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### Chapter 1721: Seed of Attaining the Dao Law

Under the Void Teleportation, Chen Mobai instantaneously arrived at the entrance of the Five Peaks Immortal Mountains.

Before long, a leader from the property management came out to greet him personally. It was a Golden Core Master named Jiang Jin. Chen Mobai estimated he was also one of the descendants of Divinity Transformation residing here.

“Greetings to Elder Chunyang.”

Upon seeing Chen Mobai, Jiang Jin immediately showed respect and led the way.

It was apparent that there had already been a notification from Gathering-Immortals Peak, but with Chen Mobai’s status, he could freely come and go from these Five Peaks Immortal Mountains.

Along a quiet path, the two quickly arrived at the location of Gathering-Immortals Peak.

Chen Chun was already waiting at the foot of the mountain. Upon seeing Chen Mobai, she immediately bowed and then said to Jiang Jin, “Thank you for your hard work, Master Jiang.”

Jiang Jin repeatedly waved his hand, indicating it was his duty, and then also bid farewell to Chen Mobai.

“Master is waiting on the mountain, please this way, Elder!”

Chen Chun turned to indicate the path, and Chen Mobai nodded, climbing the familiar stone steps toward the mountaintop.

This time, Leading Star Ancestor was surprisingly waiting before the portal. He wore ordinary casual clothes, standing with his back to them, evidently observing the portal.

“Ancestor!”

After reaching the end of the stone steps, Chen Mobai greeted Leading Star Ancestor.

It was precisely at this moment that he noticed the portal was already half-open, and even without using Echoes in the Void, he could clearly sense the vast void fluctuations.

Upon hearing the voice, Leading Star Ancestor turned around, his face wearing a relaxed smile with a hint of satisfaction in his eyes: “I heard you’ve comprehended the Tian Shu and achieved quite a yield, even mastering the Void Teleportation, demonstrating youthful promise.”

Upon hearing this, Chen Mobai immediately responded with humility: “Ancestor overpraises me, I was merely fortunate.”

The two manuals, “Phoenix Seal” and “Purple Green,” were both comprehended and cultivated, and “Dao Principles” and “Universe” coincidentally matched his strengths. Being able to comprehend these four heavenly books did indeed require luck.

Leading Star Ancestor gently waved his hand, and instantly, a table and chairs descended. After seating himself, he gestured for Chen Mobai to sit as well.

The two sat on opposite sides of the stone table. Leading Star Ancestor directly got to the point: “To what extent have you comprehended the Taoist Laws Sure-book?”

Before arriving, Chen Mobai had already contemplated this matter, and with his response prepared, he answered without hesitation: “Reporting to Ancestor, I have comprehended the nuances of rules and the Fruit of Dao’s Rule transformed from them through the Taoist Laws Sure-book. I also understand that rules are the Immortal Gate’s attempt to materialize the Great Tao’s laws. The Taoist Seed grows, sprouts, and bears fruit under the nurturing of a continuous civilization, ultimately being refined by our Immortal Sect Disciples and becoming Divinity Transformation that relies on the multitude of beings in the Immortal Gate.”

Upon hearing this, Leading Star Ancestor's brow slightly arched. Chen Mobai's words indeed revealed the essence of Immortal Gate's rules.

"It seems that you are very attuned to the rules. Otherwise, you wouldn't have comprehended to such an extent."

After saying this, Leading Star Ancestor waved his hand, and a cyan-gold orb, like a tangled ball of countless threads, appeared in his palm, emitting frightful and alarming pulses.

Leading Star Ancestor: "This is the rules!"

Looking at the Fruit of Dao's Rule, Chen Mobai's eyes also revealed a sense of yearning.

In a certain sense, this was the most precious thing of the Immortal Gate, able to secure the bottom line for a Huashen Zhenjun. Even though he claimed to have the Qualification of Deification, whether he could succeed in Divinity Transformation, he did not have complete confidence. Thus, before Leading Star Ancestor, he did not conceal his yearning for the rules.

"With the talent you have demonstrated, there is surely a probability for Divinity Transformation. If you refine the rules, it would be almost inevitable, but this path is incomplete, do you need it?"

As the Heaven Pillar of the Immortal Gate, Leading Star Ancestor was well aware that one day he would leave here to pursue higher realms in the depths of the starry sky, so before departing, he wanted to nurture new Divinity Transformations for the Immortal Gate as much as possible.

And the Divinity Transformation of a True Monarch who refines the rules is most suitable for safeguarding the Immortal Gate because the foundation of such Divinity Transformation is the myriad of beings in the Immortal Gate.

"I want to try self-achieving Divinity Transformation first. If I fail, then I'll refine the rules."

Facing Leading Star Ancestor, Chen Mobai dared not utter any insincere words, conveying his true thoughts.

“As I thought, when you reach the Nascent Soul Seventh Layer, I will use the Guidance Book to help you calculate the probability of breaking through to Divinity Transformation.”

Leading Star Ancestor’s words prompted Chen Mobai to rise and express his gratitude.

In the Immortal Gate, as long as one can break through to the Nascent Soul Seventh Layer, they can generally complete the Nascent Soul and reach the threshold of Divinity Transformation. At that time, the foundation will be established, and predictions with the realm of infinity will have minimal deviation.

The refinement of the rules follows the same principle.

“By the way, Ancestor, there’s one more thing. I have also obtained a method from the Taoist Laws Sure-book to let the Fruit of Dao’s Rule re-divide and form new seeds. I’m thinking, could this be used to cultivate a second or even a third Fruit of Dao’s Rule for the Immortal Gate?”

Seeing that Leading Star Ancestor was about to take back the Fruit of Dao’s Rule in his hand, after much deliberation, Chen Mobai decided this opportunity was too precious, and spoke out the thought he had prepared before coming.

“Oh, you’ve even comprehended this?”

Leading Star Ancestor was slightly astonished to hear this, for this understanding had also been realized by the two previous generations of rule-refining Divinity Transformations of the Immortal Gate from the Taoist Laws Sure-book.

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But they only obtained this from the Tian Shu after becoming Divinity Transformation.

Chen Mobai, being just a Nascent Soul, could comprehend it, showing his degree of alignment with the cosmic rules, probably even above Taiyuan and Big Tree.

Thinking about the fact that he also has the Stat Fire, Leading Star Ancestor couldn't help but nod inwardly.

At the very least, this little fellow before him can definitely refine the rules to become Divinity Transformation.

"Ancestor, given the impending cosmic war, and in case the opposing world is as strong and evil as Ming Wang Star, I believe it's necessary to enhance the strength of the Immortal Gate. How about letting me refine a Taoist Seed first so I can adapt to the power of the rules? This way, if needed to refine the rules later, I can save the trouble of integration."

Chen Mobai voiced his true purpose, which was a very legitimate reason.

Indeed, if it's a Ming Wang Star type of otherworld, the determining factor of victory will unquestionably be the Deity-Transcending True Monarch.

And refining the rules is the fastest way to gain Divinity Transformation power.

"Originally, this was something only the Three Hall Masters could possess, but for you, granting it ahead isn't impossible."

Leading Star Ancestor made a statement that surprised Chen Mobai.

The Taoist Seed is actually standard for the Three Hall Masters!

Leading Star Ancestor said, "The three masters of the Immortal Gate were originally candidates to refine the rules. After sitting in that position, they nurture the Taoist Seed. If they can fully align and make the seed thrive, the possibility of refining the rules is quite high."

Upon hearing this, Chen Mobai showed an enlightened expression.

No wonder so many Nascent Soul cultivators are willing to give up secluded cultivation and serve as the Three Hall Masters, for it's the path to refining rules into Divinity Transformation.

At this moment, Leading Star Ancestor's other hand opened, swiftly a deep azure Taoist Seed emerged out of nowhere, landing in his palm.

"The civilization of the Immortal Gate can nurture at most one Fruit of Dao's Rule, but there are several Taoist Seeds. The one in my hand was taken when Lin Daoming left, and now has been re-refined."

While speaking, the Taoist Seed in his palm flew towards Chen Mobai, who immediately raised his hands and used the insights from the Taoist Laws Sure-book to form a bowl-like shape to receive the seed.

"Thank you, Ancestor!"

Chen Mobai sincerely thanked Leading Star Ancestor. Although it's something the Three Hall Masters have, Chen Mobai only being the Deputy Hall Master of the Dharma Hall makes this a great favor.

"Though this item isn't few, it's still precious to our Immortal Gate. Your ability to comprehend the Taoist Laws Sure-book shows you have a strong connection with the rules. Giving it to you today is in hopes you will always remember the Immortal Gate and its beings, and not forget your roots."

Upon hearing Leading Star Ancestor's words, Chen Mobai's expression turned solemn as he nodded earnestly.

"I definitely will not let down the Immortal Gate."

Finished discussing the Taoist Laws Sure-book, Leading Star Ancestor then inquired about the Universe Scripture, which he was most concerned about.

After all, the portal was currently in motion, possibly revealing more secrets of this supreme treasure.

"To report to the Ancestor, my understanding of the Universe Scripture is superficial, still just the Great Void Transference and Void Avatar Technique..."

Chen Mobai spoke honestly, as Leading Star Ancestor was already familiar with the Great Void Transference; he simply described it briefly, focusing more on the Void Avatar Technique.

This technique had never been comprehended by anyone from the Universe Scripture within the Immortal Gate, establishing Chen Mobai's status as a legitimate genius.

"This Void Avatar Technique is not only related to Great Void Transference but can also be applied to other space techniques."

Hearing this, Leading Star Ancestor soon discovered its deeper significance.

Chen Mobai hadn't thought of this, quickly asking humbly for advice.

"For instance, opening and closing portals theoretically require Nascent Soul cultivators to achieve, but if a God-Transcending cultivator is willing to risk their life, it's still barely possible. The main danger here is the backlash power of the portal. If a separate Sixth Rank Spiritual Object is used to replace and bear this, then I can freely control the opening and closing of the portal."

On hearing Leading Star Ancestor's words, Chen Mobai instantly thought of the Great Chun Tree, as within the Immortal Gate, there are very few legitimate Sixth Stage Spiritual Objects, and this tree is the most renowned. Moreover, its life vigor indicated by the Lasting Spring Cultivation makes it best suited to withstand backlash.

