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Chapter 321: Leaving Ya Lun City

Ning Cheng's eyes narrowed, however he chose not to make a move. This Forsaken Land was somewhat eccentric; it was also absolutely not Princess Man who had blocked the dagger from stabbing into her eyes.

"Little Man, what's wrong with you....." A panicked voice arrived, which was then followed by a middle aged man who rushed in like a shadow.

The middle aged man's speed was very fast, however Ning Cheng was still able to clearly observe him with his spiritual consciousness. This was definitely an expert, however from the looks of it he was a pure martial artist. Looking at his appearance that was somewhat similar to the Prince and also Princess Man it could be easily be guessed that this person was none other than the City Master.

The middle aged man rushed to Princess Man's side, then raised his hand and immediately pressed a few acupuncture points on her body. It caused the wounds on Princess Man to immediately stop bleeding; then he took out a vial from his waistband and poured out some powder over Princess Man's wounds.

It was only at this time that the several servants finally started reacting, as they hurriedly stepped forward to help Princess Man bandage the wounds.

Ning Cheng who was still sitting and observing from the side could make it out clearly, that this City Master really had a few tricks up his sleeves, and even his haemostatic method was quite powerful, while at the same time that powder also seemed to a top class medicinal salve.

[TL Note: 'Haemostatic Method' refers to methods for arresting the flow of blood.]

"Imperial Father, this man was trying to assassinate me....." Princess Man finally managed to sober up and immediately pointed at Ning Cheng and cried out. The image that she portrayed was in complete contrast to the cold and detached yet fierce look she had when rode out of the Ya Lun City on her beast with her guards at that time.

Ning Cheng couldn't help but laugh aloud at this, a City Master yet also being called as Imperial Father. However, even if both the prince and princess came out, coupled with this one 'King', it would mean nothing at all to him.

"Little Mei, are you alright....." It was not until this moment did the prince finally rushed in.

It was also not until this moment that the City Master finally had the chance to observe the Ning Cheng trio. He saw Ning Cheng's calm face as he sat there motionless. He could not help but give a slight frown, but then he asked in a very gentle sounding voice, "You should be the guests Little Man invited, right? So why did you attack Little Man?"

Ning Cheng gave a faint smile, "You should be the City Master, right? Discarded rice can still be eaten, but one should never talk nonsense. You can ask any of the people here if I did anything. It would be better if you made your decision after that, or I'll be angry."

This middle aged man increasingly felt that something was wrong, whether or not the current situation was something orchestrated by the man in front of him or not, but this kind of calm attitude, combined with the tone and words directed at someone like him, the City Master, it made him increasingly feel that things were not right at all.

His eyes then swept across the dozen terrified guards, before he asked with a sinking voice, "What just happened here?"

The head of the guard unit hastily stepped forward and spoke that a moment ago the dagger, for no apparent reason at all, immediately shot up and stabbed Princess Man one time after another.

The middle aged man on hearing the words of the guard suddenly gave a bright smile and dismissed the guard. He then turned towards Ning Cheng and cupped his fists before speaking in a polite manner, "I was reckless a moment ago, I am called Yi Zonghuan, and am the City Master of Ya Lun City. Since you are Little Man's guests, then it means that you are also this Yi Zonghuan's distinguished guests."

At this point, even Princess Man did not dare to talk any nonsense. She even stared at Ning Cheng with alarm in her eyes. She was very clear about her Imperial Father's ruthlessness and relentlessness. With her earlier complaint, even if she was not injured, or even if the Ning Cheng trio had nothing to do with it, he would have immediately chopped the Ning Cheng trio into tiny pieces, before throwing them out to be fed to the beasts.

At this moment, her Imperial Father had not only not done such a thing, but had even offered a polite greeting. From this, it was clear that the three people in front of them were not ordinary people. Moreover, as she thought back to how she was injured a moment ago, it felt really strange to her.

The prince had also just come in; he also couldn't help but stare at the Ning Cheng trio in front of him, not understanding what was going on. All he knew was that Ning Cheng had forced his Imperial Father to be polite to him in front of so many people, so he just swept a vague glance at Yin Kongchan and Xu Yingde, but did not dare to speak out.

"I am called Ning Cheng. However, I am not a distinguished guest of your daughter. More than a month ago, I was given a reward of three knives and six holes by your daughter. For that I am truly grateful. Today, because your son took a fancy to my women, he wanted to reward my help by taking away the two women by my side. So you see, I just came to your daughter's, the Princess, mansion to repay the heartfelt gratitude, what do you say?" Ning Cheng spoke calmly.

Yi Zonghuan's heart immediately went into shock, wasn't his daughter's injury before being wrapped up, three knives and six holes? Looks like the other party came here to collect their debts.

To be able to control the dagger with just air, at least he did not have the ability or skill to do such a thing. This showed that at present, comparing his internal vigour cultivation of the young man in front of him, the other party was actually stronger than he was.

Before he could even turn around the idea, Ning Cheng suddenly stood up, while at the same time erupted with a monstrous murderous aura.

Not good, the situation was turning for the worse. Yi Zonghuan's experience was much better than his son's was. He immediately decided to not clash with Ning Cheng. Especially for the time being, when he could feel that Ning Cheng's strength might be even above him.

However, since Ning Cheng had taken the initiative to come here and settle scores, how could he continue and sit back? Although he was extremely reluctant to do such a thing, he immediately looked at the prince standing behind him before slapping his twice and spoke, "You truly have a lot of courage, my Ya Lun City is a city with established laws, and you actually dared to defy these laws? Somebody put him on death row this instant."

"Slap slap." two crisp slapping sounds resounded, even if the prince had an even fiercer aura, in front of Yi Zonghuan's two slaps, he couldn't help but feel his mouth overflowing with blood, while there was even a clear purple coloured handprint on both of his cheeks.

This scene completely terrified the guards, to the point that they were even afraid to breath in this kind of atmosphere. Everyone was aware that the City Master pampered his children to an insane level. It even reached to such an extent that he would not even give a light scold to their actions, not to mention show such a ruthless side towards them.

However, Ning Cheng realized that although Yi Zonghuan had struck fiercely, there was simply no weight behind his slaps. But he still just waved his hand and spoke, "You can put him in jail later, but for now I have something to ask him. Prince, please come forward."

Even their Imperial Father was extremely courteous and polite towards Ning Cheng, so how the prince not be afraid of him. He quickly walked to Ning Cheng's side without speaking anything.

"Is it true that you found the location of the Awakening Spiritual Door in the Abandoned Spiritual Mountain? Just tell me the location on the map." Ning Cheng spoke out casually.

The prince immediately froze up for a moment, but before he could even find the time to answer, he heard Yi Zonghuan's roar from behind, "Bring it out quickly!"

The prince, at this time, did not dare to speak even half a word of nonsense, before he quickly took out a detailed map from his body and passed it on to Ning Cheng. This map was of the Abandoned Spiritual Mountain, and the position of the Awakening Spiritual Door was also clearly marked on it.

Ning Cheng put away the detailed map and asked again, "How can one go to the Abandoned Spiritual Mountain from here?"

"Go get a map to the Abandoned Spiritual Mountain for Elder Brother Ning." Yi Zonghuan waved his hand towards a nearby guard and spoke.

The guard was very quick, and in just a short while, he hurried over with a map and handed it to Yi Zonghuan.

Yi Zonghuan smiled and passed on the map to Ning Cheng.

Ning Cheng took the map, looked at Yi Zonghuan and smiled, "City Master Yi, you really are not a simple person. No wonder the Ya Lun City could be so prosperous, before I leave let me help City Master Yi by passing on a few words, you might think that it is appropriate to act calmly at present, but it would be

inappropriate to act upon your thoughts right now. With that, City Master Yi, I bid my farewell. Take care of yourself.”

With that, Ning Cheng turned away and walked out of the princess’s garden with Yin Kongchan and Xu Yingdei, before they unhurriedly disappeared into the distance.

“Imperial Father.....” After Ning Cheng left, both Princess Man and the Prince called out to him at the same time.

Yi Zonghuan had not yet spoken a word, when a guard came forward to report, “Your Majesty, the four generals are already waiting outside.”

“I see you can get down now.” Yi Zonghuan waved at the guard to draw back.

“Imperial Father, you are already ready.” Princess Man and the Prince immediately understood what was going on.

Yi Zonghuan sighed and spoke, “Little Man, you should have already guessed it that your injury was definitely inflicted upon you by Ning Cheng. You punished him with three knives and six holes, so now he also punished you with three knives and six holes. Before, I had assumed that this man’s strength was still slightly above me, so I held myself back in front of him, while I gave the order to assemble the army to kill him outside the city.....”

Speaking until here, Yi Zonghuan’s eyes showed an intense fear for the first time before he continued, “But then he finally talked about that place in the Abandoned Spiritual Mountain, which made me completely afraid to make a move on him.”

“Why?” Princess Man spoke out with an unwilling tone, at the same time she even clenched her fists tightly.

Yi Zonghuan spoke with a sinking sound, “If it was for the people indigenous from here, who among them would know about the Abandoned Spiritual Mountain? If I have not guessed wrong, then this man must have come in from the outside. When he first came in, he must have been influenced by the laws in this place, causing his cultivation to be sealed up, otherwise how could Little Man easily be able to punish him with three knives and six holes. Now it seems that he has recovered a part of his cultivation, at least enough to not use his hands or feet yet still manage to injure Little Man in front of all.”

“Ah, if the people who come in from outside have their cultivations completely sealed up, doesn’t it mean that they can’t cultivate at all?” The prince asked in astonishment.

“This place should have been terrifying for this person; however he definitely is not an ordinary person. Otherwise, how could he be able to unseal his cultivation in this kind of place? If he really is a person who came from the outside, then even if I command all the troops inside the Ya Lun City to surround him, it would either cause rivers of blood to start flowing, or he might just easily walk out of the encirclement without a trace of his shadow or even the slightest of sounds. Moreover, his last words were also a warning to me. If I truly dared to send the army assembled outside to intercept him, then the consequences of such a thing would absolutely be unimaginable.” As Yi Zonghuan spoke, his tone grew more and more grave.

Princess Man and the Prince behind her immediately broke out in cold sweat, especially Princess Man; she finally realized why the other party was so arrogant, to the extent that they did not even put her in their eyes.

“Then why did he spare us? Rather, why did he spare Little Mei? I heard those people who come from the outside world are completely ruthless, will never take the lives of ordinary people seriously. Not to mention them massacring a clan, even in the face of exterminating a country and wiping out their roots, they would not even blink.” The prince asked again.

Yi Zonghuan also frowned at this, “This is something that even I do not understand. I heard that those people on the outside who cultivate are called cultivators. Supposedly, once a cultivator comes into this place, it would absolutely not bode well for them.”

“Shall we send someone to give it a try?” Princess Man’s heart was still unwilling.

Yi Zonghuan immediately rebuked her with a harsh tone, “This matter will not be mentioned again, whether he is a cultivator from the outside or not, we are really lucky to be able to achieve such a narrow escape.”

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The Ning Cheng trio simply walked out of the Ya Lun City through the middle gate, which immediately stunned all the people who looked at them. This was the door that directly led to the City Master’s mansion, yet three ordinary people dared to tread on it? Some of the people who wanted to make a fortune out of it immediately dashed to register a complaint.

“Your last remark was deliberate, wasn’t it?” After coming out of the city gate, Yin Kongchan glanced at Ning Cheng and spoke. She was very clear about the meaning of Ning Cheng’s last words. That is, if Yi Zonghuan really dared to bring out his troops to intercept them, Ning Cheng definitely would kill them all while washing the land with rivers of blood and fertilizing it with their flesh.

However, as a cultivator that came from a major academy, Yin Kongchan really did not understand why Ning Cheng just let go of the Ya Lun City’s City Master. With one’s strength recovered, one would pay particular attention to the feelings of elation in collecting the debt of gratitude coupled with the duty to avenge.

“Although Ya Lun City’s laws are a bit harsh, but it is actually much better than anywhere else, so I truly am not willing to start a slaughter in this place.”

Ning Cheng finished talking, then took out an airship type magical weapon and spoke, “Come on, once we get to the Abandoned Spiritual Mountain, we can then leave this Forsaken Land.”

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Chapter 322: Opening The Awakening Spiritual Door

Yin Kongchan shot a glance at Ning Cheng when he brought out the airship but did not speak. She was very clear that when she left with Ning Cheng’s ring at that time, the flight type magical weapon in it was not this airship. If this airship was not given to him by Xu Yingdei before, then it was definitely Ning Cheng’s, which also meant that he had another storage device on him. At this moment, she really did want to ask if Ning Cheng’s Geocentric 9 Yin Essence was really taken away by her.

When Ning Cheng took out the airship, he immediately noticed Yin Kongchan glancing at him. He was a smart man and instantly understood what Yin Kongchan was thinking. However, he simply did not care about it. Many cultivators preferred to keep more than one storage type devices on them, so even if he had two, it would not be a strange thing.

He was sure that Yin Kongchan did not have the face to ask about the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence, and even if Yin Kongchan really asked about it, he simply would not mention about it to her. If Yin Kongchan did not inquire, then in the future his Geocentric 9 Yin Essence would only exist as a few words, however he would still set aside a part of it to give it to Yin Kongchan. The prerequisite was that he must first come out from the bottom of the Blood River Mountains.

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As Ning Cheng took control of the airship, Yin Kongchan and Xu Yingdei immediately realized that Ning Cheng had not only recovered, rather he had recovered completely. The three of them each were immersed in their own thoughts, causing the atmosphere to instantly quieten down, while nobody amongst them spoke.

Even if Ning Cheng's speed was not fast, it can also be said that it was not slow at all. And in just half a day's travel, guided by the markings on the map to the Abandoned Spiritual Mountain, they were soon able to find the Awakening spiritual Door.

At this point, not much far away from the Awakening Spiritual Door, there were a few dozen soldiers stationed in hidden. The moment that Ning Cheng arrived here, they immediately rushed out and encircled them.

Ning Cheng did not waste any time, as he stimulated his true essence creating a gust of wind which pushed back the soldiers encircling them by several meters as he spoke, "There is nothing for you here, go back and tell Yi Zonghuan, that he should be tactful this time. If he dared to let the people from the City Master's Mansion swagger around me, then I will personally visit the City Master's Mansion and smash it to dust. Fuck off now."

In the face of such a display of power from Ning Cheng, these soldiers did not dare to even speak half a word, before they quickly got up and immediately escaped without leaving behind anyone.

After all the guards escaped, Ning Cheng finally was free to observe the Awakening Spiritual Door.

The Awakening Spiritual Door looked no different from an ordinary door. However, on the outside of the Awakening Spiritual Door, there was a vine like plant growing around it. These vines wrapping around the door looked like the legs of an octopus.

No wonder the prince wanted his help; it seems that he wanted his help to get rid of these vines. However, he also had to thank the prince for this. If he had used his spiritual consciousness to search for it, then he would not be able to find it in a short while. The door was completely wrapped in green vines, to the point that it looked no different from an ordinary plant.

However, Ning Cheng's spiritual consciousness had not yet reached this vine like thing, when several of these green vines suddenly separated from the door and rushed towards Ning Cheng.

Ning Cheng quickly grabbed Xu Yingdei and Yin Kongchan before immediately retreating, while at the same time avoiding the numerous vines coming his way.

"I know what it is; it is a Human Devouring Rattan. This is a Rank 6 demon plant. Even a Profound Core Cultivator might not necessarily be its opponent. That prince sure is crazy, wanting to let an ordinary person deal with this Human Devouring Rattan." Yin Kongchan spoke in a panic-stricken voice.

Xu Yingdei also gave a nod. With a worried voice, she spoke up, "Once you are wrapped by the rattan vines, it would immediately suck you dry. This Forsaken Land does not contain any spiritual qi, yet it unexpectedly is able to birth this kind of demon plant."

