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Chapter 2001 - Hidden Treasure Chamber, End of the Sacred Medicine Palace

A beam of golden light flashed and the Paragon Golden Armor appeared. Qing Shui was very shocked. It was because when that flying sword came piercing toward him again, its speed was too fast. There would be no more Paragon Golden Armor next time. Qing Shui felt anxious. However, he quickly thought of his Heavenly Vision Technique.

Heavenly Vision Technique!

This slowed down the speed of the flying sword by a lot, but it was still very fast. However, he could now see it clearly and could dodge it.

Art of Pursuing!

Qing Shui attempted to use the Art of Pursuing on the flying sword, but hadn't expected to succeed. It wouldn't be a threat to him anymore. Qing Shui couldn't even be bothered to use the formations and the Emperor's Qi. Qing Shui once again used the Golden Battle Halberd to fend off the flying sword.

Right now, Qing Shui already knew about the flying sword. The old man's face was extremely pale now. Qing Shui knew that the sword of the old man couldn't be considered as a flying sword, but was just a skill that was similar to it. The old man's mastery of the skill was clearly insufficient and if he was to forcibly use it, there would be a backlash and the old man could end up being crippled. He could even lose his life.

The prowess of the flying sword was huge, but the depletion was also tremendous. This was why the old man had almost depleted a large part of his Origin Qi when he had only used it for such a short while. He had only launched three attacks so far, and would probably be able to use it for three more times at most.

However, if he won't be crippled after using it, the skill could be considered as a great killing technique. Qing Shui's speed and spiritual sense were already considered to be very powerful. However, the flying sword's speed was so fast that he didn't have the time to dodge. Thankfully, he still had his Heavenly Vision Technique. Otherwise, he would have to depend on the Nine Continents Mountain and the Dragon Slaying Beast.

However, he had no idea if the Dragon Slaying Beast could fend off the sharpness of this flying sword. Qing Shui had the feeling that it should be able to, but he couldn't be sure.

After seeing this flying sword's ability, Qing Shui felt like forging his own flying sword. If he were to forge his own flying sword, it would be much more powerful than the old man's. Plus, he would be able to fly while standing on the sword. Doing so would allow him to fly much faster than if he were to fly himself. It was said that flying while standing on the sword wouldn't deplete Origin Qi at a very fast rate and one could continue doing so for very long.

Of course, Qing Shui wasn't sure about these things. He had only thought about them. After all, if the depletion of energy for flying on swords was so great, then one would only be able to fly for a very short distance. It would lose its effect since one might as well choose not to fly.

Qing Shui used his Golden Battle Halberd to block two more times. He kept being pushed back or sent flying. This showed how powerful the flying sword was.

The prowess of the flying sword wasn't its strength, but its prowess and penetrating force. If it wasn't because of the Golden Battle Halberd in his hand, he would have been pierced through a long time ago. The flying sword was no longer considered as an ordinary weapon. Even Divine Weapons would clearly be worse off when compared to the flying sword.

It was like the difference between ordinary items and spiritual items

Of course, the old man's flying sword could only be considered as an ordinary item. Despite so, it was of a Divine grade and wouldn't lose out to Qing Shui's Golden Battle Halberd.

At the thought of this, Qing Shui increasingly hoped that he would be able to forge his own flying sword as soon as possible. When that was to happen, his battle prowess could probably increase by several notches, being able to kill his opponents from a far distance with great ease.

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The flying sword shattered and the old man spurted out a mouthful of blood, falling down limp onto the ground. He looked at Qing Shui, "Give them a way out."

Qing Shui knew that the old man wouldn't be able to survive. He looked at him calmly and said, "Everyone here has to die. The rest of the people from your Sacred Medicine Palace can leave."

Qing Shui won't eliminate them completely from the roots. The Sacred Medicine Palace was a great sect with many people. It would be very difficult even if he wished to kill all of them completely. Moreover, Qing Shui didn't want to cause a massacre. He had the Buddha Light Treasure Qi in his body. It was an invisible power of Buddhism, and it was important in Buddhism to be benevolent.

The old man had five disciples and 30 grand disciples. They were practically a goner. Some people deserved to be killed. The old man could say extremely shameless things before these people, which showed that they were his trusty aides. There was a saying 'when the leader sets a bad example, his subordinates would follow.' Qing Shui could sense from Qiu Di, Hong Chen, and many other people here that their kidneys weren't doing well. Although they had been taking nutritious medicines, the damage was still very high. This showed that these people had indulged in sex too much. This was not only it. Qing Shui had also seen the greed in some of these people's eyes when they saw Qing Ci.

Since they wanted to snatch something that belonged to him, Qing Shui decided to go along with the idea of not wasting things and swept off some of the things present, such as interspatial silk sachets, and tossed them into his Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal. He then brought Qing Ci and Little Mo, and walked towards the interior of the Sacred Medicine Palace.

The Dragon Slaying Beast hadn't lost its treasure-searching ability at all and led Qing Shui directly to the Sacred Medicine Palace's treasure chamber. Qing Shui was shown a great sect's collections and treasures. This was the Sacred Medicine Palace and most of the things collected was actually medicinal herbs.

Then there were metals, otherworldly meteorites, as well as some strange and unknown things, including a treasure pagoda. Qing Shui found yet another treasure pagoda. Although this thing might

look good and amazing to ordinary people, having a hint of dignified aura. They wouldn't know how to use them. Even then, they could not bear to throw them away.

Qing Shui took a brief look. There weren't much of them--three treasure pagodas. One of them was the Heavenly Fate Treasure Pagoda of Violence. It could double one's attacking prowess within a certain success rate. It wasn't stated what the success rate was, but it shouldn't be too high. However, it shouldn't be too low either.

The other two were the Parry Heavenly Fate Treasure Pagoda and the Heavenly Fate Treasure Pagoda of Defence. The latter would increase the user's personal overall defense abilities by 20%.

Qing Shui kept them. He was quite satisfied with them. Such things were useful in training the body, especially in building his resistance of attack. If one's defense was too low, the effect wouldn't be much. However, no one in this world would detest the thought of getting stronger. Following on, Qing Shui didn't use them immediately since he knew that the treasure pagodas had a limit. He had already used two of them and wasn't sure if he could still use more. In his memories as a Battle God Inheritor, there was something similar to the Heavenly Fate Treasure Pagoda and a person could only use five of them. And this was the case when one's cultivation had reached the peak.

Right now, he reckoned that he should be able to use three or even four of them. However, it was unlikely for him to be able to use five of them.

Qing Shui wanted to find some which were practical for him. When his flying sword is out, he might get himself one of those vitality treasure pagodas. Although his endurance and recovery abilities were both very strong, no one would detest the thought of getting stronger. Therefore, he would put this aside for now.

It was the right decision for him to come to the Sacred Medicine Palace's hidden treasure chamber. He managed to gather a lot of medicinal herbs and they were those which had aged well. Moreover, there were some of them which he needed now. There were even some seeds for medicines which had very high requirements in order to be used. They were placed here since the requirements couldn't be met.

Hmmm?

Divine Star Iron!

Qing Shui looked agitatedly at a piece of pale blue metal. He thought of the old man's sword. This was an indispensable material to forge a flying sword and Qing Shui hadn't expected to find it here. Moreover, that old man's sword had this Divine Star Iron added in.

This piece wasn't very small and was close to two meters in length, width, and height. It was sufficient, even if he had to forge a few flying swords.

Qing Shui had gotten Little Mo to sleep before the action started. After all, young children would often be scared at bloody sights. Right now, the little guy was still sleeping in Qing Ci's embrace.

Qing Ci followed Qing Shui happily.

After wiping out all the good things here, Qing Shui left with Qing Ci. The moment they left, many experts gushed into the Sacred Medicine Palace and the news of the Sacred Medicine Palace being wiped out was instantly spread out throughout the Great Shang City.

Chapter 2002 - Jade Fragrant Restaurant, Information, Cooperation

When Qing Shui returned to the Imperial Cuisine Hall, it was already noon. Everyone saw Qing Shui and the others came back. In fact, many people had no idea what was going on. When the Jade Fragrant Restaurant's owner told Qing Shui about the matter, Qing Shui didn't tell the others as he didn't want them to worry.

Therefore, the others had no idea of what had just happened. However, they'd already found out that something big had happened in the Great Shang City—the Sacred Medicine Palace—had been wiped out.

Right now, there were only rumors outside that the Sacred Medicine Palace was wiped out, but no one said who had done it. However, Qing Shui knew that it wouldn't be long before the news would be spread out. It was because forces at the level of the Shang Clan and Lang Clan would definitely know how the Sacred Medicine Palace had been wiped out. Moreover, there was another person who knew the most about this matter, and was also the first to find out about it.

Jade Fragrant Restaurant's owner!

As expected, it hadn't been long before that woman came. When she saw Qing Shui, her beautiful eyes shone in great surprise, but she still smiled. It was as if she felt relieved to see him. She nodded toward Qing Shui, "You're back!"

Qing Shui felt very comfortable to know that she was worried about him. He smiled and walked over, "I have to thank you this time around."

"Mister Qing is standing on ceremony. When the Imperial Cuisine Hall first opened, I had the great fortune to eat such delicious foods. I have a great liking toward good foods. When will the Imperial Cuisine Hall start to sell such delicacies to the public? Will I be able to buy them in the future?" The lady asked happily.

Qing Shui smiled. He knew that the lady was interested in those foods of his. He smiled and said, "As of now, I don't know when I can start selling them. Those foods rely on a certain type of spice. I can only tell you that this spice can only be grown in a unique place and such places aren't easy to find. I'll give you some of these spices. If you keep them for your own use, they'll last you for very long. They can last you for eight to ten years, or even several decades. However, if there are more people having them, then I won't be able to give any assurance."

Qing Shui had quite a lot of these spices piled up in the Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal. He didn't wish to sell them and thus, only gave them to his friends and family. Moreover, these spices continued to mature and there was no need to worry that there wasn't enough supply.