Could Leading Star Ancestor be thinking of refining the Great Chun Tree into a life source of spiritual value?

This thought suddenly flashed in Chen Mobai's mind.

If so, would Wen Ren Xuewei's cultivation with the Lasting Spring Cultivation encounter issues?

But Chen Mobai could only speculate.

If Leading Star Ancestor planned to do this, Bai Guang wouldn't emerge to stop him.

Afterward, the two discussed other Taoist Sure-books.

During the conversation, Chen Mobai realized that the Huashen Ancestor before him had managed to comprehend a bit from all six sure-books except for the Mahayana Book.

Even though Leading Star Ancestor humbly credited the Guidance Book, Chen Mobai understood that his incomparable talent was the key.

After all, Chen Mobai himself had attempted to interpret the sure-books using the Guidance Book but only succeeded in analyzing the Taoist Laws Sure-book due to the Crown of Heaven and Earth, with the other six showing no effect.

Truly a mighty figure in the Immortal Gate environment who achieved the Way of God Transformation.

Chen Mobai felt even more reverence for Leading Star Ancestor.

"Well, that's it. In the future, you can send me messages directly regarding any matter."

The conversation winding down, Leading Star Ancestor took the initiative to conclude.

Chen Mobai nodded immediately, then was escorted down the mountain by Chen Chun.

Since Shi Wanyu and her daughter are not next door, Chen Mobai didn't visit Yu Huiping but returned directly to his Rank-4 courtyard in Wangwu Cave Heaven.

His return naturally sparked another uproar.

Especially in the Xianwu Hall, where Ying Guanghua wore a worried expression.

He had received the contents of Leading Star Ancestor's conversation with Chen Mobai and knew that the latter had comprehended even the Taoist Laws Sure-book.

A single person mastering four great Sure-books, not just scratching the surface but truly grasping the essence, is an achievement only attainable by Deity-Transcending True Monarchs throughout history.

Yet, Chen Mobai achieved it with a mere Nascent Soul Realm.

This made Ying Guanghua extremely anxious, for if the Immortal Gate's third deity is also from the Weapon Dancing Sect, then their Heaven-Repairing Lineage might have to hibernate for over a thousand years before rising again.

But he had no way to address this.

For clearly, his biggest supporter, Leading Star Ancestor, also welcomed Chen Mobai's Divinity Transformation.

At this moment, Ying Guanghua suddenly apprehended a premonition regarding the future.

It seemed that after Leading Star Bai Guang, the one enveloping the Immortal Gate with sky would be Mobai's black sky.

Chen Mobai naturally was unaware of Ying Guanghua's concern stemming from his meeting with Leading Star Ancestor; after meeting with the people from Wangwu Cave Heaven Weapon Dancing Sect, he and the specially arriving Yunyang Bing left Di Yuan Star together.

Outside the Sky Curtain Ground Network Formation is the vast starriver, endless Taixu.

Immortal Sect Disciples must undergo extremely rigorous scrutiny to leave the heavenly curtain's covering.

But for Chen Mobai, this was just a mere process.

Yunyang Bing used recycling space debris, conserving resources as his reason to have Chen Mobai assist in capturing ancient satellites outside the heavenly curtain for research, to see if they could be repurposed.

Now within the Three Great Halls of the Immortal Gate, any mention of Chen Mobai's name means an open path.

Because he had to take Yunyang Bing along, Chen Mobai refrained from using Great Void Transference and could only pilot Tai Yi Wu Yan Luo to fly away from the heavenly curtain.

Standing in space, gazing at Di Yuan Star, Chen Mobai was touched in his heart and mind.

"Esteemed one, that is one of our targets."

At this moment, Yunyang Bing's voice echoed in his ear, and Chen Mobai followed his direction to see a silver-gray canopy-shaped satellite.

Chapter 1723: Transformation into an Outer Demon

After retrieving the first satellite into his own domain, Chen Mobai flew towards the more distant starry sky from the Earth Element Star with Yunyang Bing.

The universe is infinitely deep and contains endless mysteries.

Even with Chen Mobai's cultivation level at the Nascent Soul Realm, he felt intensely small within the boundless darkness of the Vast Starry Sky.

The Five-Colored Clouds formed by Tai Yi Wu Yan Luo, like aurora borealis, dragged out a long tail in the dark starry sky. Before reaching another silver-grey satellite, it transformed into a gigantic five-colored hand that could cover the stars and sun, effortlessly grasping it and dragging it into the open void.

Since he was here this time, he definitely needed to get the job done perfectly in one go.

Chen Mobai had calculated using the Square Inch Book that with seven satellites arranged in the Eastern Wilderness sky, they could form the Small Heavenly Curtain Beidou Star Array. The signal should be able to cover the Three Regions of the Eastern Continent Frontier and Yun Meng Ze, and even some parts of the Ruins.

Therefore, the target this time is to collect more than seven abandoned satellites.

After all, these have been abandoned in the starry sky for too long, and Yunyang Bing can't guarantee that they can definitely be repaired upon retrieval, so it's necessary to collect a few more.

During this process, Yunyang Bing was also taking the opportunity to verify his learning in arrays.

The Immortal Gate's Formation Dao is divided into Heaven, Earth, and Man.

Among these, the core of the Sky Array is to take the Creation of Heaven and Earth and exhaust the mysteries of the universe.

Heaven and Earth can be seen, but the universe and stars are difficult to experience personally.

In the Immortal Gate, aside from researchers, only Nascent Soul Cultivators have the power to traverse the starry sky.

If not for being brought by Chen Mobai, Yunyang Bing, even with the opportunity for research, could at most stay within the isolation Magic Artifact and barely perceive and attempt the vastness of the universe — unlike now, where under the protection of Tai Yi Wu Yan Luo, he could freely reach out and carefully perceive the darkness and coldness of the starry sky.

During the journey, Chen Mobai observed Yunyang Bing pulling back his numb hands more than once, yet his face carried an unprecedentedly happy smile.

After several times, Chen Mobai saw the thumb nail of Yunyang Bing's right hand revealing pale silver starlight.

This was his success in refining the array into the body, absorbing the starlight.

With this, in the future, even while on the Earth Element Star, he could use this as a foundation to channel starlight through the Heavenly Curtain, strengthening himself continuously.

And following this star-absorbing array, Chen Mobai noticed that Yunyang Bing had refined an array never seen before on another nail.

Upon asking, he found out that this array was named "Purple Qi Eastern Arrival"!

It was used for condensing Pure Yang Purple Qi, and in the environment of the Cosmic Starry Sky, without the interception of the Heavenly Curtain, Yunyang Bing, on his first attempt, felt the efficiency was almost ten times that on the Earth Element Star.

But shortly afterward, Yunyang Bing's nail embedded with the Purple Qi Eastern Arrival array emitted a charred smell.

Seeing this scene, Chen Mobai immediately intervened to stop the continuous influx of Solar Essence.

"The Heavenly Curtain is both a hindrance and a protection. At your current realm, condensing Pure Yang Purple Qi cannot be so abundant,"

Chen Mobai's words led Yunyang Bing to nod in agreement, and the latter casually removed his nail and applied a bottle of ointment to promote healing.

"It's good to have you by my side; otherwise, I definitely wouldn't absorb so much Solar Essence,"

Yunyang Bing spoke, taking advantage of having Chen Mobai, a Nascent Soul Superior, alongside him, testing many initially theoretical ideas regarding refining the array into the body while searching for abandoned satellites.

"Let me try."

Chen Mobai was also curious about the Purple Qi Eastern Arrival array.

This array, created by Yunyang Bing, combines formation with the Pure Yang Scroll, specifically for refining and condensing Pure Yang Purple Qi, but it was still incomplete, lacking the adjustment adaptation ability for human limits.

According to Yunyang Bing's concept, after refining the Purple Qi Eastern Arrival array into his body, he would just need to activate it for the array to automatically adjust the amount of Solar Essence absorbed based on his body's tolerance.

He was now continually testing and verifying, but the situation was not ideal; it still required cultivators themselves to use Divine Sense for control adjustment.

"When you have time after forming your core, you can go study the Square Inch Book. If aided further by the Heavenly Calculation Bead, this new array might end up close to your concept,"

With Chen Mobai's learning ability from the Square Inch Book and Yunyang Bing's comprehensive teaching, it didn't take long for him to master it. After trying, he discovered the refining efficiency was nearly comparable to him, a Nascent Soul cultivator.

He also offered his own insights.

Due to the Cosmic Starry Sky being filled everywhere with various sun and moon starlight, the efficiency of condensing Pure Yang Purple Qi is very high, but it also depends on the cultivator's own limits; it's easy to go overboard if not careful.

Chen Mobai estimated that with this array and the additional support of Drink has ceremony, he could condense a complete Pure Yang Purple Qi in about five or six years.

If he were in the Eastern Wilderness, with the assistance of the Haotian Mirror, he could even cut the time in half.

Although Pure Yang Purple Qi has the greatest effect for cultivators of the Pure Yang Scroll on their own condensing, it is also useful for other cultivators. In the future, when Chen Mobai has time, he can arrange it to aid breakthroughs for people around him.

"Not everyone is as talented as you; I've been practicing the Square Inch Book but still can't quite grasp it."

Yunyang Bing listened and replied with a wry smile.

All the cultivators of the Immortal Gate knew the power of the Guidance Book. Back then, Ancestor Qian Xing, a graduate of the Primordial Elemental Academy, went to study Patching Heaven for this book, and Chen Mobai did the same.

However, there are differences between people. After Yunyang Bing accumulated enough points to download it, he also tried for decades, yet he always hovered outside the threshold.

"In fact, there are techniques for cultivating the Guidance Book. You should try it using your most skilled aspects. When I studied it, I was confused and couldn't succeed, but later, when I relaxed and meditated while secluded at home, I suddenly achieved it..."

Chen Mobai, unable to resist his tendency to mentor, shared his experiences of cultivating the Guidance Book with Yunyang Bing.

Back then, it was during a great battle in the Eastern Wilderness and Nanxuan Jing that he entered the Guidance Book with a single sword.

"Then I'll go back and try it your way."

Yunyang Bing nodded after listening.

However, in his view, Chen Mobai's success was undoubtedly due to his high talent. The reason he hadn't mastered the Guidance Book initially might have been because he hadn't fully committed himself.

