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Given the close relations between the Bai and Li families, no one thought there was anything amiss.

"No need to look further, that Li Xiu certainly won't come to the Divining Celestial Secret ceremony by himself, how would he dare show up alone." Bai Ying said with a chuckle.

She was in a particularly good mood today. A couple of days ago, she had been directly confronted by Li Xiu and even got thrown out. She didn't know what he had said to Li Qingyi.

After Li Qingyi returned, she asked what was discussed, but Li Qingyi brushed her off and didn't reveal anything, only saying it was about magic spirits, which made Bai Ying even more furious.

The Bai Family intentionally had Bai Ying, who was around the same age as Li Qingyi, get close to Li Qingyi, hoping Bai Ying could leverage the emotional foundation built since childhood to become the person Li Qingyi is closest to and trusts the most.

Bai Ying had always worked towards this, becoming Li Qingyi's childhood friend and close companion.

Over the years, Bai Ying also used her influence on Li Qingyi to do a lot for the Bai Family.

Earlier, she purposefully provoked Li Xiu, seeming reckless and ignorant, but it was actually driven by interest, just to keep Li Qingyi from getting too close to Li Xiu, which wasn't in the Bai Family's interests.

But Bai Ying always thought she could influence Li Qingyi, and now it seemed her influence wasn't as significant as she had imagined. At least regarding Li Xiu, she couldn't sway Li Qingyi, which made Bai Ying even more hostile towards Li Xiu.

In Bai Ying's view, today was undoubtedly going to be a day when Li Xiu would be utterly humiliated, so her mood was extremely pleasant.

"They're here... they're here... my dad brought the Demon Armor group..." Seeing the orderly team entering the Temple of Heaven, Bai Ying was in high spirits, pulling Li Qingyi's hand and saying excitedly.

Under normal circumstances, she wouldn't be so excited, but today was different.

While Bai Ying was eagerly watching, she noticed something odd.

At the front of the Demon Armor Master team entering the Temple of Heaven were indeed two people, but none of them were Bai Wanli.

With Bai Wanli's ball-like large figure, he would be recognizable from afar.

Yet the two at the very front of the Demon Armor Master team weren't fat, and one was even a woman in a red short skirt and leather boots.

The smile on Bai Ying's face gradually froze. She realized something was amiss, and when she looked closer at who was leading, her face turned pale, more uncomfortable than eating a fly.

"How can it be him?" Bai Ying couldn't believe it; why was the person leading the Demon Armor group to the ceremony Li Xiu, and not her father Bai Wanli?

Li Qingyi was initially surprised seeing Li Xiu lead the Demon Armor Masters in, then she smiled slightly, thinking to herself, "This person indeed always has surprising moves. I wonder how he convinced Bai Wanli to give up the chance to lead the Demon Armor group for the Divining Celestial Secret ceremony."

Not just Li Qingyi, but the members of the other great families and the six groups were also surprised and had complex expressions seeing Li Xiu lead the group in.

"That Li Xiu is indeed not simple." Han Minghui slightly squinted her eyes, constantly watching Li Xiu.

After Li Xiu and Sha Chu led the Demon Armor group into the venue, it wasn't long before someone announced the start of the Divining Celestial Secret ceremony.

At first, there were some sacrificial rituals, which were quite complicated, but fortunately, there was a priest to direct them, and as long as they followed the instructions, there were no major issues.

Li Xiu kept looking around, but he didn't see the Chairman anywhere. Even after the initial sacrificial rituals ended, the Chairman of Longevity Heaven hadn't appeared.

"This is strange. For such a sacrificial ritual, shouldn't the Chairman be the leading figure? Why hasn't he shown up?" Li Xiu was full of questions.

As Li Xiu was pondering, he saw Great Elder dressed in a sacrificial robe ascend the stage, first offering sacrifices to heaven and earth, then turning to the audience to speak: "The Heaven's Gate trembles, a magic spirit is about to emerge. The Chairman has gone to personally suppress it. Today's Divining Celestial Secret ceremony will be presided over by me."

As soon as Great Elder said this, the expressions of many family members and group members below changed.

The Heaven's Gate is the greatest calamity for Longevity Heaven. Every time a magic spirit emerges from it, it causes significant impact, even death, to many people.

The last time the Heaven's Gate trembled, the Grand Elder died defending it. It can be said that every tremble of the Heaven's Gate strikes fear into everyone in Longevity Heaven.

Li Xiu was also worried; Wan Chaocun and Old Blade were inside the Heaven's Gate. If something went wrong, they might be in danger.

"There's no need to worry. With the Chairman personally handling the situation, such magic spirits are of no consequence." Great Elder said loudly on the stage, holding an octagonal wooden box. "The Divining Celestial Secret ceremony now begins. This is the word personally penned by the Chairman. Today, we will use this word to divine the celestial secret and extend the fate of Longevity Heaven..."

After these words, Great Elder opened the octagonal wooden box, took out a scroll, and slowly unfurled it, showing the side with the written word to everyone in Longevity Heaven.

Everyone was astonished when they saw the word written on the scroll.

Li Xiu focused his gaze and saw a large "Spirit" character written on the scroll, with a smaller line of words next to it.

Li Xiu carefully observed and saw the small line read, "This word divines the marriage fate of my youngest daughter, Li Qingyi."

Li Xiu was taken aback and looked at Li Qingyi among the Li Family team.

Not only Li Xiu, but everyone's eyes were on Li Qingyi, extremely surprised by this.

No one expected that the Divining Celestial Secret would be used to divine Li Qingyi's marriage fate.

Using the Divining Celestial Secret, which occurs once every sixty years, for a woman's marriage prediction, and that too in front of everyone, even Li Qingyi, with her calm demeanor, couldn't help but feel a bit uneasy.

All the clan leaders, elders, and the Commander had smiles on their faces, seeming to be relieved.

"Divining marriage is good; Qingyi is indeed of marriageable age." An elder chuckled while stroking his beard.

Others echoed the sentiment, thinking that divining marriage was the best option, as long as it wasn't about them.

Great Elder, holding the scroll written by the Chairman, turned and walked into the Longevity Hall. As he entered, the hall doors closed, and soon the jade bead at the top of Longevity Hall lit up, sending a beam of light straight into the clouds.

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The crowd's gaze was fixed on the pillar of light shooting into the sky, waiting for the oracle words to emerge from it.

The pillar grew brighter and brighter, like a purple True Dragon ascending to the heavens. Before long, the pillar condensed midair into four lines of prophecy.

Everyone watched the prophecy closely, and Li Qingyi too observed with a contemplative mind, as if burdened by heavy thoughts.

"Deep mountains and lush forests, flowers exude fragrance; Purple aura comes from the east, presenting auspicious omens; Beautiful rivers and mountains to wander together; The living world welcomes the morning sun."

The crowd silently recited these four lines, seemingly savoring over their meanings repeatedly.

Li Xiu also recited them silently in his heart. According to their literal meaning, these words seemed quite auspicious.

Where the mountain flowers bloom brilliantly and the purple aura comes from the east, one bathes in the morning sun together, strolling amidst a magnificent scroll of the lands. It suggested that Li Qingyi's future romance should indeed be happy and fulfilling.

