

Chaotic 3341

Chapter 3341: A Ruler's Assassination Attempt

Several dozen experts native to the Ice Pole Plane stood at the imposing entrance of the Ice Goddess Hall. They all exchanged glances sternly and after a slight hesitation, they all cupped their fists towards the Snow Goddess who sat at the entrance in dejection, before carefully leaving.

They all knew the Snow Goddess' personality and they could tell that the Snow Goddess was not in a good mood, so none of them dared to say anything, afraid that they would say something wrong and trigger the Snow Goddess' nerves, leading to problems for themselves.

With that, all of the experts who had travelled through outer space from planet Cangmang perished. None of them were spared.

The deaths immediately lead to a sharp decline in planet Cangmang's strength. They were truly weakened.

At the same time, in an unknown space in the Saints' World, the Martial Soul Mountain was covered in a thick layer of ice, like an iceberg that would never melt, floating through outer space alone.

Hun Zang, Chu Jian, Yue Chao, Yun Ziting, Su Qi, Bai Rufeng and Qingshan, the seven successors of the Martial Soul lineage, were all frozen in the interior of the Martial Soul Mountain. They could not leave the place.

A thousand kilometres away from the Martial Soul Mountain, a middle-aged woman in a purple dressed hovered in outer space, maintaining the same distance from the Martial Soul Mountain the entire time.

She was the Rain Abbess, but that was not her in person. Instead, it was one of her soul clones that constantly protected the Martial Soul Mountain

At this moment, the Laws of Ice around the Martial Soul Mountain was disturbed, before receding like the tide. In the blink of an eye, it was completely gone.

With the Laws of Ice gone, the layer of ice over the Martial Soul Mountain melted like snow under the scorching sun and flowed away as streams.

The Rain Abbess was the first to be alarmed by what was happening to the Martial Soul mountain. She immediately opened her eyes and gazed at the melting ice on the Martial Soul Mountain in interest. She was puzzled.

"The seal over the Martial Soul Mountain has been released? That's strange. Just what has happened that's made the Snow Goddess remove the seal prematurely?" The Rain Abbess murmured to herself as she frowned deeply.

She did not believe it was necessarily good news that the Martial Soul Mountain lost its seal now of all times.

Very soon, all of the ice on the Martial Soul Mountain vanished completely. As soon as the seal was removed, Hun Zang and the others trapped in the Martial Soul Mountain immediately burst out.

The Rain Abbess waved her hand and the space within a hundred thousand kilometres of her was reduced to chaos. Powerful Laws of Space permeated the place, isolating here from the outside world.

The successors of the Martial Soul lineage were all trapped in this space.

Even though she was just a soul clone, this clone was clearly particularly powerful. Just a single clone was enough to trap everyone from the Martial Soul lineage.

The Rain Abbess silently appeared before them. Her gaze was locked on Hun Zang the entire time, completely ignoring the other people from the Martial Soul lineage.

Seeing how the Rain Abbess suddenly appeared, Chu Jian, Yue Chao, Yun Ziting, Su Qi, Bai Rufeng and Qing Shan all looked at one another, glancing back and forth between the Rain Abbess and Hun Zang. Their expressions became rather strange.

In the past, none of them knew about Hun Zang's relationship with the Rain Abbess. Only until after what occurred on the Ice Pole Plane did the ambiguous relationship between Hun Zang and the Rain Abbess cease to be a secret.

"What are you doing?" Hun Zang gazed at the space disturbed by the Rain Abbess and furrowed his brows. He was puzzled.

The Rain Abbess' expression was mixed. She said, "Something terrible has occurred during the years that the Martial Soul Mountain was sealed in ice. I did not plan on telling you this, but I know I can't keep it hidden from you for too long."

"What is it?" Hun Zang's heart sank slightly. He had a bad feeling.

"Jian Chen's dead," the Rain Abbess said slowly.

When they heard that, everyone from the Martial Soul lineage immediately changed drastically in expression. Shortly afterwards, killing intent erupted and rampaged through the space there.

