disciple that has just entered the sect has actually directed attacks right at an elder. Moreover, he spoke bluntly, and every single word of his was sharp like blade and struck the heart!

Who could have imagined that Chen Xi would actually possess such boldness?

If it was any other disciple, then no matter how unfair the treatment the disciple received, the disciple wouldn't probably endure it forcefully. Who would dare to directly challenge the higher-ups of the sect?

In the distance, Yue Chi's expression was gloomy to the extreme while his eyes narrowed lightly with a gaze that was cold and sharp like blades as he stared at Chen Xi, and he seemed as if he was staring at a dead person.

He was already completely enraged. As an elder of the Nine Radiance Sword Sect, the Peak Master of the East Radiance Peak, even if it was in the entire Dark Reverie, his status and identity was lofty and respected to the extreme.

Now he'd been repeatedly provoked by a little fellow that was like an ant, and if he still didn't display his might, then how would he stand in the Nine Radiance Sword Sect in the future?

"Audacious!"

“You’re courting death!” Right when Yue Chi was thinking in his heart, the distant Leng Qiu and Pang Zhou’s expressions went grim as they shouted angrily. Both of them were disciples of the East Radiance Peak, whereas Yue Chi was their master. Since their master was humiliated, how could they as disciples possibly restrain their rage?

“Chen Xi, you actually dare offend your seniors and commit such an offense. Kneel quickly and apologize!”

“Kneel!”

“Kneel!”

All those disciples of the East Radiance Peak shouted loudly one after the other as well, and their voices were like a tide that swept straight towards Chen Xi. All of them had murderous gazes in their eyes, and they seemed as if Chen Xi had been condemned as a sinner throughout the ages and must kneel down to receive punishment.

If it was in terms of the strongest force, then amongst the West Radiance, South Radiance, North Radiance, and East Radiance Peaks of the Nine Radiance Sword Sect, it was surely the East Radiance Peak. Not only did it possess over 1,000 Elite Disciples, there were also dazzling figures like Leng Qiu, Pang Zhou, and Du Xuan who were ranked amongst the five great Elite Disciples, so it could be said to be filled with outstanding talents and form an enormous force.

At this moment, all the East Radiance Peak disciples present here shouted out as they denounced Chen Xi in unison. The impetus of this shocked the disciples of the other peaks to the point their faces went slightly pale, and they didn’t dare say anything.

Even though their statuses were much higher than that of Inner Court and Outer Court disciples, they still had to be extremely careful when facing such a situation so as to avoid drawing a calamity of death.

The expression of Yue Chi who was about to be unable to restrain the flames of rage in his heart eased up when he saw this. After that, he couldn’t help but laugh with self-ridicule. Right, he’s only a tiny ant, how could there be a need for me to make a move myself? Those with position have no need to do anything themselves. Fussing about it with him would disgrace my own status instead.

Chen Xi’s expression remained unchanged when being denounced by so many people, and he utterly paid no attention to them while his gaze shot directly towards Wen Huating before he cupped his hands. “May I ask you, Sect Master, can the members of just the East Radiance Peak represent the entire Nine Radiance Sword Sect?”

“Of course not.” Wen Huating was stunned, and then he shook his head.

“Thank you for telling me, Sect Master.” Chen Xi cupped his hands once more before turning around, and he swept the surrounding East Radiance Peak disciples with his gaze as he said coldly, “Looks like the East Radiance Peak is really full of outstanding talents. Not only do you want to interfere in the affairs of my West Radiance Peak, all of you even exceed your authorities and order me to kneel while in the present of the Sect Master and elders. May I ask who gave all of you the authority!?”

The expressions of Leng Qiu and the other East Radiance Peak disciples froze, and their imposing aura weakened greatly along with this.

After all, as one of the 10 great immortal sects of the Dark Reverie, it had countless members and experts that were numerous like the clouds in the sky. Moreover, its rules and system of seniority was extremely strict, and those who dared to violate it in the slightest would surely suffer an extremely miserable end.

Chen Xi's words were completely in the right by the rules of the sect, and he'd even obtained a reply from the Sect Master himself. If they still dared to refute him, they might really be accused with the crime of trampling on the rules of the sect.

