

Awaken Chapter 96 -

Shouren Academy.

Six figures appear.

It was Yang Bao Yang Hu and the others.

Since they received Xu Qingnian's letter, Yang Bao and Yang Hu were extremely excited. When they were in South Yufu, Xu Qingnian stood up for them and did not hesitate to offend the great scholars of the dynasty.

They remembered this kindness to their hearts.

Now that Xu Qingnian had invited them to come and work for him, they naturally did not delay and rushed towards the capital almost day and night.

When they arrived at the capital, they were naturally shocked by the prosperity of the city.

But they did not forget the purpose of their visit, and after inquiring about Xu Qingnian's location, they rushed here at the first opportunity.

Just as the crowd entered the school, Xu Qingnian's figure appeared.

Yang Bao and Yang Hu both instantly half-kneeled down and bowed respectfully towards Xu Qingnian.

"Subordinate Yang Hu!"

"Subordinate Yang Bao!"

"See Lord Xu."

The two opened their mouths, and the remaining four also knelt down at the first opportunity, their eyes filled with awe and respect as they looked at Xu Qingnian.

"You're welcome."

Xu Qingnian shouted, then slowly walked over and gestured for the crowd to go to the pavilion to rest.

The six of them got up and followed Xu Qingnian to the pavilion.

Xu Qingnian took his seat first and waved his hand, allowing the six to sit down in turn.

“Lord Xu, these two are brothers Zhao Da Zhao Er, who have been on duty for thirteen and fifteen years respectively, and these two are brothers Li Jian and Li Kang, who have also been on duty for ten years and are the strongest, already at the tenth rank of great perfection.”

“They were also involved in that incident before, and they are in awe and respect of Lord Xu, and are also loyal.”

Yang Hu got up and was the first to introduce the remaining four.

“We have met Lord Xu.”

The four men rose and bowed respectfully towards Xu Qingnian, their faces resolute.

“Good.” Xu Qingnian poured tea for the six men and spoke immediately afterwards.

“All of you have been running around all night and are tired from the journey, I have already asked someone to clean the guest room, so you can stay here from now on, don’t mind.”

Xu Qingnian spoke up and told them where to stay.

“Thank you very much, Your Excellency.”

All six of them spoke in unison, thanking Xu Qingnian.

“A small matter.” After they had taken a sip of tea, all of them also took a sip, they were indeed a little tired from the journey, and after they had taken a little breather, Xu Qingnian continued to speak.

“Brothers, since you have come here, there are some things that I would like to make clear.”

“You are recommended by Yang Hu and Yang Bao, and I, Xu, am not suspicious of anyone, so I have full trust in you.”

“But I am also clear that whether you are here out of respect or for other reasons, your true purpose is to climb up the ladder and get ahead, and this is clear to me.”

“I can guarantee that if you work for me faithfully, you will not be short of power and wealth, but please also remember one thing, Xu Mou doubts people and uses them without question, but if there is one betrayal, there will never be a second chance.”

Xu Qingnian said very seriously.

“We understand!”

The crowd nodded their heads.

“This is my token. Tomorrow, take this token and go to the Ministry to take information, then come and wait for me here.”

Xu Qingnian instructed.

“Yes, Your Excellency.”

Yang Bao received the token with some excitement.

“Go to the guest room and rest. Remember, when you come to Kyoto, wash up every day before you go to bed, don’t make a mess.”

Xu Qingnian spoke.

This group of martial artists were all rough men who tended to go straight to bed without washing their feet or bathing, so Xu Qingnian naturally had to give a word of advice, otherwise, wouldn’t this academy of his be a mess.

Personal hygiene still had to be taken care of.

“Okay, don’t worry Lord Xu, we will definitely not be messy.”

Yang Bao several people smiled and opened their mouths, followed by walking towards the guest room, and then walked out again, bringing their luggage in from outside and staying in the guest room with great enthusiasm.

Looking at them, Xu Qingnian couldn’t help but smile, and the quiet school hall became a little more popular.

But there was a new trouble that had arisen: there was no one to cook the food.

This could only be discussed later.

After getting up and stretching his muscles, Xu Qingnian didn’t say much, he left the school and went to the inn to talk to the innkeeper about bringing food over regularly for the next few days.

The rules were not originally in place, but Xu Qingnian is an official of the Ministry of Justice, so this rule is in place, and the silver or not to send food to Xu Qingnian is a minor matter, serving the official is the most important thing.

As for the disputes in the court, they have nothing to do with the common people, Xu Qingnian even if the court is full of enemies, it is impossible to say that even a mouthful of rice is not allowed.

The company's main business is to provide a wide range of products and services to the public.

It doesn't matter whether he asked for it or not, there's nothing for him to deal with anyway.

The next day.

Xu Qingnian woke up early and walked towards the Ministry of Punishment. Yang Bao and the others also woke up early, having slept early yesterday and waking up early too.

When they arrived at the Ministry of Justice, they went to the main office as usual.

In front of him were still the files of the Pingqiu disaster relief case.

Half an hour later.

"Good morning, Lord Xu."

Zhou Nan smiled.

"En."

Xu Qingnian nodded, revealing a gentle smile.

"Lord Xu, I will fetch the dossier for you."

Zhou Nan smiled, still as usual, except that this dossier had been fetched for days.

"Good, but tell them that this dossier has been waiting for five days for this master, so even if they are busy, they should have a reply."

"Also, tell them that just because I am good-tempered doesn't mean I am always good-tempered. If you make it easy, we can still take care of each other in the future, but if not, don't blame I am."

"Remember, not a word was passed on, I know you're doing me a favor by saying good things to the other side, but if this continues, I can still stay in the Ministry of Punishment, but you'll have a hard time."

Xu Qingnian said a lot in one breath.

You have dragged me for five days to transfer a dossier, which is really a bit too much.

The actual fact is that you have to have a degree, whether it's suppression or a cold bench, there's no need to keep holding on to it.

"This My Lord, it's better not to."

"The person in charge of the treasury is the nephew of the Lord Squire, we really don't need to do this."

"My lord, I will go begging today and try my best to get it for my lord as well."

Zhou Nan was in a bit of a dilemma, he still wanted Xu Qingnian to do something from the bottom of his heart, so that he could also benefit from the glory, but it was as if the Ministry of Penalties had agreed to do so, they were all cold to Xu Qingnian.

He has also suffered a lot of losses and received a lot of blank stares, and he was already a bit uncomfortable, but now he is even more uncomfortable.

If he hadn't wanted to eat the official's rice, he would have left long ago.

When he heard Zhou Nan's voice, Xu Qingnian gave him a look and finally nodded, so he didn't say anything else.

Little by little, time passed.

Inside the officiating room.

As the noon hour approached, many people left towards the outside, and it was time for their meals.

Zhou Nan had not yet appeared, seemingly as usual.

It was not until the end of the day, when Zhou Nan slowly walked in with his head hanging, obviously useless again today.

"Lord Xu, my subordinate is incompetent."

Zhou Nan said with some difficulty.

"All right, remember what I said today, and pass it on to them tomorrow."

Xu Qingnian didn't care, he got up and left, since he had waited for five days, he didn't care to wait for one more day.

"My lord."

Zhou Nan spoke, he still hoped Xu Qingnian would not be so impulsive.

“If you can’t do it right, I’ll have someone else do it tomorrow.”

Xu Qingnian slowly spoke, Zhou Nan was doing it for his own good, he knew this clearly, but to just tolerate is not a good thing, others will only become more and more arrogant, people are good at being bullied, horses are good at being ridden, this truth Xu Qingnian knew since he was ten years old.

Xu Qingnian left.

Zhou Nan was left sitting here in silence. After a while, Zhou Nan caught up with Xu Qingnian and tried to speak.

“Lord Xu, I will try again tomorrow, give me one last chance.”

Zhou Nan spoke out, but Xu Qingnian ignored him, only reaching out and waving his hand as he walked away from work.

A quarter of an hour later.

Xu Qingnian returned to the academy.

At this moment, the six Yang Bao people were sitting in the pavilion not knowing what they were discussing, and as Xu Qingnian appeared, the six Yang Bao people immediately got up.

“Greetings, Lord Xu.”

The six men clasped their fists and treated Xu Qingnian with unparalleled respect.

“How are things being handled?”

Xu Qingnian asked.

“Back to Your Excellency, we went to the Ministry of Officials today and they made us wait for a day on the excuse that they were busy with official duties and did not do the induction.”

“Please forgive me, my lord, it was our foolishness that failed to get things done and delayed your lordship’s business.”

Yang Bao spoke, his simple face full of self-reproach.

All six of them knew that Xu Qingnian had hastily summoned them here for the purpose of getting business done, but they had not expected to even get an induction done, so naturally their hearts were overwhelmed with guilt.

“Are you busy with official business again?”

“Although I knew that the Ministry had some opinions about me, I didn’t expect it to be targeted to this extent.”

Xu Qingnian muttered, and then spoke.

“For these two days you will just be tired and finish this matter as quickly as possible.”

Xu Qingnian didn’t say anything more as he told Yang Hu and Yang Bao to run around more.

“Yes! Your Excellency!”

Yang Hu, Yang Bao and the others nodded in unison, while Xu Qingnian had already gone into his room and started practicing his kung fu.

The daily practice was indispensable, and after running for three weeks, Xu Qingnian read for a while longer, squinted for half an hour, and then walked towards the Ministry of Punishment.

By all accounts, it had been six days since he had arrived at the Ministry of Punishment.

It was almost almost a week, and every day was nothing but a daze.

But Xu Qingnian didn’t mind, he wanted to see how long the Ministry of Punishment was going to find himself in trouble.

This day.

Zhou Nan was nowhere to be seen, Xu Qingnian didn’t care and borrowed a few books from a nearby academy.

[Dust World Dictionary, Book 1, Upper]

[Dust World Dictionary Book 1 Middle]

[The Dust World Dictionary Book 1 Lower]

This is a universal book, in which many things are recorded, such as national powers, the division of foreign races, various cultivation systems, and so on.

There were 175 books in total, each of which was divided into three books: the top, middle and bottom, and each of them was extremely thick, 20 to 30 times thicker than normal books.

Since he had nothing to do, Xu Qingnian intended to read more books and learn more about things, and could not really sit around and wait for death.

In a day's time, Xu Qingnian finished the first book and gained a lot, knowing the division of the world's powers.

The entire layout of the world was made up of five major divisions.

The Eastern State, the Southern State, the Western State, the Northern State, and the Central State.

Each of the great states is blocked by sea water, so they are five different large plates.

But the Central State plate is the largest, with the four states in the southeast and northwest adding up to just about the same size as the Central State.

That is why since ancient times, Zhongzhou has been the land of dragon prosperity and is also known as a holy land.

The five major states are so involved that it would take three days and three nights to talk about them, and they are all relatively quiet with each other, after all, they all have internal and external enemies, and even the strongest, such as the Great Wei, have not unified the Central State, let alone what conquering the whole world is such a foolish dream.

The conquest of the entire Central State alone is an unparalleled feat.

Of the five parts of the Central State, the Great Wei Dynasty is located in the central region and has the best resources, the Sudden Evil Dynasty occupies the eastern region and the Chu Yuan Dynasty occupies the northern region.

Especially now, it is even more troublesome.

The southern region is the most impoverished, with deserts everywhere, and many evil cultivators are in the southern region, which is more chaotic and not a place for normal people to go.

In the west, there are hundreds of countries, and some of them have defected to the Great Wei Dynasty, for example, the Pan and Hu people are all from the west.

At the height of its power, Great Wei did conquer the Sea Kingdoms of Heaven.

The Immortal Dao forces that Xu Qingnian is most concerned about are also recorded, and there are seven great holy places in the Immortal Dao.

Tai Shang Sheng Zong, Zhan Tian Jian Zong, Ru Yi Weapon Zong, Tian Gu Dan Zong, Tai Cang Rune Zong, Seven Star Dao Zong, and Gui Yuan Array Zong.

Each of the Seven Great Sacred Grounds has a different domain to call its own, but the Tai Shang Sheng Sect and the Seven Star Dao Sect are essentially the same, with the two competing against each other and the rest not interfering with each other, as they have different professions after all.

And the mountain sects where these seven holy clans are located do not belong to any dynastic power, and are equivalent to separate powers that do not fight for power and conspiracy, and cultivate immortality behind closed doors.

The three dynasties also have their shadows. In the Great Wei Dynasty, the Daoist Supervision Department is where they are based, and they usually take up some tasks issued by the dynasty, such as where there are demons, if the court is short of manpower.

If the court was short of manpower, they would issue a mission, and if they thought the price was right, they would take the mission.

Those who cultivate immortality always like to be clean.

He closed the book.

If I read it all, I wouldn't be able to master everything, but I would at least know a little bit about everything.

Okay, I'll try to finish the book.

I got up, left work, and was clean.

It doesn't matter if Zhou Nan is coming or not, we'll wait until Yang Hu and Yang Bao are on board, we can't rely on Zhou Nan.

After returning home.

Yang Hu did not return, Xu Qingnian waited for an hour before they appeared in front of him.

As yesterday, they were still not inducted today, and the excuse was still the same, they were busy with official business.

"Continue."

Xu Qingnian only left two words and went on to gnaw on a book.

Day eight.

As usual, but what made Xu Qingnian a little curious was that Zhou Nan still did not appear, but for Xu Qingnian, who was engrossed in reading, it did not matter.

Yang Hu and Yang Bao were still not inducted.

Day 9.

The usual.

Tenth day.

Vacation.

Eleventh day.

Same old.

Twelfth day.

Same old.

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The fifteenth day.

The usual, but a letter from my senior brother advising that a few more counties in the South Yu Province had requested a lecture from teacher Zhou Ling, so he would have to come later.

Li Xin also sent a letter that the waterwheel project had been completely finished and was now waiting for the results, which looked good so far, at least the crops were enjoying the water source.

Zhou Nan has been missing for eight days, which is a bit odd, so ask around after work to see what he's been doing lately. The probability is that he has resigned from his post, the job is too hard and he is not a human being, so it is normal to resign from his post.

After work, looking for someone to ask Zhou Nan's situation, no one cares about themselves, then go home.

Day 16

Outside the academy.

“Today you go to the induction again, directly to the official minister, just anyone, give him my token, inform them that there has been a delay of ten days, if it is not done today, tomorrow I will personally go.”

Ten days passed in the blink of an eye.

Apart from reading a lot of books, the rest of them had made no progress, the Ministry of Punishment had hung itself out to dry for sixteen days, and the Ministry of Officials had hung its men out to dry for ten days.

And all of them are some trivial matters.

If it was a big matter, Xu Qingnian would not have any fluctuation, but this kind of small matter stuck to himself, it looks a bit ugly.

But it's okay.

It was almost time, Xu Qingnian wasn't going to toss and turn like this, he was going to start doing things.

“Yes! My Lord!”

Yang Hu nodded, this ten days they were also annoyed beyond belief, just one induction had dragged on for ten days, the salary and everything was fine, the main thing was that this feeling made people very unhappy.

Without saying anything, Xu Qingnian left the academy directly.

He walked towards the Ministry of Punishment.

As usual, he entered his master's room and prepared for a new day of study.

However a letter appeared on the long table.

It was Zhou Nan's letter of resignation.

Xu Qingnian was not too surprised that Zhou Nan had resigned, after all, it was Zhou Nan's bad fate that he had followed himself, and even if he had not helped himself, he was still suffering from anger outside.

Otherwise it wouldn't have dragged on for so long.

“Forget it, let's go and see him.”

Xu Qingnian did not read the content of the resignation letter, anyway, there was nothing to do, so he might as well go and see Zhou Nan and apologise, after all, it was himself who had harmed Zhou Nan anyway.

Otherwise, even if he was not well received, he would not have resigned.

As he walked out of the main office, Xu Qingnian looked at the rolls of officials walking around and blocked one at random.

“Do you know where Zhou Nan’s family lives?”

Xu Qingnian asked, very straightforward, he knew that the Ministry of Justice was targeting him, everyone probably knew not to provoke him, so Xu Qingnian did not talk about anything, so as not to get hurt by it.

“Zhou Nan? My lord, I don’t know, I still have to deliver a letter, so I hope your lordship will forgive me.”

Seeing Xu Qingnian blocking the front, the rolled-up official was suddenly a little flustered, especially when Zhou Nan was mentioned, there was a flash of dissimulation in his eyes.

Almost instantly, Xu Qingnian sensed that something was wrong.

“Tell us what you know, this matter has nothing to do with you, if not, even if this official no longer has the right, it is still easy to get rid of you as a roll official.”

“You should know that the princes of the state are very close to me, right?”

Xu Qingnian’s tone inexplicably coldened, and a sentence was spoken with determination.

“This This My lord, my subordinate is really

The roll official still wanted to explain, but when he saw under Xu Qingnian’s incomparably cold gaze, he couldn’t help but swallow his saliva at that moment.

“The first thing you need to do is to get the right documents from the library.

“Lord Xu, this matter really has nothing to do with me, I don’t know anything about it, I hope you will let me go.”

The other party said with some fear and trepidation.

“Fighting the sentence of twenty?”

In an instant, Xu Qingnian's gaze grew colder and colder.

Zhou Nan was not a martial artist, just an ordinary person, and the Ministry of Punishment's punishment was not a joke, a single stroke would not split the skin and flesh, but would definitely result in a purple bruise.

"Where does his family live?"

Xu Qingnian continued to ask.

"He lives in Linhe Street, but I really don't know the details."

The official was crying, it looked like he really didn't know.

Xu Qingnian didn't say anything else as he walked directly towards the outside of the Ministry of Justice.

The Linhe Street was not too far away, so Xu Qingnian picked up his pace a little and arrived at Linhe Street two quarters of an hour later, asking the people for information.

Zhou Nan's house was a quadrangle of sorts, with more than a dozen families living together, and it was impossible for him to have a house in Kyoto on his salary.

When they walked into the courtyard, there were children playing, some old people sunbathing and a few young people doing some hard work, repairing tiled houses and so on.

When they saw Xu Qingnian, an official, approaching, they were inexplicably surprised and at a loss for words.

"May I ask where Zhou Nan's family is?"

Xu Qingnian's face was gentle as he asked the crowd.

"Zhou Nan's house? My lord, it's right there."

Someone came back to his senses and pointed to the second room on the left and said.

"Many thanks."

Xu Qingnian nodded and gave his thanks before walking straight to the front of the room.

He knocked on the door and waited quietly.

Soon, a voice rang out, rather faintly.

“Who is it?”

It was a female voice.

“The head of the Ministry of Punishment, Xu Qingnian.”

Xu Qingnian spoke, revealing her identity.

At that moment the door to the room opened and a woman looked at herself with some surprise, the woman’s eyes were red and she looked a little haggard, looking at Xu Qingnian with surprise and curiosity in her gaze.

“My lord, what do you want?”

The woman spoke, her voice slightly hoarse.

“This official is looking for Zhou Nan to discuss some matters.”

Xu Qingnian spoke.

“Please come in, my lord.”

Hearing that she was looking for her husband, the woman dared not say anything more and sidled up to allow Xu Qingnian to enter.

When she walked into the room, a strong smell of medicine hit her nose.

Immediately on the bed, there was a person lying on his back, and it was Zhou Nan.

“My lord! What brings you here?”

Zhou Nan’s weak voice rang out as he tried to move, but soon involved his wound and instantly frowned.

“Don’t move.”

Xu Qingnian immediately spoke, telling him not to move, lest it affect his injuries.

“My lord, my subordinate is ashamed of you.”

Hearing Xu Qingnian’s voice, Zhou Nan was somewhat touched, after all, he had suffered so much and Xu Qingnian still came to see him, so he was naturally somewhat touched.

“What exactly happened, tell me in detail.”

Xu Qingnian sat aside, he looked at Zhou Nan's face, it was very weak and his lips were bloodless.

"My lord, it's nothing, it's because my subordinate can't speak, I've been punished, I admit it."

"My lord, my subordinate also has no role to play, now I have been dismissed by the Ministry of Penalty, there is nothing to think about, I only hope that in the future, if I do some business in the capital, my lord will take care of me."

Zhou Nan seemed reluctant to mention it, he didn't want to bring any trouble to Xu Qingnian.

"Zhou Nan, speak up."

However Xu Qingnian took a deep breath, he shook his head and let Zhou Nan tell the whole story.

"My lord When there is really no need."

Zhou Nan had been in the Ministry of Punishment for so many years, he knew that Xu Qingnian was holding his breath, but what he knew even more was that one person's power could not change anything, instead of confronting, it would be better to admit to a little loss.

"Zhou Nan, your resignation letter, this official did not agree, so you are still a subordinate of this official, this official orders you to tell us all the circumstances of the matter."

Xu Qingnian spoke in a calm tone, but his gaze was incomparably firm.

The words had come to this point.

Xu Qingnian did not want to nag any more.

Sensing Xu Qingnian's attitude, Zhou Nan let out a long sigh.

"Lord Xu, five days ago, as usual, I went to the case library to fetch the scrolls for you."

"But the Lord Treasurer, continued to delay in every way, so my subordinate could not help himself and said that there had been such a long delay that Lord Xu was a little angry."

"But I had not expected that with just this remark, Lord Pao Ku became furious and insulted me, even slapping me twice."

“However, I was not angry, I only hoped that after the Lord Treasurer had finished his rage, he would hand the dossier over to me again, but I did not expect that he would still not take it out, and told me to go as far away as possible.”

“Subordinate did not leave, he then drove me away, subordinate was also a moment of confusion, dead or alive, so the master treasurer punished me twenty battle sticks, subordinate body is already a bit bad, these twenty sticks fell.”

“Subordinate Subordinate I am not worthy of death, but I thought of my wife, who will be alone in this world, so I held on to her.”

“Your Excellency, I am not asking you to redress my grievances, I only ask you to help me to regain my official position if you can.

Without this official position, it would be difficult for me to survive in Kyoto.” Zhou Nan was crying with grievance at the end of his sentence, and his wife was sobbing uncontrollably as she stood by.

Inside the room.

Xu Qingnian took a long, deep breath.

He closed his eyes.

To tell the truth, since the time he joined the Ministry of Punishment, when he learned that the Ministry of Punishment was targeting him and giving him small shoes, Xu Qingnian had endured!

