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Chapter 1751 Exposure

Rong Xiu spent about two hours collecting all the blood in the cave. Of course, he only collected the blood of the one who had been locked up here back then.

As for the rest, he ignored it.

A fist-sized drop of blood floated quietly in front of the two of them. An indescribably powerful pressure gradually emitted from above—it was very shocking!

The faint light of the pearl shone on it, emitting a strange and beautiful light.

Chu Liuyue asked softly, “What do we do next?”

Could it be that the heirloom was left in this blood bead? It doesn’t seem likely either...

At this moment, a fluctuation came from Chu Liuyue’s dantian.

She was stunned.

This commotion was caused by Zi Chen.

With a flash of black light, a huge black figure appeared in the cave!

“Zi Chen?” Zi Chen rarely took the initiative to come out, so Chu Liuyue was very surprised.

However, Zi Chen stared intently at the ball of blood with a solemn expression.

“...You noticed something?” asked Chu Liuyue.

Zi Chen nodded. “The aura of the great phoenix dragon ancestor is hidden in this blood pearl!”

Chu Liuyue’s eyes shrunk, and Rong Xiu narrowed his eyes.

Zi Chen immediately explained, “Of course, this doesn’t mean that the blood pearl belongs to that ancestor. It only means that there should be the power of that ancestor in the blood pearl.”

Zi Chen paused before saying, “If I’m not wrong... what this person obtained back then should be the heirloom of their ancestor!”

As soon as Zi Chen finished speaking, the entire cave fell silent.

When Chu Liuyue heard Zi Chen’s first sentence, she vaguely felt that something was wrong. Now that she heard his explanation, she was even more shocked!

Rong Xiu was silent for a moment before a playful smile appeared on his face. “It’s only rumored that it obtained an extremely powerful and precious heirloom. I only thought that it was a powerful ancestor. I didn’t expect... it to be their first ancestor...”

Zi Chen nodded. There was no mistake since he had the great phoenix dragon’s bloodline power in his body.

This aura was exactly the same as the pressure brought about by the dragon roar they had heard after entering!

"If that's the case, it'll be even more interesting." Rong Xiu's lips curled up slightly, and there seemed to be ripples in his deep phoenix eyes. "The great phoenix dragon that obtained his first ancestor's heirloom is the heir chosen by their ancestor. Its bloodline strength is the purest, so how can it go crazy?"

Chu Liuyue subconsciously glanced at the ball of blood. Exactly! These two ancient legendary fiend clans are most particular about bloodline power and are extremely protective of their ancestors.

For example, although Tuan Zi came from an ordinary background... After obtaining the approval of her ancestor, the entire red-gold heavenly phoenix clan's attitude toward Chu Liuyue immediately changed greatly—from disgust to respect. However, it was because Tuan Zi's ancestor had personally chosen Tuan Zi.

And how could someone with such pure bloodline power and their ancestor's heirloom do such a crazy thing to harm their own clan?

"It seems that there's something else behind what happened back then... It obtained the inheritance of its ancestor, but nobody actually knows about such an important matter?"

Rong Xiu laughed faintly. "It might not be that nobody knows. It's just that... those who know about this have buried this secret forever."

"Miao Yang!" A thought flashed across Chu Liuyue's mind. It had to be him! In that case, it isn't difficult to explain why only his blood is left in the cave! More importantly, the person who became the clan leader after that crazy great phoenix dragon was killed was Miao Yang!

As the biggest beneficiary of this matter, how could he have nothing to do with it? This secret has probably been completely hidden from the entire great phoenix dragon clan!

"But after so many years, why haven't the people of the great phoenix dragon clan discovered anything fishy?"

This Seven Lotus Peak, this cave, and these bloodstains! Since Zi Chen can sense this, their clansmen should be able to as well.

Rong Xiu seemed to have guessed her thoughts and explained, "It's naturally because everything here has been tampered with. Do you still remember that before we came in, I burned the cave entrance?"

Chu Liuyue nodded.

"There are some things left behind by Miao Yang there. It should be because of this that nobody has discovered the secret here all these years."

This was indeed the most reasonable explanation!

As the clan leader, Miao Yang naturally did whatever he wanted and let whoever he wanted in. If he didn't want these people to discover these things, how could anyone?

Who would dare to touch the power he had left behind?

But Rong Xiu was different. As soon as he arrived, he attacked mercilessly.

Coupled with Zi Chen, this secret was naturally exposed.

Miao Yang probably never would've thought they would dig up such an old secret when he locked them up here to threaten them!

If this matter is exposed, Miao Yang will probably not be able to continue being the clan leader! Compared to their first ancestor, what is the clan leader? The entire great phoenix dragon clan will probably suppress him!

At this moment, Zi Chen suddenly took a step forward. "Stand back."

Chu Liuyue and Rong Xiu glanced at each other and took a step back.

Hula!

Zi Chen's wings suddenly spread!

Immediately after, Chu Liuyue saw a faint glow suddenly appear on his wings. It was the skeleton and power of the great phoenix dragon!

Then, the ball of blood slowly floated toward Zi Chen. In the end, it split into two and melted into his wings!

Boom!

The ground under their feet suddenly trembled violently!

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However, this tremor only lasted for an instant. The next moment, the sound of something shattering could be heard!

Chu Liuyue quickly looked up—the surrounding space was rapidly collapsing!

This illusion was about to break!

Rong Xiu immediately rushed over and hugged her waist!

Rumble!

The void completely shattered!

The few of them immediately disappeared from the spot! At the same time, the teleportation array flickering in the cave quietly dissipated!

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Outside Godly Dragon Island, Nan Suhuai suddenly felt something, and a trace of shock flashed across his eyes! Immediately after, half of the teleportation array in front of him suddenly dimmed!

Shangguan Jing and Chu Ning were shocked to see this.

“What’s going on? What happened?” Shangguan Jing asked anxiously.

Nan Suhuai didn’t answer his question immediately. He only gritted his teeth and circulated his origin power into the teleportation array.

However, the dimmed half never lit up again.

Cold sweat broke out on his back!

Seeing his expression, Shangguan Jing and Chu Ning felt even more uneasy.

Chu Ning asked again, “Director, what’s wrong?”

Why did half of the teleportation array suddenly darken?!

Nan Suhuai closed his eyes before saying in a low voice, “Half of this teleportation array... has been destroyed.”

“Half of it was destroyed?! This is...” Chu Ning frowned, but his eyes were filled with confusion.

He had never heard such a statement.

However, Shangguan Jing seemed to have thought of something. His expression darkened with deep worry.

Nan Suhuai explained, “Ordinary teleportation arrays will collapse completely once they are affected by external forces. However, our teleportation array is different. If half of it is destroyed, it means... the other end of the teleportation array has been destroyed.”

Chu Ning reacted. “Then... doesn’t that mean that they can’t come back?”

Nan Suhuai shook his head. “Not necessarily. This teleportation array is very different from ordinary teleportation arrays. Half of it is destroyed, but the other half is still fine. If they can find a way to repair the teleportation array on that end, they can still return smoothly.”

These words didn’t relax Chu Ning. It is easy to say so, but how can it be easy to do? Nan Suhuai previously said that other than the dean, nobody else is qualified to learn this teleportation array. Then, how are they going to repair it and return?