"Haha, found it. I finally was able to find the Awakening Spiritual Door....." A laughing voice arrived, followed by two men rushing over.

The lean man walking in front immediately looked at the Ning Cheng trio before he immediately snapped, "Get out of here, this is not a place ants like you can come to."

"Wait...." The sturdy looking man's eyes immediately landed on the two people, Yin Kongchan and Xu Yingdei, before he swallowed a mouthful of saliva and said, "Elder Brother Wan, take a look at these two women....."

Between the words, he couldn't help but swallow a few mouthfuls of saliva before he spoke, "Such beautiful women, if we can....."

But the lean man immediately stopped, he also shot a surprised look at Yin Kongchan and Xu Yingdei, while the same feeling arose in him on looking at the two indescribably beautiful women in front of him.

Although he did not appear to be as strong as the robust looking man behind him, who had the appearance of an older pig, but he still coldly spoke out, "Cheng Zhi, your wife back at home is not bad. However, I'm bent on pursuing something higher. If you like these two women, then I suggest you take them home and live happily. You're anyways not suitable for what I am pursuing....."

The strong looking man forcibly turned away his gaze from the two woman and spoke, "Elder Brother Wan, since I am ready to rush out of this place, it means that I have already made up my mind, so how can my faith be shaken by something like this? Come on, let's go and open the Awakening Spiritual Door."

The robust looking man even took a step forward, seemingly to prove himself. The lean man glanced at Ning Cheng and spoke with a sneer, "If the two of us arrived by the side of the Awakening Spiritual Door, and the three of you haven't left by then, then you don't have to leave this place."

Saying that, he immediately rushed forward.

The two of them had not yet arrived at the Awakening Spiritual Door, when dozens of vines immediately shot out of the densely clustered Human Devouring Rattan, surrounding the two people.

However, neither of them panicked. Holding a long knife in their hands, they immediately moved to split apart the vines surrounding them. However, the moment their knives touched the vines of the Human Devouring Rattan, it could not even produce a scratch over it. It was as if they were trying to cut steel.

Two screams emerged as the vines of the Human Devouring Rattan, almost in an instant, wrapped around the two of them and dragged them towards the top of the Awakening Spiritual Door. The Ning Cheng trio could clearly see the two of them gradually withering up, before finally, not to mention their robes, even the knife in their hands was devoured cleanly, as if they never existed in the first place.

“What a powerful Human Devouring Rattan!” Ning Cheng sighed and muttered. If his cultivation had not been restored, then even if he could reach this place, he could only stare at it. This kind of Human Devouring Rattan, not to mention his tri edged thorn, even if he took out a knife type spiritual artefact, it would be useless.

Ning Cheng stepped forward, directly bringing out his Cosmic True Devil Axe. Innumerable Human Devouring Rattan vines rushed out, locking onto the Cosmic True Devil Axe. With just a twist of the Cosmic True Devil Axe, he immediately broke free from these Human Devouring Rattan vines, while at the same time these vines were completely sliced apart by the Cosmic True Devil axe.

But what made Ning Cheng feel a bit horrified was that even after these Human Devouring Rattan vines were sliced off, new vines quickly sprouted from the cut-off stumps. While the sliced off Human Devouring Rattan vines on the ground were still jumping, as if they would be able to shoot out at any time and entangle people.

“Quite the strong one.” Ning Cheng realized that there was simply no other way than using fire to deal with this kind of thing. No matter how much he cut these vines apart with a magical weapon, it would not bring in any results.

Ning Cheng put away the Cosmic True Devil Axe, before blasting out with several fireballs. The Human Devouring Rattan vine, which had fallen to the ground after being sliced off by Ning Cheng, quickly turned into flying ash and disappeared after being burned by the fireballs. However, the Human Devouring Rattan vines that grew on the Awakening Spiritual Door were not even affected at all. Under the bombardment of the fireballs, only a few leaves of the Human Devouring Rattan showed a slight withering, however the next moment the leaves were immediately restored to their previous state.

“Ordinary fireballs cannot burn it.....” Yin Kongchan and Xu Yingdei spoke out simultaneously with worried voices. If Ning Cheng’s fireballs could not burn away the Human Devouring Rattan vines, then they simply would not be able to leave this place.

Ning Cheng grunted, then took a few steps forward and once again let loose dozens of fireballs, while at the same time forcibly tried to stimulate the Star River in his Zifu.

The Star River trembled slightly then a scorching hot aura erupted from Ning Cheng, which he directed towards the Human Devouring Rattan covering the Awakening Spiritual Door.

“Hong.....” Just like pouring oil onto dry wood, the flames rushed up to the Human Devouring Rattan, and in just a few breaths of time, the flames disappeared. However, at the same time, the Human Devouring Rattan wrapping around the Awakening Spiritual Door was also erased out of existence.

Ning Cheng was secretly shocked in his heart because of this, as he himself had never seen such a fierce flame. The Star River had not yet sprouted and was already this powerful, once the Star River actually sprouted, just how terrifying would it be? It was already countless times more powerful than his own true fire.

Yin Kongchan and Xu Yingdei were also staring at Ning Cheng, even they could feel and even see that this flame was simply too terrifying.

Ning Cheng however just gave a smile and spoke, "I just burned some of my true essence just now. I did not expect that it would work. Now let me give it a try....."

Saying that, Ning Cheng once again brought out his Cosmic True Devil Axe, however before he could even strike the stone door with his axe, the stone door automatically opened.

"Huh, the Awakening Spiritual Door opened automatically." Ning Cheng murmured out a sentence before pausing for a moment and then immediately turned towards Xu Yingdei and spoke, "Junior Apprentice Sister Yingdei, you'll have to hurry up."

Xu Yingdei on listening to Ning Cheng's words, hurried over to Ning Cheng's side. Yin Kongchan also quietly followed behind them. Previously, Ning Cheng had the same kind of attitude with the two of them, however at the present moment, Ning Cheng's way of treating Xu Yingdei was not the same as how he was treating her.

"Get in." Ning Cheng grabbed Xu Yingdei's hand and stepped into the Awakening Spiritual Door.

Yin Kongchan also did not hesitate, as she followed Ning Cheng and took a step forward.

A short burst of dizziness erupted, causing the three people's thoughts to stop for a moment.

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"Peng peng peng...."

The three people sobered up at almost the same time. As the rich spiritual qi washed over them, it caused the three people to groan out in comfort.

"We finally made it out." Yin Kongchan could feel that her cultivation was fully restored, as she spoke out with a slight emotional tremor in her tone. The saying was truly correct, only when someone has lost something, would they realize the value of having it.

"We really came out." Xu Yingdei also spoke out in a pleasantly surprised voice, but her hand still held onto Ning Cheng's hand, without any signs of letting go.

"What is this place?" Ning Cheng looked at the surrounding desolation in puzzles. He truly did not know where they were transferred out.

Yin Kongchan looked at Ning Cheng and Xu Yingdei holding hands together and spoke, "This place is still in the Tian Continent, of that I am certain. Although I do not know the name of this location, but I have been here once."

"Big Brother Ning, I want to go back to the Rainbow Fall Sword Sect with you, then, then....." Xu Yingdei clenched Ning Cheng's hand as she bowed her head and spoke in a shy voice.

Ning Cheng suddenly sobered up, although he had looked after Xu Yingdei a lot more compared to Yin Kongchan, but Xu Yingdei's current expression immediately made him realize about an important matter regarding them, however he was not ready for such a thing. Thinking back to how Xu Yingdei almost

ended up on his bed in the early morning, Ning Cheng found himself unable to open his mouth. At that time, he had almost taken Xu Yingdei; he had already touched those places that no other person could touch. How could he simply wipe off such a thing with just a few words from his mouth?

But in the heart of hearts, Ji Luofei's position never wavered at all. The feeling of being together with Ji Luofei, and the feeling of being together with Xu Yingdei were entirely different.

"I will be taking my leave now, thank you Ning Cheng." Yin Kongchan looked at the two people in the distance and suddenly spoke out. Finished saying that, she immediately brought out her own shuttle.

Just before the flying shuttle left, Ning Cheng once again received a sound transmission, "The secret on my body, please help me keep it. This Yin Kongchan will be endlessly grateful for it."

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Chapter 323: Xu Yingdei Severs Her Emotions

Whether or not Yin Kongchan left, Xu Yingdei did not care about it. Instead, she turned to face Ning Cheng, while her eyes seemed to be flickering with an extremely hot flame, seemingly inquiring about why Ning Cheng had not replied to her words from before.

Ning Cheng was a little taller than Xu Yingdei was, so he could see a faint white seam from Xu Yingdei's neck as he looked down. At this moment, his mind once again played out the scene of Xu Yingdei's stripping. Ning Cheng's hands subconsciously tightened, just like Yin Kongchan spoke back then, he truly was not a saint.

Feeling Ning Cheng's hands tightening slightly, Xu Yingdei once again moaned while she fluttered into Ning Cheng's bosom while wrapped her arms around him. It looked like her entire being wanted to squeeze into Ning Cheng's body.

Ning Cheng's breathing immediately turned fast, while he also reciprocated Xu Yingdei's embrace. Xu Yingdei's soft body, combined with her subtle fragrance, immediately aroused Ning Cheng. He even felt that this fragrance was the aura of love.

Xu Yingdei could also feel Ning Cheng's arousal that touched her lower belly; of course, she knew what it was. Instead of closing her eyes this time, she opened her eyes wide and looked at Ning Cheng.

Ning Cheng could also clearly see the watery beauty in Xu Yingdei's eyes, and could also make out the look of longing in them. Xu Yingdei's neck seemed to be tinged with a faint red color, however this faint red color actually complimented her pure white skin, while at the same time would also make people quiver at such a sight.

"Take me now." A delicate yet fragrant scent seemed to be accompanying Xu Yingdei's words as it washed over Ning Cheng's face, as if it came from somewhere deep and distant.

Ning Cheng simply was unable to bear it anymore; people always change. The Xu Yingdei in front of him was no longer the Xu Yingdei from before.

Ning Cheng did not speak; rather he gently picked up Xu Yingdei, while the movement of his hands already indicated the thoughts in his mind.

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A white robed woman who looked like she was about to step onto a cloud and fly away, looked at Xu Yingdei and Ning Cheng from a distant place. When she saw Ning Cheng pick up Xu Yingdei and even slipped one hand into Xu Yingdei's robe, she just gave a slight sigh. No one knew Xu Yingdei better than she did, no one even knew more about the Severing Emotions Dao Sect than she.

"Ning Cheng, I really love you, and also am grateful that you also like me. But now, I have to leave....."
Xu Yingdei's soft yet sad voice rang out.

Ning Cheng was slightly surprised for a moment. Without even waiting for him to speak, a vague yet sharp sword pierced through his Core Lake. The next moment, he felt like his entire body was being torn apart from the inside.

Only at this moment did Ning Cheng realize that he was plotted against by Xu Yingdei, but he obviously did not see Xu Yingdei use any magical weapon, nor did he perceive any form of attack coming from Xu Yingdei.

Ning Cheng's hands immediately slackened, causing Xu Yingdei to immediately fall to the ground. However, Xu Yingdei stood still and did not fall; rather it was Ning Cheng who fell to the ground.

At this moment, Ning Cheng could clearly feel that his Core Lake pierced by a sword. No, to be exact, it was a sword that simply did not have any material form at all. He could not perceive the shape, nor the color, or even any other information about the sword. However, there was one thing that he could feel; that his Core Lake was truly pierced by a sword.

However, at this moment, Ning Cheng was not angry, nor did he ask even why. In the moment that the sword pierced through him, Ning Cheng suddenly understood the relation between desire and love. Because there was no love, so he did not feel anger. Xu Yingdei had used him to sever her emotions. What she had severed was her own feelings and sentiments; it did not have any connection with how she felt towards him.

He was suspicious of Yin Kongchan's words before, as according to what Yin Kongchan spoke, as long as she entered dual cultivation with him, she would not be able to successfully sever her emotions. But in the early morning, Xu Yingdei obviously wanted to dual cultivate with him, so why was Xu Yingdei numb on emotions currently? He thought about whether Xu Yingdei and Yin Kongchan had banded together and planned all of it just for him. If Yin Kongchan had truly planned it, then her acting skills had already reached to the point that there was simply no one else comparable to her.

"In the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, I grew up while cultivating the Severing Emotions Cultivation Method, all kinds of obsessions, impurities, emotions, desires... under the effects of the Severing Emotions Cultivation Method would be condensed into a Sword of Severing Emotions. The Sword of Severing Emotions is soundless, colourless, tasteless and intangible. At the time of severing one's emotions, the Sword of Severing Emotions would pierce into the body of the person you love. This Sword of Severing Emotions would slowly sever everything away from you....."

Xu Yingdei slowly spoke out, her eyes completely calm, however Ning Cheng could sense that she was completely different from what she was before. If it was before, she would still have an emotional touch to her words, but at this time, there was only one aura around her, and that was the pursuit of the Grand Dao.

"I just hope that you did not love me too much, so that at least you will suffer less. If you are can to pass through 3600 days of continuous pain, then you might not become a disabled person....."

However, Ning Cheng still chose not to speak, a moment ago when the Sword of Severing Emotions had just pierced through him to sever her emotions, he felt as if his entire body was about to be torn apart, however his pain only lasted for a few breaths of time. At this point, apart from having no strength at all, there was simply no pain at all.

At this moment, Ning Cheng understood that Xu Yingdei was at least right on one point, that the less he felt love towards her the lesser the pain would be. He did not really love Xu Yingdei, which was the real point; rather he was more apologetic and ended up in a sympathetic resonance with Xu Yingdei. The impulse from before was just because of a normal man's normal choice. Because of this, his tearing pain was also quickly vanishing.

However, Ning Cheng was also secretly scared in his heart, if he and Xu Yingdei really had ended up as husband and wife, he probably would never be able to forget this woman. Fortunately, Xu Yingdei was somewhat impatient; they did not have the time to do it, before she started severing her emotions. Now, as long as Xu Yingdei did not kill him, he was absolutely sure that he would be able to remove the Sword of Severing Emotions, while simultaneously restoring his Core Lake.

Plainly put, Xu Yingdei simply did not understand love. For a person who did not understand love, severing emotions was only an idle talk. It looks like the Severing Emotions Dao Sect was truly ridiculous to the extreme.

Xu Yingdei looked at Ning Cheng once more and spoke, "Although I have severed my emotions but that does not mean I turned unfeeling, I do have to thank you for saving me. I know that you will be suffering a lot of hardships as you live, so let me help you give yourself a good time....."

Ning Cheng was just about to shout that no time was good, when a cluster of faintly discernible flames immediately wrapped around him, the flames were so frightful that even if he wanted to shout out he was simply unable to shout.

Looking at the clump of vague flames surrounding Ning Cheng, Xu Yingdei simply walked to a distance, then with a wave, sprinkled out innumerable array flags, while at the same time spilled out innumerable spirit stones. A pill entered her mouth and the next moment her entire body erupted with a shocking imposing aura. Even the sky began to dim; only the people from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect knew that Xu Yingdei was already qualified to advance to the Soul Sculpting Realm.

After the people from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect severed their emotions, they would be able to instantly advance, this was also the most consistent method of the Severing Emotions Dao Sect. Moreover the most suitable period for severing emotions, is actually before the Soul Essence Realm, but at the very least, they had to sever their emotions before stepping into the Soul Sculpting Realm.

"Hong hong hong....." The first wave of thunder sounded out in the distance.

At this moment, Xu Yingdei looked completely calm and was without any waves, while she had long since forgotten Ning Cheng. When she finally advanced to the Soul Sculpting Realm, she would no longer have this person called Ning Cheng in her heart ever again.