He endured it for one day! He endured it even for ten days!

Even if they delayed themselves for another ten days, Xu Qingnian could still endure it.

When Yang Hu, Yang Bao and the others went to the Ministry of Justice to be inducted, they failed to be inducted for ten days, but Xu Qingnian also put up with it.

However, at this moment.

Xu Qingnian could not tolerate it anymore.

You can wear small shoes, you can play dirty, politics is like this, Xu Qingnian understands.

But targeting yourself was fine, but targeting a mere roll official was a bit too much, right?

Moreover, he was even seriously injured.

That was too much, wasn't it?

In an instant, Xu Qingnian got up.

"My Lord, you" Seeing Xu Qingnian get up, Zhou Nan was a little surprised, not knowing what Xu Qingnian was going to do.

"To go and seek justice for you."

"Recuperate your injuries at ease."

Xu Qingnian spoke in a calm tone, then took out a hundred taels of silver cheque and handed it to Zhou Nan's wife, not waiting for her to react, Xu Qingnian had already left.

He walked out of the courtyard.

In the middle of the street, Xu Qingnian's face was indifferent.

His pace was extremely fast as he hurried towards the Ministry of Punishment.

A quarter of an hour later.

Xu Qingnian returned to the Ministry of Punishment.

Outside the Ministry of Punishment, the blazing sun shone brightly, and a file clerk, holding a large number of files, stood at the entrance, sweating profusely, but not daring to squeal.

When Xu Qingnian appeared, the official's eyes were full of helplessness. This official was the person Xu Qingnian had just asked about.

Now that he was standing here, he could think with his toes that he was being punished because of himself.

Good!

Good!

Bravo!

This Ministry of Punishment is really good.

Xu Qingnian didn't say a word as he crossed the crowd and went straight to the place where the Minister of Punishment was working.

"My servant Xu Qingnian, I have something to report."

Xu Qingnian's voice rang out, emotionless.

"Busy with official business, if you have anything, come back to me tomorrow."

Also an emotionless voice rang out, a phrase about being busy with official business, pushing everything away.

"Lord Chen, five days ago, Zhou Nan, a subordinate of my official, was punished by the treasurer with twenty battles in the case library, and even beat up his subordinate, I hope Lord Chen will do justice."

However Xu Qingnian paid no attention, he walked straight into the room and said in a calm voice.

Inside the room, a middle-aged man was reading a book, and upon hearing Xu Qingnian's voice, he directly slammed the book in his hand.

"Xu Qingnian! Have you not heard what this official said just now?"

"I'm busy with official business, let's talk about it tomorrow."

The other party's gaze was indifferent as he looked at Xu Qingnian and rebuked him in this way.

"Please do justice, Your Excellency."

Xu Qingnian ignored it and continued to ask the other party to do justice.

"Xu Qingnian!"

The latter stood up and looked angrily at Xu Qingnian.

"I still hope that Your Excellency! Preside over justice!"

Xu Qingnian spoke again, and he too looked at the other party, ignoring this indifference.

"You!"

The latter pointed at Xu Qingnian, but quickly lowered his hand and said indifferently.

"This matter is out of my hands, go find someone else."

He did not want to entangle himself with Xu Qingnian, and with a phrase that was out of my hands, he wanted to send Xu Qingnian away.

“I’m disturbing Your Excellency.”

However, Xu Qingnian did not say more and turned around to leave.

This now made Lord Li a little curious, he thought Xu Qingnian would continue to pester him, but he didn’t expect him to leave like this?

However, he didn’t think much about it, he just said to himself, arrogant, and continued reading his book.

The next moment.

Xu Qingnian arrived outside another officer’s door.

“My humble servant, Xu Qingnian, has something to report.”

Xu Qingnian’s voice rang out again, and this moment drew the eyes of many people from the Ministry of Punishment.

“Busy with business, we’ll talk tomorrow.”

Exactly the same answer as before.

Business is busy, let’s talk about it tomorrow.

However, Xu Qingnian also walked straight into the room as she had just done before, and spoke about Zhou Nan.

But this time, the other party did not become furious, but said lightly.

“This matter is not under the jurisdiction of this official.”

With a single sentence, Xu Qingnian was dismissed.

“I’m sorry to disturb you, Your Excellency.”

Xu Qingnian’s face was expressionless as he exited the room and came to the third officer’s door.

This time, the voice was a minute louder than before.

In the case file library, many people came out to see what was going on, and many people from the Ministry of Punishment also came at the sound.

The treasurer of the case library even sneered and said.

“He’s really a fool, and a great talent of the ages, it’s obvious that he doesn’t want to deal with him, this kind of person, it’s better to go back to being a book nerd.”

The treasurer was a man in his thirties, somewhat obese, standing with his hands behind his back, watching Xu Qingnian’s jokes.

However, the third member of the committee also continued to have the same attitude.

Xu Qingnian directly sought the fourth member of the council.

But the answer he got The answer was also the same.

The next moment, Xu Qingnian walked directly towards the inner hall.

He went to the Official Secretary’s Office, but the attitude given by the Official Secretary’s Office was even worse.

“How can you ask me for such a thing? Xu Qingnian, don’t look for trouble.”

“The Ministry of Justice is busy with official business, if you have nothing to do, go to the case library and help lift and put away the files, don’t cause trouble here.”

“Don’t bother this official.”

A voice rang out, and the entire Ministry of Punishment was somewhat lively.

Xu Qingnian looked like a rash young man in their eyes, as one of the lords visited him, but he was shut out time and time again, and there were even more desperate lords who directly humiliated him, causing many in the Ministry to laugh.

At this moment, Xu Qingnian was still expressionless as he walked towards the place where the Right Servant was working.

The Left Servant was far away, and now only the Right Servant, Lord Li Yuan, was present.

“My servant, Lord Xu Qingnian, has something to report.”

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth, his voice loud and clear, and by now, his voice had already spread throughout the entire Ministry of Punishment.

Yet within the room, Li Yuan’s voice rang out.

“Busy with official business.”

Four words, clean and crisp.

“The subordinate official’s subordinate, Zhou Nan, has suffered an injustice, and the subordinate official is seeking justice for him, so I hope that the Squire, Lord, will do justice.”

Xu Qingnian paid no attention, still coming up with this set of words.

“Xu Qingnian!”

“Do your job properly as your master, this official advises you one thing.”

Li Yuan’s tone was calm, he did not answer the question, instead he told Xu Qingnian to go back and do his main duty honestly.

“Lord Li, the subordinate official’s genus

Xu Qingnian spoke again and ignored it.

“That’s enough.”

“If you want to make a scene, go back and make it yourself, don’t make any more noise here, this is the Great Wei Ministry of Punishment, not that crappy academy of yours.”

Li Yuan angrily reprimanded, outside of humiliating Xu Qingnian’s heart learning.

“Zhou Nan has been unjustly wronged, and I hope your Excellency will do justice.”

But Xu Qingnian remained calm and said.

“Xu Qingnian!”

Li Yuan raged, a powerful aura, pushing open the door of the room, the room Li Yuan looked at Xu Qingnian angrily.

“My lord! The subordinate’s subordinate.”

Xu Qingnian still spoke, while Li Yuan interrupted Xu Qingnian’s words.

“This official will not deal with this matter.”

After he finished his sentence, Xu Qingnian shut up on the spot and immediately looked towards the Shang Shu Room at the main door.

The door to the room was closed, but the Minister of Penalty, Zhang Jing, was sitting in it.

“Lord Shang Shu!”

Xu Qingnian had just opened her mouth when Zhang Jing's voice rang out.

"Get lost."

It was calm.

There was no anger, but this one word was a heavenly humiliation and disdain.

Who was he?

The Minister of Penalty, the top group of officials in Great Wei, wielding heavenly power.

And who was Xu Qingnian?

A chief minister.

You think that because you have won the dragon's favour, you are not worthy of the title?

If Xu Qingnian hadn't made such a fuss, he might still have some opinion of Xu Qingnian, but today Xu Qingnian is making such a fuss, and after all, isn't it because he has been left out of the picture for a while?

Zhang Jing understood.

So with one word, Zhang Jing made Xu Qingnian understand once and for all who was in charge of the Ministry of Punishment!

What is he, the Minister of Justice?

And what is Xu Qingnian!

Outside the Shang Shu Room.

Xu Qingnian stood calmly as a burst of laughter rang out in the Ministry of Punishment, especially in the case library, where Shang Shu Zhang's word "roll" made them unable to hold back any longer.

This moment.

Xu Qingnian's gaze was calm.

He did not speak, but slowly folded his body.

"Brother Chao Ge, help me."

Xu Qingnian spoke in his heart, a simple sentence that was transmitted to the Heaven and Earth Wen Palace.

In an instant, Chao Ge sensed something.

“Good.”

One word, clean and crisp.

At this moment, Xu Qingnian turned his gaze towards the crowd.

Those who sneered, those who snickered, those who disdained, those who looked at them as if they were ants, as if they were clowns.

These seventeen days.

Xu Qingnian could endure all the obstruction from the Ministry of Justice.

The government’s decision to use the Ministry of Justice as a means to stop the government’s actions is a matter of course.

The Ministry of Justice delayed the entry of his own subordinates, Xu Qingnian could also endure.

Even if the Huai Ping County King had broken the rules, he was qualified to break them.

But when Zhou Nan was punished for himself, and even more so when he was slapped and slapped in public, this was breaking the rules.

He himself did not mean anything, did not get angry at first, but looked for his superiors to deal with it, and the four staff members refused, the twenty-seven officials refused, and the right retainer refused.

Zhang Shangshu a word of roll.

Bravo! Good! Good!

Ten thousand thoughts flashed through Xu Qingnian’s mind, and at this moment a fierce wind swept in, with Xu Qingnian as the centre, a great wind swept in and yellow sand rolled.

The purple Hao Rang Qi burst out at this moment, flooding the entire Ministry of Punishment.

At this moment, the terrifying Hao Rang Qi, forming a whirling storm, coalesced into a writing brush.

And then a ruler and an ancient bell were formed.

Everyone's faces changed, they did not know what Xu Qingnian was trying to do, and they were shocked that Xu Qingnian's Hao Rang Qi was so dense.

"Xu Qingnian, do you want to rebel?"

Shang Shu Zhang's roar rang out as a fierce wind blew the door to his room open, and he frowned and roared.

"There is righteousness in heaven and earth, and miscellaneous is endowed with flowing forms."

However, Xu Qingnian ignored Shang Shu Zhang as his voice resounded with the Song of Righteousness.

The next moment, the writing brush in his hand ran, the ruler hovered to his left, and the ancient bell even vibrated with a clang.

Clang!

The terrifying sound of the bell was heard throughout the entire Imperial Capital of Great Wei at this moment.

Everyone was stunned, not knowing what had happened.

"In the year of Wuchang, on the twenty-fifth day of the fifth month, Great Wei Dynasty, at the Ministry of Punishment."

"There are officials who have been wronged, and the Ministry of Punishment, up and down, is indifferent; the Minister of Punishment, Zhang Jing, as the head of the Ministry of Punishment, sees the injustice and does not move, his character is not good."

"The right minister, Li Yuan, saw the injustice and did not move, his moral character is not good."

"The twenty-seventh minister of the Ministry of Justice, when he sees an injustice and does not see it, is of bad moral character."

"The four foreign ministers of the Ministry of Penalty, shirking their duties, disloyal and unjust, like pigs and dogs."

"Today, I, Xu Qingnian, present a piece of writing to Heaven's ears and implore the saints to show up for the injustice of the world, to show up for the injustice of the world, and to reprimand and punish the officials of the Ministry of Punishment for their injustice, so as to purify it."

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth, and with each word, he spread throughout the entire capital of Great Wei, his writing brush blossoming with ten thousand rays of haze, writing the crime above the vault of heaven.

“Xu Qingnian, you dare to deceive the sage.”

“Xu Qingnian, you have the audacity to use such great power to impeach us.”

“Xu Qingnian, have you gone mad?”

No one would have thought that Xu Qingnian would possess such great power, nor would anyone have thought that Xu Qingnian would be so furious over such a minor matter.

Shang Shu Zhang Jing, Langzhong Li Yuan, the 27 officials, the four foreign ministers, including some of the chiefs, all roared in anger.

Because in any case, Xu Qingnian’s words had spread throughout Kyoto and had a huge impact on their reputation.

However, at this moment.

Above the dome of the sky, Xu Qingnian’s written statement of guilt actually turned into rainbow light and shot up into the sky.

The next moment.

The Great Wei Palace of Literature trembled, it was the statue of the saint that trembled.

All the scholars in the entire Palace awoke with a start, looking towards the Ministry of Punishment, and some of the great scholars were even frowning.

Because the five statues of the saints were all trembling.

This kind of thing It was almost impossible for it to happen.

Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom!

It was also at this moment that the five holy images, surprisingly at the same moment, burst forth with terrifying rays of light, surging towards the Ministry of Punishment.

The light was like a mane, shining on the officials of the Ministry of Punishment.

“No! My Hao Rang Qi! How come it’s all gone? What’s going on?”

Li Yuan, the minister of the Ministry of Penalty, let out a shocked voice; he had already made a clear intention and was of the seventh rank of Confucianism, among the highest rank of Confucianism among the civil servants, but now all the Hao Ran Qi in his body had been stripped away.

This caused him to feel a deep sense of shock.

And Shang Shu Zhang even aged a few years in an instant; he had no Hao Ran Zheng Qi, and it was his life expectancy that was deprived.

Shocking! Shock! Shock!

There were countless pairs of eyes throughout the Great Wei Capital looking over, and it was impossible for them not to notice such a great commotion.

In the State Dukes' residence, the State Dukes stared at all this with wide eyes, stunned beyond measure.

All the liege lords were also in total shock, shaken by Xu Qingnian.

Some of the great scholars in the Great Wei Palace of Literature clenched their fists, hating, not that they hated Xu Qingnian for being so arrogant, but why the sage was willing to support Xu Qingnian in this move.

And in the County King's residence.

A stormy voice also rang out.

"Xu Qingnian! You really have the audacity to cut down the qi of my Ministry of Punishment, this involves the fate of the country, are you looking for death?"

It was the voice of the Huai Ping County King.

His voice, too, spread throughout the entire capital of Great Wei.

At this moment, he was completely and utterly furious.

That terrifying pressure, like a mountain torrent, crossed a thousand metres and was directly placed on Xu Qingnian of the Ministry of Punishment.

But among the Ministry of Punishment.

Xu Qingnian was fearless, and he even took a step forward.

It was at this moment.

An unparalleled beam of light rose from Xu Qingnian's body into the sky.

At this moment.

Xu Qingnian's gaze was incomparably determined.

Do you like to suppress?

Do you like to target?

Since you like to suppress so much, then today you will make a scene until your Ministry of Punishment no longer dares to be arrogant.

Xu Qingnian can no longer tolerate it.

So No more patience!

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Great Wei Kyoto.

Terrifying thunder clouds filled the heavens, and this was not a good thing for Kyoto.

The black clouds pressed down on the city, the wind was howling, and in the middle of the Great Wei Palace of Literature, the five statues of the saints trembled, bursting forth with a terrifying light that shot up into the sky.

All the civil and military officials were shocked.

In the Ministry of Officials, Chen Zhengru stood beneath his study, his gaze calmly looking towards the sky.

"Xu Qingnian, Xu Qingnian, you are really an anomaly, mobilising the holy words at will, are you really not afraid of karma?"

Chen Zhengru said to himself in his heart, Xu Qingnian had invoked such a terrifying heavenly phenomenon, something he had never expected, after all, he knew the whole thing like the back of his hand.

Originally, according to his idea, suppressing Xu Qingnian in such a way might force Xu Qingnian to resign or make a fuss, in that case, even though someone would stand up for Xu Qingnian, more people would know that he, Xu Qingnian, was incompetent.

So Xu Qingnian is in their calculations and in their control, and he can't get out of it.

However, they never expected that Xu Qingnian would use such great power to impeach the Ministry of Justice!

Impeach the Ministry of Justice of Wei! This is unheard of in ancient times and modern times.

The Ministry of Rites and the Ministry of Works, which are located some distance away from the Ministry of Penalties, are now seeing this situation, and the officials of both ministries are smacking their lips.

They had already known about Xu Qingnian sitting on the bench at the Ministry of Penalty, and they were not surprised at all.

They had been curious about how Xu Qingnian would fight back, but they didn't expect Xu Qingnian's counterattack to be too terrifying.

It was completely not of the same magnitude.

With the great power of a saint, he suppressed the Ministry of Penalty and impeached the Ministry of Penalty, remembering that it was an entire Ministry of Penalty that was impeached, not a certain person in the Ministry of Penalty, but all the officials up and down.

At this moment, the Ministry of Works and the Ministry of Rites were the first to breathe a sigh of relief. They were glad that Xu Qingnian had not come to their departments, otherwise, they would have been the ones to suffer today.

Fortunately, fortunately.

The Ministry of Works and the Ministry of Rites breathed a sigh of relief.

As for the Ministry of Household, the Minister of Household, Gu Yan, was looking at all of this coldly at this moment. The Ministry of Punishment was their power, and Xu Qingnian had impeached the Ministry of Punishment, and as the head of the Dongming Society, he naturally could not be indifferent.

But this matter is the matter of the Ministry of Justice, he can hardly intervene, although he is also the Secretary of the Da Lisi Temple, but the two matters, there is an essential difference, he can not step in, nor can he step in, Xu Qingnian with such great power, impeach the Ministry of Justice, he does not dare to do, nor dare to speak.

The only thing that came to mind was that Xu Qingnian was a fierce man of the world.

As for the Ministry of Penalty, everyone was furious, completely furious. Xu Qingnian used great power to draw the resonance of the saints, cut their Haozheng Qi and deprive them of their years, which was considered a great punishment in heaven.

This was a great punishment. Just because of a trivial matter.

How could they not be angry?

In their eyes, asking Xu Qingnian to sit on the bench for 17 days was not a big deal, it was a test and sharpening of Xu Qingnian's temperament. According to their plan, they were going to hang Xu Qingnian out for three months to see if he had the patience.

But what they didn't expect was that Xu Qingnian would get so angry over this matter, and even use his righteous energy to mobilise his great power to deal such a severe blow to them. How could this not make them angry? How could this not make them hate each other so much?

It was at this moment.

In the middle of Kyoto, King Huai Ping's roar rang out, a voice that spread throughout the city, and he had long been displeased with Xu Qingnian.

He was a Confucian scholar of the Zhu Sheng lineage, and a county king of the Great Wei Dynasty.

In this life, he has the possibility of becoming a great Confucian, and he may also become a king in the martial dao, and when the time comes, he will be the first king of the Great Wei.

He respected the Zhu Sheng lineage, and respected it very much. So when Xu Qingnian despised the Zhu Sheng lineage, he used martial arts to suppress it that day, not caring about the rules at all, and not caring about any face at all, and directly suppressed Xu Qingnian.

It is in front of the great Confucian, hitting him Xu Qingnian face, now I thought Xu Qingnian would behave better, but I never thought Xu Qingnian would invoke the heavenly signs and rebuke the Ministry of Punishment, this has involved the national capital of Great Wei, the national luck of Great Wei.

It was a heinous crime.

"Xu Qingnian, you have the audacity to cut the Ministry of Punishment's qi and disturb the national capital, you are not worthy of death ! ! ! !"

A furious roar rang out, and a shocking light drowned everything, as a dragon shadow coiled behind the Huai Ping County King, and with a single step, he had arrived in the middle of the Ministry of Punishment.

The terrifying pressure like a mountain torrent poured out towards Xu Qingnian, the Huai Ping County King's face was cold and his gaze was full of anger, he wanted to

teach Xu Qingnian a good lesson today in front of the entire Ministry of Punishment, in front of the entire capital.

At this moment, many officials of the Ministry of Punishment were trembling, frightened by the Huai Ping County King's aura, but inside they were overjoyed, the Huai Ping County King was standing up for them, Xu Qingnian was dead!

"Xu Qingnian, do you know that your impeachment of my Ministry of Punishment has brought about the wrath of the Holy Spirit?"

He was deprived of his Hao Ran Zheng Qi, and his hatred for Xu Qingnian was infinitely greater. He was a civil servant, but he had followed the Confucian path, and had studied for many years before he understood the meaning, but now everything was ruined, and this was ten times more vicious than depriving him of his official position.

Therefore, Li Yuan roared, thinking that Xu Qingnian's impeachment of the Ministry of Justice had incurred the wrath of the Holy Spirit.

"The Ministry of Punishment of Wei is the foundation of the state, you arrogant little student, how dare you impeach the Ministry of Punishment and incur the wrath of the Holy Spirit, cutting down the national luck of Wei, do you know that this little bit of national luck may seem extremely small, but to the current Wei, it is a fatal blow, do you know that?"

The Ministry of Punishment was one of the six ministries, one of the national bases of Great Wei, and now that it had been impeached by Xu Qingnian, it would naturally affect the national luck of Great Wei.

They were smart enough to find a way to say it almost instantly, not daring to argue with Xu Qingnian about whether it was right or wrong, but instead using the state to suppress Xu Qingnian.

"Those who touch our country's capital will be killed without amnesty!"

The king of Huiping County even opened his mouth, his words were incomparably cold, his eyes were already filled with killing intent.

But today, Xu Qingnian is impeaching the Ministry of Justice for undermining the fortunes of Wei, and this is reason enough for Xu Qingnian to die a hundred times over.

The only thing is, in the Ministry of Punishment, Xu Qingnian was standing with his hands behind his back, and above his head, the literary brush, the literary ruler and the literary bell were blossoming with a terrifyingly powerful aura, blocking the mountainous onslaught of the Huai Ping County King.

This was part of the function of the weapon of literature, which, together with the Hao Rang Zheng Qi, could block this kind of aura and spiritual attack.

“Xu Qingnian, you deserve to die.”

“Xu Qingnian, you are arrogant to the extreme, what Great Confucian Yan Lei said is indeed true, you are truly a mad student of all ages.”

“Xu Qingnian, you have made a huge mistake today, even His Majesty will not be able to forgive you, ah ah ah ah ah!”

All sorts of crusading voices rang out from above and below the Ministry of Penalty, they were also furious, the Ministry of Penalty was impeached and their qi would also be implicated.

