

Unparalleled 1421

Chapter 1421: The Nine Heavens Deity, Yu Zhi's Fortunate Encounter, Let's Kill Him Then

"What kind of explanation do you want?" said Chu Kuangren in a calm, indifferent tone while looking at Iceworm Feng.

Having witnessed Chu Kuangren's power earlier, Iceworm Feng could not help but shudder.

It was simply unbelievable that an iceworm like him would shudder!

It was a cold chill from deep within his heart!

"Chu Kuangren, this matter concerns the Frost Dragon Mountain. It has nothing to do with you."

Iceworm Feng summoned up some courage and said.

"She belongs to me now."

"So what? It was through the Frost Dragon Mountain's efforts and nurturing that Iceworm Ru Xue is who she is today."

"I see. Does that mean you people from the Frost Dragon Mountain are planning to snatch away my subordinate now?" Chu Kuangren said playfully.

"From the very start, Iceworm Ru Xue is and will be—"

"That's enough!"

Just then, Iceworm Ru Xue snorted coldly and unleashed a palm attack at Iceworm Feng, who was immediately sent flying.

The crowd of iceworm cultivators was shocked to see Ru Xue attack.

"Why did you attack him, Iceworm Ru Xue?"

"You've crossed the line!"

"Sure enough, a slave will always be a slave! To think you've truly become a slave of Chu Kuangren! You have ruined the image and reputation of Frost Dragon Mountain!"

The amount of respect the iceworm cultivators had for Iceworm Ru Xue had turned into hatred now.

They could not understand why their pure, high, and mighty goddess would reduce herself to a mere slave to serve someone else.

However, they were mistaken the entire time.

Their perception of Iceworm Ru Xue had always been a figment of their imagination and fantasies.

None of them had ever understood the real Iceworm Ru Xue.

The moment her behavior was out of line with the image of a perfect goddess in their minds, they would get angry and resentful. They would wonder why she would not behave as they imagined or wanted.

"I'm going to say this for the last time, Iceworm Feng. This matter concerns only me and my Master. It has nothing to do with you!" Iceworm Ru Xue uttered coldly. Then, she looked at Chu Kuangren and said, "Master, let's go."

"Presumptuous fool," Chu Kuangren blurted out indifferently and ignored them.

Although it might seem that Iceworm Ru Xue was reprimanding Iceworm Feng, she was actually trying to save him and the other iceworm cultivators present.

Otherwise, if Chu Kuangren were to step in, how could those iceworm cultivators stand a chance?

Iceworm Ru Xue secretly breathed a sigh of relief when Chu Kuangren no longer bothered with them.

Truth be told, she could no longer afford to care whether her fellow iceworm cultivators would survive anymore.

After all, she had done all she could to help them.

In fact, she was trying to save Frost Dragon Mountain.

Having witnessed Chu Kuangren wipe out the whole Dragon clan, she understood that clearer than before. If a conflict arose because of Iceworm Feng and the others, Chu Kuangren would eventually have to face off with the Frost Dragon Mountain. If that were to happen, things would surely end badly for Frost Dragon Mountain.

Frost Dragon Mountain was where she was born and grew up...

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Inside the palace within the depths of the Arcane Deity Sect, Yu Zhi came before the statue and found it was extremely lifelike. Beside it, there were two ancient bronze cauldrons.

Various sceneries and wild beasts were carved onto the cauldrons, making them appear ancient yet elegant at the same time.

However, before Yu Zhi and Qing Feng could admire it any longer, Immortal Sparks started swirling around the statue. Then, a light figure walked out.

It was a woman that looked exactly like the statue, a peerless woman of utmost elegance.

"You're the Nine Heavens Deity!"

Upon sensing a connection with that woman, Yu Zhi immediately identified who she was.

The Nine Heavens Deity chuckled, not denying Yu Zhi's statement. Instead, she looked at Yu Zhi and said, "So, you've finally come, my master's successor."

"The West Ruler Matriarch knew I was coming?"

Yu Zhi was a little surprised. She knew that the woman was referring to the West Ruler Matriarch.

“My Master is a great one that possesses various Embodier Realm capabilities. She can see into the past and future and even capture glimpses of certain individuals’ paths of destiny. Hence, it’s not surprising that she knew you would come here.” The Nine Heavens Deity chuckled.

“I see.”

Yu Zhi nodded gently. “If that’s the case, does it mean that the treasures left behind by the West Ruler Matriarch here are for me?”

“That’s right.”

“Is it worth it? Having to sacrifice so many female cultivators just to protect these treasures?”

Yu Zhi frowned a little at the thought of the countless lost souls outside.

“I established the Arcane Deity Sect under the orders of my master. It was a sacred cultivation place for all female cultivators on the Holy Violet Planet. Since they had enjoyed the perks and benefits the Arcane Deity Sect offered during their lifetime, it was natural that they do whatever was needed of them in return. Standing guard over the treasure left behind by the West Ruler Matriarch was their sole mission.”

“Besides, the Arcane Deity Sect was doomed to perish in the face of that calamity anyway. So, by exchanging their physical form which was doomed to be destroyed, they gained an immortal soul that would forever protect this place. That was a choice they made,” the Nine Heavens Deity explained.

“The calamity you just mentioned, what was it?”

“That was a Great Dao Calamity!”

“Why don’t I understand a single word you said?”

Yu Zhi found the Nine Heavens Deity’s words vague. ‘Do these beings from the previous era have a habit of talking in riddles or something?’

“Well, it’s fine if you don’t understand now. Once you reach a certain cultivation level in the future, you shall encounter traces of that calamity, hidden everywhere within the darkness!”

The Nine Heavens Deity did say much. After all, telling Yu Zhi too much would not serve her any good anyway. “The treasures left behind by my master can be found in the courtyard at the back. You can go and get them now.”

“Alright.”

Without asking any more questions, Yu Zhi and Qing Feng went to the back of the palace and found a pool of water there.

The water inside that pool was crystal clear, akin to the surface of polished jade.

It seemed to release a strong aroma as well. It smelled like a mellow wine, intoxicating anyone who caught even the slightest whiff of it.

“This is the Jade Nectar!”

Yu Zhi's eyes lit up.

Other than the Undying Elixir, the Jade Nectar was one of the most sought-after treasures that belonged to the West Ruler Matriarch.

It was said that the Jade Nectar could improve one's physique and increase their cultivation efficiency.

Furthermore, it was known as the most famous wine in the Immortal World. If an Arch Gilded Immortal were to drink a few cups of it, they would surely get drunk quickly.

Right now, a pool filled to the brim with Jade Nectar was before her!

"If I can refine all the Jade Nectar here, my Holy Jade Pool Physique will surely advance and reach its final form, giving me the Golden Jade Pool Physique!"

Yu Zhi got a little excited.

"Maiden Sage, I shall stand guard for you here."

"Very well."

Yu Zhi nodded before she slowly walked ahead until she was above the pool of Jade Nectar. Then, she sat with her legs crossed, channeling her Immortal Core energy, and began to absorb the energy within the pool.

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Chu Kuangren, Iceworm Ru Xue, and Shi Ying were currently venturing into the depths of the Arcane Deity Sect.

The deeper Chu Kuangren went, the more he could feel something resonating with him.

"Interesting. It seems there's something I need in the deepest part of the Arcane Deity Sect," Chu Kuangren murmured.

Just then, a sudden roar sounded not far ahead.

Two figures were engaged in battle, with sparks flying with every clash of their swords. Immortal Sparks shone while sword qi spread throughout the surroundings.

Due to the impact of the battle, the surrounding walls made out of Immortal Crystals crumbled.

"It's her."

Chu Kuangren took a look and recognized one of them.

It was Luo Yan, the host of the Scarlet Tear

As for her opponent, Chu Kuangren did not know who he was. However, Chu Kuangren was familiar with that person's techniques, which seemed like the Holy Violet Pavillion's cultivation technique.

"It's Zhuo Tianchang from the Holy Violet Pavilion," Iceworm Ru Xue said coldly. "This is the guy who snatched the Immortal Herb and almost got us killed by the dead souls earlier!"

“Oh, is that so? Let’s kill him then.”

Chapter 1422: Killing Zhuo Tianchang, By All Means, Luo Yan’s Struggles

Luo Yan was engaged in a fierce fight with Zhuo Tianchang.

Zhuo Tianchang was a Seventh-grade True Immortal, which made him two grades higher than Luo Yan.

Although Luo Yan possessed the Scarlet Tear, Zhuo Tianchang was confident that he would be the ultimate victor of the fight.

Unfortunately, he had no idea that his fate was sealed before the fight even began.

Clunk! Clank!

Swords clashed furiously in the sky, releasing sword qi that wreaked havoc around the area.

Even though Luo Yan had help from the Scarlet Tear, the two grades’ difference in cultivation level placed her at a disadvantage, and she might lose the fight at any moment.

“Why?! Why can’t I use it?! I was a lot stronger back then than now.”

A while ago, when the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist and Luo Yifeng slaughtered the disciples of the Luo clan, her Scarlet Tear provided her with the explosive power that allowed her to escape.

However, she could not use the Scarlet Tear’s power anymore, which annoyed and infuriated her.

The Scarlet Tear would only release its power when the user was in a sorrowful state.

Had she forgotten the feeling?

Had she not gone through enough after witnessing the slaughter of her people?

“Rumor has it that the Scarlet Tear has a certain chance to rival an Honorable Supreme Immortal Physique, but the chances are too low,” Chu Kuangren said as he watched from afar.

He believed it was time for him to intervene as he would not want Zhuo Tianchang to kill Luo Yan.