Therefore, Yunyang Bing didn't believe he could simply replicate Chen Mobai's successful experience.

Time slowly passed, and in the blink of an eye, the two of them had already collected seven abandoned satellites in the cosmic starry sky.

On this day, they arrived at the location of the eighth satellite.

Chen Mobai, driving the Tai Yi Wu Yan Luo, was about to enclose it into his domain when suddenly a force of resistance surged from within the satellite.

"Hmm?"

Chen Mobai looked surprised and then pushed the power of the Tai Yi Wu Yan Luo. The five-colored clouds surged like raging waves, one after another, towards the abandoned satellite.

At the same time, a steel-like black torrent gushed from the depths of the satellite, instantly transforming into a clenched fist, colliding with the five-colored clouds and unleashing a tremendous wave of energy.

Chen Mobai slightly frowned. Through this exchange, he could feel that the opposing force was also at the Nascent Soul level.

And in the Vast Starry Sky outside the Earth Element Star, it was impossible for the Nascent Soul cultivators of the Immortal Gate to attack him, so it could only be someone from the Ancient Evil Path Union.

How lucky?

This thought flashed through Chen Mobai's mind, followed by a glint of cold light in his eyes.

Under the influence of his divine sense, the power of the Tai Yi Wu Yan Luo became more intense. The five-colored clouds struck the dark torrent like a violent storm.

The dark fist seemed unsteady under the impact of the clouds, but it quickly reassembled, becoming more solid.

Information from the Patching Heaven Group about the Ancient Evil Path Union flashed through Chen Mobai's mind, and he found the corresponding content.

"Ancient Evil Path Union's Gold Stone Nunnery's Unbreakable, I never expected you'd be hiding here," Chen Mobai said coldly.

At this moment, the dark fist suddenly cracked, revealing a middle-aged man with stern features, clad in archaic armor.

His eyes carried a hint of gravity. Although his aura was not at the Nascent Soul Realm, the indomitable momentum he exuded pressured Chen Mobai.

In the Ancient Evil Path Union, besides the Nascent Soul level magnates like the Ascension Sect Hierarchy, this Unbreakable was the strongest.

Although not a Nascent Soul, he possessed a Rank-4 Body Forging realm.

Even ordinary Rank-4 techniques couldn't break his defense.

"Pure Yang Master, are you here to stop me from breaking through?"

Unbreakable's voice was steady and powerful, his body radiating a steel-like luster, and his aura seemed to be in a highly unstable state.

Combining his words, Chen Mobai immediately understood that Unbreakable was about to break through to the Nascent Soul Realm here.

It seemed to have reached a critical point, but by coincidence, he encountered Chen Mobai, who was there to find satellites.

This must be a tribulation!

Chen Mobai suddenly gained an understanding, realizing that perhaps it was because Unbreakable had committed too many evil deeds, which led the heavens to guide him here, becoming an external demon for Unbreakable.

At that moment, Chen Mobai felt grateful that he had broken through within the Immortal Gate; otherwise, in the Tianhe Realm, besides the Heavenly Tribulation, Ancestor Jin Feng and others might have manifested as external demons to obstruct him.

At this moment, Unbreakable suddenly radiated with that dark torrent, resonating with the satellite beneath him.

Then, to Chen Mobai's astonishment, like a dark meteor, he fled into the depths of the starry sky.

Is he running away? Not planning to put up a fight!

Chen Mobai thought this way, but his hands moved deftly. The orange-red Primordial Yang Sword Evil burst forth, intercepting the dark meteor from the front.

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Just as the Primordial Yang Sword Evil was about to slash towards the pitch-black meteor, the latter suddenly swerved.

The orange-red glow brushed past the satellite, sparking tiny flashes.

Chen Mobai's gaze flickered, and he once again steered the Primordial Yang Sword Evil, changing direction towards the satellite maneuvered by Buhuai.

However, this abandoned satellite seemed to have been refined into a Magic Artifact by Buhuai. Under his relentless use of True Qi for control, it was exceedingly agile, always narrowly evading the slashes of the Primordial Yang Sword Evil.

In Yunyang Bing's eyes, the two beams of orange-red and pitch-black light were chasing each other through the Cosmic Starry Sky, like two racing cars speeding and spiraling, always seeming on the verge of collision, yet never truly colliding.

Watching this scene, Chen Mobai felt a bit embarrassed. As an esteemed Nascent Soul Cultivator, overwhelming a Heretical Cult cultivator, he expected to defeat him instantly.

It can only be said that the Primordial Yang Sword Evil was too useless.

Thinking this way, Chen Mobai directly used Void Walk!

In an instant, he had vanished from Tai Yi Wu Yan Luo, and suddenly appeared before the pitch-black satellite that had just evaded the Primordial Yang Sword Evil.

With a burst from his mouth, a pale white beam erupted forth.

At the moment he unleashed the Extreme Sun Slash, golden lines had already appeared within one of Chen Mobai's pupils.

During the previous chase, he had calculated Buhuai's evasive patterns using the Guidance Book.

This Extreme Sun Slash seemingly made it look like Buhuai was steering the satellite into a head-on collision.

At the moment of collision.

In the originally dark and cold Void of the Universe, a dazzling, earth-shattering red beam suddenly emerged.

This was the image of the pitch-black satellite being cleaved into two by Extreme Sun Slash.

Upon witnessing this scene, regret appeared on Yunyang Bing's face.

This satellite had been altered by Buhuai into such a state, which piqued his curiosity. However, under this Extreme Sun Slash, it basically held no research value anymore.

Sure enough, after being split into halves, the restrictions deep within the satellite seemed also to have been cut through, revealing spiderweb-like cracks that spread out instantly, with fiery red light flickering from the gaps.

Soon after, within the Cosmic Starry Sky, a massive fiery ball seemed to appear, erupting into flames and explosions.

Chen Mobai faced the satellite's explosion head-on, the Pure Yang Immortal Robe shining with a gold-red light that rippled like waves, stalling all firelight fragments rushing at him, before disintegrating them into gas.

"Trying to run!"

Chen Mobai's pupil shone with a clear, shimmering light as he accurately focused amidst the explosion on the silhouette retreating to hide.

The orange-red glow, having already turned back, pierced unhindered into the pitch-black torrent that was Buhuai's body under Chen Mobai's Divine Sense control.

Yet during this process, in communion with the Primordial Yang Sword Evil, Chen Mobai felt as if he was stabbing into solid steel. Initially, it seemed easy, but the deeper he thrust, the heavier the pressure on the Sword Evil felt.

Truly worthy of the top Body Forging Technique of the Ancient Evil Path Union!

Thinking this way, Chen Mobai didn't hold back anymore, steering another Extreme Sun Slash toward Buhuai.

Buhuai naturally saw this scene; the image of the Extreme Sun Slash effortlessly splitting his haven refined over hundreds of years terrified him.

At the critical moment of Life and Death, Buhuai finally hesitated no more.

He directly used the Gold Stone Nunnery's Secret Technique to burn Essence Blood, instantly crossing that Great Realm, becoming a Nascent Soul Cultivator!

But it was only temporary, and after using this Secret Technique, Buhuai's foundation was damaged. Without decades of recuperation, he basically couldn't challenge the Nascent Soul Realm again.

This huge loss made Buhuai's face twist slightly.

Fury surged within his heart, he roared, explosively unleashing an even denser pitch-black torrent of steel from his entire body.

His indestructible body was originally at the Rank-4 tier, and with Nascent Soul Realm matching, he directly unleashed the power of the Ancient Evil Path Union's top Body Forging Technique to an incomparable Realm.

The Primordial Yang Sword Evil, originally stuck, could no longer penetrate.

Buhuai, completely transformed into a pitch-black form, grabbed the orange-red glow piercing his shoulder, pulled it out with blood, and then clenched his five fingers, scattering it into widespread red beams.

Simultaneously, he gripped his right five fingers tightly, his pitch-black fist fearlessly crashed directly towards the approaching Extreme Sun Slash.

When the two touched, a deep murmur exploded forth.

Amidst the blood-light, Buhuai widened his eyes, incredulously watching his fist being cleaved into by the Extreme Sun Slash.

Even with Nascent Soul Realm and Rank-4 Body Forging, he still couldn't fully block the Extreme Sun Slash!

"Hmm, quite sturdy, truly worthy of the indestructible body."

But it wasn't just Buhuai who was surprised, even Chen Mobai was amazed, thinking that facing such a low-tier opponent without Nascent Soul Formation, his Extreme Sun Slash, upgraded multiple times, should easily succeed.

What was envisioned as instant defeat now required two strikes.

Chen Mobai suddenly felt a bit displeased.

To eliminate a non-Nascent Soul Heretical Cult cultivator, needing three strikes indeed reflected his recent ease and lack of caution.

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Thinking of this, the void in front of Chen Mobai opened, and a long-handled sword with a dazzling purple light fell from it.

"Three strikes, and you're out. Don't say I didn't give you a chance. As long as you can withstand this third sword of mine, I'll pretend we never met today and let you leave."

With a proud look, Chen Mobai spoke, and the Purple Electric Sword immediately turned its direction, its tip aiming at the distant Buhai.

Upon hearing Chen Mobai's words, a glimmer of hope for survival was kindled in Buhai's heart.

In his view, this was Chen Mobai's proud nature.

After all, as the prodigy of the Immortal Gate, he had never been defeated since his debut. Whether it was Foundation Establishment, Core Formation, or even Nascent Soul, he had successfully broken through with ease. If Buhai were in Chen Mobai's position, he would already be looking down on everyone else.

Unexpectedly, he could use Chen Mobai's "proud" nature today to escape a calamity.

Thinking of this, Buhai took a deep breath and forcibly suppressed the searing pain from the flames ignited by the Extreme Sun Slash.

The Great Sun Qianyang Fire was too powerful. Even with the strong recovery capabilities of his Indestructible Body, he couldn't completely eradicate it in a short time. Thus, Buhai could only suppress the injury and maximize his defensive power.

He crossed his hands in front of his chest, forming a cross, and continuously gathered the Golden Stone True Qi from the temporarily elevated realm to that intersection point.

Then, the satellite debris that had shattered around him, attracted by his Golden Stone True Qi, seemed drawn by a strong magnetic force, stacking up from near to far in front of him.