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That terrifying flame trapped Ning Cheng, not to mention that Ning Cheng was not able to stimulate the Star River, but even if he were able to stimulate the Star River, he would simply not be able to extinguish this flame. These flames were not the same as ordinary flames. Moreover, he also did not know what these flames were. But under the influence of this flame, thoughts of urgent need of women immediately erupted from inside him, to the point that it was starting to burn him from the inside out.

Regardless of whether or not Xu Yingdei was evil and vicious, Ning Cheng at this moment was not able to control his impulses rampaging in his mind at all. He could not even control his actions let alone anything else.

“The burning fires of lustful desires?” The white robed woman, who had been watching everything from a distance, landed in front of Ning Cheng, as she spoke out a line while feeling moved emotionally. Then she looked up and shot a look at Xu Yingdei in the distance, who was in the midst of crossing her tribulation, before she sighed and spoke softly, “You not only severed your emotions, but even cut out the fires of lustful desires.”

Finished speaking, she looked down at Ning Cheng still struggling with the fires of lustful desires and shook her head. She stretched out both her hands and unexpectedly held onto Ning Cheng, although Ning Cheng’s body was burning with that faintly discernible fires of lustful desires, but the fires burning his body simply did not have even half of an effect on her. This white robed woman then turned and just took a single step, before she disappeared from there without even a trace in just a twinkling of an eye.

The burning fires of lustful desires was not something that can be eliminated, even if it was this white robed woman who rescued Ning Cheng, even she would not be able to eliminate the fires that bathed Ning Cheng’s body. All she could do was to give Ning Cheng a few pieces of Ice Spiritual Pills, the Ice Spiritual Pills turned into a trace of cold that allowed Ning Cheng to gain a sense of clarity for a short moment. It helped him realize that he was taken away by someone.

Ning Cheng circulated his true essence, trying to forcibly quell the fires of lustful desires burning his body and also eliminate the Sword of Severing Emotions, however, no matter how much he tried; it only resulted in the fires of lustful desire growing stronger and stronger. He vaguely could see a woman sitting in front of him. If he had the strength at this time, he felt that even if this woman hated him afterwards, he would throw himself onto this woman, pinning her under him.

However, Ning Cheng knew that even if he thought about such thoughts, he would never do such a thing. This woman had saved him, so even if he ended up dying under the effects of the fires of desire burning his body, he would never do such a thing. After all, he had his pride and also his bottom line.

The effects from the Ice Spiritual Pill gradually subsided, causing Ning Cheng’s conscious to once again start descending into confusion, while his mouth turned dry. Any kind of cultivation method that he thought of, he immediately operated it at random, no matter if it was useful or useless.

Suddenly, Ning Cheng noticed that the vague flame around his body stalled for a moment, while at the same time an Ice Spiritual Pill fell into his mouth. Ning Cheng’s consciousness once again sobered up, allowing him to immediately understand what had transpired.

Just now when he had operated the Embracing Yang God Tactic, the fires of lustful desires burning his body were contained. Not only was it contained, but also it turned into a powerful shock that drilled into his corporeal body, allowing the strength of his corporeal body to increase.

Ning Cheng suddenly came to understand that the Embracing Yang God Tactic was not a cultivation method for internal cultivation; rather it turned out to a body forging cultivation method. Any suffering and torment that damaged the corporeal body, under the influence of the Embracing Yang God Tactic, could be converted to power and condensed in the corporeal body as its attack strength.

Understanding this point, Ning Cheng slowly calmed down. He kept operating the Embracing Yang God Tactic, allowing him to gradually condense the fires of lustful desires burning his body. Although the terrifying desires of lust were still rampaging and dominating him, but he was still barely able to keep it under control.

The Sword of Severing Emotions that pierced his Core Lake, under the influence of the Embracing Yang God Tactic, was melting away like snow and ice in front of a fire. While his injured Core Lake, under the effects of the Mysterious Yellow Aura, was repaired in just a twinkling of an eye. Not knowing for how long he was in this state, Ning Cheng only felt his cultivation completely recover in just a flash.

Ning Cheng finally opened his eyes, but when he saw the woman sitting in front of him, who in both temperament and appearance, was even more beautiful and even nobler looking than Xu Yingdei, he immediately found himself stunned. This kind of noble temperament, he had only seen in a single person, that is, Elder Sister Shu. However, this white robed woman in front of him was obviously not Elder Sister Shu. She looked like a fairy that came from the highest of the nine heavens, as long as you looked at her once, it would immediately bring about a feeling of tranquillity.

“Do not move needlessly, your situation is very bad.....” The woman spoke out in a soft voice.

“Who are you? Why did you save me?” At the time of Xu Yingdei severing her emotions, Ning Cheng had thoroughly matured. Although a strong desire of lust was still rampaging through his body, but he was still able to barely control it.

“My name is Shi Qionghua, and I’m Xu Yingdei’s master.” The white robed woman answered in a soft and gentle voice to Ning Cheng’s questions, completely without the kind of indifference when one spoke to others.

Ning Cheng’s face changed; another one from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect. Initially he had heard of this woman, who had come to the Rainbow Fall Sword Sect to discuss his marriage with Xu Yingdei. The disciple has already severed her sentiments on this father; did the master also come here to sever her emotions? This father is from Earth, and although might not be as crafty as others here, and also not fond of this kind of thing, but did that mean that you all could treat me as a weak toy or something?

“Ah.....” Ning Cheng suddenly clutched at his chest.

Shi Qionghua was just about to check on Ning Cheng’s situation, and was already in close proximity to Ning Cheng when Ning Cheng suddenly struck out with his hands with lightning fast speed, the speed was so fast that one could not even see its shadow, before it exploded onto Shi Qionghua’s body one after another.

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Chapter 324: Shi Qionghua

Shi Qionghua had never thought that, Ning Cheng who did not have even half a shred of strength in her eyes would suddenly burst out with such power. Even though her cultivation was much higher than Ning Cheng, being at such a short distance, combined with not having even a shred of precaution in her heart, she was immediately blown back a short distance.

How could a man struck by the Sword of Severing Emotions to sever the emotions still have the power to resist? Moreover, there was still the burning fires of lustful desires consuming him? Under such a situation, it was even more impossible to resist, so how was Ning Cheng able to do such a thing?

Not waiting for any ideas to form in her mind, Ning Cheng's two hands danced around like flowers, as they constantly exploded onto Shi Qionghua's body with pinpoint precision. It was as if he simply did not care about Shi Qionghua being a woman.

Although Shi Qionghua was angry with Ning Cheng suddenly launching a sneak attack on her, however she truly did not put Ning Cheng in her eyes. The difference between her and Ning Cheng's cultivation was simply too huge. Even if he wanted to kill her, she could simply resolve this thing in just a breath of time.

However, Shi Qionghua soon felt that something was wrong; Ning Cheng was not simply randomly striking at her rather the technique Ning Cheng was using was somewhat akin to an array flag, which caused her Zifu and Dantian to be sealed, giving her a feeling of imprisonment. Not only could she not use her spiritual consciousness even her true essence was completely sealed off.

"The Forsaken Land....." Shi Qionghua cried out in fear. She had once read about the Forsaken Land's forbidden seal of spiritual consciousness and true essence, so she instantly deduced that the technique that Ning Cheng was using was the Forsaken Land's Forbidden Sealing Technique that sealed the spiritual consciousness and true essence. How was Ning Cheng associated with that ancient Forsaken Land? Moreover, how was he able to use the Forsaken Land's Spiritual Consciousness Forbidden Sealing Method?

Although she was aware of a few more things regarding the Forsaken Land's Forbidden Sealing Technique, but she was certain that she would not be able to operate it even if she wished to.

In the moment that Shi Qionghua was in shock, Ning Cheng had completely sealed off Shi Qionghua. The next moment, Ning Cheng lifted his hand and immediately tore off Shi Qionghua's white robes.

A kind of faint yet virgin aroma flooded out which almost made Ning Cheng go into a daze. The moment Ning Cheng laid eyes on Shi Qionghua's exquisitely carved body; he could not help but think if he was completely drunk at this moment, or if his senses had gone completely haywire.

He had accidentally peeked at Yin Kongchan's and Xu Yingdei's body before, so if someone told him that there was a woman with an even more perfect body than these two women, Ning Cheng would have never believed it. But now, at this present moment, he believed it wholeheartedly.

Shi Qionghua's body was the most beautiful masterpiece from the creator; it was so perfect that it simply could not be described in mere words. Ning Cheng had already sobered up at this moment, but

when he saw the two faint pink circles, the lustful desires that he was keeping at bay inside him body immediately burst forth without abandon once again.

Ning Cheng did not hesitate to rip off his own clothes before he pressed forward. It was without any prelude, without any unnecessary movement.

At least at this moment, he felt no psychological burden towards Shi Qionghua. How can any woman from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect save him? What else was there for them other than looking for him to sever their emotions? Since they were looking for him to sever their emotions, then they had to first pay the price for such a thing. He was Ning Cheng, not a person who could be easily bullied by others.

Shi Qionghua was completely stunned senseless by the brutality shown by Ning Cheng. She had always been a fairy like existence in this world, when did she ever encounter such a situation? At the moment, she even forgot to resist. Ning Cheng had sealed her up, unexpectedly was it for doing this kind of a thing?

When Ning Cheng had torn away the clothes over her body, her face instantly paled, while at the same time she could clearly feel Ning Cheng's lustful desires. She tried to push aside Ning Cheng, but her cultivation was completely sealed up. Ning Cheng already possessed a strong body, combined with his masculine aura and male scent; it immediately caused her body to involuntarily bring out a shy response. Even she was completely surprised by this; she had never thought that one day she would react like this.

Shi Qionghua knew that if she did not immediately unseal her cultivation, then she would definitely lose her innocence. Ning Cheng's body was scorching hot, coupled with the kind of lustful desire in his eyes; she knew it clearer than anyone else was as to what was going to happen.

"Ka ka ka....." Shi Qionghua's cultivation was originally a lot stronger than Ning Cheng's, thus even when Ning Cheng used that technique, his understandings of the Forsaken Land's Forbidden Sealing Method was still at the elementary level, in front of Shi Qionghua, it was still somewhat insufficient. She immediately started attacking the Forbidden Seals that were put on her body by Ning Cheng, although they were incredibly powerful, but were starting to quickly break apart like fireworks.

However, an intense stabbing pain erupted inside her body, causing Shi Qionghua to go into shock for a moment; she even forgot to continue unseal the seals on her body. At this moment, she clearly felt that Ning Cheng had finally taken her most valuable possession. Even if she unsealed the rest of the seals, would it even matter now?

Two lines of tears fell from her eyes, more than 30 years of being pure; unexpectedly it was so easily taken away by Ning Cheng.

She couldn't understand why Ning Cheng did such a thing. She had investigated and studied Ning Cheng a lot, moreover, she was also proficient in divination, and had worked out many things.

From all that, she knew that Ning Cheng was a kind and highly principled person, so why would a person like him treat her in such a manner? At the very least, she was Ning Cheng's saviour. Was it because of Xu Yingdei? But if it were really because of Xu Yingdei, then she would become one of the most wronged

victims. Except for Xu Yingdei and her Grandmother Zu, no one in the Severing Emotions Dao Sect knew where she was.

The pain disappeared quickly, but wave after wave of involuntary bodily reactions surged forth. Even with Shi Qionghua's cultivation, it was simply impossible for her to control the reactions of her body.

Shi Qionghua bit her lip but did not move, nor did she make any sound, letting Ning Cheng ride roughshod over her. She could clearly feel the burning fires of lustful desires in Ning Cheng's body were gradually dissipating in the wake of her body's movements.

The Burning Yang Qi poison from cultivating in the Small Spiritual Domain, the Mysterious Yellow Aura, the Star Flame Seed, the Everlasting Blue Thunder City.....

Except for the Mysterious Yellow Bead that had automatically concealed itself in the depths, all of Ning Cheng's secrets were seen by Shi Qionghua. It was a full and complete exposure.

It made Shi Qionghua even forget the feeling of shame that accompanied the bodily pleasures, she did not expect that there would be so many secrets on Ning Cheng.

"Xu....." Ning Cheng let out a long sigh of relief, at this moment he could feel the remnants of the burning Yang Qi toxins in his body completely dissipating. He felt as if his entire person was completely changed, as if he was washed over by a celestial rain, it was to such an extent that he was bursting with life, radiating health and vigour. He felt that as long as he just wished, the next moment he could advance to the Great Circle of the Profound Core Realm.

Ning Cheng also felt somewhat guilty as he climbed up from Shi Qionghua's body, although he did not have any guilt before, but after he had truly done the deed, he simply was not able to pass this off from his mind. He was very clear that the reason he had ended up forcing himself on Shi Qionghua was something that was a bit farfetched. Whether Shi Qionghua wanted to use him for severing her emotions or not, at the very least she had not yet begun.

Even if she had begun, could Shi Qionghua really sever her emotions now, and would he still be in control of himself later. Moreover, on the account of them being master and apprentice, how would they be linked together? At that moment, he had been consumed by the burning fires of lustful desires that were burning his body from the inside out, so his psyche simply found a seemingly appropriate excuse to force himself on Shi Qionghua at that time. Now that the burning Yang Qi toxins and the burning fires of lustful desires had finally dissipated, he felt guilty as he got up from Shi Qionghua.

Fortunately, he had ended up sealing Shi Qionghua's cultivation, otherwise, with this woman's cultivation, as long as it was just a moment, he would have already turned into flying ash.

"I'm sorry; your disciple used me to sever her emotions, which made me very miserable. So before you also used me to sever your emotions, I had to do you first." Ning Cheng looked at Shi Qionghua, while feeling somewhat scared in his heart, as he spoke out some obstinate argumentative words. Even he felt shame as his face turned red from both guilt and embarrassment on hearing his own words. This reason was not just shameless, but it simply went beyond shamelessness.

Shi Qionghua did not speak, just sat up and took out a robe from her ring and began to wear it slowly.

Ning Cheng was shocked to see Shi Qionghua's actions, and it was only after a long while did he spoke up in a trembling manner, "You can already move?"

He couldn't help but immediately think back to the moment that he and Shi Qionghua were doing it. Shi Qionghua did not seem to be in a state of being sealed. Thinking of that, Ning Cheng immediately broke out in cold sweat as it slowly ran down his face as the facts confirmed that Shi Qionghua certainly had the cultivation of Crucible Transformation Realm, if such a person wanted to kill him.....

Ning Cheng simply did not dare to think about it. He secretly pulled out that piece of talisman that he got from the bottom of the Blood River Mountains.

Shi Qionghua had just finished putting on her robes, when she glanced at Ning Cheng secretly grabbing the talisman in his hand and spoke out calmly, "When you entered me, I already was able to move. This matter can be considered equivalent to paying back Yingdei's debt, from now on, you will not come to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, nor would you come looking for Xu Yingdei. Later, I suggest that you do not do such a thing casually with other women....."

"I thought that you wanted to use me to sever your emotions, so, so....." Ning Cheng was completely ridden with guilt as he tried to justify himself, however even he himself felt ashamed of such an explanation. Moreover, at this moment, he did not feel even a shred of killing intent coming from Shi Qionghua.

Shi Qionghua glanced at Ning Cheng and seemed as if she wanted to say something, however she finally chose to not say anything at all.

She was Xu Yingdei's titular master, however she was not someone from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, and had never even touched the cultivation methods of the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, and as such, there was simply no need for her to sever her emotions. Even Xu Yingdei's cultivation method was not something that she had taught to her; rather it was passed onto her by Xu Yingdei's grandmother. Although she had gone to the Rainbow Fall Sword Sect to act as a matchmaker for Xu Yingdei, but it was not because of her own initiative, rather it was on the orders of someone.

She bundled up the bed sheets stained bright red before she put it away and walked out of the place calmly.