With a flick of his fingers, he unleashed a sword qi forward.

Swoosh!

The sword qi shot across the sky like a dazzling meteor, frightening Gods and deities alike.

It was the Godfearing Daoist Sword Technique!

Zhuo Tianchang was one move away from ending Luo Yan’s life before he was enveloped by an immense pressure that numbed his scalp and sent chills down his spine.

“Damn it!”

Horried, Zhuo Tianchang turned around and hurled a slash forward.

Clunk!

His slash clashed with the incoming sword qi.

Unfortunately, after a painful scream, his sword flew off with a trail of blood behind it, and his entire arm burst into pieces. The impact then sent him flying backward.

“This power... Impossible!”

Zhuo Tianchang was horrified, but he did not have the time to ponder because his priority would be to escape alive.

Before he knew it, the sky was covered with silvery white Daoist patterns, and a terrifying surge of spacetime energy locked down the entire realm.

“You, from the Holy Violet Pavilion, shall die,” a composed voice said.

Chu Kuangren, Iceworm Ru Xue, and Shi Ying slowly approached from the sky.

A terrifying pressure locked onto Zhuo Tianchang, pinning him on the spot.

“Chu Kuangren!”

He fell into despair when he saw Chu Kuangren.

“Chu Kuangren, we’ve never crossed paths. Why are you after me?”

“Hmph. Really? Don’t you know what you’ve just done?” Iceworm Ru Xue said coldly.

Seeing her proud expression gave Zhuo Tianchang a sudden epiphany. “The two of you are related?”

His expression changed. Then, he clenched his teeth and channeled his Immortal’s Core energy to the limit. He even ignited his life essence to supply himself with enough energy.

“Do you really think I’ll sit back and let you take my life? Holy Violet Nova Explosion,” Zhuo Tianchang shouted.

Violet Immortal Sparks shimmered, and countless Daoist patterns intertwined in the void, forming a massive galaxy that was hurled at Chu Kuangren.

That was Zhuo Tianchang’s last resort.

However, Chu Kuangren remained nonchalant and simply swung forward in the void with his sword hand sign.

The ruthless torrential-like sword qi destroyed the galaxy in the blink of an eye.

This time, Zhuo Tianchang was sent flying further away. Countless sword marks ravaged his body, leaving him in a weak and bloody state. Like a candle in the wind, he might die any moment.

“How is this possible?!”

He, a Seventh-grade True Immortal, could not even last one hit from Chu Kuangren.

Chu Kuangren did not even use his full power or not even half of it! Maybe, it was even less than that.

Chu Kuangren swung another slash forward since the first did not completely kill Zhuo Tianchang.

“Chu Kuangren! When the Holy Violet Imperial Commander arrives, he will behead you and avenge all of us! Glory to the Immortal Hall!” Zhuo Tianchang shouted his last grievance in his final moments.

After that, the sword qi blasted him into a cloud of blood mist.

Chu Kuangren was not bothered by his warning. Instead, he grabbed Zhuo Tianchang’s Yin and Yang Ring and found quite a number of treasures inside.

However, none caught Chu Kuangren’s attention.

Hence, he tossed it to Iceworm Ru Xue and said, “You guys can split it.”

Iceworm Ru Xue was surprised by Chu Kuangren’s generosity. After all, there must be something in the Yin and Yang Ring that she could use.

“Thank you, Master.”

Iceworm Ru Xue took the ring and selected a few items she could use before giving the others to Shi Ying.

Then, Luo Yan came up to Chu Kuangren and looked at him with utmost gratitude. “Thank you, Brother Chu, for saving me.”

“It’s nothing.” Chu Kuangren smiled. “Why did you get into a fight with him?”

“What else could it be? It’s because of the things I had. Plundering and robbing is a common thing around here,” Luo Yan said with a shake of her head.

Being weak was a sin, and because she was weaker than Zhuo Tianchang, he tried to rob and kill her.

Being weak even meant one had no right to stay alive.

It reminded her of the Mountain Ghouls, and it fueled her resentment. Due to her weakness, she could not save her people from their horrible fates.

She looked at Chu Kuangren with her eyes flickering. As if she had made up her mind, she said, “Brother Chu, I’d like to ask for your help to help me avenge the fallen disciples of the Luo clan.”

“Are you misunderstanding something?” Chu Kuangren’s smile faded a little. “I helped you once because it was convenient. Do you think I have the time for your little vendetta?”

“If Brother Chu is willing to help me, I will answer every one of your demands.”

“Any kind of demands?”

Chu Kuangren skeptically sized up Luo Yan.

His gaze made her uncomfortable, but she bit the bullet because the murderers of her people were still at large. “Yes! Anything it takes.”

“Even if I want you to call me master?”

"I..." Luo Yan's expression changed.

The Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist wanted her to submit to him, but she refused, hence the death of her people.

Now, in order to avenge her fallen clan members, she had to call Chu Kuangren her master?

Both situations felt unusually similar or ironic, to say the least.

She was struggling with her own thoughts about whether to call Chu Kuangren her master.

Chu Kuangren glanced at her conflicted expression. He knew Luo Yan was unlike the Iceworm Ru Xue. On the contrary, Luo Yan was much more stubborn and persistent.

"I was just joking," Chu Kuangren said with a smile. "I have beef with the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist, and if I meet him, I won't let him escape alive. As for Luo Yifeng, I believe you can handle him yourself."

Time was crucial in converting Luo Yan into his ally.

If he forced her to submit to him now, it would only plant an unpleasant memory in her mind, and true loyalty could never be achieved.

"Thank you." Luo Yan sighed a breath of relief.

As long as Chu Kuangren agreed to deal with the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoists and the other two, she could deal with Luo Yifeng herself.

It seemed like Chu Kuangren was unlike the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist who loved to force people into following his will.

The two were drastically different from each other, and the thought increased her fondness for Chu Kuangren.

In addition to the fact that he saved her, it would foreshadow that she would be his ally in the future.

Meanwhile, several uninvited guests arrived at the deepest part of Arcane Deity Palace.

"We finally found it."

Eastern Sky Divine Daoist smiled at the dazzling palace.

Chapter 1423: Nine Houses' Successor Versions Arcane Deity, Restricted Area Affiliation, How To Destroy

The Nine Heaven Deity, who had been residing in the Arcane Deity Palace, opened her eyes when she sensed the presence of uninvited visitors.

However, she was not surprised by the visit at all.

"The girl requires more time to absorb the Jade Nectar. I shall guard her cultivation and see through the process," the Nine Heavens Deity said with a smile.

Hence, she walked out of the palace with unrivaled beauty and elegance, stunning Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and the others.

"This energy presence, this beauty... If I'm correct, you're the founder of the Arcane Deity Sect and the strongest deity under the West Matriarch Ruler's wing, the Nine Heavens Deity," the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist said.

"I am." The Nine Heavens Deity nodded. "You. You bear the presence of the Eastern Sky. You're from Eastern Sovereign Immortal Hall?"

"Indeed." Eastern Sky Divine Daoist nodded.

"When Her Majesty was crowned as the leader of the female deities, the Eastern Sky self-proclaimed himself as the leader of the male deities. Hmph. He's not worthy of that title."

The Nine Heavens Deity was not overly fond of the Eastern Sky House, hence the scornful remarks.

The Eastern Sky Divine Daoist was not mad either. He calmly answered, "I'm getting the Opportunity of Fortune from this palace one way or another."

He attacked right after he said that.

As he threw a punch forward, his vast Immortal's Core energy transformed into a mighty sun.

The Nine Heavens Deity remained firm against the incoming sun. She swung her sleeve and released a vast surge of Immortal's Core energy, overpowering the sun and blasting it into countless sparks.

"Your powers are almost depleted. You are but an energy manifestation, and as for your true self, it has died a long time ago," the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist said.

"It's more than enough to deal with the likes of you."

The Nine Heavens Deity pushed her hands forward and expanded her vast Immortal's Core energy further. Immortal Sparks shimmered and surrounded her, granting her the image of an undefeatable war goddess.

"We attack together," Eastern Sky Divine Daoist said.

Then, he raised his hand in the air, and golden light shone blindingly. It was the light of the sun bursting into every corner of the palace.

Kaboom!

When the Grand Solar energy and the Arcane Deity energy collided, the void was ripped into shreds.

The Great Arbiter Divine Maiden joined the battle by releasing the life-death Immortal Sparks from her hand. "Arbitrary Art, Life Sentence!"

From her right hand, a dazzling ray of light shot forward along with life-death energy.

"The Arbiter energy? Another Nine Houses' successor."

The Nine Heavens Deity raised her hands up. Immortal Sparks intertwined with Daoist patterns and shot a torrential beam of Immortal's Core energy at the dazzling ray of light.

The clash between the two lights was as overwhelming as two planets crashing into each other.

At that moment, Luo Yifeng attacked as well. "Luoshui Torrential Sword Art!"

As he threw his slash forward, sword qi carrying endless torrential energy blasted toward the Nine Heavens Deity.

The Nine Heavens Deity swung her other sleeve and shattered the incoming Immortal's Core energy and the sword qi.

"God-Trembling Bell!"

Suddenly, a series of bell chimes rang.

The chimes felt strange but mystical, and they managed to shake the Nine Heavens Deity.

"This power is... Soul power? Violet Eye, people from the Restricted Area?" The Nine Heavens Deity narrowed her eyes.

The so-called Restricted Areas were places in the Immortal World or even the entire universe that forbid general access.

The Restricted Areas had forces that possessed massively powerful resources, rivaling even the strongest orthodoxies.

