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Chapter 1931 Not to be Missed

Everyone followed his gaze.

"Jiuqing is extremely talented and capable. He's undoubtedly the best candidate to be the young master!" Yi Wentao's expression was as gentle as usual, but his tone was low and powerful.

Every word was clearly heard by everyone present!

Everyone was silent, looking at each other with different expressions.

In fact, they had already expected this outcome.

The competition for the position of the Yi family young master was very intense, but after Jun Jiuqing appeared, he almost easily stood at the top. Even those who couldn't stand him had to admit that in terms of talent and strength, nobody in the younger generation of the Yi family could compare to Jun Jiuqing.

A moment later, an old man said hesitantly, "...Master is right. Jiuqing is indeed very outstanding, but his surname is 'Jun' after all..."

The ancestor of the Beiming Dynasty had married a noble daughter of the Yi family a thousand years ago. They had given birth to a child back then, but because the bloodline power in that child's body was weak, the Yi family felt embarrassed and forcefully ordered the child to be sent back to the Beiming Dynasty.

For so many years, the royal family of the Beiming Dynasty had never inherited this bloodline power—until Jun Jiuqing appeared.

Not only did he have the Yi family's bloodline power, but it was also very pure! Coupled with Yi Wenzhuo as his master, he was even more confident in the Yi family.

But being the young master was another matter. In fact, this was also the main reason why most people objected to him becoming the young master.

However, Yi Wentao didn't seem to care; he only chuckled at those words. "But the bloodline power of the Yi family also flows in Jiuqing's body, right?"

Moreover, his bloodline power was very pure and of an extremely high level! It was just a surname; what was so important?

The bloodline power determined that he was a member of the Yi family!

Hearing Yi Wentao's words, nobody said anything else.

Yi Wentao's meaning was clear: He had already made up his mind to choose Jun Jiuqing as the young master.

In the Yi family, nobody could go against Yi Wentao's wishes. All they could do was obey.

Yi Wenzhuo—who was sitting beside Jun Jiuqing—finally heaved a sigh of relief. Fortunately... Big Brother made such a choice in the end!

He was faintly excited. He had to grip the arm of the chair tightly to barely suppress his excitement.

He was Jun Jiuqing's master. In the future, when Jun Jiuqing became the young master of the Yi family, his status would definitely rise!

Although he was Yi Wentao's younger brother, he rarely interfered in the family's matters over the years. Most of the time, he didn't have much say.

Now that he had Jun Jiuqing's relationship... Naturally, it was different!

"Jiuqing, come." Yi Wentao waved at Jun Jiuqing.

Jun Jiuqing stood up and walked over.

A jade thumb ring appeared in Yi Wentao's hand.

The jade thumb ring was light green and clear. The totem of the Yi family was engraved on it.

Seeing this thing, many people were envious.

This was the status symbol of the Yi family's young master!

All these years, the Yi family hadn't chosen a young master. Unexpectedly, one of them had finally returned from outside the clan.

Everyone naturally had complicated feelings.

The surroundings were silent.

Yi Wentao handed the jade thumb ring to Jun Jiuqing.

Jun Jiuging's expression changed slightly as he took it and put it on.

At this moment, the totem on the jade thumb ring suddenly flickered with a bright light!

A powerful pressure suddenly descended! Almost at the same time, the same totem appeared between Jun Jiuqing's eyebrows!

Boundless power surged out of the jade thumb ring and surged into Jun Jiuqing's body endlessly! The aura around him continued to strengthen!

After about a quarter of an hour, the fluctuations gradually subsided.

Yi Wentao looked satisfied. "Jiuqing, you didn't disappoint me."

The reaction of the jade ring meant that it had acknowledged Jun Jiuqing's position as the young master! From now on, he would be the legitimate young master of the Yi family!

Jun Jiuqing laughed, and there was a hint of demonic charm in his eyes. "Thank you for your kindness, Master."

"It's because you're outstanding." Yi Wentao patted his shoulder, his eyes filled with unconcealed admiration.

Seeing this, what else did everyone not understand?

Yi Wentao was clearly on Jun Jiuqing's side! From now on, Jun Jiuqing's status in the Yi family and even the entire God Residence Realm would be different!

"Actually, apart from choosing the young master today, there's something else I have to discuss with you." Yi Wentao looked at everyone again.

His smile faded slightly, and he became more serious.

Realizing that he was about to say something important, everyone perked up and looked over.

The atmosphere became a little cold.

"After years of consumption, the natural energy of Meihe County is no longer the same as before. For the sake of the entire Yi family, we have to find another land filled with energy as soon as possible." Yi Wentao went straight to the point.

Everyone present was stunned.

In fact, they already knew this, but they had never said it explicitly. After all, such words didn't sound good. If word got out, it would easily make the entire family panic.

Nobody expected Yi Wentao to take the initiative to speak so bluntly!

Yi Wentao looked around with a calm expression. "Everyone, don't panic. All the aristocratic families in the God Residence Realm will basically face such a problem. Our Yi family isn't the only one."

That was the truth.

The God Residence Realm was vast and contained abundant natural energy, but at the same time, there were countless dangers.

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If any faction wanted to really develop, they had to have a stable cultivation territory.

As time passed, the natural energy in the corresponding range was continuously consumed. Over time, it would naturally decrease.

When the force density was below a certain level, it wasn't suitable to stay any longer. After all, this would affect the cultivation of everyone in the entire clan.

This was extremely important to any faction.

In fact, over the years, many aristocratic families in the God Residence Realm had already begun to find a better place to settle down.

Some had succeeded, some had failed.

The reason why the Yi family had such a big reaction was that the Yi family's status was higher than those first-rate families. Be it the superior cultivation environment in Meihe County or anything else, they could easily crush others in almost every aspect.

They were used to being high and mighty. Now that Yi Wentao suddenly said publicly that they were also looking for another territory, it was naturally difficult for them to accept it.

"But don't worry, everyone. Although the current Meihe County is slightly inferior than in the beginning, it's still better than many first-rate families. The reason why we're doing this now is just to be prepared."

Yi Wentao's next sentence finally made everyone's expressions look better.

He paused and then said, "Moreover, it's rare for an area more suitable for cultivation than Meihe County to appear. We naturally can't miss it."

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Chapter 1932 Accumulating Power

Quite a few people glanced at each other awkwardly.

Someone asked tentatively, "Do you mean... Peach Blossom Dock?"

Yi Wentao nodded. "Yes."

"Peach Blossom Dock has abundant natural energy. Although there have been people entering and leaving continuously over the years because of the spatial fluctuations and the instability of the barrier, the resources contained in it have actually not been really consumed. Moreover, its location is special. It's indeed an extremely suitable choice."

Yi Wentao's words were straightforward. His tone didn't hide his determination to obtain Peach Blossom Dock.

Someone hesitantly said, "But... Peach Blossom Dock is Shangguan Yue's territory now. If we go rashly, I'm afraid..."