Nan Suhuai knew what Chu Ning was worried about and comforted him. “Chu Ning, Yue’er has learned this teleportation array. Although she can’t unleash it with her current strength, she still has Rong Xiu by her side. If the two of them join forces, there might be hope.”

Hearing this, Chu Ning finally calmed down. “Really?”

Nan Suhuai smiled helplessly. “Yue’er is my only disciple. She’s extremely talented, and I’ve always treated her as my successor and taught her everything. Although I haven’t officially taught her this teleportation array, I previously let her learn a portion of the relevant content. If she can master it and reconstruct that half of the teleportation array, she can leave Godly Dragon Island!”

Hearing Nan Suhuai’s words, Chu Ning let out a long breath. Although this matter still sounds uncertain, it is better than nothing. Yue’er is smart. Coupled with Rong Xiu, she might really succeed...

Shangguan Jing was thinking about something else. "This teleportation array was fine all along. Why was half of it suddenly destroyed?"

As soon as he finished speaking, Nan Suhuai and Chu Ning were silent for a moment.

It was obvious that something had happened inside.

"...Could it be that Tuan Zi has been discovered? Or... have they encountered other trouble?"

Shangguan Jing frowned. If that is the case, they will be in big trouble.

Nan Suhuai suddenly turned around and looked in the direction of Godly Dragon Island. After a moment, he said in a low voice, "I think there doesn't seem to be much movement on Godly Dragon Island for the time being. Let's wait and see."

If something really happens, the great phoenix dragon will definitely send people to surround us. In any case, it is better to observe the situation first before making a decision.

After Shangguan Jing and Chu Ning thought about it seriously, they nodded in agreement.

Chu Ning sighed softly. "Now, I just hope they're safe and sound..."

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The commotion at Seven Lotus Peak also attracted the attention of the guards outside.

The two guards turned in unison, unable to hide their surprise and excitement. "They're finally coming out!?"

Only the heavens knew how boring it was standing guard here day and night, waiting until the flowers had withered. However, the two people inside had special identities, and the two guards were personally instructed by the clan leader to guard them strictly. They didn't dare to relax at all and were very tired.

If the two of them could come out, they would be liberated.

However, nobody came out of the cave on Seven Lotus Peak. Moreover, the fluctuations which attracted their attention had completely dissipated.

Everything seemed to have returned to normal as if nothing had happened.

The two of them looked at each other. "What... what's going on?"

Could it be that we were hallucinating together? That is impossible!

"Do you want to go in and take a look?" one of the guards asked.

The other glanced at him. "The clan leader only asked us to guard Seven Lotus Peak. He didn't say that we could enter!"

This place was almost an unspoken forbidden area for the entire great phoenix dragon clan. Even if they obtained permission, not many great phoenix dragons wanted to enter.

"That's true... Then, what should we do?"

“I think it’s probably because they can’t take it anymore that they caused such a commotion. They’ll probably have to lower their heads and admit defeat in a day or two!”

“Then, you mean... we should continue to wait?”

“Just wait! Seven Lotus Peak’s barrier is extremely strong. They won’t be able to escape even if they have wings, so what’s there to worry about?”

“That’s true!”

They were confident in the barrier of Seven Lotus Peak and definitely didn’t believe that any human could resist them. Besides, this was their territory.

At this moment, they didn’t know that Rong Xiu and Chu Liuyue—who they thought were being tortured—had already left Seven Lotus Peak.

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After being swept into the void and experiencing a long period of darkness, they finally stepped onto solid ground again.

A faint light surged from all directions.

After staying in the dim cave for so long, Chu Liuyue was still not used to it. She narrowed her eyes, then looked around.

What she saw shocked her on the spot.

At this moment, they were in a wide and ancient hall!

Black jade stones were neatly laid on the ground. In the middle of the hall was a white jade pillar as thick as ten people hugging each other.

Cloud patterns were carved on it, as well as... a lifelike great phoenix dragon! It was a coiling dragon pillar!

A powerful pressure emitted from the carved great phoenix dragon, shocking everyone! At this moment, it was looking down at them with a dignified and solemn expression!

In an instant, Chu Liuyue understood something. “This is... the holy hall!”

Chapter 1753 Deep in the Forest

Apart from them, the hall was empty. It was so quiet that Chu Liuyue could hear her own heartbeat.

Chu Liuyue held her breath. I really didn’t expect us to come to this place!

Just like the red-gold heavenly phoenix clan, the holy hall was the great phoenix dragon’s most sacred and solemn place. Nobody was allowed to enter easily.

Even the people of the great phoenix dragon clan had to pass several tests to enter, let alone them.

At this moment, a very strange feeling suddenly surged in Chu Liuyue's heart. I seem to be... quite fated with the two ancient legendary fiend clans recently? In this short period of time, we first went to Godly Phoenix Mountain and spoke to the red-gold heavenly phoenix's ancestor in Godly Phoenix Hall.

Now that we are on Godly Dragon Island... We were originally imprisoned, but we unexpectedly arrived at the holy hall in the blink of an eye...

Chu Liuyue turned around and fell silent for a moment. It's fine if Rong Xiu and I come, but we even brought Tuan Zi and Zi Chen. One of them is the red-gold heavenly phoenix clan's young mistress, and the other has reconstructed his body with the bones of a great phoenix dragon... What a sin!

Chu Liuyue held her forehead and felt a headache coming on. Looking at the closed door, she began to think seriously about how it would be more convenient to leave.

"Miao Yang and the others are outside the door." Rong Xiu chuckled.

Chu Liuyue instantly deflated.

It was obviously impossible to get out through the door, or even through the window. It was obvious that there must be guards outside the huge holy hall! Unless they returned the way they came, they would really be trapped here!

Tuan Zi suddenly tugged at Chu Liuyue's sleeve and said, "A'Yue, look—there's something in that pillar!"

Chu Liuyue turned around and looked over.

There were indeed four purple spots of light in the coiling dragon pillar.

"Those should be the great phoenix dragons that entered to search for heirlooms," explained Rong Xiu.

He knew the Thousand Summit quite well and could roughly guess.

Chu Liuyue was in deep thought. "In that case... there's actually another world in this coiling dragon pillar?"

"Do you see the scales on it?" Zi Chen suddenly spoke. "Every scale contains an heirloom. Those that are still flickering are the heirlooms that haven't been taken away."

Realization dawned on Chu Liuyue.

She had already heard from Rong Xiu and Zi Chen that the great phoenix dragon clan's heirlooms were passed down from generation to generation. Those who obtained an heirloom would return it to the holy hall after they died.

Those great phoenix dragons had clearly entered the coiling dragon pillar to find an heirloom.

At this moment, a glint suddenly flashed in the eyes of the dragon carved on the white jade pillar!

Chu Liuyue's heart skipped a beat, and she immediately became vigilant. But soon, she realized that these eyes weren't looking at her but... Zi Chen!

Right, Zi Chen's body has fused with that person's remaining blood!

Just as this thought flashed through her mind, she felt a huge force suddenly wrap around her!

The few of them instantly disappeared!

A moment later, a few more spots of light appeared on the coiling dragon pillar! They floated gently and shone!

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Outside the holy hall.