It could be said that the entire Ministry of Punishment was disciplined up and down, except for some non-managers, none of them could escape, above the chief.

“Have you said enough?”

As the invective gradually quieted down, Xu Qingnian’s voice rang out.

With three literary weapons on top of his head, he looked like a saint facing the dust, and with his vast and righteous aura, his aura was not weaker than anything else.

When Xu Qingnian’s voice fell, the officials of the Ministry of Punishment did not dare to continue speaking, being shocked by this kind of aura.

The next moment, Xu Qingnian’s gaze looked towards the Huai Ping County King, also cold to the extreme.

“County King Huai Ping, how dare you, as a county king, you are the royal family, the Ministry of Punishment has nothing to do with you, yet you have taken the liberty to barge into the Ministry of Punishment and meddle in its affairs.”

“King Huai Ping, do you think that the kings of the Great Wei? Is it like His Majesty?”

Xu Qingnian directly rebuked the County King of Huai Ping in anger, it was true that the County King of Huai Ping was the County King of Great Wei, but the County King had the duties of the County King, and the County King had his own affairs.

The six ministries are not under the county king’s jurisdiction, so you are forcing your way in and meddling in the affairs of the Ministry of Penalty, this alone does not stand up to you.

In addition, since ancient times, the status of county kings and princes has been very sensitive, and often rebellions are not possible without these kings and princes.

If they are so arrogant, they are not destined to live long.

The most important thing is that the emperor does not trust Xu Qingnian.

Even if all knew that Xu Qingnian was deliberately looking for trouble, but as long as His Majesty had the slightest reaction, it would be a huge problem for himself.

“Xu Qingnian, you don’t have to put such a disobedient cap on the Huai Ping County King, but the Huai Ping County King is not meddling in the affairs of the Ministry of Punishment, but to rebuke you for impeaching the Ministry of Punishment and cutting the national luck of my Great Wei.”

Ginger is still hot, Zhang Jing opened his mouth and was the first to find a good reason for the Huai Ping County King to clear his name.

“This king will not interfere in the affairs of the Ministry of Punishment, but you, Xu Qingnian, are affecting the national luck of Great Wei, and this king, being the royal family of Great Wei, has the right to take action against you.”

“Xu Qingnian, you have committed a great crime of ten evils, kneel down and submit to the crime.”

The Huai Ping County King was sure of his position, and his words were like a great yellow bell, his voice scolding like a thunderous roll, making Xu Qingnian kneel down and ambush the law.

“Ridiculous!”

However Xu Qingnian swept a straightforward contemptuous glance, three literary instruments vying for attention, matching the Hao Rang Qi to block the Huai Ping County King’s aura.

“The Ministry of Punishment, one of the six ministries of the Great Wei, is the place of justice in the world, yet there are people in the Ministry of Punishment who have been wronged for nothing, why can’t such a Ministry of Punishment be impeached?”

“You, King Huai Ping, do not distinguish between right and wrong, you intervene in this matter, you act out of selfishness, you are not worthy of a Confucian scholar, you know that it is unjust, but you still turn right and wrong upside down, you keep saying that you are for the sake of Wei’s mountains, for the sake of Wei’s state.”

“Its national essence, is it your national essence, is it your rivers and mountains? You have committed the great sin of delusion and delusion of action.”

“King Huai Ping, your heart is punishable, do you want to rebel?”

Xu Qingnian’s voice was so loud and incomparable that it reached the whole of Great Wei Kyoto.

Did he, the Huai Ping County King, really not know what had happened? Even if he really didn’t know the details, he did understand some of them, but yet he moved straight away, for what purpose?

Wasn’t it because he wanted to suppress himself, wasn’t it because he wanted to put himself to death?

Since you want to put me to death.

Then don’t blame me for tearing my face off.

As a matter of fact, when the word “rebellion” was uttered, all of Kyoto was in an uproar.

No one expected that Xu Qingnian would dare to angrily rebuke Prince Huai Ping for rebelling, knowing that Prince Huai Ping is the Prince of Huai Ning, who is in charge of military power.

The first thing you need to do is to get a good idea of what you’re doing.

If you are really torn, you don’t care about Confucianism.

The empress ascended to the throne, in fact, we all slightly avoid suspicion of these princes and kings, after all, the empress ascended to the throne, this point can indeed be used as a reason to rebel.

It’s just that it’s more far-fetched. Xu Qingnian put this hat on the Prince of Huai Ping, and it was extremely damaging.

“You! You really want to die.”

“Do you believe that this king will directly kill you.”

It’s not that Xu Qingnian couldn’t say anything else, but mainly because Xu Qingnian came up with the most sensitive topic, the topic that the Prince of County didn’t want to touch the most.

It was better not to say anything than to make more mistakes.

“How dare you!”

“Xu Mou is an official of the court, although you are the county prince and more powerful than Xu Mou, but if you dare to hurt me half a cent, you are in contempt of the imperial power.”

“If I am wrong or not, it is up to the Ministry of Justice, the Da Lisi, and His Majesty to decide, but King Huai Ping, you are so powerful that you can kill me with just one slap.”

“But I can assure you that your slap will be enough to kill your whole family!”

Xu Qingnian was fearless, and he even spoke more wildly.

He stared deadly at the Huai Ping County King, even taking a step forward and gazing at him with a clear and proud look in his eyes.

If he dared to touch himself, Xu Qingnian could guarantee that the Huai Ping County King would be out of luck, and the Prince of Huai Ning’s military power could also be taken back.

Xu Qingnian did not believe that the Prince of Huaining would be willing to give up his precious military power for the sake of a mere chief of the Ministry of Justice, a seventh-grade Confucian scholar.

“Brother Xu, I can help you ask for the holy will, just ask.”

It was also at this moment that Chao Ge suddenly spoke, his mind transmitting and informing Xu Qingnian that he could invite the Holy Will.

Xu Qingnian was somewhat shocked, invoking the Holy Will, something that even the great scholars of heaven and earth could not do. If the Holy Will was really invoked, it would honestly be greater than imperial power in a sense.

Unless the emperor ignores the literati of the world, if he really dares to do so, the country’s fortunes will be greatly reduced, and it is definitely no joke.

This is simply a nuclear attack.

Xu Qingnian directly vetoed it, this kind of scene, he did not need to ask for holy will, going forward he was only afraid of encountering more trouble, asking for holy will again at a critical moment, how could he use a slaughtering cow knife to kill a chicken?

“You!”

The King of Huiping County was utterly furious, the hatred in his eyes was endless, but he really didn’t dare to kill Xu Qingnian, if he did, it would be a bit exaggerated to say that his entire family would be beheaded.

But his father's military power would definitely be confiscated, which is no less than a disaster.

But if he couldn't kill Xu Qingnian, he could teach him a lesson, right?

In a flash, his aura rose extremely quickly, and then he directly struck out, as fast as lightning, wanting to give Xu Qingnian a few slaps and humiliate him in front of the entire Ministry of Punishment.

This was an overstepping of authority, but so what? He would not lose his father's military power because of Xu Qingnian, but likewise, His Majesty would not directly offend the Huaining royal family because of Xu Qingnian.

However, in the next moment, a voice rang out, directly subduing the Huai Ping County King.

"Do not be reckless."

The four words were incomparably calm, but these words caused the Huai Ping County King to instantly withdraw his hand and his face became somewhat unsightly.

This was because the voice was the voice of his father, Prince Huai Ning.

"Father, Xu Qingnian is arrogant to the extreme, insulting me in every way and even slandering and creating rumours."

Prince Huai Ping was a little unconvinced, he did not know why his father had spoken out to stop it, but it was hard to swallow this anger in his heart.

"Come back."

However, Prince Huaining's voice remained calm, two words, telling Prince Huiping to come back.

The meaning was clear, he was not allowed to continue meddling in this matter.

As the Prince of Huai Ping, he could not say that he was a bully in the capital of the Great Wei, but he was still a prominent figure.

But now, when he faced Xu Qingnian, he was humiliated by Xu Qingnian, but his father shouted back at him, which made him lose face.

However, his father's order could not be ignored.

The Huai Ping County King took a deep breath and turned to leave, not to get involved in this matter.

Yet Xu Qingnian's voice slowly rang out.

"The Huai Ping County King really has the authority of a great official, coming to the Ministry of Punishment whenever he wants and leaving it whenever he wants? He really regards the Six Ministries as his own home."

As this voice rang out, the officials of the Ministry of Punishment were completely frozen.

They didn't know what Xu Qingnian wanted to do, the Huai Ping County King had been called back, which was supposedly to give you face, and you still wouldn't stop?

What are you trying to do? Do you really think that you are invincible?

"Xu Qingnian, this king advises you to stop when you see fit, or else"

Prince Huai Ping turned back around, his gaze as cold as frost as he looked at Xu Qingnian.

He was shouted back by Prince Huaining, he had already lost face, leaving because his own father did not want to invite wrongdoing, but if Xu Qingnian did not relent, Prince Huiping would really not spare Xu Qingnian.

"Or else what?"

"Or else kill an official of the court? Or else kill a Confucian scholar?"

"If you feel that the king's power is greater than the royal power, Xu Mou will be punished."

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth, still speaking extremely sharply, saying that the Huai Ping County King was unable to express his anger.

"Stop this nonsense."

"This king is leaving today, what can you do to me?"

After finishing his words, he walked directly towards the Ministry of Punishment.

And Xu Qingnian's voice also rang out coldly.

"The year of Wuchang, the twenty-fifth day of the fifth month, the Great Wei Dynasty."

"Huai Ping County King, disregarding the dynastic system, disregarding the imperial power, disregarding the holy grace, entering the Ministry of Punishment, acting

arbitrarily, reprimanding the imperial officials for no reason, arrogantly and wildly, lawlessly.”

“What is more, he has trampled on the imperial power and trampled on His Majesty’s feet. I, Xu Qingnian, would like to advise His Majesty with my death that he should thoroughly investigate whether the Huai Ping County King has the intention of rebellion, whether he has corrupted the law and whether he has the virtue of a king.”

This voice was as loud as thunder, and above the vault of the sky, the writing pen fell into words, turning into a zheng, and directly into the Great Wei Palace of Literature.

With these words, Xu Qingnian set everything off completely and utterly.

He was advising the virtues, the arrogance and the intentions of King Huai Ping with his death.

This is simply to be unending ! ! ! !

Finally, at this moment, the Huaiping County King could not hold back, Xu Qingnian’s deadly advice had already reached the heaven’s ears, the entire people of the Great Wei Kyoto had already known, and His Majesty would also adopt the deadly advice and investigate himself thoroughly.

His family naturally could not rebel, but corruption and the virtue of kings, these two points could not be pinpointed by King Huai Ping. But

It’s just a matter of how one is corrupt and how one is corrupt.

This kind of thing should have been in the dark, but Xu Qingnian took it out directly and put it under the sun, so that if he had the slightest violation, it would be Xu Qingnian’s strongest weapon to attack him.

This was to completely stink himself up.

“Xu Qingnian.”

At this moment, the Huai Ping County King was utterly furious, the Qi of the Dragon behind him almost solidifying, a monstrous and terrifying aura pervading the entire Ministry of Punishment.

He had truly moved to kill, his anger washing over him.

Originally, he had come out this time because he wanted to teach Xu Qingnian a lesson, but he had not expected that Xu Qingnian would plant all sorts of evidence to frame himself, and eventually his own father had let him go back, so he had already lost face.

But what he didn't expect was that Xu Qingnian would repeatedly find himself in trouble and make him lose face again and again, even if he was calm, even if he was composed, if he didn't fight back, he shouldn't stay in the Imperial City in the future.

"Stop it."

At this moment, it was Prince Huai Ning's voice that rang out, shaking the Huai Ping County King once again, and all his aura collapsed, and the attack naturally disappeared.

"Father!"

Prince Huai Ping was somewhat resigned and could not help but yell out.

"Lord Xu, it is true that Huai Ping was a little aggressive in this matter and offended you, I hope that Lord Xu will be magnanimous and forgive him."

Prince Huai Ning's voice rang out, pleading for Prince Huai Ping, hoping that Xu Qingnian would be forgiving.

In the Ministry of Justice.

When Xu Qingnian heard Prince Huai Ning's voice, she did not panic, nor did she look respectful, but remained calm and indifferent.

"A good sentence about having to forgive people!"

"A few days ago, I met with Prince Huai Ping once, my humble servant merely visited Great Confucian Chen Xin, but Prince Huai Ping bullied with his strength, and regardless of the others, Prince Huai Ping took the initiative to find trouble with my humble servant without even paying attention at that time."

"Today, the matter of the Ministry of Punishment, the subordinate official fought for his subordinate to redress his grievances, which is also a matter of the Ministry of Punishment by definition, but the Huai Ping County King insisted on coming to trouble the subordinate official."

"Once, twice, the King of Huaiping County sees the subordinate as a thorn in his side, and now, the King of Huaiping County is in the wrong, yet he is asking the subordinate to forgive him? Dare I ask you, Your Majesty, has the Prince of Huai Ping spared his humble servant?"

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth, "So what if the Prince is a prince?"

As long as this Great Wei, is still under the control of the empress, then one can completely disregard anyone's face.

In the capital, Xu Qingnian was people-oriented, modest, tolerant and forbearing, not because Xu Qingnian was sycophantic or overly mercenary, but because he did not want to cause trouble for the empress.

He also did not want to get himself into unnecessary trouble.

But the Huai Ping County King and himself are already deadly enemies, so now you want to let yourself off the hook? That's a bit presumptuous, isn't it?

Xu Qingnian's words made many people smack their lips, this is to call the Prince's bluff.

The name of the maniacal student is true.

The officials up and down the capital of the Great Wei were speechless, knowing that Xu Qingnian was arrogant and fierce, but they really didn't know that Xu Qingnian was so crazy and fierce.

The first person in the world is really the one who does not even put the Prince in his eyes.

"Then What does Lord Xu want?"

Just Prince Huaining's voice rang out, calm beyond compare, quietly asking Xu Qingnian what he wanted to do.

"Dispose of them according to the law!"

"Trespassing on the Ministry of Penalty, according to the law, detaining in the main prison for half a year, but remembering that Prince Huai Ping is the County King of Great Wei and has meritorious ancestry, detaining for one month will suffice."

Xu Qingnian spoke, this was the result he wanted.

It was impossible to bring down the Huai Ping County King in this matter, so the only counter-attack was to make the Huai Ping County King lose face, and by imprisoning him for a month, he would have completely swept away his Huai Ping County King's reputation.

As for the original six months, Xu Qingnian reduced it to one month, it was just a nice thing to say, after all, the emperor wouldn't agree to a six-month detention.

One month would be enough, and it would be considered a temporary recovery of some interest.

"Impossible!"

The County King of Huiping shouted.

A county king in jail? If he really went to jail, he would not have to stay in the capital, and he would lose face, and be ridiculed by the powerful.

In the future, if you encounter rival forces, if you really want to scold them, a sentence that you have been in jail is a great humiliation.

But before Xu Qingnian could say anything, Prince Huaining's voice rang out.

"Good."

One word responded to Xu Qingnian, and he agreed to let Prince Huai Ping be punished.

"Father!"

The unwilling voice of Prince Huai Ping resounded, he wanted to struggle a little, but for some reason, Prince Huai Ping's face changed abruptly, then all the unwillingness in his eyes disappeared and was replaced by anger.

He did not struggle any more, and it was clear that Prince Huai Ning had communicated something to him, making him resign himself to his fate.

But even though he had resigned to his fate, Prince Huai Ping's gaze was still filled with anger and hatred, and he looked at Xu Qingnian with everything in his eyes, representing all words.

The two had already come to the point of no return, only that the other party could not find himself in any trouble for the time being, and Xu Qingnian could not possibly bring down a county king.

But Xu Qingnian profoundly knows that this feud has been thoroughly and utterly settled, then he or she will not be able to rest easy next.

It's either you die.

It's either you die or I live.

Xu Qingnian had thought twice about making the County King of Huai Ping an enemy. A few days ago, at the home of Chen Xin the Great Confucian, Xu Qingnian had not forgotten the humiliation.

The king of Huai Ping almost repeatedly tried to make a move today, he trampled on the rules and used martial arts to control himself, in that case, there is no need for Xu

Qingnian to hide it and offend him in one breath, and at the same time pave the way for his future.

This is called killing the chicken to make an example of the monkey, he angrily reprimanded the county king, did not give face to the Prince, impeach the Ministry of Justice, is to tell all the six ministries to listen, he Xu Qingnian can tolerate, in the rules, playing the means.

But if anyone breaks the rules and looks bad, then he, Xu Qingnian, will also tear his face off and not abide by the rules.

But it is also the bad luck of these people. Xu Qingnian knows that they will definitely do everything in a big way, so they take some small things to get themselves stuck.

But these little things have become their deadly trouble.

When the Huai Ping County King left, he went to the main prison by himself, and when he was leaving, he did not forget to take a look at Xu Qingnian, viciously.

After the Huai Ping County King had left.

Xu Qingnian's gaze slowly fell on the Minister of Punishment and the others now.

The Ministry of Punishment was silent at this moment, as strong as the Huai Ping County King, was dumbfounded by Xu Qingnian's words, and was even fined a month in jail.

The matter today was mainly a matter for the Ministry of Justice, and the Huai Ping County King simply wanted to help the Ministry of Justice, but he did not expect to end up in such a situation.

It was obvious that Xu Qingnian was not going to let the Ministry go easily.

"Xu Qingnian, what do you want?"

The Minister of Justice, Zhang Jing, looked at Xu Qingnian, his heart was full of anger, but the most annoying thing was that Xu Qingnian was in charge, so he really did not know what to say or how to deal with it.

He could only ask Xu Qingnian what outcome he wanted.

"The Ministry of Justice is unjust, and my humble servant believes that all of those above the principal of the Ministry of Justice are negligent in their duties, and that Minister Zhang should step down, the left and right retainers should step down, the twenty-seven officials should step down, and the four outer-ranking officials should step down."

“Let those who are truly fair take up their posts, so that justice can be done to the Great Wei and to the people of the world.”

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth, and one sentence set off another storm.

After listening to Xu Qingnian’s words, the officials of the six ministries, the county dukes, the lords of power and nobility were completely stunned.

Even the Duke of An could not help but gulp down their saliva.

They knew that Xu Qingnian had anger in his heart, that he had made a big fuss today, that the Ministry of Military Affairs was watching, that everyone was happy, and that the military officials even praised Xu Qingnian for his bloodlust.

But even if you take a step back, they didn’t think that Xu Qingnian would be so cruel.

This is not simply looking for trouble, this is to get you all killed.

I knew that you Xu Qingnian was tough, but I didn’t expect you to be this tough?

“Xu Qingnian, you are really arrogant.”

The Minister of Penalty did not say anything, but the Right Servant of Penalty, Li Yuan, spoke up, his hand trembling as he pointed at Xu Qingnian, furious that he really did not know what to say.

A matter like this, Xu Qingnian made a fuss even if it was enough, but now he wanted them to abdicate? This is simply It was too much.

“Arrogant! Arrogant! Arrogant!”

“My lords, don’t you know any other words to say?”

“My humble servant really doesn’t know what’s arrogant about it?”

Xu Qingnian’s gaze was cold, he was already tired of hearing this word, whenever he did something, someone would put a label of arrogance on him, there was one to say one, Xu Qingnian did not feel that he was arrogant at all, instead he was gentle and elegant, if not for these old things eating too much.

If it wasn’t for these old things eating too much that look, it wouldn’t be possible to get to this point today.

“You first impeached the Ministry of Justice, slandered the county king, and now you’re even asking us to abdicate, this is not arrogance? What is this?”

Li Yuan's face was white with anger, pointing at Xu Qingnian, his voice trembling a little, not with fear, but with anger, the kind of anger that made his lungs explode.

He had seen young people who did not know what they were doing, and he had also seen young people who caused a scene at the Ministry of Punishment, but he had never seen Xu Qingnian like this, planning to have them all killed for such a trivial matter.

What is this if not arrogance? This Xu Qingnian was really not a son of a man.

"Impeach the Ministry of Punishment?"

"The Ministry of Justice has been negligent in its duties. When I asked for a dossier, the person in charge of the documents library delayed me for 17 days.

"I would like to ask you, Your Excellency, is this how the Ministry of Punishment works? Is this the Ministry of Justice? What if the dossier in my hands affects the people of the world? What if it affects countless lives? How many innocent cases would be caused by the seventeen days?"

"Just a few days ago, Zhou Nan pleaded again, but in vain, he only complained that the delay was too long, but he was slapped in the mouth by the treasurer in public, and then he was even tortured for twenty minutes.

"He was even dismissed and had a letter of resignation written and placed in front of this official's desk.

Xu Qingnian spoke out word by word, his voice loud and clear, resounding in the Ministry of Penalty, and in the capital of Great Wei.

For a moment, the Minister of Penalty, the Minister of Penalty and the others were silent, for this matter was indeed considered an injustice.

"He was the one who first defied this official in the first place, and in fighting for the sentence of twenty, this official also acted in accordance with the law."

It was at this moment that the man in charge of the treasury shouted out, defying the law and arguing that he was not at fault.

It was only when this was said that Xu Qingnian's gaze shone over like cold, and the slightly obese treasurer could not help but tremble, not daring to meet Xu Qingnian's gaze.

"Scorn you?"

“Then good, this official wants the information of the dossier, you delay this official for seventeen days, according to the law of the Ministry of Penalty, any dossier transfer, shall not exceed five days.”

“If you delay the period, the battle penalty will be thirty.”

Xu Qingnian said here, in an instant, his pace was extremely fast, he directly grabbed this obese palm treasurer and slapped him down to the ground, at the same time a battle stick flew automatically from not far away, this was condensed Qi.

A snap!

The battle stick fell, the latter immediately opened the skin and flesh, and let out a ghostly scream like killing a pig.

“Ahhhhhhh ! ! ! ! Shang Shu help, Squire help, Your Excellency help.”

He screamed miserably, Xu Qingnian’s stick was definitely more painful than the one that hit Zhou Nan.

“Xu Qingnian, you’re undisciplined.”

Li Yuan roared in anger, Xu Qingnian was battling the torture palm treasurer in front of them, this was simply a bit too much.

“Out of sight and out of mind?”