Yi Wentao smiled. "She's the princess consort of Rong Xiu, the Sky-Cloud Empire's His Grace. Why is she occupying Peach Blossom Dock like this?"

Many people nodded to themselves. What he said makes sense... Besides, the two of them have just gotten married. It's inevitable that people would think too much about Chu Liuyue's actions.

However, we can't rule out the possibility that this is Rong Xiu's intention. Doesn't he have any interest in Peach Blossom Dock? Everyone is now saying that Peach Blossom Dock belongs to Chu Liuyue, but perhaps the real master is still him, Rong Xiu!

"Besides, in the God Residence Realm, the strong are respected." Although Yi Wentao was still smiling, there was a hint of arrogance in his eyes. Even if Peach Blossom Dock belongs to Shangguan Yue now... She will be considered capable if she can defend it!

"Jiuqing, what do you think?" He turned his head and glanced at Jun Jiuqing.

Jun Jiuqing's eyes flickered. "You're right, Master."

Yi Wentao nodded. "In that case, everyone, go back and prepare immediately. We'll set off tomorrow!"

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The Yi family had made up their minds to attack Peach Blossom Dock. However, they weren't the only ones who had made the same choice.

At the Nan residence.

It was already night, but the top of the mountain was still brightly lit.

In the solemn and spacious room, the Nan family elders were all gathered here.

As the family head, Nan Yifan sat at the head of the table.

The air seemed to be frozen, and everyone was silent.

After a while, Nan Yifan said, "...That's what happened. Yuxing and the others were originally going to Peach Blossom Dock to find Yiyi's murderer, but in the end, they found Rong Xiu and Shangguan Yue. But not long after they sent back the news—"

His voice was heavy and hoarse.

His face was haggard, almost unlike anything anyone had ever seen. It was obvious what a blow this matter had dealt him!

The crowd became increasingly silent. If all of this is true, doesn't it mean that Rong Xiu and the others are the ones who killed Nan Yiyi and Nan Yuxing?

"Other than Yuxing, more than half of the eight elders who went with him have also died. If I'm not wrong, there should only be Luo Yan and the other three left now... And they haven't sent any news back yet. I think... the situation isn't good."

The more Nan Yifan spoke, the uglier everyone's expressions became.

Most people didn't know that Nan Yuxing and the others had gone to Peach Blossom Dock.

When they received the news, they heard that they had already lost five elders! Nan Yuxing, who had the greatest hope of becoming the next family head, was also dead!

"Rong Xiu! Shangguan Yue! They're going too far!"

An elder finally couldn't help but say angrily, "Master, we must definitely get back at them for this! Isn't it just the Sky-Cloud Empire? Could it be that our Nan family is afraid of them?!"

"That's right! Since they're so impudent, don't blame us for being rude!"

"Flatten Peach Blossom Dock!"

Chapter 1933 Inscription

All kinds of voices sounded. It seemed that everyone was angry and resentful about this matter and wished they could go to Peach Blossom Dock immediately to take revenge.

However, was that really the case?

Nan Yifan lowered his eyes to hide the sneer in them.

He knew these people too well. On the surface, they looked like they shared a common enemy, but in fact, some people might already be overjoyed!

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Nan Yiyi's death didn't have a huge impact, but Nan Yuxing was also dead! This time, there was no suitable candidate in Nan Yifan's lineage who could become the heir of the Nan family!

The Nan family seemed to be harmonious, but the competition between the branches was intense. A few years ago, it was only because of Nan Yuxing's outstanding talent and Nan Yifan's strength that the situation was stabilized.

But it was different now. Nan Yuxing was dead, and Nan Yifan was visibly haggard.

His grief was so great that it almost broke him.

He couldn't spare so much attention to other things, but he didn't want to care anymore.

So much had happened recently. One blow after another had almost crushed him.

Everyone thought that he was grieving because he had lost two beloved children. Who knew the true torture in his heart?

He had paid such a huge price and even personally sent Nan Yiyi to her death in exchange for Nan Yuxing's life.

What happened in the end? Not long after, he died at Peach Blossom Dock!

Nan Yifan knew that many of these people below had ulterior motives, but he could no longer be bothered. The only thing he wanted to do now was take revenge!

I will definitely make Rong Xiu and Chu Liuyue pay with their lives! Anyway, I have nothing to lose. Why should I be so afraid of them?

He nodded. "Then, the blood debt and reputation of the Nan family will depend on you this time!"

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The meeting quickly ended.

Only Nan Yifan was left in the huge room.

Nan Hetian walked over and said worriedly, "Master, it's late. You haven't closed your eyes for a few days and nights. You should rest first."

Previously, Nan Yifan had rushed to the Yi family overnight and asked him to stand guard here. He thought Nan Yifan would stay there for a few days, but the latter returned quickly.

Calculating the time, Nan Yifan had only stayed in the Yi family for a few hours. After returning, he didn't even have time to catch his breath before summoning everyone from his clan to discuss this matter. He had decided to suppress Peach Blossom Dock!

Even an iron man couldn't withstand such continuous torture!

Nan Yifan shook his head. "I can't sleep."

The moment he closed his eyes, Nan Yiyi's appearance before she died and Nan Yuxing's face would appear in his mind.

These images kept flashing in his mind like sharp blades stabbing into his heart again and again, dripping with blood. How could he sleep?

Nan Hetian sighed.

He had followed Nan Yifan for many years and knew him the best. Although Nan Yifan hadn't explicitly mentioned this matter to him, he could more or less guess.

Nan Hetian paused for a moment and comforted him. "Don't worry. Although that person isn't to be trifled with, since the Yi family is willing to help this time, our chances of winning are still not small..."

Nan Yifan's lips suddenly twitched. His expression was stiff but ironic. Yes, we're not to be trifled with!

The Nan family members are either dead or injured this time. The combined efforts of several legendary warriors were actually annihilated. Not a single person has escaped yet. They haven't even been able to send back any news. One can imagine what kind of situation Luo Yan and the others are in at Peach Blossom Dock!

This—this is Rong Xiu's warning to me!

In the past, he wouldn't have taken things so hard and fought Rong Xiu head-on. But now, he really had no choice.

"At this point, even if we don't make a move, he won't let us off."

Most people in the Nan family didn't know that Nan Yifan was actually very afraid of Rong Xiu. In their opinion, although Rong Xiu was somewhat famous, he was only the Sky-Cloud Empire's His Grace.

They had nothing to fear from a first-rate family.

Nan Yifan deliberately didn't say so much because the more they knew, the more they would definitely worry.

Nan Hetian's frown deepened. He was actually very worried, but just as Nan Yifan had said, they had no way out now.

"I wonder how Luo Yan and the others are doing..."

Nan Yifan frowned. This was actually what he was worried about.

If Luo Yan and the others were instigated to defect and said something they shouldn't have, it would be very disadvantageous to them.

