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### Chapter 941: The True God

"Are you sure it was when the president communicated with the Soul Worm of that big tomb, the Soul Worm mentioned little Bu'Er?" Li Xiu was slightly taken aback.

"I shouldn't be wrong, those two Demon Texts were relatively simple, and they appeared many times, so I still have some impression." Li Qingyi thought for a moment and said.

"Did the president mention little Bu'Er?" Li Xiu hurriedly asked.

"In my memory, no." Li Qingyi thought for a moment, then shook her head.

"Do you remember where the Trial Gate with the big tomb was?" Li Xiu pondered.

"I only remember it was at sea, but I don't know the exact location. After all, I was too young then, and I saw that Trial Gate on a small island after going out to sea with my father. It was a Golden Gate, and I remember it very clearly because its splendid appearance indeed left a deep impression." Li Qingyi said.

"At sea..." Li Xiu suddenly felt a bit frustrated.

The ocean is so vast, with too many small islands, it's impossible to find it, especially since Li Qingyi doesn't remember which sea they went to.

"Who exactly is this little Bu'Er? Is it important? If needed, I can ask my father." Li Qingyi said.

Li Xiu quickly shook his head and said, "Don't let anyone else know about this matter for now."

"I understand." Li Qingyi saw Li Xiu wouldn't say more, so she didn't continue to ask.

Leaving Black Death City, Li Xiu returned home alone, but was secretly calculating in his heart: "City of Light only has this one Trial Gate, there's really no need to specifically build a city. Previously, I thought

the president built this city for the Unparalleled King under the city, but now it seems it may be related to that Black Death City."

After returning to his room, Li Xiu saw the Godslayer Shrine still on the table, seemingly waiting for him to come back.

"What is the relationship between Black Death City's cemetery and City of Love?" Li Xiu asked the Godslayer Shrine, determined to get an answer today.

"Don't you have the answer in your heart already?" The words appeared on the Godslayer Shrine.

"I want to know your answer." Li Xiu said coldly.

"City of Love is a very special existence, you can call it City of Space-Time or City of Memory, it doesn't really matter, and you probably don't care either. In fact, I can't explain it clearly." Words slowly emerged on the Godslayer Shrine: "What you really want to know is whether the people in City of Love can be saved, right?"

"Are you saying the people in City of Love can be saved?" Li Xiu frowned.

"I can't guarantee for others, if you want to save little Bu'Er, you have to kill that mysterious person. Kill him, and there's a chance to save little Bu'Er." The Godslayer Shrine ambiguously replied.

"What do you mean by 'a chance'?" Li Xiu frowned.

"Because I, like you, only know the existence of City of Love and Black Death City and know there is a connection between them. As you see, every time little Bu'Er dies, a ghost of little Bu'Er appears on the grave in Black Death City. So I can only speculate that if little Bu'Er manages to survive when that mysterious person massacres City of Love, perhaps there will be some unexpected changes in Black Death City's cemetery, maybe resurrection."

"After all that, it's like you said nothing at all. Don't tell me you know nothing." Li Xiu didn't believe the Godslayer Shrine only knew this little.

The Godslayer Shrine controls the portal to enter City of Love and Blood Moon Black Death City, who would believe it only knows this little?

"In fact, I only know this much, City of Love itself is a very special existence. Although I can bring you into City of Love, that's where it ends. I can know what's happening inside City of Love, but it's just an infinite loop process. Each time little Bu'Er dies, I lose perception of City of Love until the next cycle starts and I can perceive the circumstances inside City of Love again, but that's just a repetitive process without a conclusion."

After a pause, words continued to appear on the Godslayer Shrine: "But I can tell you one thing, that mysterious person carrying the stone tablet comes from Celestial Sea."

"Sure enough, it's Celestial Sea." Li Xiu roughly thought of this point too.

"He came on a big ship made of Demon Spirit Wood, able to come from Sea of Love, so the only possible origin for him is Celestial Sea." The Godslayer Shrine continued writing: "Therefore, you shouldn't go to Celestial Sea. If that mysterious person is still alive and in Celestial Sea, he might be hostile to you."

"Are you saying he is also able to receive what's happening in City of Love?" Li Xiu frowned.

"I'm not sure, City of Love is too special. Its existence itself is a mystery; it seems almost like just a City of Memory, endlessly repeating a segment of past memories. But the changes in City of Love do indeed affect the present Black Death City. Theoretically, the mysterious person shouldn't know what's happening in this segment of space-time in City of Love. But no one can guarantee, in case he can receive some kind of information, you going to Celestial Sea would be courting death." The Godslayer Shrine explained.

"What about you? What is your origin? What role are you playing?" Li Xiu stared at the Godslayer Shrine and asked.

"If I say I don't know who I am or where I come from, would you believe me?" The Godslayer Shrine wrote.

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"Do you think I can trust you?" Li Xiu said coldly.

"I knew you wouldn't believe me, so explaining is pointless. In fact, it was only after you released me that I became conscious."

"You make it sound like I'm your mom, just gave birth to you." Li Xiu said with a pout, "I certainly don't remember teaching you those abilities to pull people into Blood Moon Black Death City and the City of Love."

"That's why this matter is hard to explain. I feel like before you released me, I was always in a deep sleep. After awakening, I gained some memories, but those memories are incomplete. Maybe my memory is fragmented, perhaps I know everything, but right now I really can't remember. I pulled you into Black Death City and the City of Love hoping you could help me find answers. I also want to know who I truly am," said the Godslayer Shrine.

"Is it really like this?" Li Xiu was skeptical of the Godslayer Shrine's words.

"There's nothing I can do if you don't believe me, because this is the truth. What I know is already so much, and you've already experienced it all. What's left is for you to help me unravel the mystery," wrote the Godslayer Shrine.

"In that case, I have a method that might clarify your origins. Will you try it?" Li Xiu asked, staring at the Godslayer Shrine.

"What method?" Four words immediately appeared on the Godslayer Shrine.

"Do you know a magical spirit called Unparalleled King?" Li Xiu asked.

"I don't know." The Godslayer Shrine answered decisively.

"You don't know it, but it knows of your existence and knows you were in the Stone Coffin in Black Death City's little shack. It even asked me to bring you to it," Li Xiu said slowly, "Since it knows so much, it should know your origins, right? Do you dare to go meet it with me?"

"There's such a magical spirit, why didn't you mention it earlier? Take me to meet it immediately." The Godslayer Shrine's reaction surprised Li Xiu.

"Alright, then I'll take you to meet the Unparalleled King." After pondering for a moment, Li Xiu reached for the shrine and headed outside.