"Could it be that all of you have really taken yourselves to be the rulers of the Nine Radiance Sword Sect?" Chen Xi didn't intend to let them off when he saw them keep silent, and he spoke coldly once more. "I just want to know, do the rules of the sect still exist in your eyes!? Or the Sect Master and elders!? Or all the Senior Brothers and Junior Brothers present here!?"

Leng Qiu and the other disciples of the East Radiance Peak were rendered speechless. They wanted to refute but just happened, but were unable to find any reason, and it angered them to the point their faces went gloomy and they revealed hostile gazes.

On the other hand, the surrounding disciples were already dumbstruck. Never had they imagined that not only did Chen Xi possess extraordinary strength, even his ability to argue was so formidable, and he taught all these East Radiance Peak disciples a lesson as easily as one would teach a dog a lesson...

"Enough!" Yue Chi shouted with a deep voice. He knew that if Chen Xi was allowed to continue, then the situation would probably become more and more disadvantageous to him. So it would be better to take resolute action and resolve the matter swiftly.

"I admit, that I made a move against you rashly, and I was really too impulsive." Yue Chi's expression was indifferent as he said slowly, "But everyone present ought to know and understand that as an elder of the sect, how painful it is to see fights and disputes occur between disciples. So slightly losing control of my feelings is naturally unavoidable."

These excuses seemed to be an apology, but it actually resolved all the crimes Chen Xi accused him of one by one, and it was extremely experienced and vicious, causing Chen Xi to be utterly unable to dispute it.

There wasn't anything that could be done. Yue Chi had already apologized, so how could he continue clinging on without letting go? If he did that, it would probably arouse the displeasure of the Sect Master and other elders.

After all is said and done, the reason Chen Xi dared to question Yue Chi repeatedly and even scold the disciples of the East Radiance Peak in an extremely humiliating manner was actually because he was relying on the 'might' of the Sect Master and elders. Without them being present here, it would be useless no matter how many sect rules he spoke of.

After all, the rules were set by them, and as the higher-ups of the sect, they already stood above the rules, so did they have to care about the rules if they wanted to deal with a little disciple like him?

But seeing Elder Yue Chi actually speaking out with an apology to Chen Xi still caused the nearby disciples to be extremely shocked. No matter what, Chen Xi occupied the advantageous position in this battle in the end, right?

Wen Huating and the other elders heaved a sigh of relief in their hearts when they saw this. Yue Chi was the Peak Master of East Radiance Peak, and he possessed an extremely great amount of authority and might amongst the elders, whereas Chen Xi was the first disciple to ascend the top of the Lotus Platform in a few thousand years, and he possessed peerless natural talent and limitless potential.

They felt their heads ache extremely as well when facing a conflict between these two people, and they didn't know which side they should side towards. At this moment, when they saw Yue Chi take the initiative to give in a little with the intention of resolving the situation, they naturally felt relaxed in their hearts.

"Alright, the matter of today..." Wen Huating took a step forward and spoke slowly, and he was about to give the final verdict and completely resolve this dispute.

It was at this moment that Chen Xi suddenly spoke and interrupted him. "Sect Master, wait a moment. Since Elder Yue Chi has already apologized, I naturally feel heartfelt admiration and don't dare have any resentment. But..."

When he spoke up to here, he raised his hand to point towards the distant Du Xuan and all the disciples of the East Radiance Peak that had plundered the West Radiance Peak earlier, and then he said slowly, "The enmity between me and these people can't be written off just like this."

As soon as these words were spoken, everyone instantly went into an uproar.

It wasn't just the disciples in the surroundings that were astounded, even Wen Huating and the elders frowned, and they felt Chen Xi's actions were too overbearing and he didn't know what was good for him.

"Chen Xi, don't be too arrogant! This is the Nine Radiance Sword Sect and not a place you can behave atrociously at will!" Leng Qiu frowned and spoke coldly.

"Chen Xi, your mentality has already gone down the path of Devils, and not the path of Immortality. What do you think you're doing by seeking revenge for the smallest grievances?" Pang Zhou criticized Chen Xi loudly as well.