If the Nan family knew the truth... they would definitely not let him off. At that time, his situation would probably be even more difficult.

Not only would he not be able to take revenge, but he would also be implicated.

Apart from that, he was also worried about the Flying Cloud Painting.

Nan Yuxing was dead. That thing was most likely in Rong Xiu and Chu Liuyue's hands!

Thinking of this, Nan Yifan felt even worse.

"You can go down first. I'll be alone." He waved his hands.

Nan Hetian opened his mouth but hesitated.

Seeing Nan Yifan's tired and haggard expression, he finally lowered his head. "Yes."

He stepped back and quietly left.

Nan Yifan let out a long breath. Now, I can only hope that everything will go smoothly.

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Peach Blossom Dock.

At Yue Manor.

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The cool moonlight flowed in through the window.

Chu Liuyue was standing alone in the room. In front of her, the black shield floated quietly.

After the previous baptism, the rust on it had completely peeled off, revealing its bright and new appearance.

The complicated and mysterious inscriptions on it exuded some ancient aura.

It was still dark and dull, but it looked deeper and heavier. It was very hard to describe such a feeling, but she could indeed feel the huge difference.

After the blue crystals fused into it, they quickly hid.

At this moment, other than the dense and complicated secret text, she couldn't see anything else.

She stared at the secret text for a long time.

It was so quiet that she could clearly hear her heart beating. There seemed to be waves surging in the depths of her clear and bright eyes.

After a long moment, she reached out and slowly brushed her hand across the black shield.

An indescribable throbbing came from it.

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"Celestial Shield..." muttered Chu Liuyue softly.

As if sensing something, light flashed under the inscriptions on the black shield in front of her.

Chu Liuyue's lips curved up slightly.

That day, after the last blue crystal was perfectly embedded in this shield, this name appeared in her mind.

This thing had followed her for years, but only now did she know its real name.

She had read countless ancient books, but she had never heard of this name. However, this wasn't what Chu Liuyue cared about the most.

At this moment, what made her feel complicated was the inscription on it because... When she completely saw the inscription, she realized that her previous notebook used the same language!

Chapter 1934 Came Together?

After she regained her identity, Chu Liuyue had kept the notebook with her. Now, it was lying well in her Cosmic Ring.

She didn't need to compare it to know that it was definitely the same language! This made her feel very complicated.

It was normal that she had lost her memory and couldn't understand the contents of the notes. But when she recalled her God Realm in Ling Xiao Academy and regained her memories, she realized that she still couldn't understand it.

At that time, she vaguely felt that something was wrong. But then, all kinds of things happened, so she gradually put this matter aside.

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Only now, when she saw the secret text on the shield, did the doubts buried in her heart surge again. This Celestial Shield is clearly a very old Yuan instrument, and the secret text on it must've been engraved long ago. Then... Why had my notebook used the same language? When I first came to the God Residence Realm, I clearly hadn't come into contact with similar content. However, it is indeed my handwriting in it!

Chu Liuyue rubbed her temples with a headache. I've asked Rong Xiu before, and he also said that he didn't recognize the inscription on it. What exactly is going on?

Thinking of this, she couldn't help but touch her glabella again. When the God-Destroying Tribulation descended, the Celestial Shield was completely awakened. At that moment, I clearly felt a burning sensation between my eyebrows.

This wasn't the first time such a situation had happened; it had been like this the few times she had been in danger. However, it wasn't as intense as this time.

At that moment, she almost thought that there was a flame burning between her eyebrows!

In fact, the force in her body seemed to be affected as if it was about to boil! But this feeling lasted only a short time.

And because the situation was often urgent every time such a situation happened, she never had time to study the problem.

I wonder if there are any secrets hidden here...

Just as she was deep in thought, familiar footsteps suddenly came from outside the door.

She snapped out of her daze, put away her shield, and looked toward the door.

A tall figure walked in—it was Rong Xiu.

Seeing her standing alone in the room, Rong Xiu raised his eyebrows slightly and smiled. "Waiting for me?"

Chu Liuyue sneered. "That's not true."

Rong Xiu didn't mind. If she wasn't waiting for him, could she be waiting for someone else?

He walked over and wrapped his long arms around her slender waist. Then, he pulled her into his arms and bent down to kiss her.

Chu Liuyue tilted her head and dodged it, looking up at him with bright eyes. "Have you arranged everything in Peach Blossom Dock?"

Rong Xiu pinched her perky nose. "Of course. Are you still worried about your husband?"

Of course, she wouldn't doubt his ability.

Last night, he said that the people from the Sky-Cloud Empire would arrive today. In the end, they did come. Moreover, there seemed to be a lot of them.

However, she had been staying in Yue Manor and didn't go out to take a look. Everything was arranged by Rong Xiu.

She shook her head, deep in thought. "I was just thinking... It's not easy for Peach Blossom Dock to calm down for a few days. It's probably going to be chaotic again."

During this period of time, the Thirteen Yue Guard and everyone in the city who had already chosen to follow Yue Manor were working overtime. However, the damage of Peach Blossom Dock was too serious; it could only recover a portion in a short period of time.

To truly rebuild Peach Blossom Dock, it still required a lot of time and energy. Unfortunately, those people didn't intend to give them this chance.

"This trouble will come sooner or later. It's better to be early." Rong Xiu's thin lips curled up slightly, and a cold smile flashed across his phoenix eyes.

Chu Liuyue nodded. "I know."

She had occupied Peach Blossom Dock and would definitely attract the envy of many people. Instead of waiting for them to secretly take action in the future, it was better to deal with it quickly now!

Setting a precedent!

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The next day came quickly.

Sitting cross-legged, Chu Liuyue circulated the force in her body as usual before slowly opening her eyes.

There seemed to be a glint in her bright eyes!

"After obtaining a Holy Body... It's indeed very different from before..." Chu Liuyue clenched her fists and sighed.

She had the Tianjing Yuan meridian, and her cultivation speed had already surpassed most cultivators. After cultivating the Holy Body, it actually improved greatly!

Moreover, after she absorbed the natural energy and turned it into her force, it was purer than before.

No wonder everyone wants to form a Holy Body... When Chu Liuyue thought of this, her eyes narrowed. It has been a long time since I've seen Big Baby and the others.

During the great tribulation of Ling Xiao Academy previously, Big Baby had secretly helped me. However, I didn't have the time to see him before he quietly left.

A long time has passed.

There are also the two seniors, Diwu Zhangze and Lan Xiao... When the matter here is over, I still have to find time to return to the Red Moon Desert.

She remembered that those two didn't have a Holy Body yet. She wondered if she could help them condense their Holy Bodies again, like she had helped Big Baby previously.

Now that my strength has increased greatly, it shouldn't be difficult to help them...

Suddenly, a faint fluctuation came.

Chu Liuyue suddenly looked up and out the window.

Knock, knock.

There was a knock on the door.

"Master, Your Highness, someone is here to visit." It was Cen Yi's voice.