Everyone was still waiting.

Ever since the last young man obtained a good heirloom, everyone had relaxed a lot. The wait didn't seem so hard anymore.

Miao Yang sat in his chair.

The holy hall in front of him was still peaceful.

He thought for a moment and asked an elder beside him, "How's the situation at Seven Lotus Peak?"

It has been quite a while. Logically speaking, the two of them should've 'thought it through.' But even now, there is still no news.

That elder hurriedly answered, "Clan Leader, everything is as usual."

Actually, the people in charge of guarding came to report every day. Under such circumstances, Miao Yang still took the initiative to ask. It could be seen how important this matter was to him.

Of course, this was the first time a human had rashly barged into Godly Dragon Island. It wasn't only Miao Yang; the entire clan was also paying attention to this matter.

Everyone was waiting for a result. Of course, there was only one outcome in their hearts—Rong Xiu and Shangguan Yue compromised and admitted defeat.

Nobody had thought of any other possibility, including Miao Yang.

He frowned quickly at the answer. Something is really wrong... They can stay at Seven Lotus Peak for a day or two, but after so long, they still haven't bowed their heads. How stubborn!

"Let's continue waiting then!" Miao Yang's eyes turned colder. Until they figure it out themselves!

"Yes!"

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On the other side, the few of them entered the coiling dragon pillar.

Chu Liuyue only felt that the scene in front of her kept changing, making it almost impossible to see clearly.

In the end, their bodies felt heavy, and their feet landed on solid ground.

In front of them was a lush forest. The sound of running water came from nearby.

Chu Liuyue looked over.

There seemed to be a lake deep in the forest. A faint white mist enveloped it, making it look quiet and peaceful.

However, alarm bells rang in Chu Liuyue's heart! Almost instinctively, her entire body tensed up, and she went on full alert!

Rong Xiu held her hand and took a step forward to protect her.

Tuan Zi also grabbed Chu Liuyue's sleeve tightly and widened her black grape-like eyes as she looked straight ahead!

Only Zi Chen's eyes flashed with suspicion.

"Has someone finally found this place..." A hoarse and rough voice sounded from the lake!

His tone was clearly extremely calm, but Chu Liuyue felt that every word was like a clap of thunder, shocking her!

"Hmm? It's really a human?"

Chapter 1754 Miao Zhen

Then, Chu Liuyue felt a pair of eyes sweep past her.

That gaze was clear and sharp. She had the illusion that her entire being had been seen through.

"There are two humans, but there's actually a red-gold heavenly phoenix?"

Shock entered the voice. Clearly, it was too strange for them to appear here.

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A moment later, the voice laughed. "I was wondering which talented junior had found this place, but it turns out... it's a three-eyed legendary eagle that has fused with the bones of a great phoenix dragon."

Chu Liuyue's heart tightened. The other party has actually recognized all of us so easily!

She was about to speak when Rong Xiu spoke first. "We unintentionally barged into this place and disturbed you, Senior. Please forgive us."

After a short silence, the white mist on the lake suddenly gathered. In the blink of an eye, it condensed into the appearance of a middle-aged man.

"Come forward." His voice was filled with irrefutable dignity!

Chu Liuyue and Rong Xiu glanced at each other.

Zi Chen had already walked forward.

Rong Xiu lightly nodded. The two of them then followed closely.

Tuan Zi grabbed the corner of Chu Liuyue's shirt and followed behind.

There was no sun here, but the sky was green and very bright.

The woods were lush and leafy. The thick leaves made crackling sounds when stepped on.

The breeze blew, bringing with it the faint fragrance of plants.

Everything looked no different from an ordinary forest.

They quickly made their way through the trees to the lake.

It wasn't a big lake, but the still water was deep, and there was a faint phosphorescence on the surface.

If one didn't look at the apparition hanging above the lake, this place would really be quiet and leisurely. It was a good place to rest.

Unfortunately, Chu Liuyue couldn't relax no matter what. She knew very well that the person in front of her was from the great phoenix dragon clan!

As they stood closer, they could see more clearly.

The man looked to be in his 30s or 40s. He wore a long robe, and he had an ordinary face and a long beard.

At a glance, he seemed very ordinary and nothing special. However, the cold and shocking aura around him clearly indicated that this man was definitely not simple!

Chu Liuyue even felt that this person wasn't inferior to Miao Yang!

"Of course, you didn't enter here unintentionally." The man laughed. "Godly Dragon Island never lets humans in. It's definitely not an accident that you can appear here."

Chu Liuyue found it strange. After the other great phoenix dragons saw Rong Xiu and me break into Godly Dragon Island, they were filled with righteous indignation. However, the man in front of us is clearly a great phoenix dragon, but he doesn't seem to care about this matter.

One has to know that other than the two of us, there is also Tuan Zi! How could this be tolerated?

"There's no need to doubt me. I don't have the intention to welcome you; it's just that... this legendary three-eyed eagle is quite fated with me. For its sake, I won't pursue the matter."

Several pairs of eyes turned to Zi Chen.

The man sighed and laughed helplessly. "I originally thought that some smart junior had come. Who knew... However, it doesn't matter. The bloodline power of the great phoenix dragon clan flows in your body. You can be considered half a member of my clan."

Chu Liuyue's eyelids twitched. This person... is really casual... As ancient legendary fiends, the great phoenix dragon clan values their bloodline the most. In their opinion, people like Zi Chen are just anomalies who have tainted their bloodline. However, why does the person in front of us not seem to think so?

"Of course, it shouldn't have been considered like this, but... Since you've fused with my blood, I'll naturally treat you as one of us."

This sentence was instantly like a handful of water poured into a pot of oil. In an instant, flames flew everywhere!

Chu Liuyue looked up in shock and stared at the man in front of her in disbelief. Her heart was already in turmoil! He said... Zi Chen has fused with his blood?! Then, his identity is obvious!

"You... You're the one who was locked up at Seven Lotus Peak?"

Hearing the words 'Seven Lotus Peak,' a dark expression flashed across the man's face. "Yes."

Rong Xiu's eyes flickered before he cupped his hands and bowed. "So it's Senior Miao Zhen. My apologies."

Miao Zhen gave him a surprised look. "How do you know my name?"

Rong Xiu smiled and said, "Senior Miao Zhen is a rare genius of the great phoenix dragon clan and is very famous, so we've naturally heard of you."

Chu Liuyue silently gave His Grace a thumbs up. This praise is really professional.

As expected, Miao Zhen's expression improved a lot. However, his eyes soon darkened again, and he laughed self-deprecatingly. "The glory of the past has long dissipated. Now, I'm just a ghost. Hiding here and not seeing the light of day for a thousand years—what's the difference between this and death?"

Chu Liuyue held her breath. Miao Zhen! He is actually still alive!

Rumor had it that the legendary figure who killed seven people in a row overnight was finally executed by the great phoenix dragons. However, he was actually hiding in the coiling dragon pillar in the holy hall!

Miao Yang and the others never would've thought that he would actually hide here!

Rong Xiu raised his eyebrows and smiled. "You're still alive, and the inheritance of the great phoenix dragon's ancestor is still with you. Your identity is naturally different."

Just as he finished speaking, Chu Liuyue felt a cold killing intent suddenly attack her!