However, prophecies are sometimes not to be interpreted according to normal logic, so how it should be interpreted depends on each person.

Unfortunately, the Divining Celestial Secret is only for measuring, not interpreting. Even if there's a need for interpretation, it wouldn't be done in front of everyone. Therefore, the Master wouldn't interpret the oracle here. Once out of the Longevity Hall, he simply announced the end of the Divining Celestial Secret.

The crowd was still savoring those four lines, trying to glean some clues from them.

Li Qingyi is the president's only daughter. Although the Li Family has many members, they are merely the Li Family, not the president's direct bloodline; just some kin relations.

Li Qingyi is the real bloodline of the president, the legitimate inheritor of the bloodline. Even if the president lives forever, Li Qingyi will undoubtedly hold an extraordinary status.

If someone could become Li Qingyi's husband, it would be extremely advantageous for anyone.

"'Living world welcomes the morning sun,' do you think this prophecy refers to someone from the Wan Family?" Sha Chu whispered to Li Xiu.

"Who knows? These mystical things are beyond me." Li Xiu shook his head.

"Is it that you don't understand, or don't want to understand?" Sha Chu asked with a half-smile, half-tease.

"What do you mean?" Li Xiu frowned and asked.

"Well, Li Qingyi is young and beautiful, even I, as a woman, find her pleasing to the eye. Such a beauty, combined with such a grand dowry like Longevity Heaven, any man would be tempted, right?" Sha Chu said.

"Now that you mention it, it really is the case. If one were to marry her, not only would they win the beauty, but they also could save a thousand years of struggle, more impossible than winning the lottery. Can you help me see if I can relate to those four lines of prophecy? As long as there's a connection, it doesn't matter how forced it is; we can interpret it slowly." Li Xiu laughed.

Sha Chu rolled her eyes at him: "You dream! Can prophecies be interpreted just like that? Besides, no matter how you force it, I don't see any connection with you in those four lines. You have no natural fragrance, nor does purple aura come from you. The beautiful rivers and mountains have nothing to do with you either, and the morning sun is even less related."

Li Xiu sighed regretfully: "Looks like this soft meal is hard to get."

"Pfft, you want to live off a woman? I think you're more suited to hard meals." Sha Chu laughed.

"What's a hard meal?" Li Xiu asked, puzzled.

"Is your bone hard?" Sha Chu retorted.

"Of course, it's very hard." Li Xiu nodded.

"What likes to lick hard bones the most?" Sha Chu asked again.

Li Xiu immediately understood, glaring at her as he said: "Are you calling me a bootlicker?"

"I didn't say that, you said it yourself." Sha Chu smiled lightly: "Besides, being a bootlicker isn't so bad; maybe you'll eventually chew through the hard bone that is Li Qingyi?"

"Forget it, my teeth aren't good." Li Xiu sighed.

As the two chatted, they suddenly saw someone walk onto the stage, surprisingly it was Wan Chaoxin.

"What's this guy doing on stage? Surely he doesn't plan to gnaw on the bone?" Li Xiu said, somewhat perplexed.

Sha Chu's expression changed: "This is not good; after Divining Celestial Secret, there's actually another event called the Commander Challenge. Anyone from Longevity Heaven who feels capable of taking on the role of Commander can challenge the current Commander. The winner serves as the Commander. Surely Wan Chaoxin isn't planning to challenge you and take the Commander position?"

"So this is the main event of Divining Celestial Secret." Li Xiu looked at the stage at Wan Chaoxin, seeing that Wan Chaoxin's gaze was directed at him.

In fact, everyone's gaze was on Li Xiu, as they all thought if Wan Chaoxin were to challenge the Commander position, he would likely target Li Xiu.

After all, Li Xiu had just been installed as the Commander and had yet to establish himself firmly within Longevity Heaven, plus his strength seemed to be lacking, needing a magic spirit to carry him up Spiral Mountain. Naturally, this strength was far inferior to Wan Chaoxin's.

"It wouldn't be bad if Wan Chaoxin could get rid of that guy; compared to Li Xiu, he's not as annoying." Bai Ying whispered.

But Bai Ying was quickly disappointed as Wan Chaoxin stood on stage and said calmly: "I want to challenge the position of the Commander of the Seeking Path Group. I request Commander Han to accept the challenge."

This statement from Wan Chaoxin surprised not only Bai Ying but also many others from the four great families. Wan Chaoxin was challenging Han Mingshou.

Even though Han Mingshou had just taken office as Commander and wasn't the strongest among the six Commanders, he certainly wasn't the weakest.

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Moreover, Han Mingshou is Han Minghui's biological brother. Even if he wins against Han Mingshou and takes the position of Commander of the Path-Seeking Group, offending Han Minghui is not a worthwhile result.

Over the years, as Vice President, Han Minghui has led the Han Family to flourish. Not only has the family's strength soared, but their relationship with the other three major families has grown increasingly close. Their status can be described as being at the peak, vaguely holding the position of leader among the four major families.

"Wan Chaoxin challenging Han Mingshou is declaring war on the four major families. It seems that the Wan Family is determined to become the fifth major family."

"It's probably not easy for the Wan Family to return to the ranks of the major families. Historically, only major families have declined, but new ones haven't emerged. For their own interests, the four major families will definitely do everything to stop the Wan Family from becoming a major family again..."

"Hard to say, the Wan Family has Wan Chaocun."

People were talking about it, their gazes all focused on Han Mingshou of the Path-Seeking Group.

Han Mingshou seemed to have anticipated it long ago, showing no unusual expression, simply rising calmly and walking towards the stage.

When Wan Chaocun returned, Han Minghui had already thought of this day and discussed this matter privately with Han Mingshou.

After all, it was Han Mingshou who took the position of the leader of the Path-Seeking Group from Wan Chaoxin, so Wan Chaoxin's most direct target was definitely him, Han Mingshou.

Han Mingshou walked onto the stage, looking at Wan Chaoxin and said, "Wan Chaoxin, you were defeated by me before, and you'll lose this time as well. Choosing me as your opponent is your biggest mistake."

"At least I have the chance to make mistakes, while you no longer have the opportunity to make mistakes." Wan Chaoxin's figure was robust, standing a head taller than Han Mingshou, speaking in a manner that carried a tone of condescending contempt.

"I don't need nor will I make mistakes, mistakes belong only to the weak." Han Mingshou said, beckoning with his hand, causing a dagger to appear in his palm.

The dagger emitted a green light, almost seeming as if it were condensed from radiance.

"Everyone says your Golden Phoenix Arrow is impressive, let me see exactly how powerful that Golden Phoenix Arrow is." Han Mingshou casually held the dagger, speaking coldly.

Wan Chaoxin did not summon his Golden Phoenix Bow and Arrow, but rather looked towards Lord Eight on the stage.

"The challenge complies with the rules of Longevity City, the winner becomes the Commander of the Path-Seeking Group." Lord Eight directly announced that Wan Chaoxin's challenge was established.