“Xu Mou sought redress for his subordinates, and approached the four outer governors in turn, but the outer governors dismissed Xu Mou on the grounds that they were busy with official business, and then even excused himself by saying that he was not under their jurisdiction.”

“At this point in time, why didn’t the minister say that they were undisciplined?”

Slap!

With another blow, the palm treasurer once again let out a miserable scream and scratched frantically on the ground, but was shaken and numbed by Xu Qingnian’s limbs, so he was unable to resist at all.

PAP!

Another stick, Pang Ku screamed, his voice was going hoarse, if this was a 30-battle torture, he would definitely die ah.

However, this blow was not just a blow to the treasurer, but to the face of the Ministry of Punishment.

The crowd was silent, not knowing what to say.

Ten sticks later, the treasurer fainted and died.

Xu Qingnian poured a bucket of cold water over him and he slowly woke up, followed by ten more sticks.

He was hoarse, like a dead fish, and lay on the ground, with blood oozing from his buttocks.

“Xu Qingnian, if you keep hitting him, he’ll die.”

Li Yuan’s voice trembled as he pointed at Xu Qingnian and said so.

“The Ministry of Punishment, is the place of justice in the world, such people who bend the law for personal gain are guilty of an additional crime, and deserve to die.”

Xu Qingnian didn’t care, his last ten strokes caused the treasurer to faint completely, but he still had a breath of air and would have to lie in bed for at least six months.

“Xu Qingnian, you’ve been beaten and scolded enough, let’s end this matter here.”

Finally, the Minister of Punishment spoke up. Ever since Xu Qingnian had triggered the celestial phenomenon, he had been tolerant and allowed Xu Qingnian to vent his anger.

Now he had let out what he should have let out, right? That was the end of it!

“This is the end?”

“Lord Shang Shu is really joking, I will definitely seek justice in this matter.”

Just let it go? Xu Qingnian was not a fool.

Since he had made a scene, he would make a complete mess of it, and if he took it lying down, then someone would continue to find himself in trouble next time.

As for whether this would offend people? Will he have friends in the Ministry of Justice in the future? Xu Qingnian doesn’t care anymore.

The latter is not even a good idea.

The latter was even punished for asking about the matter of a scroller, if this didn’t make a big fuss, would anyone be able to bully himself in the future?

Xu Qingnian had already made up his mind that if he didn't make a scene until the emperor spoke up, this matter would never be finished.

He wanted to let the people of the six ministries know that he, Xu Qingnian, was not to be messed with.

If you play by the rules, I will play with you to the end.

If you don't follow the rules, then let you all be engraved in your bones.

"Your justice, what is it?"

Zhang Jing asked in a cold voice.

"My humble servant has made it very clear, please ask the Lord Shang Shu to step down, please ask the Lord Squire to step down, please ask the twenty-seven official divisional governors to step down, and please ask the four outer governors to step down."

Xu Qingnian's tone was calm, but his attitude was extremely certain.

"Ridiculous."

Zhang Jing spoke coldly, to ask them to abdicate on the basis of such a thing? Isn't that ridiculous?

"Whether it is ridiculous or not, it is not for Your Excellency to decide, but for His Majesty to decide."

"But, the minister, the official, the right minister, including the Minister of Justice, have all refused the case, and according to the law of the Ministry of Justice, those who refuse the case will be punished by twenty."

Xu Qingnian spoke up and said so.

"Do you mean to say that you want to punish this official?"

Zhang Jing was completely furious at this moment, his gaze was like a fierce tiger, devouring people terribly.

"My Lord, I am only following the law."

Xu Qingnian didn't care at all about the Shang Shu's gaze, and walked straight out, shelling out as he had just done, and grabbed the four officers.

"Xu Qingnian! This official advises you to stop."

Zhang Jing took a deep breath as he closed his eyes and said so.

Snap!

Xu Qingnian didn't care about that much, and the battling sticks fell down like a fierce storm, hitting the four officers.

However, Xu Qingnian stayed his hand slightly, he did not dare to be too ferocious, otherwise, according to the physique of these people, it would really cause a big problem.

But it hurt, it definitely hurt.

"Xu Qingnian, you're crazy."

"Aiya, Xu Qingnian, I am at odds with you."

"Xu Qingnian, you really want to turn the sky upside down."

"Lord Xu, don't fight, don't fight."

The four officers screamed in agony.

After the four officials had finished fighting, Xu Qingnian turned his gaze towards the twenty-seven officials of the Department of Justice.

"Someone! Take Xu Qingnian down!"

At this moment, the Minister of Justice Li Yuan completely exploded, he roared, and in an instant hundreds of figures appeared, all of them were strong, the hall of the Ministry of Justice, there could not be no martial artists.

It was only at this moment that Xu Qingnian's literary weapon shook, filling the air with a terrifyingly vast aura of righteousness.

"I am a scholar, according to the laws of Great Wei, hurting a scholar is punishable by imprisonment for ten years, or sent to the border."

"According to the laws of Great Wei, obstructing the Ministry of Justice in the handling of a case is considered a felony, and both crimes are punished together, with heads falling to the ground."

"If you dare to make a move, don't blame Xu for not reminding you."

Xu Qingnian spoke, and this one sentence immediately made the crowd not dare to move.

“Xu Qingnian, you

At this moment, Li Yuan did not know what to say.

While Xu Qingnian had arrested all the twenty-seven officials of the Department of Justice, they were civil servants, not martial artists, nor Confucians, and had the power to give orders, but the problem was that the officials of the Ministry of Penalties who had the ability to subdue Xu Qingnian did not dare to move at all.

The words just now, like a sword and awning, made them fearful, resisting orders is just fighting for punishment, but really hurt Xu Qingnian, they feel that Xu Qingnian really said what he said.

They are just officials, if they mess with Xu Qingnian, the God of Plague

The first thing you need to do is to get rid of it.

The 27 officials were screaming, cursing, reprimanding, crying, begging for mercy, and all kinds of sounds resounded through the Ministry of Justice.

Countless powerful people were dumbfounded.

They had never seen such a madman before.

He had beaten up all the twenty-seven officials in the Ministry of Justice.

But what made everyone tremble even more was that.

After the torture, Xu Qingnian looked at the Servant and the Minister of Justice.

If the Minister of Penalties was tortured.

Then, Xu Qingnian would really have been known as a mad student of the ages.

No, no, no, the name of a mad student is really an insult to Xu Qingnian.

It should be described as a mad god.

The Minister of Penalty, a second-ranking official of Wei, is the most powerful person in Wei, except for the main personnel of the three provinces.

And Zhang Jing was even a major member of the Dongming Society.

Xu Qingnian really wants to do this

The actual fact is that it is really a stab in the dark.

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Among the Ministry of Justice.

Xu Qingnian has already fought against twenty-seven officials in the Department of Justice, twenty battles of punishment no one can escape.

Although this group of civil servants use medicinal food to regulate their bodies and occasionally practice martial arts, they are completely inadequate in front of a ninth-grade martial artist whose strength can compete with an eighth-grade martial artist.

The twenty-seven officials in charge of the judicial cases of the Ministry of Justice in the twenty-seven counties of Great Wei are all heavenly officials outside the Ministry of Justice, yet in the Ministry of Justice, they are like dogs in a funeral home, being hung and beaten by Xu Qingnian.

This scene really shocked the entire capital's powerful and noble people, knowing that Xu Qingnian was crazy, but such a tactic was simply appalling.

Even the Duke and the King would not have dared to be so domineering, fighting against the 27 officials of the Department of Justice, it was really the first time since the founding of the Great Wei Dynasty.

But what shocked the crowd the most was that Xu Qingnian's gaze fell on the Minister of Penalties and the Minister of Penalties at this moment.

If the Minister of Penalty and the Minister of Penalty were to be beaten up, it would be a real stab in the dark.

The Minister of Penalties is a dignified figure in Great Wei anyway, and to put it bluntly, unless the Minister of Penalties is looking for death, even His Majesty would have to think twice before acting.

Feeling Xu Qingnian's gaze, the Minister of Punishment did not show any fear, but instead his eyes were filled with coldness.

He did not believe that Xu Qingnian dared to touch him.

"Lord Li."

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth and his gaze fell on Li Yuan, the Minister of Punishment, who was so angry that his beard twisted and he looked at Xu Qingnian and said, "Do you know what the consequences of fighting against me are?"

Li Yuan's hands were trembling with anger, he was a Servant of the Ministry of Penalty, a serious third-ranking official, third-ranking, he was the biggest in the Ministry of

Penalty, except for the Left Servant and the Minister of Penalty, of course, leaving aside the Capital Inspection Court.

If Xu Qingnian really dares to make a move, he will definitely not let Xu Qingnian off the hook.

“Lord Li, are you threatening me?”

“According to the laws of Great Wei, if someone dares to threaten a court official when the Ministry of Criminal Affairs is handling a case, it is not a minor crime.”

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth and said so.

“Xu Qingnian, don’t take a chicken feather as an arrow.”

“When has this official ever threatened you? When did this official break the law.”

Li Yuan said angrily.

“Your Excellency did not threaten me just now? Furthermore, when did Your Excellency break the law?”

“Do I need to remind you of that?”

Xu Qingnian said so, the latter instantly looked a little toothache, he looked at Xu Qingnian, really did not know what to say.

“You approached this official, this official did not refuse to award the case, this official was dealing with other matters at the time and did not care to take the case, is this also wrong?”

Li Yuan still wanted to struggle a bit and explain for this matter.

However, when he said this, he was right in Xu Qingnian’s face.

“Good, what Lord Li means is that he is not unwilling to take up the case, but he is targeting me, Xu, right?”

Xu Qingnian took a step forward and asked this, a cold intent in his eyes.

“No.”

Li Yuan instantly heard the meaning of Xu Qingnian’s words and shook his head, directly rejecting the question.

“Since there is no target on Xu, then may I ask Lord Li, when the subordinate officer reported the case, why did Lord Li tell the subordinate officer to get lost?”

“Even if something is really wrong, a sentence about being busy with official business is sufficient, or if not, just make up a reason and send the official away.”

“Dare I ask Lord Li, if the person who came to see you today was a certain county king, or a certain state duke, or even His Majesty, would Lord Li also say the word “go”?”

Xu Qingnian asked coldly.

Even if the people up and down the Ministry of Justice were unwilling to deal with themselves, they would not be so harsh. This Li Yuan, relying on the fact that he was the Minister of Justice, had used the word roll to draw ridicule from everyone in the Ministry of Justice.

Would Xu Qingnian forget?

“How dare you! This official has absolutely no such intention, and would never dare to humiliate His Majesty.”

Hearing Xu Qingnian’s words, Li Yuan’s face changed, and then immediately spoke out to explain, which, if not explained, would be insulting His Majesty.

“If you don’t dare to humiliate His Majesty, you can humiliate your subordinate? Lord Li, you still say that you are not targeting Mister Xu?”

Xu Qingnian angrily rebuked.

And the latter’s face changed, and for a moment, he didn’t know how to reply.

After all, it was all his fault that he liked to play the bleep and had to find trouble with Xu Qingnian and embarrass him, just as Xu Qingnian had said, if he had just found a reason to send Xu Qingnian off.

If he had just found a reason to send Xu Qingnian away, he might not have encountered such trouble, but this was purely a hole he had dug for himself.

The company’s main business is to provide a wide range of products and services to its customers.

After all, it’s okay to give subordinates small shoes in the department, but you can’t say it openly, if you say it openly then you are abusing your personal power.

Thinking about this, Li Yuan really felt bad, if he had known this, he would not have provoked Xu Qingnian.

Hell knows this guy was so lawless and unscrupulous.

“Lord Li, why aren’t you talking anymore?”

Xu Qingnian took another step forward, his gaze cold.

Now there were only two choices before Li Yuan, the first was to admit that he had refused the case and receive twenty strokes of the board, the second was to reject his refusal, but it would be tacitly accepting that he had targeted Xu Qingnian.

Either way, he was a bit uncomfortable and really didn’t know how to answer ah.

“Lord Li, if you don’t answer, the subordinate official will acquiesce that you are refusing the case, twenty boards only, it’s much better than abusing your personal power.”

Xu Qingnian took another step forward, and this sense of oppression made Li Yuan very uncomfortable.

“Lord Li.”

“Lord Li.”

Xu Qingnian took one step and shouted, Li Yuan’s spirit was somewhat broken, first he was deprived of his talent, and now he was facing the punishment of twenty big slabs, or abusing his personal power and being reprimanded by His Majesty.

Thinking of this, Li Yuan took a deep breath and gritted his teeth and said.

“Xu Qingnian, this official has indeed been somewhat negligent in this case, this matter ends here, from now on, this official can guarantee that you can work in the Ministry of Justice without any hindrance, how about that?”

In the end, Li Yuan compromised.

He hoped to settle this grudge in this way, otherwise, he couldn’t afford twenty big slabs.

“Since Lord Li admits to refusing the case, the subordinate officer will have to deal with it in a fair manner.”

Xu Qingnian had hoped that Li Yuan would admit to not refusing the case, but unfortunately, such old foxes could still tell which was more important and which was less important.

But in the face of Li Yuan’s show of weakness, Xu Qingnian did not agree.

He would guarantee that the Ministry of Justice would not trip up on him?

Is this not nonsense? If you make such a fuss today, who will dare to find trouble with you? Are you really not afraid of death?

Maybe if we just take the easy way out at this point, we can still win the other side's goodwill, and then there is a chance of resolving the grudge, but Xu Qingnian doesn't think so.

But Xu Qingnian didn't think so. He had brought the matter to this point and then just ended it hastily?

To put it bluntly, what is the best thing that a court full of civil servants can do? Isn't it intrigue and trickery?

And the only way to break a conspiracy is to be mang.

I don't care if you have rules, as long as you dare to provoke me, I'll screw you all to death, the big deal is to die together and see who is unlucky.

As long as you still have a breath of air, they won't dare to bother you at all.

Otherwise, if you take it easy, they won't bother you for a short while, but once they regain their strength, they will screw you to death.

The actual fact is that you can find the opportunity to bite down and bite hard, never let go of a bite, let them eat a big loss, so that even if they still want to trouble you, they have to weigh up, is it worth it, can not do.

There are no permanent enemies in the official world, and there are no permanent enemies.

The first thing that the truly great do is to weigh the pros and cons when they do something, and to pay a great price just to vent their anger is something only a fool would do.

The first thing you need to do is to weigh the pros and cons of a matter, just to vent your anger but at a great cost, only a fool would do it. Similar to the likes of the Huai Ping County King, who is completely brainless.

So Xu Qingnian wasn't afraid of offending them, instead she was worried that she wasn't ruthless enough and hadn't left them with a deep memory.

"Xu Qingnian, you dare!"

Looking at Xu Qingnian, who was walking towards him, Li Yuan yelled, and before he could continue speaking, Xu Qingnian had already grabbed Li Yuan and slightly moved his hand, hitting his numb tendons, followed by a stick down.

Slap.

“Ohhhhhhhhhhh!”

A miserable scream rang out, Li Yuan’s miserable scream was a bit odd, everyone else was ah screaming, he was oh screaming, for a moment it made Xu Qingnian frown.

This scream was too odd.

Slap.

The second blow.

Slap!

The third time.

Xu Qingnian had made sure that the strength of each blow was proportionate, so it was not possible to kill him, but the flesh and blood pain was inevitable.

The only thing that Xu Qingnian admired was that Li Yuan didn’t look like a coward, but he didn’t scream again except for the first blow.

After the twenty battles, Xu Qingnian admired Li Yuan even more for having the backbone of a civil servant.

However, when he looked down, Xu Qingnian understood.

This guy had already passed out after the first blow, so he was really useless.

After the Squire had been dealt with, the last person to be dealt with was the Minister of Justice.

At this moment, the Minister of Punishment was standing in front of the door of the room, facing Xu Qingnian’s atrocity, he was already silent.

As for being afraid of Xu Qingnian?

To be more serious, he was afraid, but what he was afraid of was not Xu Qingnian, but the stick in Xu Qingnian’s hand.

What he was more afraid of was that if Xu Qingnian really tortured himself, then he would really lose face in the capital.

If the 20 battles were to be punished, it would be impossible for him to go to court within a month.

“Xu Qingnian!”

“Let’s stop here.”

“This matter, the person who was at fault, has also been punished, what else do you want?”

Minister of Justice Zhang Jing took a deep breath, he looked calm and stood in front of Xu Qingnian.

It was impossible not to be calm, even if he begged for forgiveness, I believe Xu Qingnian would be even less likely to spare himself.

“Shang Shu Zhang is joking, there is still one more to go for you, how can it end here?”

Xu Qingnian had already given up, today he was going to break a precedent and fight the Minister of Justice.

“The company’s main business is to provide a wide range of products and services to the public.

Zhang Jing spoke with emotion and reason, saying that all he meant was not to hit him.

Xu Qingnian, however, shook his head, took a step forward and looked at Zhang Jing.

“The Ministry of Punishment is unjust! Your Excellency, as a Shang Shu, should rightly add another twenty battles to the sentence, but for the sake of your Excellency’s advanced age, my humble servant will not add them, these twenty battles, the Shang Shu must take them even if he does not.”

When he said this, Xu Qingnian took a step forward and was about to reach out and grab Zhang Jing.

In an instant, Zhang Jing’s face became incomparably ugly, and a hint of fear flashed across his eyes.

How strong was Xu Qingnian’s hand? Could he not know? Even in the courtroom, if His Majesty had punished himself with twenty sticks, the imperial guards would not dare to deal with him even though he was the Minister of Punishment.

But Xu Qingnian was different, he really dared to do it.

But at that moment, a voice rang out.

“His Majesty has decreed that the Minister of Punishment, Zhang Jing, be proclaimed to the palace, and Xu Qingnian be proclaimed to the palace.”

As the voice rang out, the face of the Minister of Punishment, Zhang Jing, suddenly eased for a long time, and many officials among the six ministries were completely relieved.

If Xu Qingnian had really moved the Minister of Justice, then the matter would have been completely troublesome and might have involved the six ministries, not to say a major earthquake, but definitely a matter that would have shaken the world.

It's a good thing that His Majesty stepped in at the critical moment!

Otherwise, there is no telling what kind of trouble would have been caused.

“Xu Qingnian, I will not argue with you here, go to the palace to see His Majesty and let Him judge.”

At this moment, Zhang Jing spoke directly, and his pace was extremely fast as he walked directly towards the outside of the Ministry of Punishment.

Seeing this scene, Xu Qingnian couldn't help but sigh, it was just one last step away, if it had been earlier, perhaps he could have really done it.

But soon, Xu Qingnian shook her head and vetoed her idea.

The decree from the palace, which did not come early and did not come late, appeared at this time, obviously deliberately by the empress.

It seemed that Her Majesty was using herself to intentionally hammer the Ministry of Punishment.

Xu Qingnian instantly understood.

After all, if he had made such a big fuss, the palace would have already known about it, and if he wanted to stop it, he could have announced someone to enter the palace at the first opportunity, but he did so at this time, didn't he want to hammer the Ministry of Justice?

The only thing he knows is that he has to go into the palace.

Outside the palace.

Many dignitaries were already waiting here, looking at the extremely fast paced Minister of Justice Zhang Jing, which even drew some voices.

“Isn’t this the Minister of Punishment, Lord Zhang? Why is he walking so fast? Slow down, slow down!”

“Master Zhang, slow down, there’s no tiger behind you, why are you walking so fast?”

“Master Zhang, be careful, don’t fall, why are you running?”

It was the voices of the military officials, who had come over deliberately just to watch the fun.

When they saw Zhang Jing panicking, they naturally couldn’t help but ostracize him a few times, as you usually fight with me in the courtroom, and now when they see you suffer such a big loss, this will not only come up to mock and taunt?

After all, it won’t be so good next time.

With a cold face, Zhang Jing walked towards the palace, while Xu Qingnian walked without haste.

“Elder brother Xu, fierce!”

“Elder brother Xu, unrestrained.”

“Older brother, when you get out of the palace later, come and find us for a drink.”

“Hahahahaha, yes, yes, yes, come drink and drink.”

The crowd spoke, praising Xu Qingnian’s prowess and also inviting him to their home for a drink.

Xu Qingnian didn’t say anything, just nodded towards them and walked into the palace.

The eunuch who led the way kept his head down, Zhang Jing’s face was gloomy and not very nice, while Xu Qingnian looked calm.

In the palace, everything seemed very quiet, and the previous vision had completely dissipated.

The two rows of guards, however, all looked at Xu Qingnian with a strange look.

Eventually, the two waited outside the palace.

“Proclaim! Minister of Penalties Zhang Jing, Chief Minister of Penalties Xu Qingnian, enter the hall.”

As the eunuch’s voice rang out, Xu Qingnian and Zhang Jing walked up the steps, though Zhang Jing obviously quickened his steps and walked directly into the main hall before kneeling on the ground, his voice incomparably sorrowful as he said.

“Your Majesty!”

“Xu Qingnian wants to rebel! He has made a scene at the Ministry of Punishment, causing the Ministry to be laughed at by the world, and he has even tortured all the officials above the Ministry of Punishment, using cruel methods.

“Your Majesty, the old minister’s life, reserved career, not to say

As soon as he entered the main hall, Zhang Jing began to complain and rebuke Xu Qingnian, his eyes were sad and he looked extremely aggrieved.

But before he could finish his sentence, the empress’s voice rang out.

“Shut up!”

The voice was cold, and two words revealed an extremely terrifying domineering aura.

The temperature in the hall instantly chilled down, Zhang Jing did not dare to speak, while Xu Qingnian just worshipped the Empress and then also remained silent.

It was also at this moment that the voice of the eunuch outside the palace rang out.

“Your Majesty, the Minister of Officials, the Minister of Rites, the Minister of Works, the Minister of Rites, and the Minister of War, are outside the palace to seek an audience.”

As the voices rang out, the empress soon gave her reply.

“Tell them to wait outside the palace, no words are allowed.”

The Empress was very domineering, she knew what the purpose of the six ministers’ visit was, it was nothing but a quarrel, but she only needed them to stand outside the palace today and listen, no words were allowed to be spoken.

“As ordered.”

The eunuch spoke and in about less than half a quarter of an hour, the five ministers hurriedly came outside the hall, but knew from each other that they could not speak at this time and had to wait honestly.