The entrance to the Underworld where the Unparalleled King was imprisoned had been turned into a gigantic warehouse by Li Xiu.

Upon entering the warehouse, Li Xiu opened a specially crafted metal gate, revealing the tunnel leading underground.

Li Xiu stepped onto the Fire Lotus Sword and flew into the tunnel. Soon, he arrived in the underground space and saw the Unparalleled King, resembling a Qilin beast.

"Kid, why have you not come to see this king for so long? Do you want to die?" the Unparalleled King roared angrily upon seeing Li Xiu descend.

"Your majesty, don't be hasty. Look what I've brought you." Li Xiu raised the Godslayer Shrine in his hand.

The previously furious Unparalleled King leaped for joy at the sight of the Godslayer Shrine.

Unfortunately, its body was restrained, making it unable to leap up. Otherwise, it would've pounced and snatched the Godslayer Shrine.

"Very good, well done, quickly give me the Godslayer Shrine." The Unparalleled King called out impatiently.

"Don't rush, your majesty. I've brought the item, but I still don't know its origin or what use it is to you." Li Xiu didn't hand the Godslayer Shrine directly to the Unparalleled King.

"You don't need to know so much. Just give me the item," the Unparalleled King bellowed.

"Your majesty, I've done so much for you, shouldn't I have some right to know? If you refuse to tell me anything, then you're not considering me as one of yours. In that case, why should I help you? Isn't that correct?" Li Xiu said, squinting.

"Since when did it become your turn to lecture this king? Are you seeking death?" The Unparalleled King's body emitted a light like countless diamond facets reflecting, enveloping the entire underground space.

Li Xiu focused his thoughts, and the Forbidden Spear transformed into a Forbidden Cannon, while the flower-like armor covered his whole body.

The Forbidden Light at Divine Position Level blossomed on the Blood Armor, forcibly blocking the eerie light from the Unparalleled King's body.

"Hmm! Your Life Contract has actually risen to Divine Position... How long has it been..." The Unparalleled King gazed slightly surprised at Li Xiu wielding the Forbidden Cannon in the air.

"No way... That's the Forbidden Light from the Celestial Sea... Your Life Contract actually comes from the Celestial Sea..." The Unparalleled King's eyes, larger than car wheels, sparkled as they fixated on the Forbidden Light on Li Xiu's body.

Li Xiu was similarly very surprised. Despite the Unparalleled King itself being restrained, the radiated Light Energy was not inferior to Divine Position Level—its capabilities were stronger than Li Xiu had anticipated.

Reflecting on those boastful words it uttered before, they now seemed not so exaggerated.

"Kid... Use your Forbidden Light to help this king break free. Once this king emerges and unifies the world, then you will be one beneath all, above millions..." The Unparalleled King said excitedly, staring at the Forbidden Light on Li Xiu.

Li Xiu didn't expect something like this, and smilingly said, "It's only right to free your majesty, but before that, should you not extend some trust my way?"

"You dare threaten this king?" the Unparalleled King roared.

"It's not a threat, merely empathy. I've done so much for your majesty; someone of your stature should not chill people's hearts, right?" Li Xiu said with a smile.

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The Unparalleled King isn't truly a fool; it understands that if Li Xiu refuses to assist it, even with the Forbidden Light to protect him, it won't be able to keep Li Xiu.

Li Xiu's words were essentially providing it with a graceful exit; if relations between the two became strained, it would have no chance to escape its predicament.

"What do you want? I've already said, once I unify the world, you'll be above all others, whatever you desire will be yours, so why rush?" The Unparalleled King tried to entice Li Xiu with promises.

Li Xiu wasn't going to fall for it and replied calmly, "Then I thank Your Majesty in advance. But for now, I just want to know, what exactly is the origin of the Godslayer Shrine?"

The Unparalleled King pondered, "It's no harm telling you, that Godslayer Shrine is a Longevity Plaque from Longevity Island, with which you can obtain an Undying Body."

"I see, but I've heard that the Longevity Plaque of Longevity Island does not truly grant immortality and has many limitations. Moreover, this plaque already has a name on it, what use could you have with it?" Li Xiu frowned.

"You're aware of the Longevity Plaque from Longevity Island, so that's easy to explain." The Unparalleled King said, "Normal Longevity Plaques can't truly grant immortality but this Godslayer Shrine is different."

"How is it different?" Li Xiu asked further.

The Unparalleled King straightforwardly replied, "Because it isn't just a Longevity Plaque from Longevity Island; it also possesses the power of the Celestial Sea."

"What do you mean?" Li Xiu's heart raced; now, what the Unparalleled King said seemed to make some sense.

"You said this Longevity Plaque already has a name, and you're right. Ordinarily, a Longevity Plaque with a name holds no value for others, but this one is unique because the name inscribed on it isn't of a human or a demon spirit, but that of a True God." The Unparalleled King stared complexly at the Godslayer Shrine.

"The God of Slaughter is a True God?" Li Xiu didn't understand what that implied.

"Indeed, the God of Slaughter is the god of the Celestial Sea, a true god, not one of those so-called Divine Position Level gods. With its name inscribed on the Longevity Plaque, it endows it with the true power of a god, truly granting it the power of immortality." The Unparalleled King intently watched the Godslayer Shrine.

"After all that, you still haven't told me what a True God truly is. What exactly is this True God?" Li Xiu vaguely felt that what the Unparalleled King knew might unravel some of the mysteries he had never been able to decipher.

"It is an existence indescribable by words, an entity beyond comprehension, only the presence of the Celestial Sea can connect with it to obtain the supreme divine force." The Unparalleled King remarked disdainfully, "If a mundane being could witness it, how could it be called a True God? A True God is an existence untouchable by mortals; not seeing it, merely sensing its presence would cost an ordinary being their life."

"The Bottomless Pit, Longevity Island, and the Celestial Sea are the Three Major Forbidden Zones. The Magnetic Pole Cave of the Bottomless Pit, the Longevity Root of Longevity Island, and the God of the Celestial Sea are true divine spirits, existences that mortals cannot perceive, only faintly sensed by a few beings."

"The Longevity Plaque is a divine item bestowed upon mortal beings by the Longevity Root. Coupled with the Name of God from the Celestial Sea, this object can be considered a genuine divine creation, an unparalleled existence." The Unparalleled King explained.

"If it's something unseen and indescribable, how did you know?" Li Xiu frowned as the Unparalleled King's account grew more cryptic.