Only then did Wan Chaoxin summon the Golden Phoenix Bow and Arrow, pulling out a golden arrow and nocking it onto the bowstring, slowly lifting the bow and aiming at Han Mingshou.

Han Mingshou seemed indifferent, as if he didn't pay any attention to Wan Chaoxin.

As the bowstring was drawn, the terrifying golden Demonic Light also blossomed on Wan Chaoxin's body, his Golden Phoenix Bow gradually transforming into the Phoenix Double Wings Bow, directly entering the Super Spirit State, intending to resolve the battle quickly.

Still with an air of nonchalance, Han Mingshou's body also shimmered with green light, the dagger in his hand transforming into the shape of a Poison Dragon Horn.

When the bowstring was pulled to the limit in an instant, the Golden Phoenix Arrow transformed into a golden light bird and rushed towards Han Mingshou, the sound of the bowstring echoing like the song of a phoenix, lingering in the air without fading.

Clang!

At the moment when the Golden Phoenix Arrow was about to approach, Han Mingshou suddenly leaped up, his Poison Dragon Horn-like dagger fiercely slashed against the Golden Phoenix Arrow, although unable to cut the arrow apart, he made it fall to the ground.

Wan Chaoxin fired three arrows in succession, and Han Mingshou slashed all three arrows to the ground, forcefully making the three Golden Phoenix Arrows fall.

"Golden Phoenix Arrow, is that all?" Han Mingshou looked at Wan Chaoxin with disdain and spoke.

Wan Chaoxin's expression remained unmoved, he simply looked coldly at Chao Mingshou.

In the next moment, the three Golden Phoenix Arrows on the ground automatically flew up, like three flaming Fire Phoenixes, attacking Han Mingshou from different directions.

Han Mingshou's face changed slightly, he quickly waved his Poison Dragon Horn, repeatedly striking the Golden Phoenix Arrows away, yet the arrows flew back each time, continuously encircling and assaulting Han Mingshou.

On the Temple of Heaven, explosions of light burst out incessantly, yet those mighty light explosions seemed to be restrained by an invisible force, kept within the confines of the Temple.

Han Mingshou had fallen into a disadvantageous position, surrounded by three Golden Phoenix Arrows, he could only continue slashing at them without spare strength to counterattack Wan Chaoxin.

Seeing that Han Mingshou was becoming overwhelmed and nearly unable to withstand the assault from the three Golden Phoenix Arrows, suddenly there was a flash of black light, and in Han Mingshou's left hand appeared another black Poison Dragon Horn dagger, striking one of the Golden Phoenix Arrows away.

After the Golden Phoenix Arrow fell to the ground, a layer of black light like smoke or mist appeared on the arrow's golden burning body, akin to a rope binding the Golden Phoenix Arrow, the arrow vibrated continuously yet couldn't rise from the ground again.

Clang!

Another Golden Phoenix Arrow was struck by the black Poison Dragon Horn, falling to the ground, no matter how it vibrated, it couldn't rise again.

The last Golden Phoenix Arrow was summoned back by Wan Chaoxin, held in his hand.

"Super Spirit Parasite Contract... Han Mingshou actually has a Super Spirit Parasite Contract..." The crowd was somewhat surprised, seemingly the power of the Parasite Contract was stronger than Han Mingshou's Life Contract.

"That's... the Grand Elder's Dragon-Slaying Dagger..." Someone recognized Han Mingshou's use of the Parasite Contract.

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"How did the Grand Elder's Dragon Slaying Dagger end up in Han Mingshou's hand?" Li Qingyi was somewhat surprised as well.

Back then, the Grand Elder fought bravely to defend the Heavenly Gate, severely injuring the Demon Spirit, and ultimately died in battle. The Parasitic Contract and Demon Spirit left behind some items, among which the Dragon Slaying Dagger was one.

The Dragon Slaying Dagger possesses a Dragon-locking Skill; once struck by the Dragon Slaying Dagger, even if uninjured, one will be immobilized by the Dragon-locking Force, rendering them helpless.

Among Radiant-level contracts, the Dragon Slaying Dagger is exceedingly formidable, and one of the Grand Elder's favorite contracts.

Originally, after the Grand Elder's death in battle, the Dragon Slaying Dagger was stored in the City Lord's Mansion's vault. Somehow, it ended up in Han Mingshou's hands.

"Dragon Slaying Dagger," Wan Chaoxin focused on the dagger in Han Mingshou's hand.

"Indeed, you have a keen eye," Han Mingshou replied indifferently. "When I became Commander, I was already at the Super Spirit Body level. Thus, when choosing Commander privileges, I didn't select those precious resources but opted for this Dragon Slaying Dagger, perfectly combining it with my Poison Dragon Dagger into a twin-dagger setup, one for locking, one for poisoning, one for defense, one for attack. I've achieved perfection, you can't defeat me."

"Perfect, is it?" Wan Chaoxin glanced at him disdainfully, pressing a horse-eye-shaped golden gemstone to his forehead. "In this world, you're not the only one with a Super Spirit Parasite Contract."

The Phoenix Eye instantly emitted a dazzling light, setting into Wan Chaoxin's forehead like a third eye, its golden flames swirling like an eerie golden pupil changing forms.

"What contract is that?" Almost no one had seen the Phoenix Eye before, unable to identify the contract and even less aware of its capabilities.

Only Li Qingyi and Bai Ying knew the terror of the Phoenix Eye, making the wielder, Wan Chaoxin, practically unbeatable; even Li Qingyi found it challenging to gain an advantage over him.

"You make the first move, for if I shoot an arrow, you'll have no chance," Wan Chaoxin taunted disdainfully.

"What good is a Super Spirit Parasite Contract? I have the Dragon Slaying Dagger. No matter how many contracts you hold, you can't escape the Dragon-locking Skill..." Han Mingshou sneered coldly, swinging both daggers like a phantom as he charged at Wan Chaoxin.

The two daggers danced in his hands, resembling black and green horned dragons rolling and strangling, enveloping Wan Chaoxin within.

Wan Chaoxin stood upright, arms at his sides, one hand gripping a bow and the other an arrow, moving effortlessly like a walk in the park.

No matter how violent Han Mingshou's attacks were, they failed to touch even a corner of his clothes.

Wan Chaoxin seemed omniscient and omnipotent, anticipating Han Mingshou's next strike, causing all his attacks to fail, rendering even the most frenzied assault ineffective.

"The Phoenix Eye is truly formidable," Li Qingyi couldn't help but praise.

Yet the stronger the Phoenix Eye, the more curious Li Qingyi became about the Magic Armor Master who repelled Wan Chaoxin with a single shot.

How could such a formidable Wan Chaoxin be repelled by a simple shot, as if the Phoenix Eye, capable of predicting the future, lost its efficacy? What kind of Demon Armor could achieve such an outcome?

Other Commanders and high-ranking family members were surprised as well, discovering Wan Chaoxin's combat prowess exceeded their expectations, and the previously unseen Phoenix Eye Parasite Contract sparked their covetousness.

Han Minghui frowned, having thought he was fully prepared, yet still underestimating Wan Chaoxin's abilities.

