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Chapter 59 - 11: The Void Spirit Realm

In the All Heavens and Myriad Realms, besides the [Fallen Area] where Li Hao's original body resides, every world actually possesses souls.

Souls are a universally present entity in the All Heavens and Myriad Realms, appearing in ninety-nine percent of beings after death.

However, unlike the common understanding among Chinese people, not every world has the concept of "reincarnation".

Or rather, in the vast majority of the Divine Pantheon, reincarnation is a privilege of the "Gods".

Most souls will ultimately be decomposed into the most basic soul elements—Spiritual Essence—as part of the world's own cycle.

This is as natural as a corpse being decomposed, becoming a part of the world's cycle.

Yet, just as some pursue bodily incorruption,

immortality on the soul level is also the pursuit of some individuals.

To achieve eternal existence like the gods, and even to become gods directly, various "Ascension Ladders" have naturally been developed.

The body becoming an Immortal Golden Body, the soul becoming an Immortal Divine Soul...

These are paths of becoming gods pioneered by mortals imitating the existence of gods.

Unfortunately, only a few outstanding individuals in a world can ensure their soul's immortality, and they are even rarer.

Under such circumstances, the decomposition of a bodyless soul into the most basic Spiritual Essence becomes a matter of course.

Only a few fortunate individuals with extraordinary talent are noticed by certain gods of the Death Element, fortunately becoming one of their underlings, thus "living" for a few more decades.

The original Mountain and Sea Realm was actually like this.

Until Li Hao suspended the [Day of Sin] in the sky, giving those talented souls another way out.

That is to abandon everything they had in life, undergoing Rebirth as Skeletons.

If nothing goes wrong, this should be the operating pattern of the Mountain and Sea Realm, one of the self-circulating systems of this world.

However, during Li Hao's process of uplifting the Mountain and Sea Realm,

a small world on the brink of death chose to follow on a desperate gamble.

It was a world belonging to a Death God, a Destruction World filled with darkness and the aura of death.

Its emergence caused a disruption in the Mountain and Sea Realm's self-circulation.

The aura infiltrating from the Death God World allowed souls that were supposed to dissipate and decompose to persist tenaciously, turning into malicious Evil Ghosts over time.

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"Simply put, if that 'passage' is resolved, the Evil Ghosts of this world will naturally disappear, right?"

Calmly gazing at the black vortex, Yao Xin's tone was very serene.

Yao Xin, Hua She, and Gu Sheng traversed half of the Mountain and Sea Realm, finding almost every place where Evil Ghosts frequently appeared.

So Yao Xin can almost confirm that this is the source of all anomalies.

"Things aren't that simple..."

Unlike Yao Xin's calmness, Hua She was much more cautious at this moment.

"That is a non-material world filled with death."

"Closing this 'passage' only temporarily delays the crisis; destroying that world is the key to completely eliminating this disaster."

Unable to help but frown, Yao Xin was seriously contemplating the meaning of Hua She's words.

"You mean... I must go to the world myself? A world filled with death?"

After all, Yao Xin, who transformed from Li Hao's corpse, inherited part of Li Hao's character in some way.

Unless necessary, she preferred quiet observation and study to risky endeavors.

This has nothing to do with fear of death; Yao Xin simply dislikes that passive feeling.

"If I'm not mistaken, that's merely a 'Spirit Realm'.

"Your body simply cannot enter the real 'Spirit Realm', which only accepts the souls of the deceased."

After a brief pause in tone, Hua She suddenly changed the subject.

"For someone like you now, a mere 'Primordial Spirit' shouldn't be a big deal!"

Hearing this, Yao Xin didn't immediately respond but silently gazed at the black vortex for a long time, a slight smile appearing at the corner of her mouth.

"Directly destroy that world?"

"That would be too wasteful."

"With your return, Father God's attention should also refocus on this world, right!"

"I've planned to offer Father God a great gift; are you willing to lend a helping hand?"

Hua She's Snake Eyes abruptly narrowed into a vertical line, detecting a sense of familiar impulsiveness in Yao Xin's words.

"What are you planning? Don't mess around!"

"Although you've stepped on the Ascension Ladder, you're ultimately just an Immortal short of a Demigod."

"If you do something outrageous, the God of Gods might not save you in time!"

Ignoring Hua She's alarm, Yao Xin quietly opened the third eye on her forehead.

Woosh!

In the next second, a semi-transparent spirit body identical to Yao Xin emerged from the Celestial Eye.

That was Yao Xin's Divine Soul, another backup that carried all her memories and thoughts.

The same calmness, the same indifference...

Yao Xin had long been accustomed to this feeling of being split in two; she was just still adjusting to her "Primordial Spirit" state.

"As you said, a 'Primordial Spirit' is not necessary for the Immortals."

"If a Primordial Spirit dissipates, just cultivate another one."

"As long as the original body is not dead, creating another Primordial Spirit is merely a matter of spending a little more time."

"So why should I be afraid?"

This wasn't the first time Hua She envied the unique talents of Immortals, but it was definitely the most profound.

That was a Divine Soul, containing all the essence, energy, and spirit of an Ascender. Why was it equated to disposable items in Yao Xin's words?

"You madwoman..."

Eventually, Hua She could only sigh helplessly.

As Yao Xin said, Hua She initially intended for the other person to enter the Spirit Realm in soul form.

After all, a Divine Soul of an Ascender is quite tempting to a dying god.

Although the original target slightly changed now, the process remains largely the same.

[It's just plotting a Death God's position! What's there to make a fuss about?]

[Besides, I didn't make her do this.]

Comforting herself silently with these thoughts, Hua She was soon engulfed by the blazing Solar Fire, swiftly dispelling the nearby reluctant Evil Ghosts.

[Great God of Gods!]

[If you truly gaze upon here, please discern clearly...]

[This is Yao Xin's insistence, not my doing!]