"Boy, I am an unrivaled existence within the Celestial Sea, one of the few capable of communicating with a True God. How do you think I know?" The Unparalleled King said smugly, "In this world, fewer than five people know the true secret of this Godslayer Shrine, and I am one of them."

"It turns out Your Majesty is the king of the Celestial Sea. Then do you know why the True God engraved its name on this Longevity Plaque?" Li Xiu continued to delve into secrets, feeling he was extremely close to the truth of the matter.

"This..." The Unparalleled King seemed cautious of something and didn't directly answer Li Xiu's question.

"Even the king of the Celestial Sea doesn't know why the Celestial Sea's True God engraved its name on a Longevity Plaque?" Li Xiu remarked with a touch of sarcasm.

"Who says I don't know? It's just that discussing divine matters is forbidden. If I speak, it's committing a divine taboo. I don't mind, but if you hear it, it's akin to committing a divine taboo too. You might not even have a chance to live; are you sure you want to hear it?" The Unparalleled King teased as he looked at Li Xiu.

"If you're not afraid, how could I, as your subordinate, let you down? Please, go ahead and speak." Being so close to the truth, Li Xiu wasn't going to back down because of a few words from the Unparalleled King.

"Since you insist, listen up. Originally, the Black Death City wasn't the Black Death City, but because its inhabitants committed a divine taboo, the True God attached itself to the Longevity Plaque, went to Black Death City to enact divine punishment, transforming what was once a vibrant city into the current Black Death City, where no inhabitants survived, and even the city itself fell into endless darkness, never to see light... Now you know the divine secret, and have committed a divine taboo yourself; your fate

won't be better than those in Black Death City..." The Unparalleled King spoke in a chilling tone, like the whisper of a demon.

Li Xiu didn't catch the latter part of the Unparalleled King's words because the earlier statements had already left his mind in tumult, as if struck by lightning.

If what the Unparalleled King said is true, wouldn't that mean the Godslayer Shrine is the mysterious entity that destroyed the City of Love?

For a moment, Li Xiu found it hard to accept such a hypothesis.

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"Was it the Godslayer Shrine that slaughtered Black Death City?" Li Xiu looked incredulously at the Unparalleled King.

"Do you think Black Death City is just any ordinary place? Those who defy the divine are no ordinary folks. The ones residing there are top-tier human strongmen of the Demon Kingdom. If not beings like the True God, who else could lay such waste to that city, leaving no survivors?" the Unparalleled King said.

Li Xiu was slightly taken aback. The Unparalleled King's tone seemed to suggest that even if he himself went, he might not be able to destroy the City of Love.

However, Li Xiu had fought against Old Man Wu and the Blind Tailor in the City of Love and had seen them in action, not thinking much of their prowess.

At most, they were just at the pinnacle of Spirit Forging Level, but why would even a being like the Unparalleled King make such remarks about the pinnacle of Spirit Forging Level? This made Li Xiu extremely puzzled.

Li Xiu immediately realized that there was indeed something amiss here.

A powerful dynasty like the Demon Kingdom, almost ruling over the entire Demon Spirit Realm, could not possibly rely on just a few Spirit Forging Level Trial Takers to hold the fort.

Old Man Wu, known as the Fifth Celestial King of the Demon Kingdom, surely couldn't be just a mere Spirit Casting level.

If he were merely at the Spirit Casting level, any Divine Position Level powerhouse from the Celestial Sea could wipe out the City of Love. Why would a True God need to personally descend?

The Unparalleled King himself was a member of the Celestial Sea. From the Unparalleled King's abilities, one could gauge the strength of the Celestial Sea.

This only indicated that at the time, the strength of the City of Love commanded enough respect from even a True God, necessitating a personal descent.

But Li Xiu indeed witnessed the strength of Old Man Wu and the Blind Tailor, which wasn't that formidable.

"Were those human strongmen in Black Death City at the Divine Position Level?" Li Xiu asked.

"Of course. If not even at the Divine Position Level, why would the True God personally visit?" the Unparalleled King said as if it were obvious.

After a pause, the Unparalleled King continued, "Initially, I wanted to use the Godslayer Shrine to break the taboo, but since your Life Contract possesses the Forbidden Light of the Celestial Sea, there's no need for such trouble. You use the Forbidden Light to help me break the confinement, and I will teach you how to use the Godslayer Shrine. Once you have this shrine, you will have an Undying Body. As long as the shrine is not destroyed, no one can kill you."

"So this is what you're waiting for me to do." Only then did Li Xiu understand why the Unparalleled King so readily revealed the secrets of the Godslayer Shrine.

This Godslayer Shrine already bore the Name of God, unlike ordinary Longevity Plaques. Without the Unparalleled King's Secret Technique, it couldn't be used either.

The Unparalleled King could divulge those secrets so easily because he was confident that not many would know how to use the Godslayer Shrine, and certain that he wouldn't be able to obtain the Secret Technique elsewhere, thus speaking with such bold assurance.

"My lord has boundless divine force. Just now, I used all my strength to withstand a casual strike, and now my Light Energy is nearly exhausted. I'm afraid I can't help you out of this predicament for the time being. I will replenish my Light Energy as soon as I return and immediately come to assist you." With that, Li Xiu didn't wait for the Unparalleled King to react and immediately turned to leave the exit of the underground space.

"Bastard!" the Unparalleled King cursed angrily but didn't stop Li Xiu from leaving. Watching him go, the Unparalleled King's lips curled into a cold smile: "Besides me, probably no one else can teach you how to use the Godslayer Shrine. Sooner or later, you'll have to come back and beg me, for who can resist the allure of immortality?"

After leaving the underground space, Li Xiu closed the entrance to the tunnel and took out the Godslayer Shrine for a glance, only to see that there wasn't a single word on it.

"Old Sha, you heard everything the Unparalleled King said. What do you think?" Li Xiu asked, holding the shrine.

"I don't know... I don't remember..." Finally, characters began to appear on the Godslayer Shrine.

"Do you think what he said is possible?" Li Xiu asked again.

"I don't know... I think it's unlikely... How could I be that God of the Celestial Sea? If I really slaughtered the City of Love, how would I end up in this form? You experienced everything in the City of Love. If I were truly that mysterious person, would I be like this? It just doesn't make sense."

"Then you should think it over. Let's talk again when you figure it out." Li Xiu knew he probably wouldn't get much more out of any further questioning now.

What the Godslayer Shrine said wasn't entirely wrong. If it were indeed that mysterious person who wiped out the City of Love, why would it think to let him kill the mysterious person to save Little Bu'Er? It was inherently too contradictory.