Her heart skipped a beat, but Rong Xiu was calm and composed. Hence, she didn't move.

Just as the sharp aura was about to cut through their bodies, it finally stopped!

"Junior, how bold!" Miao Zhen gazed at Rong Xiu coldly. How dare he say such a thing in front of me?! There are less than three people in the world who know about the heirloom on me! This kid is so bold!

Rong Xiu's expression didn't change as he said calmly, "Since we followed Zi Chen here, it's not difficult to guess this. What's the point of pretending in front of you?"

That would only make Miao Zhen feel that they were hypocritical and unreliable. Hence, he decided to be frank.

Miao Zhen stared at Rong Xiu for a while, and the coldness on his face gradually faded. "You've got guts."

Chapter 1755 You Want to Give It, But I Don't Want It

"That's right. I did leave a clue in the cave of Seven Lotus Peak, hoping that a junior would find this place. But after so long, there's still no progress. Originally, I didn't have much hope, but I didn't expect—" Miao Zhen looked at Zi Chen with a deep gaze.

I really didn't expect a three-eyed legendary eagle to appear...

Chu Liuyue pondered for a moment before saying, "Senior Miao Zhen, ever since you left, almost nobody from the great phoenix dragon clan has entered Seven Lotus Peak. It's also a coincidence that we were locked up there this time."

Then, she explained briefly what had happened. Of course, she only said that they came from the God-Killing Tumulus. She did not mention what had happened there.

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Miao Zhen sneered. "Miao Yang hates me to the core. Of course, he won't casually allow the other clansmen to go to Seven Lotus Peak again."

It is also because of this that I have waited here bitterly for more than a thousand years!

"Could it be that your accident back then had something to do with Clan Leader Miao Yang?" asked Chu Liuyue.

Miao Zhen snorted. "Since you've found this place and probably guessed it, there's no need for me to hide it from you."

He took a deep breath as if suppressing the surging emotions in his heart.

"That's right. Back then, I was indeed framed by him and ended up in this state. He was the one who killed those seven people and framed me. It was also him who trapped me on Seven Lotus Peak and tried to take my bloodline power! Unfortunately, he was one step behind, and I escaped in the end!"

Even if he had paid an extremely painful price for it, he had survived in the end!

Chu Liuyue and Rong Xiu looked at each other.

Even though they had already guessed correctly, it was still shocking to hear the person involved admit it. This was definitely the greatest secret of the entire great phoenix dragon clan!

"Then... he actually doesn't know that you aren't dead?" This was something Chu Liuyue was very curious about. Since Miao Yang was willing to put in so much effort to deal with Miao Zhen, he must want to kill him. Does he really not suspect anything all these years?

Miao Zhen suddenly laughed as if he had heard a joke. His voice was low and rough, and his laughter was like thunder that struck her eardrums heavily, almost shocking her! "Hahaha! Girl, aren't you overestimating Miao Yang and underestimating me? If not for the fact that I was at the critical moment of breaking through back then, that despicable person wouldn't have been my match!"

His words didn't hide his boldness and pride. It was based on absolute strength!

Compared to Miao Yang, who was a wolf in sheep's clothing and whose emotions couldn't be seen through no matter what, she admired the person in front of her more. He dared to laugh, curse, be impudent, and be frank!

After being harmed to this extent, he still has such an imposing aura. It's difficult to imagine what kind of figure Miao Zhen would be now if those things hadn't happened back then! What a pity...

Seeing her expression, Miao Yang raised his eyebrows and continued, "After our ancestor died, his body changed into this world. The heirloom of the clan is hidden here. Every time the Thousand Summit happens, the younger generation will enter this place to find a suitable heirloom."

"This is the most sacred place in the entire great phoenix dragon clan. Even if Miao Yang becomes the clan leader, he won't be able to spy on this place at all! It's also because of this that Miao Yang hasn't noticed me even after I've stayed here for a thousand years."

Rong Xiu suddenly asked, "Senior Miao Zhen, the great phoenix dragon clan seems to only have one chance in their lives to enter this place, right? You—"

Miao Zhen laughed. "I have the heirloom of my ancestor on me, so I can naturally enter and leave this place at will! Back then, Miao Yang only thought that I was dead and that my soul had perished. He bitterly searched for the heirloom of my ancestor but couldn't obtain it. Who would've thought that I would be here!"

So that was it! I wonder what Miao Yang's expression will be when he finds out about this. I'm afraid that the usual calm and fake smile on his face can no longer be faked, right?

Zi Chen suddenly inquired, "Then, why did you lure me here?"

Miao Zhen's expression gradually restrained. He stared steadily at Zi Chen. "Of course... it's to find a suitable descendant to inherit the legacy of our ancestor!"

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There was silence in the woods. The air seemed to freeze.

It took Chu Liuyue a while to come back to her senses and realize what Miao Zhen meant. Is he going to let Zi Chen obtain the heirloom of the great phoenix dragons' ancestor?! Isn't this a joke? Zi Chen is a three-eyed legendary eagle!

However, Zi Chen seemed to have expected him to say this. After a short silence, Zi Chen said indifferently, "Senior Miao Zhen, I'm afraid that's not appropriate. I'm the clan leader of the three-eyed legendary eagle clan. It doesn't make sense for me to inherit the great phoenix dragon clan's heirloom."

If anyone else was here and heard Zi Chen's words, they would probably not be able to help but scold him for not thinking straight.

This was the heirloom of an ancient legendary fiend clan's ancestor! How precious!

How many legendary fiends in the world could not ask for more? Now that it was in front of him, Zi Chen rejected it!

But Zi Chen really didn't want it. Although he had used the great phoenix dragon's wing bones to reconstruct his body and fused with its bloodline power for his own use, he had always remembered his identity.

He didn't belong to the great phoenix dragon clan, not in the past, not now, and not in the future!

Miao Zhen didn't seem to expect such an answer from Zi Chen and subconsciously frowned. "Are you sure? Only one person in the world can obtain such an opportunity."

Miao Yang hates me and has risked everything to snatch this heirloom, but he has still found nothing. However, this three-eyed legendary eagle... said no?

Zi Chen nodded. "I can return your power."

He had only swallowed the blood pearl because he felt that something was summoning him, not because he wanted to obtain something.

Miao Zhen's expression was a little cold. When he saw that it was a three-eyed legendary eagle, he was disappointed. However, he quickly chose to accept this fact and was prepared to pass the heirloom. But now, he still doesn't want it?! He really... doesn't know what is good for him!

Zi Chen's answer was so unexpected that it took Miao Zhen a while to digest it completely. He snorted and shouted in a deep voice, "I don't have a physical body now. What's the use of this inheritance?!"

Waves gradually rose on the lake, and the leaves around them rustled.

The world seemed to be agitated by Miao Zhen's anger, but Zi Chen was unmoved, and his eyes were indifferent.

"There's something you might not know yet. Not only am I the clan leader of the legendary three-eyed eagle clan, but I'm also her contracted legendary fiend. Senior Miao Zhen, do you really not mind?"

Miao Zhen was shocked and looked at Chu Liuyue.

"And me! And me! I'm also A'Yue's contracted legendary fiend!" Tuan Zi waved with a proud expression and tried to make her presence known.