"What did you say? Jian Chen's dead?" Hun Zang bellowed furiously. He arrived before the Rain Abbess in a flash. His eyes were completely bloody, staring straight at the Rain Abbess. His voice became as ferocious as a demon from hell, "Who is it? Who killed him? How did he die?"

Chu Jian, Yue Chao, Yun Ziting, Su Qi, Bai Rufeng and Qing Shan's faces were all frosty as well, filled with killing intent.

The Rain Abbess sighed gently, "Forget about revenge. The person who killed him was the sovereign from the Heavenly Palace of Bisheng."

"The Anatta Grand Exalt? No, that's impossible. Why would the Anatta Grand Exalt kill eighth junior brother?" Hun Zang's eyes narrowed in disbelief.

"Jian Chen is the Anatta Grand Exalt's fruit of ways, The Anatta Grand Exalt used Jian Chen to enter the Way of Love, before killing Jian Chen to comprehend the Way of Heartlessness. Hun Zang, you should be aware that his fate was set the moment he became Anatta's fruit of ways. No one could save him," the Rain Abbess sighed gently.

“Eighth junior brother is the Anatta Grand Exalt’s fruit of ways? Why? Why?”

Everyone from the Martial Soul lineage was dispirited when they heard the Rain Abbess’ explanation. If the person who murdered Jian Chen was the Anatta Grand Exalt, how were they supposed to get revenge?

Even if they wanted to revenge, they were not capable.

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The Wood Spirits World.

Time flew and in the blink of an eye, Jian Chen had already roamed the Peace region for an entire decade.

During these ten years, he sat within the carriage and visited every single region and city of the Peace region under the accompaniment of his personal guards.

He carefully sensed every single place he visited, searching for any secrets that the Peace region might have been hiding.

During the decade, he received a tremendous amount of tax revenue from the nine imperial cities. It was all converted into their corresponding resources and devoted to the farming of Lifesoul Flowers. As a result, the first harvest of Lifesoul Flowers that he ordered Xia Jianming to plant grew at an alarming rate.

On this day, Jian Chen rode the carriage into a mountain range, flying at a low range over the rising and falling terrain.

But at this moment, Jian Chen suddenly snapped his eyes open and bellowed out, “Stop here!”

The carriage immediately stopped, remaining ten metres above the ground. The personal guards clustered around it sternly.

Jian Chen left the carriage. His eyes shone brightly as he stared at a certain place below.

Or more accurately, he stared into the ground.

When he passed there, he could closely sense a slightly different disturbance in the depths of the ground. This disturbance could not be detected with the senses of the soul. It could only be detected with his usual senses at a close range.

In the next moment, Jian Chen vanished. He immediately appeared several thousand metres below the surface through the Laws of Space.

Shortly afterwards, the power of space pulsed and all of the rock and soil in the surroundings were pushed aside. Where Jian Chen stood immediately turned into a cavern.

Right before him, his line of vision twisted and the space blurred. A feeble energy radiated from there.

“This is a spatial passageway similar to a teleportation gate. It’s a passageway that can appear anywhere and vanish at any moment.” Jian Chen’s eyes lit up slightly as he stared at the blurry space.

But at this moment, something unexpected occurred. A sword that shone coldly suddenly appeared out of nowhere, thrusting towards Jian Chen’s head with lightning speed.

It was a medium quality god artifact with all of its pressure withdrawn, having been concealed intentionally. It darted out like a venomous snake, launching a lethal strike at Jian Chen at a critical moment.

The sword moved extremely quickly, reaching Jian Chen’s forehead in a single instance. The cold glint from the sharp sword had already torn through Jian Chen’s Chaotic Body, piercing his forehead and immediately drawing blood.

Chapter 3342: The Profound Sword Qi Unleashed

Danger was imminent. The tip of the sword that had suddenly appeared out of nowhere had already entered Jian Chen’s head. Once it pierced his head completely, he would directly perish.

Right now, Jian Chen was truly in great danger. His life came down to this split second.

In the shadows, the Blood Slaughter Ruler had equipped the Divine Armour of Heavenflight, such that he was entirely hidden away in the space there. It was like he had left this world altogether. He did not give off any presence. He could not even be detected with the senses of the soul.