“Ridiculous!”

“Ridiculous!”

“Ridiculous!”

After the six ministers had arrived.

On top of the dragon chair, the empress uttered three absurd sounds, saying that Zhang Jing showed fear, while Xu Qingnian watched his eyes and nose, and was silent.

“The titular Ministry of Punishment! One of the six ministries of the Great Wei, to make such an absurdity, the people of the world will only laugh at the Great Wei.”

“Xu Qingnian, you have acted too absurdly and recklessly.”

The Empress’s voice rang out as she sat on top of the dragon chair, and opened by reprimanding Xu Qingnian, accusing him of acting recklessly.

“Your Majesty has taught me a lesson.”

“But Your Majesty, I am trying to redress the grievances of my subordinates, but the entire Ministry of Justice has refused the case.

“But I think that if I hadn’t made a fuss today, what would have been damaged would not be the state of Great Wei, but the foundation of Great Wei.”

Xu Qingnian said.

Yes, this kind of fuss has indeed tarnished the image of the Ministry of Justice, but who is more important, the image or the foundation of the state?

One is face, the other is practical.

“Xu Qingnian, you are talking nonsense.”

Zhang Jing was the first to speak up, angrily rebuking Xu Qingnian.

“I told you to shut up, didn’t you hear me?”

However, the empress coldly looked away, and in an instant Zhang Jing shut his mouth, no matter how unwilling he was in his heart, he had to shut up honestly.

“Xu Qingnian, you can tell me how a damage to the foundation of the Great Wei?”

The empress said in a cold tone.

Your Highness, Xu Qingnian made a salute and said.

“Your Majesty, perhaps after this matter has spread, the world will think that I am making a big deal out of it, but the reason why I am doing this is that I may even think that I have anger in my heart and am doing it on purpose.”

“However, I do have anger in my heart, and I did do it deliberately.”

“I think that no matter how big or small the case is, as long as there is an injustice, then the Ministry of Justice must accept it and find out the truth, so as to give justice to the people.”

“But if the officials of the Ministry of Justice think that a small matter does not need to be dealt with by the Ministry of Justice, then may I ask Your Majesty, is it really that kind of big crime that can only be taken seriously? What is the purpose of the law then?”

“In that case, the people of the world, as long as they do not kill or set fire, the rest is not a crime?”

“Therefore, I am angry with the officials of the Ministry of Justice for their inaction, and I intend to do this so that the world can see the Ministry of Justice make a fool of itself, so that the next time something like this happens, the Ministry of Justice will remember and will not dare to act recklessly.”

“Even if I were to be branded as a madman because of this, even if I were to suffer the cold eyes of the world, even if I were to be targeted by the court, I would still do this.”

“Because I am the head of the Ministry of Penalty, an official of the Ministry of Penalty, so I have the obligation, the responsibility, to make the Ministry of Penalty better.”

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth, and spoke with such great righteousness that he was on the verge of tears himself.

But in the eyes of Zhang Jing and the other officials outside, Xu Qingnian’s words were simply hypocritical to the extreme.

He was clearly venting his personal anger, but he was described as being so great? This is simply without shame.

But there was really no other way, who made the Ministry of Justice unlucky? What was there to say about being caught in the crosshairs of Xu Qingnian, who had to give him small shoes?

On the dragon chair, the empress listened quietly to Xu Qingnian’s words of great righteousness. After Xu Qingnian had finished, the empress did not change her expression, but looked at Zhang Jing and said.

“Speak.”

Just one word, with a cold attitude.

“Your Majesty!”

“Xu Qingnian has a personal grudge, a few days ago, Xu Qingnian came to the Ministry of Punishment and took over the dossier, however, because the Ministry was busy, resulting in the dossier not being handed over to Xu Qingnian in the first place, he became resentful.”

“And it was also because the Ministry of Justice was in charge of the treasury, which was indeed a bit busy, plus the treasurer was in a bad mood that day, so he had an argument with Xu Qingnian’s subordinates and was later punished with twenty battles.”

“Xu Qingnian used this as a reason to make a scene at the Ministry of Justice, which caused a lot of unrest in the Ministry of Justice, and I believe that Xu Qingnian was full of benevolence and morality, but in reality it was all selfish.

“Otherwise, the entire Ministry of Justice will not be convinced.”

When Zhang Jing said this, he really did not know what to say.

The main thing was that Xu Qingnian was really justified in this matter, but everyone with a clear eye knew that Xu Qingnian was just holding a personal grudge, but he was justified.

But you say just let it go? If he didn’t punish Xu Qingnian, he would lose half of his weight as the Minister of Justice in the hearts of the people.

The empress did not reply, but merely turned her gaze towards Xu Qingnian.

“Your Majesty, what Shang Shu Zhang said is exactly right.”

“That is to say, it has dragged my minister for seventeen days.”

“That is, twenty battles of sticks that nearly killed the man and forged a letter of resignation, trying to deceive me.”

“That is to say, when I sought redress for my subordinate, none of the above-mentioned chiefs of the Ministry of Justice accepted the case, and even told me to get lost.”

“I was thinking about one thing, Qing night is a minister of Great Wei, working for His Majesty, working for Great Wei, no matter how big or small, one heart for Great Wei, one small thing for the people of the world, gathered together is a big thing for Great Wei.”

“I do great things for Great Wei, the Minister of Penalty told me to get lost, and the Minister of Penalty asked himself if he had made enough trouble.”

“So now I would like to ask a question, when the Minister of Penalty Li Yuan told me to get lost, did he mean to tell His Majesty to get lost? Is the Minister of Punishment asking himself if he has made enough of a fuss? Is it asking if His Majesty has made enough of a scene?”

Xu Qingnian’s clever tongue was like a reed, and his words made Zhang Jing tremble.

“Xu Qingnian, you must not spout blood!”

“You are slandering, slandering, slandering!”

“Your Majesty, I have no such intention whatsoever, I am loyal to the Great Wei, and I am loyal to Your Majesty.”

Zhang Jing really wanted to curse, this broken mouth of Xu Qingnian was simply lawless, before facing the Huai Ping County King, he directly said that people wanted to rebel.

Now that he was talking about this matter, he directly said that he was cursing His Majesty and told Him to get lost?

If such treacherous words were said, it would not be enough to chop off his head ten times.

This Xu Qingnian’s ability to put hats on people was too strong.

“That’s enough.”

In the next moment, the empress’ voice rang out, extremely calm.

She did not have any anger.

Instead, she turned her gaze back towards Zhang Jingdao.

“A dossier that delays seventeen days?”

She asked in a calm tone.

“Your Majesty, it is not that the Ministry of Justice is targeting Xu Qingnian, but this dossier is indeed difficult to find, seventeen days is a bit long, but it is reasonable, ah, and even if Xu Qingnian is given the appropriate information, I am afraid that Xu Qingnian will not be able to investigate the results, dozens of people have taken over this case, but there is no follow-up progress!

“The first thing I did was to give Xu Qingnian a new copy of the file, but I didn’t know that Xu Qingnian would make a scene today.

“I hope Your Majesty will understand.”

Zhang Jing replied, the matter has come to this point, he can only shake off the pot, after all, dragged on for seventeen days, is difficult to take advantage of, do not force to pull over, this matter is definitely not finished.

“Awesome, Lord Shang Shu can actually recognize people at a glance, with such a skill, being a Shang Shu is really a commission for Lord.”

When Xu Qingnian heard this, he couldn’t help but sneer at the moment.

“Xu Qingnian, you don’t have to be shady here, this official is right, you can’t take this case, the Ministry of Justice has been working on this case for decades, dozens of people have been replaced before and after, but there is no progress.”

“You have just joined the Ministry of Justice, how can you possibly solve this case?”

Zhang Jing spoke coldly.

“Then why did you give me this case?” Xu Qingnian said coldly.

“You have just joined the Ministry of Justice, so naturally you need to familiarise yourself with the Ministry’s environment and its procedures, not really handing this case over to you.

“You have made a scene at the Ministry of Punishment, your crime is unforgivable.”

Zhang Jing finally thought of how to solve this trouble, he seized this point and said it even with a hard head, anyway, you can’t handle this case, the Ministry of Punishment although it is true that some delay you, but it is not a big fault.

“Understood, your majesty, I understand, then I hereby congratulate your majesty, the great Wei actually has such a capable person.”

“Minister Zhang, at a glance you can tell who is a capable minister and who is not, what cases can be solved and what cases cannot be solved.”

“Since this is the case, I have the audacity to ask Your Majesty to give Minister Zhang the responsibility of inspecting, Minister Zhang, from now on, don’t sit in the Ministry of Justice, just keep watch at the mouth of the capital, and if you find a capable minister, come and report to Your Majesty.”

“All the files of cases above and below the Ministry of Punishment will be moved to Your Excellency’s home, and the files will be entrusted to whoever feels that they can solve the case, my Great Wei is blessed, my Great Wei will never again have unjust and suspicious cases.”

“My lord, you are trying to become a saint.”

Xu Qingnian stood by the side, his words were incomparably complimentary, but his tone and attitude were full of ridicule.

“Xu Qingnian!”

“You shame people too much.”

Zhang Jing trembled, Xu Qingnian’s words were too damaging, they were clearly a compliment, but every word was like a sword, stabbing him in the heart.

“Minister Zhang, is it that I have deceived you too much, or is it that Minister Zhang’s reason is far-fetched?”

Xu Qingnian spoke coldly.

Anyway, it has come to this point, if I can’t beat you up, I will still be angry with you?

“Your Majesty, I implore Your Majesty to deprive Xu Qingnian of his post and arrest him and put him in jail, otherwise I dare to assert that Xu Qingnian will continue to harm other departments in the future.”

Zhang Jing knelt on the ground, without any more nonsense, and directly pleaded with the empress to punish Xu Qingnian.

“Your Majesty, I beg Your Majesty, let Minister Zhang take up the post of inspector, select talents from all over the country for Great Wei, and give Great Wei a clear and clear sky, if this is the case, I would rather go to jail, as long as there are no more cases in Great Wei, I will have no regrets even if I die.”

Zhang Jing was disgusted with himself, and Xu Qingnian was also disgusted.

On top of the dragon chair, the empress had no emotions other than her previous anger.

Both of them asked for their orders.

The empress just looked at the two men quietly, she seemed to be thinking about something.

After a while, the empress' voice rang out.

“Xu Qingnian, you messed up the Ministry of Justice, but the reason is not sufficient, but I can give you a reason, Zhang Jingdao you can not solve the case, as long as you can within a month, crack the case file in hand, this matter I forgive you not guilty, but if you can not solve the case file in hand, that Zhang Shang Shu said, is not unreasonable, you messed up the Ministry of Justice, should be severely punished, how?”

The empress spoke up, she did not accuse anyone anymore, but also did not favor anyone, directly the root cause of the problem to find out.

Zhang Jing said you could not solve this case, but you think Zhang Jing spoke too full, then simply you will solve this case.

In this way, wouldn't Zhang Jing have nothing to say?

When the empress said this, Xu Qingnian was somewhat silent.

Outside the palace, the five officials also listened to this, and a strange look flashed in the eyes of Chen Zhengru, the left chancellor and minister of mandarins, but it quickly narrowed down.

Inside the hall, however, Zhang Jing frowned and said, “Your Majesty, this is not a good idea.”

But as soon as the words were spoken, the Empress' gaze, filled with a cold aura.

“Your matter, I will deal with it later.”

The voice rang out, and Zhang Jing shut up once again.

“My servant, accept the decree.”

After weighing his options, Xu Qingnian did not have any choice and directly chose to accept the decree.

He himself did not have any choice, making a fuss about the Ministry of Punishment, no matter how good his reasons were, actually counted as causing the country to lose face, the words of the party, just listen to them, whoever took them seriously was a fool.

Now that the empress has given herself a step to take, Xu Qingnian can only go on, even if this step is difficult to take, but it is better than nothing.

Originally Xu Qingnian wanted to say a word about what to do if he cracked it, when he thought about it, he didn't say it, there was no need to bargain with the emperor, this would attract His Majesty's resentment instead.

“Zhang Jing! You are the Minister of Justice, yet you do not care about the affairs of your subordinates, so that you have caused this kind of right and wrong.”

“Xu Qingnian’s words just now were well said, no matter how big or small the matter is, the Ministry of Penalty cannot turn a blind eye to it, I will fine the head of the Ministry of Penalty for half a year’s salary and record a major demerit.

The next moment, the empress’ voice continued to ring out, and Zhang Jing’s face turned ugly as she spoke.

The punishment of half a year’s salary was hard to bear, but what was even harder to bear was to be given a major demerit.

Once every three years, anyone who was given a major demerit would be barred from promotion for six years, and if he committed another mistake, even a minor demerit, he would be barred from promotion for life, and if another major demerit was given, he would be dismissed on the spot.

He himself is a little better, but his own power in the Ministry of Penalty is greatly reduced, and in future everyone must be cautious and cautious again in what they say and do, because there is no more chance of making mistakes.

“Minister, receive the decree.”

Zhang Jing suffocated ah, is really incomparable suffocation, he hard to want to cry, but in front of the empress, he can not cry out ah.

“In addition, the four foreigners in the Ministry of Penalty are dismissed, the treasurer is dismissed, the Minister of Works came to me the other day and said that the Ministry of Works has recently arrived some people, there are enough people, I will let the Minister of Works pick some people from the Ministry of Works to serve, but in the future, this kind of thing, don’t happen again.”

The empress spoke again, and with a single sentence, dismissed the four officials.

But these words made Zhang Jing’s face turn ugly, and the faces of the five Shang Shu outside also changed greatly, with a look of shock in their eyes.

To put it bluntly, even the dismissal of the Squire was not a big deal, because he could just replace a group of his own people from the Ministry of Officials.

He could have just replaced a group of his own people from the Ministry of Justice, but His Majesty had asked the Ministry of Works to send a few people to serve.

The Minister of Works is not a minister, and a group of officials from the Ministry of Penalties who do not belong to his own forces would be extremely detrimental to the control of the Ministry of Penalties.

But the problem is that the four foreign ministers can know a lot of things about the Ministry of Justice, and some of these things alone can be communicated to the Minister of Works.

This is tantamount to placing four people in the Ministry of Justice to supervise them.

This is the reason why Zhang Jing's face changed so much.

Xu Qingnian could not help but smack his lips in his heart, for a matter like this, His Majesty had become the biggest beneficiary.

The Ministry of Justice has been the power of the Dongming Society for so many years, and when he made such a fuss, his majesty was able to insert people from the Ministry of Works to suppress the unity of the Ministry of Justice.

The emperor's art.

It is as terrifying as this.

Xu Qingnian also understood why His Majesty had interrupted himself at this time, after all, if he really beat up the Minister of Justice, then this matter could not be arranged.

And by beating up the Squire and the others himself, it was His Majesty giving Zhang Jing a warning, deliberately letting things come to this point and stepping in at a crucial moment to make the Ministry of Justice suffer a huge loss.

In contrast, what Xu Qingnian had done was nothing more than making a scene and making people lose face, while His Majesty's tactics had made the Ministry of Justice suffer a great loss.

No, not the Ministry of Justice, but the Dongming Society suffered a big loss, more than ten years or even decades of layout, in this moment instantly broke the balance of which.

The government's officials inside and outside the hall, which is not a human being, instantly knew that the Ministry of Justice had really suffered a big loss this time.

Especially the forces of the Dongming Society, their faces went down cold.

"Your Majesty!"

Zhang Jing's voice was all a little bitter as he opened his mouth, and Xu Qingnian at the side was a little happy, this would be fun if Zhang Jing still didn't grow eyes and wouldn't accept it.

However, Zhang Jing did not mention this matter, instead he looked at Xu Qingnian and said.

"Your Majesty, I fully agree with this matter, but there is one thing that I must let Xu Qingnian be punished for."

He opened his mouth, still wanting Xu Qingnian to be punished even at this moment, when it was really not human.

"What is it?"

The empress opened her mouth and asked calmly.

"Xu Qingnian made a scene at the Ministry of Punishment, so that the decency of the Ministry of Punishment has been compromised, affecting the fortunes of the country.

"Instead of tossing and quarrelling in the courtroom tomorrow, it would be better to punish it today, the national fortune, the impact of which, the old minister would rather die than impeach."

Zhang Jing spoke out.

This was his request, he himself had suffered such a big loss, but on the contrary, Xu Qingnian had nothing to do with it, it was just to let Xu Qingnian investigate a case.

If you can find it, you'll be fine, if you can't, you'll be punished.

But if you really can't find out, how far can you go to punish? It is difficult to kill Xu Qingnian? Or to dismiss Xu Qingnian?

The case itself was very difficult, and it was not a minor case.

The case is not a minor case, so Zhang Jing is convinced that His Majesty is being biased towards Xu Qingnian, deliberately talking about the severity of the case, but in reality, nothing will be done.

And after such a big loss for his own Ministry of Penalty, if he didn't get Xu Qingnian, he wouldn't be convinced, definitely not the Ministry of Penalty, not the Ministry of Officials, not the Dongming Society either.

And Zhang Jing was right.

Unless His Majesty punishes Xu Qingnian, the Dongming Society will not be able to swallow this anger, and the Confucian officials will definitely not be able to give up.

The country's qi, even if it's just a tiny bit, being affected is a huge matter, because he involves everyone in Great Wei.

Speaking of this, Zhang Jing looked straight at the empress with a very resolute attitude.

Xu Qingnian must be punished severely, must, must, must!

As soon as the words were spoken, the faces of the Shang Shu outside gradually changed, the Minister of War frowned while the Minister of Officials, Chen Zhengru, looked calm.

This move by Zhang Jing was indeed ruthless.

The voice rang out.

The Empress' gaze was somewhat contemplative.

And Zhang Jing's gaze fell on Xu Qingnian again, his eyes filled with cold intent.

He hated that Xu Qingnian could not wait to die right now.

It was just a pity that he also knew that there was no way that His Majesty could this could let Xu Qingnian go to her death, even if it involved the fate of the country.

But you can't get away with a heavy punishment, can you?

Xu Qingnian, Xu Qingnian, do you think that nothing has happened to you?

I'm going to give you a taste of what happens when you offend me today.

Zhang Jing's heart raged, he had lost half his life today, once the Ministry of Works came, he was half dead.

"Xu Qingnian, do you know your crime?"

At that moment, the empress' voice rang out as she asked Xu Qingnian if he knew his sin.

"Your Majesty, I know my sin, but not the sin that Shang Shu said, but I did act somewhat recklessly, even if Lord Shang Shu is no longer able to distinguish between right and wrong, I cannot not distinguish between right and wrong."

“But, I am willing to make up for my mistake.”

Xu Qingnian admitted to this crime, but not the crime Zhang Jing had said, disgusting him by the way.

Zhang Jing snorted coldly in his heart, but it didn't matter.

“How can you make up for it? The country's luck has passed, and this can make up for it?”

Zhang Jing laughed coldly, will make up for his mistakes, also have to make up ah, the national luck of the country such a thing, is Xu Qingnian can make up for it?

Zhang Jing sneered, some of the five Shang Shu outside were curious, while others sneered.

At this point, even the empress was a little curious as to how Xu Qingnian would make up for his mistakes.

Sensing the empress' gaze, Xu Qingnian took a deep breath before slowly speaking.

“Since I have caused a fuss at the Ministry of Punishment and caused it to lose face, I will help the Ministry of Punishment to regain its face and restore the fortunes of Great Wei.

Xu Qingnian asked.

But when he said this, Zhang Jing almost laughed out loud.

With you?

How can you possibly make up for the national luck, which involves everyone?

How can you make up for it by writing a masterpiece? That would only make up for the other national fortunes, the national fortunes lost by the Ministry of Punishment, must be recovered from the Ministry of Punishment, how could Xu Qingnian do that?

“Count.”

The empress opened her mouth and answered Xu Qingnian with one word.

“Can Your Majesty give me half an hour!”

Xu Qingnian spoke.

“I will allow it!”

The empress continued to speak, she was also a little curious as to how Xu Qingnian would make up for it.

“Then will Shang Shu Zhang allow it?”

Xu Qingnian glanced at Zhang Jing again, and the latter was instantly sickened by these words.

His Majesty had allowed it, and he dared not allow it himself?

“His Majesty has allowed it, how dare this official not allow it, Xu Qingnian, you must not speak nonsense here.”

Zhang Jing scolded, really disgusted.

“Thank you, Your Majesty, for your tolerance, and thank you, Minister Zhang, for your tolerance too.”

“Mister Xu goes too.”

After Xu Qingnian said these words, he walked straight towards the outside of the main hall.

And Zhang Jing frowned a little and said.

“Xu Qingnian, what are you doing there?”

He was puzzled and did not know what Xu Qingnian was going to do.

And Xu Qingnian, who walked out of the hall, slowly came out with a voice.

“To add to the national luck of Great Wei.”

With one sentence, Zhang Jing was silent, and the five ministers were all a little silent.

This Xu Qingnian, crazy! He was really crazy!

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The Great Wei Imperial Palace.

Xu Qingnian walked out of the palace, his gaze calm as he walked towards the Ministry of Punishment.

And inside the palace.

Zhang Jing had already walked out of the palace and met with the rest of the Shang Shu.

“Lord Prime Minister.”

“Lord Gu, Lord Wang.”

“My lords.”

Zhang Jing first spoke to Prime Minister Chen Zhengru, and then shouted out to Lord Gu Yan Gu, Minister of the Household, and Lord Wang Xinzhi Wang, Minister of Rites, and as for the others, he passed them by.

Chen Zhengru was the Left Prime Minister, a fifth-ranking Confucian, and could not be disrespected.

Gu Yan was the Minister of Household Affairs, plus the Secretary of the Da Lisi Temple, the head of the Dongming Society.

Wang Zhixin of the Ministry of Rites is also a member of the Dongming Society.

As for Zhou Yan, the Minister of War, and Li Yanlong, the Minister of Works, a casual greeting would suffice.

“Xu Qingnian is so arrogant, today I would like to see how he can make up for the fate of the Great Wei.”

Wang Xinzhi of the Ministry of Rites spoke, his voice calm, but his words were filled with coldness.

He did not think that Xu Qingnian would be able to make up for the fate of the Great Wei.

This was the Great Wei’s national luck.