Suddenly, Wan Chaoxin soared skyward like a phoenix, looking down upon Han Mingshou as he assembled a bow and arrow, pulling it open slowly.

"Commander Han, you've had enough fun, time to end it." As Wan Chaoxin spoke, the golden phoenix arrow transformed into a phoenix shape, its arrowhead becoming a phoenix's head, releasing a golden gleam like a phoenix opening its eyes.

An overwhelming Demonic Light circulated on the bow and arrow, seeming to gather the world's energies onto a single shot.

Han Mingshou stared intently at Wan Chaoxin, subconsciously gripping both daggers tighter, his body flashing with Demonic Light, continuously raising his Super Spirit Limit.

Buzz!

Amidst the audience's gaze, the golden phoenix arrow emitted a phoenix's cry, seemingly breaching space to appear directly in front of Han Mingshou.

Han Mingshou roared furiously, crossing and slashing with both daggers like two entwined horned dragons striking at the newly awakened phoenix.

Black and gold and green light burst forth where the dragons and phoenix collided, the Temple of Heaven sparking like fireworks.

Black and green light twisted around the golden arrow, yet seemingly unable to halt its power.

The Dragon-locking Force couldn't contain the fiery phoenix arrow, which pressed against the twin daggers, descending bit by bit, its phoenix-shaped arrowhead screeching.

Han Mingshou dared not and couldn't lose focus, engaging both daggers to resist the golden arrow's might. Any lapse in strength, and the arrow would pierce through him instantly, leaving no room to evade.

Yet without evading, the golden phoenix arrow's force vastly exceeded his capabilities, descending steadily, its glow almost touching his face.

In this heart-stopping moment, Han Mingshou roared angrily, thrusting the venomous dagger upward while retreating rapidly.

With his retreat, the golden phoenix arrow immediately breached the twin daggers' defense, spearing Han Mingshou's chest directly.

At such close range, Han Mingshou had no opportunity to evade, facing imminent penetration.

Suddenly, a Demon Spirit Ring on Han Mingshou's finger emitted bright light, transforming into a massive human-like Xuan Turtle, shielding Han Mingshou with its back toward the golden phoenix arrow.

Light shone from its body, with black spikes covering its shell, full of shadowy Profound Light, unmistakably a Super Spirit Magic Spirit.

Crack!

The golden phoenix arrow struck the turtle shell, spinning ferociously like a drill, boring through the immensely tough shell and bursting through, continuing its path toward the Xuan Turtle and Han Mingshou.

An apparition appeared before Han Mingshou, with a hand wearing Celestial Silk Gloves clasping the golden arrow, forcibly dissipating its brilliance and power entirely.

"Wan Chaoxin, you have won, henceforth you shall be Commander of the Seeking Dao Group." Han Minghui tossed aside the golden arrow, leading Han Mingshou off the stage.

Eighth Master announced Wan Chaoxin as the leader of the Seeking Dao Group, allowing Wan Chaoxin to leave the stage as well.

"Wan Chaoxin... lives up to his reputation..." someone murmured in admiration.

Others worried that Wan Chaoxin becoming the Seeking Dao Group's leader might destabilize Longevity City.

As discussions started to heat up, another person suddenly took the stage.

"I wish to challenge the Technicians' Group Commander," the person said, staring at Li Xiu, expressionless.

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"Su Bancheng, how did he come back?" Li Qingyi recognized the person on the stage and couldn't help but frown slightly.

"Su Bancheng is challenging Li Xiu, now that Li Xiu is going to have a hard time. He just became the Commander, hasn't even warmed the seat yet, and he's already being pushed off." Bai Ying looked at Su Bancheng with a face full of delight.

Everyone was whispering to each other, obviously, most people recognized who Su Bancheng was.

Mo liu whispered to Sun Gang beside him, "Wasn't Su Bancheng guarding the Gate of Extreme Evil? How come he's back now and challenging Li Xiu? What does this have to do with the Su Family?"

Sun Gang pondered, "After the Su Family's decline, each generation was worse than the last. It wasn't until Su Bancheng that there was hope for a revival. By rights, the Su Family should be keeping a low profile and focusing on rebuilding now, not getting involved in such things. Su Bancheng is exceptionally talented, once having the talent of a whole city of Longevity City, which is why he's nicknamed Su Bancheng. Although that is an exaggeration, he should not be underestimated. Moreover, this guy wouldn't do such a thankless task without reason."

"What benefits could he have? Even if he defeats Li Xiu and gets the position of Technician Commander, he can't truly control the Magic Armor Group. This doesn't benefit the Su Family unless..." Mo liu stopped without finishing.

"Unless someone promised him some benefits, though we don't know who promised those benefits." Sun Gang laughed.

"That Li Xiu, I don't know what methods he used, but it really looks like he might be able to take back the Magic Armor Group. Just this one thing has offended the Li and Bai families. Add the Magic Spirit Tournament issues, and he has plenty of enemies in the city. I wonder who made their move." Mo liu paused before continuing, "Whoever it is, this challenge will be tough for him to get through, Su Bancheng's strength is likely not weaker than Wan Chaoxin. Li Xiu is likely to be defeated. Once he loses the Commander's position, his situation in the city will be very awkward."

"That's not necessarily the case. Considering his relationship with the Eighth Lord, I don't believe he doesn't have any hidden means. This match might be more interesting than the one between Wan Chaoxin and Han Mingshou." Sun Gang smiled.

Everyone's eyes turned to Li Xiu. The newly appointed Han Mingshou had already been kicked out, and now Li Xiu, who hadn't been in his position for long, was being challenged by Su Bancheng. Most people thought Li Xiu would end up like Han Mingshou.

Li Xiu asked Qiu Tianqiu behind him, "Who is that?"

"Su Xuan of the Su Family, nicknamed Su Bancheng. The Su Family was once one of the Eight Families. After its decline, it never recovered until Su Xuan came out of nowhere, claiming half of Longevity City's talent was in him. He's quite an impressive figure. He became famous even earlier than Wan Chaoxin, although they've never clashed, it's generally believed he's stronger than Wan Chaoxin," Qiu Tianqiu said.

"Oh, I shouldn't have any grudges with the Su Family. Why is he challenging me?" Li Xiu said, staring at Su Bancheng on the stage.

"That I don't know, but since he's come on stage to challenge, Commander, you can only respond. What's your plan? Do you want to use the Magic Armor?" Qiu Tianyu asked.

"Hand me the Divine Spirit," Li Xiu reached his hand towards Lei Qingfeng.

As Commander, attending such a ceremony, Li Xiu naturally couldn't carry his magic armor himself.

The Divine Spirit Magic Armor was carried by Lei Qingfeng, while the Demon Eye Magic Armor taken from the Demon Eye had been privately stashed away by Li Xiu.

One can only apply for one set of magic armor; those taken don't count.

The Demon Eye Magic Armor uses the Super Spirit Demon Core and Super Spirit Gemstone as energy. Li Xiu planned to dig them out for his Magic Spirit to use, so he couldn't return them.

Of course, now no one dared to ask him for it.