Looking at the white figure walking away, Ning Cheng's heart was suddenly filled with a strong sense of loss. He immediately ran outside, however Shi Qionghua's figure had already disappeared, even sweeping out with his spiritual consciousness he was not able to find her. Looking at the endless wilderness around him, Ning Cheng immediately felt a one of a kind sorry and a deep melancholy.

He already understood that he had done something terribly wrong, this kind of realisation of his mistake was not because he forced himself on Shi Qionghua, but rather came when Shi Qionghua walked out without even turning back to even say a word.

Ning Cheng returned to his place of residence and found that the place Shi Qionghua had chosen was a temporarily dug out immortal cave. Even now, Ning Cheng completely did not understand why Shi Qionghua chose to save him. Even when he forced himself on her, why did she not chose to kill him?

Shi Qionghua said that it was to repay the debts of Xu Yingdei, but what made him think was the last sentence, about him not casually getting into the act with other women.

Since the two of them wanted nothing to do with him, why would she leave behind such a reminder?

Ning Cheng sighed, if he had met Shi Qionghua before all this, then he would not have thought about her much. But now that Shi Qionghua became his woman, he found himself unable to forget her. If Shi Qionghua came back to use him to sever her emotions, then he certainly could not escape, rather he would even willingly allow himself to be pierced by her sword.

He and Xu Yingdei had spent such a long time together allowing her impression to seep into him to the point that he subconsciously started developing emotions towards her, however the time he spent together with Shi Qionghua was not even one thousandth of that time. Moreover, of this time, most of it was still when he was in a completely senseless and comatic state.

After sitting alone in the cave for a long time, Ning Cheng collected everything from the immortal cave, including the clothes that he had torn away from Shi Qionghua, before he turned away and walked out from the place where he experienced his first time.

He was going to look for a place to advance to the Soul Essence Realm, and then go to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect.

Not to mention that the Heavenly Cusp Flower might be in the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, even if it was for Shi Qionghua, he wanted to go there to ask about it. As for Xu Yingdei, Ning Cheng had long since erased her from his memory. Xu Yingdei used him to sever her emotions, so she must have already advanced to the Soul Sculpting Realm; as such, he no longer owed her even half a thing.

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Chapter 325: I'm Afraid I'll Be Leaving

Ning Cheng had not walked very far when he once again stopped, turned back and looked back at the immortal cave that had been temporarily been dug out by Shi Qionghua. Even if he used Concealment Array Formations to completely hide the immortal cave, he still felt uncomfortable in his heart. Unfortunately, he currently did not have the ability to move the mountain. Even if he did have that ability, his miniature world would still not be able to accommodate it.

He was a nostalgic person, if he wanted to forget the events that transpired in this place then even if he spent his entire lifetime, he would not be able to do it.

It was only after a long time that Ning Cheng once again turned around. Not knowing from how long, a woman wearing white robes, stood in front of him not much far away from where he was. She was just like a beautiful landscape, with her robes gently swaying as the winds brushed past it, as if the next moment she would simply fly away.

Ning Cheng did not know when such a scenery had abruptly appeared, but his heart immediately started to pound violently. A moment before, he was really eager to see Shi Qionghua, but he had truly not expected that Shi Qionghua would return, or even come back to this place.

People's thoughts truly were very strange, before when Ning Cheng forced himself on Shi Qionghua, he found out that Shi Qionghua already had unsealed herself and also had the ability to retaliate, so the first thought that popped up was to bring out the talisman and get ready to escape.

But at that time Shi Qionghua did not make even a single move to bring harm to him or even kill him, rather she silently walked out of the immortal cave, causing Ning Cheng to feel at a loss at what to do. At this moment when he saw Shi Qionghua again, he did not bring out the talisman, and also forgot that Shi Qionghua had the ability to kill him. He even did not know how he ended up arriving in front of Shi Qionghua.

He looked at Shi Qionghua's delicate face that seemed to have risen above the worldly affairs, and could not think of anything to speak. In his mind, the scene emerged of him traversing the world accompanied by Ji Luofoei and Shi Qionghua, going back to Jiangzhou with them, and then holding a grand wedding in Jiangzhou. He saw his sister Ruolan, smiling happily, causing him to suddenly feel an incomparable satisfaction.

Although it was only a moment, but he was completely immersed in this kind of soul stirring happiness.

Not knowing for how long the two of them stood there, Shi Qionghua, who had been staring at Ning Cheng suddenly spoke out, "Why didn't you take out that escaping talisman that you held in your hand before?"

Ning Cheng suddenly sobered up, while the vision from before also slowly disappeared. He simply shook his head but did not speak. If at this moment Shi Qionghua wanted to kill him, then even if had the means to escape, he would not employ them. Being killed by Shi Qionghua, he would not feel any kind of resentment for it.

The two people turned silent again.

Gentle breezes blew between the two of them, yet they still stood there quietly. Although it was silent between them but the two of them were feeling anything but silence.

After a long time, Shi Qionghua once again spoke up, "If you have a Nine-Coloured Mirage Stone, can you give one to me?"

Ning Cheng was already feeling extreme guilt in his heart, to the point that he simply did not know what to speak. Somethings simply cannot be remedied by just a sorry.

But at this time, when Shi Qionghua spoke about Nine-Coloured Mirage Stones, Ning Cheng did not even think before taking out a jade box and handing it to Shi Qionghua, "The Nine-Coloured Mirage Stone is inside."

Shi Qionghua was surprised as she took the jade box. She was someone who could be said to have understood Ning Cheng the most. Ning Cheng was unlike most cultivators, that is, he was very kind at heart. However, he was also a person who did not bother to keep good terms with everyone, nor would he casually give out things at random. The last time when he had to escape from the Heavenly Dao Public Square, it was because someone wanted to get something from him.

"Such a precious thing, why did you not ask for a reward for it, let alone give it to me?" Shi Qionghua asked at she looked at Ning Cheng in puzzle.

Ning Cheng shook his head and spoke, "In my eyes, even if it were all the Mirage Stones that existed in the entire universe, it would never add up to the grief and sadness you had to suffer. Let alone the Mirage Stones, even if you want to kill me here and now, if it would make you feel happy, I would not have even half a shred of regret. There are some matter that can never be rectified with just mere apologies."

Ning Cheng was not an expert when it came to love, but he had come from Earth, so the reason he was able to come up with these words was that he had ended up picking them up out of his habit of listening. However, at this time, these words did indeed come out from his heart; he felt such a heavy guilt to the point that he even felt that he really owed Shi Qionghua his life. The debt of the disciple being repaid by the master, in Ning Cheng's heart of hearts, this kind of reason was utterly unjustified.

However, Shi Qionghua had never heard of such sweet whispers, causing her eyes to go soft. She looked at Ning Cheng for a moment, before she softly spoke up, "It was my own intentions that led to it. If I did not want to do it then you would also have no means to achieve that."

Shi Qionghua also did not speak any more nonsense, at the moment when Ning Cheng had entered her body; she had already regained her strength. At that time, she could have easily killed Ning Cheng at her whim. However, she did not, not only did she not do such a thing, but also let Ning Cheng have free reign over her body.

Ning Cheng opened his mouth. However just as the words came to the tip of his tongue, he swallowed it back down.

Shi Qionghua looked at the jade box in her hands, before she levelled a calm gaze at Ning Cheng and asked, "You want to ask me as to why did I save you, right? And also why did I let you do as you pleased?"

Ning Cheng spoke up with a dry voice, "Yes."

Although Shi Qionghua was kind, however she would never use her own body to save someone. Moreover, he and Shi Qionghua did not even have a good relationship. To be exact, the first time he had ever laid eyes on Shi Qionghua was when Shi Qionghua had saved him.

Shi Qionghua did not speak, rather once again moved towards the immortal cave that Ning Cheng had just left. At the same time, she also threw out several Array Flags, creating another layer over the Concealment Array Formation that Ning Cheng had placed around the immortal cave, before entering it.

Ning Cheng knew that since Shi Qionghua had come over, then there must be something that she wanted to say. What he did not expect was that Shi Qionghua's attainments in array formations was so high, that even he was not much worse than her.

Looking at the clean insides that was obviously was tidied up by Ning Cheng; Shi Qionghua paused for a slight while. But then returned to her previous calm, before she took out a jade table and two chairs.

Seeing Shi Qionghua sit down, Ning Cheng also sat down, while waiting for Shi Qionghua to speak.

"I'm afraid I'll be leaving." Shi Qionghua spoke slowly.

Ning Cheng was not surprised. He assumed that Shi Qionghua must have been talking about going back to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect. He himself was preparing to take a trip to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect.

“I’m anyways coming to visit the Severing Emotions Dao Sect.” Ning Cheng also did not hide his intentions. At this moment, Shi Qionghua’s shadow had already deeply imprinted into his mind and heart. At this present moment, it could even be said that she was already at the same level as Ji Luofei, even if he did not understand how it came to be. However, he also was aware in his heart that this was not true. He already had Ji Luofei, so he should not think about Shi Qionghua. However, he found himself really unable to ignore what had happened, let alone try to forget it.

Shi Qionghua shook her head, “I told you before, you can’t go to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, nor can you go to find Xu Yingdei.....”

Ning Cheng took a deep breath before looking at Shi Qionghua and spoke, “I’m not looking for Xu Yingdei. I have never even had a crush on her, so why would I look for her? She saved my life, while I already have repaid it back to her. The reason I was going to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect was to look for you.”

Looking at Shi Qionghua, Ning Cheng once again took a deep breath before speaking, “I think, I’ll never be able to forget about you in my entire life, whether you care about me or not.”

“I heard that you already have a fiancée?” Shi Qionghua spoke in a very calm tone.

Ning Cheng also nodded and spoke, “Her name is Ji Luofei, she is not my fiancée, rather she is my wife.”

Slightly pausing at this moment, Ning Cheng once again spoke up while stressing each word and phrase, “In my eyes, you are now like Ji Luofei to me, although in your eyes, I am only a Profound Core Ant.”

Shi Qionghua did not answer Ning Cheng’s words, rather she just looked at the entrance towards the immortal cave and spoke, “When I said that I would be leaving, I was not saying about returning to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect. I’ll be leaving the Yi Xing Mainland forever. Otherwise, I will never have the chance to live. It is also the reason why I came back and wanted to warn you once again, to not go to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect.”

“Are you going to the Heaven’s Way?” Ning Cheng asked in shock, his thoughts transformed extremely quickly, to the point that he even had guesses as to why Shi Qionghua wanted to save him. Shi Qionghua already had a very high cultivation, so for her to say these kinds of words and also ask him for a Mirage Stone, if it was not for the Heaven’s Way, then where else was there?

Shi Qionghua spoke up plainly, “That’s right; I’m going to the Heaven’s Way. It is also the reason I decided to meddle between you and Xu Yingdei and save you. I am someone proficient in the art of divinations, and had already divined a few things about you, and from there I realized that you are a kind hearted person. This time’s matter, I am also partially responsible for it. I had also been somewhat affected by interfering with Xu Yingdei’s burning fires of lustful desire, so I know that it could not be resisted unless one was very resolute.”

“You have cultivated in the Small Spiritual Domain, causing you be burned by the Yang Qi toxins, and had also cultivated the Embracing Yang God Tactic, plus also afflicted by Xu Yingdei’s burning fires of

lustful desires. At that time, I could only look for an excuse inside me. So I did not blame you, or even acquiesced to you. I'm aware of the Embracing Yang God Tactic, the Embracing Yang God Tactic is not something that originally belonged to Yan Fenghua, but rather it is a kind of ancient body forging cultivation method, even Xu Yingdei's grandmother is not aware about this thing."

Ning Cheng was surprised as he looked at Shi Qionghua, from what he understood, Shi Qionghua was someone who was born in the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, so according to reason, she should be a junior for Xu Yingdei's grandmother. If even Xu Yingdei's grandmother, was not aware of this fact, so how could Shi Qionghua know about it?

Shi Qionghua did not care about Ning Cheng's surprise and continued on, "After you and I became one, I realized that you cultivated the Embracing Yang God Tactic. The Embracing Yang God Tactic didn't really dissolve the burning fires of lustful desires in your body; rather it only temporarily helped you keep it suppressed. If remained unchecked, the next time it would have flared up, it would be much more fearful. It would continue until you are completely burned to ashes. The Severing Emotions Dao Sect's burning fires of lustful desires can only be resolved by a 9 Life Pure Yin body, and I happen to possess a 9 Life Pure Yin body."

From this, Ning Cheng realized that Shi Qionghua had not only acquiesced to him, but at the same time had also saved him. At this moment, he had a kind of unspeakable feeling flowing through his heart, but at the same time, he also started to feel a biting anger towards Xu Yingdei. Why was the master this kind yet the disciple this disgusting?

"The second reason that I wanted to save you was because I wanted to ask for your help. I must go to the Heaven's Way, as such only a Nine-Coloured Mirage Stone can let me possess a chance to survive. After you left the Heavenly Dao Public Square, I lost all news regarding you. It was not until a few days ago, that I was able to sense Yingdei's position, resulting in me being able to find you." Shi Qionghua finished with a slightly imploring tone. Not knowing what was going through her head, although she couldn't help but show somewhat care towards Ning Cheng, but she also couldn't help but think that she had saved him only for the sake of Mirage Stones.

"Can't you wait for the Heaven's Way to open by itself? Or wait till you at least reach the realm above Crucible Transformation....." Ning Cheng hesitated for a long time before he finally spoke up.

Shi Qionghua was silent for a long time, she chose to speak up, "I only have one year to live, I can no longer wait anymore....."

"What?" Ning Cheng asked with shock. Shi Qionghua already looked very young, so how could she only have left with one year to live? Moreover, didn't Crucible Transformation Cultivators enjoy a very long life?

Since Shi Qionghua had already spoken about that, she no longer had any intentions to conceal it from Ning Cheng and spoke out, "When I started cultivating, a cultivation method had automatically appeared in my consciousness. The cultivation method that I cultivated in was also not from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, rather it did not even belong to the Xi Ying Mainland, and moreover it was countless times stronger than the Severing Emotions Dao Sect's Severing Emotions Cultivation Method. I only came to know about this that it was a reincarnation inheritance. Because my spiritual soul was

formidable, it resulted in me being suppressed by a major power, to the point that she even sealed away a part of my soul essence.....”

Ning Cheng suddenly stood up, as he angrily interrupted Shi Qionghua’s words and asked, “Who was it?”

Seeing the fury and anger displayed by Ning Cheng, Shi Qionghua unexpectedly turned a bit absentminded, before she subconsciously replied, “Xu Anzhen.”

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Chapter 326: Attacking The Soul Essence Realm

“Xu Anzhen is Xu Yingdei’s grandmother, and is also the person with the strongest cultivation in the Severing Emotions Dao Sect. Even if you look at the entire Yi Xing Mainland, I’m afraid you would not find anyone with a cultivation higher than her.” Shi Qionghua’s tone was calm without any hint of hatred in it; however, Ning Cheng was able to perceive an unbridled sadness hidden within the depths of her heart.

However, when the words of Shi Qionghua finally sunk into him, that Xu Anzhen was Xu Yingdei’s grandmother, Ning Cheng suddenly froze. Shi Qionghua was a person from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, and also Xu Yingdei’s master, so why would Xu Yingdei’s grandmother suppress Shi Qionghua’s spiritual soul? Was it because Shi Qionghua did not cultivate the cultivation method of the Severing Emotions Dao Sect?

“My cultivation is not a result of Severing Emotions Dao Sect’s cultivation method; so strictly speaking, I’m not a person from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect. The reason I am considered as a part of Severing Emotions Dao Sect is that a part of my life essence was sealed away by Xu Anzhen; as such, I simply cannot even show half a shred of resistance or revolt against them. Over the years, I ended up helping the Severing Emotions Dao Sect do a lot of things, moreover wherever Xu Yingdei goes, I have to follow and protect her.”