"It seems to me that this kid is a spy that has sneaked in with the intention of causing calamity to my Nine Radiance Sword Sect, and he will absolutely not stop until he turns everything upside down!" Du Xuan shouted abruptly.

"Du Xuan, you actually still dare to make slanderous charges at such a time? Do you really think you can escape calamity today?" Amidst his cold and indifferent voice, Chen Xi's figure flashed out. In the next moment, he'd already appeared before Du Xuan, and then the Eye of Divine Truth gushed out into appearance between his brows before suddenly shooting out a strand of the Light of Eradication.

Du Xuan was shocked, and the Profound Qi Instakill Technique he'd just executed was crushed by this strand of Light of Eradication, whereas his neck was directly grabbed by Chen Xi before being lifted up like a little chick.

Not to mention that the surrounding disciples hadn't expected it, even the Sect Master and elders were slightly stunned by this sudden attack, and they didn't dare believe that Chen Xi actually dared to make a move right under their noses!

What sort of imposing aura is this? It's simply arrogant and overbearing to the limit!

"Kneel!" A loud shout resounded out as Chen Xi raised his hand and slapped down, and the True Essence in his palm pressed down like a mountain.

Instantly, the clothes and armor of Du Xuan collapsed while he couldn't help but roar repeatedly yet his knees were pressured to the point of breaking, and he actually knelt before Chen Xi.

"He actually... He actually forced Du Xuan to kneel!"

"What sort of figure is Du Xuan? One of the five great Elite Disciple that had always thought himself to be a genius, a remarkable talent, and was insufferably arrogant. Now he was actually forced to kneel by a new disciple like Chen Xi before everyone. He'll probably be unable to raise his head in public anymore from this moment onward!"

"My god! Chen Xi is too ferocious. He actually made the arrogant Du Xuan kneel. This is simply an unparalleled blow that's even more difficult to accept than death!"

The scene went into a complete uproar because everyone was shocked when they saw Chen Xi raise his hand and force Du Xuan to kneel.

"You..." Du Xuan's face flushed red as boundless humiliation gushed out from the depths of his heart, and his eyes almost split apart as he went completely berserk. "Chen Xi, our enmity is absolutely irreconcilable! The day will come when I'll slice you into pieces, extract your soul and refine your bones, so that you'll never be able to have a natural death!"

As he spoke, he'd exerted all his strength with the intention of resisting, but Chen Xi was a step ahead of him, and he slapped down with his palm and completely sealed the True Essence within Du Xuan. Du Xuan's body went limp and didn't have the slightest trace of energy to struggle any longer, and he was infuriated to the point of crying out before a large mouthful of blood sprayed out abruptly.

"Elder Yue Chi, I'll kill him right now if you make a move!" It was at this moment that Chen Xi glanced at Yue Chi in the distance who was already boiling with rage since long ago, and he didn't hesitate in the slightest to directly press his hand onto Du Xuan's head while accumulating strength as he waited.

The hearts of everyone in the surroundings shook greatly when they saw this scene, and they were extremely astounded. Could it be that this fellow really doesn't want to continue living!?

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#### **Chapter 579: Fierce Pursuit**

At this moment, Chen Xi had actually used Du Xuan's life to threaten Elder Yue Chi!

The surrounding people were shocked to the point their hearts rose and fell when they saw this scene, and they felt Chen Xi simply seemed as if he'd gone mad and was overbearing to the limit.

Even Wen Huating and the others frowned and were furious in their hearts. If it wasn't for them knowing Chen Xi was the first disciple in a few thousand years to have ascended the top of the lotus platform, they'd have made a move to punish him since long ago.

As a disciple, he actually dared to use the life of another disciple to threaten a senior of the sect. This was simply a monstrous crime!

"This fellow seems to be even more vengeful than Martial Uncle Liu..." An Ke muttered to herself and was slightly puzzled why Chen Xi didn't know when to stop and acted willfully instead.

"He isn't like a person that doesn't know how far to go, let's watch before we decide." An Wei was slightly unable to see through what Chen Xi intended. Could it be that he doesn't know that doing this would cause him to fall into a disadvantageous situation?

"Good! Very good! Threatening a senior when you've just entered the sect, how far would you go in the future!? Yue Chi was angered to the point his entire body trembled.