Based on the Nine Heavens Deity's knowledge, there was a Soul Restricted Area somewhere in the Immortal World, where its residence remained mysterious until today. It was said that they specialized in researching soul power.

"I didn't expect the inheritance from the Restricted Area to be kept intact after the great calamity," the Nine Heavens Deity said.

"As expected of the most powerful deity, relating us to the Restricted Area. However, the Violet Eye clan isn't part of the Restricted Area. We're just affiliated," Zhi Yuhan said as he rang the bell.

The chime echoed across the palace as its eerie and mysterious soul energy continued impacting the Nine Heavens Deity's soul.

An Immortal Consciousness was part of the soul, or a manifestation of the soul, to be exact.

Coincidentally, the Violet Eye clan's forte was to attack one's soul.

'This isn't going well,' thought the Nine Heavens Deity.

With that, she channeled her Immortal's Core energy to defend herself against the bell's corrosion.

At the same time, a silver lance appeared in her hand, and it started to buzz. Its glaring lance ray shone and swept across the field.

Bang! Bang!

The fight continued and slowly escalated. The multiple clashes between Immortal Techniques and divine abilities shook the realm.

Several other sky-prides who went through the hill and finally made it to the Arcane Deity Palace bumped into a fight between Eastern Sky Divine Daoist's group and the Nine Heavens Deity.

"That lady is so beautiful!"

"Of course! She's the strongest deity under the West Matriarch Ruler, the Nine Heavens Deity."

"She's even more beautiful than rumored!"

The sky-prides were in awe of her beauty.

The Nine Heavens Deity frowned at the gathering crowd. "Why are there so many sky-prides here today?"

The Arcane Deity Sect was guarded by the souls of a million female cultivators, so it was not an easy task for outsiders to reach the deepest part of the palace. However, the number of uninvited guests proved her wrong.

Although the sky-prides were all injured, they should not be powerful enough to reach such depth.

"Wait. Could it be the Gates of Hell?"

A sudden epiphany rushed into her mind. She did sense the energy of the Gates of Hell earlier, and the Arcane Deity Sect's Soul-Trapping Grand Formation seemed destroyed.

The Gates of Hell and the destroyed Soul-Trapping Grand Formation resulted in the souls of the female cultivators guided to the afterlife. Hence, it weakened the defense of the Arcane Deity Sect by a mile and allowed the cultivators a chance to get close.

After connecting all the dots, the Nine Heavens Deity still had a question that bothered her.

"The Gates of Hell and the Soup-Trapping Grand Formation destroyed... Who could have done it? Could it be a Ghost Emperor or King Yama?"

The Nine Heavens Deity was more curious than before.

Boom!

The fist energy containing the Grand Solar energy gushed toward the Nine Heavens Deity.

"You're fighting us, but your mind is somewhere else. You're just a manifestation of your Immortal Consciousness. Don't be overconfident in yourself!" the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist shouted.

Luo Yifeng, the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden, and the few from the Violet Eye clan ganged up on her.

Immortal Sparks shimmered brightly as the fight reached its fiercest state.

"This might be a problem." The Nine Heavens Deity frowned.

That Immortal Consciousness manifestation of hers was far from her prime. On top of that, the Violet Eye clan had methods to inflict direct damage to the soul, which directly halved her combat capabilities.

Should the fight continue, she would face imminent defeat.

Her only hope was that Yu Zhi could finish absorbing the Jade Nectar before her defeat and get the acknowledgment from the West Matriarch Ruler's treasure.

"The Nine Heavens Deity is being retrained! There must be a lot of Opportunities of Fortune in the palace. Let's go in and have a look!"

Some of the sky-prides wanted to seize the opportunity to slip inside.

However, before they could set foot deeper, a rampant surge of Immortal's Core energy came blasting out.

Qing Feng came out with the coldest glare.

"Those who come near the palace shall die!"

With her sword in her hand, she stood firm against the sky-prides.

"A Fifth-grade True Immortal!"

Those who saw through Qing Feng's cultivation level were astonished.

It was worth noting that only a handful of sky-prides had reached the True Immortal Realm, let alone the Fifth Grade.

"So what if she's a Fifth-grade True Immort? We easily outnumber her! Don't be afraid!"

"Those who stand in my way shall die!"

All the sky-prides attacked Qing Feng at once.

Qing Feng might be a powerful Azure Phoenix, but being badly outnumbered soon placed her at a disadvantage.

Not only her, but even the Nine Heavens Deity was having a difficult time keeping up.

Meanwhile, Yu Zhi was doing her best in absorbing the Jade Nectar inside the palace and could not be distracted.

Qing Feng and the Nine Heavens Deity, on the other hand, were doing their best to stop outsiders from interrupting the process.

"Die!"

The Eastern Sky Divine Daoist threw a fist forward, blasting the Nine Heavens Deity away.

Similarly, Qing Feng was also blasted away by one of the sky-prides' sword qi. Blood spurted from her mouth, staining her robes red.

"Is this it?" Qing Feng's expression was thick with grief.

"Today would be the day the Nine Heavens Deity and the Azure Phoenix die!"

The Eastern Sky Divine Daoist stood with his hands behind his back, looking proud and composed.

“Oh really? I’d like to see how you’re going to do that in front of me.”

A cold voice echoed across the air.

An ancient sword with a white-jaded sword, emanating surges of glaring sword qi, swept across the sky like a meteor. It precisely plunged into the ground in front of Qing Feng and the Nine Heavens Deity, separating them from the attackers.

A vast surge of sword qi erupted from the sword and swept across the land, trembling mountains and rivers.

The sky-prides were horrified before they were torn to shreds by the sword qi.

Then, a transcendental figure in white arrived.

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The white-jaded sword flew in and plunged directly between Qing Feng and the sky-prides, followed by a rampant sword qi that swept the sky-prides away.

The sky-prides were either blasted away or torn to shreds upon impact.

As the warning echoed in the sky, the expressions on the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist, Great Arbiter Divine Maiden, and the others’ faces changed for the worse.

Even the Nine Heavens Deity was shocked.

Qing Feng, on the other hand, was delighted. “This sword... It’s him!”

A figure in white flew in like a comet. He dashed across the field in the blink of an eye and arrived in front of Qing Feng and beside the Dao Proclamation Descendant Self.

The man came in snowy-white robes that contrasted his silky dark hair. His facial features were jaw-droppingly handsome, as though he was a charming deity from heaven.

It was none other than Chu Kuangren.

Horrified by his arrival, many of the sky-prides staggered backward. Their expressions were filled with fear and deterrence as they looked at him.

“Chu Kuangren! He’s here!”

“Damn it! If he’s here, how are we going to get the Opportunities of Fortune? We’re no match for him!”

Many of the sky-prides knew their strength.

After all, Chu Kuangren’s ridiculous power was a well-known fact throughout the Interstellar Arena and Holy Violet Emperor Planet.

He was more of a monster than a human for those ridiculous things he did. He was a Peerless Prodigy with no match!

They alone were not even close to being his equal.

“Qing Feng, it’s been a while since we last met. You seem to have improved quite decently.”

Chu Kuangren glanced and realized Qing Feng was already a Fifth-grade True Immortal. Her cultivation level was high enough for her to be called a Prodigy.

It seemed like she had acquired massive Opportunities of Fortune for herself.

“Brother Chu, it’s a great relief seeing you here,” Qing Feng said with a relieving smile.

For some reason, after seeing Chu Kuangren, she had a feeling that the problems would automatically solve themselves.

The man’s presence alone could always provide others with a sense of safety.

“Hm? Is Yu Zhi inside the palace?” Chu Kuangren asked with a smile.

He sensed a familiar presence deeper inside.

Both Chu Kuangren and Yu Zhi cultivated the Jade Pool Immortal Scripture and possessed the four Fuxi’s guqins, so the two of them actually shared a weak but strange connection.

“Yes. It’s the Maiden Sage.”

“I didn’t expect you to be with her. The Azure Phoenix and West Matriarch Ruler duo, eh? Both benefiting each other, not bad,” Chu Kuangren said.

Then, he turned around to the sky-prides.

The Dao Proclamation Descendant Self buzzed and released an unmatched sword aura that filled the land.

He pointed his sword hand sign forward, and the sword qi left a deep mark on the ground, dividing the field into two.

“Leave, and you shall live; cross this line, and you shall die,” Chu Kuangren said with his hands behind his back.

It was just one sword mark on the ground, but crossing it would mean death!

The sky-prides exchanged a helpless look with each other. No one dared to act recklessly before Chu Kuangren.

The Nine Heavens Deity was astonished by the scene.

‘The sky-prides are all proud people, yet they’re scared like mice in front of this man. Who is he?’ the Nine Heavens Deity thought.

Not only the sky-prides, but even the top-notch Prodigies like the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and Great Arbiter Divine Maiden responded grimly to his arrival.

The whole battlefield plunged into a strange silence because of the arrival of one man.

“Chu Kuangren, the palace holds the treasure left behind by the West Matriarch Ruler. Are you not intrigued?” the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist asked.

He tried to tempt Chu Kuangren into fighting the Nine Heavens Deity so that they all could sit back and observe how things unfold instead of going up against the monster themselves.

That would be the most ideal outcome.

The others were also enlightened by his suggestion.

“Yeah, Chu Kuangren! The palace holds the most precious treasure from the West Matriarch Ruler! I believe you want it as well, right?”

“Team up with us and defeat the Nine Heavens Deity. We’ll let you get the bigger share! How about that?”

They tried to persuade him into joining them against the Nine Heavens Deity. However, they were too naive, for Chu Kuangren was unmoved.

“If I wanted the treasure, I would have gotten it myself. Why would I share it with you people?”