"Mister Qing, I have a suggestion. I wonder if you'll be interested to hear it?" the lady smiled and said.

"Oh? What suggestion? Could it be that you want us to set up a restaurant together?" Qing Shui smiled and said.

"Ah? You even know about this?" the lady said, a little embarrassed.

When Qing Shui saw the lady's astonished expression, he felt a little happy. This lady was really beautiful. Although her disposition wasn't very seductive, it had a little innocence and a type of pure air to it.

Her snow-white skin was like jade, smooth and flawless. She had a long and slender figure and was well-embodied. In addition to not having even a bit of excess fats, her chest was very well-rounded and so was her butt. It made her waist appear increasingly slender.

This was an independent and mature lady who had a different charm. There was a hint of charm in her disposition. There was also a little arrogance as well as a bit of weakness and sluggishness.

"It can be done, but there's something I'm curious about and I am not sure if I can ask about it. After all, you've helped me and if I were to ask, it would seem a little..." Qing Shui said hesitantly.

The lady was stunned for a moment. From Qing Shui's expression, it didn't seem as if he was trying to suggest something. She smiled and said, "That's not a problem. Go ahead and ask!"

"Let's go over there, shall we take a seat and have a chat?" Qing Shui pointed to a pavilion in the distance.

The two of them sat in the pavilion. Qing Ci and Little Mo had returned. Qing Shui felt very relaxed; he personally made a pot of tea. This type of tea was also something which Qing Shui had planted in the Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal and there was nothing to complain about its taste. Of course, it would be especially enjoyable for tea connoisseurs to drink it, but even people who didn't know how to appreciate tea would feel refreshed after drinking it.

Therefore, anyone who drank this tea would like it. People said that good tea could make one feel refreshed and enlightened, awake, and more alert. Ordinary people could feel more energized and this feeling was very close to it.

The lady fell in love with the tea after a sip. She complimented the tea while looking at it. This man had too many surprises. Not only did he have great medical skills, but he was also very strong and had wiped out the Sacred Medicine Palace single-handedly. The Sacred Medicine Palace was a great sect, but it fell within half a day.

He also had great delicacies and amazing tea. She wondered what else did he know? What was his identity? and what was his purpose of coming to the Great Shang City? His purpose shouldn't be to set up a medical hall. After all, someone of his cultivation would definitely be one of the tops in the Great Shang City. He shouldn't be lacking in money and thus, shouldn't be eyeing for something here. What was his reason to come here?

"Miss, your Jade Fragrant Restaurant should be a force that gathers information, or rather, probes for information, right?" Qing Shui finally asked.

"I knew that you'd ask about this. You've already found out." The lady wasn't surprised.

"Is our cooperation just to set up a restaurant?" Qing Shui smiled and asked.

The lady now knew why this man had stayed here. She knew that some of the young men in his Imperial Cuisine Hall had been cultivating incessantly. This man was one with an ambition. He seemed to be lying low and developing now. This was a chance. Thinking to this, the lady was overjoyed, but she didn't show anything on her face.

"Then what else does Mister Qing wish to work together on?" The lady looked at Qing Shui and asked.

"Sigh, I'm not afraid to let you know, but my goal isn't this place. My goal is in the True Nine Continents World. You should know about it, but I have no idea how much understanding you have toward the Nine Continents World. Or rather, do you have the intentions of entering the True Nine Continents World?" Qing Shui didn't hide this. It wasn't a secret.

"I do know a little about the Nine Continents World. Moreover, I also wished to let the Jade Fragrant Restaurant enter the Nine Continents World. Oh right, my intelligence network doesn't have an owner yet. We don't report to anyone at the moment." The lady smiled and looked at Qing Shui, blinking her eyes.

Qing Shui's heart kept beating quicker and he almost couldn't hold the urge to hug her. When a mature lady with some charm, sexiness, arrogance, sluggishness, and fragile feelings revealed such a cute and sexy expression, wasn't it a bait for one to commit a crime?

Qing Shui smiled awkwardly as the lady's expression went back to normal. However, she was still maintaining a slight smile. Earlier on, she could also tell that Qing Shui's expression was a little scoundrelly, and she could also see the greed that Qing Shui had toward her at that moment. This greed didn't seem to be a blatant one. His gaze was very clear, full of admiration and like.

She didn't feel repulsed toward him. Or rather, it was because her opinion of him was already different, to begin with.

"That's great. I wonder if you're willing to work together with me alone." Qing Shui quickly asked.

"Can't you hold it in a little? Do you have to be so direct? How do you expect me to reply you like this? If I were to ask you to give me three days to consider, will you be angry?" The lady smiled and asked.

"Of course not." Qing Shui naturally knew that the lady had agreed.

"Haha, then we're on the same side now. I'm called Yu Xixuan." She reached out her tender hand as she said this.

Qing Shui took her hand, "I'm Qing Shui!"

"Miss Yu, I'm very curious. There should have been some forces who would want to work together with you." Qing Shui asked, puzzled.

"Just call me Xixuan. Would you believe me if I was to say that I'm not interested in these forces in the Great Shang City and don't wish to work together with them?"

"I will. Seems like Xixuan's eyes are very bright and have a good judgment. You can tell that I'm a person with great qualities." Qing Shui said seriously.

"I suddenly have the feeling that I might have just boarded a pirate ship." Yu Xixuan looked at Qing Shui who seemed a little smug at the moment and smiled. "It seemed that this guy was also quite humorous." thought Xixuan.

Chapter 2003 - Half A Year Later, Imperial Cuisine Hall, Great Benevolence and Righteousness

Before Yu Xixuan left, Qing Shui gave her quite a lot of spices. Their agreement for the cooperation was considered to have been established. However, their real cooperation should only start in the future when they had arrived in the True Nine Continents World.

The next day, news of the Imperial Cuisine Hall's Qing Shui wiping out the Sacred Medicine Palace quickly spread throughout the Great Shang City. The news said that it was due to the abduction of Qing Ci and Little Mo and also because they had laid their hands on Qing Shui's medical skills.

It was only then, did the people from the Imperial Cuisine Hall find out about what had happened, especially those young men. Earlier on, they only knew that Qing Shui was very powerful, but they hadn't expected him to be this strong. Lan Lingfeng, the Barbarian Emperor, and the others were also astonished for quite a while. Only upon recalling the scene of Qing Shui and Qing Ci coming back that they knew what Qing Shui had gone to do.

Furthermore, the Imperial Cuisine Hall's reputation had grown even greater. This time around, it was due to the Sacred Medicine Palace. What kind of existence was the Sacred Medicine Palace? To think that they would set their eyes on the Imperial Cuisine Hall's medical skills. This meant that the Imperial Cuisine Hall was even stronger than the Sacred Medicine Palace. Thinking of the rumors which had said that the Imperial Cuisine Hall was very strong, they now understood that it was the truth.

Two days later, Zhang Miaoyun came by. His expression still seemed to be very calm, wearing a happy smile. After the acupuncture session today, his treatment would be considered over.

"You really don't show off your real capabilities. This Sacred Medicine Palace is really greedy." Zhang Miaoyun said happily.

"Why do you say that?" Qing Shui asked curiously.

"The Sacred Medicine Palace actually has quite a good reputation around here. After all, they are a sect with many alchemists. Everyone in the area would have to show them some respect. As time passed, their characters changed and now after they saw the threat that the Imperial Cuisine Hall poses, they couldn't sit still. I just didn't expect that these people would do something like abducting people."

"They didn't just abduct. They've also done a lot of bad deeds in the back." Qing Shui smiled and said.

"Everyone knows, but no one said anything. Such things aren't uncommon in great clans and powers. When their influence grows greater, no matter how strict they were back then, they would still indulge in certain situations. This is very common. Many people would unknowingly lose themselves that way." Zhang Miaoyun shook his head and said.

"Sir, I see that you've been really close with the Jade Fragrant Restaurant recently. I have to congratulate you." Zhang Miaoyun didn't seem interested to continue too much on the previous topic and changed to talk about the Jade Fragrant Restaurant.

"Oh, Brother Zhang knows about the Jade Fragrant Restaurant?" Qing Shui was very curious. He also wanted to know about the Jade Fragrant Restaurant's background. Why was such a charming lady here? He didn't believe that it was for the purpose of setting up a top notch restaurant in the area.

"I don't know much either. I only know that her identity is very mysterious and the force backing her up seems to be very big as well. They are people from the True Nine Continents World. The reason why she's here is also very mysterious, it seems like she is taking a break from something. However, she has been here for over ten years and it's really strange." Zhang Miaoyun shook his head and said.

Zhang Miaoyun's meridian channels had been healed by Qing Shui. However, he wouldn't be able to use his Origin Qi temporarily and couldn't cultivate either. Despite that, Zhang Miaoyun was already very excited. For the past few years, he didn't have any cultivation at all. He had thought of killing himself on multiple occasions. However, at the sight of his parents' worried gazes and also at the thought of his wife, he could only choose to bear with it. Even if he was a cripple, he would still have to live on bravely.

'Every cloud has a silver lining'. He was an absolute genius from the Zhang Clan and now that he was given a chance to recover, the Zhang Clan would arrange many experts to protect Zhang Miaoyun. It was because he wouldn't be able to use his Origin Qi for some time and they were afraid that there would be people with bad intentions who would try to harm him.

For Zhang Miaoyun's sake, Qing Shui had also given him a treasure that he had forged himself. Although it could only be used to fend off people who were at the Martial Emperor or lower, experts tended to be too prideful and wouldn't do such things themselves. Therefore, even if anything was to happen, it would be done by small fries. It would be fine as long as Zhang Miaoyun didn't use his Origin Qi.

The rest of the world wasn't aware that Zhang Miaoyun wasn't able to use his Origin Qi, but it was better to be safe than sorry.

Zhang Miaoyun was almost fully recovered. He would be able to recover completely after resting at home for a month.