His favorite disciple had been forced to kneel in public and used to threaten him. These scenes were like sharp blades that jabbed at his heart to the point it faintly ached, and he was furious to the limit.

"Sect Master, at this moment, do you still want to protect such an abominable disciple!?" Yue Chi turned around to question the Sect Master and elders.

His voice already revealed boundless ruthlessness and killing intent. Obviously, he intended to capture Chen Xi as soon as he obtained the consent of the Sect Master.

"Elder Yue Chi, these words are mistaken. The sect set out long ago that the various elders wouldn't interfere in the conflicts between disciples, whereas Du Xuan had provoked me earlier, so receiving some punishment is a must!" Before Wen Huating and the others could speak, Chen Xi had already said coldly, "Moreover, everyone present has seen that Du Xuan led all his companions to trample upon my West Radiance Peak and humiliate my Senior Brothers and Seniors Sisters. Could it be that such actions shouldn't receive punishment?"

Chen Xi's words were perfectly logical. Not to mention anything else, just at this moment, everyone was able to see that all around West Radiance Peak, the numerous spirit farmlands were trampled upon and the multitude of herb gardens were plundered. Everywhere was in a mess, and the surrounding atmosphere was foul.

Shockingly, all the disciples of the East Radiance Peak were standing all around the mountain. Even a blind man was able to discern that everything was done by these people.

Moreover, when Du Xuan fought Chen Xi earlier, he really had humiliated Chen Xi at every corner, and if it wasn't for Chen Xi executing the Light of Eradication in the end, the person that was kneeling now would have probably been Chen Xi.

So after they heard what Chen Xi said, the surrounding people rather understood Chen Xi's feelings. As the saying goes, karma goes around in circles, and it's a bitch.

But even though they understood, they didn't dare publicly display support for Chen Xi.

After all, Chen Xi was only a disciple that had just entered the sect yet had made such a mighty and overbearing display, and he actually used Du Xuan's life to threaten Elder Yue Chi. This was slightly going too far, and they felt that he would probably suffer a calamity.

At this moment, Wen Huating and the elders seemed to be discussing something via voice transmission as well.

"This kid Chen Xi has a ruthless nature and seeks revenge for the smallest grievances. If he's allowed to continue like this, then Du Xuan will probably be angered to death. Should we make a move and stop him?"

"I don't agree with that. From the beginning until the end, Chen Xi hasn't violated the rules of the sect. Even though his actions seem to be rather offensive, they can be understood. After all, Senior Brother Liu has just left yet his West Radiance Peak already suffered being trampled like this. No matter who it was, that person will probably not let the matter go so easily."

"Nevermind. This might be a good thing for Du Xuan. If he's able to endure suffering such a blow and turn shame into motivation, it will be an enormous breakthrough for him, and it would be of limitless benefit to his future."

"Isn't this conniving Chen Xi too much? He just entered the sect for a single day yet has used Du Xuan's life to threaten Senior Brother Yue Chi. Aren't such actions too arrogant and overbearing?"

"The crux is that Senior Brother Yue Chi was the one at the wrong. If he didn't make a move to harm Chen Xi earlier, the situation ought to have not arrived to such a state."

"Alas, it's truly a headache. If we don't interfere and stop him, it would draw the displeasure of Senior Brother Yue Che, whereas if we make a move and stop him, it would draw the displeasure of Chen Xi. After all, he's doing it for the sake of the West Radiance Peak."

"Fellow elders, did all of you perceive the Divine Ability Chen Xi utilized earlier?" Wen Huating spoke right away when he saw all the elders discussing animatedly yet unable to come to a conclusion.

"Divine Ability?" All the elders were stunned, and then they seemed to have realized something, causing all their eyes to squint and reveal a wisp of shock.

"All of you have noticed as well?" Wen Huating sighed lightly. "The Eye of Divine Truth, a terrifying Divine Ability that had been obliterated in the infinite annals of time. It possessed a shocking reputation during the age where ancient Fiendgods roamed free and their might reigned supreme in the world. Since Chen Xi was actually able to obtain this Divine Ability, he's obviously another disciple with great fortune."