He alone could clear whatever obstacles in the palace, so why team up to lessen the spoils?

Regardless of his thoughts on the treasure, the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and the others had nothing to do with it.

“Luo Yifeng!”

A female voice’s blaring scream, followed by a lightning-fast sword ray shot at Luo Yifeng, appeared out of nowhere.

It was Luo Yan.

At that, Luo Yifeng’s expression changed before he was caught in a fierce fight with Luo Yan.

“Hmph! How dare someone from the Luo clan interrupt us?” the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist grunted.

Just when he was about to attack Luo Yan, a powerful aura locked onto him and forced him to stop. He quickly turned to Chu Kuangren.

“Did I allow you to attack?”

Chu Kuangren looked at the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist calmly. He did not move a muscle, but his aura had locked onto not only the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist but also the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden and the folks from the Violet Eye clan.

To think a man with a sword could intimidate a bunch of Prodigies to that extent!

“Attack!”

The Eastern Sky Divine Daoist shouted and hurled a palm strike at Chu Kuangren. The scorching Grand Solar energy manifested into a giant sun that crashed forward at its target.

“Grand Solar Force, Miniscule Trick!”

Chu Kuangren pointed his sword hand sign forward with a nine-leaf swordgrass appearing behind him. As the leaves danced along with the energy movement, it released a boundless sword qi, powerful enough to slash stars in half.

Kaboom!

The Grand Solar Force was split in half upon collision.

Then, the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist was blasted several hundred meters away with blood spurting from his mouth.

“Green Leaf Sword Vision!”

The Nine Heavens Deity was surprised by the usage of Green Leaf Sword Vision. “An Honorable Supreme Immortal Physique? No wonder the others are afraid of him.”

“Arbitrary Art, Life Sentence!”

The Great Arbiter Divine Maiden channeled her mystical life-death energy in between her hands, and when the Immortal Sparks reached its brightest, a ray of divine light shot out.

“Oh? Life-death energy? Interesting.”

With a raise of his hand, Chu Kuangren’s Chaos Celestial Demon Physique was activated. The intertwining life-death energy then formed the Yin Yang Life and Death Symbol, crushing out at the incoming attack.

It was a battle of life-death energy versus life-death energy.

The clash of the two same energies painted the realm in black and white Immortal Sparks.

“A top-notch Chaos Celestial Demon Physique?!”

The Nine Heavens Deity was in awe. “Does he have that physique too?!”

However, the surprises revolving around Chu Kuangren were far from over.

After Chu Kuangren blocked the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden’s divine light, he raised his hand again and channeled the Yin Yang energy.

This time, a different kind of black and white energy intertwined in the void, followed by the activation of Duality Rites Immortal Physique.

Black and white intertwining light shot forward, tearing the void apart.

It was the divine ability of Duality Rites Immortal Physique, Divine Yinyang Rejuvenation Light!

Terrified by the counterattack, the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden channeled her Immortal’s Core to the limit to form a black and white shield. However, when the Rejuvenation Light hit the shield, she was still blasted away with blood spurting out from her mouth.

“The man doesn’t really hold back against a lady.”

The Great Arbiter Divine Maiden licked the blood off the edge of her mouth as she tried to recover her composure. Had she not acted swiftly enough, she would either be dead or, at least, crippled.

“Duality Rites Immortal Physique?!”

The Nine Heavens Deity was stunned when Chu Kuangren revealed another Supreme Immortal Physique.

“Grand Solar Art, Seven Suns Divine Flame!”

The Eastern Sky Divine Daoist shouted, releasing seven pillars of divine lights into the sky that transformed into seven suns! The blazing suns scorched the realm as soon as they appeared.

Then, the violent and ferocious flame waves from the Grand Solar Art crashed toward Chu Kuangren endlessly.

“Divine Samsara Overworld!”

Chu Kuangren remained still as he released the power of samsara that conjured a world of reincarnation. All the flame waves entered the conjured world and were extinguished one wave after another.

“The Heavenly Samsara Physique too!?”

The Nine Heavens Deity failed to comprehend the depth of Chu Kuangren’s strength.

‘Where did this monster come from?!’

That was the only thought left in her mind.

Chapter 1425: God-Trembling Bell Shattered, A Sword Mark, Separating Life And Death

“Where did this monster come from?!?”

The Nine Heavens Deity was bedazzled by Chu Kuangren’s plethora of divine abilities and Immortal Physiques. Even a top-notch Arch Gilded Immortal from ancient times like her could not help but be overwhelmed by the sheer number of techniques and abilities he just used.

An Honorable Supreme Immortal Physique was considered rare even in ancient times, but Chu Kuangren owned multiple of them and showed high mastery of all the divine abilities. He was simply inhuman!

“No wonder the sky-prides are afraid of this man! What he can do is beyond any human!” the Nine Heavens Deity shook her head in disbelief and awe.

Meanwhile, Chu Kuangren used all kinds of Honorable Supreme Immortal Physiques’ divine abilities against the Divine Daoist and Maiden from the Eastern Sovereign Immortal Hall, overwhelming them and forcing them to the edge.

“This monster is scary!”

The Eastern Sky Divine Daoist wore the grimmest look on his face. He had a feeling that even if he mastered the Grand Solar Art to its peak and mastered the Supreme Yang Grand Solar energy, he might still not be a match for Chu Kuangren.

The Divine Samsara Overworld circulated Chu Kuangren as he stood in the air, protecting him from the Grand Solar Flame that tried to burn him.

“Your fire is weak. Why don’t you try mine?”

His hand raised with the reddish-gold Phoenix’s Flame appearing above his palm. The Phoenix’s Flame he possessed had absorbed a large amount of other divine flames from the Divine Fire List, and its power had grown to an unmatchable level. One strike from the flame could burn off worlds!

The Grand Solar Flame was swiftly extinguished as though it met its bane.

“Phoenix’s Flame, too?!”

The Nine Heavens Deity was not even surprised anymore.

Not only did he have a plethora of Honorable Supreme Immortal Physique, but he also had the Phoenix’s Flame that only Godly Phoenixes could master.

It was her first time seeing such a freakish genius.

Having been forced back by the Phoenix’s Flame, the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist channeled his Immortal’s Core energy to the limit and concentrated the Grand Solar Flame onto himself to counter the invasive Phoenix Flame.

“Zhi Yuhan! Do something!” he shouted.

Zhi Yuhan’s eyes gleamed when called. “Chu Kuangren, taste the power of the Violet Eye clan!”

Then, he rang the God-Trembling Bell violently, blasting countless strange and eerie soundwaves at Chu Kuangren.

Other sky-prides would not have endured the soul-attacking soundwaves without any damage. However, Chu Kuangren remained standing, composed and calm, as though they were just bell chimes.

“What?! How?!”

Zhi Yuhan’s eyes widened in fear, but he refused to believe that his attacks were useless. With that, he injected more Immortal’s Core energy into the bell and rang it even more violently.

Now, even the other sky-prides who were not the target were caught in the sound waves, and it almost tore their skulls apart.

“The chimes are attacking our souls!”

“Damn it! Ugh!”

“We’re not even the target, and it’s already so excruciating. Yet, why isn’t Chu Kuangren suffering from it at all?!”

The sky-prides, including Zhi Yuhan, were deeply baffled.

“Is his soul energy strong enough to ignore the God-Trembling Bell’s attack?! Has his soul energy reached the peak of True Consciousness? No, the bell should work even against peak True Consciousness.”

“Gilded Soul? No, no, no. It’s one realm different from True Consciousness, but the difference is day and night, like True Immortal and Gilded Immortal. There’s no way he’s reached the Gilded Soul at this stage!

“The only explanation is that he has something or some technique that allows him to withstand attacks to his soul!”

Regardless, it was a fact that the God-Trembling Bell was ineffective.

“It’s getting noisy,” Chu Kuangren said.

Then, he pointed his sword hand sign forward and shot a sword qi toward Zhi Yuhan.

Zhi Yuhan’s expression turned bitter. He might be a Seventh-grade True Immortal, but he was no expert in cultivation-based combats, especially against a powerful sword qi like that.

Once hit, he would probably suffer some severe injuries.

“God-Trembling Bell, go!”

Before the critical moment, Zhi Yuhan instantly decided to throw the bell out.

In front of Zhi Yuhan, the bell grew massively in the wind and collided with the incoming sword qi.

Bang!

A deafening explosion later, the sword qi faded, and the God-Trembling Bell also released one last chime that shook heaven and earth. It was as if that chime could reach the deepest part of hell and rock the entire netherworld.

That chime was far more powerful than any previous soul attacks.

Even Chu Kuangren furrowed his brows. “Violet Eye clan’s soul-attacking method is indeed a strange one.”

He could feel even that his Gilded Soul was shaken.

“Now!” Zhi Yuhan shouted.

Both the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden immediately channeled their Immortal’s Core to the limit and unleashed their strongest attacks.

“Grand Solar Art, Nine Suns Sky Scorch!”

As the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist shouted, the Grand Solar Flame around him gathered in the air to form nine suns that rained down endless beams at Chu Kuangren.

Each sun was as big as the real thing.

The combined might of the nine suns scorched not only the sky and land but also the universe!
Everything across a million kilometers were in flames.

“Arbitrary Art, Life-death Heavenly God Finger!”

Countless Daoist patterns and runes swirled around the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden’s fingers and soon transformed into a massive finger which she pointed at Chu Kuangren.

A finger shadow rose in the air and perforated the void.

Its boundless and domineering might left the realm trembling fiercely.

“You people are too weak.”