"Sir, you can be said to have given me a second lease of life. If I hadn't met you, I'd just be a walking corpse even if I were alive. I feel that I'm mentally strong, but there are just some things which are hard to let go of. I don't know how to thank you, but if you need me for anything, I'll put down everything else to come and help you. Even if you want my life, I won't hesitate to give it to you." Zhang Miaoyun said very seriously.

Qing Shui smiled and pat him on the shoulder. "We don't have any agreements between us. You came to seek treatment and I provided the treatment. You had also found the medicinal herbs and also paid for the medical fees. You don't owe me anything. I'm a physician. If everyone is like you, how can I keep my medical hall operating?"

Zhang Miaoyun knew what Qing Shui meant and didn't say much. He merely smiled and nodded, "I'm a man of my words. You're the person I trust and respect the most. If you have anything you need my help in, please do not stand on ceremony."

"Alright, I shall not stand on ceremony then."

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The days that followed, were very peaceful. Qing Ci learned medical skills and cultivation from Qing Shui. Moreover, the older kids in the Imperial Cuisine Hall were still cultivating endlessly. Qing Shui was very serious in this matter. No matter if they had passed the optimum age for cultivation, Qing Shui treated them all the same. 15 to 16 years old wasn't too late.

The Imperial Cuisine Hall hired a few other physicians. With the Imperial Cuisine Hall's current abilities, it was naturally easier for them to recruit physicians. There were even people who came without asking for remunerations. This was why having a good reputation was good. People would come here in order to learn better medical skills.

Qing Shui naturally knew what these people had come for. Physicians must first have morals. If they didn't have morals, Qing Shui won't teach them anything at all. Otherwise, when these people became more capable, they would also bring more agony to others.

In order to build up the Imperial Treasure Hall's reputation, Qing Shui was still going to stay in the Great Shang City for a period of time. It could be a relatively long period of time. This place would also become a resting spot for him. In the future, it could also be one of Qing Clan's home.

In the blink of an eye, five months passed by.

Five months wasn't considered long, it was actually very short. Things over here were all moving on the right track. Although the Imperial Cuisine Hall didn't have any disagreements with the Lang Clan and Shang Clan, the others had all recognized the Imperial Cuisine Hall's status. Earlier on, they all recognized the Sacred Medicine Palace's status. Now that the Imperial Cuisine Hall was much stronger in all aspects compared to the Sacred Medicine Palace, no one would dare to come and create trouble.

Another thing to mention was the good morals of the Imperial Cuisine Hall. The poor could seek treatment at a very low price, paying only for the cost of the medicine. If they had difficulties, they could even get treated for free. Within a few months, the Imperial Cuisine Hall's reputation had overthrown all the other forces in the Great Shang City. Now they were known as a force with great benevolence and righteousness.

Quite a number of people from the great clans came to seek treatment, with many of them being incurable diseases. This world was different from Qing Shui's previous life. For example, in his previous life, if a person successfully treated an incurable disease like cancer, it would bring them endless troubles...

However, it wasn't the same in this world. People would only see you as a miraculous physician, an amazing physician. You would only get respect.

Therefore, the Imperial Cuisine Hall's relations with many influences were very amiable. The Imperial Cuisine Hall had gained a certain level of prestige and no one would dare to bully them. Putting aside if they were capable of bullying them, there would be many people who wouldn't stand for it.

Qing Shui wasn't a stubborn person who was obstinate on old-fashioned rules. Great clans were a byproduct of a generation. Even if he couldn't stand the way they brought themselves, the fact that they existed, meant that they were a norm. He won't be able to change them completely nor should he avoid them all just because of this. Even if you were to defeat a clan, a new clan would be born immediately.

Moreover, this wasn't a legit reason for one to destroy a clan. If he was to do so, it wouldn't be long before he got himself killed.v

Chapter 2004 - Qing Hanye Has A Child

Qing Shui had been here for half a year and as he observed, Qing Ci's improvement was the greatest. Not only had she grasped Meridians Knocking Soul Pulling, but her understanding of medicinal herbs had also become highly proficient. Qing Shui used medicinal pills and other methods to raise her cultivation by a lot, especially her Yin-Yang Finger.

Qing Shui helped her to increase the prowess of her Yin-Yang Finger a little. He had also taught Qing Ci some martial arts and some more vicious means of striking acupuncture points and meridian channels. If she hit the right spot, the enemy could either suffer from serious injuries or even lose his life.

Attacks like these required a person to have a good understanding of acupuncture points, as well as adequate mastery of technique to perform the skill. There were many acupuncture points which other people were unaware of. The acupuncture points that people knew in Qing Shui's previous life, was just a very small portion of them. It was only now that Qing Shui knew about the hidden acupuncture points on the human body.

The Barbarian Emperor, Lan Lingfeng, Yin Tong, and the few ladies were all learning as well. Qing Shui's future development path was to strike acupuncture points, along with continuous combos of massacring techniques. If he was to excel in one of them, he would be able to kill stronger opponents.

Learning all of these required the use of Hidden Force, Transformation Force, as well as the Hitting A Cow Through A Mountain. He could even attain the legendary level of being able to ignore defenses.

In Qing Shui's previous life, one could only master Hidden Force and Transformation Force after attaining a certain level in their fist arts. In fact, there were many levels one could achieve in this world, but most people weren't proficient in them. This world pursued pure power and as a comparison, that was a simple thing which people managed to master without spending the extra effort to intentionally learn it.

The Hidden Force and Transformation Force in this world were very rough, but their prowess was amazing. This was what Qing Shui felt. Therefore, this was the type of power he was trying to teach those young men.

Qing Shui didn't know about martial arts in his previous life, but he enjoyed watching them and also liked to read on some descriptions regarding martial arts. After arriving in this world, he managed to learn a lot of things by himself. Moreover, there was also the Ancient Strengthening Technique which he had with him. There were detailed descriptions inside.

Right now, Qing Shui knew that the Hidden Force and Transformation Force in this world were of a much higher level than his previous one.

For example, the prowess of a martial technique which a kindergartener child could display, couldn't be compared with that of a strong man.

Maybe it was the difference in starting point and environment that made this obvious.

Qing Shui didn't consider this as a problem. After half a year, these people only managed to grasp an inkling of it. Despite so, the improvement was still significant and their battle prowess had increased by over a notch.

Qing Shui decided to head to the Linhai City to take a look at the few ladies. Considering the time, Qing Hanye should be giving birth soon. It was very convenient for him to head over there from where he was. He looked for Yu Xixuan and got her help to take care of the Imperial Cuisine Hall.

Qing Shui knew about this lady's strength; she was already at the seventh level of Divinity. Therefore, he didn't find it strange when Zhang Miaoyun mentioned Yu Xixuan's exceptional background and that she had come from the True Nine Continents World.

Yu Xixuan naturally didn't have any problems with his request and agreed immediately. Qing Shui knew that the Imperial Cuisine Hall was basically very safe now. Ordinary people wouldn't be able to harm them. The Barbarian Emperor, Lan Lingfeng, Yu Xixuan, Qing Ci, and the others were considered top-notch experts now.

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He used the Five Elements Divine Flags directly to arrived in the Divine Cave. Qing Shui first headed to the Imperial Cuisine Hall. The Linhai City was the same as it had been. Also, as long as the Great Confucian Empire was here, no one would dare to lay their hands on the Imperial Cuisine Hall. Moreover, the Lan Clan was also getting increasingly prominent and their strength wasn't far from the Imperial Cuisine Hall. There was also the Ziche Clan.

Right now, there was only Tianyi, Yu Niang, and their children in the Imperial Cuisine Hall. Back then, this was Qing Shui's Imperial Cuisine Hall, but now, it had become Yu Niang's and Tianyi's.

Previously, this place had belonged to the Hua Clan. Qing Shui then thought about it. He recalled that the Imperial Cuisine Hall in the Great Shang City also belonged to the Lang Clan previously. It seemed that they had all been "gifted" by others.

Yu Niang and the others were naturally very happy to see Qing Shui. Yu Niang saw Qing Shui as if he was her real brother, one who was closer than a blood kin. He was also Tianyi's benefactor, who had given him a new lease of life. Right now, Tianyi was also the most famous miraculous physician here.

Qing Shui always had a goal, which was to set up an Imperial Cuisine Hall in every place he headed to. He wanted the Imperial Cuisine Hall to grow and become strong in this world. However, while it was easy to set up more Imperial Cuisine Halls, it required fate and effort, to get people who could provide medical treatments. Thankfully, things went well in the Great Shang City with Qing Ci around.

Qing Shui stayed in the Imperial Cuisine Hall for about half a day before he left. It was sufficient to know that everything was going well. He then made a trip to the Great Confucian Empire's palace, met the Great Confucian Empire's Old man and Wen Jian, giving them quite a lot of good stuff including delicacies.

Although the two old men still had a few decades in their lives, Qing Shui helped to increase their lifespan a little more. It was less than 100 years, but was over 50 years. To these two old men, their cultivation level was no longer important. They were strong enough, but they didn't have any hopes to

attain a breakthrough anymore. Therefore, they rarely cultivated now and would spend their time drinking tea, enjoying good food, or playing chess.

A day passed by just like this. Qing Shui got to know from Xia Clan's Old Ancestor that nothing had happened at the Sunset Sea King Palace. Although that place was in the ocean domain, the Great Confucian Empire could still take care of them a little. They could still manage to find out if there were any major events happening.

When Qing Shui rushed over to the Sunset Sea King Palace, he sensed the throbbing of a life, an invisible force that was tugging at him. Qing Shui's mind swirled and he rapidly rushed toward the Sunset Sea King Palace.

"Mmm, Qing Shui!" Yiye Jiange looked at Qing Shui and blocked his way.

This was the entrance to the room. Qing Shui knew that Qing Hanye was giving birth.

"How're things?" Qing Shui asked, concerned. Muyun Qingge and the others were around as well.