"Now that you say this, this kid really can't be underestimated. He'd already ascended the top of the lotus platform earlier and has surely obtained a Dao Art personally left behind by the Founding Ancestor of our Nine Radiance Sword Sect. Such heaven defying karmic luck is simply something that's rare to see in a million years."

"Then... Sect Master, your intentions are to not punish Chen Xi?"

"We'll act according to the situation."

These figures of the higher-ups communicated in an instant, and it was only carried out for the time of a few breaths.

Meanwhile, Du Xuan had always been kneeling before Chen Xi, and his True Essence was sealed, causing him to be unable to crawl up from the beginning until the end even though he struggled repeatedly.

Even though he'd only knelt down for a short moment, it seemed long like a century to him. He felt as if everyone in the surroundings were looking at his unsightly state and discussing while pointing at him. All of this was like a flame that burned his heart, angering him to the point smoke escaped his seven apertures, and his expression was warped while he almost exploded.

Chen Xi couldn't be bothered to spare him a glance, and he just shot his gaze towards the Sect Master and the others.

At this moment, everyone had shot their gazes towards Wen Huating and the others, and they were waiting the outcome of the discussion between the Sect Master and elders.

"Chen Xi, will you stop after you punish Du Xuan?" Under the gazes of everyone present, Wen Huating spoke slowly as his gaze descended onto Chen Xi.

Even though he was speaking to Chen Xi, it wasn't inferior to a thunderclap when it descended into the ears of everyone, and it caused them to be extremely shocked in their hearts.

How could they be unable to discern the meaning of the Sect Master's words? He was obviously saying that since you've already punished Du Xuan, shouldn't you stop? If you stop, then perhaps everything can be bygones.

This was too shocking!

After all, Chen Xi had used Du Xuan's life to threaten Elder Yue Chi earlier. If it was any other disciple, the disciple would have probably already suffused fierce punishment since long ago. But now, Chen Xi actually escaped calamity so easily!

But even more unexpected to everyone was the next scene that occurred.

When facing Wen Huating's question, Chen Xi answered without the slightest hesitation. "No. Those disciples that willfully trampled upon my West Radiance Peak have to receive punishment as well. Otherwise, my West Radiance Peak will probably have no power or prestige left."

Overbearing! Boundlessly overbearing!

Everyone was shocked to the point of being dumbstruck. The Sect Master already didn't intend to pursue the matter yet he was unforgiving instead and wanted to pursue the matter fiercely. Exactly how bold would someone need to be to dare speak such words!?

"Sect Master, this kid is overbearing and arrogant to this point. How long more will you connive him for?" Yue Chi's voice seemed as if it was squeezed out bit by bit from his chest, and it was hoarse and low while revealed matchlessly dense resentment and indignation.

The decision made by the Sect Master and the others were unexpected to him and caused him to feel furious, whereas Chen Xi's reaction caused boundless killing intent to arise in his heart instead. He

gnashed his teeth with hatred and wished for nothing more than to pluck out Chen Xi's tendons right now before burning his bones and scattering his ashes.

Exactly. He was already furious to the limit like a live volcano that might erupt at any moment.

Wen Huating frowned yet continued. "How do you intend to deal with them?"

"Sect Master, it's actually very simple. Du Xuan must kneel and apologize to my Senior Brothers and Senior Sister, whereas those disciples who trampled upon my West Radiance Peak must return 10 times worth of treasure to repay the losses of my West Radiance Peak!" Chen Xi replied calmly.

"Impossible! You want me to apologize to those pieces of trash? It's impossible unless I die!" Du Xuan howled madly. Chen Xi's words were simply trampling upon the last bottom line and piece of dignity left in his heart, and it was more painful than death. How could he possibly accept it?

On the other hand, those East Radiance Peak disciples that stood on West Radiance Peak had extremely unsightly expressions instead. A repayment of 10 times? Even if they sold off all their belongings, they would probably be unable to produce so many treasures!

Devil!

This fellow is simply like a devil!

At this moment, Chen Xi had already become a heinous devil in their hearts, and they were furious, terrified, and uneasy.