Chu Kuangren remained still on the spot while Life-death Immortal Sparks lit up in the sky. The black and white light then intertwined to form a ring that released endless life-death energy, attempting to flood the realm with its destructiveness.

It was the Universal Life-Death Cycle!

Kakroom!

Three different energies clashed and caused a massive and destructive explosion.

Even the space started to crumble and reveal black spatial cracks that spread rapidly across the sky as though doomsday had arrived.

The other sky-prides were deeply astounded by the scene.

“Such terrifying powers.”

“They’re all top-notch Prodigies, especially Chu Kuangren! He’s definitely one of the strongest and second to none among the younger generations.”

Some concentrated on the fight, while others placed their attention on the palace while the fight was going on.

“Now! We should use this chance to go inside and get whatever we can!”

“Yeah! Risk it or leave it! Let’s go!”

Those who had the thought executed it right away.

Several streams of lights attempted to fly into the palace. However, when they crossed the sword mark that Chu Kuangren left behind, the Descendant Self’s blade buzzed and released sharp sword qi into the air. Following that, multiple Proclamation Seals appeared.

Bang! Bang! Bang!

The sneaky figures exploded into clouds of blood mist in the air.

Not one of the sky-pride could block Descendant Self’s sword qi.

“How is that possible?! How could the sword possess such power?”

“No, it’s not the sword. It’s Chu Kuangren. He left his sword qi in the sword and used it to hunt trespassers!”

The sneaky ones got scared and decided to step back.

Suddenly, the sword mark on the ground became real instead of just an empty warning.

One sword mark to separate life and death, and those who crossed the line would die!

It took one sword to stop them from invading and strike fear into their hearts.

No one knew how many more sword qi Chu Kuangren had left in the sword.

Chapter 1426: Evil God’s Shadow, Ksitigarbha Avatar, Violet Eye’s Repercussion

“Even a sword he left behind holds such power? Astounding.”

The Nine Heavens Deity continued to be surprised after seeing what happened before the palace.

The Descendant Self had countless Proclamation Seals carved onto its blade, making it a unique weapon. It was her first time seeing such a sword, even if she was the Nine Heavens Deity.

“Senior, aren’t you going to lend a hand?” Qing Feng asked after noticing the Nine Heavens Deity’s blank expression.

“Those people in violet robes attack the soul, so I cannot fight them directly. Besides, do you think that man needs help?” The Nine Heavens Deity smiled.

The strength Chu Kuangren showed was astounding, or outrageous even.

Several Prodigies teamed up against him but still could not match his strength. In fact, they were not even close. It was the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and his group who needed help.

“I guess you’re right.” Qing Feng smiled.

She looked at Chu Kuangren with eyes overflowing with awe. “A few years apart, and he has grown to such a terrifying level.”

When she first knew Chu Kuangren, she had never seen him use the Duality Rites Immortal Physiques, Green Leaf Sword Vision, and more.

Now, he had mastered every divine ability and Immortal Physique and could use them deftly.

She once heard that Chu Kuangren practiced the Physique Dao, where he cultivated and merged all kinds of Physiques into one.

However, would it work?

Qing Feng failed to come up with an answer.

She was certain that the Physique Dao was a dead end for others, but Chu Kuangren might be strong enough to master it.

With that, the battle continued.

The life-death energy clashed with another life-death energy and the Grand Solar energy, causing a blinding explosion of Immortal Sparks.

The blast of the explosion was strong enough to shake the entire planet.

As the Immortal Sparks shadowed the sky, two figures were blasted out from the clouds of dazzling sparks. They were the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden.

“Damn it! Our strongest attacks still can’t lay a scratch on him!”

Blood trifled from the edge of the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist’s mouth.

Beside him was the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden, but she was in no better condition than him either. Her beautiful face looked pale and wretched after surviving multiple attacks from the monster.

She stared at Chu Kuangren hovering in the sky, basking in Immortal Sparks, like an Immortal King, and her eyes gleamed.

“My god, Chu Kuangren is powerful! I’m afraid out of the Nine Houses, only the Eastern Sovereign Divine Daoist could be his match.”

“This isn’t really a good time to be amazed by his strength,” the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist said with a bitter look.

“I’m just expressing my honest thoughts.” The Great Arbiter Divine Maiden chuckled.

Further away, Zhi Yuhan narrowed his eyes coldly and said, “Chu Kuangren, if not even the self-destruct of the God-Trembling Bell can hurt you... how about this?!”

His raised hand with Immortal Sparks swirling around his arm and channeled his Soul Dao.

Countless Daoist patterns intertwined in the void and form a massive and ancient shadow of an evil god above him.

The shadow had countless tentacles that resembled a monster octopus. Its pouty mouth released a strange and eerie low buzz with no rhythm whatsoever, seemingly not from any man or living things; the buzz even carried a frantic intent.

The sky-prides who saw the shadow of the evil god felt their souls shaken. Their consciousness started to fade, and they started to lose their sanity.

“Soul Technique, Evil God Shadow!”

Following Zhi Yuhan’s shout, the Evil God Shadow behind him moved its countless tentacles toward Chu Kuangren along with a strange rhythm.

The tentacles were formed purely out of soul energy, so they attacked not the physical body but one’s soul.

The Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and Great Arbiter Divine Maiden were shocked by the Evil God Shadow.

“As expected of the Violet Eye clan. This cultivation technique is indeed a strange one.”

“I know, right? The Evil God Shadow looks disgusting.”

The Great Arbiter Divine Maiden did not conceal her disgust for the monster.

Meanwhile, Chu Kuangren remained still as the tentacles tried to reach him. Immortal Sparks shimmered and swirled on his body as he watched the tentacles’ movements.

“Evil God Shadow is no match for my Buddhist Light!”

Then, he sat down with his legs crossed and wore a compassionate look on his face.

Buddhist Light erupted from his back and shed its brilliance across heaven and earth.

The image of an ancient Buddha slowly appeared from the blinding light. The Buddha looked dignified and compassionate, but it had countless dead souls kneeling around it, listening to its Brahmic chimes.

“This one’s from the Buddhist world! The Ksitigarbha!”

The Nine Heavens Deity recognized the ancient Buddha and was more surprised than before. “He practices cultivation techniques from the Buddhist world too?!”

The moment Ksitigarbha Avatar appeared, its divine Brahmic chimes clashed with the strange rhythms from its opponent.

For a moment, the realm was flooded with both the Brahmic chimes and the strange rhythms. Terrifying energy fluctuations that would tremble one’s soul swept across fields, rendering everyone helpless.

Some cultivators even died as soon as they heard the chimes and rhythms.

“Back off!”

“Hurry up and back off from the proximity!”

“So, is this the soul attack? It really is strange, and it’s not something we can withstand!”

The sky-prides quickly retreated after realizing the danger.

The Nine Heavens Deity immediately channeled a large amount of Immortal’s Core energy and scattered them around the palace to form a barrier. It was to ensure that Yu Zhi remained uninterrupted.

Higher up in the sky, the Ksitigarbha Avatar put its hands together to release dazzling and substantial Buddhist Light into the realm.

Under the Buddhist Light, the Evil God Shadow’s tentacles melted like snow during spring.

“Hmph. I can’t believe he’s also familiar with soul techniques,” Zhi Yuhan said coldly.

He had that thought when Chu Kuangren first resisted the sound waves from the God-Trembling Bell.

However, he just did not expect Chu Kuangren’s soul technique to be so powerful as to rival his Evil God Shadow.

Kaboom!

The Ksitigarbha Avatar pushed its palm forward, releasing a boundless Buddhist Light.

At the same time, the Evil God Shadow reached out with its countless tentacles and caught the Ksitigarbha Avatar's body, fighting fiercely to stop it from releasing more Buddhist Light.

"Evil God Shadow!"

"Evil God Shadow!"

The other cultivators from the Violet Eye clan finally joined the battle.

Strange and eerie Evil Gods that resembled Zhi Yuhan's Evil God Shadow appeared in the sky, one after another.

Then, all of them started to attack the Ksitigarbha Avatar!

The clash between soul techniques would result in smaller damage to the environment but higher damage to one's soul.

Just by looking at it, one would be easily numbed and horrified.

"Chu Kuangren, how about this?"

A violet stream of light appeared in Zhi Yuhan's eyes and quickly painted both his eyes violet while releasing strange energy fluctuations.

"It's the Violet Eye clan's Violet Eye Technique!"

The Violet Eye would be the strongest soul-attacking method from the Violet Eye clan.

However, when Zhi Yuhan attacked Chu Kuangren with the stare from his Violet Eyes, he saw nothing but dazzling and golden Immortal Sparks.

It was the Gilded Trait with the most intense and vibrant Gilded Soul Trait he had ever seen.

Zhi Yuhan's own eyes were blinded by the dazzling gold from inside Chu Kuangren's soul. As he wailed in pain, he covered his eyes immediately, but it did not stop the blood from gushing out of his eye sockets.

"Gilded Soul! Your soul has reached the Gilded Soul realm!" Zhi Yuhan shouted in disbelief.

He was wrong. The God-Trembling Bell was ineffective against Chu Kuangren not because he had some item or method to block the sound waves. Instead, it was because his soul had reached the Gilded Soul realm.

Only a Gilded Immortal could achieve the Gilded Soul realm.

Therefore, when Zhi Yuhan activated his Violet Eye and peeked into Chu Kuangren's soul, the difference between the soul realm backfired on him.

Chapter 1427: Violet Eyes Kill Violet Eyes, Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist Has Come, I Can Grant You A Chance To Leave Your Last Word

“Gilded Soul realm!”

Many sky-prides gasped upon hearing what Zi Yuhan said.