"There's no need to worry. We've found the best physician who handles childbirth." Luo Qingcheng quickly said.

Wa!

A loud baby's cry rang out at this moment.

Qing Shui heaved a sigh of relief. With him around, nothing would happen. However, he would still feel worried.

Not long later, a female physician came out and told them that they could now enter. She then shared with them on how they should take care of Qing Hanye and the child before leaving.

After hearing the child's cry, Qing Shui headed to the kitchen to make a bowl of All Aspect Nourishment Soup before entering the room.

Qing Hanye didn't rest but was looking at the child, while leaning against the bed. The few ladies had all gathered around. At this moment, Qing Shui entered, carrying the bowl of piping hot nourishment soup. When Qing Hanye saw Qing Shui, she was clearly stunned for a moment. From her expression, Qing Shui knew that the ladies didn't tell her about his arrival.

With Qing Shui here, the few ladies left. Qing Shui looked at the kid, it was a boy. Although it was a newborn, it looked very exquisite. He opened his big pair of black eyes that seemed to be filled with curiosity about this world. Qing Shui carried him for a while before putting him down and then started to feed Qing Hanye the soup.

Qing Hanye looked at Qing Shui happily, "I have a child now."

Qing Shui smiled when he saw how agitated she was, "I was the one who provided the seed."

Qing Hanye blushed, "Can't you say something nicer?"

"Do you feel blessed? Look! The child's physique is very good."

Qing Shui had sensed the child's physique. He and Qing Hanye had Nine Yang Physique and Nine Yin Physique respectively. This child was a boy and would basically have a Nine Yang Physique. However, his Nine Yang Physique wasn't as strong as Qing Shui's. This was because of the offset from Qing Hanye's physique.

Qing Shui didn't know if this physique was better than his own, but he knew that this little guy's physique was definitely not normal.

"I do. I feel that I have more expectations to life now." Qing Hanye looked at her son, her face shining with happiness.

After saying that, sensing the moment of silence, Qing Hanye looked at Qing Hanye and saw his gloomy expression, "What's wrong?"

"Could it be that you didn't have any expectations to life before this...?"

Qing Hanye now realized that her man was jealous. She couldn't help but burst out laughing and threw a charming glare at him. "He's your child."

Chapter 2005 - Qing She, Tianhe Renmo?

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Even if Qing Shui was acting jealous, he wasn't really so. Therefore he smiled and nodded, "I know."

"Give him a name!" Qing Hanye now felt very satisfied and said blissfully.

"Let's call him Qing She!" Qing Shui saw this little guy's physique, it was unique and Qing Shui knew that he would have a great future before him. Therefore, he hoped that this son could have a benevolent, righteous, and forgiving heart .

"We'll go with your decision. Little guy, you'll be called Qing She in the future." Qing Hanye said happily.

This time around, Qing Shui's return was very timely. He hadn't expected to be able to coincidentally arrived this time around.

Qing Hanye was a cultivator and the Nine Yin Physique couldn't be measured by conventions. Although she had just given birth, with Qing Shui's help, she had recovered a lot after half a day. At the very least, she became stronger than an ordinary person would feel after giving birth.

Therefore, there wasn't a need for her to have a confinement period after the childbirth, nor was there a need to worry that she would suffer from chills.

However, Qing Shui still made her rest in bed for a couple of days.

The other ladies came back again, but they left together with Qing Shui after a short while. The child had fallen asleep and Qing Hanye was also resting.

Qing Shui told Yiye Jiange and the others where he was currently at, and also shared with them about his recent situation.

After knowing that Qing Shui was now at the Great Shang City, they told Qing Shui to be careful. Qing Shui shared with them some of the thoughts he had, which made them want to help Qing Shui immediately. It was a pity that they couldn't leave the Sunset Sea King Palace alone and Qing Shui didn't agree to them disbanding the Sunset Sea King Palace. After all, the current Sunset Sea King Palace and the Easternpeak Dragonwolf Palace together were not inferior to ordinary Immortal Palaces.

"I'm thinking of setting up a Battle God Palace comprising of Battle God Inheritors. Qingge (Sun Shooting Battle God Inheritor), what are your plans? Qing Shui gave it some thought and said.

Muyun Qingge was originally the Sea King Palace's Palace Mistress, but the Sea King Palace had merged with Luo Qingcheng's Sunset Palace to become the Sunset Sea King Palace.

Right now, she was one of the Palace Mistresses of the Sunset Sea King Palace.

"I have nothing to do here anyway. Why don't I go with you to take a look?" Muyun Qingge said.

Luo Qingcheng smiled, "It's fine even if Qingge was to go now. Anyway, we'll still have to merge together in the future. She's a Battle God Inheritor and has her own mission."

Qing Shui gave it some thought, "If Qingge was to leave right now, I won't feel assured to leave this place."

"What's there to be worried about? Jiangge and Lingyan are both here. There are too few people here who can be a threat to us. This isn't the True Nine Continents World." Luo Qingcheng smiled and said.

Qing Shui thought about it. It made sense. With the ladies' abilities and the Sunset Sea King Palace, they would be able to have a relatively high status even if they were to head to the Great Shang City.

"Let's wait a little more. The Battle God Palace has just started. We'll talk more about this next time." Qing Shui gave it some thought and still felt that Muyun Qingge shouldn't be leaving right now.

"Then we'll leave this for the future. When your Battle God Palace gets stronger, then I'll head over." Muyun Qingge smiled and said. She didn't feel too much about it.

There hadn't been many changes over half a year. Tantai Lingyan had improved a lot and Yiye Jiange's progress was also very fast. Muyun Qingge could keep up as well. However, half a year was very short after all. Despite so, the ladies' improvements let Qing Shui know that they would be able to stand up for themselves in the Nine Continents World.

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"Little Yanyan, I'll be leaving tomorrow." Qing Shui went to Tantai Lingyan's room.

Toward this ice-cool goddess, Qing Shui would "work hard" every time he had an opportunity to. He hoped that he would be able to embrace the beauty one day.

"Mmm, be careful." Tantai Lingyan no longer bothered to resist against Qing Shui's nickname for her. He let him call whatever he wished...

"I'll miss you."

"I'll miss you too."

"I love you!"

"I... love you too." Tantai Lingyan said, hesitantly.

Qing Shui smiled as he looked at this lady who was a little embarrassed. He could not hold it in and hugged her, but didn't do anything further, he was helpless with this woman. There were many things which Qing Shui could do, but he couldn't bear to use them. For example, he could use the Soft-Tendon Hand Technique, which he was confident in. However, it wasn't very effective against Tantai Lingyan, she had a very strong self-control

Qing Shui knew that Tantai Lingyan would be his, sooner or later and there wasn't a need to feel anxious. More haste, less speed.

Actually, they were only one step away. Qing Shui could now hug and kiss her just like lovers. Sometimes, he could even put his hands on her chest and her breath-taking beautiful bum, and have his way with them. Just thinking of this lit up a fire in Qing Shui's heart.

He lowered his head and kissed that charming lips, carried her up, and walked toward the bed.

On the soft bed, Qing Shui laid on top of Tantai Lingyan's beautiful body, kissing her as his hands moved around incessantly. This made the extremely charming woman tremble ceaselessly.

"You aren't allowed to take off my clothes."

Sensing that Qing Shui was taking off her clothes, Tantai Lingyan grabbed his hand and said.

Qing Shui had already made her feel comfortable, and thus he now said, smiling bitterly, "You've felt good, but I'm still holding it in."

As Qing Shui said that, he took her hand and placed it against that scorching part of his body. Tantai Lingyan shivered and instinctively drew her hand back. She then looked at Qing Shui, "You said that you wouldn't force me. Can you give me a little more time? I'll definitely be yours. Isn't there still Jiange?"

She rarely spoke in such a tone, and it made Qing Shui numb all over. Qing Shui had only wanted to tease her, but now laying on top of her, his chin was about to bury into her twin peaks. Looking at this charming ice-cold beauty, Qing Shui smiled evilly and said, "Then let me have a taste of this."

Qing Shui then buried his head into the twin peaks, and took in a deep breath of that fragrance. It was a fragrance that was better than any other scents.

Tantai Lingyan closed her eyes and didn't say anything. Qing Shui knew that she had given him consent through the silence, then he skillfully removed her upper clothes. A pair of astonishing snow-white peaks jumped out. They were soft and tender, yet smooth like jade. They were well-rounded, but were in a perfect peach shape. The pink tips had an indescribable charm that would make one's blood vessel expanded.

Qing Shui couldn't hold back, he kissed and bit on them for an hour...

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Qing Shui left after staying for less than a week. He still needed to return to the Great Shang City. He didn't wish for there to be any troubles there and quickly used the Five Elements Divine Flag to arrive at the Dazang City. Qing Shui had set one of the locations of his Five Elements Divine Flags on the Dazang City.

Qing Shui recalled that it had been half a year since he last came to the Dazang City. Should he head to the Northern Snow City to visit Luan Luan? If she knew that he was in the Great Shang City, she'd definitely be very happy.

Qing Shui flew toward the Xiyun City. Right now, he hadn't given it any thought whether he should head to the Northern Snow City, or to the Northern Underworld Immortal Palace.

When he arrived between the Dazang City and Xiyun City, he heard sounds of fighting in the distance. Not so long after, someone in a bad state ran in Qing Shui's direction. Qing Shui wanted to leave directly, but just as he was about to leave, he came to a stop. It was because he realized that the person who was being chased down and sought after, was someone he knew.

Tianhe Renmo!

The genius of Tianhe City's Tianhe Clan--Tianhe Renmo.

Qing Shui hadn't expected to see him here. It was too astonishing. After all, with how big this world was, it was really a great affinity to be able to meet each other like this.

The 'She' in Qing She's name is the forgiving part of an idiom which meant benevolent, righteousness, and forgiving.

Chapter 2006 - Infatuation, News

Tianhe Renmo!