Where the Purple Electric Sword was aimed, countless layers of debris formed a dense protection, leaving almost no space for the Purple Electric Sword to accelerate.

Seeing this, Chen Mobai was somewhat surprised.

He was just casually talking, throwing some verbal jabs; how did his opponent take it seriously?

Even if he took it seriously, did he really think that a mere Fourth Rank body forging with a temporarily elevated Nascent Soul Realm could withstand the Rank-5 Purple Electric Sword?

But soon, Chen Mobai realized that the information about the Purple Electric Sword upgrading to Rank-5 was known to only a few within the Immortal Gate.

The masses inside the Immortal Gate only knew that he had mastered Great Void Transference and were unaware of the key Void Avatar Technique within.

According to the delayed information from the Ascension Sect, Buhai should have thought that enduring the attack from this Fourth Rank Superior Grade sword would be considered surviving a disaster.

One can only say, ignorance is harmful!

Thinking this way, Chen Mobai didn't hesitate further and directly launched the attack using Sword Control.

The Purple Electric Sword, infused with his Pure Yang True Qi, burst forth like the sun, illuminating the dark starry sky around and transforming into a bolt of thunder, rushing towards Buhai.

Faced with the Purple Electric Sword's attack, Buhai showed no signs of fear and charged directly towards it.

The satellite debris, hundreds and thousands in number in front of him, was, the moment it came into contact with the Purple Electric Sword, like paper, turning into countless fragments scattered across the heavens.

Seeing this scene, Buhai suddenly felt a foreboding in his heart.

The defenses created under the infusion of the Golden Stone True Qi should barely be considered Fourth Rank.

Facing an attack from a Fourth Rank Peak sword weapon, they should have delayed and dissipated some of the power.

The power of this Purple Electric Sword was beyond his imagination.

In this situation, Buhai could only grit his teeth and push his Body Forging Technique to the extreme.

He assumed a stance, let out an angry roar, condensed his peak Golden Stone True Qi, and faced the Purple Electric Sword.

Chen Mobai, seeing this scene, felt some reluctance in his heart, yet the Purple Electric Sword mercilessly pierced through Buhai's body.

From afar, Yunyang Bing, protected under Tai Yi Wu Yan Luo, was filled with admiration as he witnessed the blood hole through Buhai's body caused by the sword piercing through, thinking Chen Mobai, his classmate, was invincible.

Buhai widened his eyes in disbelief as he looked down at his melted hands and the bloody hole in his chest.

The attack of the Purple Electric Sword far exceeded his understanding. The purple lightning entwined around the blade shattered everything he prided himself on.

Blood began to seep out from the seven apertures of Buhai's face as he attempted to mobilize his Golden Stone True Qi to use the Indestructible Body to heal his injuries, but all the powers within him were disintegrating under the rampant invasion of the purple lightning.

With streaks of lightning manifesting on Buhai's body, his form began to crumble.

"What a pity. It seems your body wasn't that hard after all, not enough to withstand my third move!"

At this moment, Chen Mobai spoke, a look of regret on his face.

Buhai showed a pained expression, wanting to speak.

But his body, under the power of the Purple Electric Sword, gradually dissipated, eventually exploding into fragments and disappearing into the Vast Starry Sky.

Seeing this scene, Chen Mobai was reassured and nodded.

Then, the Purple Electric Sword sketched a streak of light in the dark void, returning before him, slowly sinking back into the domain.

He executed Void Walk, returning to Tai Yi Wu Yan Luo.

"Let's go and continue searching for the next satellite."

Yunyang Bing, hearing these words, nodded.

Subsequently, the two continued their flight around Earth Element Star, though they weren't so lucky as to encounter anyone from the Ascension Sect.

After collecting ten satellites, Yunyang Bing felt it was enough, and Chen Mobai nodded, immediately heading back with him towards Earth Element Star.

Upon their return within the Heavenly Curtain, a silver radiance lit up in the void where Chen Mobai and Buhai had previously clashed.

Yan Xinji stepped out with a solemn expression, personally inspecting all remaining traces on the scene.

"How did it go? Did guiding Buhai uncover anything this time?"

An elusive, unfathomable voice sounded in the void. Yan Xinji shook his head, not pleased with the inquiry.

"Buhai was killed in a few moves, probably not even enough to make that boy get serious."

Yan Xinji knew Chen Mobai was highly sensitive to the void because all his arrangements in Yu Wood City were uncovered by this young man.

Hence, guiding Buhai to probe Chen Mobai, he dared not hide nearby to spy, relying solely on various small instruments arranged beforehand and post-battle surveys to reconstruct the events.

However, those small instruments seemed to have been affected by the aftermath of their battle, leaving them all damaged and unable to retrieve any visual data.

From the post-battle examination, Yan Xinji discovered that Chen Mobai had made at most three moves.

One of these moves should have been the Primordial Yang Sword Evil associated with Pure Yang Scroll cultivators; another employed the Great Sun Qianyang Fire as a foundation, more potent than the Primordial Yang Sword Evil, yet still within his expectations.

The last move, however, carried such vast, overwhelming power that it seemed to tear everything apart, furrowing his brows.

If he had not mistaken, this power had already surpassed the Fourth Rank.

Whether it was truly Rank-5 or nearly Rank-5 remains unknown.

Nevertheless, it was under this move that Buhai was slain.

"You are being too cautious. If we two, combined with Lin Daoming, act together, no matter how much of a prodigy that boy may be, it's impossible to escape."

The intermittent voice arose again. If Chen Mobai could hear it, he would recognize it as the voice of the Lord of Divine Control Pavilion.

The moment Chen Mobai left the Heavenly Curtain, it was known to them from the Ascension Sect.

At that time, the Lord of Divine Control Pavilion wanted to act, to eliminate this future threat to the Immortal Gate.

Unfortunately, Yan Xinji was a bit conservative and insisted on testing with Buhai first.

"Lin Daoming cannot be fully trusted, and if we are to kill Chen Mobai, it might draw the attention of Qian Xing the Ancestor. Before the Sect Hierarchy's cultivation reaches perfection, we cannot withstand a Deity Transformation True Monarch. There is no need to risk ourselves for a potential future deity."

As now that today's goal had been achieved, it was time to return to Earth Element Star to reorganize these satellites and complete the Heavenly Curtain Beidou Star Array above the Eastern Wilderness.

Chapter 1726: The Polite Elder Qingping

Chen Mobai brought Yun Yangbing back to the Immortal Gate, then took out all the satellites in the domain and placed them in a place specifically maintained by the Sky Curtain Ground Network Management Bureau.

This area happened to be under Yun Yangbing's responsibility. After he reached Core Formation, he planned to improve his weak points in the Sky Array, so he actively applied for this position. After Chen Mobai learned of it, he also actively had people from the Weapon Dancing Sect assist with the operations.

"I'll notify you once the repairs are done."

After placing everything in order, Yun Yangbing said to Chen Mobai that these satellites, which were products from different eras, were quite troublesome to repair.

Chen Mobai: "Thank you for your hard work."

After completing this matter, Chen Mobai returned to the Hall of Orthodox Law and then called over Lin Yin, who was currently in charge of the Patching Heaven Group.

Chen Mobai: "Since Bu Huai didn't die in my hands, remove him from the Patching Heaven Group files."

When Lin Yin was brought in by Hua Zijing, he was still wondering why Chen Mobai called him. Hearing this, he was slightly surprised.

Bu Huai from the Gold Stone Nunnery was second only to the major figures of the Ascension Sect. Although he had a Golden Core cultivation, he was listed as a Rank-4 level threat.

Even if a Nascent Soul from the Immortal Gate took action, only a few such as Qi Yuheng could be completely confident in killing him.

No one expected him to die so easily in Chen Mobai's hands.

"Yes, Vice Hall Master."

Lin Yin nodded and then briefly reported some of the Patching Heaven Group's work details, which Chen Mobai patiently listened to.

“According to reports from our informants, recently, high-level cultivators from the Ascension Sect have been frequently in contact, likely planning to infiltrate the incoming Different World to see if they can gather more resources before our Immortal Gate enters.”

The Patching Heaven Group had several informants within the Ascension Sect, whose identities Chen Mobai was aware of, mostly arranged during the time Lan Haitian was in charge.

Chen Mobai generally followed the status quo with this, and after he was promoted, Hua Zijing maintained stability as the main priority, telling those people to protect themselves by remaining hidden and avoiding dangerous actions.

But after Lin Yin took over, due to movements within the Ascension Sect, she reactivated this batch of informants.

“Hmm, instruct our people to be careful not to expose themselves; the Ascension Sect is merely a small threat...”

Once reaching Chen Mobai’s position, one would realize that the Ascension Sect truly wasn’t a major enemy for the Immortal Gate.

The reason for keeping them alive was that they still had some value.

Such as the Purple Cloud Palace!

However, there was a bottom line within the Immortal Gate regarding the Ascension Sect, which was that they were not allowed to produce anyone at the Spirit Transformation Stage.

Thus, cultivators from the Ancient Evil Path Union who broke through to Spirit Transformation often had a hard time surviving long.

After Lin Yin left, Chen Mobai handled some accumulated affairs of the Hall of Orthodox Law.

These were mainly key personnel transfers; Hua Zijing had already listed the names, and Chen Mobai needed only to review them for changes.

“Proceed according to this.”

After signing, Hua Zijing began executing based on this list.

Once the news of Nangong Xuanyu’s venture into the Different World was confirmed, even those from the Patching Heaven lineage within the Hall of Orthodox Law Military Department started aligning with them.

However, it was clear these people weren’t genuinely loyal, so various methods were needed to transfer them out and replace them with Chen Mobai’s own personnel.

The Patching Heaven lineage members accepted this compliance.

After all, the politics of the Immortal Gate were such that when out of power, one had to endure such shifts.

Subsequently, the Hall of Orthodox Law became dominated by the Weapon Dancing Sect.

After handling this matter, Chen Mobai stayed in the office for a few more days until Zhuang Jialan returned.

“From now on, I’ll be relying on you two for my work.”

Once his two secretaries returned, Chen Mobai offloaded his tasks onto them directly.

He gave a brief work assignment: Zhuang Jialan mainly handled his personal affairs, while Hua Zijing liaised with various departments of The Three Great Halls in his name.