As Shi Qionghua spoke until here, she became a bit distracted, and only continued after a while, “I’m not much of Xu Yingdei’s master rather I’m more like her guardian. However, although Xu Anzhen’s cultivation is very high, but her soul is seriously injured, and even her corporeal body is heavily wounded, as such her influence over me is also affected. However she is aware that my life essence is not only extremely pure but also extremely powerful, as such the reason she suppressed my life essence is because she wants to use it to nourish herself.”

“Once she recovers to a certain extent, she would devour the suppressed part of my life essence, and could then easily control me back to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, only to end up becoming supplements for her, in order to improve the quality of her own life essence. With her ability, presumably within a year or so, she would be strong enough to devour the part of my life essence that she is suppressing. If she could find something like the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence, this recovery period would shrink to six months or even shorter.”

“That old hag.” Even though Ning Cheng’s heart had momentarily settled down, he still could not help himself from cursing aloud. He had initially thought that Shi Qionghua had somehow reached the end of her lifespan, but it turned out that it was because the old hag Xu Anzhen was suppressing her life essence, and even wanted to devour Shi Qionghua’s life essence.

“She does not look old.” Shi Qionghua replied calmly.

“What kind of ancestor is she? Is she even of the same species? I almost found myself falling for Xu Yingdei’s affections, damn it she really deserves to die.” Ning Cheng cursed out angrily, at the same time he also felt an incomparable shame in his heart. Even if his cultivation ended up stuck at the Profound Core Realm, he would definitely take a trip to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect to steal back Shi Qionghua’s suppressed life essence.

Shi Qionghua on hearing Ning Cheng’s words shook her head and spoke, “Xu Yingdei would never enter dual cultivation with you, even if you did not turn emotionally useless. I have been with her for 20 years. No one knows her better than me.”

“But that morning, she stripped herself and voluntarily entered my bed, if it had not been for Yin Kongchan’s interruption, we most likely would have already entered dual cultivation.” Ning Cheng asked in doubt.

Shi Qionghua took out a jade strip and put it in front of Ning Cheng and spoke, “If someone from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect wants to sever their emotions, they have to meet a person with a strong and firm heart, before they entangle them in their emotions. You will unknowingly be influenced by them, to the point that even the smallest of acts would leave a deep impression on you. This jade strip contains the Entangling Emotions Cultivation Method, however cultivating this cultivation method is not easy at all.”

“However once they successfully cultivate it, its effects would simply be undetectable; moreover it also does not produce any kind of law fluctuations. All they have to do is to recognize a point that would tug at the opposite party’s heart. It doesn’t matter if it is just some superfluous words, skin contact, or even the aura of their body. Even the fragrance from their body would be able to influence your desires towards them.”

Ning Cheng immediately remembered the two times he ended up in awkward situations with Xu Yingdei. At that time, he had not paid much attention to the fragrance and thought it to be usual for her, then there was also the time when Xu Yingdei had inadvertently exposed herself to him. It turns out that he was unknowingly being emotionally entangled by Xu Yingdei, to the point that he still could not realize it. It was no wonder that even though Yin Kongchan was not even half a point inferior to Xu Yingdei in looks, he still did not feel even the slightest emotion towards her. Why does this woman not go to the brothel?

“You want me to not go to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect. Is this because you know that I definitely would not be able to come out right?” Ning Cheng finally understood Shi Qionghua’s meaning.

Shi Qionghua had wanted him to not go to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, not because of Xu Yingdei; rather it was for his own sake.

Shi Qionghua on seeing that Ning Cheng understood her meaning also did not continue to conceal it and spoke, “That’s right, you going to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, even if you are blessed with ten lives or even a hundred lives, it would not bring you any luck in there.”

“Fortunately, I did not give the Mirage Tree or the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence to Xu Yingdei, otherwise would it not bring more harm to you?” Ning Cheng spoke out gladly. Xu Yingdei had indeed asked him about these things, but fortunately, he had not given it to her.

“You really have the Mirage Tree?” Shi Qionghua asked, at this time she was already numb to Ning Cheng’s many secrets. Although she also had many secrets, but compared to Ning Cheng’s secrets, her secrets were simply no secrets at all. At best, she only had her inheritance of reincarnation that was comparable.

“Yes, I do have a Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree. If it is useful for you, I can give it to you.” Ning Cheng spoke without hesitation.

Shi Qionghua looked at Ning Cheng’s unconcerned eyes, which caused her heart to slightly jump. Although her cultivation was extremely high, but all along, her cultivation was filled with cracks and hidden threats. Otherwise, with her inheritance and qualifications, she would have reached a much higher peak than the present.

She never had any friends, nor any elder sister or a younger sister; as such, she did not have a particularly happy time growing up. Every time she wanted to retreat, her favourite thing to do was to silently go to some ordinary cities and help those who were poor. However, she had never had the chance of enjoying the feeling of being helped by others; moreover, she simply never wanted to receive help from others.

This time, when she asked Ning Cheng for a Mirage Stone, although it was not planned out in a good way, but with such a matter had really happening, she would still be willing to use her own body to save Ning Cheng in return for it rather than choosing to kill Ning Cheng and rob him. At this time, when Ning Cheng nonchalantly said that he would give her the Mirage Tree, it suddenly caused her to go somewhat absent-minded.

It was only after a good long while did she regain her senses and spoke “No, although a Mirage Tree is very good, however my cultivation is too low to be able to use it, however that Xu Anzhen would actually be able to use the Mirage Tree.”

Ning Cheng, at this moment, was secretly thanking Yin Kongchan for taking his fake ring. If Yin Kongchan had not taken his ring, how could Xu Yingdei let go of his original ring that contained the miniature world?

“Is the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence useful to you?” Ning Cheng took out a jade bottle and spoke.

An ice cold biting aura instantly enveloped the immortal cave, allowing Shi Qionghua to instantly realize that this indeed was the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence.

“Although it is useful to me, but its usefulness is not that great. My life essence is suppressed by Xu Anzhen, and as long as there is even a trace of my life essence still being suppressed by her, I will end up being completely controlled by her one day. Going to the Heaven’s Way is only an action out of my helplessness, even if I don’t die in the Heaven’s Way; I might still be under her suppression.” Shi Qionghua shook her head and pushed the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence back to Ning Cheng.

However, Ning Cheng once again pushed the bottle of Geocentric 9 Yin Essence back to Shi Qionghua and spoke, "Senior Apprentice Sister Qionghua, you can keep it, I have two bottles."

Shi Qionghua hesitated slightly, before she took out a jade bottle. Then filling it with one third of the contents from Ning Cheng's bottle, she gave the rest two thirds back to Ning Cheng and spoke, "This kind of thing is extremely precious, and also very difficult to obtain. This much is more than enough for me; you can keep the rest for yourself."

Ning Cheng also no longer pushed it back again, as he put the bottle away. He did not speak again. He kept thinking about how to go to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, and take back the trace of Shi Qionghua's life essence that was suppressed there.

Seeing Ning Cheng silent, Shi Qionghua removed a white bracelet before handing it to Ning Cheng and spoke, "This is something that my mother left me with please give it to sister Luofei."

Ning Cheng was completely surprised as he received the bracelet and spoke, "Senior Apprentice Sister Qionghua, you don't blame me?"

Shi Qionghua gave a slight smile, "I have never blamed you."

Ning Cheng stared at Shi Qionghua; he had never seen such a beautiful smile in his life.

Shi Qionghua stood up, and once again turned around. After talking to Ning Cheng about these things, she suddenly felt a lot comfortable in her heart.

"I'm leaving now, please don't think of me." Shi Qionghua, at this moment, felt a lot more relaxed as she walked out.

Ning Cheng could also feel that Shi Qionghua had already made up her mind, so he also did not ask her to stay back. Rather he just silently watched Shi Qionghua walk away. In any case, he had to go to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, to retrieve Shi Qionghua's suppressed life essence. This kind of thing, even if he perfectly knew that he was walking to his own death, he had to do it.

He did not speak out his intentions to Shi Qionghua, he knew that if he as much as even hinted on it, Shi Qionghua would never let him go, and would only make her worry about him even more. If he dies, then Shi Qionghua would also not know about it, and would be able to carry on as if nothing happened. Luofei was also under the care of that white haired old woman, and had also deliberately requested Elder Sister Shu for her help; Elder Sister Shu would definitely be able to find Luofei. With Elder Sister Shu's abilities, Luofei would not have to endure hardships. Other than Luofei, he simply did not have anything as a person to be worth being remembered.

This time, Ning Cheng decided to not leave this place. He rearranged the array formation outside and went ahead and directly arranged a Spiritual Gathering Array, before he started cultivating.

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Ning Cheng's cultivation was already on the brink of advancement, so now that he once again started cultivating, in just half a month, he reached the Great Circle of the Profound Core Realm.

In order to prevent the Thunder Tribulation from blasting apart his and Shi Qionghua's residence to bits and pieces, Ning Cheng once again tidied and put away all the things here, before he once again concealed the immortal cave and walked away.

He was going to find a place suitable to cross the tribulation and advance to the Soul Essence Realm.

Three days later, Ning Cheng stopped in the middle of empty wilderness. After making sure that there was nobody around, Ning Cheng began setting up a huge Spiritual Gathering Array. Bringing out tens of millions of spirit stones, Ning Cheng stacked them on each node of the Spiritual Gathering Array, in the form of a small hill.

Ning Cheng was at the Great Circle of Profound Core Realm currently, although his foundation was not shallow, however he could not directly advance like Xu Yingdei by severing his emotions. In other words, he simply did not have the ability to call down the Thunder Tribulation at a whim.

After cultivating there for a week, Ning Cheng directly swallowed a Soul Condensing Pill. The extremely pure and powerful spiritual qi contained in the pill mixed together with the rich spiritual qi gathered by the Spiritual Gathering Array. The extremely volatile mixture then immediately rushed into the meridians of Ning Cheng's body in just a twinkling of an eye, before it finally came to an abrupt stop in front of a barrier, the cultivation barrier to the 1st Level of Soul Essence Realm.

This situation was a lot different from his previous advancements, because this was the first time for Ning Cheng to consciously feel a cultivation barrier. This barrier was like a huge door in general. Usually he would never be able to even feel such barrier let alone encountering it. But because of the union of the energy from the Soul Condensing Pill and the extremely rich spiritual qi, the potent mixture had ended up directly slamming against it.

"Boom....."

A huge boom echoed out in his Sea of Consciousness, as if an iron awl had punctured through Ning Cheng's heart, which made Ning Cheng feel extremely uncomfortable, to the point that he even sprayed out a mouthful of blood on the spot.

This one explosion truly was something that originated from the impact on the front face of door that acted as his cultivation barrier. However, it only caused a slight tremor over the front face of the gate that acted as his cultivation barrier, before it once again returned to what it was originally. It made Ning Cheng think of a phrase 'striking a stone with an egg', wasn't his current situation similar to striking a stone with an egg.

Ning Cheng's heart immediately sank, if he had to rely on such kinds of impacts for his cultivation, then relying on just a single Soul Condensation Pill, he would never be able to advance to the Soul Essence Realm. He also knew that once he advanced to the Soul Essence Realm, it would immediately cause the descent of the Thunder Tribulation, it was also for this specific purpose that he had even put on a set of armour.

But from this one impact, which could not even visibly shake the gate that acted as his cultivation barrier, it truly would have been a strange event if it were able to call down the Thunder Tribulation.

No, he absolutely had to take advantage of this opportunity to attack the Soul Essence Realm, only then would he be able to go to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect; otherwise, his chances of survival would be almost negligible.

Understanding this point, Ning Cheng immediately started acting like he had gone crazy, allowing unquantifiable quantities of spiritual qi to seep into him, while at the same time he frantically transformed the spiritual qi into true essence, then combining it with the medicinal nature of the Soul Essence Pill, he once again repeatedly bombarded the cultivation barrier.

Just a single explosion caused by a bombardment, although was not able to produce any visible effect, but it still caused Ning Cheng to feel extreme pain to the point of vomiting a mouthful of blood. So it could only be imagined the amount of torment he was currently going through one explosion after another.

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Chapter 327: Blue Thunder City's Shadow

Ning Cheng successively vomited out huge mouthfuls of blood; however, the power behind the impacts on the Soul Essence Realm's cultivation barrier was getting smaller and smaller. Ning Cheng immediately turned anxious, by this point, he was already aware that even with tens of millions of spirit stones, combined with the Soul Condensing Pill that he had just swallowed, it was still not enough to help him advance to the Soul Essence Realm.

It was not that the things that he was using were of inferior quality, nor the fact that he had not prepared enough; it's just that the resources needed for his advancement were abnormally huge. It also made it clear that if he wanted to advance to the Soul Sculpting Realm next time, then he simply can't rely on just a pill.

However, Ning Cheng had already hardened his heart to advance to the Soul Essence Realm, even if he did not have enough resources currently, he did not want to give up. So he went ahead and directly took out the broken crystal stone given to him by that old fogey.

Just as he brought out the crystal stone, he did not need to even stimulate it to start absorbing, before a pure and extremely rich aura directly poured into his meridians from it. Breaking past all obstacles in the way, this aura struck the Soul Essence Realm's cultivation barrier.

Only this time, a crack finally appeared on this cultivation barrier because of the explosion.

What a powerful crystal stone, Ning Cheng thought as he felt secretly amazed, but at the same time he desperately continued to absorb the crystal stone's aura, while he continued to use it to strike this cultivation barrier.

"Kaka...." A larger crack appeared before it quickly expanded; allowing Ning Cheng to realize that he finally was able to break open the Soul Essence Realm's cultivation barrier.

"Boom boom boom....." Towering roars suddenly exploded out above his head, then without any prior warnings, nine thick flashes of lightning descended simultaneously, each flash of lightning was no thinner than a baby's arm.

Ning Cheng had never seen or even experienced a thunder tribulation before, so he had no idea about how powerful would the thunder tribulation be when one advanced from the Profound Core Realm to the Soul Essence Realm. However, he had read many jade strips before and had also heard many different experiences. From all those he knew that to advance from the Profound Core Realm to the Soul Essence Realm, one was required to pass through four sets of nine thunder tribulations. This would also be the first time for a cultivator to experience a thunder tribulation.

Four sets of nine thunder tribulations meant that 36 tribulation thunder arcs would descend. As long as he was able to defend against the 36 descending tribulations thunder arcs, he would have a higher chance to advance to the Soul Essence Realm. However, these thunder tribulations arcs had not yet descended upon him, yet he was still able to feel the astonishing destructive power contained in them.

What Ning Cheng had not expected was that just the first wave of the tribulation thunder arcs would be terrifying to such an extent, especially since just the first wave of nine tribulation thunder arcs descending possessed the thickness of a baby's arm.

This kind of destructive aura was almost enough to suffocate Ning Cheng. At this moment, where would Ning Cheng find the time to hesitate for even half a moment? He immediately put away the broken crystal stone into his ring, before he simultaneously brought out the Cosmic True Devil Axe, the Profound Break Spear and even stimulated every scrap of true essence in his body to create a true essence shield around him.

"Boom ka, boom ka....."

As the thunder and lightning bombed onto Ning Cheng's Profound Break Spear, the Profound Break Spear in Ning Cheng's hand almost in an instant turned into a tofu like residue, before being completely torn to pieces. The Cosmic True Devil Axe was able to block two of the tribulation thunder arcs, before it was also directly blown hundreds of meters away.

Not good. Ning Cheng's heart turned even more anxious as he raised his hands and immediately sent out a few punches. The extremely formidable Axe Intent gushed out accompanying his fists, causing an Axe Line formed from fist shadows to appear before him.

"Bang bang" The Axe Line formed from fist shadows exploded out at the descending tribulation thunder arcs, allowing three of the descending tribulation arcs to dissipate a bit. However, his fists were like fragile and dry wood in front of their power, causing them to instantly shatter upon contact.