One thing worth noting was that only Gilded Immortals had the possibility of possessing the Gilded Soul Realm!

Generally, Gilded Immortals who had just broken through to the Gilded Immortal Realm would not even have a soul realm like that. Yet, Chu Kuangren, a True Immortal, already possessed the Gilded Soul realm, which was simply incredible.

“No wonder he could ignore the Violet Eye clan’s soul attack. It turns out his soul realm has reached the Gilded Soul realm.”

“How can a True Immortal like him do that? It’s incredible.”

“He’s truly a monster.”

Zi Yuhan’s eyes were full of blood, and his Violet Eyes were almost destroyed.

Although the Violet Eyes were powerful, they had their weaknesses. Once their user cast them on someone whose soul realm was far more powerful than his, he would suffer the repercussions.

Chu Kuangren’s soul was in the Gilded Soul realm, while Zi Yuhan was only at the peak of the True Consciousness realm. It was lucky that his Violet Eyes did not shatter there and then.

“Retreat! Quick! His soul realm is far more powerful than ours. We can’t handle it,” Zi Yuhan said while intending to retreat.

He initially thought he would be able to deal with Chu Kuangren with the Violet Eye clan’s soul technique, but now, it seemed that he had underestimated Chu Kuangren.

With Chu Kuangren’s Gilded Soul realm and his perverted strength, Zi Yuhan was nowhere near his match!

“Don’t you guys think it’s a bit late for you to leave now?” asked Chu Kuangren.

Following that, violet light suddenly shone from his eyes and painted his eyes violet! It was the Violet Eyes!

At that moment, all the Violet Eye clan members were stunned.

How could Chu Kuangren possess the Violet Eyes? The Violet Eyes was the Violet Eye clan’s mystery. Could it be that Chu Kuangren had something to do with the Soul Restricted Area?

Thoughts were running through Zi Yuhan’s mind.

Just then, a cold chill swept over him, only for him to see in Chu Kuangren’s eyes that his Violet Eyes were activated!

A terrifying soul attack erupted!

The impact caused Zi Yuhan's soul, which had suffered the previous repercussions, to almost collapse. The pain made him scream and wail non-stop.

Chu Kuangren's Violet Eyes was much more terrifying than his!

"N-No!"

"This is bad. Leave! Quick!"

The Violet Eye clan members wanted to flee, but it was too late.

With Chu Kuangren's Violet Eyes activated, the terrifying soul impact landed on every Violet Eye clan member wherever he looked.

How horrifying was the Violet Eyes cast by someone with a Gilded Soul realm?

As the Violet Eye clan members' souls collapsed one after another, their physical bodies fell from the sky like puppets. Although they had no injuries on the outside, their souls were crushed!

They did not even have a chance to turn into dead souls.

The same thing happened to Zi Yuhan. Even though he was a Prodigy sky-pride of the Soul Dao, he could not escape the fate of dying in the face of Chu Kuangren.

That scene made everyone's scalp tingle.

They could not believe that the Violet Eye clan members died under their proudest technique, the Violet Eyes!

"How does Chu Kuangren know the Violet Eyes?"

"What exactly is going on?"

Chu Kuangren's soul was in the Gilded Soul realm, and with the Violet Eyes technique, cultivators whose soul realm was not as good as his would not be able to escape death when they encountered him!

His strength had already made the younger generation of sky-prides feel despair. Yet now, on top of his Gilded Soul realm and the Violet Eyes technique, they found him even more incomprehensible!

"Monster!"

"He's truly a monster!"

"Isn't he satisfied with all the physiques he has? Now that he has such high attainments in the Soul Dao, what does he think we should do?"

All sky-prides felt pressured.

This was an era of magnificent and brilliantly talented people who were supposed to shine and create their legends.

Unfortunately, Chu Kuangren just had to exist in this era!

His glorious demeanor surpassed everyone else and almost made the sky-prides of his generation feel ashamed!

They felt that if Chu Kuangren were kept alive, all sky-prides of this era would be destined to live under his shadow.

"It seems like a remarkable character has emerged in this era." The Nine Heavens Deity mumbled, "However, that's good too. With such an existence, coupled with the great ones' support, I'm certain we'll be able to withstand that catastrophe."

"It's your turn next," Chu Kuangren said indifferently while looking at Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and Great Arbiter Divine Maiden.

He and the Immortal Hall had been against each other for a long time. Therefore, he would not let those two people go easily. Soon, violet rays swirled in his eyes, and the power of the Violet Eyes could be cast at any time!

Under his gaze, the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and Great Arbiter Divine Maiden felt a chill all the way from the soles of their feet to their brains, as if the top of their skulls were about to be split open.

It was way too horrifying!

The Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and Great Arbiter Divine Maiden had a feeling that they were targeted by the God of Death.

Boom!

A powerful and domineering aura suddenly emerged in the sky!

Countless black air currents were swirling in the air, turning into a huge black whirlpool.

From within the whirlpool, a terrifying aura permeated, and it contained an incomparably frightening suction force that sucked everything between heaven and earth into it.

It was the Black Hole!

Chu Kuangren narrowed his eyes. "Oh, I didn't think you'd dare to appear."

The Black Hole was rapidly approaching the crowd. Wherever it went, everything was sucked, shattered, and annihilated by a distorted energy field!

The scene frightened all sky-prides, but the force also sucked them into the Black Hole.

Everyone channeled their energies to resist the force, but many were still devoured by the Black Hole and disintegrated into nothing.

"How dare someone who had lost to me make such a big entrance? Who do you think you are?" Chu Kuangren snorted.

The next moment, he pointed out his sword hand sign, and a surge of sword qi shot out from his fingertips.

The magnificent and sharp sword qi then turned into a heaven-shattering sword shadow!

Boom!

In an instant, the space tore apart!

The sword attack divided the entire Black Hole into two, and the suction force dissipated.

From the Black Hole, a haughty figure walked out with his domineering Celestial Demon qi sweeping across the land, destroying everything in the surroundings!

That momentum was so frightening that the sky-prides could not help but shudder upon witnessing the scene.

"It's him, the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist!"

"He has come!"

"He is here to look for Chu Kuangren."

Everyone looked at Chu Kuangren and found him looking at the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist in contempt. "Loser, I can't believe you'd have the guts to appear before me."

"Chu Kuangren, I must rid myself of the humiliation you gave me today!" The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist looked at Chu Kuangren and said indifferently.

At the same time, his Celestial Demon qi became even more violent, and the space collapsed even with just a sliver of escaped Celestial Demon qi.

"I didn't expect there'd be two top-notched Celestial Demon Physiques in this era." The Nine Heavens Deity lamented.

Chu Kuangren stood with hands behind his back and Immortal Sparks gleaming around him. "I can grant you a chance to say your last word. If you have anything to say, say it quickly."

Chapter 1428: The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist's New Technique, Still Crushing, A More Powerful Celestial Demon Physique

The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist made a grand arrival. At that moment, his broken arm had regrown, and his Immortal body was whole again. On top of that, his cultivation level was much more terrifying than when he first obtained the Celestial Demon Physique!

Furthermore, he seemed to have obtained other Opportunities of Fortune as his cultivation level had increased from a Seventh-grade to Ninth-grade True Immortal. He now had the same cultivation level as Chu Kuangren!

His Celestial Demon qi roared in all directions, shocking everyone at the scene!

"It was the Immortal Herb. Not only has it restored his Immortal body, but it has also improved his cultivation."

Luo Yan narrowed her gaze in surprise.

Opposite her, Luo Yifeng was also shocked by the Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist's current power, and a sense of submission arose within him.

He realized it might be a good choice to submit to the Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist as the latter was destined to achieve peak Immortal Dao one day.

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If the Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist prospered, his followers might prosper too. Then, perhaps his cultivation might ascend to a higher realm too.

"Luo Yan, do you know what you're missing out on? If you submit to the Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist like me, your future will be brighter than mine!" Luo Yifeng said while looking at Luo Yan.

He was persuading Luo Yan to submit to the Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist with him.

"You're simply hopeless!"

Disappointment filled Luo Yan's eyes. The Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist and Luo Yifeng had killed her clan members, and she would rather surrender to anyone but the Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist.

"Don't you forget that the Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist is now facing off against Chu Kuangren," Luo Yan said indifferently.

Upon hearing that, Luo Yifeng was stunned.

If Chu Kuangren were to kill the Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist here, his future would not be much better off.

"No way. The Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist is so powerful now that even Chu Kuangren can't kill him."

Luo Yifeng could only comfort himself now.

Chu Kuangren stood in the air, with Immortal Sparks gleaming around him like he was a mighty Immortal King, as he looked at the Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist with contempt in his eyes.

"Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist, you'd better be careful. Chu Kuangren has a soul attack technique!" the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist reminded him loudly.

"Soul attack technique?!"

The Mountain Ghou Divine Daoist's expression sank as he did not expect Chu Kuangren to possess such a technique.

However, he sneered. "The soul attack technique may affect others but not me!"

He then took out a large black seal, which was filled with mystical brilliance. It was the Mountain Ghou House's treasure, the Mountain Ghou Divine Seal!

"This seal works to protect a soul, so what if you possess a soul attack technique, Chu Kuangren?"

"I don't need many techniques to deal with you," Chu Kuangren said calmly.

"Hmph. Take this!"

The Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist snorted and instantly made an attack. As he unleashed a palm attack, it formed a small black whirlpool, which was the Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique energy!

Meanwhile, Chu Kuangren raised his hands, and his Chaos Celestial Demon Physique energy erupted!

The life-death energy collided with the black hole energy!

The moment the Celestial Demon qi struck, an explosion instantly erupted in space.