What do you think it is? You can just make up for it? And make up for it in half an hour? What a fool’s dream.

“I don’t know, maybe Xu Qingnian can write a superb article.”

Zhou Yan, the Minister of War, spoke up, he was optimistic about Xu Qingnian.

“A superb article?”

“Lord Zhou is a bit whimsical, it won’t help if he really writes the best article, this is the problem of the Ministry of Penalty, can’t you say that Xu Qingnian can write the best article of the Ministry of Penalty?”

“I don’t believe it.”

The Minister of Rites shook his head, not believing that Xu Qingnian could write a superb article on the Ministry of Punishment.

“It will be revealed in half an hour, so why the rush?”

Zhou Yan spoke up, but there was indeed worry in his eyes, Xu Qingnian had to finish writing an absolute essay on the Ministry of Punishment within half an hour.

The absolute article itself was difficult to write, unless Xu Qingnian already had a draft in her belly, plus it had to be related to the Ministry of Punishment.

Otherwise, even if it was a superb article, it would not be able to make up for the loss of national fortune in Great Wei due to the Ministry of Punishment.

It was indeed somewhat difficult.

“If Xu Qingnian can increase the national luck for my Great Wei, I can write off all the previous things, and I would like to teach him carefully, and may he follow the right path.”

It was at this moment that Chen Zhengru’s voice rang out.

He was the head of the Confucian officials, the Left Chancellor of Wei, the Minister of Officials, and also a great Confucian, and his words carried far more weight as well as status than the Minister of Penalties, Zhang Jing.

As soon as he said this, the faces of the rest of the Shang Shu changed slightly.

Seemingly sensing the expressions of the crowd, Chen Zhengru continued to speak.

“Xu Qingnian is at the realm of the seventh grade of Ming Yi, yet he has managed to condense the holy intent, this is something only a great Confucian can do, this son is indeed a heavenly talent, to say that he is a great talent in all the ages, I, Chen, also approve.”

Perhaps in their eyes, Xu Qingnian was arrogant, but in Chen Zhengru’s eyes, he saw something different.

To know the ten grades of Confucianism.

The tenth grade: nourishing qi, harbouring the righteousness of the qi, and writing like a god.

The ninth grade: enlightenment, opening the knack of wisdom and seeing ten lines at once.

The eighth grade: Cultivating the body, cultivating the body and mind, and prolonging life.

The seventh grade: to clarify the meaning of reading, to clarify the meaning of the self.

From the seventh grade onwards, one is a true scholar, who understands the reason for one's reading and has something to pursue.

[Sixth Grade: Zhengru, Establishing the Heart. After clarifying one's intention, one establishes one's heart from one's actions.

Once one has established one's heart, one must work earnestly and diligently around one's heart. For example, the heart that Chen Zhengru has established is to bring prosperity to Great Wei.

[Fifth Grade: Great Confucian]

To establish a book, to write a book, to write one's own insights in it, with advice, with self-understanding, with an understanding of the saints, and with an understanding of the world, to help others as much as possible, or to expound a truth so that the world's readers will understand that truth.

This is the realm of the Fifth Grade Great Confucian, which requires the establishment of a book in order to become a Great Confucian, and it can never be established casually, it must be something truly learned.

[Fourth Grade: Great Confucian of Heaven and Earth]

The books that are written are recognised by the literati of the world, by the people, or by some relevant and important people, such as His Majesty today, and if the Emperor approves of your learning and influences the Emperor, then the Emperor will change his mind or do things differently in the future because of your writings.

This is what is required to become a great scholar of heaven and earth. If you are not recognised, even if you really have talent, there is nothing you can do. Of course, when you die, after a thousand years, if your writings, are recognised by the people of the world.

After your death, if your writings are recognised by the people of the world, you will be posthumously crowned by heaven and earth as a great scholar of heaven and earth, and future generations will make statues of you.

[Third Grade: Semi-Sage]

Establish a school! You write books that form a school, or you create a school that is so influential in contemporary times that at least 10% of the readers are your students, and in this way, you can become a half-saint.

There is of course another way, to carry forward the learning of the saints, which is basically what all half-saints do.

It's just that there are usually very few half-saints alive, and most become half-saints only after hundreds or even thousands of years have passed since their death.

But there are still half-saints in the current world, and the Great Wei Palace of Literature probably has them, only that when they reach this realm, they are likely to rely on some elixir to renew their lives, and for the current world, only many people will think they have passed away.

A half-saint would not appear on a normal day, and no one would know if they had really passed away, and the dynasty would block all news.

[Second Grade: Sub-Sage]

This is a sub-sage, but generally speaking, it is a sub-sage.

This is sub-sage, but generally speaking, a sage cannot be newly sage for five thousand years before or after.

If a saint is born in the world, it is impossible for a new saint to be born 5,000 years after his death, not even a sub-saint. Just ask if you were a scholar and you were presented with the learning of a saint, and a learning that seemed to make sense, but the other person might still be a great Confucian of heaven and earth.

May I ask what you would choose?

No doubt to study the learning of a saint. Although the great scholars of heaven and earth are also unattainable, they are still far inferior to the saints.

It is precisely because of the prestige of the saints that it takes at least 5,000 years before they fade away and a new saint is born, but of course this is only a theory.

For often one saint is not seen for ten thousand years.

As for the last of the first class.

[Literary Sage

The first of all the scholars in the world, above the imperial power, above everything else, worshipped by all directions, pious by all beings.

This realm is unspeakable, indescribable, and all that is incredible is the Literary Sage.

If a literary sage is born in the world, then the demons between this heaven and earth can eat and drink what they want, and use nothing as they want, just waiting to die.

This is the division of the ten grades of Confucianism.

However, Xu Qingnian mobilised the great power of a sage, a level that only a great Confucian could do, and not just any great Confucian.

Only a great Confucian can mobilise some of the great power of the saints, and the great power that Xu Qingnian displayed when he impeached the Ministry of Punishment was something that only a top great Confucian could do.

To put it bluntly, if he hadn't come across something big, he wouldn't have been able to do this.

This is where Chen Zhengru saw a difference.

Xu Qingnian's seventh rank could do what even the fifth rank could hardly do, so to say that he was a great talent of the ages was not at all an exaggeration.

Therefore, Chen Zhengru's love for the talent, his true love for the talent.

Even if Xu Qingnian had offended the Zhu Sheng lineage, so what? He did not care.

Although he was a member of the Zhu Sheng lineage, the heart he had set for himself was the heart of Great Wei. In his eyes, the prosperity of Great Wei was better than the struggle for the Way of Literature.

Can the people of the world have a full meal?

Can the people of the world wear one more piece of clothing?

No.

But why did he seem a little unfriendly to Xu Qingnian before? This was because Xu Qingnian had not shown the skills that would make him treasure his talent.

But today he felt a sense of appreciation for Xu Qingnian.

But soon, Chen Zhengru shook his head, no matter what, no premature conclusion can be made, Xu Qingnian has not yet completely revealed whether he has the talent of a million years.

Furthermore, Xu Qingnian was extremely close to the military officials and would definitely be the main military expedition in the future, not sharing the same opinion with him.

So in this standpoint, one would never be on the same side as Xu Qingnian.

If Xu Qingnian vetoed the Northern Expedition and was willing to support the Daxing Dynasty and recuperate the people's livelihood, he, Chen Zhengru, would not hesitate to support Xu Qingnian, and he would approach the power to help Xu Qingnian no matter who was suppressing him in the Confucian Way.

He would also do his best to help Xu Qingnian, no matter who was looking for trouble in the court.

He even supported Xu Qingnian to an unattainable position before he retired to his hometown.

What a pity!

If Xu Qingnian was allowed to take power, to hold power, or even to balance the dynasty, the Northern Expedition might really be revived.

So he could only do so.

But the good thing is that the Northern Expedition will have to come to an end this year, and Xu Qingnian will never be able to hold on to power within a year.

Of course, if Xu Qingnian can really increase the country's fortune for the Great Wei, then he is willing to put aside the grudge about the Zhu Sheng lineage, but there is nothing that can be done about the fighting in the court, and even if he cherishes his talent, it is impossible to affect the country.

Chen Zhengru thought so.

Unfortunately, he was unable to see Xu Qingnian's peace strategy for the time being, if he could have seen it, it would have turned everything he imagined upside down.

Inside the main hall, on top of the dragon chair.

The Empress of Wei looked quietly at Xu Qingnian, who had disappeared.

In her mind was not the events of today, but the matter of the Northern Expedition.

Whether or not the Northern Expedition is to take place, there will be a result this year.

It will be decided.

“After a few days, the An Guo policy, is to be taken out.”

The empress said to herself, the court dispute has become more and more intense, the northern expedition because of its first year on the throne, the civil and military officials do not dare too much quarrel, but the end of this year, sooner or later will have to decide out.

If the country cannot set its mind, it will be more harmful than beneficial for the Great Wei Dynasty.

As for the other Shang Shu, they were very curious as to how Xu Qingnian would increase the country's luck.

Even the Minister of Penalty, Zhang Jing, had already begun to think of how Xu Qingnian should be punished.

At this moment.

Xu Qingnian had already arrived at the Ministry of Punishment.

The officials of the Ministry of Punishment had already been awakened and were all lying in their rooms resting at this moment, but they could still see Xu Qingnian walking towards them at the entrance.

In an instant, everyone in the Ministry of Punishment panicked.

They were afraid that Xu Qingnian would go crazy again, would everyone still be alive then?

However, when he arrived at the entrance of the Ministry of Justice, Xu Qingnian did not continue to walk forward.

He slowly raised his hand, and in a flash, his Hao Rang Qi coalesced into a writing brush.

Holding the writing pen in his hand, Xu Qingnian's voice was loud and powerful, and it spread throughout the capital of Great Wei.

“I am Xu Qingnian, and I am now making a speech for the Ministry of Punishment.”

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth and his voice was so loud that countless people in Kyoto heard this voice, people were surprised and wondered what Xu Qingnian wanted to do.

At this moment, outside the gates of the Ministry of Punishment.

Xu Qingnian lifted his writing brush and wrote two lines on the left and right sides.

[Do not do evil for the sake of evil]

Do not do anything for the sake of doing good

Xu Qingnian wrote down seventeen words.

In an instant, an auspicious cloud appeared above the dome of the Great Wei sky, the light shining into the Ministry of Punishment, the whole Ministry instantly became magnificent and sacred.

The auspicious clouds appeared in the sky, stretching for ten thousand miles, and beams of light shone in the midst of the capital of Great Wei, bathing the people of Great Wei.

And these fourteen characters were suspended above the vault of heaven for the people within the capital of Great Wei to see.

This is a supreme auspiciousness, a golden auspicious cloud that gathers towards the court of Great Wei, adding to the Qi of Great Wei.

Several of these auspicious clouds landed above Xu Qingnian's head, shining rays of light to nourish Xu Qingnian's physical body.

Hiss! Hiss! Hiss!

At this moment, all the powerful people of Great Wei were truly shocked.

For the people, Xu Qingnian's impeachment of the Ministry of Punishment was not so repulsive, as they had also encountered or heard of some injustices, so Xu Qingnian's impeachment of the Ministry of Punishment drew the support of the people.

It is just that the Ministry of Punishment is one of the state bases of Great Wei, one of the six ministries. Xu Qingnian's impeachment, although painful to the people, also let them know that the Ministry of Punishment was unfair, so it affected the people's opinion of the Ministry of Punishment, and it was because of this.

The national fortune was weakened by a hint, although it was only a hint, but what it represented was the national fortune of Great Wei, even a hint was very terrifying and something that ordinary people could not afford.

But now, Xu Qingnian used fourteen words [Don't do evil for the sake of evil, don't do good for the sake of good] to make a statement for the Ministry of Justice, warning the world and urging people to do good, and to conclude what happened today.

The people understood the meaning of Xu Qingnian's words and also understood that it was a statement for the Ministry of Justice, so they naturally clapped their hands and applauded, so that all the lost hearts of the people came back at this moment, and because of Xu Qingnian's arrival, the people had even more hope that a good official had come out.

That is how the sky descended with good fortune and the country's fortune was once again reunited, not only making up for the previous hint, but even increasing it by a smidgen.

It was because of these fourteen words of Xu Qingnian.

Fourteen words to increase the nation's luck.

This was a fantasy from heaven.

At this moment, in the capital of Great Wei, a large number of scholars looked embarrassed. Originally, Xu Qingnian had impeached the Ministry of Punishment, so that Great Wei had lost a strand of national luck, and they had gathered here to impeach Xu Qingnian and prepare to start a crusade against him once His Majesty's decree was over.

It was imperative to make Xu Qingnian pay a terrible price.

They had even discussed how to scold Xu Qingnian, and some had even written articles on the crusade, reducing Xu Qingnian to an unforgivable evil.

But what they didn't expect was that Xu Qingnian only wrote 14 words, turning all their articles into a scrap of paper, and some even invited their friends to discuss at home how to insult Xu Qingnian.

Now it was all a joke.

No one would have thought that Xu Qingnian would be able to write such a famous quote for a thousand years.

The younger generation of readers, in particular, were somewhat confused.

What the hell kind of person is this? There were a thousand ancient famous words before, a superb essay after, and then the first parallel essay in a thousand ancient times, but today there was even a thousand ancient famous words.

Could this Xu Qingnian be the reincarnation of a saint?

It is not that they are exaggerating.

Rather, these fourteen words are both a discouragement to all people in the world not to care about a lesser good deed, and not to do a worse but bad deed.

This is a cautionary tale for life, and a cautionary tale for the Ministry of Penalty to the people of the world.

It is even Xu Qingnian's cautionary tale to the Ministry of Justice.

This slap is really painful.

The power of words is far greater than a sword.

Under the Ministry of Punishment, Xu Qingnian didn't say anything, he stood quietly under the door and bathed in the power of the country's fortune, although it was just a wisp, but after it entered Xu Qingnian's body, this wisp of the country's fortune was like a tsunami, but fortunately Xu Qingnian suppressed it with his Great Sun Saint Body.

At the same time it was indeed a wisp of national luck, invisible to the naked eye, which only Xu Qingnian could feel.

At this moment, the warning phrase to the left and right of the Ministry of Penalty is also suffused with a wisp of holy intent, which is a famous phrase for a thousand years and can be passed down to a thousand years, the stone is destroyed but the word does not perish, and only after a thousand years will the phrase dissipate and be recognized by heaven and earth.

The Great Wei Imperial Palace.

Outside the palace.

The first to react was the Left Chancellor, Chen Zhengru.

"Good! What a good phrase, do not do evil for the sake of evil, do not do good for the sake of good, this phrase is famous for a thousand years, Xu Qingnian, the great talent of all the ages, the great talent of all the ages!"

Chen Zhengru first marveled, don't look at these simple fourteen words of Xu Qingnian, but the meaning of this sentence is infinitely great, because this sentence is easy to

understand, but contains infinite great truths, even children can know, extremely suitable for educating the people of this world.

Very often, it is not that literature is not good, but that it is extremely difficult to learn, just as if Zhu Sheng had written a book, which everyone in the world knows is good, but how many people in the world can read it?

The only people who can understand it are the scholars, and when the scholars understand it, they will teach and educate the people.

But how long is this teaching? And how hard is it?

You may talk to a farmer for three days and three nights, and he will wake up and forget everything.

But these words are different. They are both a warning to the world and contain countless truths in them, summing up everything in one sentence.

Even the most uneducated people knew what the words meant, and they could educate their own children.

This is what words can do, to teach and educate all the people, a single cautionary tale, yet it can do what countless great scholars could not do.

Chen Zhengru instantly understood the meaning of this statement, which was why he could not help but cry out.

“Your Majesty, Your Majesty, the sky has sent down auspicious rites, the sky has sent down auspicious rites, look above the dome of the sky, auspicious rites are infinite.”

“Great Wei’s national luck has returned, it has returned.”

Zhou Yan, the Minister of War, on the other hand, shouted with incomparable excitement as he pointed to the vault of the sky with the clouds of Xuanhuang and praised the auspiciousness.

Not only him, but everyone in the whole of Kyoto saw this scene.

The people of the city were overwhelmed with emotion and joy, and the scholars were in awe and admiration of Xu Qingnian’s talent.

Fourteen characters.

Fourteen words could bring about a vision of heaven and earth and increase the fortunes of Great Wei.

In the Great Wei Palace of Literature, many great scholars were silent when they saw this scene, especially the great scholar Chen Xin.

He stood beneath the Palace of Literature, looking at the auspicious rays of heaven, and could not help but say.

“The sky does not give birth to me, Xu Qingnian, and the Confucian Way is like a long night for all the ages.”

“Fourteen simple words, but representing all the truths of the Law, persuading people to be good, and warning the world, these fourteen words are better than Chen’s lifelong talent.”

Chen Xin sighed with emotion, he thought that these fourteen words of Xu Qingnian were better than all his talents in his life.

When he said this, the scholars of the Great Wei Palace of Literature were silent, they wanted to say something, but many words were stuck in their throats and they could not say anything.

For these fourteen words would indeed make the world understand a truth that would have an endless impact on future generations.

For his part, the great Confucian scholar Zhou Min sighed long and hard, “If Xu Qingnian were in my Zhu Sheng lineage, this lineage would flourish for ten thousand years!”

He was endlessly emotional and inexplicably regretted that he had been a little cold towards Xu Qingnian, but there was nothing he could do about it, his heart was set on the Zhu Sheng lineage, alas.

Seeing all this, the Great Confucian of Zhengming only sighed for a long time.

“I’m afraid that the Vermilion Saint lineage will really have a great enemy in the world.”

He spoke thus, believing that Xu Qingnian would truly become a great enemy of the Zhu Sheng lineage, an enemy that was academic, and academic disputes were naturally important to the literati.

The scholarly rivalry is naturally important to the literati. Like the great Confucian Zhou Min, although he admired Xu Qingnian and was shocked by Xu Qingnian’s talent, they were all great Confucians and had already set their hearts on carrying on the sacred learning for the Zhu Sheng lineage.

Everything is just a matter of position.

“It is only five hundred years since the immortal death of Zhu Sheng, and it is unlikely that there will be a new saint in Great Wei, so our Zhu Sheng lineage can still flourish for another five thousand years.”

In the middle of the Palace of Literature, Sun Jing'an clenched his fists, he understood the will of the Zhu Saints, established the will of the Zhu Saints, and was a diehard loyalist of the Zhu Saints' lineage.

He would never let the Zhu Sheng lineage fall away at this time, no matter what, he would let the Zhu Sheng lineage flourish for another 5,000 years, this was his clear intention, his intention, and even the book he wrote was an exposition of Zhu Sheng's intention, so that the people of the world could learn from him.

All the great scholars of the Great Wei Palace of Literature had very different ideas, but it is undeniable that Xu Qingnian used his talent to once again convince the world's scholars, the world's literati.

And in the capital of Great Wei.

After Yongping's son, Mu Nanping, saw the auspicious rites above the sky dome, and then after hearing Xu Qingnian's words, he could not help but tremble lightly.

“Brother Xu, he should be a great talent in all the ages.”

He was glad that he had befriended and not offended Xu Qingnian, and now it seemed that this was the best thing he had ever done in his life.

An Guo Gong's residence.

An Guo Gong looked at the dome of the sky and said with immense emotion.

“This grandson of mine is blessed.”

After saying this, the next moment he looked at his grandson with an incomparably fierce gaze and said.

“Fan'er, after your husband is done with this, go to class honestly, if grandpa hears Mr Xu say a bad word about you, don't blame grandpa for hanging you from a tree and beating you, do you understand?”

An Guo Gong said angrily.

Only when he saw that Li Fan still didn't answer, his father Li Bing kicked him directly up, fierce and incomparable.

“Did you hear what your grandfather said, half a day and half a day without responding, little brat.”

Li Bing said angrily.

“I heard you, dad.”

Li Fan cried, he flinched and got beaten up? Ever since Xu Qingnian had made a trip to his house, his family’s status had instantly plummeted.

While in the Ministry of Punishment’s cell, the Huai Ping County King looked at the Xuanhuang clouds above the sky dome and couldn’t help but clench his fists to death, and Xu Qingnian’s voice rang in his ears.

He had a gloomy gaze and hissed a low roar in the middle of the prison.111111

However, to say that the person with the ugliest face was not Li Fan nor the Huai Ping County King, but Zhang Jing, the Minister of Penalties within the palace.

He was frozen in place.

Fourteen words from Xu Qingnian could increase the luck of the state for Great Wei? And he could even undermine himself with one word, this was simply The most important thing is that it is a very good idea.

The actual fact is that you can’t be a good person, you can’t be a good person, you can’t be a good person, you can’t be a good person.

This is the first time that I’ve ever seen a person who is a great writer, and now I’ve even come up with a great quote, and I’m still speaking for the Ministry of Justice.

The story is that the writer is a great writer.

The talent of this person is really rare in the past.

The reason for this is not because Xu Qingnian has increased the luck of the country for the Great Wei, Xu Qingnian has escaped this calamity, but because Xu Qingnian’s words will make him lose face in the future, ah?

The news of today’s incident will surely spread, and these two famous words of Xu Qingnian will also spread, when people ask who said these words? Why did they say that?

Immediately people will tell him that it was written by Xu Qingnian, who was being suppressed by the Ministry of Penalty at the time, so in his anger, he impeached the Ministry of Penalty, causing the Great Wei to lose a ray of national luck.

The Minister of Punishment, Zhang Jing, asked His Majesty to convict him, but as a result, Xu Qingnian wrote these fourteen words to make up for the loss of Great Wei's national luck, while the Minister of Punishment, Zhang Jing, was afraid to become the biggest loser.

If word of this spread, they would be ashamed.

It's like the Nan Yu Ge Sequence. Whenever the Nan Yu Ge Sequence is mentioned now, one can think of those unlucky people from the Tian Ming Academy, who are at least unknown and not well known.

But it was different for him, the Minister of Justice, to be humiliated in such a way.

What's more, when he went to the Ministry of Punishment in the future, he would have to see it every day, and for a moment, Zhang Jing almost fainted.

“Declare that Xu Qingnian is the Minister of Punishment of the Great Wei, and that the fourteen true words, which advise the world to be good, are famous for thousands of years, and that they should be copied a hundred times by the entire Ministry of Punishment and spread to the world.