The rest of the thunder and lightning arcs, almost at the same time, not only tore through Ning Cheng's true essence shield, but even shot through the armour that Ning Cheng wore, as if all of it was just a sheet of paper in general.

"Kaka...." The sounds of bones being shattered erupted along with sprays of blood, while the residual power in the tribulation thunder arcs pushed Ning Cheng deeper into the ground causing a huge crater to form around him with him in the centre.

Ning Cheng's heart completely sank at this moment, as the threat of death finally started to sink into his heart. He finally realized that he had truly underestimated the Thunder Tribulation; moreover, this underestimation was not just an underestimation of one or two levels.

The images of him turning into flying ash under the tribulation once again appeared in his consciousness. Unexpectedly, it looks like what he had seen at that time was truly going to become a reality. This was just the first wave of tribulation thunder arcs, yet he was already not able to endure it. As such, it was needless to say about the later waves.

These kind of horrifying tribulation thunder arcs, even if he was fully prepared, he felt that he would not be able to pull through. The tribulation thunder arcs were quickly tearing apart Ning Cheng's body, and in just a short time reached an inch inside of his bones, at this point he basically had already lost all the ability to resist. However, at this moment Ning Cheng calmed down, since he was already riding the tiger, it was futile to think of anything else.

After calming down, Ning Cheng then thought of the Embracing Yang God Tactic, which was actually a Body Forging Cultivation Method. At this point, he was already seriously injured, to the point that he can't possibly be any more seriously injured. Would it be possible for him to use the Embracing Yang God Tactic to absorb lightning arcs to forge his body?

To Ning Cheng's complete surprise, the Embracing Yang God Tactic was really useful. The lightning arcs rampaging through his body, tearing apart not only his corporeal body but also his bones, the Embracing Yang God Tactic actually condensed all this damage and destruction and fused it into what was left of his corporeal body. As long as he was still able to operate the Embracing Yang God Tactic, he was able to use the power of these tribulation thunders to start quenching his corporeal body. Not only that, he could even feel his cultivation actually thriving under this kind of thunder source.

If one had the chance to live, then no one would be willing to die, it was the same for Ning Cheng. At this moment, he was crazily operating the Embracing Yang God Tactic, causing the lightning arcs that were tearing apart Ning Cheng's body to instantly turn into nourishing thunder sources before being rapidly absorbed.

Ning Cheng struggled to take out several healing pills and swallowed them down, then took out the Essence Birthing Bamboo Pith before pouring a mouthful of it into his mouth. As long as there was even the slightest of a chance, he did not want to give up.

As his body rapidly recovered, he could also feel his cultivation deepening scrape by scrape, while his corporeal body was also being rapidly reconstructed. Even though Ning Cheng was operating the Embracing Yang God Tactic, under the influence of the Mysterious Yellow Formless, it was also upgraded and changed, allowing him to absorb the thunder source at a much faster pace, causing his cultivation to progress even faster.

However, even if that was the case, it was still too slow.

Thunder resounded in the air, but at the same time, a number of blue green coloured lightning arcs descended, causing Ning Cheng's heart to sink to the bottom.

He was just like a person who found a sluice on a lake being overfilled with water, and began using it to drain the water, but unfortunately his speed was simply too slow, and the inflow of water would soon cause the lake to burst apart and overflow. Currently he was in a similar situation as he faced the thunder tribulation, he did have a method to turn it completely into a thunder source and absorb it.

Compared to the terrifying thunder tribulation descending on him, his efforts were simply a drop of water in a bucket.

Not to mention about being able to withstand the next wave of tribulation thunder arcs, his body was still seriously injured, and had only recovered by less than half.

“Boom boom boom.....” Another wave of nine lightning arcs descended, as Ning Cheng was almost on the verge of descending into despair, he suddenly felt his Zifu shaking.

It was the Everlasting Blue Thunder City.

Ning Cheng immediately thought of the Everlasting Blue Thunder City, without any time to think of anything else, he immediately exerted everything he had to stimulate and bring out the Everlasting Blue Thunder City to withstand the descending lightning arcs.

At this moment, Ning Cheng was equivalent to a cultivator half a step into the Soul Essence Realm, he also had an extremely powerful spiritual consciousness, plus he had even been continuously refining the Everlasting Blue Thunder City. As such under such crazy stimulations, it unexpectedly exploded out with a blue green thunder city shadow.

He did not really bring out the Blue Thunder City, rather just managed to bring out a shadow of the Everlasting Blue Thunder City. This shadow of the Everlasting Blue Thunder City, which he had just brought out, was several times clearer than the previous instances, to the point that one could even see the outline of the Thunder City.

“Ka ka ka.....” The nine lightning arcs, at this moment, completely descended on the blue green thunder city’s shadow.

A huge explosion sounded out, as the five lightning arcs in the front were directly absorbed by the blue green thunder city’s shadow. They were just like mud falling into the sea, disappearing without even a trace.

When the sixth and seventh arcs struck the blue green thunder city’s shadow, Ning Cheng immediately felt a sharp pain in his Sea of Consciousness, followed by the thunder city’s shadow being reduced to slag under the strike of the blue green lightning arcs, allowing the eighth and ninth blue green lightning arcs a clear path to Ning Cheng’s body.

After the baptism from the first wave of tribulations thunders, Ning Cheng did not panic as he did initially, rather he stimulated his true essence and immediately sent out axe fists towards the two descending lightning arcs. Although it was not enough to completely dispel the lightning arcs; but he was able to reduce the power behind it to the extent that he could utilize the Embracing Yang God Tactic to absorb the remnant lightning arcs.

Although wounds stacked upon each other, but at least Ning Cheng did not feel that initial despair that he felt after the first wave of thunder tribulation, at least he now had a way to cross the tribulation.

The next moment, Ning Cheng immediately recalled the Cosmic True Devil Axe.

His corporeal body under the influence of the Embracing Yang God Tactic, was constantly quenched, Ning Cheng could also consciously feel that his corporeal body was constantly strengthening, allowing his resistance towards the tribulation thunder to constantly rise.

Previously, he had thought that the biggest harvest that he obtained after entering the Forsaken Land was the rod made of unknown materials. But only now did Ning Cheng realize that the biggest harvest that he obtained in the Forsaken Land was unexpectedly the Embracing Yang God Tactic. The Embracing Yang God Tactic was simply of no use to him in the Forsaken Land, but rather it came to his use during the time he was trying to cross the tribulation. Not only was it useful, but it also became his life saving trump-card.

“Boom boom boom.” Exploding sounds erupted once again, allowing Ning Cheng to realize that it signified the descent of the third wave of lightning arcs, but at this time, he did not have the previous nervousness and worry.

With the help of pills and Essence Birthing Bamboo Pith, Ning Cheng was able to restore most of his spiritual consciousness and true essence, allowing him to once again bring out the Everlasting Blue Thunder City’s shadow.

Once again, nine successive lightning arcs descended, however Ning Cheng was prepared for it this time. Of the nine lightning arcs, the Everlasting Blue Thunder City was able to extinguish seven of them. Then using his Cosmic True Devil Axe, he was able to take care of another of those lightning arcs, letting the one remaining to strike his body, allowing him to continue quenching his corporeal body, while strengthening his cultivation.

Ning Cheng himself could feel that as his corporeal body continued with the quenching process, it ended up breaking past some of the body forging barriers inside him, allowing his body to reach an even higher level. Unfortunately, he did not know up to what extent his body’s strength had advanced currently. It was because he simply did not know anything about Body Forging Cultivation Methods.

In any case, it seems that he only has to face one more wave of thunder tribulations, and as long as he was able to survive past this last wave of tribulation thunders, he would then become a true Soul Essence Cultivator.

Ning Cheng had just thought this, when cracking sounds erupted over his head, signifying the descent of another wave of those blue green lightning arcs

But Ning Cheng soon found himself speechless, although he was seeing the descent of thunder tribulation, but it was not just nine tribulation thunder arcs descending this time, rather he saw eighteen tribulation thunder arcs descending on him.

As the tribulation thunder arcs rapidly descended, it made Ning Cheng feel that he would truly not be able to continue. Ning Cheng crazily stimulated the Everlasting Blue Thunder City’s shadow, however even he knew that even if worked in an even crazier manner, he would not be able to extinguish these 18 lightning arcs at the same time, causing his heart to once more go cold.

It looks like this Thunder Tribulation has already set its heart on killing him. Before he went ahead to finally advance to the Soul Essence Realm, he had done a lot of preparation, had even discretely asked many cultivators in the Soul Essence Realm. So he knew that advancing to the Soul Essence Realm from

the Profound Core Realm, one would have to first go through four sets of nine thunder tribulations, but this thunder tribulation had already reached the five sets of nine level, what exactly did this mean?

If it was only a person who lied to him it would have still been acceptable, but Ning Cheng did not believe that every single Soul Essence Cultivator would lie to him.

“Ka ka” With every strike of the blue green tribulation lightning being absorbed by the thunder city, it only served to increase the burden on him. When two more tribulation thunder arcs descended on the blue thunder city’s shadow, Ning Cheng knew that he could not go on like this, he had to think of another way.

If each of these lightning arcs were a front ranking expert, then he was only equivalent to a third rate low hand. If only these lightning arcs could be lowered down to the level third rate low hands, then he would not be afraid of them much.

As these thoughts flashed past Ning Cheng’s mind, he immediately controlled the Everlasting Blue Thunder City’s shadow to start ascending.

Under Ning Cheng’s control, the shadow of the Everlasting Blue Thunder City had just touched a descending tribulation thunder arc, when it was immediately shifted by Ning Cheng. Most of the thunder source of this tribulation thunder arc was absorbed by the Everlasting Blue Thunder City, while the remaining smashed downwards towards him. But compared to the original power, the power contained within was simply several degrees lower.

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Chapter 328: To seek revenge one must make good use of their time

After enduring the 18 tribulation thunder arcs in such a manner, Ning Cheng finally found the time to take a few deep breaths. Just as Ning Cheng finished the deep breaths, numerous thunder arcs simultaneously descended once again.

Once again facing the 18 descending lightning arcs, Ning Cheng barely was able to control the Blue Thunder City’s shadow, before his Sea of Consciousness once again erupted with tearing pain. The more lightning arcs the blue thunder city absorbed, the harder it was for him to control.

However, Ning Cheng was very clear in his heart, once this Everlasting Blue Thunder City’s shadow disappeared then he would be completely finished. Without the blue thunder city’s shadow, in the face of this terrifying thunder tribulation, he was basically insignificant, and would be torn asunder in just a second.

“Poof” A mouthful of blood gushed out, Ning Cheng could feel his Sea of Consciousness already on the verge of cracking. Even if he once again crazily operated the Embracing Yang God Tactic, it would not be able to hold on for long.

The 18 lightning arcs had not been completely dealt with, when another nine lightning arcs descended.

“Bang.” A violent explosion erupted in Ning Cheng’s Sea of Consciousness, his spiritual consciousness increased by several times in an instant; even his true essence seemed to have increased exponentially. The tens of millions of spirit stones that he had placed in the Spiritual Gathering Array, at this moment, completely turned into Spiritual Qi Fog, which then directly drilled into Ning Cheng’s meridians.

“Kacha.” A cracking sound emerged, as the Golden Core suspended over the Core Lake cracked open at this moment, forming a vague Soul Essence Shadow. With his true essence and spiritual consciousness becoming even more powerful, Ning Cheng instantly felt relaxed, the disappearing Blue Thunder City’s shadow not only did not continue to disappear, but instead became even more clear.

Ning Cheng felt as if he had broken through layers of dense willow trees to emerge into a field of bright flowers. At the most critical moment, he had broken through the shackles, and finally advanced to the Soul Essence Realm. He had heard that once one advances to the early stages of the Soul Essence Realm, the life essence formed would have a vague and fuzzy form.

However, he had just advanced to the Soul Essence Realm, but his Life Essence was already incomparably clear, from this it could be seen that his strength was absolutely far beyond the Soul Essence Cultivators of the same level.

When the last nine tribulation thunder arcs descended, Ning Cheng had already completely sunk his mind to examine his now early stage Soul Essence Cultivation, as long as there were not too many thunder tribulation arcs descending at the same time, the remaining would not be enough to kill him.

When the final eighty first lightning arc was blocked by the Everlasting Blue Thunder City, before descending onto Ning Cheng, the sky suddenly cleared up. A rainbow coloured cloud suddenly manifested over his head, followed by a drizzle of droplets similar to rain. These drops landed directly on Ning Cheng’s body.

A kind of indescribable enlightenment flashed through Ning Cheng’s mind. At this point, not only was Ning Cheng’s cultivation rapidly soaring, even his life essence was quickly congealing into a more solid form. Moreover, his injuries were also rapidly recovering. Even the Essence Birthing Bamboo Pith was not as effective as these drops.

This kind of powerful enlightenment, Ning Cheng would never let it go to waste. It not only mellowed out his spiritual consciousness, but it also enhanced his true essence qualitatively to an entirely new level, at the same time Ning Cheng’s magical skills and spear intent were also constantly being perfected.

“Bang.” However, this enlightenment was interrupted. Ning Cheng found that the rainbow cloud had disappeared, along with those drops of watery liquid. Ning Cheng couldn’t help but feel a sense of loss in his heart, this kind of enlightenment time was simply too short.

However, it also made Ning Cheng aware that he had finally crossed the Soul Essence Thunder Tribulation. But at the same time, he also felt a bit embarrassed, as he was completely covered in blood and scabs. However, he was also feeling incomparably happy in his heart.

At this time his Soul Essence was constantly solidifying, Ning Cheng finally realized what Yin Kongchan and Xu Yingdei meant by the phrase, ‘the appearance is birthed by the heart’. When he finally advanced to the Soul Essence Realm, and during this time when his Life Essence was condensing, he at once followed his heart to give birth to his appearance, which allowed him to force a few deliberate changes. Without causing any impediments.

As half a day went past, Ning Cheng finally stood up and checked himself. In addition to being a bit taller than before, his body had also grown substantially stronger, at this moment he was not much different to how he looked when he was studying in Jiangzhou.

Then feeling his own spiritual consciousness and true essence once again, even he was not able to quantify how many times stronger had they grown from when he was in the Profound Core Realm.

Finally able to advance, Ning Cheng sighed as he spoke to himself, at this moment even if that person Jiang Jun dared to bluster in front of him, he simply would not need to put forth any effort, he would simply be able to pinch that person into oblivion any time he wanted. Not to mention Soul Essence Cultivators, even if he were to encounter Soul Sculpting Cultivators, so what? At this moment, his present cultivation had even boosted his courage.

Ning Cheng casted a few Dust Removal Techniques and Cleansing Water Techniques on him. After finally cleaning himself up, he found that his skin under the bombardment of the extremely violent thunder tribulation, not only did not turn black, rather had turned even smoother and more vibrant.

No wonder those with a higher cultivation level were able to live a longer life, every advancement was equivalent to turning young once again, with such a thing one simply did not even need to rely on beauty pills. Only when their own cultivations were not able to keep up with the life expectancy it granted to the people, would they finally start to gradually age, and would then need Face Maintaining Pills.

After advancing to the Soul Essence Realm, the first thing that Ning Cheng wanted to do was to go to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect. Although he could wait until his cultivation advanced higher, however he was aware that, according to Shi Qionghua, Xu Anzhen would never wait until his cultivation advanced to a higher level before she dealt with Shi Qionghua.

Shi Qionghua was aware of this, so she decided to prematurely enter the Heaven's Way.

Moreover, even if he did not have to deal with matters relating to Shi Qionghua, Ning Cheng also could not wait till his cultivation reached a higher level. He was also aware that it would take too long, in his dictionary there was no such thing as a gentleman's revenge, where even if he waited for ten years it would not be too late. For him, if he had to take revenge then he had to make good use of his time.