Qing Shui was shocked to see Tianhe Clan's rare talent covered with injuries. After a split second, Qing Shui was astonished for the second time. He could feel the formidable aura from the Scarlet Demon's Heart. Truthfully, Demon's Heart was not a good thing, though it could strengthen a person's cultivation rapidly, it was easy for that person to end in the state of Qi deviation. However, this was a Scarlet Demon's Heart. Combined with his Scarlet Physique, it would prevent Qi deviation and bring his cultivation to the state of equilibrium.

Tianhe Renmo seemed to have noticed the person in front. He looked at Qing Shui with surprise, suddenly yelling, "Run, get out of the way!"

Afterward, Tianhe Renmo immediately ran to the other direction.

Qing Shui could tell that Tianhe Renmo did not want to involve him, thus Tianhe Renmo avoided yelling out his name. What he had yelled would not draw suspicion to Qing Shui. Had Tianhe Renmo ran towards Qing Shui's direction, it would have been easier for him to escape. However, he didn't do it. Now that Tianhe Renmo ran to the other way, it was easier for the chasing group to surround him.

Qing Shui was happy on the inside. This was friendship. If it had been others with ulterior motives, they would have run towards Qing Shui and used Qing Shui as a scapegoat. There was a high possibility that

when faced with a critical situation, some people would betray their friends as if their friendships didn't worth anything. For some people, there was no loyalty as long as the cost exceeded the benefits.

"Brother! This way! I will help you escape!" Qing Shui yelled quickly.

Tianhe Renmo looked at Qing Shui's confident demeanor, gritted his teeth and ran over to Qing Shui.

Qing Shui looked at the dozens of men behind Tianhe Renmo, the strength of the one leading the group was at the Divine Grade. Qing Shui was unsure of how Tianhe Renmo provoked these men.

Qing Shui took Tianhe Renmo and escaped with Nine Continents Step. They instantly disappeared in front of the chasing group. Though some of the people within the group were confused, there were many formidable martial artists who understood that they escaped by using some sort of treasure.

They appeared within a city. Although Qing Shui was unsure about their exact location, from the surroundings, he could approximately tell that it was probably the Grand Wind City.

This Grand Wind City was named aptly. Every day, large gales blew for half a day at the very least. There were also times that the wind would blow nonstop for days. He could tell with one glance that the buildings were much heavier here.

Tianhe Renmo, who was covered in injuries, and Qing Shui were inside an inn. Qing Shui had already healed Tianhe Renmo quite a bit during this time. After cleaning himself up, Tianhe Renmo no longer appeared as ragged, even though he still looked tired.

"Brother, you have saved me once again."

They had not seen each other for several years. Though their appearance hadn't changed much, their cultivation had risen significantly. When he first met Tianhe Renmo, Qing Shui was barely at the False God Grade. Now after all this time, the healed Tianhe Renmo had also stepped into the False God Grade.

Before they knew it, ten years had passed.

Both of them had changed quite a bit. They kept in touch while they were on the Phoenix Dance Continent, but Qing Shui, who was always moving around quite a lot, made it hard for them to meet afterward.

Back then, Qing Shui found out that Tianhe Renmo was fighting for a woman. Though he had broken through to the False God Grade, he was still not a match for his opponent. But how about now? Therefore, Qing Shui asked while smiling, "How is she?"

Ten years ago, Tianhe Renmo was fighting with another person over a woman. That woman had a bit of feeling for Tianhe Renmo, but the other person was overpowering him. This guy was jealous of Tianhe Renmo, thus he took action against him. The accident at that time resulted in Tianhe Renmo's Qi deviation, causing the destruction of his meridians.

That was when Qing Shui met Tianhe Renmo and saved him.

"Good, we are doing well. However, that guy won't leave us alone. His clan is big, and their forces are even bigger. This time, he wants me dead, but luckily, I met you." Tianhe Renmo seemed not to be too worried.

“You mean, all these years, you have been battling with your rival in love?” Qing Shui asked in astonishment.

“Yes, I really want to be with her. In order to do that, I have to take down Xicheng Yeyang and the Xicheng clan. If not, She will have to face many hurdles while being with me.” Tianhe Renmo said bitterly.

“Ha... It is difficult for a man to find the right woman.”

There were men who could only stare at some women longingly, this was especially true for beautiful women. Those without strength were not qualified to possess a beautiful woman. Otherwise, they would only be a prey to the stronger warrior. It was normal to lose one’s life over this matter.

“That’s not it. I’m just devoted to one woman. If I can’t be with her, I would rather not marry for the rest of my life.” Tianhe Renmo said helplessly.

There were many infatuated people in love, but many could not compare with Tianhe Renmo. Qing Shui admired Tianhe Renmo’s dedication, knowing that there were not many men with his level of strength that would remain as loyal as he was. In this world, men with strength would normally have multiple wives.

Many times, Qing Shui felt that he himself was not a good person. Love was worthy of admiration, yet it was also selfish. Qing Shui had no path backward now. Every woman by his side was the best of the best. Having any of them was a blessing, but that resulted in him unable to provide each of them with a complete love.

“How about I assist you in dealing with the Xicheng Clan.” Qing Shui suggested.

“Brother, there is no need. I will take care of this myself. Otherwise, her elders would give me a hard time.” Tianhe Renmo said while shaking his head.

Qing Shui remained speechless for a while. This woman had enslaved Tianhe Renmo’s spirit. She had captured his spirit for twenty years or more. Luckily, people had higher longevity in this world, had it been the previous life, then his life would have been wasted away.

“Alright, I won’t assist you directly, I will only increase your strength. Once you are done with your business, come to visit me at the Great Shang City. You can follow me afterward.” Qing Shui said with a smile.

“That was part of my plan all along. After I’m done I will come to visit.”

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Qing Shui helped Tianhe Renmo to raise his strength and foundation. This allowed Tianhe Renmo’s strength to rise by a tremendous amount. All in all, It was all due to his body’s constitution, there was no other explanation. If this was compared to a video game, characters with high innate talent were stronger than those of the same level. People were similar to characters in a video game, but the major difference was the comprehension and other unexplainable factors.

Physique was natural aptitude; Maturity and comprehension were innate gifts.

Qing Shui returned to the Imperial Cuisine Hall. Not much change occurred during these last few days, everything progressed smoothly. Every now and then, he would hear some randomly emerging story about the Imperial Cuisine Hall. Sometimes, he would hear about Imperial Cuisine Hall's benevolence.

Though there were many who would purposely smear Imperial Cuisine Hall's name, like deliberately creating misunderstandings towards Imperial Cuisine Hall, Qing Shui never defended himself nor the Imperial Cuisine Hall. Everyone had a scale within their hearts, if the scale was imbalanced then, it only represented that it was not within their destiny.

Those who were mediocre would not cause envy. It was impossible to satisfy everyone. Satisfying a portion of the people was already a success.

Qing Shui prepared himself to visit Jade Fragrant Restaurant and inform Yu Xixuan of his return. Though he believed that Jade Fragrant Restaurant's information network would already know this, he felt that he should go there personally. It showed that he valued the other party.

"So fast?" Yu Xixuan was happy seeing Qing Shui.

"How come I have a feeling that you did not want me to return?" Qing Shui laughed.

"That's not true. You returned aptly, I have some news. I wonder if you would like to hear it?" Yu Xixuan asked with a smile.

Chapter 2007 - Spiritual Land Entrance, Gathering from All Over

"I have news here. Would you like to hear it?" asked Yu Xixuan, playfully.

"Of course, I would like to listen," answered Qing Shui.

Qing Shui knew that the news referred by Yu Xixuan was very valuable. Otherwise, he would not take it seriously.

"Are you aware of the Northern Ice Domain, which was located just northwest of the Great Shang City? That area is saturated with Spiritual Energy, but it is without a Spiritual Vein or Spiritual Spring. There is an Energy Entrance there which can only be entered once every thousand of years. The Spiritual Energy within is very thick. The whole Spiritual Energy of the North Ice Domain may originate from the inside of the Energy Entrance." Yu Xixuan said with a smile.

"Energy Entrance?"

Qing Shui understood the situation. That area was a unique dimension that was sealed, similar to a teleporting formation with only one path leading to one location. Though you may be able to reach the exact same location if you traveled there by normal means, you must first know where the position of the place was. Plus, In the middle of the journey, there could be roadblocks. On the other hand, with the usage of the Energy Entrance, the travel would be safe and fast.

Qing Shui had gone to similar locations, such as the Sacred Land of Panacea or the place where he gained the Golden Battle God Inheritance and Tantai Lingyan's Goddess Divine Set.

Qing Shui knew that these locations were treasures. If one was found within the Northern Ice Domain, Qing Shui would certainly go. Qing Shui turned towards Yu Xixuan and asked, "Is the news accurate?"

“Accurate, but this news is known by many forces. It is uncertain whether there would be room for us to enter.” Yu Xixuan said.

“Room? What room?” Qing Shui was annoyed. It would seem that this place was different from others he had entered before.

“This place only opens once every thousand of years. From what I hear, the first time the entrance opens, it only allows 50 people to enter. The energy inside the entrance would then reach its peak after a month. After that, the entrance will open for the second time. For those who are inside, they can leave. At the second opening, the people outside should not go in. Of course, there are those who rush inside, but they would be stuck inside for thousands of years.” Yu Xixua explained in a serious tone.

Qing Shui knew what Yu Xixuan said must be accurate. Even though he was uncertain about the source of her information. This information must have been passed down from one generation to another. Thousand and thousands of years of inherited knowledge were not uncommon within the ancient clans here.

Qing Shui knew that there would be quite a lot of people who would go, given that the entrance only opened once every thousand of years. This was the Northern Ice Domain and Qing Shui did not fear anyone here. However, there could be some people from other regions, such as the people from the Nine Continents World.

Though it was still uncertain whether the people from the Nine Continents World would take part on this occasion, carelessness was inexcusable. A better understanding of the situation was required.

“Do you know what treasures are inside? Should we go fight for them?” Qing Shui laughed as he asked.