The so-called visit... Needless to say, Chu Liuyue could guess who it was!

She stood up and walked over to open the door. "Someone from the Nan family?"

Cen Yi nodded and immediately said, "And... the Yi family."

Frowning, Chu Liuyue turned around and looked at her spouse.

Rong Xiu's expression was calm as if he wasn't surprised.

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Chu Liuyue held her breath. "They... came together?"

Chapter 1935 Guest

Cen Yi's expression instantly became subtle. His narrow, indifferent eyes narrowed slightly, and he seemed to smile. "There's only a quarter of an hour between the two parties' arrival, so that makes sense."

Chu Liuyue instantly understood what he meant. She frowned and sneered. "So the Yi family also wants to get involved."

Rong Xiu also walked over. "The two families aren't close. In the past few years, their interactions with each other have been rare."

Chu Liuyue was even more certain of her guess. It seems that these two families have indeed joined forces... However, the Yi family has no apparent conflict of interest with us. The Nan family must've instigated them to do this.

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"It seems that Nan Yifan isn't without scruples."

At the very least, the Yi family had been dragged in to provide support. In order to rope in this ally, he had probably... made a lot of sacrifices.

Chu Liuyue found it ridiculous. It was obvious that the Nan family was in the wrong and had offended us first. Now, they actually had the cheek to come again. They even pulled in allies.

"There are 24 people from the Nan family. Among them, including Nan Yifan, there are a total of eight legendary warriors. The Yi family has 18 people, but ten legendary warriors have come—that's more than half."

Cen Yi's voice was as calm as ever. "They're all gathered outside the barrier now to confront our people and ask you and His Highness to appear."

Chu Liuyue nodded. "We'll go now."

They are waiting... for us! I want to see who dares to bully me!

There were a total of 18 legendary warriors in these two families.

One had to know that ordinary first-rate families usually only had five to six legendary warriors, and they had actually respectively sent so many people to suppress Peach Blossom Dock! It could be seen that their family background was indeed extremely strong!

Still...

This time, it was unknown who would have the last laugh!

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Outside the barrier of Peach Blossom Dock.

The Nan family and the Yi family were on both sides.

There was a distance between them.

The relationship between the two families was indeed subtle, especially at this moment, when they had both come to Peach Blossom Dock.

Other than Nan Yifan and Yi Wentao, the others were unaware of the alliance. Therefore, when the two sides met, most people were still extremely vigilant toward each other.

Nan Yifan and Yi Wentao greeted each other politely. After saying that their targets this time were both Rong Xiu and her, they began to wait separately.

The atmosphere was tense.

At the city gate, the team of guards in charge of guarding the city were also 120% focused as they stared at the Nan and Yi families.

In the Yi family's crowd, someone couldn't help but whisper, "I didn't believe those rumors previously. But from the current situation, Peach Blossom Dock has probably completely fallen into the hands of Shangguan Yue and the others... In the past, Peach Blossom Dock had always been free to enter and leave. When was there anyone guarding it!?"

"That's right! And did you notice that this barrier seems to be different... Those guards in charge of guarding also seem to be loyal... When has such a scene ever happened in Peach Blossom Dock?"

"I think that rumor is really trustworthy... I wonder how they did it?"

The crowd debated softly.

They previously didn't believe it, but now that they had seen it with their own eyes, they couldn't help but doubt it.

These guards looked different from those who had been properly trained. Anyone with a discerning eye could tell that they were 'freelance soldiers.' However, the auras on these people didn't seem weak!

More importantly, their expressions were surprisingly identical.

"If you dare to come in, we'll beat you to death!"

They really are guarding Peach Blossom Dock!

Yi Wentao and Nan Yifan watched from the side and quietly glanced at each other. They could also see some vigilance in each other's eyes.

Before they came, they all thought that Rong Xiu would directly get his men to do it.

These were clearly not his soldiers, but these people were surprisingly united! It was as if guarding Peach Blossom Dock was their greatest responsibility!

Moreover, they were very respectful to Chu Liuyue!

Who in the entire God Residence Realm didn't know that there were all kinds of people at Peach Blossom Dock? To be able to lead these people... The methods involved were truly shocking and unsettling!

Yi Wentao placed his hands behind his back. He vaguely felt that things seemed to be different from what he had expected.

If there are more such people in Peach Blossom Dock... In that case, it won't be so easy to take down Peach Blossom Dock.

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Nan Yifan didn't think too much about it.

He had come with the intention of burning his bridges! Therefore, even if Peach Blossom Dock was difficult to deal with, he would never turn back!

There was no turning back!

He glanced up at the sky and grimaced without amusement. "We've been here for a long time. Why is it so slow for you to send a message? Or is there someone who's afraid and doesn't dare to come out? The dignified His Grace and Princess Consort of the Sky-Cloud Empire are actually so cowardly?"

A guard took a step forward and said coldly, "Watch your words!"

These two aren't people they can offend!

At the same time, the people behind him drew their swords!

Nan Yifan couldn't help but frown. These people look like they come from all walks of life, but why do they seem to be very protective of those two?

However, this thought only flashed through his mind.

He coldly scolded, "I'm just telling the truth. Is this not enough? Rong Xiu and Shangguan Yue harmed my son and the elders of the Nan family! My Nan family must get back at them today!"

The guards looked at each other solemnly.

Nan Yuxing and the others did indeed die at their hands... It's reasonable that the Nan family would come to collect the debt.

A moment later, a guard sneered. "Didn't they ask for it? If not for their various coercion and relentless pursuit, why would Master Yue attack them?! They only have themselves to blame!"

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Nan Yifan, Yi Wentao, and the others were stunned. Princess Yue? Is he talking about... Chu Liuyue? Hearing this, they seem to respect and admire Chu Liuyue more than Rong Xiu?

At this moment, a clear and pleasant voice sounded. "I'm sorry for not welcoming you when you're here."

Everyone looked over in unison!

From inside the city gates, two people were walking out hand in hand.

The person who spoke was indeed Chu Liuyue!

Chapter 1936 Interrogation

Seeing the smile on Chu Liuyue's face, Nan Yifan was instantly furious! My only son died at Peach Blossom Dock, at the hands of these people, yet she can actually still smile!? What does that mean? Contempt? Provocation?

But at that moment, a cold gaze landed on him, making him shudder.

Nan Yifan subconsciously looked at Rong Xiu, who was standing at the side, and couldn't help but shiver.

A trace of fear grew from the bottom of his heart!

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Nan Yifan clenched his fists and forcefully dispersed these chaotic emotions! At this point, he had no choice but to fall out with Rong Xiu and the others!

Rong Xiu's gaze swept across Nan Yifan and Yi Wentao, and his thin lips curled up slightly. "Master Yi, Master Nan, long time no see. How have you been?"

Nan Yifan was filled with hatred. Don't they know best that so many people from the Nan family have died in their hands and how many are fine? Now, he actually had the cheek to ask such a question!