Li Xiu took the Divine Spirit Magic Armor Box, carrying it with one hand, and walked onto the stage, activating the Divine Spirit Magic Armor as he moved.

The Magic Armor Box disassembled into pieces onto Li Xiu's body, quickly encasing him entirely.

"Hey, that Li Xiu is actually a Magic Armor Master too?"

"No wonder he was appointed Commander to take over the Magic Armor Group, turns out he's a Magic Armor Master."

"I was wondering, how could he be appointed Commander as a low-level Trial Taker? Turns out he also has the Magic Armor Master identity."

"It's a pity, though, even a top-notch Magic Armor Master finds it hard to compete with a Trial Taker of Su Bancheng's caliber."

"Who knows what level of Magic Armor Master Li Xiu is. Most Magic Armor Masters in the Magic Armor Group, except for a few, would be easily beaten by a Super Spirit Tester. I reckon his magic armor is probably just for defense; the real force behind the battle with Su Bancheng should be his Super Spirit Magic Spirit."

As people discussed, Li Xiu had already walked onto the stage, standing opposite Su Bancheng.

The Divine Spirit Magic Armor had a black-and-white scheme, looking as cool as a Demon God, but not many had seen the Divine Spirit Magic Armor, so they couldn't judge Li Xiu's skill level as a Magic Armor Master from the appearance of the armor.

"I didn't expect Commander Li to also be a Magic Armor Master, and he can actually control the Divine Spirit Magic Armor." Su Bancheng recognized it with just one glance after seeing the armor on Li Xiu.

"As the Commander of the Technician Group, it's normal to be able to control magic armor." Li Xiu said lightly.

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"The Divine Spirit Magic Armor is not an ordinary Demon Armor; it uses the Super Spirit Demon Core and Super Spirit Gemstone as its energy source. It's one of the few Armors capable of contending with the Super Spirit Tester. Your ability to wield it truly lives up to the name of Commander. Among all the Magic Armor Masters in the city, it seems you alone can manage this set of Divine Spirit Magic Armor," Su Bancheng continued.

As soon as these words were spoken, many people showed expressions of surprise, not expecting the Demon Armor on Li Xiu to be so powerful.

Li Xiu frowned slightly. This Su Bancheng did seem to be praising him.

But given his understanding of the Divine Spirit Magic Armor, he couldn't possibly be unaware of its drawbacks.

Su Bancheng spoke only of the might of the Divine Spirit Magic Armor, never once mentioning its flaws and issues.

Li Xiu had seen many like him; Su Bancheng was indeed exalting him, but not because he genuinely thought he was strong. Rather, he intended to use Li Xiu as a stepping stone.

Defeating an insignificant opponent counts for nothing, yet defeating a renowned adversary is different altogether.

By placing Li Xiu at the top of Magic Armor Masters, his victory over Li Xiu would mean defeating the strongest Magic Armor Master, presenting a vastly different impression.

"Are you wanting to challenge me, or are you interested in studying Magic Armor? If you wish to study Magic Armor, you may take the assessment of my Technician Group. Should you pass, I'll grant you membership, where you may learn freely," Li Xiu said calmly.

Su Bancheng responded with a smile, "Commander Li, thank you for your kind offer, but there's no need to trouble yourself. Once I become the Commander, I'll naturally study Magic Armor."

"In that case, let's not waste words," Li Xiu showed no interest in prolonging the conversation with Su Bancheng.

However, Su Bancheng didn't seem ready to act immediately; instead, he said with a smile, "Commander Li, there's no rush. I'm only here to compete for the position of Commander. There's no enmity between us, so there's no need for a fight to the death. How about we battle in a different manner?"

"What manner?" Li Xiu asked as he began to smile.

He had seen these tricks many times before; those Magic Armor Masters who challenged him had used such ploys often.

Su Bancheng wanting to change the battle method surely wasn't out of a desire to avoid causing harm; he merely wished to make Li Xiu's defeat more humiliating.

Many Magic Armor Masters intended to ascend by stepping on the likes of himself; tricks like this were hardly new.

Indeed, Su Bancheng stood with hands behind his back, displaying an air of disdain for the world, though he wasn't taller than Li Xiu. He spoke with condescension, "I will stand here and receive ten blows from you. If you can injure me, you win this fight; you'll continue as the Commander of the Technician Group. If, after ten blows, you fail to harm me, I won't bear to injure you. Instead, I'll ask you to willingly yield your position as Commander."

Hearing this, many were impressed by Su Bancheng's audacity.

Voluntarily taking ten hits displayed immense confidence and boldness.

Su Bancheng intended to show everyone that he could easily defeat Li Xiu but desired merely to claim the position of Commander without causing harm.

"Li Xiu is likely to be deceived," remarked Wan Chaoxin with a frown.

"Deceived how?" Wan Chaojue asked, puzzled.

"That Su Bancheng possesses a Parasitic Contract known as Karma Armor, bluntly put, it's an Inner Armor capable of reflecting damage. He volunteered before to guard the Gate of Extreme Evil, likely to super-spirit the Karma Armor. Now that he's back, I reckon the Karma Armor has indeed achieved Super Spirit status."

After a glance at Su Bancheng, Wan Chaoxin continued, "He deliberately suggested such a strategy to provoke Li Xiu. Standing still to receive ten hits is a sheer insult. Any man with a bit of spirit would

unlikely wait for all ten hits, probably giving his all on the first blow, determined to down Su Bancheng immediately so that he loses face."

Wan Chaojue suddenly understood, "But because of Su Bancheng's Karma Armor, the stronger Li Xiu's strike, the more significant the damage reflected back. That first strike might cause Li Xiu substantial harm, or even kill him outright, through his strength. Su Bancheng is indeed cunning and ruthless."

"Isn't such a Parasitic Contract essentially rendering Su Bancheng invincible? Others may hurt him, but he remains unscathed," Wan Chaojue questioned, frowning.

"Not invincible. If it were me, I would have a way to break his Karma Armor," replied Wan Chaoxin nonchalantly.

"How would you break it?" Wan Chaojue asked curiously.

"Must you ask everything instead of thinking on your own? If you always need to ask before confronting enemies in the future, will you even be able to fight?" Wan Chaoxin gave him a stern look.

Wan Chaojue scratched his head sheepishly, "I honestly can't think of it. You know I'm not great at thinking."

Wan Chaoxin replied helplessly, "Can't you think why Su Bancheng would try to humiliate and provoke Li Xiu so hard?"

After a moment, Wan Chaojue slapped his leg with realization, "Is it that the Karma Armor can only be used once, so he wants to provoke Li Xiu to unleash his full power in the first strike?"

"While not entirely accurate, your reasoning isn't wrong," nodded Wan Chaoxin, "Karma Armor isn't limited to a single use. However, the skill cannot be continuously used without interruption. If the first strike is used to trigger the Karma Armor's skill, then a quick second strike to break through it would make breaking the Karma Armor as easy as pie."

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"Hehe, given that, the Karma Armor isn't so formidable after all." Wan Chaojue laughed.