Hua Zijing and Zhuang Jialan nodded respectfully after listening, expressing their gratitude for Chen Mobai's trust.

In the subsequent period, Chen Mobai remained in the Wangwu Cave Heaven.

After the news spread that he had successfully mastered the Void Teleportation, he received an uninterrupted stream of visitors.

Chen Mobai refused most visits whenever possible.

But there were some he couldn't easily decline.

For example, one of his idols, Elder Qingping.

Apart from Breaking Through Realms, Elder Qingping was most interested in various Escape Skills and teleportation techniques.

He had always desired the Void Teleportation, the highest realm of escape skills in the Immortal Gate, but had been hindered in the past by his Realm.

Now, upon hearing that Chen Mobai had mastered it, he immediately called.

This was the first time Chen Mobai received a call from his idol, so he didn't dare be negligent. Upon learning it was about this matter, he openly shared the Void Teleportation and the Void Avatar Technique with him.

After Elder Qingping heard about it over the phone, he still felt very puzzled, so he came directly to Wangwu Cave Heaven to pay a visit.

Chen Mobai warmly received him.

“I’ve been diligently studying this Void Teleportation for some time, and it shouldn’t be difficult to comprehend. The hard part is the Rank-5 Spiritual Objects needed for the Void Replacement; I don’t have enough Spirit Stones to afford those.”

After Elder Qingping finished discussing with Chen Mobai, he sighed and spoke.

“Elder, the Lingxiao Jade Pendant from your Primordial Elemental Academy is still with my daughter. Perhaps I should have her return it to you.”

Chen Mobai immediately said this. Having transcended the Nine Yin Meridian to attain a Pure Yin Body, the Lingxiao Jade Pendant was no longer essential for Xiao Hei. Since Elder Qingping wanted to practice that Void Teleportation, it wouldn’t be right for Xiao Hei to keep occupying it.

“Oh? That little girl is your daughter?”

Unexpectedly, after hearing Chen Mobai’s words, Elder Qingping appeared very shocked.

“To be honest, Elder, Xiao Hei is indeed my daughter. I didn’t know at first; I discovered it accidentally later. Now that my work has stabilized, I plan to go to the relevant department soon, register, and give her and her mother a status.”

Chen Mobai expressed his inner thoughts. After all, Shi Wanyu had given him a daughter and had been with him for so many years. Calculating her lifespan, it would only last about twenty or thirty years.

It wouldn’t do for her to pass away without a proper status.

This is something Chen Mobai couldn’t bring himself to do.

So now, since he controlled one of the major situations, Chen Mobai decided to ignore his pride and prepare to announce that he has a daughter with Shi Wanyu.

He had also thought deeply about this, the one who would feel most wronged, of course, was Yan Bingxuan, who was wholeheartedly devoted to him.

After all, she even sacrificed her most precious Yuan Yin True Coldness to help him achieve Nascent Soul Formation.

But, thinking it through, if he kept the existence of his daughter a secret from Yan Bingxuan, it would be even more unfair.

Especially after becoming a Daoist couple with Qing Nu in the Tianhe Realm, Chen Mobai felt the need to settle down as he aged.

It is precisely for this reason, after forming the Nascent Soul, he avoided meeting Yan Bingxuan, fearing that once they met, he wouldn't be able to end things cleanly.

His three women in the Tianhe Realm.

Even without him, Meng Huang is a famous star, a Mysterious Sound Dao Seed cultivated by the Arts Department of the Immortal Gate.

No need to say more about Yan Bingxuan, she has been diligently improving her Ice Spirit Root over the years, with his assistance, she can soon accumulate a breakthrough and become the second Yan Qiongzhi that the Immortal Gate notices.

Only Shi Wanyu had long ago explicitly refused the suggestion to establish a Foundation, wishing to devote the rest of her life entirely to the family.

Chen Mobai didn't know how that gentle and indecisive Shi Wanyu could cope without him.

Especially now that they had a happy family of three, Chen Mobai couldn't imagine the despair and helplessness she would feel if she lost it all.

Therefore, after thinking through all the circumstances, Chen Mobai planned to at least give her a status at the final juncture of her life.

This way, after her natural demise, she could be buried in the Chen family's cemetery in Red Sandstone City.

After making up his mind, Chen Mobai also planned to gradually announce to the Immortal Gate that he has a daughter.

Having just mentioned this to Elder Qingping, he frankly shared it.

"Pure Yang Elder, you truly are impressive, no wonder..."

After Elder Qingping's shock, he suddenly realized many things that puzzled him and suddenly held even more respect for Chen Mobai.

"Not at all. I, on the contrary, feel deep remorse for hiding this until now."

Chen Mobai had assumed Elder Qingping admired him for being able to keep an illegitimate daughter secret for so long and sighed as he spoke.

"Let the Lingxiao Jade Pendant continue to stay with your niece for the time being. Considering my shallow resources, I probably couldn't persuade the Artifact Spirit of this Magic Artifact to agree to be my Void Replacement..."

At this point, Elder Qingping also rejected Chen Mobai's earlier suggestion.

"Whenever the Elder needs the Lingxiao Jade Pendant, just let me know in advance, and I'll personally bring my daughter to the Primordial Elemental Academy to thank you in person."

After hearing this, Chen Mobai felt deeply moved by how Elder Qingping honored him.

“Pure Yang Elder, you’re too kind. To convey everything you’ve comprehended from the Tian Shu without reservations, it’s I who should be grateful to you.”

Amid their mutual modesty and politeness, night fell.

Shi Wanyu came in to announce that dinner was ready, and Chen Mobai promptly invited Elder Qingping to stay for a meal.

“This being my first visit, causing your wife such trouble, I didn’t even bring any gifts—it’s embarrassing...”

At the dining table, after taking his seat, Elder Qingping very courteously expressed his gratitude to Shi Wanyu.

Beside them was Chen Xiaohei, who had just returned from work, as Chen Mobai opened a good wine and had her pour it for Elder Qingping.

“Thank you, niece...”

Elder Qingping raised his glass with both hands and again courteously spoke to Chen Xiaohei.

During this dinner, Chen Mobai realized that his idol, besides having formidable cultivation, was also exceptionally humble and extraordinarily polite.

Chapter 1727: Nether Dragon Blood, Discussing Spiritual Venerable

After sending off Elder Qingping, the next day, Chen Mobai accepted Qi Yuheng’s invitation and went to Kaiyuan Hall.

As the first Nascent Soul cultivator of the Immortal Gate, Qi Yuheng felt that the world had been changing too fast lately.

He had always been proud of his ability to perform Void Teleportation at the Nascent Soul Realm.

To his surprise, Cheng Xuan, after leaving seclusion, claimed he could do it too.

However, Cheng Xuan had reached the Nascent Soul stage earlier than Qi Yuheng and used Blooming Moment, so Qi Yuheng acknowledged it.

But it wasn't long before Chen Mobai also understood it from the Universe Scripture.

When the news came that Chen Mobai applied for the Void Teleportation positioning permissions from the Sky Curtain Ground Network Management Bureau, Qi Yuheng was silent for a long time.

Considering that Chen Mobai had just reached the Nascent Soul Realm, Qi Yuheng was very concerned that Void Teleportation would become a standard skill for Nascent Soul cultivators at the Immortal Gate in the future.

Reflecting on this, Qi Yuheng decided to invite Chen Mobai for a meeting.

“So that’s how it is...”

After a simple exchange of pleasantries, Chen Mobai discussed the key to his ability to perform Void Teleportation, mentioning that it requires a fifth-rank artifact as a substitute. Hearing this, Qi Yuheng seemed enlightened and breathed a sigh of relief.

But this still gave Nascent Soul cultivators at the Immortal Gate a new path; previously only a Fifth Rank Forged Body could achieve this, but after Chen Mobai, now a Fifth Rank life-bound artifact suffices.

“Master Pure Yang is indeed worthy of being the most talented in the history of the Immortal Gate, your understanding of the Universe Scripture is unsurpassed for thousands of years.”

In conversation, Qi Yuheng sincerely marveled at Chen Mobai’s talent; though he had previously acknowledged Chen Mobai as remarkable, Qi Yuheng had felt he was at most comparable to himself.

But after this insight into the Universe Scripture, Qi Yuheng knew he was not as gifted as Chen Mobai.

Because he had also studied the Seven Great Heavenly Books and had some understanding of the Universe Scripture, which contributed to his ability to perform Void Teleportation at the Nascent Soul stage.

Comparing the two, he understood that his talent was inferior to Chen Mobai's.

Always proud and arrogant, Qi Yuheng quickly came to terms with this.

After all these years, the exceptional talent of Chen Mobai, from Foundation Establishment to his current Nascent Soul stage, was widely celebrated within the Immortal Gate, and even Qi Yuheng was subtly influenced.

If the person surpassing him was right in front of him, it wasn't unacceptable.

Thinking this way, Qi Yuheng unusually took the initiative to praise.

"The Hall Master of Kaiyuan Hall overpraises. You are the role model I wish to learn from, hoping to achieve Fifth Rank Forged Body at the Nascent Soul stage."

Chen Mobai sincerely respected Qi Yuheng, knowing well that his achievements relied heavily on resources.

And the gap between Rank-4 and Rank-5 is vast; if Qi Yuheng had those resources, he might have already stepped into the Deity Transformation Realm.

"I am only able to achieve such results because of a drop of Nether Dragon Blood bestowed by Spiritual Venerable and the Dragon Transformation Scripture from Ancestor Zhong Li; otherwise, I wouldn't have accomplished such."

Qi Yuheng also voluntarily spoke about the roots of his cultivation.

Since losing Candle Dragon Blood, it was nearly impossible for those of the Kunpeng Lineage to master the Six Imperial Scripture completely.

However, Ancestor Zhong Li's Dragon Transformation Scripture also pioneered a new path for the Kunpeng Lineage.

Back when the Immortal Gate was adjacent to Ming Wang Star, the Spiritual Venerable fought a great battle with a Nether Dragon, severing its tail and refining a drop of its essence blood.

"The Spiritual Venerable, being the oldest existence on Earth Element Star, likely has cultivation nearing Cultivating Void."

Upon hearing this, Chen Mobai marveled at the profound heritage of the Kunpeng Daoist Institute, with the Spiritual Venerable present, a continuous existence of deity transformation.