Yi Wentao placed one hand behind his back and nodded slightly, his expression gentle and polite. "Good day, His Grace."

As he spoke, his gaze landed on Chu Liuyue.

He was sizing her up. He had heard this woman's name countless times, but this was the first time he had seen her with his own eyes.

She looked to be only 17 or 18 years old, and she had a slender figure and a beautiful face. In particular, her starry eyes were calm and composed, which didn't match her age.

It was as if the things in front of her didn't affect her at all, even if she knew what all of this meant.

Yi Wentao looked at her in a new light. A woman who can catch Rong Xiu's eye and make him insist on marrying her is indeed extraordinary.

In fact, it wasn't just Yi Wentao. Everyone from the Yi family and Nan family was focused on Chu Liuyue.

They were actually filled with curiosity and inquiry about this woman who had risen to fame in the God Residence Realm in a short period of time.

Of course, when they looked at her, she was also observing them.

In the Nan family's entourage are eight legendary warriors and 16 true gods. The Yi family has ten legendary warriors and eight true gods. Moreover, the strength of those true gods shouldn't be underestimated. It seems that both families have really invested a lot to deal with me this time... The smile on Chu Liuyue's lips grew brighter.

Nan Yifan couldn't bear to see her smile.

It was blinding!

In the strange silence, he was the first to sneer. "What, are you finally willing to come out? I thought you were planning to hide in Peach Blossom Dock for the rest of your lives!"

His voice was cold, and his eyes were filled with undisguised resentment.

As if she didn't care, Chu Liuyue smiled and said, "Master Nan, why are you saying this? Peach Blossom Dock is my territory to begin with. My husband and I have just gotten married, so isn't it normal for us to come over and stay for a while to nourish our hearts and minds? Besides, we didn't do anything wrong. How can we talk about hiding?"

Nan Yifan was so angry that his face turned red, and the veins on his forehead bulged. This girl is always sharp-tongued!

"My son, Nan Yuxing, died at Peach Blossom Dock a few days ago! As the culprit, don't you feel guilty at all?" Nan Yifan suddenly raised his hand and pointed at her as he questioned her sternly.

Rong Xiu's expression turned cold, and he took a step forward.

A powerful pressure suddenly descended! At the same time, a golden flame quickly flashed in his eyes!

"Nan Yifan, if you don't want your hand anymore, just say it." His tone was low and cold as if it had been mixed with ice.

Nan Yifan's heart trembled, and his fingers curled, but he then realized that he looked too timid.

For a moment, Nan Yifan was angry and frustrated. I clearly planned on fighting to the death, but when Rong Xiu spoke, I still subconsciously felt reverence and fear!

Nan Yifan was very embarrassed.

Chu Liuyue glanced at him from the corner of her eye and raised her eyebrows. Looking at Nan Yifan's reaction, it is really ridiculous. If he had more confidence, he wouldn't be like this.

She held Rong Xiu's hand and shook her head gently, indicating that he didn't have to be angry at such a person.

It wasn't worth it.

She gazed at Nan Yifan and said frankly, "Master Nan, it seems that you've misunderstood something. Your son, Nan Yuxing, didn't die at our hands. The person who truly took his life was none other than your Nan family's elder—Luo Yan!"

"Shangguan Yue, do you know what nonsense you're spouting?" Nan Yifan laughed angrily. Luo Yan had followed Nan Yuxing here to protect him. How could he kill my son?

"Even if you want to frame someone, please don't make it sound so ridiculous, okay?"

Knowing that he wouldn't believe her, Chu Liuyue raised her eyebrows and smiled without much humor. "Countless people in Peach Blossom Dock saw this matter with their own eyes and can testify. If you don't believe me, Master Nan, you can find someone to ask. You also said that this theory is very ridiculous. Don't tell me I don't know. If it's not true, why would I say this?"

Nan Yifan wavered for a moment, but such a thought was only a flash.

He angrily yelled, "The current Peach Blossom Dock is already under your control! Those people will only listen to you. What truth can they have?!"

Chu Liuyue agreed. "You don't even believe the words of outsiders. Then... you should believe the words of your elder, right?"

Nan Yifan's expression froze for a moment. "Wh-what?"

"Exactly what it means. When Luo Yan personally killed Nan Yuxing, Nan Hongyang and the other elders were all watching." The corners of her lips curled up slightly as she said word by word, "If you don't believe me, why don't you invite the elders over to confront us?"

Nan Yifan held his breath! Chu Liuyue is serious! She really dares to confront me! Could it be that everything she's said is true? Was it actually Luo Yan who killed Nan Yuxing? But... What's going on?!

Nan Yifan's mind was in a mess. "No, impossible..."

This time, in order to ensure Nan Yuxing's safety, I had specially chosen the few elders I trusted the most! It's impossible for Luo Yan to kill Nan Yuxing, and the remaining elders wouldn't betray me! Nan Yifan clenched his fists and kept convincing himself in his heart, but Chu Liuyue's words were like a thorn in his heart, making him extremely uncomfortable!

Behind him, the people from the Nan family were also shocked and looked at each other.

Their first reaction was naturally disbelief. However, Chu Liuyue was so sure that she could even confront him...

"Who knows if you used some despicable methods to force them to lie?!" After struggling for a while, Nan Yifan finally thought of something to refute and shouted sternly. "They've already fallen into your hands. Aren't they at your mercy?"

Chapter 1937 Confrontation

Upon hearing this, she laughed. "I didn't expect Master Nan to be so pessimistic about his own legendary warriors."

Nan Yifan's face turned pale again. "You!"

"I don't think I need to remind Master Nan. Apart from Nan Yuxing, there are a total of five legendary warriors among the remaining eight elders." Chu Liuyue shrugged. "Although there are only four people

alive now, they're all famous legendary warriors. Master Nan said that they're at my mercy... I wonder if he thinks too highly of me or if you look down on your family?"

Nan Yifan's chest heaved violently, and his lungs were about to explode. "Shangguan Yue! Don't go overboard!"

"I'm just telling the truth. How am I going overboard?" Chu Liuyue blinked in confusion. "Didn't you say those words yourself, Master Nan? Everyone from the Nan family, you should've heard it too, right?"

The Nan family was silent and embarrassed! They couldn't understand why they were the ones being questioned in the end.

Nan Yifan took a deep breath and finally came back to his senses. "You! You! No matter what, my son—Nan Yuxing—and four elders of the Nan family died here! Do you dare to say that these things have nothing to do with you?! Today, you have to give my Nan family an explanation! Otherwise, don't blame us for being rude!"

Chu Liuyue asked curiously, "When has Master Nan ever been polite to me?"

In the past, he was quite respectful and polite to Rong Xiu, but he is no longer like that. Why does he sound like he had been so good to us in the past?

Nan Yifan almost couldn't breathe.

He finally saw that Chu Liuyue was indeed sharp-tongued! It wasn't enough to describe her with a glib tongue!