But such a possibility couldn't be ruled out entirely, after all, the Godslayer Shrine itself admitted to memory loss. Perhaps it was that mysterious person, only it couldn't remember itself.

"If the Godslayer Shrine truly was the mysterious person, what exactly happened after the destruction of the City of Love? What turned it into its current form, sealed in the stone coffin of the small room?" Li Xiu thought that what the Unparalleled King said still seemed rather believable.

"I want to go to the Celestial Sea. Maybe there, I could find the answer," slowly appeared a line of text from the Godslayer Shrine.

Li Xiu inwardly smiled bitterly: "If you are indeed that mysterious person, and I take you to the Celestial Sea, once you recover your memory, how would I still have my life?"

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It seemed to have discerned Li Xiu's thoughts, as more words quickly appeared on the Godslayer Shrine: "Rest assured, even if I really am that True God, being trapped within this shrine means I cannot escape and pose no harm to you."

Li Xiu remained silent. Just because it couldn't escape now, didn't mean it couldn't break free after reaching the Celestial Sea.

"If you don't trust me, I can form a Symbiotic Contract with you. From now on, we will share one fate; if you die, I perish." The Godslayer Shrine clearly understood that mere words would never sway someone like Li Xiu.

"Very well." Li Xiu nodded slightly, as this seemed like the best approach for now.

"The method you mentioned to form a Symbiotic Contract, is it the method that the Unparalleled King spoke of?" Li Xiu thought for a moment and asked.

"I don't know, I only know the method. As for whether it grants immortality, I truly have no idea." The Godslayer Shrine was quite honest.

"What should I do?" Li Xiu asked.

"Use your blood to write your name on the back of the shrine." The Godslayer Shrine instructed.

"Isn't this just blood recognition? Is it really that simple?" Li Xiu was doubtful.

"Simple? If I didn't agree, even if you drained all your blood and soaked the shrine, it would be of no use." The Godslayer Shrine seemed a bit exasperated.

Li Xiu thought for a moment; there were no other options right now. The Celestial Sea journey was likely unavoidable, and without some kind of life-saving leverage, the journey would indeed be perilous.

Li Xiu cut his finger and used his blood to write the name "Li Xiu" on the back of the Godslayer Shrine.

A bizarre scene unfolded; previously, no matter what methods were used, not a single mark could be left on the shrine.

Yet, even this small amount of blood seemed to have an incredibly corrosive effect, quickly etching into the shrine.

Soon, the name "Li Xiu" was deeply engraved on the back of the shrine.

Though there was no dazzling change, Li Xiu suddenly felt a surge of information in his mind.

Upon deciphering the information, Li Xiu realized the Godslayer Shrine hadn't lied to him; this truly was a Symbiotic Contract. If he died, the spirit within the shrine would perish along with him.

Li Xiu couldn't figure out whether this was the immortal method mentioned by the Unparalleled King, and he certainly wouldn't be foolish enough to test it by risking suicide. If he couldn't come back, he'd die a moron's death.

After forming the Symbiotic Contract with the Godslayer Shrine, Li Xiu felt much more assured. Even if the entity inside the shrine was truly that True God, he now had some life-saving leverage.

"If what the Unparalleled King said is true, then Old Wu and the Blind Tailor must be far more powerful than mere Spirit Forging Level. Why did their power weaken so much in the City of Love? Perhaps only by restoring the Godslayer Shrine's memories can the answer be found." Li Xiu had resolved to venture to the Celestial Sea.

However, before going, he needed to enhance his strength as much as possible, to have more life-saving leverage. Relying on oneself was always better than relying on others.

Li Xiu planned to return to Changsheng Heaven immediately to find a way to hunt down Divine Position Demon Spirits, to aim for a genuine promotion to Divine Position before setting off for the Celestial Sea.

Only by genuinely ascending to Divine Position would he be able to control his fate in the Celestial Sea.

Upon returning to Changsheng Heaven, Li Xiu went directly to the City Lord's Mansion. Even if some families had information on Divine Position Demon Spirits, they wouldn't casually share it with him. Only the president might provide him with information on those spirits.

Since the president was urging him to risk his life in the Celestial Sea, he should at least provide some benefits. If he didn't, Li Xiu could easily find an excuse to refuse.

"Why are you here again?" the president asked, smiling at Li Xiu.

"President, I'd like some information on Divine Position Demon Spirits..." Li Xiu didn't get to finish before being interrupted.

The president pointed to a shelf in the study and said, "The third and fourth rows are all there, feel free to take a look."

Li Xiu was slightly stunned, surprised at the president's ready agreement.

"What, changed your mind?" the president asked with a half-smile.

"I want to see." Li Xiu didn't hesitate any longer, immediately going over and pulling the first book from the third row to read.

The president indeed hadn't lied. The book contained information on Divine Position Demon Spirits, detailing their abilities, weaknesses, and even the Land of Trial where they resided, with clear records of the Trial Gate's trial projects.

Li Xiu read through each book, every single one meticulously documenting a Divine Position Demon Spirit, with the third and fourth rows containing at least hundreds of books.

The more he read, the more puzzled he became. Such detailed information, if seen by other families, could help them kill these spirits.

This wealth of knowledge could allow Changsheng Heaven to grow far stronger than it was. Why hadn't the president released this information? Was it because he feared his position might be threatened with an increase in Divine Position Trial Takers?

"President, do all these spirits still exist?" Li Xiu questioned, suspecting the president might have already slain them, rendering the information useless.

"The records of slain spirits are on the first and second rows," the president replied with unexpected frankness.

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Li Xiu took out a book from the first shelf, flipped through it, and found that it indeed contained information about Divine Position Demon Spirits. However, at the end of the data, there were records of what items had been revealed by the slain ones.

Li Xiu didn't know why the president was being so accommodating today. He feared the president might go back on their word, so he hurriedly continued flipping through the data on the third and fourth shelf, trying to memorize as much as possible.

His Spiritual Sense was exceptionally strong; a quick glance was all he needed to remember everything word for word, so naturally, the more he remembered, the better.

"You can look at the materials anytime you want, but let me remind you of one thing," the president suddenly said.

"Please go ahead," Li Xiu looked at the president, unsure of what he intended to say.

The president calmly said, "Using two Divine Position Gemstones for contract advancement—if it fails, it will lead to contract termination and death. It's a once-only risk. It's best to find a Divine Position Gemstone matching the quality of your Life Contract. If two Divine Position Gemstones are necessary for advancement, you must choose carefully—ideally, those compatible or complementary to your Life Contract's attributes."

Li Xiu wasn't surprised. Since Guan Jinghao was the president's chosen one, it would be odd if the president did not know about their battle.