“Zhang Jing, the Minister of Justice, will be punished by copying them a thousand times in order to correct his heart.”

“Xu Qingnian is not at fault for today's incident, but within one month, investigate the dossier in hand and make sure that the truth is uncovered.”

The Empress of Wei's voice resounded, announcing to the world.

The Minister of Justice, Zhang Jing, had become the biggest loser.

However, the expressions of the other five officials were all different.

Amongst the Ministry of Penalty, Xu Qingnian also breathed a slow sigh of relief.

“Thank you, Your Majesty, for your kindness.”

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth, and after saying this, he turned around and left the Ministry of Punishment, as the national fortune had been absorbed, and instead of staying at the Ministry of Punishment for the sixth time, he went to look for Zhou Nan.

Along the way Xu Qingnian had bought many precious herbs and tonic products.

Zhou Nan had been injured because of himself, and he had vented the anger in his heart because of what happened to Zhou Nan, so for reasons of reason, Xu Qingnian had to go see Zhou Nan first.

With many gifts, Xu Qingnian walked into the courtyard again.

Only at this moment, instead of just looking at Xu Qingnian curiously, the people in the courtyard knelt down in unison and shouted when Xu Qingnian appeared.

“We pay our respects to Lord Xu.”

For the people all over the city, they still could not understand what had happened today, but for the people in the middle of Zhou Nan’s courtyard, they truly knew what had happened.

Xu Qingnian made a scene for Zhou Nan, an ordinary official, at the Ministry of Punishment, even going so far as to destroy his own career.

This is the kind of good official they have in mind, to stand up for the people in righteousness and to speak out against injustice.

“You are all welcome, this official is just doing what he should do.”

Xu Qingnian did not feel happy or pleasant because of this.

There was even some inexplicable emotion.

What about those who are officials, who do what they are duty-bound to do, and are all called good officials?

You can imagine how many injustices there are in this world.

Taking a deep breath, Xu Qingnian walked into Zhou Nan’s home.

When Zhou Nan’s wife saw Xu Qingnian, she knelt down and kowtowed, crying and thanking Xu Qingnian for redressing her husband’s grievances.

Zhou Nan also wailed and cried, feeling both guilty and remorseful towards Xu Qingnian.

Xu Qingnian didn’t say much, she just put all the things she bought on the table, and then told Zhou Nan to take care of his injuries and come back to him when he was well, in accordance with his roll official.

The herbs and tonic that Xu Qingnian bought for him had a good effect, a faster three days would heal, a slower five days would make up for it.

After saying all this, without allowing them to say anything, Xu Qingnian left.

But after walking out of the courtyard, Xu Qingnian's next stop was not the Ministry of Punishment, nor was it to find the Duke of State.

Instead, she went straight to the Ministry of Officials.

That's right, it was the Ministry of Officials that had been stuck with Yang Hu Yang Bao and the others to join.

The Ministry of Officials of Great Wei was two streets away from the Ministry of Punishment, and Xu Qingnian's figure was not too slow. On the way, there were people casting glances, but not many, but they looked towards the Ministry of Punishment.

They had only heard Xu Qingnian's voice, but had never seen him before. After the vision had been restored, Xu Qingnian naturally looked like a normal person, but if I had to say something different, it was that he was handsome.

At this moment, the Ministry of Justice has also come out, the Ministry of Punishment is suffering from this great disaster, how can they ignore it?

The sight of Xu Qingnian fighting the officials of the Ministry of Penalty was reflected in the sky at that time, so they could still see it in their minds.

If they went over to stop them, wouldn't they be looking for death?

Who would dare to provoke Xu Qingnian, not to mention the Ministry of Justice, except for some really powerful officials in the entire six ministries?

There was even a fear of Xu Qingnian.

This person is really too fierce, going to the Ministry of Justice for 17 days, beating up and down the Ministry of Justice, only the Shang Shu escaped.

But escape although escaped a robbery, Xu Qingnian fourteen words, the Ministry of punishment Shang Shu Zhang Jing criticized the body incomplete, explicitly and implicitly are sarcastic you.

You can imagine how the world will judge Xu Qingnian after today, and how the world will judge Minister of Justice Zhang Jing?

It's fine now, at least Zhang Jing is still the Minister of Justice, at least Xu Qingnian is not yet in a real position in the court, but ten years later? A hundred years from now? Or even a thousand years from now?

Even if Xu Qingnian was mad in his current life, a thousand years later, when people mentioned this, Shang Shu Zhang would have to be infinitely whipped ah.

This kind of shame was better than putting Zhang Jing to death.

It is true that it is better to mess with the king of hell than with the literati. Under the brush and ink, it is ruthless to the extreme, and after a thousand years, the spirit of literature will still be there.

But just as the Ministry was still in shock over the matter, a figure suddenly appeared.

Suddenly, a figure appeared outside the gates of the Ministry.

He was very young and handsome, wearing the official uniform of the Ministry of Penalties.

It was Xu Qingnian.

After Xu Qingnian appeared, the entire Ministry of Officials was completely numb, they did not know why Xu Qingnian had come to the Ministry of Officials?

“Dare I ask, where is the head of the Ministry of Officials?”

With Xu Qingnian’s arrival.

In an instant, four or five figures quickly walked out, it was the two main officials of the Ministry of Officials, a staff minister, and even a retainer himself who had appeared.

“Xu Qingnian, what is your business here at the Ministry of Officials?”

The Right Servant of the Ministry of Officials spoke, his face was calm and there was some curiosity in his eyes, he didn’t know why Xu Qingnian had come to the Ministry of Officials for no good reason?

“Greetings, Lord Squire.”

“I have a few subordinates who were originally officials from the Southern Yu Province, but then the Ministry of Justice was short of manpower, so the subordinate transferred them to Kyoto.”

“Up to ten days ago, they came to the Ministry of Officials to handle the induction dossier, and until today, they have not been processed, so I don’t need to bother Lord Squire, the subordinate official can just ask the head of the Ministry of Officials.”

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth and said in a calm tone.

Just as soon as these words were said, the entire Ministry of Officials instantly exploded.

“What? A ten-day delay? That son of a bitch did this?”

“Hiss, Xu Qingnian is coming to the Ministry to beat up people?”

“Sirs, hurry up and run, Xu Qingnian is coming to beat people up.”

“Hurry up, let Squire Zuo run, Xu Qingnian will be furious later, no one can stop him.”

“Who’s stopping Xu Qingnian? Are you sick? Why do you have nothing better to do than to provoke this fierce man? Don’t drag us along if you want to die!”

They wondered why Xu Qingnian had appeared for no reason.

But what they didn’t expect was that it was something like this.

The delayed entry for ten days was definitely a problem, but they really didn’t know about it, most of them didn’t. After all, Xu Qingnian wasn’t a member of the Ministry of Officials, so wearing small shoes wouldn’t be so bad as to go to another department, right?

The people panicked, the lesson of the Ministry of Justice was still fresh in their minds, they didn’t dare to act up, in case they were beaten up by Xu Qingnian, they wouldn’t have any temper at all.

“How could such a thing happen?”

“That’s ridiculous!”

“Xu Qingnian, what is the name of your subordinate, this official will personally check for you, the sky is turning, the sky is turning!”

“The Ministry of Officials has worked diligently for the Great Wei, but I never thought that such a thing would happen.”

“It’s a bright and clear sky, in broad daylight, at the foot of the imperial city, it really pisses me off.”

He was not sure if Xu Qingnian had come to look for trouble, but what he did know was that he had to deal with this matter in a hurry.

That way Xu Qingnian would not have the chance to make a move.

“Lord Squire, it’s just a small matter, just find a random principal, so I won’t bother you.”

Xu Qingnian politely said, “It is indeed a bit unreasonable to ask the Minister of the Ministry of Justice to handle such a small matter as induction.

“No, Xu Qingnian, that is not good enough!”

“As the saying goes, don’t do anything for the sake of good, don’t do anything for the sake of evil, although this is a small matter, in the eyes of this official, it is a big matter, for such a thing to happen, it is simply a shame for the Ministry of Officials.”

“Someone, give me a thorough investigation into this matter, it’s simply turned upside down, a provincial official entering the capital and a delay of ten days for an induction, how outrageous.”

The right minister of the Ministry of Justice said righteously, he didn’t dare to let a principal handle this matter, what if this principal had a brain problem and had to provoke Xu Qingnian?

Wouldn’t that make a big deal out of it?

Who was Xu Qingnian? He is a fierce man, lawless and unscrupulous. As long as he is reasonable, Xu Qingnian will dare to break the sky.

Who can stand up to this?

So he decided to deal with it personally.

As soon as this was said, the entire Ministry of Justice began to move, and almost everyone was investigating the matter thoroughly.

Soon, before Xu Qingnian could say the names of Yang Hu and the others.

In a flash, someone pressed a man and walked out, looking at the Right Squire.

“Lord Squire, this is the man who was lazy by nature and did not work well, delaying Lord Xu’s matter.”

The Ministry instantly found out who was deliberately delaying the induction of Yang Hu and the others and pressed him in front of Xu Qingnian.

“Men, drag this person out to battle for twenty sentences, deprive him of his official position, and detain him in the main prison for three months.”

The Right Servant opened his mouth, his gaze filled with anger as he said.

He was almost killed by this guy, he really didn’t know about this, and even most of the people in the Ministry of Justice didn’t know about it, because there was no need, Xu Qingnian was a member of the Ministry of Justice.

The reason for this is that he has nothing better to do than to get stuck with Xu Qingnian.

The company's main business is to provide a wide range of products and services to the public.

"Xu Qingnian, this matter is this official did not play the responsibility of supervision, you can rest assured, from now on, this official will definitely supervise properly."

"To show my apologies, this official will personally finish the induction dossier for your subordinate, wait a moment."

The Right Servant took the initiative to admit his mistake, and then did not allow Xu Qingnian to say anything at all, and walked towards the case file library, leaving Xu Qingnian somewhat didn't know what to say.

After glancing at the other officials of the Ministry of Officials, Xu Qingnian smiled gently and nodded.

But everyone's eyes all shrank.

They simply didn't dare to meet Xu Qingnian's gaze, leaving Xu Qingnian somewhat speechless.

This Am I, Xu Qingnian, that scary?

Xu Qingnian has some hard feelings in his heart, what he likes most is still making friends ah, as long as you give me a little face, I Xu will give you three face.

Why should this be so.

There is some helplessness, but in less than half a quarter of an hour, the right minister of the Ministry of Justice quickly came out, he directly looked up the information of Yang Hu and others, one by one made the Kyoto road guide, the arrow, and the corresponding information materials.

This is really fast.

After receiving the arrows from Yang Hu and the others, Xu Qingnian paid his respects to the right minister.

The right minister of the Ministry of Justice also paid his respects to Xu Qingnian, his face full of shame.

After Xu Qingnian left, the entire Ministry of Officials breathed a sigh of relief.

But the next moment, a voice rang out.

“Come on, the left minister is stuck in the window and can’t get out.”

As the voice rang out, the officials in the Ministry froze.

Xu Qingnian, who had just stepped out of the Ministry, also froze.

No way! Was it going to be so exaggerated?

Somewhat helplessly, Xu Qingnian walked towards the Ministry of Penalty.

He had to start working on the case.

This matter was not yet completely finished.

His Majesty’s one-month deadline.

This was a new challenge for the ship.

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At this time.

Among the Ministry of Penalty.

Xu Qingnian’s figure appeared.

The officials who had been tortured by Xu Qingnian had all been sent for medical treatment, but most of the officials of the Ministry of Punishment were still handling official business.

Looking at Xu Qingnian, the eyes of all the people showed awe.

Xu Qingnian knew that what he had done today had shocked the six ministries and that no one would dare to hinder him in his future cases.

But Xu Qingnian understood one thing even better.

They are afraid of themselves because they are afraid of their power and are afraid of being beaten by themselves.

They are not really afraid of their own power or their own methods, so this kind of awe has no effect.

The time comes when they can find themselves in trouble, they will still find them, and as long as both sides are justified, the other side will still not be afraid of themselves.

After all, it's okay to do something like this once or twice, and you have to be reasonable, more is definitely not okay.

For one thing, people are not stupid, having fallen for it once, how can they fall for it a second time?

If they have suffered once and eaten a second time, then these officials of the Great Wei can all be martyred.

So one must do the job at hand as soon as possible.

Whether it is difficult or not, it must be done well to come, and once it is done, the rest will just be left to the emperor.

Back inside the main office.

Before he could even sit down himself, a roll official immediately walked in.

"Xu Xu! Lord Xu, this is the dossier related to the Pingqiu Province disaster relief case, take a look."

The file clerk was trembling a little and looked slightly scared, not daring to look directly at Xu Qingnian.

"Put it here, thanks for your hard work."

Xu Qingnian smiled gently and let it rest in front of the table.

"Oh, good, Lord Xu, take your time to read it, if there is something wrong, you greet me, my subordinate will wait outside the door."

The scrolling official nodded, and after slowly putting the things down, he quickly retreated.

It could not be helped, what Xu Qingnian had done before was still fresh in his mind, so who dared to be rude?

Watching the latter leave, Xu Qingnian didn't think much more about it.

He picked up the dossier that had been sent to him, and then began to seriously

[The Pingqiu Province Disaster Relief Case]

The case was about the drought that struck Pingqiu Prefecture, and the court allocated 30 million taels of silver, but the ruler of the Prefecture, Zhang Nantian, embezzled 20 million taels of silver, leaving 10 million taels of silver to be distributed to the refugees, leaving very little in the hands of the refugees.

Later on, the court sent people to inspect the area and found that there were still countless deaths and injuries in Pingqiu, and there were even cases of people changing their sons into food, which was reported to the court and caused a shock to the court and the public.

The suspect, Zhang Nantian, killed his entire family before the court could punish him, and hung himself from a beam.

But it is not known where the dirty silver is.

So the main nature of this dossier is to find the stolen money.

Once the account money is found, the case can be sealed.

Twenty million taels of silver.

Xu Qingnian felt a little emotional, if he solved this case, he would not be promoted to the rank of officer, right?

The annual tax revenue of Great Wei should be around 20,000,000 taels of silver.

It sounds like a lot, but how much is the actual population of Wei? According to limited statistics, it is at least 300,000.

This is not even counting the black households.

With such a huge population base, the tax revenue was only 10,000,000 taels of silver.

In Xu Qingnian's previous life, there was a dynasty called the Daming Dynasty, with a population of 30 million people, not counting the declining years, which normally had 15 million to 22 million taels of silver.

The population of Great Wei was ten times that of the Daming Dynasty, but the tax revenue did not reach ten times, and the larger the population, the more qualitative and quantitative changes were generated, and at the very least, the land clearing was a little easier.

At the very least, there was the transcendental system in place, and as long as the conditions allowed, it was possible to move mountains and reclaim land.

So the revenue of the Great Wei treasury is complete rubbish, and then there is another point, and that is the issue of expenditure.

Last year's expenditure was 95 million taels of silver, and the treasury had a balance of 5 million taels of silver.

It was barely enough to carry the load, but the problem was that the rate of growth was not proportional to the rate of expenditure.

We still have to make a fuss about the Northern Expedition and go to war.

How?

By taking lives?

So if he solves this case and recovers 20 million taels of dirty silver, there will be no pressure at all to promote him to the rank of officer, and it will not be too much to ask for a lieutenant in the twenty-seventh official division.

Twenty million taels of silver.

It was the equivalent of picking it up for nothing, and with this money, the court could do something about it.

However, the fact that the tax revenue of Great Wei was so low also remained to be proven, after all, one did not enter the Ministry of the Household, and one certainly did not know what the exact figures were; the only way to know what the current situation of Great Wei was was to enter the Ministry of the Household.

Xu Qingnian felt that it was somewhat demeaning, with a population of 300,000,000 and a tax revenue of only 10,000,000 taels of silver a year, and it was on a downward trend every year.

The Northern Expedition could be used as an excuse, but this figure was outrageous and somewhat odd.

It was just that at the moment Xu Qingnian didn't think much about anything, he had to get his affairs in order first, and such matters were for later.

The new dossier information was fetched.

Xu Qingnian began to work on the case in earnest.

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[The Pingqiu Province Disaster Relief Case File I]

Wu Yuan 45th year.

The seventh day of the third month.

I, Li Jianquan, the head constable of the Pingqiu Official Department of the Ministry of Justice, was ordered to investigate the Zhang Nantian disaster relief case thoroughly.

I found that Zhang Nantian's entire family died from a single blow, and although there were many sword wounds on his body, they were suspected to be post-mortem wounds.

The official believes that even if Zhang Nantian was worried about the court's condemnation and his whole family being implicated, he must not be so decisive, especially since Zhang Nantian's three sons and one daughter also died in a single blow.

April 15th.

I am Li Jianquan, the head constable of the Ministry of Justice's Pingqiu Official Division.

After a thorough investigation, I am certain that Zhang Nantian was secretly practising a different art, and that his mind was not right, and that he was therefore possessed, and that is why he acted ruthlessly against his children.

In my opinion, this case lies in the fact that Zhang Nantian has gone mad because of his cultivation of supernatural arts.

[Wu Yuan 45, April 15]

[Record: Li Jianquan, head constable of the official's office in Pingqiu Prefecture]

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This was the first dossier. Xu Qingnian didn't think much of it and unfolded the second dossier.

[The second dossier of the Pingqiu Prefecture disaster relief case]

Wu Yuan 45th year.

The eighth day of the ninth month.

I, Zhang Wang, the head constable of the Lin Lan Prefecture, was ordered to investigate the Ping Qiu Prefecture disaster relief case.

After months of investigation, I discovered that Zhang Nantian, the ruler of Pingqiu Prefecture, was practising a foreign art.

This technique comes from the Heavenly Kingdom of the Sea, and in order to practice this technique, one needs a strong qi pulse, otherwise it is difficult to control.

It was as if it had been forcibly opened, making it difficult for him to practise the Da Luo Heavenly Art.

On the 20th of September.

I am Zhang Wang, the head constable of the Lin Lan Prefecture.

After examining the matter, I found that Zhang Nantian had swallowed an evil fruit that could open up his Qi veins instantly, thus creating the illusion that he had been forcibly opened up.

After Zhang Nantian practised this magic, his mind was confused and he had his whole family killed.

In my opinion, this case is a scourge of the supernatural arts.

—The second dossier was taken by Xu Qingnian.

The second dossier was slowly put down by Xu Qingnian.

Xu Qingnian took out the third dossier and read it.

In the blink of an eye, an hour had passed.

There were a total of nineteen scrolls in front of them.

From the fifth one onwards, they were all about tracing the whereabouts of the 'dirty silver'.

It was all kinds of deduction, without any actual evidence or clues.

It was purely one's own speculation.

After reading through all the nineteen dossiers, Xu Qingnian could not help but frown.

He always felt that something was wrong, but it was difficult to think of it for a while.

At that moment, Xu Qingnian continued to look carefully from the first dossier.

After Zhang Nantian's death, the first person who took over the case after the Ministry of Justice tentatively decided the case was called Li Jianquan, a constable from the Pingqiu official's office who had decades of experience in reconnaissance.

From the beginning, he thought that there was something odd about the case, as he examined the bodies of Zhang Nantian's entire family and found through the autopsies that all of them had been killed with a single blow, and that the wounds on their bodies had been added later.

The reason why he thought it was odd was because even if Zhang Nantian was desperate, he could not have done this to his own children, even if he was so determined to strike out mercilessly at his own children, but why did he add new wounds?

Have you got nothing better to do? This is clearly impossible.

And if one is so determined because one does not want one's sons and daughters to suffer or be tortured a second time, why not choose to run away?

A person with such a mind would never have committed suicide by embezzling dirty silver, would he? The first thing he should have done was to think of running away, and if he really couldn't get away, he would have killed his whole family, which would not have been a problem.

One hit and a new wound.

This is a doubtful point, Xu Qingnian believed the contents of the dossier.

It was only Li Jianquan's later addition that explained it all.

He had practised a different art and his mind was not right, so that after killing his whole family, he went completely insane and only then added new wounds.

This reason can be justified. The foreign arts, well, evil things, if a person goes mad, then all the irrationality is quite normal.

And the second scroll.

It is a continuation of the first scroll to continue the investigation.

Starting with the supernatural arts, he investigated that the supernatural arts were called 'Da Luo Heavenly Arts', which came from the Heavenly Kingdom of the Sea, that is, the place by the north.

It was not a big problem that the supernatural arts had been passed on, after all, it was not particularly difficult for a ruler of a province to really get a copy of the supernatural arts.

The only thing is that the prerequisite for the cultivation of this supernatural art is that the qi veins are several times stronger than normal people, but Zhang Nan's weather veins are so ordinary that it is like forcing them through.

But later on, there is a supplement and an explanation that he ate some kind of foreign fruit, forcibly opened his qi veins, and then cultivated the foreign art.

The logic of the book stands up.

And the third scroll.

The search for the source of the foreign fruit reveals that this kind of foreign fruit, although it can forcibly open up the qi veins, has a very high lethality rate, and normally even if someone wants to cultivate the Da Luo Heavenly Art, they would not dare to take the risk.

In itself, it was already a very dangerous thing to cultivate the supernatural arts, and eating this fruit again would have almost zero chance of survival, so why would Zhang Nantian want to eat this supernatural fruit?

Moreover, why did Zhang Nantian want to cultivate the supernatural arts? He's a good government ruler, what's he doing practicing this stuff?

This was a good idea to solve the case, except that there was soon a new explanation.

The reason why Zhang Nantian took such a risk was that he had embezzled 20 million taels of silver and was being blackmailed, but he was unable to eradicate the scourge, so he took the risk of swallowing the foreign fruit as well as practising the foreign arts.

As a result, he did not expect his mind to sink and killed his whole family. Finally, with the only shred of sanity left, he hanged himself so as not to scourge the people again.

This is the information in the third volume.

And the content information of the fourth volume is.

Why did Zhang Nantian commit suicide? His whole family was dead, and even if he had regained a shred of sanity, he should have fought the court to the death, or at least to eradicate the man who had control over him, right?

He would not have killed himself in any case, and he would not have done anything to corrupt the people.

So this logic doesn't hold water, and there must be more to this than meets the eye.

Only soon, new elements reappeared.