“Jian Chen, let’s see how you survive this. In order to kill you in a single strike, so you have no opportunity to use your trump card, I’ve spent over a decade preparing...”

“As long as you’re dead, Jade Heaven and Heaven Fighting won’t be able to stop me anymore. They couldn’t even back then and they can’t even more now.” The Blood Slaughter Ruler rejoiced inside. In particular, when his sword entered Jian Chen’s forehead, his entire body loosened as his lips curled into a victorious smile. Clearly, victory was already within his grasp.

After over a decade of preparation, he had finally achieved what he wanted. Under the cover of the Divine Armour of Heavenflight, he killed Jian Chen by surprise in a single strike!

The Blood Slaughter Ruler’s sword immediately thrust through Jian Chen’s skull, piercing his entire head. The sharp, bloody tip directly emerged from the back of his head.

However, the Blood Slaughter Ruler’s face suddenly hardened. All of his excitement and joy immediately vanished.

“Oh no, it’s an afterimage!”

He was alarmed, his heart immediately sinking. Without any hesitation, he immediately tried to flee.

If his attack failed, he would escape immediately. That was his plan.

That was because even though his strength had increased drastically, he still did not dare to face Jian Chen’s Profound Sword Qi.

But at this moment, the space underground shook violently. The space immediately cracked open, covered with hairline fractures. A powerful spatial storm began to rampage, disturbing all of the space there.

In the next moment, there was a grunt from the space there and the Blood Slaughter Ruler was forced out. The Divine Armour of Heavenflight he had equipped covered every inch of his body, only revealing a pair of eyes.

At this moment, the Divine Armour of Heavenflight shone dimly. It was extremely feeble, and the Blood Slaughter Ruler inside it had a smear of exhaustion in his eyes too.

The Divine Armour of Heavenflight was a high quality god artifact, normally used by Grand Primes. With the Blood Slaughter Ruler's current cultivation, wielding it was obviously extremely strenuous.

In just the short moment he spent here, the Divine Armour of Heavenflight had already depleted seventy percent of his energy.

"Dammit. I actually failed to kill you." The Blood Slaughter Ruler felt great pity. With reluctance, he turned around to leave. He immediately vanished.

At the same time, he swallowed several recovery God Tier pills.

He had depleted far too much of his energy, so he no longer had the strength to use the Divine Armour of Heavenflight anymore. All he could do was flee while exposed.

Jian Chen appeared from the underground space. His face was sunken and his eyes were filled with killing intent.

The injury on his forehead had already closed up, but there were still traces of blood there.

"Blood Slaughter Ruler, aren't you a little too naive if you think you can escape from me?" As he said that, a powerful sword intent immediately appeared. A streak of light shot out from Jian Chen's hand, thrusting straight into the space before him.

As soon as the streak of light emerged, it seemed to merge into the space there, vanishing silently.

At the same time, the space before the Blood Slaughter Ruler who had already fled tens of million kilometres away rippled; the streak of light appeared there, thrusting towards him.

The Blood Slaughter Ruler's expression changed slightly. He immediately slashed out with his sword with a great pulse of energy, colliding with the streak of light.

Boom!

A tremendous rumble erupted in the sky and the Blood Slaughter Ruler halted. He continued to wolf down God Tier pills sternly.

The streak of light condensed by Jian Chen dispersed before him. Given his current state, there was clearly still some disparity in strength compared to the Blood Slaughter Ruler.

However, as soon as the streak of light dispersed, Jian Chen used the Laws of Space to cross several tens of million kilometres. He appeared before the Blood Slaughter Ruler.

“The Third Heavenly Layer of Chaotic Prime. I didn’t expect you to overcome a minor bottleneck in the past decade and reach greater heights than before,” Jian Chen said nonchalantly. His eyes were filled with indifference.

However, when the Blood Slaughter Ruler saw Jian Chen’s attitude, his heart sank. He had indeed suddenly comprehended something while refining the high quality god artifact, breaking through to the Third Heavenly Layer.

In the current Wood Spirits World, he had already left the Jade Heaven Ruler far behind in the dust with his cultivation as a Third Heavenly Layer Chaotic Prime.