“Black Hole, Massive Distortion!”

The Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist immediately activated the Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique’s divine ability, and a terrifying distorted energy field shrouded Chu Kuangren.

However, the life-death energy circled Chu Kuangren, stopping the black hole energy field from harming him!

“Black Hole, Supreme Disintegration!”

With another move made, a black hole filled with the power to annihilate everything formed in the air.

The Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist’s manipulation of the Celestial Demon Physique was indeed much more powerful than before. His attacks could even affect Gilded Immortals to some extent.

“You’ve made huge progress, but you’ve made a mistake, and that is I’m the Celestial Demon King!”

Chu Kuangren’s body shook, and his Celestial Demon qi soared through the skies, tearing the distorted black hole energy field to pieces!

“So what if you’re the Celestial Demon King? That’s my seat!” the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist said out loud.

He had not given up the thought of competing for the Celestial Demon King’s seat.

“Chu Kuangren, taste the power I’ve prepared for you!”

The Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist formed a mysterious Daoist Art with his hand. Above his head, Mountain Ghoulish Divine Seal released a gloomy radiance, and a vast Immortal’s Core energy gushed out!

It was the Mountain Ghoulish Immortal’s Core!

As the Immortal’s Core merged with the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist’s Celestial Demon energy, it added a hint of treachery to the originally domineering black hole energy.

The black hole soon shrouded Chu Kuangren within. Inside, countless ferocious ghouls formed by the Mountain Ghoulish Immortal’s Core soared and gnawed at Chu Kuangren.

“Universal Life-Death Cycle!”

Chu Kuangren conjured the Life-Death Cycle to destroy the black hole!

Countless Ashuran Ghouls shattered before the vast life-death energy!

“It’s not over yet. Black Hole Mountain Ghoulish Art, Black Mountain Suppression!”

An Ancient Godly Mountain containing the Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique energy manifested from the Mountain Ghoul Immortal's Core energy.

"What a useless move!"

As the Life-Death Cycle turned again, more terrifying Immortal Sparks shone and shattered the Godly Mountain.

Chu Kuangren's every movement revealed an unparalleled divine might!

"Damn it!"

The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist was displeased.

His physical body had been restored, and he had broken through to the Ninth-grade True Immortal Realm. He even tried every means to integrate his Mountain Ghoul Immortal's Core and the Celestial Demon energy.

Yet, he still could not hurt Chu Kuangren!

That made him extremely dissatisfied!

"Your Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique is too weak."

"Have a taste of the real Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique!"

At that moment, Chu Kuangren spoke up.

The Celestial Demon qi flowed out from his body, and a surge of energy familiar to the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist suddenly erupted!

It was the black hole energy!

As the black hole energy swept out, the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist's expression sank. "How is this possible?"

He, too, channeled the black hole energy to resist the attack.

Unfortunately, when the two energies collided, the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist's black hole energy was devoured!

"Black Hole, Massive Distortion!"

As Chu Kuangren cast the familiar divine ability, the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist felt an overwhelming pressure coming from all directions that almost crushed him into dust.

That black hole energy was even more horrifying than his Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique!

He could hardly believe that Chu Kuangren could cast his Celestial Demon Physique with much more powerful than him!

How could that be?

Besides, how did he possess the Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique?!

Not far away, the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist's expression changed. "It is rumored that Chu Kuangren practices the Physique Dao, and he can transform any physique into his power. It seems like that's true!"

However, he did not expect Chu Kuangren to not only turn the Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique into his own, but his power was also mightier than that of the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist!

"How can such a Dao exist in this world?!"

'That's cheating!'

The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist roared in his heart.

He had gone through all that effort to awaken his Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique, but Chu Kuangren managed to master it after fighting him once. Moreover, Chu Kuangren's Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique was much more powerful!

That gave him a strong sense of disparity. It was as if the power he had dreamed of was within Chu Kuangren's reach instead.

"Grand Solar Act, Nine Suns Incineration!"

"Arbitrary Art, Life-death Heavenly God Finger!"

At that moment, the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and Arbiter Divine Maiden unleashed their attacks to tear apart Chu Kuangren's black hole energy field and save the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist.

"Retreat!"

Then, without saying another word, the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and Arbiter Divine Maiden wanted to leave. Even the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist dared not stay any longer after breaking free.

Chapter 1429: Damage-reversing, The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist's Determination, Luo Yifeng's Self-Destruction

"Retreat!"

The Eastern Sky Divine Daoist, Great Arbiter Divine Maiden, and Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist wanted to leave.

However, Chu Kuangren narrowed his gaze. The Celestial Demon energy then erupted into a massive black hole that completely shrouded that particular space.

"Great Black Hole Disintegration!"

Terrifying disintegration energy, which felt as if it wanted to destroy everything in the world, permeated from the black hole.

As such, the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and others could only channel their energies to resist the attack, failing to escape.

"Damn it!"

The Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist activated his Celestial Demon Physique and formed a small black hole, covering himself, the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist, and the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden inside to resist the black hole energy.

At the same time, the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist hovered in mid-air to guard against Chu Kuangren's Violet Eye energy.

"Let's attack together!"

The trio looked at each other with determination and decided to attack simultaneously!

The Grand Solar energy, life-death energy, and black hole energy formed a triangular force that spiraled into a colorful light beam that shot out toward Chu Kuangren.

The power of that attack was too frightening. Everywhere the light beam struck, the space collapsed, and large tracts of voids were exposed.

Countless sky-prides looked at the light beam, which seemed to be opening up worlds, with horror.

They could feel that the energy was enough to kill thousands of them.

"It's a useless struggle."

Standing in the air, Chu Kuangren raised his hand. As Countless Immortal Sparks shot up into the sky, and Celestial Demon energy circulated in the air, a black hole emerged on his palm!

Boom!

The light beam slammed into the black hole on his palm, and the entire planet shook violently. Then, the surrounding space around Chu Kuangren shattered, forming a huge hole in space.

However, Chu Kuangren stood in the void, unmoved, neither dodging nor retreating!

The black hole on his palm slowly wore down the light beam until nothing was left.

"Hmph. So much for the Immortal Hall's Divine Bachelor and Divine Maiden," Chu Kuangren said indifferently.

All sky-prides around gulped and found Chu Kuangren's combat strength simply inhuman!

"I guess that's a Gilded Immortal, huh?"

"His combat strength is too terrifying. Are all Peerless Prodigies like this?"

"I doubt if he's from the same era as us."

Inside the black hole energy field, the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist looked at Chu Kuangren with a grim expression. "None of us can leave if this continues!"

"What is your plan?!" the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden asked grimly.

"The Damage-reversing Technique!"

The Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist looked at the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden and said coldly, "Apply the Damage-reversing Technique on me!"

Upon hearing that, the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden was shocked. "Are you crazy?!"

"This is the only chance for us to escape. I'm the most powerful among us, and with your Damage-reversing Technique, we may be able to fight against Chu Kuangren!"

There was a hint of determination in the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist's eyes.

"But if we do so, you may die!"

"If we don't do so, we will all die in the next second!"

"Alright. Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist, you're a true man!"

The Great Arbiter Divine Maiden no longer hesitated. Soon, life-death Immortal's Core circulated her body and formed a black-white ball of light in the void that penetrated the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist's body.

In an instant, the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist's aura rose!

At the same time, a huge black hole expanded and suppressed Chu Kuangren with its black hole energy.

"Oh, interesting."

"Master, the target's life potential is rapidly depleting..." Lil Ai's voice resounded in Chu Kuangren's mind to notify him of the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist's current condition.

Chu Kuangren nodded. "Is it a secret technique similar to the Life Essence Ignition?"

"This technique is more efficient and quicker than the ordinary Life Essence Ignition Technique," Lil Ai continued.

There were differences in the Life Essence Ignition Technique. Some low-level Life Essence Ignition Techniques would waste too much life essence and even fail to improve one's strength.

However, the life essence that Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist ignited could be converted into strength and was extremely efficient.

"That woman cast it."

Chu Kuangren looked at the Great Arbiter Divine Maiden and knew that it had to do with her.

He was a little intrigued with such an efficient Life Essence Ignition Technique.

If he could master it, it might be his trump card. After all, he possessed the Indestructible Physique and did not need to worry that his life essence would burn out.

"Chu Kuangren, I must kill you here today!"

As the Mountain Ghoulish Divine Daoist yelled, his vast Immortal's Core, which had a layer of faint golden Immortal Sparks, spread out!

It was a Gilded Trait Immortal's Core!

At that moment, the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist had stepped into the Gilded Immortal threshold through the Damage-reversing Technique!

Taking into account his Celestial Demon Physique, even an ordinary Gilded Immortal might not be his opponent.

Chu Kuangren smiled. "Very good. You're finally risking your life."

Boom!

The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist unleashed a palm attack, and Gold Immortal Sparks shot up into the sky while the black hole energy erupted!

Chu Kuangren's black hole was suppressed for a while.

Not far away, the Nine Heavens Deity furrowed her brows. "This is a little tricky. I didn't expect the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist hate this Prodigy named Chu Kuangren so much. To think he didn't hesitate to ignite his life essence just to improve his strength and to kill Chu Kuangren here."

After that battle, even if the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist survived, his potential would be compromised. If he had no other Opportunities of Fortune, there was no chance for him to be an Arch Gilded Immortal.

That life would undoubtedly be worse than death for a sky-pride who had great hope to become an Embodier.

However, the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist was fixated on fighting with Chu Kuangren.

That showed how much of a grudge there was between them!

"Retreat!"