"We also do not know what realm the Spiritual Venerable is currently in, but surely, it is the most powerful being on Earth Element Star."

"The True Body of the Spiritual Venerable has always been asleep because if it were to freely absorb the essence of the Earth Element Star for cultivation, the planet would exhaust within a hundred years."

"When a new deity transformation emerges in the Sea Territory, the Spiritual Venerable will leave this planet and pursue higher levels of the Great Tao."

Qi Yuheng faced Chen Mobai and revealed many secrets, surprising the latter greatly.

Based on this description, the Spiritual Venerable probably has the strongest cultivation in the history of the Immortal Gate.

However, despite the thousands of years under the Spiritual Venerable's protection, no second deity transformation emerged in the Sea Territory, which was somewhat disappointing.

While criticizing this internally, Chen Mobai suddenly thought of the Hall Master Narcissus of his own Hall of Orthodox Law, who supposedly came to the Immortal Gate for deity transformation, perhaps intending to refine the rules themselves?

But he quickly realized it was wishful thinking; not to mention Narcissus' lazy disposition, even if not lazy, the rules spawned from the myriad beings of the Immortal Gate could never be refined by creatures of the Sea Territory.

Subsequently, Chen Mobai and Qi Yuheng conversed for a long time, focusing especially on exchanging insights about magic duels due to their different deity transformation techniques.

Qi Yuheng couldn't help but invite him to battle within Little Red Sky, as Chen Mobai was curious about the magic duel level among Nascent Souls at the Immortal Gate.

Initially, Nangong Xuanyu had greatly disappointed him, leading him to dread that all Nascent Souls of the Immortal Gate might be of such caliber, making them practically useless when opening up wars.

But after sparring with Qi Yuheng, he realized he was mistaken.

Qi Yuheng's level of magic dueling far exceeded Chen Mobai's expectations; despite the peaceful environment of the Immortal Gate lacking many life-and-death battles, Qi Yuheng indeed lived up to being the first Nascent Soul of the Immortal Gate.

Besides the fifth rank of Body Forging, there are also many techniques above the Six Imperial Scripture that have reached the fifth rank level. If he were to fight seriously, Chen Mobai estimated he could withstand up to one move.

However, Qi Yuheng didn't like to bully the weak with power or suppress others with his realm, so during his magic duel with Chen Mobai, he used Little Red Sky to suppress himself to the first layer of the Nascent Soul Realm.

But even so, Qi Yuheng was exceptionally formidable.

Under the Dragon Transformation Scripture Technique, he manifested a black snake shadow after the degradation of the Nether Dragon. The Great Method of the obscured part of Six Imperial Scripture complemented this bloodline, nearly reaching eighty percent of the power of Candle Dragon Blood.

Chen Mobai, facing someone of the same realm for the first time, was at a disadvantage right from the start.

Fortunately, his resilience was superb, and he was so talented in magic duels.

Chen Mobai suspended Stat Fire above his head, enduring Qi Yuheng's initial boundless darkness that enveloped the universe, before he began to hold steady and counterattack.

He used various spells from the Pure Yang Scroll for constant probing, ultimately using the Guidance Book to spot Qi Yuheng's flaw, and with Extreme Sun Slash, tore through the boundless darkness formed by the black snake.

However, after tearing through this layer of darkness, an endless stream of darkness surged forth to close the gap.

But at this point, the magic duel was essentially over.

What followed was merely Chen Mobai continuing to tear the darkness, and the darkness continued to surge forth, repeating the competition of the foundations of both sides.

Chen Mobai and Qi Yuheng simultaneously stopped and withdrew from Little Red Sky.

This round ended in a draw.

"Pure Yang Master, when you have time, we can test each other's skills more often."

After coming out, Qi Yuheng seemed a bit unsatisfied, as he hadn't encountered an evenly matched opponent in a long time. Often he needed to suppress his own realm to be lower than his opponent's to feel the life-and-death crisis sense of battle.

So meeting someone like Chen Mobai, who's skilled in magic duels, truly delighted him.

He hoped Chen Mobai could grow quickly, ideally with both of them reaching Nascent Soul Complete, for a peak battle where their essence, spirit, and energy burn the most intensely, stepping into Divinity Transformation.

"No problem, no problem!"

Chen Mobai replied with a smile, but inwardly thought that he would act as if he didn't see the next challenge from Qi Yuheng.

Just kidding, he was like Elder Qingping's Realm Sect, always advocating suppressing others with realm.

Qi Yuheng's pursuit of extremity, testing hands only now in Little Red Sky, if it were reality, a mishap would result in defeat.

Anyway, someone like Chen Mobai, with a stable personality, felt he couldn't align with Qi Yuheng.

"Yun'e, please help Pure Yang Master see off."

After sending Chen Mobai to the office door, Qi Yuheng called over Ye Yune from next door and instructed her simply.

"Yes, Hall Master."

Ye Yune nodded in agreement and then led Chen Mobai toward the Kaiyuan Hall entrance.

“Does Pure Yang Master need me to arrange a vehicle to take you back?”

Walking in front, Ye Yune asked.

“No need, my secretary is already waiting outside.”

Chen Mobai could actually directly perform Void Teleportation back, but the time spent in the car was also when he talks with his secretary daily and handles Hall of Orthodox Law affairs, so he has consistently maintained this habit.

“Will Pure Yang Master be available in March next year?”

Ye Yune nodded, then suddenly asked.

“I don’t have any arrangements for now, but I can’t guarantee I’ll be available.”

After all, Chen Mobai bears great responsibilities between two realms and forces, an unexpected matter might arise at any time. Plus, he wasn’t familiar with Ye Yune, so he wanted to hear what it was all about.

“This is my wedding invitation. If Pure Yang Master is free, you can come and attend.”

Ye Yune stopped in embarrassment, handing Chen Mobai a red invitation.

“Is Vice Hall Master Ye getting married? Who’s the lucky one?”

Chen Mobai was also taken aback upon hearing this, as a Nascent Soul Superior, already at the pinnacle of the Immortal Gate, what most pursue is ascending to become Immortals, rarely thinking of marriage.

After all, those Nascent Soul who could meet their standards would also be Nascent Souls, but at such a realm, it’s hard to accommodate someone else.

So many Nascent Soul marriages end in divorce.

“My husband graduated from your Dance Tool Dao Academy, so he very much hopes to invite Pure Yang Master to attend.”

Ye Yune spoke a sentence that made Chen Mobai’s eyes widen even further.

Master Chengxuan isn’t someone who preys on the young, nor could he stand someone much older, which means Ye Yune’s husband isn’t a Nascent Soul!

“Could it be...”

Chapter 1728: We Are True Love

At this moment, Chen Mobai thought of something.

Back at the Golden Liquid Jade Pill distribution meeting, despite the public opinion, Ye Yune insisted on assigning one to Jiang Yuyuan from the Weapon Dancing Sect.

People attending the meeting felt something was amiss, even though Jiang Yuyuan was her subordinate and the most likely person to succeed in cultivating the Mystic Sound Method over the years, he was ultimately from the Weapon Dancing Sect.

However, later Ye Yune expressed that she had already persuaded Jiang Yuyuan to switch allegiance to the Kunpeng Lineage, so everyone accepted this explanation.

In the Immortal Gate, switching allegiances is not common, yet it is not unheard of.

Take Lan Haitian for example, a Kunpeng graduate, now a key cultivation target for the Patching Heaven Lineage.

At that time, there were already whispers secretly suggesting Ye Yune was an aged ox eating young grass.

But Ye Yune being a Nascent Soul cultivator, even if someone guessed it, without concrete evidence, they dared not speak.

"Who from the Weapon Dancing Sect was lucky enough to catch Vice Hall Master's attention?"

Chen Mobai guessed as much, but still voiced his confirmation.

Ye Yune pointed at the invitation.

Chen Mobai opened it, and indeed, the groom's name was Jiang Yuyuan.

"Vice Hall Master Ye, your wedding might attract quite a bit of criticism."

After some thought, Chen Mobai spoke his mind.

Marrying a Nascent Soul cultivator with a lower realm practitioner, particularly Ye Yune being a female cultivator, may burden Jiang Yuyuan with the 'kept man' label for life.

"I'm well aware of this, which is why I waited until he reached Core Formation before hosting the wedding. This way, the criticism will be less, and by then I'll have the Kunpeng proponents report his talent, indicating he could possibly reach Nascent Soul Formation, making our marriage a proper match."

How could it be a proper match? Besides being a Nascent Soul herself, Ye Yune's father, the Beiming Master, is also a Nascent Soul, and even a disciple of the Spiritual Venerable, her background is connected to vast power.

Jiang Yuyuan, being the big star of the Immortal Gate, although retired in recent years, remains the 'brother' in many female hearts.

Once the news of their marriage spreads, it's surely set to cause an uproar in the Immortal Gate.

Jiang Yuyuan will be accused of being a kept man, Ye Yune will undoubtedly be seen as exerting power, employing underhanded rules on her subordinates, nurturing a pretty boy, and so on.

Even Chen Mobai suspects this.

"Vice Hall Master Ye, may I boldly ask, is your marriage based on true love?"

Having encountered Jiang Yuyuan several times at the Daoist Academy, Chen Mobai's impression of him was rather positive.

So if Jiang Yuyuan isn't wholeheartedly willing to marry Ye Yune, Chen Mobai feels it necessary to inquire, given his current position as head of the Weapon Dancing Sect.

"What do you mean by that? Of course, Yuyuan and I reciprocate each other's feelings, unlike you, who just play around irresponsibly..."

Chen Mobai's inquiry made Ye Yune arch her brows, visibly infuriated, causing her to retaliate.

"What do you mean by that, Vice Hall Master Ye may not think that just because your background is profound, I'm afraid to strike."

Chen Mobai detests being slandered by others, his face darkened a bit.

"Hum, your affair with Meng Huang may escape others, but not me."

Ye Yune's words left Chen Mobai slightly uneasy, yet he was never one to weep before seeing his own grave.

Chen Mobai: "Speak with evidence!"