Miao Zhen's eyes widened even more. "What did you say!?"

Chapter 1756 Resigned

At this moment, Miao Zhen was in a mess. Countless thoughts raced through his mind. Although the bloodline of the legendary three-eyed eagle clan isn't comparable to that of the two ancient legendary fiend clans, it is still quite noble. The eagle in front of me was actually willing to contract with a human?

And the little girl beside her—she is a real red-gold heavenly phoenix! She was actually willing to give her face?

This isn't the most terrifying thing. The most terrifying thing is that not only have these two legendary fiends contracted with a human, but it is also with the same person!

Didn't I just stay here for a while? Why is the outside world like this?

Besides, a thousand years is nothing compared to the tens of thousands of years of the red-gold heavenly phoenix and the legendary three-eyed eagle's existence, right? How did—

Miao Zhen's expression was blank. He looked at Tuan Zi and then at Zi Chen with slightly trembling fingers. "You... you guys..."

Tuan Zi's eyes lit up as she bragged, "I've followed A'Yue longer than Zi Chen!"

Zi Chen looked back at her.

Tuan Zi made a face, her chubby face full of smugness.

Zi Chen's eyes flickered, and he calmly looked away.

Miao Zhen pointed at Tuan Zi and almost lost his breath. "You—this!"

What is there to brag about!?

Get this straight—you're an incomparably noble ancient legendary fiend, a red-gold heavenly phoenix! Do your clansmen know you're happy here?

Even though the relationship between the great phoenix dragon clan and the red-gold heavenly phoenix clan was very subtle, and they were used to not liking each other, Miao Zhen couldn't help but feel heartbroken for the entire red-gold heavenly phoenix clan. How did such a weirdo appear?!

Not only has she contracted with the human race, but she also serves the same master as the legendary three-eyed eagle. Most importantly, she is so happy!?

Miao Zhen did not understand; he really didn't understand.

When he saw Tuan Zi previously, he had his doubts. Firstly, he felt that it was quite strange that she had already transformed into a human at such a young age. Secondly, she had been holding the corner of the human woman's clothes tightly and looked very intimate.

However, he had been thinking about dealing with his ancestor's heirloom just now, so he didn't have the time to think too much about it.

Who knew that this would happen!?

Chu Liuyue gently rubbed Tuan Zi's head and smiled at Miao Zhen. "Senior Miao Zhen, I'm sorry. Tuan Zi is still young and innocent by nature. Children's words carry no harm; don't take it to heart."

Miao Zhen's lips twitched. Children's words carry no harm... I have lived for so many years, but I never expected that these words could actually be used for red-gold heavenly phoenixes!

Miao Zhen took a deep breath and closed his eyes. Then, he held his forehead in pain.

Even though he didn't have a physical body now, he still felt an incomparable headache! What is this group of people!?

At this moment, footsteps suddenly sounded from the distant forest. It was as if someone was coming this way.

Miao Zhen's expression darkened, and he glanced over.

Chu Liuyue exchanged glances with Rong Xiu. The newcomer should be one of the four people who has participated in the Thousand Summit and are still here.

But after a while, the footsteps gradually faded away. It seemed like... that person had left.

Soon, the footsteps disappeared completely.

The person had already left.

Chu Liuyue subconsciously looked at Miao Zhen. If that person had come just now, he might've been able to obtain their ancestor's heirloom from Miao Zhen. After all, compared to outsiders like Zi Chen, his own juniors are more suitable candidates.

However, Miao Zhen's expression was calm as if... he were already used to it.

"Actually, over the years, the Thousand Summit has been held quite a few times. Every time, many good juniors come in. A few of them have found this area like the one just now." Miao Zhen suddenly spoke, his tone much calmer. "But nobody has walked through the woods and really come here."

Chu Liuyue actually saw a trace of desolation on his face. Actually, thinking about it carefully, it is understandable. After all, Miao Zhen is a great phoenix dragon. If possible, he should want to leave this heirloom to the most outstanding junior.

As he has said, he no longer has a physical body. There is no point in leaving this heirloom with him. Unless there is really no other way, why would he choose Zi Chen? After experiencing disappointment too many times, his passion will eventually cool down.

"In the battle back then, my body was destroyed, and my strength was exhausted. Although I'm surviving here, I'm also attached to this lake and can't leave. In addition, opportunities are the most unpredictable and the strongest. Those children aren't fated with the ancestor and me."

Miao Zhen had actually thought things through long ago. Although it was inevitable that he would feel regretful, life didn't go as intended even for him.

He looked at Zi Chen, and there seemed to be waves in his eyes. "These clan juniors have entered this place one after another, but they haven't discovered my existence. And you... are not a member of my clan. It can even be said that you have nothing to do with the great phoenix dragon clan, but you still came here..."

Perhaps this is really the will of the heavens! Miao Zhen suddenly paused mid-sentence.

Actually, there was no point in saying these words. Zi Chen was unwilling to accept this heirloom and had already contracted with Chu Liuyue.

These two points were enough to make Miao Zhen give up his initial idea. You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make it drink. The only pity is that after today, I still don't know how long I will have to wait to find a suitable successor...

Rong Xiu suddenly asked, "Senior Miao Zhen, are you really willing to be trapped here forever?"

Miao Zhen was stunned. Of course, I'm indignant! I have yet to take revenge on Miao Yang! I have yet to get back what I have lost! But now that I have almost nothing and have finally found an heir, it is unsuitable. What else can I do?

He looked at Rong Xiu in surprise. "What... do you mean?"

Rong Xiu raised his eyebrows slightly. "Nothing. To be honest, Clan Leader Miao Yang was very rude to Yue'er and me previously and made things difficult for us. He said bluntly at the Thousand Summit that if Yue'er and I don't erase our memories of coming here, we'll be imprisoned on Godly Dragon Island forever."

"You're the heir to the heirloom of the great phoenix dragon's ancestor. Be it talent or anything else, you're better than Miao Yang. As long as the truth is clarified back then, the position of clan leader will definitely change hands! At that time, you can take back what originally belonged to you, and we can leave Godly Dragon Island openly. It's killing two birds with one stone. Why not?"

Miao Zhen narrowed his eyes. "You want to form an alliance with me?"

Rong Xiu smiled frankly. "It would be our honor to be on good terms with you."

Miao Zhen closed his eyes. Countless images surged from the depths of his mind.

After a long while, he said in a low voice, "...I don't have a physical body. If I leave this place, my soul will dissipate."

Rong Xiu said, "What if we can help you reconstruct your body?"

Chapter 1757 Your Way

Outside the holy hall, everyone was still waiting.

More than 20 days had passed now, and there was still one person inside who hadn't come out.

Miao Yang sat in his chair with a faint smile on his face.

The atmosphere in the square was also very lively. This was because the three people that came out not long ago had also obtained very good heirlooms.

Including the first one, four of the last five people had already achieved good results.

Everyone heaved a sigh of relief.

As long as nothing went wrong and the heirlooms were successfully passed down, the Thousand Summit would end smoothly. Although it wasn't as good as the previous Thousand Summits, it was already much better than everyone's initial worry that they would obtain nothing.

Most of the people in the square looked relaxed and happy. They were talking to each other in groups of three to five.