Seeing that the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist was intent on killing Chu Kuangren in that fight, the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and Great Arbiter Divine Maiden immediately turned around to leave.

"Spacetime Sealing Technique!"

Chu Kuangren took a step forward, prompting countless silver-white Daoist patterns to spread out and lock down on heaven and earth!

The power of that attack was even greater than the black hole's binding energy.

With that, the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and Great Arbiter Divine Maiden were trapped again and could not escape.

"Damn it. We've done so much, yet we still can't escape!"

The Eastern Sky Divine Daoist's expression was unpleasant.

He had never thought it would be difficult for a top-notch Prodigy like him to escape from Chu Kuangren.

“Luo Yifeng!” the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist roared.

Luo Yifeng, who had been watching the battle not far away, suddenly dashed toward the Spacetime Sealing Technique’s coverage with no control of his body.

“How is this possible?!”

Luo Yifeng was extremely frightened. He swore that he would never want to intervene in this battle.

The combat strength Chu Kuangren displayed was just too frightening!

Unfortunately, he could not control himself!

It was the restriction that the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist left in his body!

As Luo Yifeng dashed uncontrollably into the Spacetime Sealing Technique’s coverage, his Immortal body began to expand. Then, with a loud bang, a surge of terrifying Immortal’s Core energy spread out and hit the seal!

Luo Yifeng had blown himself up!

Even a Gilded Immortal dared not neglect the might of a Seventh-Grade True Immortal’s cultivator.

The energy caused the seal to shake and allowed the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist and Great Arbiter Divine Maiden to attack the seal’s coverage.

“I didn’t think Luo Yifeng would be so loyal that he would blow himself up for the Eastern Sky Divine Daoist.”

“You’ve mistaken. Didn’t you see Luo Yifeng’s expression just now? It was clear he was under their control and was reluctant to do so. He was just a tool.”

Some sky-prides engaged in a discussion.

After seeing Luo Yifeng’s self-destruction, Luo Yan was silent for a while before she snorted. “Serves him right!”

Chapter 1430: The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist Has Fallen, About to Obtain Another Supreme Immortal Physique

The fierce battle between the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist and Chu Kuangren was still ongoing.

The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist had broken through to the threshold of the Gilded Immortal Realm by utilizing the Damage-reversing Technique, and his combat strength was horrifying. His Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique’s might was completely different from before.

However, Chu Kuangren also resisted using the Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique, and the two black hole energies collided!

Chu Kuangren, unfortunately, fell into a disadvantageous position.

“Chu Kuangren, I must defeat you, the Celestial Demon King, with my Celestial Demon Physique today. Let’s see if you can still call yourself the Celestial Demon King!” the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist said loudly.

Following the burning of his life essence, his gaze became more frantic.

By then, his survival was no longer his top priority. He wanted to kill Chu Kuangren to prove that that was all there was to the Celestial Demon King.

“How pathetic of you.”

Chu Kuangren said while shaking his head, “You’ve sacrificed everything, yet you still can’t hurt me. You’re pathetic!”

At that, the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist’s face darkened.

Although he had become more powerful and had even broken through to the Gilded Immortal Realm, Chu Kuangren remained unscathed!

How was that possible?

He had risked his life, yet why could he not hurt Chu Kuangren?

“Since you’re about to die, I shall let you taste the Celestial Demon King’s power!”

Chu Kuangren’s gaze turned cold, and in the next instant, a crown emerged above his head. Then, the overwhelming Celestial Demon aura spread out and shook the universe!

It was the Celestial Demon Crown!

At that moment, Chu Kuangren was like an ancient Celestial Demon who had walked out from the chaos. His domineering aura nearly suffocated all sky-prides at the scene.

It was frightening and shocking how that particular space was trembling insanely because of Chu Kuangren.

Even the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist was trembling, and a sense of surrender emerged in his heart.

The Celestial Demon King was the king of all Celestial Demon Physiques!

The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist was no exception to it as well.

“I-Impossible!”

“I’m now in the Gilded Immortal Realm, and my cultivation is more powerful than yours. I refuse to believe I can’t kill you!”

The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist yelled furiously, “Black Hole, Supreme Disintegration!”

Soon after, the most powerful Celestial Demon Physique’s divine ability erupted with a loud bang!

The Celestial Demon Crown on Chu Kuangren’s head sparkled, lighting up the universe with its Immortal Sparks.

Then, he said indifferently, "It's not like I've never killed a Gilded Immortal before!"

As he raised his hands, a frightening black whirlpool formed out of thin air. It was the Black Hole Celestial Demon Physique's divine ability, the Great Black Hole Disintegration!

As the two black holes collided, the earth's plates shifted, and everything in the surroundings started to change. The mountains and rivers shook in all directions!

Trees, rocks, beasts...

Countless beings twisted and shattered under the terrifying energy field of the black holes' collision!

The space within a thousand-kilometer radius almost turned into nothing!

Only the enchanted boundary that the Nine Heavens Deity cast was still holding up.

The rest of the sky-prides had also started casting various techniques to resist the energy. Fortunately, they survived after seeing the situation earlier and retreating for some distance.

If they were close to the impact, they would surely die even if they were sky-prides.

"The black hole energy is undoubtedly one of the most horrifying energies in the universe. It's too frightening."

"Indeed. They both are monsters!"

"Chu Kuangren is the greatest monster between the two. The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist has risked his life, yet he still can't hurt Chu Kuangren. Does Chu Kuangren's strength have a limit?!"

The crowd was discussing fearfully while looking at the black holes further away.

Boom!

At that moment, a figure was sent flying backward into the void while spitting out a mouthful of blood. His Immortal body was shattered, and his aura was weak.

"It's the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist!"

"He's defeated!"

Someone could not help but exclaim.

Although the crowd was astonished, they did not find it unbelievable.

They wondered if anyone in the young generation could be Chu Kuangren's opponent.

"N-No!"

"W-Why are you so powerful? Why am I still not your opponent even though I've broken through to the Gilded Immortal Realm?!" the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist roared frantically while looking at Chu Kuangren.

However, with the Celestial Demon Crown on his head, Chu Kuangren's expression was indifferent. "I've killed a real Gilded Immortal before, so what's a Gilded Immortal who has been forced to strengthen through a secret technique to me?"

"I-Impossible!" the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist kept mumbling.

He was having a mental breakdown!

Having come from the Immortal Hall, his cultivation journey had been smooth, and he had never encountered any obstacle until he met Chu Kuangren.

Since then, not only had he been humiliated continuously, but he also failed to hurt Chu Kuangren even when he was about to die!

However, Chu Kuangren did not show sympathy to the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist. He raised his hands, and a surge of horrifying black hole energy erupted, shrouding the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist!

Bang!

With his life essence almost burned out, the Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist's cultivation level was no longer in the Gilded Immortal Realm.

In the fact of such energy, he could not resist anymore, and the black hole energy crushed him into a cloud of blood mist!

The Mountain Ghoul Divine Daoist had fallen!

Then, everyone saw a pounding heart in the air. It was the Celestial Demon Heart that Chu Kuangren intentionally retained as he wanted it for other purposes.

Other than that, there was also a large pitch-black seal.

It was the Mountain Ghoul Divine Seal, which was the Mountain Ghoul House's treasure and an Embodier Immortal Weapon.

Chu Kuangren kept the Celestial Demon Heart and wanted to grab the Mountain Ghoul Divine Seal.

However, a huge hand emerged from deep within the void to grab the Mountain Ghoul Divine Seal and took it away.

It happened so fast that Chu Kuangren could not react in time.

Moreover, he felt that he probably could not stop the act even if he reacted,

"The East Sovereign Immortal Hall's great one has acted to take away the divine seal."

Chu Kuangren immediately guessed it out in his heart.

"Judging from the aura, the person that acted should be a top-notch Arch Gilded Immortal elite."

Lil Ai's voice resounded in his mind.

Chu Kuangren nodded.

An Embodier Immortal Weapon was precious to the historical Immortal Hall.

After all, an Embodier great one was extremely rare to find in the current era.

The Embodier Immortal Weapon contained the Dao principles of the Embodier Realm, and to a certain extent, it was equivalent to having an Embodier great one. Therefore, they would not sit by and watch such a thing fall into Chu Kuangren's hands.

However, Chu Kuangren did not care about that as well.

It was merely an Embodier Immortal Weapon, which he already had some of them. He even had the Innate Source Supreme Treasure, and it was more precious than the Embodier Immortal Weapon.

Once his Pocket Universe was fully developed, the Innate Source Supreme Treasure in it could also breed a bunch of those treasures.

With that, Chu Kuangren ignored the matter.

At that moment, in the palace not far away, golden Immortal Sparks rose into the sky. Daoist chimes rang, and a golden lotus blossomed.

A slender figure stepped out of the Immortal Sparks with a surging Immortal's Core that shocked the universe!

It was Yu Zhi!

She had porcelain skin, and the blood vessels under her skin were like golden veins and chalcedony; they were extremely mysterious.

Chu Kuangren narrowed his eyes. "This aura... It's Golden Jade Pool Physique!"

He had once cultivated the Jade Pool Immortal Scripture and knew about the Supreme Immortal Physique recorded in the Immortal's Scripture. However, the Immortal Scripture that he had cultivated was an incomplete version, and there was no cultivation method for the Immortal Physique.

However, things were different for Yu Zhi. She possessed the West Ruler Matriarch's inheritance, so it was not surprising that she had the Immortal Physique's cultivation method.

On top of that, she had successfully cultivated the Immortal Physique.

"Interesting. It looks like I'm about to obtain another Supreme Immortal Physique."