“Of course, there would be lots of good items inside. This is a Spiritual Land. There would be Spirit Grass, Spirit Medicines, Spiritual Beasts, and other natural treasures. It would be up to chance, but there would be a possibility of being devoured by a Spiritual Beast.”

Qing Shui knew Yu Xixuan was not joking. This type of thing was not a matter to jest over. It was too real and too normal.

“When the time comes, we shall try.” Yu Xixuan said with some hesitation.

“We must go, but I will go alone. Next time, when there is no danger, I will bring you.” Qing Shui said with a laugh.

“Next time? It would be thousands of years by then. The question would be whether we would still be alive...”

“When will the Energy Entrance open?” Qing Shui asked. He was happy to know that Yu Xixuan would be going.

“Three days from now, at noon.”

“Good. Let’s make some preparations, then we will rush over together.”

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Three days' time passed quickly, Qing Shui and Yu Xixuan were on their way to the Energy Entrance area. Though there was still some time before it was noon, they had already gone near the entrance to familiarize themselves with the geography. Even if they rushed over now, they would have lots of time to spare.

Around dawn, the sun rose from the east. A thousand streams of light shone on the land and a miraculous sight could be seen. This was an area of effect that could not be seen in Qing Shui's previous life. The sky was higher; the earth was wider; the people's field of vision was farther. The strength of the experts in this world was at least two times stronger than in his previous life. Considering that they were all martial artists here, it was even more miraculous.

The Energy Entrance was located in a large valley. A lot of people had gathered here; the ground was completely covered by them. The air was filled with the smell of grass, with the sunlight shining down, the grass seemed to move along with the breeze.

There were only a few trees here, many of which were not tall. At this time, groups of men would gather around. Some were drinking wine, others were drinking tea. Though everyone looked relaxed, after paying closer attention, anyone can notice that none of them were just lazing around.

Qing Shui had thought of allowing the Barbarian Emperor and gang to come, but then he decided not to. This area was already the border of the Nine Continents World. Spiritual Land's opening would attract many formidable martial artists and the dangers would also be greater.

Qing Shui believed that he could escape without any issues. Given Yu Xixuan's strength, she was comparably more formidable than Barbarian Emperor and others. Therefore, Qing Shui did not plan to stop Yu Xixuan from going. In the Great Shang City, there were not many people who were stronger than Yu Xixuan.

Qing Shui and Yu Xixuan found a quiet area to rest. There was some time before the Energy Entrance would open.

This area was a part of the Northern Ice Domain. Qing Shui could see the Shang Clan, Lang Clan, Qiao Clan, and Northern Underworld Immortal Palace, though Qing Shui could not see Luan Luan or Beiming Xue.

"Qing Shui, this area is within the Northern Ice Domain and many large clans reside within its cities. Each city has a formidable force. However, a lot of them are not native of the Northern Ice Domain. We would never know if they are originally from the Nine Continents World or not. We should be careful." Yu Xixuan said while observing their surroundings.

"En, I will."

"Oh, is that not the Great Sun Immortal Palace?" Yu Xixuan exclaimed with surprise.

Qing Shui followed Yu Xixuan's line of sight and glanced towards the people around them. The group they were looking at had several dozens of people. Qing Shui could feel formidable Qi fluctuations throughout, some of them emitted an aggressive aura.

Qing Shui did not have enough time to say something before Yu Xixuan exclaimed with astonishment, "People from the Bright Moon Palace are here. With the Great Sun Immortal Palace being here, of course the Bright Moon Palace would show up."

Qing Shui saw a group of people dressed in red and white clothes. Most of them were men, but each of them was alluring and more feminine than women. This was only Qing Shui's feeling, and he was unsure why he felt like that.

"Do you feel that they are beautiful? This is due to their martial arts' technique. It is indeed very strong. Though rumor said that if a man trains in the arts of the Bright Moon Palace, they will forgo the ability to marry and have children. However, the reason is unclear." Yu Xixuan laughed as she spoke to Qing Shui.

Qing Shui laughed with embarrassment. He knew that Yu Xixuan knew the reason. Qing Shui felt that the Bright Moon Palace had a cultivation technique, which was similar to the one that was created by an old eunuch called Sunflower Scripture.

"Are those guys considered as the residents of the True Nine Continents World?" asked Qing Shui.

"En, they can be considered as that."

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"Quick, the Energy Entrance is about to open."

"Yes, it is really opening!"

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The crowd became restless, but Qing Shui was in no rush. He stood next to Yu Xixuan since people around them were all standing. Everyone was eyeing the entrance that was covered in a thick fog. It was impossible to clearly see what was inside.

"Hey, you see that kid that saved Tianhe Renmo the other day?"

The dialogue made its way to Qing Shui's ears. Qing Shui turned to look towards the direction where the voice came from.

Chapter 2008 - The Battle For A Seat, Beiming Xue

"Hm? Look at that brat. Is he the brat who saved Tianhe Renmo the other day?"

A voice went into Qing Shui's ear. Qing Shui followed the voice and looked into a direction.

The person speaking was a young man, a very young-looking man. As he was speaking, he was also pointing at Qing Shui.

"He does look like him. Do you think we should make our moves here or only deal with him once he is inside?" It was another man who seemed just as young as the previous one, but his voice sounded very mature and attractive. He also seemed quite aggressive, adding a bit of elegance to his overall look.

The man had a very handsome face. Along with his courteous look, there was a bold and powerful aura around him which words couldn't describe.

“Qing Shui, it seems like they are trying to pick a fight with you.” Yu Xixuan smiled and said. She didn’t seem nervous at all.

Qing Shui didn’t know them, but from the way they talked, he could more or less figure out that they were people from the Xicheng Clan. Furthermore, Qing Shui was also looking at the very handsome man, thinking that he could be Xicheng Yeyang.

“One of my friends have had some arguments with them. Two days ago, I happened to see them pursuing my friend in an attempt to kill him. Thus, I took my friend with me and left together.” Qing Shui explained briefly about what happened.

Someone had already gone in!

“Let’s go in first. Get yourself a place to sit. We will deal with this brat later. It will be hard for him to escape once he gets inside.” The teenager from before revealed a gloomy smile.

Qing Shui didn’t say anything, but deep down, he was already thinking about whether or not he should leave the young master from the Xicheng Clan in the spiritual land.

“Qing Shui, let’s go in!” Yu Xixuan smiled and said.

Qing Shui nodded. By now, almost half of the crowd had gone in, all of them were experts. Actually, there was no need to rush, even inside the spiritual lands, its entrances were all created from the fierce battles between the competitors.

Both Qing Shui and Yu Xixuan appeared inside the Spiritual Land. While looking at the scenery and sensing the abundant Spiritual Qi in the air, they felt an indescribable sense of comfort. The land here was almost the same as the ones outside. There was also a huge valley here. However, the one here was even bigger and the vegetations here had more variations.

“Qing Shui, let’s take a look at the second energy entrance. I think everyone is there at the moment.” said Yu Xixuan.

Qing Shui followed Yu Xixuan and the others, they went out of the valley. They walked to the front where everyone was at. This place had a very large stone statue; the stone statue was almost a thousand meters tall. This was something which he couldn’t have imagined back in his previous life. More importantly, the stone statue looked so real as if it could come to life at any moment. He couldn’t help but wonder who was the person who carved the statue.

Legend said that the second Spiritual Land entrance was connected to a mansion house and there were many excellent weapons in it. Unfortunately, because of a mysterious force that was at work inside the house, each person was only permitted to take one thing away from the mansion. Furthermore, once they took it, it would automatically belong to them and they would disappear from the place immediately.

Because of how bizarre this world was, Qing Shui was no longer surprised with things like that. What could possibly be more ridiculous than him coming to this world? Thus, not many things could surprise him anymore.

“This stone statue is known by the others as the Large Spiritual Divine Statue. The platforms below it are the paths which must be taken to go to the Treasure Palace. Aside from treasure hunting, the other purpose of coming to this place was to enter the Treasure Palace of the Large Spiritual Divine Statue to obtain a treasure. Actually, this had more to do with a person’s luck. Some people went inside and gained treasures which they can’t use.” Yu Xixuan pointed towards the platforms around the divine statue and explained to Qing Shui.

Each of the platforms was about thirty meters long and wide. There were some mysterious spells written on top of them. Their appearance was a bit simple but yet holy. Faint pressure could be felt emitting from it, giving people constant oppressing sensations.

At the moment, everyone was standing in front of the platforms. Each of the platforms had a time limit. In other words, once a person stood on the platform for more than an hour, no one would be able to go up to the exact platform anymore. If the platform had two people standing on it, after the time was up, none of them would be transported into the Treasure Palace. They would both be disqualified.

There was also a rule to the warriors who came here. The victor could call the shots. Whoever could defeat the king would earn the right to stand on the platform. The person standing on the platform would have to be prepared to face any challenges coming to him or her. If no one challenged him, once he was on the platform, the person would have to call out three times to make sure that no one was interested in his platform. Once that was done, and still, no one went up the stage, no further challenges would be accepted. That was the rule.

There weren’t many differences in the locations of each of the platforms. They were scattered all around the Large Spiritual Divine Statue. The place was becoming more and more crowded with time. Almost all of the people who came in were already here.

Suddenly, a person appeared on the platform. He was a huge and muscular man. This man should be around middle-age. The aura emitting from his body was like a fierce sun. He gripped his fist tightly and screamed to the surroundings, “Lei Bao of the Great Sun Immortal Palace! Today, I gathered my courage to stand on this platform. Anyone who feels that I am not suitable to stand on this platform, feel free to challenge me.”

The Great Sun Immortal Palace had a very strong reputation. These people were from the Scarlet Refinement Land. They each possessed fearsome cultivations and belonged to the existences from the true Nine Continents World.

The man looked around him and when no one uttered a word, he revealed a faint smile. He called out three times in a row, but no one responded to him.