"It's been so long, but Miao Su hasn't come out yet. He must've obtained a top-notch heirloom!"

"I think so too! In the past, the last person to come out of the Thousand Summit was basically the most outstanding! Miao Su will definitely be no exception this time! In comparison, Miao Shang—who was the first to obtain an heirloom—isn't that outstanding..."

Someone suddenly snorted sarcastically. "That might not be the case!"

The crowd fell silent.

The person who spoke was a middle-aged man with an ordinary appearance and an unhappy expression.

"Whether or not you can obtain a good heirloom in the holy hall will indeed affect a person's future to a large extent. However, that's not absolute! Some people are destined to become experts. Even if they don't perform well once, they will definitely become stronger in the future! There are also some people who, although they will have a moment of glory, the final outcome might not be certain!"

Quite a few people secretly exchanged glances. They were all from the same clan, so they were naturally familiar with each other.

This man was Miao Shang's biological father.

After Miao Shang received the inheritance, he had always been very happy and smug. Now that he heard these words, he naturally found them very jarring.

"Don't forget that our clan leader wasn't the last to come out back then, but now—" He snorted a laugh but didn't go on.

However, everyone understood the meaning behind his words.

Some people's expressions changed slightly, and they subconsciously looked at Miao Yang.

Actually, there was nothing wrong with the first few words, but the key was... Back then, Clan Leader Miao Yang participated in the same Thousand Summit with that person and also entered the holy hall together! Most importantly, the last person to come out of that Thousand Summit was that person—Miao Zhen!

This name had already become taboo in the great phoenix dragon clan. Everyone subconsciously ignored this name as if that person had never existed. Even some things related to him were especially sensitive and wouldn't be mentioned.

Now that the clan leader heard this...

As if sensing that the atmosphere wasn't right, the person who spoke was suddenly shocked. Then, he looked at Miao Yang uneasily.

Miao Yang looked over and smiled faintly. "That's right. Until the end, nobody knows who will win. Those who can laugh in the end are the true experts."

Everyone nodded in agreement. Nobody was more qualified to say this than Miao Yang.

Back then, Miao Zhen was extremely talented and was undoubtedly the number one among the younger generation of the great phoenix dragon clan! At that time, all his peers were enveloped by his halo—even Miao Yang was the same. But who would've thought that so much would happen later...

This small commotion quickly subsided, and everyone quickly chatted about other topics.

Miao Yang leaned back in his chair and looked away with lowered eyes.

Miao Zhen... Even though that person had been dead for more than a thousand years, when he thought of this name, he couldn't help but feel disgust and jealousy!

He remembered living in Miao Zhen's shadow for many years.

Speaking of geniuses, heirs, and the future, the first person the entire clan mentions will definitely be Miao Zhen! As for me, Miao Yang, nobody even remembers my name. I have lived like this for too long, and I have had enough! Fortunately, Miao Zhen died in the end, and the position of clan leader became mine. Everyone gradually forgot about that person and now regards me as the best.

Everything has gone according to my plan except for one thing—I have yet to find the ancestral heirloom!

He had been brooding over this.

Actually, the heirloom he had obtained back then wasn't bad. Unfortunately, it was worlds apart from what Miao Zhen had obtained. After all, in the entire great phoenix dragon clan, only Miao Zhen had obtained that ancestor's heirloom in tens of thousands of years!

Of course, Miao Yang was very jealous. He had used almost all kinds of methods to obtain this thing. It was a pity...

Miao Yang put away his thoughts and looked up at the holy hall in front of him. Perhaps after the Thousand Summit ends, I should personally make a trip to Seven Lotus Peak.

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"Great phoenix dragons are ancient legendary fiends. Once their body is destroyed, it can't be restored. Even the great phoenix dragon clan can't resolve this. As a human, where did you get the courage to say that you can help me reconstruct my body?"

After Rong Xiu finished speaking, there was silence.

Miao Zhen was silent for a moment before retorting. He clearly didn't believe that Rong Xiu had the ability.

Rong Xiu had actually expected this reaction. He took a step forward, his expression calm and indifferent. "Just because the great phoenix dragon clan can't do it doesn't mean I can't."

At this moment, a thought flashed through Miao Zhen's mind: Preposterous!

Instead, he laughed and said, "Oh? Tell me then—what ability and confidence do you have to make me believe what you're saying?"

Rong Xiu raised his hands.

A cluster of golden flames surged out of his palm! The surrounding temperature instantly increased significantly!

Miao Zhen's expression froze as he stared intently at the flames!

"You probably don't know yet, but the first to condense the remaining blood traces you left in the cave at Seven Lotus Peak wasn't Zi Chen but... me."

Of course, Zi Chen could also do this, but he was one step ahead.

When Miao Zhen heard this, his expression finally changed.

Rong Xiu continued, "In addition, when Yue'er and I came, we accidentally stepped on the jade disk used for testing during the Thousand Summit. But don't worry; I've already completely repaired it."

At this point, a smile appeared on his lips. "Everything I said just now is true. I wonder if this is enough to convince you?"

Of course, Miao Zhen didn't doubt the authenticity of Rong Xiu's words.

Those who could do these two things weren't ordinary people. Moreover, the truth would be revealed once he investigated, so there was really no need to lie.

Then... Does he really have the ability? Miao Zhen was silent for a long time before saying, "Even if I believe you, what do you plan to do? You have to know that there's no fiend skeleton in this world that can replace the great phoenix dragon's and help them reconstruct their body!"

Chapter 1758 Deal

For someone like Zi Chen, he might be able to use the great phoenix dragon's wing bones to reconstruct his body and even increase his own strength. However, it was different for a great phoenix dragon.

The great phoenix dragons were ancient legendary fiends, and they possessed the most noble bloodline power in the world. If he used the bones of other magical beasts, they would probably shatter before he could do anything.

The only race that could fight with it, red-gold heavenly phoenixes, was even more impossible because of their completely different bones and bloodline. It was also because he knew this that Miao Zhen didn't have much hope for this matter.

However, Rong Xiu said, "You've forgotten something—only the two wing bones have been fused into Zi Chen's body. The remaining parts of that skeleton are still in Yue'er's hands."

Miao Zhen was shocked and looked at Chu Liuyue. "You actually have a complete great phoenix dragon skeleton on you?!"

Chu Liuyue coughed.

Even though she had won it openly back then, Miao Zhen was still a great phoenix dragon. She still felt a little strange saying this in front of him.

But in the end, she braced herself and told Miao Zhen what had happened back then.

Unexpectedly, Miao Zhen didn't seem to be furious after hearing this. Instead, he sized her up in surprise. "No wonder the red-gold heavenly phoenix and the legendary three-eyed eagle contracted with you... It seems that you really have some ability."

Chu Liuyue was caught between laughter and tears. I didn't expect Miao Zhen to be focused on this after what I've said.

"You're... not angry?"

Miao Zhen waved his hand. "What's there to be angry about? If anything, I should be angry at Miao Yao!"

Anyone who was reasonable would know that this matter was all Miao Yao's fault. If he hadn't been too negligent, it would've been impossible for Chu Liuyue to be his match back then, let alone defeat him.

He had been tricked because he was too arrogant. No matter what, he was already old and an elder of the clan, but he was actually so brainless!