However, Ning Cheng was also not an idiot, he was very clear that if he went to the Severing Emotions Dao as he was now, then he truly would be an idiot. That is if he went there with his present strength, let alone trying to retrieve the suppressed part of Shi Qionghua's life essence, or even stealing the Heavenly Cusp Flower, he would only be going there to die and even gift them his things for free. Compared to the behemoth like the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, he was like a child going up against a strong man.

Even if his concealment cultivation method were good, if he wanted to sneak around, then he cannot be caught unprepared like the past, otherwise he would end up meeting a dead end. Although he was ready to die for the things close to him, but he absolutely did not want to die. Compared to the cultivators here, Ning Cheng cherished his small life even more.

His fist was inferior to that of the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, as such, he could only use his head to find an opportune moment, only then would he be able to find a small chance. In the battle of the Fei River,

Xie Xuan only had 80,000 soldiers yet he was able to get rid of Fu Jian's 800,000 soldiers, this was possible not because of the size of his fist, but by the size of his head. Moreover, he currently had no interest to calculate all the variables; rather he did not believe that he would be able to factor in everything.

After his experience with Xu Yingde's severing her emotions, and then experiencing Shi Qionghua's devotion to things, Ning Cheng was no longer the Ning Cheng from before. Although he still had the mentality of not bringing harm to others, but that was only on the pretext that others did not harm him. But at this moment, there were not only people who had harmed him, but there were also people looking for him to harm him.

When someone struck him with his or her fist, then his fist would also not shrink back. Even if he had to shrink back temporarily, he would definitely return the strike with even more interest. The Severing Emotions Dao Sect had repeatedly taken the initiative to provoke him, so what else could he do other than returning the hospitality that he received. Weren't those from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect looking for someone to sever their emotions? Since you like to be so shady, then so can I, it's just that I disdain from doing such a thing.

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After advancing to the Soul Essence Realm, Ning Cheng immediately set out to find a place slightly richer in spiritual qi compared to other places, then dug out an immortal cave, before he closed himself up to go into seclusion.

This time Ning Cheng was not stingy at all, he not only used most of his spirit stones to lay out a Spiritual Gathering Array, but he even took out the broken crystal stone. This time he simply could not afford to be stingy at all, he had to improve his cultivation as fast as possible in the most stable manner.

One had to say that this piece of broken crystal stone was truly something heaven defying, Ning Cheng simply did not have to use any pill at all, with just the help of a few tens of millions of spirit stones and the crystal stone, he only had to spend a measly four months, before he advanced to the Soul Essence 3rd Level. However the broken crystal in his hands also turned much dimmer, allowing Ning Cheng to make a guess that this crystal stone would be completely used up if he used it a few more times in his cultivation.

After advancing to the Soul Essence 3rd Level, Ning Cheng continued cultivating the concealment method. He had to go to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, so he was clear that he must possess the most powerful concealment method. Half a month later, Ning Cheng finally stopped his seclusion.

It has already been five months since Shi Qionghua went away; as such, he was already running out of time, he had to start his plan now.

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The Grand Peace City was definitely one of the largest true cultivator cities in the Tian Continent, to the point that it could even be compared to the makeshift market established over the public square of the Heavenly Dao Academy; as such, the Grand Peace City enjoyed a truly great reputation.

However, its great reputation was mainly because of the location occupied by the Grand Peace City. The Grand Peace City shared its borders with three major academies, the Burning Sun Weapons Sect, the Red Star Sword Faction and the Star Gathering Mansion. These three academies were also counted among the ten major academies of the Tian Continent, just a little farther; there was also the Heavenly Dao Academy and the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, whose disciples would often come to the city to find a few good things.

This day, a very ordinary looking cultivator arrived at the Grand Peace City. Although this cultivator looked ordinary, his way of shopping was not ordinary. He spent more than 10 million spirit stones and even brought out many precious materials, using them in the many major merchant halls in exchange for many rare materials, like the Silver Void Sands, Rootless Stones, Chunk Dust...

This ordinary looking cultivator was obviously Ning Cheng; he had exchanged the Silver Void Sand, Rootless Stone and Chunk Dust with all of his life savings. These materials were materials required for refining Array Formations; moreover, these materials were specifically required to refine the Transmission Arrays.

Ning Cheng's attainments in the field of Array Formations had barely reached the threshold of a Tier 7 Array Formation Grand Master; as such, he had the qualifications to set up a short distance Transmission Array. Plus, he was also a Grand Master in the field of Talismans; as such, he could also refine a Transmission Array Talisman. However, because his cultivation was really limited at the moment, so if he had to refine the Transmission Array Talisman, then he must have the coordinates of the Transmission Array. Without the Transmission Array, his Transmission Array Talisman would simply be useless.

After purchasing a large amount of materials, Ning Cheng then arrived at the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce. The Profound Light Auction was something that was hosted by the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce. Moreover, The Profound Light Chamber of Commerce was not only the largest Chamber of Commerce in the Grand Peace City, but it was also heavily renowned throughout the Tian Continent. It was only second to the Wind and Clouds Pavilion and the Silver Links, the two largest Chambers of Commerce, whose reputation was simply unquestionable.

"My friend, if you really want to offer your items for bidding in here, then you will have to register here and then sign a contract with us. We will notify you when the next auction begins. If you only want to see our treasurer then I'm truly sorry, I will not be able to help you in this matter." Faced with the unreasonable demands of Ning Cheng, the receptionist at the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce could only refuse.

What a joke, for some random person to casually come up and then demand to see the treasurer, if there were these kinds of treasurers then the position of treasurers were simply akin to farts. It would be much better to not get involved with such things.

Ning Cheng didn't think that he would not be qualified to see the treasurer, which made him a bit disappointed. Without the treasurer, there was simply no way he could enact his plan. He had approached the Chamber of Commerce as a small business man, however it looks like there was no way for him to get the help that he wanted.

Thinking until here, Ning Cheng simply stood up and walked out. The person responsible for contacting Ning Cheng, seeing Ning Cheng walk out, simply gave a sneer. He had seen such people too many times

in his life to the point that he had already become numb. All of them thought that their own things were precious treasures, allowing them to fashion themselves as a distinguished person, but when the time for results came, all they produced were some ordinary goods.

But he did not think that just as Ning Cheng opened the door, he would stand at the door and exclaim out suddenly, "Since the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce is so arrogant, and is not willing to go a step further then I should have really not come here. I will be going to the Silver Links Chamber of Commerce; I believe that they will be very interested in my things because they would know the value of my stuff."

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Chapter 329: Ning Cheng Auctions Things

If even after this shout there was still no one coming out, then Ning Cheng had already decided to change to a more normal trading house. Although the resulting auction would be on a smaller scale and it would also result in an increased risk along with a higher possibility of his plan's failure, but he still would have to do it.

"What's the matter?" A slightly hoarse voice arrived.

Ning Cheng immediately realized that this voice definitely belonged to an expert of the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce; however, he was not able to make out where the speaker was. As long as someone responded to his provocation, that would be a good thing for him.

Regardless of where the speaker was situated, Ning Cheng still raised his cupped fists where he stood and spoke, "I have two very precious things, and wanted to talk to the treasurer directly regarding it. However, your people just refused my request, thinking that I was going to bring out some ordinary items to the auction."

"Oh, does this mean that you have a lot of faith in your things?" At this moment, there was a glimmer of interest in the horse voice.

Ning Cheng spoke out loudly, "Of course, if I had no confidence, then why would I even dare to come here only to reveal my shortcomings."

"Since you are so confident, then come and meet me. I am the treasurer of the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce." This time the voice became much clearer, allowing Ning Cheng to guess from which room it was coming from.

Ning Cheng then looked back and saw the person he was previously dealing with coming towards him in a very respectful manner, then giving him a deep bow from his waist, he led him to a room on the inside, allowing him to realize that the speaker should not have lied to him.

Ning Cheng soon saw the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce's treasurer; he had the appearance of a forty year old man, while he wore a goat like beard hanging from the two corners of his mouth giving him a harmless appearance. However, Ning Cheng instantly was able to realize that it was all an illusion. Even if he was not able to perceive this person's cultivation, from this treasurer's imposing aura, Ning Cheng could guess that this person at least had the cultivation in the Sea Opening Realm.

In this room, in addition to this treasurer, there was another old man. This old man looked at Ning Cheng with great interest, before he suddenly spoke up, "You just now spoke that if the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce were not willing to accept your things, you would then come to my Silver Links Chamber of Commerce and that we would really be interested in your stuff."

Ning Cheng was a bit startled at this; he did not think that there would be people from the Silver Links Chamber of Commerce sitting here. However, for Ning Cheng, it would be more advantageous for him to have people from the Silver Links Chamber of Commerce in this place.

"I want to auction only two things, especially since I only obtained them recently, but I'm hoping that I would be able to get a high price"

Ning Cheng's words were immediately interrupted by the person with goat like beard, "If my Profound Light Chamber of Commerce wants to auction something, then the things cannot be cheap at all. Just state what your things are. I hope that your things can truly match the words that you just spoke a few moments ago."

His tone at this time was somewhat icy, meaning once he realized that Ning Cheng was only grandstanding them then he could not blame them for not being kind.

However, Ning Cheng leisurely replied, "The first thing that I'd like to auction is three drops of Geocentric 9 Yin Essence....."

"WHAT!" The goat bearded person along with the old man from the Silver Links Auction House immediately shot up and started at Ning Cheng with blazing hot looks.

That was because Ning Cheng's words were simply too astonishing, how could something like the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence be this readily available? Even if they looked at the entire history of their own auctions, they had never auctioned anything of the same magnitude as this. If they took out this kind of stuff, it would definitely stir up the entire Tian Continent. Ning Cheng had spoken that the Chambers of Commerce would be willing to take things a step further in the face of his things. This was simply a modest understatement among all other humble statements.

If the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce were to come up with the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence for auction, would they even hesitate to take more than a step further? Even if it was the Wind and Cloud Pavilion, they have also never auctioned the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence.

"Do you truly have the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence?" The goat bearded person spoke with an unconcealable tremor in his voice.

Ning Cheng also showed a kind of prideful look in his eyes as he spoke, "Of course, but unfortunately I only have three drops of it, as long as we can happily cooperate, I'll even introduce my Dao Companion..... Uh, anyways maybe we can send the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence to the next auction. Of course, if the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce truly does not want to work with me, then so be it."

Ning Cheng seemed to have let the cat out of the bag, before he hastily reeled in his words. He only spoke about three drops of Geocentric 9 Yin Essence. He was aware that even if these three drops of Geocentric 9 Yin Essence were all bought by Xu Anzhen, it would only be equivalent of a few chicken ribs for her; it simply would not be enough for her recovery.

The old man from the Silver Links Chamber of Commerce shot a fiery look at Ning Cheng, at this moment he truly hated the fact that Ning Cheng had not come first to his Silver Links Chamber of Commerce. However, this place was the territory of the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce, even if his heart longed for it even more, he had no way to interfere in this matter.

“Can you please let me have a look at it first?” The goat bearded man was incomparably excited.

Ning Cheng also did not hesitate as he took out an exquisite jade bottle before setting it down carefully on the table. Once he brought out the bottle, a dark yet chilling aura immediately started dissipating outwards. The goat bearded man grabbed the jade bottle with trembling hands, while he opened the bottle only a sliver. In just a moment, he immediately closed it, this was definitely the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence, he was confident that he had not seen it wrong.

“It really is the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence.....” Even the old man from the Silver Links Chamber of Commerce blurted out in shock, although Ning Cheng’s cultivation was very vague in his eyes, but it was definitely not very high in his opinion. He was obviously a young man, yet he was able to come up with such a precious item.

“We will definitely auction this stuff, what do you want in return?” The goat bearded man reluctantly put down the jade bottle before he spoke up.

Ning Cheng also spoke out in a leisure manner, “As I said it before, I just want to sell my stuff at a high price, so you need to prepare a separate auction for my two items. Not only do you have to prepare for it, but it also must be done at the largest possible scale, meaning all the major academies are to be invited over, so that it can all be sold for a high price.”

“It’s no problem at all, what is the other item?” The goat bearded man hurriedly asked.

Ning Cheng took out a two inch long section of a branch and spoke, “This is it.”

A kind of faint and fuzzy aura was spilling out from this piece of branch, it was as if it was giving birth to an unreal and illusionary realm, even the goat bearded man and the old man from the Silver Links Chamber of Commerce were a little confused on seeing it.

“This is a branch from a Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree.....” However, it looks like the old man from the Silver Links Chamber of Commerce was well informed about the worldly items, as was demonstrated by how quickly he was able to identify the item that Ning Cheng brought out, however his tone betrayed the immense waves of shock that he was undergoing.

This time Ning Cheng spoke with an increased pride in his voice, “That’s right; this is what my Dao Companion gave me... Um, this is a treasure that I accidentally was able to obtain, a two inch long piece of branch from the Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree.”

The goat bearded man quickly took out a jade box, and as if it was the most precious and the most delicate treasure in the entire world, he carefully picked up the piece of branch from the Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree and placed it inside the box with extreme care. At this time, the words ‘scorching’ could not be used to describe the look in his eyes; rather it can only be described as a crazed frenzy.

“This the most honourable jade card for our auction, and from now on you are our Profound Light Auction’s most distinguished of guests. With these two things, we can definitely conduct the auction in

accordance to your requests. If you have any other requirements, then please tell it to me directly, I will certainly do everything in my power to help you.” From his words, it could be seen that the goat bearded man was now treating Ning Cheng as his own ancestor. However, in his eyes Ning Cheng was still quite young and impulsive. From their talks, he ended up accidentally divulging the information that he had received these things from his Dao Companion.

“Good, I was not wrong in coming here. I only have one other request. Whether it is the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence or the Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree Branch, you have to reveal them at the same time, the more publicity that you can garner towards those two items, the better it would be, but the auction has to be held a month from now. Since by that time everyone would come to know about it, allowing me to get a high price for my things.” Ning Cheng spoke in a high spirited voice.

The goat bearded man thumped his chest and spoke, “I, Song Yi, assure you that my Profound Light Chamber of Commerce can definitely pull this off.”

Not to say that these two things were brought to auction at the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce, even if there was no auction at all, and they simply had to host an auction for just these two items, it would still allow the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce to reach new heights.

“Are you Ning Cheng?” The old man from the Silver Links Chamber of Commerce stared at Ning Cheng and suddenly spoke up.

Ning Cheng just gave a slight smile and spoke, “Ning Cheng? Bah, that kid ain’t got no luck with me; he was just a Profound Core ant. However, I can tell you this one secret, which is relating to the Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree’s branch, it definitely came from Ning Cheng’s body. But as to how it came into my possession, I’m sorry; I will not say anything about it. I believe that the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce would not pressure me about where I obtained it, would you?”

Saying that, Ning Cheng immediately powered up his imposing aura, proving that it was comparable to that of a Soul Sculpting Cultivator.

Song Yi hurriedly spoke up, “Of course, I can definitely vouch for the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce’s brand. How could we even ask for such a thing? Even the guest history and information is something that we keep strictly confidential.”

Ning Cheng nodded and spoke, “Well, that’s good then.”

Seeing Ning Cheng’s majestic imposing aura, the old man from the Silver Links Chamber of Commerce realized that this man definitely was not Ning Cheng. During that time at the Heavenly Dao Public Square, Ning Cheng only had the cultivation of Profound Core 8th Level, even if he was a supreme genius of a cultivator, he would not be able to cultivate all the way to the Soul Sculpting Realm this quickly. What’s more, it was also not an ordinary Soul Sculpting Cultivation, otherwise how could such thing be hidden in front of his cultivation?