He had guessed at the time that maybe the president was watching him fight Guan Jinghao from nearby.

"What the president says is true. How does one distinguish the quality of a Divine Position Demon Spirit?" Li Xiu asked accordingly.

"Divine Position Level isn't like Spirit Casting with various forms to visually discern their rank, but it doesn't mean there isn't a hierarchy in Divine Position," the president glanced at the book in Li Xiu's hand and said: "For example, the Yin Spirit Beast you're looking at now is of the lowest class within the Divine Position Level—even if it reveals a Divine Position Gemstone, the quality is likely mediocre. The quality of a Divine Position Gemstone depends on three conditions: one being the demon spirit's natural talent. If it's a Radiant Demon Spirit advancing to a Divine Position, even though its power isn't the strongest among its peers, its Divine Position Gemstone is undoubtedly of high quality. Secondly, the strength of the demon spirit's Light of Truth. Even if the Divine Position Demon Spirit's talent is ordinary,

a strong enough Light of Truth can override inherent limitations and transform the Gemstone into one of extreme quality."

"What about the third condition?" Li Xiu had to ask when the president did not continue.

"There are Divine Position Demon Spirits whose talents and Light of Truth are weak, but due to certain coincidences, they undergo mutations. Such mutated Divine Position Demon Spirits have Gemstones of exceptionally high quality—like the orange Divine Position Gemstone you used, which is a mutated one," the president explained.

"Does this mean mutated Divine Position Gemstones are the best?" Li Xiu finally understood that it was a mutated Divine Position Gemstone.

"Not necessarily. Mutation can indeed enhance the quality of a Divine Position Gemstone, but the increase isn't fixed. If the original talent and Light of Truth are weak, and the mutation isn't profound, the mutated Gemstone's quality might not surpass a normal Radiant one."

The president looked at Li Xiu and continued, "Look at the seventh book on the fourth shelf and the thirty-fourth book on the fourth shelf; those demon spirits might be what you need."

"I have given instructions; you can come to read here anytime." With that, the president stood up and left the study room.

Li Xiu was slightly taken aback. He reached out and took the seventh and thirty-fourth books from the fourth shelf, flipping through their content.

These two books contained information on Divine Position Demon Spirits, both of which were mutated demon spirits—one named Blaze Demonic Overlord and the other Ice Bone Evil Spirit Beast.

After carefully reading the information on these two demon spirits, Li Xiu knew the president had already figured out the correlation between the Evil Spirit Token's Red-Blue Dual Cast Spirit and their contract; otherwise, he would not have recommended these two demon spirits to Li Xiu.

Blaze Demonic Overlord and Ice Bone Evil Spirit Beast are opposite in nature, perfectly complementing the Dual Cast Spirit attributes of the Evil Spirit Token.

If two Divine Position Gemstones were necessary for the Evil Spirit Token's advancement, then these two demon spirits' attributes were just right.

However, the drop rate of Divine Position Gemstones is very low, so how could the president be sure these two demon spirits would reveal them?

"Could it be that mutated demon spirits are guaranteed to reveal Divine Position Gemstones?" Li Xiu pondered various possibilities.

Divine Position Level does not have a rank division, so discerning which demon spirit is stronger cannot be done with the naked eye—the only way to assess the strength of Divine Position Demon Spirits is through the strength of their Light of Truth.

The stronger the Light of Truth, the stronger the Divine Position Demon Spirit.

The evaluations of Blaze Demonic Overlord and Ice Bone Yin Spirit Beast's Light of Truth are noted with just two words: "Extremely strong."

"What standard is 'extremely strong'? How does it compare to Guan Jinghao's Fallen God state?" Li Xiu had difficulty grasping such a vague note.

However, it is clear these two demon spirits, if not the top, are certainly of high rank within the Divine Position Level.

Fortunately, the data was detailed enough to include the characteristics of their Light of Truth.

The Light of Truth of Blaze Demonic Overlord, named "Apocalypse Furnace," is a fire attribute capable of incinerating everything under its blaze.

Ice Bone Yin Spirit Beast's Light of Truth is called "Absolute Stillness," capable of freezing everything in its icy grip.

The introduction to these two Lights of Truth includes a sentence: these mutated Lights of Truth are comparable to the Ten Great Divine Lights.

Even a simple introduction is enough to demonstrate the power of these Lights of Truth.

Li Xiu had seen several of the Ten Great Divine Lights and understood their formidable nature well.

That Apocalypse Furnace and Absolute Stillness do not fall short compared to the Ten Great Divine Lights indicates that defeating these two Divine Position Demon Spirits might be no simple task.

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Although he thought the two variant divine position demon spirits recommended by the president were indeed excellent choices, Li Xiu still insisted on reading all the books on the bookshelf.

Not only the third and fourth rows, but he also browsed the information about the already slain divine position demon spirits on the first and second rows.

This might be the only chance to review these materials carefully. If he really went to the Celestial Sea, he probably wouldn't have another opportunity to read them again.

Seizing this chance, Li Xiu frantically memorized these materials, which would undoubtedly be of great help to him in the future.

Fortunately, Li Xiu's spiritual sense was extraordinary, with an unparalleled memory; otherwise, these nearly thousand books would take who knows how long to memorize.

Having finished reading all the materials, it was already the morning of the second day.

The president hadn't returned, and after Li Xiu left alone, he already had made up his mind.

The president wasn't wrong at all; the Great Demon King of Hellfire and the Ice Bone Yin Spirit Beast were indeed the two most suitable demon spirits for the Evil Spirit Token. If he could acquire their divine position gemstones, the Evil Spirit Token should face no major obstacles in advancing to divine position.

Unfortunately, Li Xiu didn't just need the Evil Spirit Token to ascend to divine position; he himself needed divine position gemstones for his own advancement, and he might require even more than the Evil Spirit Token for divine position ascension.

Among those demon spirits' information, none perfectly matched the attributes needed for Li Xiu's own divine position advancement. In fact, even Li Xiu himself wasn't clear on what his body's attributes really were.

Since he couldn't find a demon spirit matching his own attributes, he could only aim to collect as many divine position gemstones as possible. By the time quantity could prevail even if the attributes weren't suitable; with Ultimate Light in hand, he needn't worry about conflicts arising from attribute mismatches.

Li Xiu had already set several targets in his mind. Without returning home, he went directly to Wansheng Town.

The first Trial Gate Li Xiu chose was called "Door of Despair." The difficulty of the Despair Trial Ground was quite high, and few trial takers opted to enter this Trial Gate.