Ye Yune snorted coldly: "The traces are numerous. As the head of the Arts Department, my main concern lies with those Mysterious Sound Dao Seeds; it's obvious to me that Meng Huang's Original Yin is lost at a glance. Furthermore, I once investigated her exchange for Barrier Breaking Pill transactions, discovering a large sum of Good Deed Points issued by you to her. I have plenty of such evidence; do you want me to enumerate them?"

Chen Mobai: "That can be evidence? It can only prove Meng Huang and I have a good relationship."

Ye Yune: "Legally speaking, it's not enough for conviction, but if these are made public, how do you think the populace would view the matter?"

"Standing upright, I fear no slanted shadows," Chen Mobai said righteously, but soon pivoted, "Yet in such a case, Meng Huang would indeed be caught in a whirlpool of public opinion, so I hope Vice Hall Master Ye will refrain from mentioning it in the future."

Caring for those around him comes naturally to Chen Mobai, Meng Huang barely reached Core Formation, if such things go public, she would certainly be ridiculed by Immortal Gate's populace, viewing her as kept by him, the big shot.

Even Ye Yune had to wait until Jiang Yuyuan reached Core Formation before daring to publicize their marriage.

"Believe it or not, Yuyuan and I are true love; if not, the two of us wouldn't walk the marriage path."

Ye Yune, at this moment, reiterated emphatically.

"If it's true love, then I naturally offer my blessings, wishing you happiness and longevity together."

Thinking thoroughly, Chen Mobai considered how Jiang Yuyuan could wed Ye Yune could be seen as ancestors' tomb emitting auspicious smoke.

Considering Ye Yune, although she's older, she maintains exceptionally well, being in the prime of a woman's beauty.

If Jiang Yuyuan marries her, in the future, he might even get an opportunity to use Kunpeng Lineage's and Sea Territory's resources for Nascent Soul Formation, which, in turn, is indeed beneficial for him.

Chen Mobai is quite aware of Meng Huang's aptitude, and he holds little hope for her in achieving Nascent Soul Formation through the Shocking God Sonata.

But Jiang Yuyuan is undoubtedly a genius.

"When I get married to Yuyuan, I hope Vice Hall Master Chen can attend."

At this moment, Ye Yune brought up this matter again.

"No problem."

Chen Mobai thought for a while and nodded in agreement.

He already understood why Ye Yune wanted him to attend because Jiang Yuyuan graduated from the Weapon Dancing Sect. If Chen Mobai went, it would give the public an impression of an alliance between the Weapon Dancing Sect and the Kunpeng Lineage.

Moreover, it would make people think that Jiang Yuyuan had the support of Chen Mobai, thus minimizing the controversy of him being dependent, guiding public opinion towards understanding that the marriage involved higher-level political dealings.

For Jiang Yuyuan, Ye Yune had indeed put a lot of effort into this. No matter what happened in the past, it was likely true love now.

After Chen Mobai agreed, his relationship with Ye Yune suddenly became harmonious.

Both of them felt the other was someone of the same kind.

At the entrance, Zhuang Jialan had already driven over, but Chen Mobai asked her to wait a bit, chatting further with Ye Yune.

It was also at this time he learned that when he first arrived at Kaiyuan Hall, Ye Yune targeted him because of Meng Huang.

She thought since they were already together, they should properly announce it to the world.

Chen Mobai's concealment of their relationship made him seem like a playboy, just wanting to have fun without responsibility.

However, as Chen Mobai's cultivation level increased, Ye Yune gradually understood him.

The gap between the two was too significant to make their relationship public elegantly.

Especially since Ye Yune also revealed that Jiang Yuyuan had already started getting to know her during university days, which made Chen Mobai's eyes twitch.

"I plan to handle the wedding low-key, but the Patching Heaven Lineage will undoubtedly target it, so if there's a public opinion war, I hope Vice Hall Master Chen will have your Weapon Dancing Sect lend a hand."

Finally, Ye Yune mentioned this, and Chen Mobai agreed without hesitation.

When he left by car, Chen Mobai informed Zhuang Jialan of the situation, and she was equally shocked.

"Note the time and remind me then."

Chen Mobai left the invitation with Zhuang Jialan, who immediately nodded.

"There's also one more thing, have our media prepare a bit. It'll surely be lively, and I can announce at that time that I have a family."

Chen Mobai spoke again, and Zhuang Jialan, due to her many years as a secretary, quickly understood.

"At that time, I will let others direct public discussions to focus on Vice Hall Master Ye and Jiang Yuyuan's wedding, handling the public announcement of your family matter discreetly."

Chen Mobai nodded in satisfaction and then inquired about recent affairs in the Hall of Orthodox Law.

Afterward, when Chen Mobai got home, he also went to check on Meng Huang.

With the use of Void Teleportation, he had already arrived at the top of Danxia Mountain.

Meng Huang, who was sitting in meditation, cultivating her pure spiritual power, looked up to see silver light flashing in the sky. The sight of Chen Mobai stepping out left her in awe, her mouth agape with shock.

"You... why are you here?"

She had been in seclusion at Danxia Mountain for Core Formation, cutting off all communication, so she didn't know about Chen Mobai mastering Void Teleportation. She thought he had come to Red Sandstone City on his own accord.

"I sensed your inner hesitation. If this goes on, you might not ever take that step towards Core Formation, so I felt it necessary to come and help you take that crucial step."

Through the perspective of his Formless Puppet, Chen Mobai observed Meng Huang's retreat on Danxia Mountain. After many failed attempts at breaking through great realms, her confidence had been severely battered.

Every time she wanted to consume an elixir, visions of her Foundation Establishment and Core Formation failures would unavoidably surface.

She deeply feared another failure.

In her view, this was her last possible chance for Core Formation. Even with Chen Mobai as the Vice Hall Master of the Hall of Orthodox Law behind her, it was still impossible to break immortal sect rules to grant a Foundation Establishment practitioner a third Golden Elixir Spiritual Medicine.

With this mindset, Meng Huang was plagued with indecision, only daring to cultivate her essence, qi, and spirit daily, without daring to truly step forward.

"I'm sorry, I'm so useless."

Meng Huang knew her mentality was wrong, seeing Chen Mobai come personally, she felt guilty for wasting his efforts, and even started to sob slightly.

"Take the elixir, I will protect you during your Core Formation process."

Chen Mobai knew that nothing else he said would work; Meng Huang had completely lost confidence in herself, so he spoke in a commanding tone.

"But... what if I fail?"

Meng Huang's voice trembled slightly.

Chen Mobai: "I have never failed, and with me by your side, neither will you!"

Chapter 1729: Huang Undergoes Core Formation, Ultimate Dao Array

Danxia Mountain.

As the place where the Pure Yang Master formed his Nascent Soul, it has become a holy land in the hearts of the people of Red Sandstone City.

As such, the two major academies located on the spirit vein of Danxia Mountain have seen their enrollment rates soar in recent years, jumping into the top ten from their previous mid-tier rankings.

And today, the academy students practicing at the foot of the mountain suddenly felt an unusual fluctuation in nature's spiritual energy.

Before long, a misty haze appeared atop the mountain due to the gathering of spiritual energy. The clear sound of a pipa began to play at some point, causing countless fragments of spiritual energy to rise continuously, coalescing into a radiant brilliance.

As time passed, the spiritual energy at the top of Danxia Mountain poured constantly into the brilliance, making it more dazzling as it breathed in the new and exhaled the old.

However, most of the teachers and students were accustomed to such a scene.

"This should be Teacher Meng from the Arts Department forming her Gold Core. It seems splendid, but compared to when the Pure Yang Master formed his Nascent Soul, it's somewhat lacking."

Some teachers, leading the new batch of students, commented on the phenomenon of Core Formation continuously appearing in the sky.

At this moment, the brilliance in the sky seemed to have reached its peak concentration, beginning to condense and emit dazzling light.

Sublime celestial music emerged, as if nature itself was singing, melodious and pleasant yet carrying a clear, penetrating chill.

The teachers and students of the two academies felt it was very beautiful, but Chen Mobai truly reveled in the Great Tao's mystic sound produced during a cultivator's Great Realm breakthrough.

With him supporting from the side, Meng Huang finally took the Golden Elixir Spiritual Medicine. Her essence, qi, and spirit had long been honed to the limit of Foundation Establishment, and with the Golden Liquid Jade Pill and Water Element Golden Core Pill, she smoothly accomplished the three-stage breakthrough.

Sometimes, it's just the lack of courage to take that crucial step forward.

After Meng Huang successfully formed her Gold Core, Chen Mobai was also concerned that she might become overly excited and her realm might fall back, so he continued to listen with the Echoes in the Void technique, giving guidance.

However, during this process, he gained an unexpected benefit.

Limited by her cultivation level, the portion of the Great Tao's mystic sound that Meng Huang could hear during Core Formation was only a very superficial part.

But Chen Mobai, being a Nascent Soul Cultivator, could hear far more than Meng Huang—ten times more, at least.

In this moment, he felt himself as gentle as flowing creek water and as light as a feather drifting in the air.

It was as if a peerless musician was playing beside his ear, the sound bending and lingering like scattered rain, fresh and elegant, falling as notes in his heart, allowing him to feel as if he was basking in the spring breeze.

Chen Mobai could not use language to describe these wondrous notes; he was completely absorbed and enjoying it, while the Phoenix Phantom in the Sea of Knowledge at the Purple Mansion sang a clear tune, seemingly in harmony with the celestial sounds of the Great Tao.

Immersed in this picturesque celestial music, his divine sense began to grow astonishingly.

Gradually, Chen Mobai felt his mind breaking free from the shackles of his body, merging with the entire universe.

He suddenly had a peculiar perspective, as if he had become an observer of time, seeing the mountain range beneath his feet transition from flat land to volcanic eruptions, with tectonic collisions constantly compressing it. Through countless eons of changes, it eventually formed its present state.

During the process of the mountain range fully forming, a spirit plant sorted the underground fire toxins, transforming them into a fire vein that benefited all beings, which deeply moved him.

In that instant, Chen Mobai felt the flow of spiritual energy throughout the entire Danxia Mountain Range. Whether it was the sunlight of dawn or the starlit night, it all resonated with the clear and beautiful notes in his mind.

During this process, vast spiritual energy transformed into a rainbow light, quickly converging toward him, as if the entire spirit vein of Danxia Mountain was assisting his cultivation.