After reaching the Third Heavenly Layer, the Blood Slaughter Ruler became confident and certain that even if the Jade Heaven Ruler and Heaven Fighting Ruler worked together, he could slaughter them both.

However, even with such great battle prowess, he struggled to strike any fear into Jian Chen’s heart, which made the Blood Slaughter Ruler realise something terrible was amiss.

“His trump card can kill experts of the Third Heavenly Layer?” The Blood Slaughter Ruler immediately realised where Jian Chen’s confidence came from. He recalled how Jian Chen killed the Demonic Dragon Ruler with the Profound Sword Qi, which immediately made his heart tighten.

Without any hesitation and without any regard for the exhaustion of his energy, he powered the Divine Armour of Heavenflight again and immediately hid himself in the space there, wanting to flee through the abilities of the armour.

He did not choose to continue making an attempt on Jian Chen’s life. Even when Jian Chen was completely unaware, his assassination attempt had failed, so now that he was prepared, his chances at success were even slimmer.

Jian Chen snorted coldly. Seated in the air, he pressed down gently with his hand.

With that, all the space within a million kilometres of him shattered like a mirror. The entire world sank into darkness.

He used the Laws of Space to obliterate the space in this region before letting countless spatial blades wreak havoc, attacking everything indiscriminately.

In the next moment, Jian Chen sensed something. He extended a finger and a spatial ripple shot into the distance. It seemed to collide against something solid, producing a heavy explosion.

The Blood Slaughter Ruler was forced out once again. Even though he was uninjured, the concealing techniques of the Divine Armour of Heavenflight were clearly useless before Jian Chen who was skilled in the Laws of Space.

The Blood Slaughter Ruler’s face was extremely sunken. He understood that the reason why he could not remain invisible was not because the Divine Armour of Heavenflight was not good enough, but because it was already damaged. Its artifact spirit had dispersed, and it was nowhere near as powerful as it once was.

The other important reason was he could not unleash the true power of the Divine Armour of Heavenflight given his current strength.

The Blood Slaughter Ruler did not try to engage Jian Chen. He unleashed his speed as a Third Heavenly Layer Chaotic Prime and fled into the distance.

During this time, he remained completely focused, raising his guard to the limit, afraid that Jian Chen would use the Profound Sword Qi.

“Blood Slaughter Ruler, looks like you’ll turn into a menace sooner or later if I don’t kill you today!” Jian Chen appeared before the Blood Slaughter Ruler again. When his Laws of Space were at the Fifth Heavenly Layer of Chaotic Prime, his speed was on par with Grand Primes.

His cultivation had plummeted and he had yet to recover his strength, but he was still faster than the Blood Slaughter Ruler.

The Blood Slaughter Ruler’s heart sank when he saw Jian Chen suddenly appear before him. He too had realised that it was impossible for him to outrun Jian Chen who was familiar with the Laws of Space given his speed.

“Jian Chen, are you really bold enough to use your trump card? Once you use it, you’re dead. You’ll be torn to shreds by Heaven Fighting and Jade Heaven.” The Blood Slaughter Ruler gave up on fleeing. He stared coldly at Jian Chen, remaining on guard.

He did not dare to launch an attack either. He knew he could not kill Jian Chen instantly, but Jian Chen definitely could unleash his trump card instantly.

As a result, he only attempted to convince Jian Chen through words, wanting to make him reconsider the consequences involved.

Jian Chen smiled eerily. In the next moment, sword intent rushed out and a strand of Profound Sword Qi silently appeared over his head.

As soon as the Profound Sword Qi appeared, the Blood Slaughter Ruler’s face immediately changed drastically. With a wave of his hand, over a dozen defensive medium quality god artifacts appeared out of thin air, wrapping around him like a fortress.

Even though he had broken through to the Third Heavenly Layer, the Blood Slaughter Ruler was still extremely fearful of the Profound Sword Qi.

Swish!

Suddenly, the Profound Sword Qi shot out as a dazzling streak of light. It moved extremely quickly, crossing the distance and directly flying towards the Blood Slaughter Ruler.

This time, Jian Chen chose to strike without any hesitation.