He chose this place because, in the Land of Despair, there was a relatively weak divine position level demon spirit recorded in the information. After comprehensive comparisons, this demon spirit should be relatively easier to kill, and Li Xiu planned to practice on it first.

Directly using the Trial Badge, he activated a trial with an entry ticket reward. Upon entering the Trial Ground, a gigantic square screen with a side length of more than a hundred meters appeared in front of Li Xiu.

On that giant square screen, it was filled with mosaic-like small blocks, each differing in color, with each small block having a side length of only about five centimeters.

"Welcome to the Despair Trial Ground. The S-level trial is about to begin. The trial rules are as follows..."

Li Xiu didn't expect his luck to be so good, immediately randomizing into an S-level trial.

The trial rules were quite simple. The gigantic mosaic screen was Li Xiu's trial, covered with countless colorful mosaics, and he had six hundred seconds to memorize them. After six hundred seconds, the mosaic screen would turn completely black, and after another six hundred seconds, it would return to the colorful mosaic state. Li Xiu had to identify within sixty seconds the blocks on the mosaic screen that differed in color from before.

The rules didn't specify how many blocks had different colors in total. Given such limited time and numerous colorful blocks, for normal people, it might be impossible to even recall, let alone identify an uncertain number of changed blocks.

He must accurately find all the color-changing blocks, neither more nor less. Such a trial indeed can make ordinary people feel despair.

However, for Li Xiu, it wasn't difficult at all; he memorized the entire mosaic pattern by just looking at it once, genuinely recalling the color and position of each block without needing an abstract memory method.

Six hundred seconds passed quickly, and the screen turned black; another six hundred seconds passed, and the screen returned to its mosaic state.

Li Xiu didn't hesitate a bit, immediately identifying thirteen color-changing blocks, and successfully passed the S-level trial.

"The S-level despair trial is over. The trial taker can choose two types of rewards. Rewards are being randomly generated..."

After a while, four icons appeared on the screen, representing attributes, trial badge, talent, and entry ticket.

Li Xiu chose talent and entry ticket, randomly acquiring the S-level talent Chameleon, which allowed him to achieve an effect similar to invisibility by changing his body's color.

Li Xiu already possessed genuine invisible capabilities; chameleon talent wasn't very useful to him.

The entry ticket transformed into a colorful vortex in front of Li Xiu. Upon stepping into it, he once again arrived at the familiar stone table.

On the stone table, the Longevity Lamp emitted a faint yellow light, and beside it was placed a garment resembling the Seven-Colored Cloud Robe.

"It's actually a clothing-type contract..." Li Xiu was quite joyous, as ever since the last Ruqun was destroyed, he hadn't obtained any clothing-type contracts, and he didn't expect to get one here.

Li Xiu reached out and picked up the Seven-Colored Cloud Robe. For Li Xiu now, this was truly simple.

However, after picking up the contract emitting colored light, Li Xiu was a bit dumbfounded.

This wasn't a complete set of clothes as he imagined, but just a robe, with its style somewhat strange, having many ribbon-like things whose use wasn't clear.

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But wearing clothes is better than wandering around the Land of Trial all day in a tight white suit. Li Xiu immediately chose to contract with it.

The colorful glow on the robe erupted, with colorful light threads wrapping around Li Xiu's body, and the robe automatically donned.

Those colorful light threads wrapped around Li Xiu one by one; it didn't seem like a belt but rather like a binding strap, binding Li Xiu's entire body tightly.

If not for the fact that these threads did not impede Li Xiu's movement, he might have thought this was not clothes but a straitjacket for prisoners or mentally ill people.

Chaste Rainbow Robe: Parasitic Contract.

Quality: Glorious.

Primordial Embryo Quality: 0.9.

Level: E.

Talent Skill: Chaste Heroine.

"What... is this thing..." Li Xiu was stunned as he looked at the Chaste Rainbow Robe.

Chaste Heroine: If the master is chaste, the Chaste Rainbow Robe will receive protection from the Chaste Heroine spirit. If the master is not chaste, the Chaste Heroine spirit cannot be activated.

Li Xiu was speechless; such a ridiculous skill requiring the user to be chaste was simply laughable.

Fortunately, those colorful ribbons wrap Li Xiu's body inside the robe, making them invisible from the outside and having no impact, better than not having clothes at all.

Wearing the colorful rainbow robe, Li Xiu followed the Longevity Lamp into the darkness, soon falling into absolute darkness and, when the surrounding environment lit up again, Li Xiu found himself in a mushroom forest.

Wherever he looked, there were colorful mushrooms of various sizes—incredibly large ones akin to buildings and tiny ones only as big as Li Xiu's fingernails.

Gazing into the distance, it seemed like an endless ancient forest without boundaries.

Li Xiu had already studied the materials about this place and knew of the existence of this colorful mushroom forest, but seeing this fairy tale-like stunning scenery, he couldn't help but marvel.

However, Li Xiu was very cautious, directly summoning the Forbidden Spear, with Blood Vine Spirit spreading over his body, forming Flower Armor.

It looked beautiful, but hidden dangers lurked everywhere. Most Demon Spirits of the Land of Despair have camouflaging abilities, hiding in the mushroom forest. A careless moment could lead to an ambush by Demon Spirits hidden who knows where.

Li Xiu discerned the direction and headed toward what was mentioned in the materials.

Along the way, there were colorful mushrooms everywhere, dazzling and making it difficult for ordinary people to spot the Demon Spirits hidden in the mushroom forest.

Li Xiu hadn't walked far before stopping, seeing round white mushrooms the size of water vats ahead, with fist-sized red dots atop them, looking very dreamlike.

Upon closer inspection, one would realize those fist-sized red dots were not spots on the mushrooms but round, blood-red beetles.

Li Xiu directly wielded the Forbidden Spear, in Gatling mode, firing at those red beetles on the white mushrooms.

With the blasts from the light bullets, swarms of red-glowing beetles flew off the white mushrooms.

The beetles emitted red flames from their bodies and their eyes shot red beam-like rays, numerous and appearing as a red cloud in the sky.

Fortunately, their level wasn't very high, not reaching Light Base level, and under the Gatling fire, many beetles fell from the sky.

A red light flashed at Li Xiu's waist, and the Fire Lotus Sword automatically flew out, unleashing layers of blooming sword light like a lotus, destroying all the beams and beetles.

Within moments, the swarm of beetles was eliminated, leaving many Demon Cores and beetle corpses on the ground, even yielding a few Talent Gemstones and a Demon Spirit Ring.