How could they have imagined that following Du Xuan to plunder the West Radiance Peak would cause such bitter consequences? If they knew earlier, they wouldn't take a single foot in West Radiance Peak even if they were beaten to death!

Even the other disciples in the surroundings felt that Chen Xi's request was too difficult to accept.

First he questioned Elder Yue Chi repeatedly, then forced Du Xuan to kneel. Now, he put forward such a request, and this was like waves that arose in succession of another, and it caused all of them to wonder exactly what Chen Xi's balls were made of. Could it be that he doesn't have the slightest reverence in his heart?

Chen Xi was indifferent towards all this. He just shot his gaze at the Sect Master while keeping a calm and composed expression, and his composed bearing caused everyone to find it difficult to brand the words overbearing, arrogant, and domineering on him.

"Sect Master!" Yue Chi roared furiously, and even his eyes had gone red. If Chen Xi were to prevail, then it wouldn't just be Du Xuan and those other disciples that would lose all face, even he who was their master would lose all face.

"Nevermind. The losses of the West Radiance Peak will be repaid by the East Radiance Peak. As for Du Xuan..." Wen Huating frowned for a long time before speaking slowly.

"Sect Master, my Nethercrow Clan has its own supreme dignity, and the blood that belongs solely to the Nethercrow Clan flows in me. I would rather die than suffer this humiliation!" Before Wen Huating could

finish speaking, Du Xuan had already roared loudly with a resolute tone that revealed a fearless feeling, and his words carried a deep threat.

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#### **Chapter 580: Turning The Situation Around**

Du Xuan's howl was resolute and vehement. He revealed an appearance of being willing to die than submit, and it arouse the resonance of many people.

Right, death is better than humiliation. As one of the five great Elite Disciples and the outstanding genius of the Nethercrow Clan, how could he kneel and apologize?

If he really did this, then what dignity would he have left to stand up in the sect?

"Noisy!" Chen Xi couldn't be bothered to discern if Du Xuan was really unyielding as he displayed, and he directly struck his palm onto Du Xuan's neck, causing Du Xuan's raised head to be pressed down once more.

He seemed as if he was kowtowing to everyone present, and it was indescribably humiliating. Du Xuan was angered to the point blood gushed up his throat and sprayed from his mouth once more, and his gaze was resentful to the point he truly wished for nothing more than to slice Chen Xi up and eat him alive.

He was unable to figure out why this fellow was so overbearing even if he racked his brains. He'd already brought up his identity as a member of the Nethercrow Clan to threaten Chen Xi, yet Chen Xi actually didn't care in the slightest! Could it be that his balls are made of steel?

The people in the surroundings were astounded even more when they saw this, and they experienced how overbearing and domineering Chen Xi was even more.

"Enough!" Wen Huating couldn't tolerate it anymore and frowned as he stopped Chen Xi with a shout.

Chen Xi's display was lacking in restraint and too domineering, and it caused him to be unable to tolerate it. He felt that this little fellow was simply a troublemaker that was audacious to the extreme, reckless, ignores the larger issues, doesn't know how to show restraint, and is an extreme headache.

It was even to the extent that if it wasn't for him knowing that Chen Xi was the first disciple in a few thousand years to ascend the top of the lotus platform and possesses an extremely formidable Divine Ability like the Eye of Divine Truth, he'd have left with a flick of his sleeve since long ago.

But even then, the entirety of Chen Xi's display today had caused him to be rather disappointed, and his good impression of Chen Xi in his heart had fallen to the lowest possible level.

"This matter will be deal with according to what I said. As for Du Xuan, he'll be temporarily ordered to go into closed door cultivation to repent, and he can come out when he advances to the Nether Transformation Realm!" Wen Huating's gaze was like a cold bolt of lightning as it swept the surroundings, and his voice revealed an indisputable tone. At this moment, he had an imposing aura of controlling everything and ruling over the world, and he vividly portrayed the bearing of a Sect Master.

It wasn't just the disciples in the surroundings, even the other elders felt apprehensive in their hearts and didn't dare say anything further.

Only Elder Yue Chi swept Chen Xi with an icy cold gaze that revealed a trace of undisguised detest and rage. He'd already decided that he would surely find an opportunity in the future and eliminate this kid!