He couldn't win against her in an argument; he would just make himself angry!

"By the way, since Master Nan mentioned it, I'll say it directly. Actually, even if you didn't come this time, we planned on finding an opportunity to visit." Chu Liuyue raised her chin. "This is because... we also happen to be looking for an explanation from the Nan family."

Nan Yifan almost thought that he had heard wrongly. I have never seen such an arrogant person! We are the ones who have come to Peach Blossom Dock to ask for an explanation. However, not only did she not give it to them, but she is even biting back?

"What did you say?" Nan Yifan asked almost subconsciously.

Chu Liuyue's lips curled up, but there was a hint of coldness in her eyes. "I say, Master Nan, you took the opportunity when we left the Sky-Cloud Empire and only sent a few people to Peach Blossom Dock to kill us. After failing, you encouraged the Nan family to come and denounce us... How should we settle this score?"

She deliberately slowed down. Every word was clear!

The expressions of everyone present changed! Chu Liuyue's words contained too much information!

Nan Yifan's heart seemed to have been hammered by something! He immediately shouted reflexively, "You're spouting nonsense!"

"Am I spouting nonsense, or does Master Nan have ulterior motives... Everyone is here today. Won't we know with a simple investigation?" Chu Liuyue gently rubbed her temples with a smile on her lips, but there was mockery and impatience on her face.

I have to admit that Nan Yifan's series of actions have disgusted me. Putting aside the previous matters, just the fact that he chose to kill Nan Yiyi to save Nan Yuxing isn't something an ordinary person can do!

Later, he tacitly allowed Nan Yuxing to bring Luo Yan and the others to kill Rong Xiu and me. He wanted to wash away the guilt in his heart, but after failing, he pushed all the blame to others...

Chu Liuyue gasped in amazement. He actually has the cheek to bring so many people from the Nan family to Peach Blossom Dock and say that he wants to seek an explanation from the dead and injured elders of the Nan family for his son?

She clapped her hands. "Cen Yi, bring Luo Yan and the others over."

"Yes." Cen Yi bowed and turned to leave.

Yi Wentao frowned and became vigilant.

Cen Yi had been following them all along, but until he spoke, he just stood there without any sense of existence. He was simply invisible!

Even he hadn't noticed this man's existence just now!

This is... Chu Liuyue's subordinate?

Sensing his gaze, Chu Liuyue's gaze shifted slightly.

Yi Wentao had just retracted his gaze.

Chu Liuyue sized him up with interest. A person like Nan Yifan is nothing to worry about. In comparison, the Yi family seems to be more difficult to deal with. This Yi Wentao looks gentle and harmless on the surface and is very refined, but how can there be a simple person who can reach his current position? Not to mention that he has chosen to join forces with the Nan family!

Her gaze then landed on the two people behind Yi Wentao, and she smiled playfully. There are actually two acquaintances from the Yi family—Yi Wenzhuo and Jun Jiuqing! I've long known that Yi Wenzhuo came from a good background, but I never knew that it was actually this Yi family. As for Jun Jiuqing... From the looks of it, he is already considered a member of the Yi family?

"Vice-Director, I didn't have the time to greet you the last time we met. I didn't expect to see you here." Her words were filled with mockery and sarcasm.

They didn't come with good intentions. Yi Wenzhuo no longer cares about his face and stands directly opposite us!

Chapter 1938 Threat

Yi Wenzhuo was unmoved.

As early as when he decided to come with the Yi family, he had already thought of everything he would face in the future.

Chu Liuyue was Nan Suhuai's beloved disciple. Making things difficult for her was undoubtedly equivalent to offending Nan Suhuai. It was even very likely that he would lose his status as the vice-director, but so what?

As the vice-director of Ling Xiao Academy, he felt aggrieved! Even if he lost the position, there was nothing to be sorry about!

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When she and Rong Xiu got married, Nan Suhuai's actions were almost equivalent to confirming that the next director of the academy would be her!

What else did he have to care about? Therefore, in the end, he still chose to come as a member of the Yi family.

"Indeed. I didn't expect you to be so 'promising' after not seeing you for a while," Yi Wenzhuo said sarcastically. From the looks of it, Peach Blossom Dock really seems to be controlled by her, and Rong Xiu didn't interfere much. However, these things are complicated. Until the last moment, nobody can tell what is going on.

Chu Liuyue nodded happily. "Thank you for your compliment, Vice-Director."

It was as if she didn't hear the irony in his words at all.

Yi Wenzhuo choked, then snorted and waved his sleeve fiercely. I want to see how long she can continue laughing!

Jun Jiuqing, who was at the side, had no expression from beginning to end. Only when she saw the two of them interlocking their hands did a dark light flash across his eyes.

There seemed to be some inexplicable tacit understanding between them. One look at each other, and they could easily understand each other's feelings.

It was as if an invisible barrier surrounded the two of them alone. Nobody was allowed to enter.

Now that a powerful enemy had arrived and danger was right in front of her, her expression was still calm.

Her beautiful eyebrows relaxed, and her frown and smile seemed to have a unique charm. But compared to before, she was gentler and more naive.

Of course, that was a young girl's expression which only appeared when she looked at the person beside her.

Like a dusty pearl, it finally bloomed.

Jun Jiuqing looked away and clenched his hands in his sleeves. He lowered his eyes slightly to hide the waves in them.

"Master Yi, why have you brought people here today?" Rong Xiu's gaze paused on Jun Jiuqing for a moment before he gazed at Yi Wentao.

Yi Wentao smiled. "His Grace, don't misunderstand. We're actually here today to do business with you."

Rong Xiu raised his brows. "Oh? I don't know what business I have with the Yi family?"

Yi Wentao's expression was as usual as he smiled faintly. "To be honest, we've taken a fancy to this Peach Blossom Dock."

Chu Liuyue's glabella throbbed.

"As long as you're willing to give up Peach Blossom Dock, you can state your conditions."

His attitude was polite, and his expression was gentle. However, this sentence almost made Chu Liuyue laugh in anger. So the Yi family is here for Peach Blossom Dock?! He sounds generous, but he didn't ask first if I'm willing.

Previously, she had even chatted with Rong Xiu and said that after this, those who coveted Peach Blossom Dock would probably take action. However, they didn't expect that the Yi family would be the first to attack!

When Rong Xiu heard this, he smiled faintly. "Peach Blossom Dock belongs to Yue'er. If you want it, she's the one you should look for."

Yi Wentao was stunned. I had always thought that most of the rumors outside were fake and that a mere girl like Chu Liuyue probably didn't have the ability to take down Peach Blossom Dock.

He thought Rong Xiu must've taken action later—that was why he directly told Rong Xiu what he had just said. However, he didn't expect Rong Xiu's attitude to be so straightforward and clear.

Peach Blossom Dock belonged to Chu Liuyue! The decision on how to deal with Peach Blossom Dock was also in her hands!