After exterminating all the beetles and ensuring no other hidden Demon Spirits nearby, Li Xiu collected the items before continuing his journey through the mushroom forest.

The reason Li Xiu didn't use sword flight with the Fire Lotus Sword was that the mushroom forest hadn't been fully explored, with materials only documenting a small portion of the area.

If he flew directly on the sword and got discovered by Demon Spirits in the mushroom forest, who knows what might be provoked.

This Land of Despair might not just have that one Divine Position Demon Spirit.

Li Xiu continued moving through the mushroom forest, soon spotting a Demon Spirit with sharp spikes all over its body, hidden among grass-like mushrooms. He controlled the Fire Lotus Sword to directly slice it in half.

It turned out to be a Light Base Demon Spirit, dropping a Light Base level Talent Gemstone.

Li Xiu was very careful along the way, not fully trusting the materials on the mushroom forest.

Blindly trusting experience can be fatal, especially when the mushroom forest hasn't been thoroughly explored.

Throughout the journey, Li Xiu killed many Demon Spirits, but apart from the Light Base one, he didn't encounter any Super Spirits.

High-level Demon Spirits are not easily encountered on any Land of Trial.

Suddenly, Li Xiu noticed movement again in the mushroom cluster ahead and immediately wielded the Forbidden Spear, crazily shooting in that direction.

"Commander... don't shoot... it's me..." Amid the wild light bullet barrage, a voice that seemed familiar to Li Xiu suddenly came from the direction.

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A person rolled out from the mushroom cluster, using a lazy donkey roll to dodge the sweep of the Forbidden Spear.

"Why are you here?" Li Xiu recognized who it was and couldn't help being slightly taken aback.

The one climbing up from the ground was none other than Jiuxiao Yun.

Jiuxiao Yun brushed the dirt and slime off his body. During his roll, he had crushed quite a few mushrooms on the ground, and the juice seeping from those mushrooms was all over him.

Fortunately, the juice from those mushrooms didn't have any peculiar smell; it even had a faint fragrance. However, it was too sticky and difficult to clean.

Jiuxiao Yun rubbed for quite a while but couldn't wipe off the juice, and said gloomily, "Han Minghui spent a lot of money inviting me to help. Commander, why are you here too? Did Han Minghui invite you as well? Why didn't she mention it earlier?"

"What did Han Minghui ask you to help with?" Li Xiu was slightly taken aback.

"What else could it be? She wants to kill the Divine Position Demon Spirit, otherwise, why would she spend a lot of money to get me here." Jiuxiao Yun asked with some surprise, "Weren't you invited by Han Minghui? Then what are you doing here? You're not planning to steal her Demon Spirit, are you? High, truly high, a commander is indeed a commander. Are you planning to wait until Han Minghui and the Divine Position Demon Spirit are mutually damaged and then take advantage..."

"I had no idea Han Minghui was coming here to kill the Divine Position Demon Spirit." Li Xiu said to Jiuxiao Yun, "Did she ask you to kill the Divine Position Demon Spirit? Isn't that a bit too reckless?"

Jiuxiao Yun suddenly felt depressed and said, "Although I indeed have no capability to kill the Divine Position Demon Spirit and was just invited to explore, Commander, what you said is somewhat hurtful."

Li Xiu laughed and said, "So she recruited you to explore the path; she found the right person then. Who else did Han Minghui invite? Where does she plan to kill the Divine Position Demon Spirit?"

"Besides me, Han Minghui invited six others; the other five are Spirit Forging Level big shots from various families. Even if you haven't met them, you should have heard their names. The other one you should be familiar with is Wan Chaocun from the Wan Family." Jiuxiao Yun said.

"Sister Chun also came." Li Xiu was slightly surprised.

Han Minghui was scavenged for so many treasures by him, yet still had the capital to invite so many Spirit Forging Level big shots, even inviting Wan Chaocun who had grievances with the Han Family; she definitely has some means.

"The Divine Position Demon Spirit she wants to kill is nearby; I'm searching for it now. Han Minghui said it's nearby, but the exact location is hard to say, since the Demon Spirit isn't an inanimate object and can't stay in one place forever."

Hearing Jiuxiao Yun's words, Li Xiu was considerably relieved. The Divine Position Demon Spirit he was after wasn't in the Mushroom Forest; he had to pass through here to find it, so it shouldn't be the same target as Han Minghui's group.

As the two were speaking, Han Minghui and others searching for the Demon Spirit in other directions seemed to hear the commotion and came rushing over.

Han Minghui was slightly taken aback seeing Li Xiu, while Wan Chaocun was all smiles.

"Brother Xiu, why did you come here?" Wan Chaocun, full of charm, made every frown and smile feel like a comforting breeze.

"Sister Chun, I came here for some matters, didn't expect to encounter you." Li Xiu said.

Hearing this, Han Minghui's face changed slightly, and she frowned, saying, "Commander Li, I've given you everything you wanted. Surely you don't plan to annihilate me, even snatching the Divine Position Demon Spirit I've researched for so long?"

"I indeed came to kill a Divine Position Demon Spirit." Once Li Xiu said this, Han Minghui's face became even more unpleasant, as if she had swallowed a fly, feeling uncomfortable yet irate, making her originally charming features nearly scrunch up.

"But rest assured, the Divine Position Demon Spirit I'm after isn't in the Mushroom Forest. I have no intention of stealing yours." Li Xiu added.

Han Minghui's face eased slightly hearing Li Xiu, though she couldn't fully trust him, probing, "Where exactly is the Divine Position Demon Spirit Commander Li is after? I'm quite familiar with this place and might be able to help a bit."

"No need; the Divine Position Demon Spirit I'm after is outside the Mushroom Forest. I've already researched the location thoroughly, so I won't trouble you." Li Xiu said.

"Brother Xiu, you going alone to kill the Divine Position Demon Spirit is rather dangerous; why not wait a bit, let me finish things here and accompany you?" Wan Chaocun seemed in high spirits, perhaps paying a significant price to bring her here.

Li Xiu was about to refuse when Han Minghui suddenly said, "If Commander Li is willing to assist me, the things you previously borrowed from the Han Family can be written off."

Han Minghui's proposition somewhat surprised Li Xiu.

Han Minghui spent so much yet only asks for help to kill a Divine Position Demon Spirit to offset it; it's unlike her usual ways.

After all, the chance of a Divine Position Demon Spirit dropping a Divine Position Gemstone is quite low; the likelihood of it appearing by killing a single Demon Spirit is extremely low.