"You're wrong, the Karma Armor is still very strong. Even if you know about its flaw, how can you be sure when he'll use the skill? If he never uses it, you won't dare to attack with all your might, fearing the consequences, and that's a huge advantage for him. Those who might originally defeat him could lose because of it. So, when the skill isn't used, it's at its strongest. If used recklessly, it's not as powerful." Wan Chaoxin explained.

"That's true. In the end, no matter the skills or techniques, it all comes down to a battle of wits." Wan Chaohua nodded.

Li Qingyi also knew about the Karma Armor and was a bit worried that Li Xiu might be provoked by Su Bancheng and fall into his trap.

"Alright." On stage, Li Xiu glanced at Su Bancheng and agreed directly.

"Then let's begin. I'll stand here and take your ten strikes. If you can harm me within ten strikes, you win." Su Bancheng said briskly.

This move made those unaware of the truth feel Su Bancheng's unparalleled strength and confidence even more.

A radiant brilliance rose from Su Bancheng's body, like transparent glass, enveloping him.

Li Xiu slowly walked towards Su Bancheng, with black light patterns shimmering on the Divine Spirit Magic Armor, and terrifying Demonic Light gathering on the Demon Armor.

Li Qingyi saw that Li Xiu seemed to really want to unleash the full power of the Demon Armor and became even more worried.

Su Bancheng was pleased upon seeing this, knowing his plan had succeeded.

"Still too young." A commander shook his head and sighed, seeing through Su Bancheng's ruse.

"Alas." Professor Xu also shook his head.

Those truly understanding Su Bancheng all knew Li Xiu was likely falling for it.

"You're trying to make me put everything into one strike, aren't you?" Li Xiu's sudden question stunned Su Bancheng.

Li Qingyi, Wan Chaoxin, and others then realized Li Xiu had noticed the issue. However, not knowing about the Karma Armor, he was unaware of Su Bancheng's exact motives.

Su Bancheng smiled slightly, about to say something, but Li Xiu cut him off directly, "Since you've gone to such lengths for this punch, let it be as you wish."

As he spoke, the Light Energy on Li Xiu's Divine Spirit Magic Armor gathered, the terrifying black Demonic Light explosively burst forth, dyeing the whole armor abyss black, with his fist like a black hole seemingly absorbing all energy.

Boom!

Li Xiu's punch blasted towards Su Bancheng, the speed breaking sound barriers and tearing the air, with the sonic boom resembling thunder, as if the space itself twisted under the force.

Without a doubt, it was an all-out strike, impossible to feign.

"Young people... never turn back until they hit a dead end..." Someone shook their head and sighed.

"Without experiencing a beating, they won't understand to step back for a wider view, this Li Xiu is just too reckless." Professor Xu couldn't help but shake his head.

Li Qingyi was also confused; even after noticing the problem, why charge straight into it?

Wan Chaoxin sneered, "This man is too arrogant; he'll pay for his arrogance."

Seeing Li Xiu truly unleash full-force at him, Su Bancheng was thrilled. When Li Xiu exposed his intent, Su Bancheng was preparing to engage in mind games, unexpectedly finding the other party so reckless, knowing what he wanted yet walking right into it. He activated the Karma Armor without hesitation.

Pang!

Li Xiu's punch landed directly on Su Bancheng's chest.

Li Qingyi couldn't bear to watch; such a powerful strike against the Karma Armor would rebound back, and Li Xiu's Demon Armor might not withstand such Demonic Light, possibly being destroyed and putting his life at risk.

The majority shared Li Qingyi's thought, believing Li Xiu might not escape grave injury, if not death.

But the next second, everyone's eyes turned blank.

Under Li Xiu's fist, the glass-like Light Shield shattered, and the Divine Spirit Magic Armor hit Su Bancheng's chest directly.

Only a cracking sound like jade shattering followed, then Su Bancheng's body flew back.

Under the terrifying Demonic Light, Su Bancheng's clothes turned to dust instantly, revealing a jade-like Inner Armor, with jade light flowing and concentrating on the chest.

The jade armor's chest area was punctured with a fist-sized hole, with black Demonic Light spreading rapidly through it.

The jade armor crumbled, Su Bancheng's entire body, stark naked, flew back, striking the invisible shield of the Temple of Heaven.

The incessant force of the Demonic Light pressed Su Bancheng against the shield, nearly crushing his chest.

Puff!

Blood spurted wildly from Su Bancheng's mouth, and a Copper Mirror appeared on his chest, blocking the remaining Demonic Light.

Though the Symbiotic Contract Copper Mirror deflected the latter Demonic Light, Su Bancheng was already gravely injured, unconscious, and fell heavily to the ground.

The entire Temple of Heaven was deathly silent, with everyone incredulously watching.

A single punch from the Demon Armor nearly killed the Super Spirit Level Su Bancheng. When had the Demon Armor's power become so frightening? When had the Magic Armor Master grown so strong?

Those knowing the truth were even more shocked than the others.

Li Xiu's punch shattered the Super Spirit Level Karma Armor. Such terrifying power was unbelievable, unfathomable for a Magic Armor Master.

"How can that Demon Armor be so strong..." Li Qingyi looked uncertainly at Li Xiu on stage and the Divine Spirit Magic Armor on him.

"What's the explanation for this? Wasn't the Karma Armor said to reflect damage, invincible to force?" Wan Chaojue looked questioningly at Wan Chaoxin.

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The shock those Magic Armor Masters felt in their hearts was even greater than that of the Trial Takers. Besides being horrified, they also felt an indescribable joy.

For a long time, the status of Magic Armor Masters in Longevity City has been very low. Many with the talent of a Magic Armor Master would rather mingle in Wansheng Town than become a Magic Armor Master in Longevity City.

It is generally believed within Longevity City that Magic Armor Masters are inferior to Trial Takers. Even most Magic Armor Masters think this way themselves.

Among the top-tier combat forces, Magic Armor Masters can hardly compete with Trial Takers. A few Magic Armor Masters can contend with Super Spirit Testers, but they can only contend and not against the top-line Trial Takers.

Many Magic Armor Masters themselves feel inferior, as if this has become an indisputable fact within Longevity City.

But that punch from Li Xiu swept everything away like a storm.

This notion that Magic Armor Masters are inferior to Trial Takers, that they don't qualify as top-tier combat strength, and that they are naturally beneath others.

Nonexistent. So what if they are top-tier Trial Takers; aren't they also killed by a Magic Armor Master with one punch?

The talents of Longevity City, where Su Xuan claimed half, even a powerful Trial Taker like Su Xuan is left uncertain between life and death by a single punch.

"Who says Magic Armor Masters are inferior to Trial Takers?" At this moment, there was an irrepressible emotion surging within the Magic Armor Masters participating in the ceremony. It almost burst out from their chests, yet they didn't know how to vent it, their faces flushed, and they clutched their hands tightly.

The person who seemed like a demon to them just a moment ago doesn't appear so detestable anymore, and they even feel an urge to get closer.

Of course, what they want to approach is not Li Xiu himself, but the prospect of becoming a Magic Armor Master like him.

Though both are Magic Armor Masters, if Li Xiu could reach this point, then perhaps they can also become such powerful Magic Armor Masters.