Miao Zhen's attitude made Chu Liuyue secretly heave a sigh of relief. No matter what, Miao Zhen is much more reasonable and easier to communicate with than Miao Yao and Miao Yang.

"You want me to use that skeleton?" When Miao Zhen heard this, he had already guessed Rong Xiu's plan.

Rong Xiu nodded. "Although two wing bones are missing, the entire skeleton is still there. The bloodline power in it has almost been emptied, but you have retained a portion of bloodline power in the mountain wall of Seven Lotus Peak that can be used. In this way, the major problem has basically been resolved. Of course, the level of this skeleton is definitely inferior to the original you. After reconstructing your body, your strength will probably decrease greatly."

Rong Xiu rationally and objectively analyzed the pros and cons of this matter and told Miao Zhen clearly.

All in all, there were pros and cons. However, this had already shocked Miao Zhen!

He said that he had never thought of reconstructing his body, but how could he not have thought of it at all? He didn't even know how he had survived the long years he had been trapped here!

Loneliness, boringness, emptiness...

He wanted to leave this place!

He wanted to take revenge on Miao Yang!

He wanted to take back everything that belonged to him!

He was as proud as he had been in the past, and his desire to get out was as strong! However, he knew better than anyone how slim the hope was. As a result, his heart gradually turned cold, and he suppressed these thoughts in the depths of his heart.

Most of the time, he felt that he was just a wisp of a lonely soul that had run out of fuel at some point. If he died, it would be over.

However... he was still unwilling! Therefore, when he heard Rong Xiu say this, a storm brewed in his heart!

Endless joy surged and almost drowned him!

Even if his level was lower and his strength decreased, what did it matter? As long as he could reconstruct his body, he could leave this place completely!

Everything he had ever wanted would be obtained! What could be better than this!?

Miao Zhen took a deep breath and said word by word, "If you can really help me reconstruct my body... In the future, as long as you need me, I—Miao Zhen—will definitely do my best as long as you ask!"

Rong Xiu's thin scarlet lips curved into a perfect smile. "Deal."

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They quickly got to work.

Chu Liuyue took out the skeleton.

The bloodline power inside had almost been completely extracted, so even the bones had become a little dim.

Zi Chen stepped forward and spread his wings.

Whoosh—

A fist-sized blood ball appeared in front of him!

Rong Xiu stood in front of the skeleton and waved his hand.

A golden flame flew out and gently wrapped around the blood ball.

Under the control of the flames, the blood ball flew in front of him, directly in front of the dragon skull. Then, Rong Xiu held his breath and pointed!

Peng!

With a cracking sound, the blood ball instantly split open and turned into countless stars that flew toward the skeleton!

Sparks burned and quickly enveloped the entire skeleton! At the same time, blood gradually fused into the skeleton!

As time passed, the bloodline strength contained in the blood began to fuse with the bones!

The originally dim skeleton began to emit a sparkling light again! A faint pressure spread out from it!

Just as Chu Liuyue was secretly shocked by the strength Rong Xiu had displayed, she suddenly sensed that something was wrong. She turned to look at Zi Chen and saw specks of starlight flickering on his wings.

More importantly, his aura began to rise at an astonishing speed!

Chapter 1759 Win or Lose

Chu Liuyue was stunned. What... is going on?

Zi Chen seemed to be very surprised as well. A hint of surprise flashed in the depths of his usually deep and indifferent eyes.

Miao Zhen glanced over. He was stunned for a moment, then laughed. "I almost forgot about that... The two wing bones of this skeleton have fused into your body. Although they've been separated, they're still connected to each other. Therefore, when the power on this skeleton began to increase, even the aura with your wing bones increased."

Chu Liuyue blinked. I seem to understand...

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"In that case, if the power contained in the skeleton continues to increase, Zi Chen's strength will also rise?"

Miao Zhen nodded. "In theory, that's indeed the case. However, these wing bones no longer belong to this skeleton after all. The increase in strength should be limited."

Chu Liuyue gasped. I actually guessed correctly! If that is the case, Zi Chen can be said to have picked up a huge bargain! So what if the increase is limited? It will still increase in the end! Besides, this skeleton will be Miao Zhen's in the future. He is a great phoenix dragon, the kind with top talent and strength!

Being able to bask in the glory was something that many people couldn't ask for. Now, Zi Chen had actually encountered it just like that! How could this not be exciting!?

Chu Liuyue glanced at Zi Chen and saw a ripple in his eyes.

Zi Chen naturally knew how rich and shocking a pleasant surprise this was for him!

Previously, he had rejected Miao Zhen's proposal because he had his own persistence and principles. However, even he had to admit that it was indeed a huge loss for him to reject it.

Although he didn't regret his decision, he still wondered how it would have been. Unexpectedly, he was connected to Miao Zhen again because of these wing bones!

According to Miao Zhen, not only did he maintain his identity and bloodline, but he also had another shortcut to become stronger!

As long as Miao Zhen became stronger, he would be affected, and his strength would increase! Was there anything more satisfying than this in the world?

"I'll say that you and I are fated..." Miao Zhen sighed. There is probably no other such thing in the world. Even if you don't want the opportunity bestowed by the heavens, it will still fall into your hands through various methods in the end!

Shocked, Chu Liuyue didn't say anything for a long time.

Suddenly, Tuan Zi tugged at her sleeve.

Chu Liuyue looked down at her. "What's wrong, Tuan Zi?"

Tuan Zi bit her hand in a dilemma and gazed at Zi Chen before looking at Chu Liuyue. "A'Yue, is what you said just now true?"

Chu Liuyue couldn't help but smile and gently pinch her chubby face. "Senior Miao Zhen said it himself. It's naturally true."

Moreover, Zi Chen was her contracted legendary fiend. She was the one who could sense the changes in Zi Chen the most.

This matter was a foregone conclusion!

Tuan Zi couldn't help but frown with a worried expression. After a long while, she said, "Then... Then... Then, won't Zi Chen be stronger than me in the future?"

She screwed up her little face and looked genuinely worried.

Chu Liuyue almost couldn't hold back her laughter. "So that's what you were thinking about just now?"

"That's right!" Tuan Zi pouted.

In the past, she couldn't defeat Zi Chen. It wasn't until she broke through to become a red-gold heavenly phoenix that she finally managed to turn the tables. Be it bloodline or strength, they were higher than Zi Chen.

But now, Zi Chen's body had fused with the great phoenix dragon's bloodline power, and he had even joined forces with Miao Zhen because of this! In the future, with Miao Zhen's support, it was obvious that Zi Chen's strength would definitely advance by leaps and bounds!

Wouldn't she have no advantage at all?

Looking at her angry expression, Chu Liuyue couldn't help but laugh.

I had almost forgotten that the relationship between Tuan Zi and Zi Chen has indeed never been good. Apart from the critical moment of fighting the enemy together, the two of them basically don't communicate much.

Of course, it is usually Tuan Zi who chatters and clamors for a fight, while Zi Chen ignores her. If he was really annoyed by Tuan Zi's argument, he would make a clean move. But that isn't often.

Now, Tuan Zi and Zi Chen are almost evenly matched. If they really fight, it is really hard to say who will win.