Li Xiu had promised Han Minghui to get her a Divine Position Gemstone in the future, and now she forfeited this chance, opting for Li Xiu's assistance, which seemed rather odd.

"Vice President Han, have you encountered any trouble?" Li Xiu frowned.

"To be honest, I have encountered some difficulties. The Divine Position Demon Spirit I've been researching for so long has been found, but unfortunately, there's been an accident. The Divine Position Demon Spirit has undergone some peculiar changes, seemingly mutated. Despite the assistance of these few, things initially seemed certain, but now there are troubles..." Han Minghui candidly disclosed her current predicament.

Han Minghui seemed to already have some understanding of Li Xiu, knowing that this person can't be coerced but must be reasoned with.

Having told Li Xiu everything now, Li Xiu actually felt reluctant to seize her mutated Divine Position Demon Spirit.

"Mutated?" Li Xiu was quite surprised at the news.

The chance of a mutated Divine Position Demon Spirit occurring is even lower than that of a Divine Position Gemstone appearing; Han Minghui encountering such an event was unexpected.

"No wonder Han Minghui is willing to exchange my promise for assistance; my previous deduction might be correct that a mutated Divine Position Demon Spirit must drop a Divine Position Gemstone." Li Xiu pondered internally.

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"What kind of demon spirit is that?" Li Xiu asked.

Anyway, they were there to try their luck with the God-level demon spirits; which one they took down didn't matter, as long as the risk wasn't too great. Helping Han Minghui wasn't a big deal.

He planned to go after the two mutated demon spirits introduced by the president later. If he had the chance, trying out the limits of a mutated Divine Position demon spirit first wouldn't be a bad idea.

Han Minghui, not hiding anything, explained the situation of the Divine Position demon spirit she had been observing and studying in detail.

The demon spirit frequently appeared in the Mushroom Forest and possessed strong color camouflage abilities. However, that wasn't unusual, as most demon spirits in the Mushroom Forest had similar abilities.

The troublesome part was that this demon spirit had a strong splitting ability. Its combat capabilities were considered relatively weak among the Divine Position Level, but it could continuously split into clones. Although the clones weren't as strong as the main body, they could still use the Light of Truth, which was beyond the capability of a regular Spirit Forging Level to handle.

Originally, the demon spirit's splitting ability had quite a few restrictions. According to Han Minghui's research, creating a clone required at least ten minutes each time, and the clones had a time limit on their existence.

Han Minghui had already devised a strategy. As long as they could stall the first clone long enough to find the hiding place of the main body, they could use prearranged methods and teamwork to encircle and kill it.

However, upon arrival this time, they unexpectedly discovered that the demon spirit had mutated, significantly enhancing both its main and clone abilities. How much stronger it had become, Han Minghui wasn't sure.

The only relief was that Han Minghui knew the chance of a mutated Divine Position demon spirit producing a Divine Position Gemstone was extremely high, so she was willing to trade the opportunity for Li Xiu's promised Divine Position Gemstone.

"Since even Vice President Han doesn't know the true power of the mutated demon spirit, I can only promise to do my best to help. Whether it will succeed depends on you," Li Xiu said.

"Commander Li and everyone can rest assured, if it's not feasible, I won't force it," Han Minghui said.

Although Han Minghui said this, the others were not overly optimistic.

If they were entangled by that mutated Divine Position demon spirit, they might not even have the chance to retreat.

"President Han, it's not that I don't want to help, but we initially agreed to deal with a God-level demon spirit. Now that it has mutated, its power becomes unpredictable. It's really unwise to keep risking ourselves; it would be better to consider it carefully." Mo Wuya said.

Several other Spirit Forging Level big shots echoed, none of them willing to risk their lives.

No matter how many benefits Han Minghui offered, they needed to be alive to enjoy them.

Li Xiu stood on the side silently. Mo Wuya was a notable master of the Mo Family and also the Commander of the Longevity Group. If anything happened to him, the Mo Family would suffer significant losses. So his caution was understandable.

Han Minghui felt a bit frustrated. The reason she was so eager to involve Li Xiu and was so forthright about it was mainly because Mo Wuya and the others were already inclined to withdraw. She had hoped that Li Xiu's participation might change their minds, but it seemed not to be of much use.

"Commander Mo, we can first test it out, and if it seems unfeasible, I won't force anyone," Han Minghui said.

"Vice President Han, I'm really sorry. This differs from our original agreement; as Commander Mo suggested, we should reconsider our approach. I'll refund the deposit I received when I return." Liu Yingzhen bowed in apology.

Other Spirit Forging Level big shots also indicated their intention to withdraw.

"There's no need for this, everyone. It was my oversight in investigating the matter. It's unrelated to you all, no need to refund the deposit. Let's consider future cooperation if there's another chance." Han Minghui also understood they couldn't be blamed; nobody would risk their life for a bit of benefit.

After Mo Wuya and the others took their leave, only Li Xiu, Wan Chaocun, Jiuxiao Yun, Han Minghui, and another Spirit Forging Level elder from the Han Family, Han Yu-Tong, remained.

"Minghui, this is no longer viable. Let's plan for another time." Han Yu-Tong, Han Minghui's uncle, also wanted to withdraw after seeing the situation.

"I'm sorry for the trouble, Uncle." Han Minghui said.

"Your affairs are Han Family's affairs, which are also my affairs. There's no need for such formalities. We'll talk again when there's another opportunity," Han Yu-Tong said as he took his leave.

After Han Yu-Tong left, Han Minghui said to Wan Chaocun and Li Xiu, "I apologize to both of you. We can't proceed with this."

"Vice President Han, do you really plan to give up?" Li Xiu suddenly asked.

"As you can see, what else can I do if I don't give up?" Han Minghui said with a bitter smile.

"If Vice President Han still has the will, I can accompany you for a closer look to see if there's a chance," Li Xiu said.

Han Minghui was slightly taken aback, "It's just the two of us; it would be too risky to fight that mutated demon spirit."

"Brother Li, there's no need to rush things," Wan Chaocun also advised from the side.

Their prior plan was to encircle and kill the Divine Position demon spirit with combined efforts. Now that so many people had left, their actual combat power was only the three of them. Jiuxiao Yun was only responsible for scouting and didn't participate in the actual encirclement. They were too few in numbers.

Moreover, since the Divine Position demon spirit had mutated, even if those Spirit Forging Level big shots hadn't left, they still wouldn't be confident.

"There's no harm in taking a look." Mutated Divine Position demon spirits were extremely rare, with records of less than ten among the nearly thousand Divine Position demon spirits documented by the president. Naturally, Li Xiu didn't want to give up this opportunity.