Li Xiu didn't even glance at the motionless Su Bancheng lying on the ground and directly stepped off the stage. Someone had already gone up to check Su Bancheng's condition.

Upon returning to the Technician group's camp, Li Xiu was met with a slightly different expression from the other Magic Armor Masters.

Once Su Bancheng was carried away, the Commander came out to declare the end of this Divining Celestial Secret.

Escorted by numerous Trial Takers, the last-entered Technician group was the first to leave. Not knowing why, the lifeless Magic Armor Masters had now straightened their backs, exuding some sense of confidence.

"Commander, could you please visit the research institute once?" Professor Xu hurriedly invited Li Xiu to the research institute after they left the Temple of Heaven.

He wanted to find out how Li Xiu could unleash such terrifying power with the Divine Spirit Magic Armor.

Before, others had worn the Divine Spirit Magic Armor but never managed to unleash such terrifying might.

Moreover, given the inherent issues with the Divine Spirit Magic Armor, no Magic Armor Master was willing to use it anymore.

But today, Professor Xu suddenly realized the Divine Spirit Magic Armor might be much more potent than he imagined, leaving him puzzled and keen to uncover the reason.

"Alright." Li Xiu nodded in agreement, not to have a chat with Professor Xu but to ask him to repair his Magic Armor.

The strength of the Divine Spirit Magic Armor was somewhat greater than that of Light-Speed Two and had basically reached the strength standard of the Light-Speed Spear.

Nevertheless, even with the Light-Speed Spear's strength standard, it could not fully withstand such a level of overload. An issue had already arisen internally, though not as disastrous as Light-Speed One and Two.

After the Technician group left, the Trial Takers began to discuss among themselves.

Taking down Su Bancheng with a single punch, although it was Su Bancheng's own doing, it was enough to demonstrate that Magic Armor Masters now possess the capability to kill Super Spirit Testers.

"Longevity City... is going to be in turmoil..." the Commander glanced at the leaders of various families and group leaders, of varying expressions, and sighed inwardly, "The Fourth is really impatient, causing such a scene now. Without Wan Chaocun supporting him, there might be significant trouble."

Wan Chaoxin, however, was staring intently in the direction from which the Technician group had left. Li Xiu's punch indeed surprised him greatly, but right now, this was not what he was pondering over.

"That bastard Li Xiu is precisely the Magic Armor Master who stole the Super Spirit Gemstone," Wan Chaoxin had already concluded firmly that Li Xiu was that Magic Armor Master.

Although the Magic Armors worn were different, and the Magic Armor Skills used were not the same, seemingly with no commonality, Wan Chaoxin sensed that Li Xiu was indeed the Magic Armor Master.

This was not a guess, nor was it a random groping but a type of heavily tempered experience and intuition.

Li Qingyi's expression was also somewhat complicated; at the first moment, she had the same feeling as Wan Chaoxin, she too thought Li Xiu was that Magic Armor Master.

In less than a day, the name of Li Xiu, the Commander of the Technician group, once again spread throughout Longevity City. Even the people in Wansheng Town had heard about Li Xiu using Magic Armor to take down Su Bancheng with one punch.

The Sea Demon was now looking at the information in his hand with a complicated expression. He initially thought that Li Xiu's arrival might allow his fellow Fishmen to completely escape their current predicament. Still, he hadn't expected that Li Xiu turned out to be a Magic Armor Master, and the situation was unfolding in an entirely different direction from what he anticipated.

"Whether it's a blessing or a curse is unknown after all," sighed the Sea Demon. He crumpled the slip of paper into a ball and stuffed it directly into his mouth to eat.

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The entire Changshengtian is filled with legends about Li Xiu and the Divine Spirit Demon Armor, which has moved many people who originally had talent for being a Magic Armor Master but were unwilling to pursue it.

"Commander, how did you manage to control the Divine Spirit Demon Armor and unleash such formidable power?" After arriving at the institute, Professor Xu couldn't wait to ask about Li Xiu's situation.

"This set of Demon Armor has some problems. You should research it; maybe you'll find what's wrong." Li Xiu handed the damaged Divine Spirit Demon Armor to Professor Xu.

Professor Xu naturally didn't believe this excuse, but after testing, he found numerous faults within the Divine Spirit Demon Armor, making him puzzled, so he decided to study it further.

After dismissing Professor Xu, Li Xiu and Sha Chu returned directly to Courtyard No. 7.

"With that punch, you've secured your position as Commander, but I fear you'll face countless troubles in the future." Sha Chu laughed.

"Since I've come to Changshengtian, I'm not afraid of any trouble." Li Xiu replied.

"That's true. What do you plan to do? The Blood Seal Stones from the Magic Armor group must be retrieved; otherwise, they will eventually become a hidden threat." Sha Chu said.

"Let me think of a way. It's indeed a bit troublesome to retrieve the Blood Seal Stones from Bai Wanli." Li Xiu felt somewhat troubled.

Although he could temporarily suppress those Magic Armor Masters, this was not a long-term solution. He had to find a way to take back the Blood Seal Stones.

While the two were discussing, they suddenly heard someone knocking on the door. Sha Chu went out of the courtyard and opened the gate, finding that the person standing outside was Li Qingyi.

"I came to deliver gemstones to Li Xiu." Li Qingyi said, holding a box.

Sha Chu brought Li Qingyi into the hall. Li Qingyi placed the box in front of Li Xiu and said, "These are the spinels we agreed on before. Use them to enhance the Super Spirit Limit of the Jedi Knight, then we'll go to Tianmen."

"Isn't it said that Tianmen is shaking and there's a demon spirit trying to come out? Aren't you afraid to go to Tianmen now?" Li Xiu asked in surprise.

"Since my father has gone, then the issue at Tianmen is not a problem anymore. Besides, your demon spirit also needs time to absorb these spinels, by which time the issue at Tianmen should be resolved." Li Qingyi smiled.

"Can you tell me what exactly you want to do by going to Tianmen?" Li Xiu asked.

"Can I choose not to answer that question?" Li Qingyi hesitated before speaking.

"Sure, but you should at least tell me what you want my help with, right?" Li Xiu laughed.

"What you need to do is simple: once inside a certain place within Tianmen, use your Jedi Knight to attack me." Li Qingyi stated.

"Attack you?" Li Xiu thought he misheard.

"That's right, attack me." Li Qingyi confirmed that Li Xiu hadn't misheard.

"Why is that?" Li Xiu was greatly puzzled.

"You'll know when the time comes; it's hard to explain now." Li Qingyi smiled and said, "Don't worry, there shouldn't be much danger, otherwise I wouldn't go."

"Alright." Li Xiu didn't ask any more questions. He opened the box to see it filled with red spinels. Judging by the color, although most of them might not reach the Jedi Knight's color grade, they were certainly top-quality red spinels.

These red spinels weren't very large, ranging from one carat to several, but their quality was truly outstanding. Considering the gemstones, he could only follow Qingyi for a trip.

"As long as your Jedi Knight has sufficient potential, these red spinels should boost its Super Spirit Limit to above ninety, but absorbing these red spinels requires some time, so I hope you can quickly raise the Jedi Knight's Super Spirit Limit."