“Apologies, senior Feng. If this person remains alive, I’ll be faced with endless troubles.” Jian Chen sighed inside.

Chapter 3343: The Frenzied Blood Slaughter

Several tens of thousand kilometres away from Jian Chen and Blood Slaughter, the Heaven Fighting Ruler and the Jade Heaven Ruler arrived in the Peace region before anyone knew it. Both of them concealed their presences and hid away carefully, sensing the battle up ahead from far away.

“Jian Chen is finally using that trump card of his. Sigh, I’ve already waited over a decade for this day. Once Blood Slaughter is dead, I’ll finally be able to sleep in peace.” The Heaven Fighting Ruler smiled in relief when he sensed the sword Qi in the distance. “Jian Chen is not particularly ambitious. With Blood Slaughter dead, it’s no problem even if we let him have the Scarlet Blood Domain. I don’t possess desires as great as Blood Slaughter. Just maintaining the current stable situation is enough.”

“The Wood Spirits World will finally have some peace,” The Jade Heaven Ruler who also concealed herself in the space there murmured as well. Her furrowed brows finally loosened at this moment.

Ever since the Blood Slaughter Ruler reached the Third Heavenly Layer of Chaotic Prime, he did indeed give Heaven Fighting and Jade Heaven unprecedented pressure.

Strength at the Third Heavenly Layer combined with eight ancestral imprints was completely sufficient to overwhelm the two of them at the same time.

Without Jian Chen, perhaps the entire Wood Spirits World would become the Blood Slaughter Ruler’s territory after some time.

Now that Jian Chen had finally used his trump card, the Jade Heaven Ruler felt relief as well.

“Blood Slaughter is already at the Third Heavenly Layer and he’s brought so many defensive god artifacts with him. We don’t know whether Jian Chen’s trump card can kill Blood Slaughter. However, even if it can’t, Blood Slaughter will definitely be heavily injured. If he survives, we’ll take action immediately and kill him off for good with Jian Chen,” said the Heaven Fighting Ruler.

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The Jade Heaven Ruler nodded, clearly agreeing with him over this!

“Stop it! Stop it! It has to stop it! This is Jian Chen’s final trump card! As long as I survive this moment, no one will be able to threaten me anymore in the Wood Spirits World!”

At the same time, he did not hold back at all with the energy in his body. It immediately surged into the Divine Armour of Heavenflight as he did his best to unleash its defences as a high quality god artifact.

However, all of his efforts were useless before the Profound Sword Qi. The Profound Sword Qi seemed to move through a different space altogether, passing through the dozen or so medium quality defensive god artifacts before piercing the Blood Slaughter Ruler’s Divine Armour of Heavenflight, plunging into his forehead.

The Profound Sword Qi seemed unstoppable. All the defensive medium quality god artifacts as well as the high quality god artifact that the Blood Slaughter Ruler had specially prepared seemed to lose all of their supposed powers before the Profound Sword Qi, like they were just pointless decor.

At that instant, an extremely tiny wound appeared on the Blood Slaughter Ruler’s forehead.

That was the wound left behind by the Profound Sword Qi.

His eyes blanked out, filled with lingering shock and fear. The Profound Sword Qi pierced all of his defences, such that even the Divine Armour of Heavenflight became useless. That had truly frightened him.

But at this moment, dazzling light shone from the Blood Slaughter Ruler, encasing his entire body.

The Blood Slaughter Ruler's blank eyes swivelled around. Shock and fear lingered in his eyes, but there was also a sense of surprise as if something unexpected had occurred, leaving him blanked out.

Jian Chen stared firmly at the Blood Slaughter Ruler with a great frown. His face was filled with surprise too.

The Blood Slaughter Ruler remained stunned for several seconds before finally returning to his senses. Shortly afterwards, a strange smile gradually appeared on his face. The smile rapidly expanded, turning into intense joy very soon, filling his entire heart. He could not help but laugh aloud.

"Hahahahahaha!"

His laughter rolled out like thunder, echoing through the surroundings. The sound waves formed visible ripples that shook up the space there.

He laughed extremely madly, like he was trying to express all of the joy inside him.