Moreover, Yue Chi had already perceived that the perception of the Sect Master and the various elders had already turned to extreme disappointment, whereas this was precisely his opportunity! Even if he dealt with Chen Xi in the future, the Sect Master and the others would probably not act as they did today and spare no efforts to protect Chen Xi.

Be arrogant to your heart's content. Once you lose all trust, let me see who's able to save you in the future! Yue Chi looked at the distant Chen Xi while sneering endlessly in his heart.

After Wen Huating made the decision, Elder Yue Chi maintained silence while Du Xuan lowered his head and kept silent, and they seemed to have accepted this decision. When they saw this, everyone perceived that this battle was finally about to end, and Chen Xi seemed to have become the one and only winner.

But everyone didn't look favorably upon him. Even though Chen Xi occupied the right side in everything that happened earlier, and his actions were reasonable and logical, but he was too domineering, overbearing, and lacking in restraint. He caused all the higher-ups to feel extremely disappointed in him, and it was extremely disadvantageous towards his future situation.

After all, the Peak Master of the West Radiance Peak, Madman Liu, had left, whereas he was a disciple that had just entered the sect and had nothing to rely on. Today, not only had he completely offended the East Radiance Peak, he'd even made all the higher-ups disappointed in him, so how could his situation be good in the future?

"Sect Master, please wait a moment!" However, right when Wen Huating and the other elders turned around with the intention to leave, Chen Xi's voice resounded out once more, and it seemed especially ear piercing in this silent atmosphere.

What does this fellow want to do now?!

The disciples in the surroundings were extremely shocked when they heard this voice, and they looked at Chen Xi as if they were looking at a monster. The Sect Master has already made a decision, could it be that he doesn't intend to stop?

Even Wen Huating and the elders instantly revealed gloomy expressions while their eyes held rage. What does this troublemaker want now? He's simply trying to take a yard after being given an inch!

"Chen Xi, what else do you have to say?" Wen Huating took a deep breath and forcefully restrained the annoyance in his heart before asking indifferently, and his voice already carried a strand of undisguised dissatisfaction.

Yes, he was very dissatisfied.

He felt the he was too conniving of this little fellow earlier. If it wasn't for that, how could Chen Xi try to take a yard now?

When they heard this, everyone instantly knew clearly that Chen Xi had poked a hornet's nest now, and if he dared to bring forward any request, then even if it was entirely reasonable, he would suffer the refusal and even punishment of the Sect Master!

On the other hand, Elder Yue Chi and all the disciples of the East Radiance Peak laughed coldly without end instead, and they'd already taken Chen Xi to be a rash fellow that didn't know what was good for him. They felt he become proud from receiving favor, didn't know where to stop, and would die ignorant to the reason of his death!

When facing the strange gazes that shot towards him from the surroundings, Chen Xi's expression was calm and indifferent to the extreme instead. He walked forward and cupped his fists to the Sect Master. "I just returned from the lotus platform earlier, and I was entrusted by a senior to bring some things to you."

"Oh?" Wen Huating's expression eased up when he heard this, and he couldn't help but heave a sigh of relief in his heart.

Truthfully speaking, he'd already made the preparations that not matter what request Chen Xi brought forward, he would turn it down at the first possible moment and not give Chen Xi any face.

At this moment, when he saw Chen Xi wasn't pressing on without letting off and wasn't bringing forward any excessive request but had something to give him instead, he naturally couldn't refuse it with a cold face.

The others were all shocked as well, and they couldn't figure out exactly what Chen Xi was doing.

"Heh, this fellow isn't an idiot. He perceived that the Sect Master and the others are disappointed, so he intends to use treasures to save the situation."

"Save it? It looks to me like he's 'bribing'! But, this fellow is really weird, he's 'bribing' the Sect Master in front of everyone, it's truly absurd."

"Indeed. With the Sect Master's status, what treasures has he not seen? How could he possibly take a fancy to treasures offered up by Chen Xi?"

"Shhh. Didn't you hear? Chen Xi was entrusted by a senior of the sect to bring some things to the Sect Master. Perhaps it's some extraordinary treasure."