Yi Wentao's heart was pounding. I know Rong Xiu a little. If he really had taken over Peach Blossom Dock, he would've rejected my suggestion. However, he actually deferred the decision to Chu Liuyue... Is this to lift her up in front of everyone, or... Did she really take down Peach Blossom Dock?

Yi Wentao wasn't sure.

In comparison, he was actually more afraid of Rong Xiu. As for Chu Liuyue, he didn't take her seriously.

But if all of this Is really as the rumors say, and the huge Peach Blossom Dock was taken down by her alone, then... I'm going to have to re-evaluate her.

However, Yi Wentao wasn't an ordinary person. After being rejected by Rong Xiu, he smiled at Chu Liuyue. "My apologies. I wonder what the Princess Consort means—"

"Impossible," Chu Liuyue said decisively before Yi Wentao could finish. Are you kidding me? I've spent so much effort and experienced life and death! It hasn't been easy for me to turn Peach Blossom Dock into my territory. How could I give it up?

Yi Wentao paused.

Actually, he had already expected her reaction and attitude. If it were anyone else, they would've rejected him the same, let alone her.

However, he was in no hurry. "Princess Consort, why are you in such a hurry to reject me? Perhaps... our conditions can persuade you?"

Chu Liuyue narrowed her eyes and smiled. "Oh? Then, I want to hear what conditions you plan to give."

Peach Blossom Dock was vast and had extremely abundant natural energy. More importantly, this place was directly connected to one of the God Residence Realm's entrances and allowed people to enter and exit the God Residence Realm freely!

Such a treasure land was completely priceless! What else in the world could compare to it?

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On the other side, when the Nan family heard this, their reactions were also different. Oh, right! How could we have forgotten that Peach Blossom Dock is almost a priceless treasure!? Previously, we had only thought of revenge and had forgotten this important point! If we can seize Peach Blossom Dock, then...

Some people were restless. Some of them began to look at Nan Yifan frequently to check his intentions.

But at this moment, Nan Yifan's face was as cold as ice. Other than anger and resentment, there was nothing else.

He doesn't seem to be interested in Peach Blossom Dock; all his attention is still on revenge.

That's true. He's the one who has lost his son and now has no descendants. Naturally, he is also the one who feels terrible.

Although the others were also angry, they were still inferior to Nan Yifan.

Some people were tempted, but they suppressed it unwillingly. Even if we can defeat Rong Xiu, Chu Liuyue, and the others, how can we compete with the Yi family?

The two families were originally on par, but after the previous blow, the current Nan family probably couldn't fight the Yi family head-on.

The other party had brought ten legendary warriors this time! They were determined to get Peach Blossom Dock!

Hearing her question, Yi Wentao seemed to smile. "His Grace and Princess Consort, as well as the lives of countless cultivators in Peach Blossom Dock. Is this enough to exchange for Peach Blossom Dock?"

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Chapter 1939 Biting Back!

As soon as he finished speaking, the atmosphere froze!

A chill surged out, and the temperature almost dropped to the freezing point!

The air seemed to freeze. There was silence, almost suffocating.

What he meant was that if Chu Liuyue refused to give up Peach Blossom Dock, the Yi family would kill everyone here!

The smile on Chu Liuyue's face gradually faded. There seemed to be a layer of frost between her eyebrows that was bone-chilling. "Master Yi, are you threatening me?"

Yi Wentao shook his head. "No, I'm very sincere in discussing this business with you, Princess Consort."

He sounded so sincere, and his expression was also sincere. Those who didn't know better would really think that he was full of sincerity!

Chu Liuyue sized him up and smiled instead of being angry. "It seems that Master Yi is very confident in himself."

Yi Wentao nodded slightly and said tactfully and bluntly, "I've never done anything I'm not confident about."

The people I brought are the strongest people in the Yi family! Coupled with the cooperation of the Nan family, dealing with Peach Blossom Dock is even less of a problem.

He knew that Rong Xiu was powerful and must've been prepared beforehand. But since he planned to make a move this time, he wouldn't allow himself to fail! Otherwise, all of them wouldn't end well!

He gazed steadily at Chu Liuyue. "What do you think of my conditions, Princess Consort?"

The corners of Chu Liuyue's lips curled up slightly, and her eyes seemed to sparkle. Her red lips parted slightly as she spat out a single word to express her sincerest feelings. "Bullsh*t!"

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Dead silence.

Nobody expected Chu Liuyue to say that. This was simply tearing off the other party's face, throwing it to the ground, and stepping on it!

She really didn't give the other party any face!

The Nan family was shocked. Why is Chu Liuyue so unreasonable?

The Yi family was also shocked. What did she just say?!

Even Yi Wentao's handsome and elegant face twisted for a moment when he heard this.

He came from an excellent family and had enjoyed a smooth journey. When had he ever been humiliated like this in front of others?

It was extremely unpleasant and humiliating!

On the other hand, the guards standing at the side revealed looks of admiration. Master Yue is indeed Master Yue! How domineering! She has to be like this toward such shameless and imperious things!

Yi Wentao took a deep breath and finally regained his expression. As he suppressed his anger, he glanced at Rong Xiu. "Your Grace, I'm here sincerely to discuss this business. Isn't the Princess Consort going overboard?"

Rong Xiu's thin lips curled up into a smile. "I'm sorry, Yue'er has always been straightforward. There's nothing wrong with that, and she always likes to tell the truth. Master Yi is magnanimous. I believe you won't fuss over such a small matter."

Yi Wentao was speechless! His face was red and white.

Chu Liuyue gave her man a thumbs-up in her heart again. Impressive—how impressive. What is killing without bloodshed? This is it!

Each word was almost like a sharp blade, cutting Yi Wentao's hypocritical air into pieces! After losing face in front of so many people, it would probably be difficult to salvage it!

"You—" Yi Wentao held his breath.

He had just said one word when he was interrupted. "Master, I've brought them here."

Everyone looked in the direction of the voice.

Cen Yi had returned. Behind him were a few guards from Yue Manor, followed by Luo Yan and the other three elders.

Ever since Luo Yan confessed, Chu Liuyue didn't make things difficult for them anymore. Instead, she let her subordinates feed them well.

The few of them had even changed into clean new clothes.

From the outside, apart from their pale faces and dispirited spirits, they seemed no different from ordinary people.

However, everyone present was quite strong. Soon, someone saw the problem.

"...Why are they so weak? Moreover, there doesn't seem to be any force fluctuations coming from their bodies!" asked someone from the Nan family in a low voice.

Weak? That was very understandable. Most likely, they had used torture.

However, there was no force fluctuation coming from their bodies, which was really strange!

Even through the barrier, they weren't particularly far apart. They should be able to sense the fluctuations!

Nan Yifan's heart sank, and he immediately shouted in a low voice, "Shangguan Yue, what have you done to them?!"