"Jian Chen, you didn't expect this, did you? My ancestral imprints can stop your trump card. The trump card you take so much pride in is actually useless against me." The Blood Slaughter Ruler's eyes were filled with frenzied joy as his body shook. He laughed madly.

"Hahahaha, if I had known earlier that ancestral imprints could block your trump card, why would I have feared you at all over all those years?"

"You're utterly despicable. I've feared your trump card down to my very bones over the past few years. That was also the exact reason why I put up with you for all this time. I stayed silent and put up with your provocation time after time, as I had no confidence that I could withstand your trump card."

"But never did I think that your trump card can't even harm me. Hahaha, it can't harm me at all. Your trump card is useless against me."

"My fear of you was completely unnecessary."

"Hahaha, hehehe, huhuhu, why should I fear you? Why should I fear you? Why? Why?"

At that moment, the Blood Slaughter Ruler seemed like he had been triggered by something. He acted like a madman. Within his intense storm of expressions was a certain twistedness, which made him seem extremely terrifying. "In particular, when you used your trump card to threaten me outside Magic Emperor city back then, forcing me to flee in front of so many people and humiliating myself. Damn you. You deserve to die."

"Jian Chen, you deserve a horrible death."

The Blood Slaughter Ruler only became more furious the more he thought about everything that happened in the past. He ground his teeth as his voice sounded like the grim reaper's, "Jian Chen, I will

make you experience a thousand fold of the humiliation you gave me the other day. I will make you wish you were dead. I will make you wish you were dead!”

The Blood Slaughter Ruler bellowed as his presence surged. His battle prowess as a Third Heavenly Layer Chaotic Prime was completely unleashed, directly slashing towards Jian Chen with his sword.

At that moment, he completely tossed aside his qualms and struck fearlessly.

With that slash, even the space itself seemed to be cut open. The Blood Slaughter Ruler’s sword locked onto Jian Chen with blinding light.

“A cultivation at the Third Heavenly Layer and the eight ancestral imprints has pushed Blood Slaughter’s true battle prowess to the peak of the Third Heavenly Layer, or even almost into the ranks of the Fourth Heavenly Layer. My injuries have yet to heal, so my strength is severely affected. I can’t afford a direct clash with him,” Jian Chen thought. The Laws of Space pulsed around him as he immediately moved several thousand metres away.

“Hahahaha, Jian Chen, I’d like to see just what you still have that stands a chance against me.” The Blood Slaughter Ruler laughed madly. His eyes surged with killing intent. His hatred for Jian Chen even surpassed his hate towards the Heaven Fighting Ruler and the Jade Heaven Ruler.

He had never suffered any humiliation in his battle against Heaven Fighting and Jade Heaven. There were victories and defeats, but he did not lose any dignity.

However, when he confronted Jian Chen, he truly had lost all sense of pride. He experienced more humiliation than ever before in life.

He swallowed a few God Tier pills for recovery before charging towards Jian Chen aggressively with his sword.

Suddenly, the presences of another two Chaotic Primes appeared. The Jade Heaven Ruler and the Heaven Fighting Ruler appeared. They were both stern, slashing out with their medium quality god artifact swords at the same time.

Swish! Swish!

Two blinding streaks of light erupted. The Jade Heaven Ruler and the Heaven Fighting Ruler’s swords clashed against the Blood Slaughter Ruler’s god artifact, leading to a devastating boom. Powerful energy swept through the surroundings, forming a terrifying storm that cleared the sky and sank the ground.

The Blood Slaughter Ruler’s sword shone brightly and illuminated the surroundings with dazzling light, immediately obliterating the energy attacks from the Heaven Fighting Ruler and the Jade Heaven Ruler.

The Heaven Fighting Ruler let out a grunt and was immediately launched away. Even the Jade Heaven Ruler was forced into a retreat.

With a single attack, the Blood Slaughter Ruler had overwhelmed Heaven Fighting and Jade Heaven alone.

Before he had broken through, he could fend off the combined efforts from Heaven Fighting and Jade Ruler through his eight ancestral imprints, but the difference between them was not this great.

Now that he had broken through, the Heaven Fighting Ruler and the Jade Heaven Ruler were no longer his opponent.