“Actually, this question is very simple. If Zi Chen becomes stronger, won’t you also increase your strength?” said Chu Liuyue with a smile. “Anyway, you’re so talented. It should be easy for you to do all this, right?”

When Tuan Zi heard this, she immediately felt that it made sense! That’s right! If Zi Chen becomes stronger, I just have to become stronger too! No matter what, I have to be the one A’Yue likes most!

“Yes! I can definitely win!”

Hearing this, Zi Chen glanced over.

Sensing his gaze, Tuan Zi clenched her fists and raised her face, looking like she was waiting to fight at any moment.

Zi Chen’s eyes flickered. Then, without saying anything, he turned his head away and closed his eyes.

His aura rose again!

Tuan Zi gritted her teeth in anger. Become stronger? Who doesn’t know how to do it? When I get out of here, I will definitely find Zi Chen and fight him!

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Time passed silently.

The flames on the skeleton gradually subsided. Wherever the flames dissipated, it had already become as clear and moist as jade.

Faintly, transparent liquid could be seen flowing slowly inside. That was Miao Zhen’s bloodline power hidden in the blood pearl!

When the last cluster of golden flames disappeared, Rong Xiu looked up. “Senior Miao Zhen, please—”

Chapter 1760 End of the Thousand Summit!

Miao Zhen took a deep breath and took a step forward!

His illusory body condensed from white mist left the lake and walked above the skeleton lying quietly by the lake.

He entered the skeleton almost without hesitation! White mist then spread and quickly enveloped the skeleton!

Rong Xiu moved at the same time. “Yue’er!”

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Chu Liuyue immediately understood and took out many herbs from her Cosmic Ring.

Rumble!

She threw out a ball of golden flames and quickly placed the herbs into it! In just a moment, more than a hundred sets of medicinal herbs had been thrown in!

Most people would be dazzled and find it difficult to distinguish, but her movements were smooth and decisive!

After a while, the herbs were refined one after another, and a rich and slightly bitter medicinal fragrance spread.

Helping Miao Zhen reconstruct his body was an extremely long process. During this process, many medicinal herbs needed to be added periodically.

In order to ensure that the process was foolproof, Rong Xiu was in charge of the bone quenching, and the dealing of the herbs was handed over to her.

Rong Xiu had already told her about the herbs she needed. Fortunately, she had them all, so it was much more convenient.

“Purple Whisker Vine, Mingjue, Five Nether Fruit.” When it was about time, Rong Xiu gestured for her to put the herbs in.

With a wave of her fair hand, the three herbs—which had long been refined in the flames—landed lightly and quickly into the golden flames.

“Ultimate Spirit Grass.”

“Wu Herb.”

“Tianser Mountain Armor.”

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Everything was proceeding in an orderly manner.

They had always had a tacit understanding, so their cooperation could be said to be perfect.

There was no need for Rong Xiu to explain in detail. She knew how much those different herbs needed to be refined, and she could always throw the herbs in at the most suitable time.

As for Rong Xiu, he had been staring intently at the skeleton in front of him from the beginning and didn’t even look up. He knew that nobody could do it better than her.

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Although the entire process was complicated and consumed a lot of strength and spirit, the two of them shared a lot of the burden with each other. It was also because of this that things progressed more smoothly than expected.

The aura on the skeleton was growing stronger. At the same time, the flowing light on Zi Chen’s wings flickered even brighter!

Zi Chen had closed his eyes.

For some reason, every part of his body began to ache. It wasn’t obvious at first, but as time passed, the pain became more obvious.

Zi Chen knew very well that this pain wasn't because he had encountered some danger, nor was it a so-called bad sign. He had a guess, but he felt that it was too ridiculous. Hence, he stood in place and allowed the pain in his body to gradually increase until even his body trembled slightly!

Tuan Zi quickly saw this. She had been thinking about how to not be overtaken by Zi Chen and focused most of her attention on him, so she quickly realized that something was wrong with the latter.

Shocked, she hurried over. "You, you, you—what's wrong with you?"

Although she had always treated Zi Chen as her opponent and really wanted to defeat him, she couldn't help but worry when she saw him like this.

Zi Chen opened his eyes. "I'm fine."

Tuan Zi's eyes widened as she sized him up. Fine? He doesn't look fine at all! Although the aura on Zi Chen's body is indeed still strengthening, he looks like he is in pain...

"I'm really fine." Seeing that Tuan Zi was still standing in front of him, Zi Chen repeated himself. This time, he strengthened his tone.

After all, Zi Chen had lived more than a thousand years longer than Tuan Zi. He knew very well what to emphasize at this moment to make Tuan Zi calm down.

Sure enough, Tuan Zi shrank back when she heard this. "Then... Then, I'll watch you here..."

Tuan Zi turned to look at Chu Liuyue. A'Yue is at a critical juncture and can't be distracted. If anything happens to Zi Chen, it will definitely affect her. Therefore, for A'Yue's sake, I have to ensure that Zi Chen is fine!

Zi Chen glanced at Tuan Zi. She has always liked to go against me. Today is a rare moment.

Tuan Zi was a little puzzled by his gaze. She puffed out her chest and looked up. "What are you looking at? I'm still waiting for you to be my lackey!"

Zi Chen closed his eyes again. I really shouldn't have any hopes about some people.

Meanwhile, the pain in his body was still increasing. But this time, Zi Chen's body did not tremble again.

He swallowed all the pain and torture. On the surface, it seemed much better than before.

Seeing this scene, Tuan Zi was relieved and began to wait patiently at the side.

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Thump!

The door opened, and a figure flew out! In the blink of an eye, he appeared in front of everyone!

Everyone who had been waiting in the square for a long time was excited!

"Look! The last one is finally out!"

"It's been almost a month. To be able to stay inside for so long, he must've obtained a top-notch heirloom, right?"

"I think so! First place in the Thousand Summit... How enviable!"

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Everyone discussed animatedly, and it was obvious that they all had high hopes for the last young man to come out.

Miao Yang stood up and took a few steps forward. "Miao Su."

Hearing the voice, Miao Su immediately cupped his hands and bowed respectfully to Miao Yang. "Greetings, Clan Leader!"

Miao Yang said with a smile, "There's no need to be so polite. You were the last to come out of this Thousand Summit; you did well."

Miao Su straightened at that, his face full of undisguised high spirits. "Thank you for your praise!"

Seeing his reaction, everyone knew that their previous guess was confirmed. He must've obtained a very good heirloom!

Miao Yang walked up to Miao Su.

Standing here, he could clearly sense that Miao Su's aura had indeed increased greatly!

He nodded in satisfaction and patted Miao Su's shoulder. "You're not bad!"

He didn't ask Miao Su which ancestor's heirloom he had obtained. This was the rule of the Thousand Summit.

Everyone would be able to guess their rankings from the change in their auras, and that was enough.

Unless one was willing to take the initiative to say it, others could not ask. Therefore, although everyone was curious about what heirloom Miao Su had obtained, nobody was tactless enough to ask.

Miao Yang praised him a few more times before saying, "Since everyone has come out, the Thousand Summit will be considered to have ended successfully!"

The crowd cheered in unison.

Miao Yang smiled at the elders beside him. "Please close the holy hall with me."