Great Sun Immortal Palace took down a platform. Following that, a man dressed in white clothes appeared on the platform. Just like the person before, he called out to the people around him, “Qu Bai of Bright Moon Palace.”

This person looked delicate and handsome. He was holding a long sword in his hand and remained motionless as he stood there. Despite calling out three times, no one had yet to show up. Bright Moon Palace was an existence on par with the Great Sun Immortal Palace. Before this, no one had come up the stage. If they were to do so now, it would mean that they were passing Bright Moon Palace the

message that they were inferior to the Great Sun Immortal Palace. This way, if the opponent didn't manage to defeat the person from the Bright Moon Palace, he would very likely be slaughtered by the person on the platform.

The Bright Moon Palace also managed to take down one platform very quickly.

Following on, another person appeared on the third platform. Qing Shui was stunned when he saw who it was. Beiming Xue!

Like usual, she was wearing a bloody-red dress which extended all the way to the floor.

Her pale and charming face was as delicate as a baby's face. She had a long and delicate nose. Her black hair was hanging down behind her, her profound but yet tranquil eyes expressed wisdom in it, but at the same time also looked a bit cold as it released an unusual kind of charm. It might seem cold but still retained an alluring aura. The shape of her eyes was a bit long and narrow. When she squinted, she would emit an endless dignifying composure around her. The people around didn't dare to make direct contacts with her eyes.

She had a very tall figure which was almost even to Qing Shui's. Her slender body along with her long legs, they were very well-proportioned. Particularly on her small and narrow waist, there was a red ribbon wrapped around it, tightening it and revealing the exquisite curve of her body. She wore a black cape behind her which hung all the way to the floor. It made her entire person look noble and fill with a cold temperament, giving people the feeling that she was unreachable.

"Wow, the most beautiful woman in the Northern Snow City..."

"No, she should be the most beautiful woman in the entire Northern Ice Domain.

"She is the Palace Lord of the Northern Underworld Immortal Palace. She possesses immeasurable strength. According to some rumors, it's even said that she has fearsome forces supporting her from behind."

"This woman looks too beautiful and elegant. She will be too much to handle for ordinary men."

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Qing Shui looked in the direction where the Northern Underworld Immortal Palace was and didn't see Luan Luan's figure. Deep down, he felt relieved by that. At the same time, he also started developing a good feeling towards Beiming Xue.

It was unknown whether it was because of her beauty, or if it was because of something else. Beiming Xue had already said it twice, but just like before, no one went up to the platform. Actually, the Northern Underworld Palace was a force with decent strength, but compared to the Great Sun Immortal Palace and Bright Moon Palace, there was a bit of distance between them. At the moment Beiming Xue called out for the third time, a voice came through.

"I would like to challenge Sister Xue to a fight."

As soon as the voice dropped, an elegant figure appeared on the platform where Beiming Xue was. It was a very attractive and young woman. She looked very charming and had a body that was like a work of the devils. She was very sexy. There was a huge difference between hers and Beiming Xue's height.

Qing Shui was downstairs staring at the woman who just went up. If he really had to compare between the two, other than their charms, she was superior to Beiming Xue in almost everything. However, this alluring woman was no doubt one among a thousand beautiful woman.

Chapter 2009 - River of Stars, Qing Shui went up the stage

There weren't many changes in Beiming Xue's expression. She said straightforwardly, "Welcome!"

Qing Shui didn't know which forces the woman who went up belonged to, but he knew that if she dared to go up the stage, it would mean that she was also not an ordinary person. This woman's flexibility had reached a fearsome level. It was a kind of toughness which could reduce the opponent's offensive prowess.

The woman didn't intend to waste her time either. A pair of strange metallic claws appeared in both of her hands.

The metallic claws were around one foot long. They were dark violet by color but yet it retained its brilliance. It was very difficult for a weapon with a dark color to be so brilliant, thus, it was weird, but it was undeniable that this was actually happening to the metallic claws. Other people might not be aware of it, but Qing Shui knew that there was a sinister cold force on the surface of the claws.

This power didn't all come from the claws, most of it came from the woman's body. This kind of power could deal a lot of damage to men. However, men also tended to find it very attractive.

By now, Qing Shui had also understood what was going on with the woman. This woman cultivated the Absorption Art. In other words, she raised her strength by absorbing men's Origin Essence. This wasn't Duo Cultivation, but it was more effective and more evil compared to it.

The Duo Cultivation was warmer and gentler. It made sure that both sides could receive benefits up to a certain extent. However, the Absorption Art was more sinister. It harmed the other person for self-satisfaction.

The woman moved, her figure was very fast. Furthermore, her movement was also unpredictable. Her speed wasn't the main point, but it was the way she moved. Qing Shui was able to see through her movements, it was a kind of Demon Fox Movement. She made use of her body's flexibility to change her position in the shortest amount of time.

Beiming Xue was holding a snow-white long blade. She was like water, though calm, a mysterious strength could be felt fluctuating around her. At the instant she thrust her sword out, the sky turned dark.

Fierce!

Qing Shui was very surprised. He never expected that Beiming Xue's attacks would be so fierce.

Hong!

The sword landed accurately on the woman's claws and immediately pushed back the opponent. However, that was all it did. The woman's face looked a bit pale. As soon as her figure moved, she charged towards Beiming Xue along with nine hollow images of herself.

River of Stars!

Just like before, Beiming Xue stood on the same spot and didn't move. She slashed down her sword and immediately, the sword images all over the sky combined into a river of stars and drizzled down towards her opponent.

Hong-hong!

The woman immediately got blown out of the platform, with blood dripping at the corner of her mouth. After that, she bowed down to Beiming Xue, "Thank you, Sister Xue, for showing mercy."

Beiming Xue shook her head and remained silent.

She wasn't accustomed to the way women's sects did things. It was the Immortal Fox Palace. Outsiders often described the Immortal Fox Palacas as a group of slutty women, but only people at their level would know about their viciousness and greediness.

Beiming Xue didn't have a good impression on the Immortal Fox Palace, nor did she want to get herself involved with any of their matters. Hence, she chose not to say anything.

After the demonstration shown by the woman from before, no one had dared to go up to the stage. Anyone could tell that Beiming Xue had yet to go all out. The Northern Underworld Immortal Palace was ranked quite high in the Northern Ice Domain. As of now, it was just the third seat. There was no need for them to fight over it so fiercely and waste their own strength.

Thus, Beiming Xue managed to take down a place with relative ease.

Following on, the Shang Clan went up to a platform. It was a middle-aged man. This time, two warriors went ahead to challenge him, but after seeing both of them being defeated with one move, people came to the realization that the Shang Clan's hidden warriors were also relatively powerful. After that, no one continued to challenge for the platform.

With that, Shang Clan also took down a place. Four places were gone.

Qing Shui knew that the fights would soon be very fierce. After all, the forces for the first four places were all very strong. No one would stand a chance in taking them down. However, the remaining platforms were a different story, their power differed by a great amount. Thus, when people started fighting over it, things would, without a doubt, get intense.

These forces all followed the rules to a certain extent. Each force would only be allowed to take down a place. Otherwise, things would end up as a fight between two forces. Once both parties exhausted themselves, it would only benefit those slightly weaker forces. Thus, each force mustn't take down two places at once unless the particular force was enough to suppress everyone who was present. That way, it wouldn't be a problem even if it was to take down all ten places.

Lang Clan went up the platform. Qing Shui once again saw Lang Clan's Clan Head. He still remembered very clearly in his head since he was almost the same as before. He also didn't improve much in regard to his strength. However, a thin camel would still be bigger than a horse. Even though Lang Clan's Clan Head's strength could still be improved, he still had his clan's force to support him. Added on that he

had the connection established from his marriage with the woman from the Shang Clan, he was barely able to take down a place.

Only five places remained. Everyone was getting anxious. Or rather, they were starting to get impatient.

“Qing Shui, do you think that we should take down one or two places?” Yu Xixuan asked Qing Shui.

“Will they allow us to take down two places?” Qing Shui smiled and said.

“They won’t know. I am from the Jade Fragrant Restaurant whereas you are from the Imperial Cuisine Hall. I can definitely take down a place if I go up. These people will not dare to challenge me seeing that I am from the Jade Fragrant Restaurant.” Yu Xixuan smiled and said.

“Alright then, why don’t you go and take down a place? I am going to stay here and wait for a while. Don’t worry, I will definitely be able to get myself a place.” Qing Shui smiled and said.

“Alright then, let me go and take down a place.”

At the moment Yu Xixuan finished speaking, her figure moved and she immediately appeared on one of the platforms.

“Ah, she is from Jade Fragrant Restaurant. What shall we do?”

“Yeah, if we beat her now, we won’t be able to enjoy good food anymore. It’s likely that she will stop dealing business with us.”

“You are actually worried that you might beat her? Do you really think that no one has had their eyes set on the Jade Fragrant Restaurant? Look at the eyes of the big forces around you. This woman isn’t someone you should provoke.”

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It was a surprise to Qing Shui that no one fought over the place with Yu Xixuan. He thought that a lot of people would fight for it.

Qing Shui had underestimated the woman’s ability to feed men’s stomach. The majority of people here had been to Jade Fragrant Restaurant before to eat their food.

When only four places remained, it was as if it had become daytime. A lot of people started going up the platform. Some unlucky ones lost in wheel battles. It was indeed quite an upsetting thing that could happen to them.

Very soon, yet another two platforms were taken down. Almost 70% of the remaining forces had taken part in the battles for the last two places. Most of the warriors who fought, were the strongest warriors of their sects. Once they lost, it was unlikely that they would continue to fight over the platform. It would only add more people to their injured lists.

There were still two places left. Qing Shui right away went up to one of them. He didn’t know if the Imperial Cuisine Hall could share the same luck as Jade Fragrant Restaurant.

“Imperial Cuisine Hall, Qing Shui. Is anyone interested in fighting me?”