The case officer found out that Zhang Nantian knew that he had committed a grave sin and was unable to take action against the person he was blackmailing, and that he had an heir who had escaped and was suspected to have gone to the Kingdom of Heaven on the Sea. He did not want to harm the people and was afraid that the court would eliminate the root of the problem, so he killed himself and hoped that the court would forgive his descendants for this reason.

This is the content of the fourth volume.

The content of the fifth volume, however, continues the investigation of the fourth volume.

The investigators of the fifth volume believe that the matter could not have been so simple. It is obviously unreasonable to swallow the dirty silver and not take the whole family away, but only let one of his sons escape.

The investigation revealed that this was not Zhang Nantian's son, but the butler's only son, and that he had died in the wilderness, starved to death and eventually split up by jackals, but with his veins shattered.

But the second piece of content gives a new explanation.

The son of the housekeeper appeared and told him to run away and tell him where the dirty silver was, but what he didn't expect was that Zhang Nantian's demon would appear and give him a slap.

So the boy died in the wilderness and the whereabouts of the dirty silver was never found.

These are the five volumes of the investigation, and the fourteen volumes that follow are all speculations on the location of the dirty silver.

They even implicated the White Clothes Clan, suggesting that Zhang Nantian was a member of the White Clothes Clan who had embezzled 20 million taels of silver and provided it to the White Clan.

In this way, it also confirms why Zhang Nantian was able to possess the supernatural arts.

But when all is said and done, there are currently three possibilities for the dirty silver.

First, it was taken by the White Clothes Sect.

Secondly, it was hidden by Zhang Nantian, who wanted to go through the steward's son to inform him, but unexpectedly his mind went into turmoil and he injured the steward's son, causing the other party to die in the wilderness, and the White-Clothed Sect did not know where it was.

Thirdly, Zhang Nantian had already transferred the silver to the Sea Kingdom in advance, but unfortunately he ran too late and so killed himself at home.

The Ministry of Justice generally agrees with the first possibility, and some people agree with the second possibility, but the third is unlikely.

It is unlikely that he would remain in Pingqiu, and what would he do there? What would he do? Continue to cheat? The civil and military officials are not fools, and the Household Ministry is the most astute.

So the third possibility was not very likely.

Xu Qingnian's thoughts were somewhat confused.

He took a deep breath and closed his eyes.

A few moments later, Xu Qingnian took out a piece of white paper and recorded on it.

A good memory was better than a bad pen.

If you write anything out, your thoughts will be a little clearer.

[A. Li Jianquan, the first case manager, noticed that Zhang Nantian's whole family died from a single blow, but there were many new injuries on his body and raised the point: for a parent, it is impossible to be so determined, if so determined, the first time should be to flee, even if he is so determined, why add new injuries?

[Giving an explanatory answer: cultivated a foreign art]

The second case was handled by Zhang Wang. Zhang Nantian was practicing a foreign art called Da Luo Tian Technique, and his qi veins were not strong enough to practice it.

[Giving an explanatory answer: devouring some kind of spiritual fruit]

[Third, Chen Kang was the third case officer. The spirit fruit that Zhang Nantian swallowed had a high lethality rate, and it was also very dangerous to cultivate the Da Luo Heavenly Art, so why did he take such a big risk? This is very unreasonable]

[Giving an explanatory answer: Someone knew his handle and he wanted to eradicate the scourge, so he risked a fight]

The fourth case was handled by Li Jun. If Zhang Nantian really wanted to eradicate the scourge, he would have been less likely to commit suicide and should have waited for the other side to come to his door and kill him, and since he had become possessed and his whole family was dead, wouldn't it be logical to make a last stand against the court? This is the normal reaction of ordinary people, it is difficult to come to your senses when you are dying? It doesn't make sense.]

He had an heir and was unable to eradicate the scourge, so he hoped that by killing himself, the court would spare his only heir and even tell him where the heir was by giving him the dirty silver to atone for his crime.

[Five, Zhou Bo is the fifth investigator. Zhang Nantian's son has died in the wilderness and his tendons are broken. It could have been a homicide.]

He wanted to spare the other man, but his mind sank and he struck out, but at the critical moment, he regained his senses and withdrew his hand, shattering only the other man's veins, and he died anyway].

The final result of the five dossiers for Xu Qingnian was.

Zhang Nantian embezzled 20 million taels of silver and was discovered and blackmailed with it. In order to eradicate the scourge, he took the risk of practising a foreign art and swallowed a spiritual fruit, which resulted in his mind sinking and killing his entire family.

Case closed.

To be more precise, Zhang Nantian knew that he had committed a grave sin and repented before he died. When he regained his senses, he told the son of the housekeeper the whereabouts of the dirty silver, so that he could inform the court, but he was not expecting the other party to die.

So the whereabouts of the dirty silver is unknown.

Everything seems to make sense.

But the more Xu Qingnian looked at it, the more he felt that something was wrong.

The more she read, the more she felt that something was wrong.

The details in many places were completely flawed.

Xu Qingnian wrote out the corresponding questions on the rice paper.

First, was the embezzlement of 20 million taels of silver really for the sake of wealth and prosperity? What does a ruler of a government need silver for? Why do you need 20 million taels of silver? Two million taels would have been enough.

Possibility: The White Clan!

Secondly, if someone knew what he had and threatened Zhang Nantian, why didn't Zhang Nantian run away at the first opportunity? He had to go and practise a different art? To eradicate the other side? If that was the case, then it would disprove the possibility that Zhang Nantian was a member of the White-Clothed Sect.

All of them are from the White Cloth Sect, wouldn't it be enough to just let the White Cloth Sect deal with such people?

Possibility: The other party is very strong and is from the court, and his status is no less than his.

Thirdly, why did Zhang Nantian not run? The other party, even if his identity is not weaker than his own and his strength is stronger than his own, then share the spoils together, the big deal is that he has less, as long as his life is preserved, everything is fine, the big deal is that one person is half, thirty-seven is not unacceptable, it is just a little bit harder, but at least you are dragged down and can hold each other back in the future.

Possibility: the other party wants all, or 90%, otherwise Zhang Nantian has no need to fish to death and take such a big risk to cultivate the foreign arts.

But even a person with a big appetite wouldn't be so big, right? To ask for 90% directly? The silver was greedily taken down by others, and if you openly ask for 90%, who will agree?

If you really want to cooperate, it is understandable to ask for 50/50, 40/60, or 30/70. 30/70 is the limit, because you have the leverage, but the consequence of 30/70 is that people will come after you later.

The most appropriate method is to share the money 50-50, one half for each of us, 10 million taels for you and 10 million taels for me, so that if something happens, we can run away together and take care of each other.

But according to Zhang Nantian's script, there should be no negotiation, the price the other side demanded was too high.

Of course, there is also a possibility that Zhang Nantian pretended to agree to the deal and actually went to cultivate foreign arts secretly.

But it was still the same question.

Why would he take such a big risk? You said that cultivating the supernatural arts was already deadly, let alone adding a spirit fruit to it.

It's almost certain death.

There is a famous investment idea that can be applied to it.

You are given a button, press it and you might get a hundred million, but there is a one in ten thousand chance that you will simply die.

Most people will choose to press it, after all, in their eyes, one in ten thousand is considered a very small probability and it is almost impossible to die, but to win would be to win a hundred million.

Ninety-nine percent of the rich, however, they would not press this button because they would not dare to deal with even a one in ten thousand risk of fatalities.

It could be argued that a hundred million is not very attractive to them.

Twenty million taels of dirty silver, for Zhang Nantian, even if it was 30%, would still be more than he could spend in this lifetime. As long as one is sensible, 30% would be willing to bite the bullet and agree to it, and if it was 50%, it would simply be a windfall.

Retaliation is a matter for later, but at least you won't be in such a hurry to cultivate a different art, right?

If the other party demanded 90%, or even all of it, then why was this person so greedy? Isn't this forcing others to tear their faces off?

So there is something else going on here.

No, it was not a hidden agenda, but a paper full of doubts.

Xu Qingnian carefully looked at the dossier, over and over again, to find the details he had overlooked.

Once, three times, five times, ten times, twenty times.

One hour, two hours.

Xu Qingnian had looked at it for two hours when he finally found a detail that he had overlooked.

"All five case handlers, when they first started investigating the case, made the appropriate points and instantly found a break in the case, but each of the case handlers was able to explain to themselves what they were hiding."

In an instant, Xu Qingnian's gaze was fixed dead on these five dossiers.

The case handlers of the first five dossiers all spoke in a logical and clear manner, but immediately began to explain themselves.

The first one was like this, Xu Qingnian did not feel anything.

The second one was like this, Xu Qingnian didn't feel anything.

But the third, fourth, and fifth copies were all exactly the same script, and they were all ten days apart.

“Someone is threatening them!”

Suddenly, Xu Qingnian thought of the possibility that these five case workers had indeed found out something in the course of the case, but when they continued with the investigation, they had encountered obstacles and changed their tune.

“Someone!”

Xu Qingnian spoke.

Immediately, the roll official outside the door walked in.

“Lord Xu, what is it?”

The roll official said with some trepidation.

“Summon these five people to the Ministry of Punishment.”

Xu Qingnian took out the dossier and handed it to the other party.

The latter immediately took the dossier and, without giving it much thought, went straight to the case file library to get their information first, before summoning them to the Ministry of Punishment.

A quarter of an hour later, the roll official came back.

Holding five copies of the roll officials, an embarrassed look appeared on their faces at the same time.

“Your Excellency, the rolls of these five people have been fetched by my subordinates.”

“It's just that these five people are probably not going to be summoned.”

The other party said with a bitter smile.

“Can't be summoned? Why?”

Xu Qingnian asked.

“The last four are dead, and the first one is crazy.”

The roll official laughed bitterly.

“Dead? Crazy?”

Xu Qingnian smacked his lips a little, he hadn't really expected this result.

It wasn't that Xu Qingnian didn't expect this result, but rather that Xu Qingnian didn't believe it would be this result.

This was not clearly telling others that there was a ghost in this matter, that all five people who handled the case were dead, almost pointing to the Ministry of Justice's nose and saying, “You better not investigate this matter.

The first thing you need to do is to get the information from the Ministry of Justice.

Xu Qingnian unfolded the five people's files, and he instantly became 12 times more enthusiastic about this case.

Li Jianquan, Zhang Wang, Chen Kang, Li Jun and Zhou Bo.

The five people's files were unfolded and Xu Qingnian looked at them carefully.

[Li Jianquan]

In the forty-seventh year of the Wu Yuan era, on the third day of the third month, he was assassinated by the enemy for being too aggressive in handling the case, and was struck by a palm strike to the sky, fainting for several months.

Zhang Wang]

He died in a drunken fight with a hundred bottles of wine at the Red Fragrance House on the seventh day of the tenth month in the forty-ninth year of the Wu Yuan era.

Chen Kang

On the second day of the first month in the fifty-first year of the Wu Yuan period, he contracted lung disease and died at home with no cure.

Li Jun]

In order to repay his gambling debts, he kidnapped a rich local merchant and was caught red-handed.

Zhou Bo]

He was caught in flagrante delicto and killed another man.

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Five dossiers appear before us, and the cause of death is straightforward.

One was wounded in the head and became insane, the remaining four died of drunkenness, contracted lung disease, kidnapped a wealthy merchant, and committed adultery and murder.

There is nothing fishy about the way they died, they were almost ruined even if they didn't die.

It is not unlikely that he contracted lung disease.

As for the latter two, they were executed by the Ministry of Justice in an open and fair manner.

But Xu Qingnian was not stupid.

“Fetch the dossiers of these people.”

Xu Qingnian opened his mouth, he wanted to see the remaining fourteen people's dossiers.

The latter did not dare to delay and immediately went to the case file library.

Another quarter of an hour later, the other party fetched them and laid out the dossiers in front of Xu Qingnian.

Xu Qingnian looked at them one by one.

As expected, none of the fourteen people were really alive and well.

The last one died, attacking Emperor Wu's fault in the Northern Expedition, and was then beheaded for public display.

This was a normal death, as many people died in Emperor Wu's later years, and many people were involved.

The reign of Emperor Wu was 53 years long.

This means that Zhou Bo was beheaded five months before the empress ascended the throne.

Something is wrong.

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There were big problems.

“Twenty million taels of silver.”

“Prefect Zhang Nantian.”

“The five men who handled the case will be both mad and dead.”

“This is a warning and an attitude.”

“Some people want this case file to be stored and sealed forever, and don’t want anyone to continue the investigation.”

The clues have all been cut off and it’s been ten years since the incident, so it’s hard to go back and review the case now, and if another ten or twenty years pass, it will be even more impossible to get to the bottom of this case.

“You want to find out about the dirty silver.”

“It’s necessary to uncover the person behind it.”

“Otherwise it will never be possible to find out where the dirty silver is.”

Xu Qingnian understood this.

He sat in the master’s room and pondered.

But after a while, Xu Qingnian’s eyes fiercely revealed a flash of brilliant light.

“It’s not right!”

“It’s not right!”

“This dossier, His Majesty has read it, the Ministry of Punishment has read it up and down, and there are even people among the six ministries who have read it.”

“If I can think of this, there is no way this group of people can’t think of it.”

“Especially the people in the Ministry of Penalty, even they have been able to guess a few suspects.”

“But why didn’t they continue to investigate?”

“They don’t dare to continue investigating, the person involved in this case must be very, very big, so big that the six ministries don’t dare to move.”

“It’s even said that the late Emperor Wu, who was in his later years, didn’t dare to continue the investigation, or that he couldn’t in order to secure the general situation!”

“The Six Ministries don’t dare to investigate! The Wudi is unwilling to investigate!”

“Why should this matter be handed over to me now?”

Xu Qingnian frowned as a single thought flashed through his mind.

“The Ministry of Punishment gave this matter to me in order to make me sit on the bench, in order to deliberately disgust me.”

“And because I made a fuss about the Ministry of Punishment, so much so that His Majesty asked me to check this matter out, thus giving me credit for it.”

Xu Qingnian began to run through his thoughts.

This dossier was no longer a hot potato, it involved something big, big, and definitely beyond one’s imagination.

One shouldn’t take it, and one couldn’t go for it.

How could one possibly move someone that the Sixth Ministry didn’t even dare to move?

Are you really not afraid of death?

It’s true that there is reason to go everywhere, but the question is, before you find reason, wouldn’t it be okay to take you out?

“Wait!”

Xu Qingnian completely thought about it at this moment.

“I came to the Ministry of Penalty, it was arranged by His Majesty.”

“Theoretically it should be to go to the Ministry of Rites, or the Ministry of Works, the Qing Shui Yamen, to mix with seniority or to simmer.”

“It is impossible for me to come to the Ministry of Punishment. If I really wanted to make use of my talents, I should have been allowed to go to the Ministry of the Household, to develop the economy of Great Wei.”

“Everyone in the world misunderstands my articles to be articles of intention, but Her Majesty knows best.”

“She first arranged for me to go to the Ministry of Officials, which naturally the ministers of the court would not agree to, so His Majesty retreated and arranged for me to join the Ministry of Punishment, but His Majesty understood one thing even better, the Minister of Punishment would definitely give me small shoes.”

“So Her Majesty already expected that the Minister of Justice would hand over this dossier to me.”

“Even she also expected that I would make a fuss about the Ministry of Punishment, so that’s why I fought against all the officials in the Ministry of Punishment, but only when I fought against the Minister of Punishment did she announce my entry into the palace.”

“Make a fuss about the Ministry of Punishment, let me take a breath and balance my anger.”

“The key moment to stop it, to save the face of the Minister of Punishment, not to make a scene, belong to the point.”

“The Minister of Punishment is full of anger and is bound to come after me, while His Majesty has asked me to investigate the case to calm public anger.”

“It looks like she’s taking sides, but in reality Her Majesty wants me to take over the case.”

“She wants to uncover the person behind the curtain.”

Xu Qingnian had thought it through thoroughly.

From the moment she went to court, or even rather from the moment Her Majesty had declared herself into the capital, she had already thought of this step.

Bravo!

It was really good when it happened.

The sincerity of the ancients does not deceive me.

Accompanying a king is like accompanying a tiger.

A simple arrangement of positions, taking into account the six ministries, taking into account all of them, every single person doing every single thing, the empress had already thought of it, and all of them were following her ideas, step by step.

What kind of demon is this?

Thinking about this moment, Xu Qingnian was silent.

Completely and utterly silent.

After a long time, Xu Qingnian exhaled a long breath.

This case was about to come to light once and for all.

And he would not be in any danger, to be precise, he was not afraid of any danger.

Because this case is the one that the empress wants to investigate, then she can't let anyone get in the way.

Any obstruction, in front of this emperor, was no big deal.

"As well as investigating the case, Her Majesty is also testing me, ah."

At the same time, Xu Qingnian also understood another thing.

If he himself really took over this case, he would definitely encounter something, bullying, power, money and beauty, if he was also like these five people, being bribed or being intimidated into staying, then his own fate, I guess, would not be any better.

Half a step earlier.

Xu Qingnian was somewhat glad that he had gained insight into everything half a step early.

If he had waited for himself to think of it during his silly investigation, he might have been in trouble.

The empress was testing herself, firstly, on her ability to do the job, and secondly, on whether she could serve her.

If you are good at what you do, but not at her service, you are in danger.

If they are not good enough to work for her, they will probably be in the Qing Dynasty for the rest of their lives.

"The court."

"It's really fascinating and heart-wrenching."

Xu Qingnian murmured in her heart, but her gaze was filled with determination.

Although half a step late in guessing the empress' thoughts.

After all, she had just joined the imperial court, so it was already very good to think half a step ahead.

To put it bluntly, I'm afraid the six ministers might have only just reacted, right?

Thinking of this, Xu Qingnian got up and left, walking towards the outside of the Ministry of Penalty.

It was time to go for a walk after work.

And at the same time.

In the Great Wei Palace of Literature.

The Left Prime Minister, Chen Zhengru, was sitting on the left, and in descending order was the Minister of Rites, Wang Xinzhi.

Gu Yan, the Minister of Household, sits on the right, and Zhang Jing, the Minister of Penalty, goes down in order.

Inside the Palace of Literature, it was incomparably quiet.

Chen Zhengru had called them here, but was slow to speak, making the crowd a little curious.

But the three of them were all Shang Shu, so they still had a sense of style.

It was at this moment that Chen Zhengru's voice rang out.

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"Gentlemen, something is going to happen to Great Wei."

Chen Zhengru spoke out and said in a calm tone.

In an instant, the three people's faces changed slightly.

"Is it Xu Qingnian?"

Zhang Jing asked, frowning.

"Not also."

Chen Zhengru shook his head and gave a reply.

“Then what is it?”

Gu Yan frowned and said.

“The Pingqiu Province disaster relief case.”

Chen Zhengru slowly opened his mouth and said six words.

In an instant, the crowd’s faces changed again.

“Xu Qingnian can’t find out.” But the Minister of Penalty, Zhang Jing, shook his head, his first reaction was this.

However Gu Yan’s voice rang out.

“Fooled.”

A stunned look appeared in his eyes, and almost as soon as Chen Zhengru said those words, he instantly figured out everything.

“Fooled?”

“Fooled into what?”

Zhang Jing frowned even more, he was so dizzy with anger today that his mind was really not too flexible.

“His Majesty made Xu Qingnian serve in the Ministry of Officials, retreating to the Ministry of Penalties and eventually arranging it.”

“We thought that His Majesty only valued Xu Qingnian, but we didn’t expect His Majesty’s calculations to be so great.”

Gu Yan opened his mouth, and with a single sentence he uttered, suddenly between them Zhang Jing and Wang Xinzhi came to a sudden realization.

The two sat aside, shocked into silence.

They had been somewhat confused before, but Gu Yan, the Minister of Household Affairs, had even said the words to this extent.

There was no way they could not have thought of it.

“Your Majesty, you are really as wise as a demon.”

Wang Xinzhi lamented bitterly, using such a small matter to trick the six ministries not to mention, but even reaching out to plot this matter.

“Three birds with one stone!”

However Chen Zhengru continued to speak, his voice somewhat emotional.

“Examine the talent of Xu Qingnian, uncover the black hand behind the curtain, and suppress the power of the Ministry of Penalty, your Majesty’s move, using a small to control a large, three birds with one stone, is really an extreme strategy, Gu I am ashamed of myself.”

Gu Yan instantly understood the meaning of Chen Zhengru’s four words.

Using such a small matter to achieve three purposes, and moving in and out freely, it could be said that he had used power and strategy to the extreme.

If Xu Qingnian investigates the case, if he really uncovers the black hand behind the curtain, if it leads to great trouble, he can make Xu Qingnian stop the investigation and exchange benefits with the other party.

The government is also examining Xu Qingnian’s talents. If Xu Qingnian takes bribes and harbours criminals, he can be outright dismissed, but if Xu Qingnian is upright and works for His Majesty, he can be reappointed.

This is the only thing that makes it a win for the empress.

“The person behind this case is so involved that the previous emperor had some regard for it. Your Majesty will investigate this case thoroughly, will it lead to some The case has been investigated by the former emperor.

Wang Xinzhi, the Minister of Rites, spoke up, his tone full of worry.

“Not necessarily, the person behind this, we are only guessing who it is, do not see it must be him, as long as it is not which one, any other person, will not lead to anything big.”

Zhang Jing immediately spoke.

This dossier, they did not know how many times they had read it, many things they knew better than Xu Qingnian.

It was even clear as to which three suspects it was.

“Whether or not, preparations must be made in case anything changes.”

Chen Zhengru spoke, he didn't care who it was, there was always nothing wrong with guarding against the future.

"En!"

The three men nodded.

While Chen Zhengru muttered somewhat.

"I hope it's not too soon."

He muttered to himself, while the three Shang Shu looked somewhat silent.

They understood the meaning of Chen Zhengru's words.

And at this moment.

In the middle of the capital.

After Xu Qingnian walked out of the Ministry of Punishment, he roamed around the capital, sort of taking a break and thinking about some things.

The events of today had to be digested and digested properly.

It was just when Xu Qingnian was casually strolling around.

An object instantly caught Xu Qingnian's eye.

A peach flower.

To be more precise, it was a huge peach blossom, cast from stone and painted with pink lacquer.

It was the same as the peach blossom on the letter from the white-clothed door
Exactly the same.