Chu Liuyue said unhurriedly, "Master Nan, what's the hurry? I just gave them some medicine so that they could stay here quietly. However, isn't this person still here?"

As she spoke, she walked to Luo Yan's side. "Luo Yan, Master Nan said that we killed Nan Yuxing. Do you have anything to say about this?"

Everyone's eyes were focused on Luo Yan!

Luo Yan looked up slowly.

Nan Yifan met his gaze for a moment, and that cold and dark gaze made him feel intense uneasiness.

Luo Yan spoke in a hoarse voice. "I killed Nan Yuxing."

Nan Yifan clenched his fists. "Luo Yan, were you threatened by them?! Don't worry. We're here today to seek justice for you! You just have to tell the truth!"

Luo Yan just stared at him, his eyes cold and strange. "I indeed killed Nan Yuxing. At that time, many people saw it. Nan Yifan, shouldn't you know best why I killed him?"

Chapter 1940 Exposed

His voice was cold and mechanical. Only when one looked carefully and saw the surging hatred in his eyes would one understand that his words were indeed sincere!

Nan Yifan was stunned.

Everyone in the Nan family was stunned. Luo Yan actually admitted that he killed Nan Yuxing? What else did he say? Nan Yifan knew best why he did it?

Countless puzzled and suspicious gazes landed on Nan Yifan.

A storm brewed in Nan Yifan's heart! Luo Yan's words... Could it be that he already knows?

Great worry and fear surged through him. He opened his mouth, but his words were stuck in his throat.

After admiring the change in Nan Yifan's expression for a while, Chu Liuyue said, "Since everyone is here, it's better to make things clear. Luo Yan, why don't you come and tell everyone personally why you're here at Peach Blossom Dock?"

Nan Yifan's heart seemed to be clenched by something, and he shouted sternly, "Luo Yan, don't forget that you're from the Nan family! No matter how they threaten and bribe you, you can't betray the Nan family!"

Luo Yan's lips twitched as if he had heard a joke. "Nan Yifan, are you crazy? My surname is Luo, not Nan."

The corners of Nan Yifan's eyes twitched violently, and his entire body turned cold! Then, he heard Luo Yan continue, "Our purpose in coming this time is very simple—to kill you! After knowing that you came to Peach Blossom Dock and almost didn't bring any accompanying people, we had this plan and came directly. We originally wanted to deal with you directly, but we didn't expect... that we would become the losing side."

Luo Yan's expression was indifferent, and every word was cold and clear!

The Nan family was already in an uproar! The version we heard wasn't like this! Between Nan Yifan and Luo Yan, who is telling the truth?!

"As for the reason why I want to kill you... it's naturally because of Yiyi."

Not many people knew that Nan Yiyi had offended Rong Xiu and Chu Liuyue in the God Residence Realm. However, the Nan family and Yi family were very well-informed. As long as they were willing, it wasn't difficult for them to find out.

Moreover, on the day of Rong Xiu's wedding, Nan Yiyi had publicly gone to the Sky-Cloud Empire. Although she was rejected, this matter was done too openly.

It was difficult not to know!

As for Nan Yiyi's sudden death some time ago, it caused many speculations.

"In the beginning, just like Nan Yuxing and the others, I thought that Yiyi had died at your hands. However, I later found out that wasn't the case."

At the mention of Nan Yiyi, Luo Yan's expression finally changed. Heartache, pity, regret, and resentment!

He took a deep breath in. "The person who really killed Yiyi wasn't anyone else but Nan Yifan!"

Nan Yifan seemed to have been struck by lightning. He shouted almost reflexively, "Luo Yan, do you know what you're talking about?!"

He was unusually agitated. His face was flushed, but his lips were pale and trembling violently.

The Nan family was stunned for a moment, not believing it. Anyone could've killed Nan Yiyi, but not Nan Yifan! He is Nan Yiyi's biological father!

"Luo Yan, are you confused? The Second Miss was the apple of his eye. He can't help but feel sorry for her state. Why would he harm her?"

"That's right! Even if you betray the Nan family and stand on their side, at least say something that sounds plausible, ok?"

"Luo Yan, Luo Yan... Why are you doing this?"

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The people from the Nan family clearly felt that Luo Yan's words were ridiculous and unbelievable. They all criticized him.

Luo Yan only sneered and stared at Nan Yifan. "That's right! Why wouldn't I want to guess that it was someone else?! Unfortunately, your master didn't give me this chance! Nan Yifan, why don't you tell me if it's true or not? Tell me, how did you kill Yiyi and forcefully plunder her Yuan meridian to help your good son recover?!"

Luo Yan's words were filled with hatred!

These words finally made the commotion disappear!

There was dead silence again.

The expressions of the people from the Nan family became subtle.

Others might not know, but they knew.

Some time ago, there was indeed something wrong with Nan Yuxing's body. Nan Yifan only said that he was injured and needed to recuperate for a while. However, many people were actually suspicious because the courtyard was very strictly guarded, Nan Yifan only allowed his most trusted heavenly doctor and subordinates to go over.

Everyone else was forbidden to enter.

Later, Nan Yiyi died. Not long after, Nan Yuxing's body recovered, and he even broke through!

At first, they were just a little surprised, but they didn't think too much about it. However, Luo Yan's words instantly lifted that layer of cloth and revealed the truth to them!

After understanding the meaning behind this, gasps sounded! Doesn't this mean that... Nan Yiyi had really died at the hands of Nan Yifan?!

"...Master doted on Second Miss so much. How is it possible..." someone muttered in disbelief.

Someone else had a meaningful look. "No matter how good the Second Miss was, how could she be more important than the Eldest Young Master? He's the most suitable heir to the position of family head in this lineage..."

All kinds of chaotic voices sounded. Everyone looked at Nan Yifan with even more doubt!

Nan Yifan didn't turn around, but he also felt a chill down his spine! His limbs seemed to be numb, and he almost felt nothing.

Only layers of bone-chilling coldness surged out from the depths of his body and devoured him!

"You... you..." He wanted to open his mouth and deny Luo Yan's words. But as the words left his mouth, he realized that his voice was trembling.

Luo Yan hates me! He is going to drag me into hell completely! I will never be able to make a comeback!

Yeah, he has always doted on Nan Yiyi. After knowing this, he naturally wouldn't let the matter rest!

In an instant, countless thoughts seemed to flash through Nan Yifan's mind, but his mind also seemed to be blank.

Crisp applause sounded.

Everyone came back to their senses and realized that the person clapping was Chu Liuyue.

She smiled, but it didn't reach her eyes. "Master Nan, I really couldn't tell that you still had such temperament and methods. You were clearly the one who harmed your children, but now you have the cheek to bite back. You even asked so many people from the Nan family to accompany you... Impressive, really impressive! However, if Nan Yiyi and Nan Yuxing meet you in the underworld, they would probably resent you. Why would they have a father like you?"

Shoo!

Nan Yifan's chest trembled, and he suddenly spat out a mouthful of blood!