Instinctively, Chen Mobai refined it using the Pure Yang Scroll, and his heart and mind, under the Great Tao's mystic sound, merged with this world, becoming a part of it.

Standing atop the mountain, he felt the movement of the wind, the pulse of the earth, and the operation of the entire spirit vein.

At this moment, Chen Mobai felt the power he grasped had reached an unprecedented level of strength.

Just then, the Morning Bell sounded, awakening him from the Great Tao's mystic sound.

Chen Mobai immediately noticed that his cultivation of the Pure Yang Scroll and Vermilion Phoenix Facing the Sun Diagram had simultaneously made breakthroughs.

The Pure Yang Scroll had reached the second layer of the Nascent Soul, while the Vermilion Phoenix Facing the Sun Diagram had broken through to the crucial "Response Earth Spirit" realm.

This was also his current limit; if he lingered in the Great Tao's mystic sound any longer, it would backfire, not only halting improvement but possibly causing a fall from the current breakthrough.

Chen Mobai sat cross-legged under the emerald parasol tree, beginning to consolidate his realm with the Flame Lighting Technique.

To be honest, the gains from this time were quite unexpected.

His initial intention was merely to help Meng Huang break her mental barrier and take the step of Core Formation.

It's true that good deeds receive good returns.

Without this baptism of the Great Tao's mystic sound, it would have taken him at least five to six more years to break through to the second layer of the Nascent Soul.

But compared to that, the breakthrough of the Vermilion Phoenix Facing the Sun Diagram made Chen Mobai even more impressed by the power of the Mystic Sound Method.

Although he accelerated the cultivation of this divine sense technique with the Devour God Technique, for an ordinary cultivator of the Vermilion Phoenix Facing the Sun Diagram, it would take at least several decades, even as long as a hundred years, to possibly break through to the Response Earth Spirit realm.

Chapter 1730: Huang's Core Formation, Ultimate Dao Array\_2

The Great Tao's profound sound triggered by breaking through to Core Formation is already so formidable. What happens if one reaches Nascent Soul Formation?

No wonder cultivators of the Mystic Sound Method play the Shocking God Sonata, aiding in Divinity Transformation.

At this moment, Chen Mobai felt that perhaps he should pay more attention to Meng Huang.

What if she achieves Nascent Soul Formation?

Thinking this, he glanced towards Meng Huang, not far away, sitting cross-legged in meditation, with her jade-like countenance.

It was evident she was very pleased; even while consolidating her realm, she couldn't help but smile. But then again, anyone who succeeds at Core Formation would feel the same.

Chen Mobai was even more overjoyed than her back then.

They waited for several more days.

After confirming that Meng Huang wouldn't regress, he sent her a message: "Consolidate well and call me when you come out."

Meng Huang's smooth and fair ear twitched slightly. With her eyes still closed, she quickly nodded to show she understood.

After replacing his formless puppet's Superior Grade Spirit Stone, Chen Mobai used Void Teleportation to return to Wangwu Cave Heaven.

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After the "Vermilion Phoenix Facing the Sun" diagram reached the realm of Response Earth Spirit, Chen Mobai naturally wouldn't waste it.

He began acquiring knowledge about formations at the Immortal Gate.

In formations, all four Daoist Sects of the Immortal Gate are highly skilled, and mastering any of their legacies can lead to reaching Rank-5.

Even among the Ten Great Academies, many have legacies containing Rank-5 formation content.

Integrating all Rank-5 formation knowledge from the Immortal Gate lays the foundation for the Sixth Rank: Sky Curtain Ground Network Formation.

It can be said, Sky Curtain and Earth Network represent the pinnacle of the Immortal Gate's formations.

Chen Mobai started learning formation knowledge from his own Dance Tool Dao Academy.

With Void Teleportation, he can seek guidance at Crimson Mountain anytime, where both Master Chengxuan and the three Golden Core Masters of the Array Department are delighted to teach him.

By leveraging his realm of Heaven's Blessing, Response Earth Spirit, Chen Mobai graduated from learning all Rank-1 to Rank-5 formation knowledge from the Dance Tool Dao Academy in just half a year.

Even by the standards of the Immortal Gate, he could easily pass the exam for a Rank-4 Array Master.

To pass Rank-5, however, he would need to master all Rank-5 formations from the remaining Daoist Academies.

But for Chen Mobai, that is merely a matter of time.

This was the first time he felt knowledge was so simple.

His rapid progress in learning formations amazed Master Chengxuan and others at the Dance Tool Dao Academy.

However, Chen Mobai didn't hide that it was because of the "Vermilion Phoenix Facing the Sun" cultivation technique. Despite its rarity in practice, detailed descriptions of its various realms were recorded in the ancient books of the Dance Tool Dao Academy.

Learning all the formation essences of the Dance Instruments Sect in just half a year couldn't just be explained by comprehension and talent; it was like having a cheat.

Even Master Chengxuan was even more astonished by this.

After all, in the history of the Immortal Gate, not a single person has cultivated the "Vermilion Phoenix Facing the Sun" to such a realm.

The highest achievements of several cultivators in this technique remained trapped at the Heaven's Blessing realm.

"Based on notes left by predecessors, they speculate it's because the Heavenly Heart of the Immortal Gate has been assimilated by the Fruit of Dao's Rule, so they can't sense the purest changes in the Heavenly Heart, making the Heaven's Blessing realm forever incomplete. To think you crossed this chasm, your talent truly surpasses those Nascent Soul ancestors!"

Chen Mobai genuinely had no idea about this. Hearing Master Chengxuan's praise made him sweat slightly.

His realm of Heaven's Blessing was achieved in the Tianhe Realm.

There, the Heavenly Heart indeed felt pure and natural, especially under the crown of All Beings, with Eastern Wilderness's Heavenly Heart presenting no defense to him, letting him come and go as he pleased.

He also tried sensing the Heavenly Heart with Heaven's Blessing at the Immortal Gate, but it did feel different from Eastern Wilderness, lacking nature and having more rules.

Chen Mobai hadn't anticipated that the Fruit of Dao's Rule could alter the Heavenly Heart.

Yet this provided an explanation.

"Perhaps it's because I've gained some insight from the Taoist Laws Sure-book, allowing me to pierce through the shroud of rules, directly pointing to the essence of the Great Tao's laws, hence being able to achieve perfection in Heaven's Blessing and naturally advance to Response Earth Spirit."

Master Chengxuan nodded repeatedly at Chen Mobai's words.

From his view, only the mysteries recorded in the Tian Shu can unravel the Heavenly Heart's enigma cloaked by rules.

Master Chengxuan: "You must not waste your talent, and should diligently delve into the dao of formations. Perhaps one day you might achieve the Immortal Gate's Sect Master's ultimate dao array, unifying heaven and earth."

Chen Mobai: "What is this ultimate dao array?"

Chen Mobai suddenly realized that although he was already Nascent Soul at the Immortal Gate, he had never heard of many things.

Master Chengxuan: "The Sky Curtain and Earth Network are both Sixth Rank formations. Combined, they represent the ultimate transformation of the Immortal Gate's Formation Dao, known as the Ultimate Dao Array. The Sky Curtain is the pinnacle of sky formations, the Earth Network the pinnacle of ground formations, while the Dao Array takes humanity as its foundation, refining the Sky Curtain and Earth Network into the body."

Master Chengxuan: "In the past, the Sect Master of the Immortal Gate used the dao array to activate the portal, carrying the ancestors of our Four Great Daoist Sects across the cosmos's star rivers and the eternal void, arriving at this Earth Element Star to establish the foundation of the Immortal Gate."

Master Chengxuan: "Unfortunately, the Earth Element Star has limited heaven and earth, so the Sky Curtain and Earth Network it can evolve only barely reach Sixth Rank. In his later years, the Sect Master of the Immortal Gate restructured the dao array around this foundation and attempted to cultivate the void, but failed."

Upon hearing this, Chen Mobai couldn't help but be filled with admiration.

As one of the very few cultivators in the Immortal Gate's history to venture into Cultivating Void, the Immortal Gate's Sect Master, Zhang Dao Sun, is recognized as having achieved the highest level of cultivation.

It's just regrettable that traversing the stars depleted so much of his strength. After arriving at the Earth Element Star, he supposedly encountered a formidable adversary, and although he subdued and killed them, it cost him a great deal of his essence.

Yet, even so, Zhang Dao Sun still spread the method of immortal cultivation on the Earth Element Star, granting the technique of longevity.

Under his guidance, Yun Ya, the ancestor of the Four Great Daoist Sects, and others established their own doctrines on various Spirit Veins, continuing their legacies on the Earth Element Star.

Subsequent evolution over hundreds and thousands of years led to the establishment of the Immortal Gate's beginnings and the opening of the Three Great Halls.

In a sense, the reason the Immortal Gate can allow everyone to cultivate immortality traces back to the very Sect Master, Zhang Dao Sun.

Though his own path was damaged, he never forgot to enrich all beings!

When Chen Mobai was a child, under his grandfather's influence, he aspired to be an official, with Zhang Dao Sun as his first idol.

However, after Zhang Dao Sun passed away, the Three Great Halls of the Immortal Gate were basically controlled by the Four Great Daoist Sects, so there were not many records about him.

It's only because Master Chengxuan is the head of the Dance Tool Dao Academy that he knew these secrets.

"I hope that one day, I can allow the Immortal Gate's Dao Array to reappear on the Earth Element Star."

Chen Mobai sincerely said.

"With your realm of Heaven's Blessing, Response Earth Spirit, it will be easy for you to learn all Rank-1 to Rank-5 formation knowledge of the Immortal Gate. However, the Sky Curtain and Earth Network contain the essence of all the Immortal Gate's formations, and only the two ancestors there have them. When you have time, you should frequently visit the Five Peaks Immortal Mountains and play games with Ancestor Qian Xing to seek advice."

Master Chengxuan began advising Chen Mobai, even though Nascent Soul cultivators can basically download all the knowledge of the Immortal Gate, the Sky Curtain Ground Network is the bottom line concerning the security of the Immortal Gate and even the entire Earth Element Star, so there's no information available online.

The Double Saints of the Immortal Gate maintain the Sky Curtain Ground Network formation content, but Bai Guang of the Dance Instruments Sect only knows fighting and has no understanding of formations.

Therefore, if he wants to learn, he must go to Ancestor Qian Xing.