Li Qingyi paused, looking at Li Xiu with a somewhat complex expression, "Recently, you'd better be careful; Wan Chaoxin might come looking for trouble."

"Why would he trouble me?" Li Xiu feigned ignorance.

"Isn't it because you took that Super Spirit Gem?" Li Qingyi stared at Li Xiu and asked.

"Can I choose not to answer this question?" Li Xiu laughed.

"Sure." Li Qingyi gave him a look, "It's fine if you don't answer, I won't trouble you, but Wan Chaoxin is not so easy-going."

"Let him come; it's not a big deal." Li Xiu responded nonchalantly.

"Don't think your Demon Armor is powerful enough to do as you please. Aren't you going to the Land of Trial? Demon Armor can't be brought into the Land of Trial." Li Qingyi reminded him.

"I might as well not go then." Li Xiu laughed.

"That's fine too; focus on enhancing the Jedi Knight's Super Spirit Limit at home. When the time comes, even without Demon Armor, you'll have some ability to protect yourself." Li Qingyi nodded.

"By the way, have you any clues about those signing words?" Li Xiu cautiously asked.

Although Eighth Master had said the Divining Celestial Secret was measuring Li Qingyi's marriage fate this time, Li Xiu knew the matter might not be so simple.

The character 'Spirit' was so peculiarly measured, combined with what Eighth Master had previously told Zhou Wen, Li Xiu was highly suspicious that the Divining Celestial Secret wasn't measuring Li Qingyi's marriage fate but someone related to that 'Spirit' character.

The claim of measuring Li Qingyi's marriage fate might just be a cover to confuse people.

"I've never believed in any signing words." Li Qingyi stared at Li Xiu, "Why, do you have any thoughts on those signing words?"

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"No, I have no opinion on it, those predictions have nothing to do with me." Li Xiu quickly distanced himself.

"Oh, they have nothing to do with you?" Qingyi said flatly.

"Those four predictions don't relate to me, definitely have nothing to do with me." Li Xiu said without hesitation.

He didn't want to be associated with that "Spirit" word; should the president think he is connected to it, it would be a huge problem.

Longevity City's power shouldn't be underestimated, figures like Wan Chaoxin, Han Mingshou, and Su Bancheng are already quite formidable; who knows how strong those old guys are, the president is even more terrifying.

Without the Demon Armor to sustain long battles, Li Xiu didn't want to find himself in such a passive situation.

"Is it so intolerable to be associated with me?" Qingyi felt a bit annoyed seeing Li Xiu eager to distance himself.

"Do you want me to associate with you?" Li Xiu asked with a mischievous smile.

Qingyi was slightly stunned, then annoyed and embarrassed: "Who would want to associate with you?"

With that said, Qingyi got up and left: "Hurry up and raise the Super Spirit Limit of your Jedi Knight, so we can go to Tianmen as soon as possible."

After watching Qingyi leave, Li Xiu picked up the box of crystals on the table, summoned the Jedi Knight, and fed him one gemstone after another.

"Looks like that young lady still has some interest in you, here's your chance to live off someone else, seize it well." Sha Chu chuckled as she walked over.

"You can't say things like that carelessly; if others hear it, I might become the public enemy of Longevity City." Li Xiu said casually.

"Do you think you're not the public enemy of Longevity City already?" Sha Chu curled her lips.

"That's true, be careful when you go out recently, don't let anything go wrong." Li Xiu admonished Sha Chu.

He himself wasn't afraid, but Sha Chu's abilities were much weaker; if someone targeted her first, she would be in trouble.

"I know." Sha Chu watched the Jedi Knight eating crystals and said: "Are you really planning to go to Tianmen with her?"

"Since I agreed and received benefits, I definitely have to go." Li Xiu nodded.

"I haven't been to Tianmen, but I've heard it's extremely dangerous inside. Many guardians of Tianmen have died tragically; a former grand elder who guarded Tianmen, had strength only under the president, and yet died there. You should be careful in such a dangerous place, don't get blinded by beauty." Sha Chu said.

"With you around training my will daily, my resistance to beauty is still quite strong." Li Xiu laughed.

"How about I further train you?" Sha Chu swayed her long hair.

"As long as you're not afraid of my weak will." Li Xiu stared boldly at Sha Chu.

"If a man's will was reliable, even pigs could climb trees." Sha Chu said, twisting her way while walking fast, clearly a bit intimidated.

"Both timid and playful, that must be about people like Sha Chu." Li Xiu shook his head and continued feeding gemstones to the Jedi Knight.

The Jedi Knight's stomach was like a Bottomless Pit; no matter how many gems Li Xiu gave him, it seemed his stomach couldn't be filled.

"Having an Evil Parasite is good, isn't it said that the Longevity City also has evil? Find a chance to get a few more and let the White Night Female Demon and others host them, upgrading will be easier in the future." Li Xiu had many demon spirits to nurture now, the main issue was insufficient resources.

The main problem was those demon spirits must consume gemstones and Demon Cores of corresponding attributes, making it quite troublesome. If they could consume any Demon Core, awakening Talent Skills would be difficult.

The Jedi Knight ate Red Apatite one by one; under the large accumulation, the Super Spirit Limit kept growing.

"Hey, why does eating gemstones increase faster than eating Demon Cores, even though their energy is weaker?" Li Xiu noticed this issue.

He vaguely felt before that gemstones and Demon Cores are quite different; gemstones seem to promote demon spirits' levels more readily.

Unexpectedly, even the Super Spirit Limit increases more effectively with gemstones, it's not just about energy strength, there must be some substance in gemstones enabling faster Super Spirit Limit growth.

Because the Jedi Knight could endlessly consume gemstones, his Super Spirit Limit kept increasing until all Red Apatites were consumed, only reaching eighty-one percent, much less than Qingyi's expectation of over ninety percent.

Li Xiu realized it wasn't due to the Jedi Knight's insufficient potential, but because his body was infested by the evil parasite, energy was definitely being divided by it, causing this deviation.

"Eighty-one percent Super Spirit Limit, I wonder how much stronger this is than before." Li Xiu was planning to find a place to test when Sha Chu returned.

"Li Xiu, someone is at the front gate wanting to see you." Sha Chu said.

"Who is it?" Li Xiu asked curiously, who could it be wanting to see him at this time?

"The person only said their surname is Li." Sha Chu added: "I haven't seen this person before, but they should be someone from the Li Family, and quite significant."

"Li Family? Let him in." Li Xiu thought for a moment and said.

Sha Chu shook her head: "I already told him to come in earlier, but he said nothing and waited outside."

"Is this implying I should go greet him personally?" Li Xiu sneered.

"That's probably what it means." Sha Chu thought and said: "I guess he might be the patriarch of the Li Family or someone important."

"Isn't the Patriarch the president?" Li Xiu found it puzzling.

"No, on the surface, the president doesn't involve himself in Li Family matters." Sha Chu said.

"Then let him wait outside." Li Xiu said casually; since he wasn't the president, whether he was the patriarch or not didn't matter, no need to accommodate him.