"Hmph! No matter how extraordinary it is, it'd impossible to turn around the disappointment of the Sect Master and the others!"

Everyone whispered in discussion, and they were secretly guessing what objective Chen Xi wanted to attain by doing this.

"Chen Xi, which senior entrusted you with this?" Wen Huating spoke slowly. Actually, he had a rough answer in his heart because amongst the seniors of the sect that Chen Xi was able to encounter, it ought to be that Martial Uncle that guarded the Book Reserve Pavilion.

That Martial Uncle had concealed his identity many years ago and usually guarded outside the Book Reserve Pavilion while remaining indifferent to worldly matters, but his strength was unfathomable. All

those years ago, he was a great figure that roamed freely through the world and was renowned throughout the Dark Reverie.

Even if it was him, the Sect Master, he still had to be respectful and reverent when he met this Martial Uncle, and he didn't dare be disrespectful in the slightest. The other elders had similar thoughts as Wen Huating, but all of them were very curious. What exactly has that Martial Uncle entrusted to Chen Xi to give the Sect Master?

"That senior called himself Dao Lotus..." Chen Xi answered yet hadn't finished speaking when he noticed the atmosphere wasn't right. Because he clearly noticed that the expression of all the elders including the Sect Master had frozen as their pupils dilated, and their appearances were rather strange, seeming shocked and in disbelief, whereas, the disciples in the surroundings revealed bewildered expressions and didn't have any strange reactions.

"You said...you saw Senior Dao Lotus?" Wen Huating spoke with a voice that carried a trace of excitement and shock that couldn't be restrained.

"Speak, you little bastard! Quickly!" Another elder with an explosive temper had already roared in excitement.

"Yes." Chen Xi nodded, and he was curious in his heart as well. Could it be that they've heard of Dao Lotus's name before, and they've seen him?

"It's actually true!"

"How many years has it been! Since the primordial era until now, Senior Dao Lotus hasn't made an appearance in the boundless years. I thought he'd left us long ago, yet never had I imagined...he's still here!" All the elders seemed to have thought of something from the past, and they cried out involuntarily with excitement while seeming to be in insane states. They didn't have the slightest elegant demeanor any longer.

This scene caused all the disciples in the surroundings to be dumbstruck, and they were surprised and bewildered in their hearts. Who exactly is that Dao Lotus? Why did he make the Sect Master and the others become so excited from just hearing his name?

Besides that, the gazes they shot at Chen Xi became strange as well. This fellow has actually met a great figure of the sect. What sort of heaven defying fortune is this?

"No wonder he dared to act so fearlessly. So it turns out that he actually has this to rely on. In this way, how could the Sect Master and the others make a fuss about his earlier actions?" An Wei's red lips puckered slightly as she muttered, and her beautiful and classical face had a wisp of shock on it.

With her natural talent, she'd naturally heard that within the secret realm at the top of the lotus platform was a senior of mysterious and unfathomable origins cultivating there. Supposedly, he was formed from a strand of Divine Intent that belonged to the Founding Ancestor, and his cultivation was exceedingly high and had guarded the Nine Radiance Sword Sect for countless years.

But since the primordial era until now, that senior had never made an appearance, and everything related to that senior had become a secret of the sect that wasn't spread out and very few people knew of.

If it wasn't for her having ascended to the ninth layer of the lotus platform, it would be impossible for her to know that such a great figure actually existed at the top of the lotus platform.

Now when she heard Chen Xi himself verify that he'd seen that senior, even she couldn't help but arouse a wisp of envy. This fellow's fortune is really so great that no one can compare.

"Did Senior Dao Lotus say anything to you?" Wen Huating took a deep breath and forcefully restrained the excitement in his heart as he asked slowly, and the gaze he shot at Chen Xi had already transformed to become kind and amiable to the extreme.

The other elders stared fixedly at Chen Xi as well with gazes that were filled with encouragement and expectations, and the various ill feelings they had towards Chen Xi in their hearts had already vanished long ago.

Only Yue Chi had an extremely unsightly expression, and it was gloomy to the extreme. At this moment, Yue Chi finally understood that this damnable little bastard wasn't a rash fellow that didn't know restraint but dared to openly challenge him because he had something to rely on!