The Imperial Cuisine Hall had quite a reputation. It was special mostly among ordinary men and also quite popular among the aristocratic clans, but at the end of the day, it hadn't been long since it was established. There weren't many people who had truly been benefited from it. Nevertheless, it was undeniable that its name had spread out far across the area. The only problem was that a lot of people still felt very suspicious about Qing Shui's unusual medical expertise. Towards an existence that was under so many suspicions, there was no need to hold back against him.

"I would like to cross fists with you. I have heard that you possess unusual medical skills. Is that true?"

The person who went up the stage was a young man. He gave off a feeling that he was a very careless man. Qing Shui could tell that his lower body wasn't steady. He was dressed in white clothes and was holding a fan, giving people the impression that he was very outstanding and elegant. Qing Shui didn't like it. He wasn't used to seeing this kind of men. He kept having the feeling that the person was being very vain and was even a bit perverted.

"I think it's just alright. Oh, I forgot to tell you. We have a saying back in our place, it's that a physician doesn't kill people with his knife. Be careful now, or else, you will lose in a very pathetic way." Qing Shui smiled and said.

"A physician trying to kill people? What a joke. For a physician to not attend to his patients but instead come to fight, this is called not focusing on his job!" A man said in joy.

Qing Shui smiled. He realized that this person wasn't as annoying as he thought. Despite how he dressed or boasted himself, it was still his freedom to do so. Even if he wasn't accustomed to people like this, it didn't mean that they wouldn't exist. There must be a reason for their existence, so much so that Qing Shui felt that there would be a lot of women willing to die for boastful men like this.

Chapter 2010 - How About You Pretend to Spurt out a Mouthful of Fresh Blood?

Qing Shui didn't feel uncomfortable with the suspicions the opponent had on him. In fact, there was a saying which was emphasized across the continent: 'you shouldn't bite off more than you can chew'. Usually, there were very few people who would be the best in two things at once. For example, a powerful alchemist like him, for someone at his level, if he was very proficient in refining medicines, his strength would be the opposite. Naturally, when compared to ordinary people, his strength would be superior, but when compared to the people also in the alchemy field, his strength would be unbearable to look at.

The same went for physicians. If a physician dedicated all of his hard work on his medical skills, his medical skills would naturally be good. However, without a doubt, he wouldn't have as much time for his cultivation. Thus, if a physician ever wanted to kill a person, it would have to depend on who he was killing.

Even though there were many people who could excel in two fields, very few would have the energy to do that. If that was the case, wouldn't it be better if they focused just on one thing? Maybe that way, they would turn out to be more powerful.

"I am Mo Yulong. How can I address you, sir?"

"I am Qing Shui," Qing Shui smiled and said.

“Please make your move. I don't wish to bully you.” Mo Yulong smiled and said.

Qing Shui looked at Mo Yulong and smiled, “Are you sure?”

“Of course!”

Qing Shui suddenly appeared in front of Mo Yulong with his Nine Palace Steps. It gave Mo Yulong quite a surprise. He immediately turned around with an unusual move to avoid it.

Qing Shui extended his arm!

Dragon-capturing Hands!

At the moment Qing Shui unleashed the Dragon-capturing Hands, Mo Yulong moved once again.

Mo Yulong's body was bound for a short while. When the time passed, and he was getting ready to dodge once again, he felt a numb sensation across his body and didn't get to muster up enough strength in time. He immediately got hit in the chest by Qing Shui with a straight punch.

Qing Shui didn't hit him too hard, but still, it was enough to make Mo Yulong have difficulty to breathe. It was so bad to the point that everything went blank in front of him. Following on, Qing Shui unleashed his Continuous Combo like a violent storm. If Qing Shui had wanted to kill him a hundred times, he would have died a hundred times.

By now, Mo Yulong was like Qing Shui's punching bag. Until he got hit out of the platform by Qing Shui, he still felt a bit dizzy. He only came back to his senses after a while and looked at Qing Shui as if he were looking at a monster.

“I told you before that a physician doesn't kill with a sword. I have no intention to kill you. So, how are you feeling? Does it feel great?” Qing Shui chuckled.

“Yes, it is my first time seeing this kind of fighting style. Thank you for holding back.” Mo Yulong said with a serious voice. From the beginning until the end, he didn't get to make any of his moves. He knew better than anyone else about his strength. Though he might not be at the top, he had yet to see anyone that was capable of this across the Northern Ice Domain.

This was just too scary and at the same time very hurtful to him. Not only did he have no chance of fighting back, but his opponent was even a young man. At the very least, the opponent looked younger than himself.

The previous battle ended too quickly. Despite that, a lot of people still saw it clearly. However, they didn't manage to see through that many things. It was more like two people that were acting. Qing Shui didn't hit hard, but he managed to defeat Mo Yulong with ease.

“Sir, you possess a very mysterious battle technique. Please allow me to test it for myself,” At this moment, a woman said as she came up.

Qing Shui glanced towards his opponent and automatically knew that she was a member of the Immortal Fox Palace. She was emitting the same aura as the woman who previously crossed fists with Beiming Xue. However, this woman looked a bit older. Or rather, the word 'mature' should be more

appropriate to describe her. There was not even a single wrinkle on her face; it looked smooth like jade. She looked just the same as a teenage girl.

“Feel free to do so.”

The woman let out a seducing aura from all her body. Faint Yin Qi could be felt emitting from her body, in between her movements. This kind of Yin Qi was the Origin Yin Qi which belonged to a woman. Men would find it very attractive.

Moon Fox Hand!

Fox Charming Movement!

The woman's hand movements looked very complex. Indeed, there was a kind of beauty to them; it was stunning. Combining with her unique movements, she was unusually pleasing to look at. She could very easily make one forget that they were in the middle of a fight. Instead of battling, she looked more like she was dancing.

Suddenly, the woman poked Qing Shui with her finger. This finger strike was very pure and contained an intense Yin Origin Qi. She had a faint smile on her face; both of her bright eyes looked so charming that they could pull out one's very soul.

Qing Shui shook his head. If Qing Hanye had been the one to use it, she might still stand a chance in seducing him, but this woman was just too inferior in comparison.

The woman's martial techniques were mainly built on her charms. If a person didn't have a strong willpower, it would be futile even if he was aware that he should block his opponent. So to say, It was impossible to defend effectively. This was precisely what was formidable about women. It was just as the saying went: 'if I die under a skirt, I can still flirt as a ghost'. There were some things which could never be controlled.

Qing Shui's eyes looked very clear. As soon as the woman's eyes and Qing Shui's eyes met, she automatically knew that she must escape. She swiftly stepped back. However, Qing Shui wouldn't let her do as she pleased; he unleashed his Dragon-capturing Hands.

At the same time, he stomped on the ground.

At the moment the effect of Dragon-capturing Hands was lost, the shockwave created from the Mighty Elephant Stomp immediately blew her away. She completely lost control over her body. Even if she knew how to fly, it would still take time for her to balance herself. At this moment, Qing Shui hopped up.

Cloudhand!

Qing Shui's Taichi Realm was something which shouldn't be underestimated. It immediately blew the woman out of the platform.

The battle ended. Just like before, Qing Shui finished the battle very easily. By now, the people were all unable to understand what was happening. What kind of a battle was this? During the fight, the fluctuations in auras were very vivid. No one had managed to sense the motions of Qing Shui's aura. It seemed as if he weren't using his Origin Qi and only used his physical power to defeat his opponents.

Following on, yet another two challengers went up the stage. Just like before, Qing Shui defeated them with ease. Furthermore, his opponents were all uninjured. Just as Qing Shui said before, he was a physician. Since he had no grudges against them, he wouldn't try to hurt them. Unless the opponents had the intention to hurt him, he wouldn't try to hurt them first.

Regardless of what happened, these words still earned a lot of people's respect. At this moment, many people had also begun to measure this physician. "He is very young, but how are his medical skills?" However, now it didn't seem to be the time to think about this.

"Brat, you seem to enjoy acting alone. Here, fight me." A young man appeared on the platform.

Xicheng Yeyang!

"I am just challenging him to expose his tricks. Xicheng Clan has already taken over a platform. I will go down immediately after I beat him," Xicheng Yeyang said to the surroundings.

The Xicheng Clan had previously taken over a place. It could be seen that the Xicheng Clan possessed decent strength because of this, but now that Qing Shui on the platform, Xicheng Yeyang couldn't endure it. He wasn't convinced of Qing Shui's strength. To him, this was all an act. Actually, a lot of people also felt that way, but only a few expert warriors would know that this young man was extraordinary, so much so that he could be described with the word 'formidable'.

"Care to join me in the acting? How about this, you can pretend like you just spurted out a mouthful of fresh blood and got thrown off the stage," Qing Shui smiled and looked at the upright young man.

Actually, Xicheng Yeyang was almost twice Qing Shui's age. However, he still looked very young.

"If you are strong enough, I won't mind getting involved in the performance," Xicheng Yeyang said in a firm tone.

Qing Shui shook his head when he saw the over-confident look on his face. It was yet another show-off. However, this wasn't surprising; everyone was showy. Some revealed it all the time, some did it occasionally, some would do it openly and without fear, whereas the rest would do it secretly.

"Don't worry, you will definitely put on a good show."

Qing Shui immediately walked towards him. As for Xicheng Yeyang, once he got into a battle, he wouldn't let down his guard. The moment his figure moved, three hollow images appeared. He swung the long sword in his arm in a horizontal motion right away. A sword light divided into three slashes and advanced towards Qing Shui.

Xicheng Clan's Moon-pursuing Sword Technique.

Once the Moon-pursuing Sword Technique was unleashed, it would be like the moonlight showering down from the sky. It was sharp and bright, like drizzles and winds in the spring and yet its wounding prowess was enough to penetrate through one's skin. This sword qi was the most formidable killing qi. Little by little, it pierced through the target's body. While being under the control of the caster, once it burst, it would immediately cause the enemy to disappear into dust. It would destroy the enemy's organs almost instantly.