“The next time I come here, I would like to sell a longer piece of branch from a Seven-Coloured Mirage Tree. It has already been promised to me, so I will absolutely bring it here. So this time, although I am using the two inch long Mirage Tree branch, however I hope that it would not be truly put up for the auction, please just wait till I get back with a longer piece of branch from a Seven-Coloured Mirage Tree, then you can auction the two together. In order to express my gratitude towards the Profound Light

Chamber of Commerce, from the auction of the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence, I would only take a fifty percent cut..." Ning Cheng put forward a proposal.

Not to mention that this proposal for the auction would only bring enormous benefits and no harm, even if it did cause some amount of trouble, it would still be impossible for Song Yi to disagree with Ning Cheng's words.

"Thank you my friend, however I do not know as to how to address you?" Song Yi simply spoke out, since Ning Cheng was willing to only take half the cut, then it was obvious that he was a forthright person. What's more, the people behind him even had many of such precious things, so how could he not cultivate such a behaviour?

Ning Cheng gave a smile and spoke "My family name is Keng"

"Good, then Elder Brother Keng, should we sign a contract now?" Song Yi also did not know to which Keng family this Ning Cheng belonged.

The old man's eyes, from the Silver Links Chamber of Commerce, flashed as he intently looked at the talks of Ning Cheng and Song Yi signing an auction contract. While he sneered in his heart, this Profound Light Auction was something that was definitely going to be huge; if he were not here by himself today then it would be truly strange if this person surnamed Keng could truly auction off his stuff unscathed. In the world of cultivation, it would truly be a dead end act to take out such a thing for auction. A paper contract would not even be worth a fart in this situation.

As Ning Cheng received the contract, he suddenly gave a sigh and spoke, "Actually, I do believe in the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce, so whether I sign the contract or not, it does not matter at all."

"How can that be? The contract is something that has to be signed, my Profound Light Chamber of Commerce will always hold onto credibility first." Song Yi spoke, as his eyes narrowed to the size of slits.

Ning Cheng then suddenly took out a crystal ball and said, "We have already talked about the processes of the contract, and I have also used the crystal ball to record it, so the fact is, whether I do sign the contract or not, it really would not matter."

Song Yi and the old man from the Silver Links Chamber of Commerce only then discovered that they had truly underestimated Ning Cheng. If the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce were to break the contract, then all the other party had to do was to make copies of the crystal ball and then scatter it all around, at that time the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce would truly be finished. What's more, how was it so simple to record their images onto the crystal ball without them noticing anything about it?

"With this, I'll be taking my leave first. I will always be paying attention to the publicity situation of the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce." Ning Cheng just gave a beaming smile and said a few parting words, then he quickly walked out. This was only the first step of his plan, for him to propose the auction to be held in a month's time was already stretching it to the limit for him.

"Elder Brother Song, this Zhuang also will be bidding his farewell." The old man seeing Ning Cheng disappearing outside, also quickly left.

Song Yi gave a sneer, then giving the excuse of wanting to find someone he also came out behind him. However, he was soon dumbfounded, within the range of his spiritual consciousness, other than person surnamed Zhuang, he not even find the shadow of Ning Cheng, how was this even possible? Moreover, as soon as he looked at the person surnamed Zhuang; both of them instantly understood that they had most likely lost the person they were after.

The Gate Of Good Fortune

Chapter 330: Rumours

At this time, Ning Cheng was not in the Grand Peace City, he had already transformed into a pale looking person dressed in expensive robes while giving off an aura of a young noble. At the moment, he was only a hundred miles away from the Grand Peace City, in the West Lu Makeshift Market.

For a cultivator, a hundred-mile distance was something that was considered quite close.

The West Lu Makeshift Market, in a sense, only came into existence because of the Grand Peace City. The Grand Peace City was incomparably bustling, as such the land inside was also extremely expensive without exception. Many people wanted to do business in the Grand Peace City, however were always deterred by the lack of capital required. This situation resulted in the birth of West Lu Makeshift Market. The West Lu Makeshift Market had many merchant houses specializing in acquisition of spiritual grasses and other materials.

Here the transactions always happened at a very fast pace, moreover there was also no array formations or forbidden space restriction deployed here. Initially only rogue cultivators would come to this place to trade a few materials that they managed to obtain, especially since they were unwilling to go to the Grand Peace City. As time went on, more and more shops sprung up, which then gave birth to the emergence of restaurants, rest stops and various other places, before it finally turned into a makeshift market without any walls.

This kind of open air makeshift markets were numerous in any continent, however the makeshift markets on the scale of West Lu Makeshift Market were quite rare.

In the West Lu Makeshift Market, the largest spiritual tea house was the West Lu's Spiritual Tea House, where many cultivators gathered every day. It was not only popular because it offered the most complete range of spiritual teas and spirits, but also because one would be able to exchange all kinds of information. Anything related to mystical places, or information relating to obtaining treasures, or even just teaming up with others to go on adventures, many things could be accomplished here.

The rogue cultivators would always come here to gather information and then look for other people to team up before leaving together with them.

When Ning Cheng came in, the lobby of the West Lu's Spiritual Tea House was already full of a wide range of cultivators. Ning Cheng squeezed into the crowded placed, before ordering a pot of good quality spiritual tea.

Seeing that he was surrounded by several True Condensation and Essence Building Cultivators revealing an envious expression in their eyes, Ning Cheng proudly waved his hand at the person waiting on him and spoke, "Meeting each other is just predestined, please help out these friends to a pot of spiritual tea, you can just put the tab on me."

Hearing that Ning Cheng was treating them, especially when none of the cultivators present there even knew Ning Cheng, all of them cupped their fists towards him as a token of their thanks. Looking at the expensive clothes that Ning Cheng wore, it showed that this cultivator was definitely a Young Noble, and a Young Noble from a truly rich place at that to be able to afford such a treat. This kind of cultivator most likely admired the envy in others eyes directed at him, so it was only reasonable to assume that he would also like to be flattered with words.

The server once again brought out a few pots of spiritual tea as he served it to them. Under Ning Cheng's deliberate indulgences, he soon became acquainted with several people.

"My child should really make friends with someone as generous as you. Many thanks for the spiritual tea my friend, these days it is truly hard to scrounge up money to spend. Next time, once I've got some in hand, I will definitely invite you for a cup of tea." A horse faced cultivator on taking a sip of spiritual tea treated by Ning Cheng, spoke out with a forthright manner. To him, who was an early stage Essence Building Cultivator, such a pot of high grade spiritual tea was truly a good thing.

The rest of them also behaved like children in general, as they slurped on the spiritual tea treated by Ning Cheng, while they made vague promises and high flattery.

Ning Cheng also spoke out triumphantly, "This is simple nothing at all. I just like to make friends wherever I go. In the Red Star... In my academy, I can be considered as just above average, so this spiritual tea is truly nothing much to me."

Although Ning Cheng changed his words in time, but the people around him were still able to hear it. Allowing them to make the conclusion that Ning Cheng was definitely from the Red Star Sword Faction. It was already very difficult for the rogue cultivators to join even a small academy, let alone the Red Star Sword Faction that was counted among the ten major academies of the Tian Continent.

For a while, all the surrounding cultivators flocked towards Ning Cheng to strike up a conversation, they seemed to understand that Ning Cheng was someone who liked to be praised. As a variety of praises came pouring in, it allowed Ning Cheng to feel as if the Yellow River had flooded over.

Some of the cultivators even took the initiative to offer spirit wine for Ning Cheng to drink. Ning Cheng welcomed all and refused none, with a few pots of inferior spirit wine down his belly, Ning Cheng's talks became even more loud, "You don't have to praise me like this, in fact, although I am somewhat decent in my academy, however compared to others from there the distance between us is still quite large, not just one or two levels....."

To the people it looked like the wine was starting to take effect, as this moment, Ning Cheng even stood up and lifted a completely full jug of wine and gulped it down in one go, before speaking with rosy cheeks, "Do you know about the Severing Emotions Dao Sect? Their Academy is truly a heaven sent academy. Do you know who can curry favours from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, he he... My Senior Apprentice brother, no, this thing can't be said out casually....."

Ning Cheng seem to realize that it would not be a good thing to talk about such things, so he gave a loud burp reeking of wine and sat down once again.

Ning Cheng had just sat down, when several large pots of spirit wines were sent before Ning Cheng. Wasn't one of them complaining about a tight budget, yet they still sent him two big pots of wine, moreover it was also the strongest spirit wine available there.

Seeming to feel the enthusiasm of others, Ning Cheng finally gulped down one of the pots of spirit wine, before he whispered, "I'll tell you a top secret piece of news aah, you can't go around casually talking about it ok."

"We definitely won't tell anybody." A few heads crowded together and whispered.

Ning Cheng had come out from a major academy, however it looks like this second generation ancestor of theirs has not experienced a lot of risk, unlike them who had already experienced too much. Although none of them liked such revolting behaviour, however it looks like this second generation ancestor truly does know some things that rogue cultivators like them were not privy about.

"Let me tell you something, do you know who is the most sought after son-in-law for the Academies? It my Senior Apprentice Brother Keng, who's Dao Companion is from the Severing Emotions Dao Sect. His Dao Companion not only gave him some Geocentric 9 Yin Essence, but had also given him a small branch of a Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree, could any one of you even dare to think of such a thing..."

Ning Cheng's words had not yet finished, when he was interrupted by innumerable call-outs, if someone among them believed such kind of nonsense then it truly would've been a strange affair. Some of the people there had completely lost their interests, they had initially thought that Ning Cheng would spill out some kind of earth-shattering news, but it turned out that his words were not even somewhat reliable, rather it was complete nonsense in eight directions.

Whether it was the Geocentric 9 Yin Essence or a piece of branch from the Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree, any one of them was a supreme treasure in the entire Yi Xing Mainland, how can it be given to a disciple, let alone being passed on to someone else by a disciple?

"You don't believe me? What I said is the truth." Ning Cheng on seeing that the others did not believe him immediately spoke with a red face, at the same time even his tone became loud and deep.

"It's not that we don't believe you, however who doesn't know about the Severing Emotions Dao Sect. Especially that none of them would ever fall in love again after they severed their emotions. Since your Senior Apprentice Brother Keng is in love with one of them, then he would have to experience the severing of emotions in the future, right? As such, wouldn't your Senior Apprentice Brother end up just returning those things back? Besides, even if the Severing Emotions Dao Sect had such good things, how could it be possible for them to give it to a disciple?" Someone immediately replied with disdain.

"It's just that with how precious these things are, how could they be given to an ordinary disciple?" The man next to him also echoed.

Ning Cheng also objected in a very uncomfortable manner, "My Senior Apprentice Brother Keng's Dao Companion is a Core Disciple, in the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, as long as Core Disciples perform some meritorious deeds, they can be awarded with one to three drops of Geocentric 9 Yin Essence, and a small piece of branch from the Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree. By the way, I also forgot to mention about the Spiritual Enhancement True Nectar, the Severing Emotions Dao Sect has a lot of it with them."

A late stage Essence Building Cultivator gave a loud laugh as he spoke, "My friend, you come from a major academy, so it's obvious that the treatment that you receive would be much better than us rogue cultivators. But why did I hear that the Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree and the Spiritual Enhancement True Nectar, is something that belongs to the Rainbow Fall Sword Sect's Ning Cheng? Moreover, Ning Cheng is already being hunted down, but no one has any idea about where he has hidden himself away."

"Haha....." People all around started laughing.

Ning Cheng immediately stood up, "You simply are not aware of such kind of things, only disciples from major academies like us know about this. Although these things indeed belonged to Ning Cheng previously, however, they currently now belong to the Severing Emotions Dao Sect. Whether you find it unbelievable is not of my concern, it was something that Senior Apprentice Brother Keng had personally mentioned to me. Severing Emotions Dao Sect's True Inheriting Disciple Xu Yingdei has already successfully used Ning Cheng to sever her emotions, as such it is obvious that Ning Cheng has already been destroyed as a result of her severing emotions; however that doesn't mean that his things also ended up destroyed."

Seeing some of the people with a dumbfounded expression on their face, Ning Cheng's expression turned even more pleased, "You didn't get the news, did you? Hehe, not to mention you, but even some of the other major academies also don't know about it. However, because Senior Apprentice Brother Keng happens to have a Core Disciple of the Severing Emotions Dao Sect as his Dao Companion, so of course he would be aware of such a matter. Ning Cheng's things have already been taken away by the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, and the Severing Emotions Dao Sect is awarding their disciples with it depending on the contributions made by each of their disciples."

"That's still absolutely impossible, you know how precious those things are, right?" Someone immediately countered again, only this time when he countered, no one immediately stood out to support him.

Ning Cheng looked at this cultivator who refuted his words with disdain and spoke, "Do you even know how much Geocentric 9 Yin Essence Ning Cheng had on him? He had a whopping 100 barrels of it. Do you know how much a barrel contains? Just ask me if you don't know. Have you even seen a branch from a Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree? I guess that you never even seen it in your dreams."

"If you don't believe me, then you can go to the Heavenly Dao Public Square and ask around, you will come to know about it. Ning Cheng, inside the Exchange Hall of the Heavenly Dao Public Square, sold a barrel of Spiritual Enhancement True Nectar. If he did not do such a thing, then would any of you even dare to believe that a person would be able to come up with such a quantity of Spiritual Enhancement True Nectar? If you did not see it, then stop talking nonsense about it. If you still don't believe it, then you can simply go and enquire if Xu Yingdei has really advanced to the Soul Sculpting Realm or not, you will come to realize it then. If that person has successfully severed her emotions using Ning Cheng, then she would have already advanced to the Soul Sculpting Realm."

The onlookers finally became a bit restless, although most of the people still did not believe it; however, the way Ning Cheng spoke did show that there definitely must exist a crux. Moreover, the Severing Emotions Dao Sect's Xu Yingdei had already proposed a marriage alliance with Rainbow Fall Sword Sect's Ning Cheng; moreover, it was also an open secret.

“Then how do you know about it so well?” Someone still asked.

“Idiot, this person’s Senior Apprentice Brother Keng has a Dao Companion in the Severing Emotions Dao Sect, moreover a Core Disciple at that.” Not waiting for Ning Cheng to answer, someone immediately took the initiative to answer for him.

Ning Cheng once again grabbed at the pot of spirit wine in front of him and took a few mouthfuls before speaking, “I’ll tell you one more secret, my Senior Apprentice Brother Keng managed to obtain three drops of Geocentric 9 Yin Essence and a small piece of branch from the Nine-Coloured Mirage Tree, he then commissioned the Profound Light Chamber of Commerce to auction them off. If you don’t believe me, then you can see the outcome after one month. I am a dignified disciple of the top 10 major academies, what would I gain from misleading people? You people really make me uncomfortable; I will not pay for these kinds of friends.....”

Ning Cheng muttered to himself, as he staggered out of the Spiritual Tea Building.

“This person really is spewing nonsense in all eight directions.” Once Ning Cheng finally went out, some of the people immediately retorted with scorn and disdain.

“Not all the words he spoke were total nonsense in eight direction, at least the part about the things related to Ning Cheng and Xu Yingdei might be true. All we have to do is just enquire if Xu Yingdei really has advanced to the Soul Sculpting Realm or not, in order to get to know the truth.”

“It’s all just stupid talks, what’s the use in us talking about it? Even if the people in the Severing Emotions Dao Sect were in possession of such things, it would have no relation to low level rogue cultivators like us.”

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Ning Cheng felt very much relieved after he left, even if no one believed his words in the Spiritual Tea House, those words would definitely spread around.

What was the most difficult thing to deal with in the world, of course that would be rumours. Ning Cheng was from Earth, so how could he not be aware of the terrifying power of rumours. Even if a rumour dies, after some time, the rumour would once again come to life. He had already planted the seed, and was sure that it would germinate. For spreading rumours, of course, he could not do so by finding those with high cultivations, but in this spiritual tea house, there were a lot of Qi Gathering, True Condensation and Essence Building Cultivators, so using them to spread a few rumours was truly the best hand that he could play right now.