

Emperor 3031

### [Chapter 3031: Eat Your Dragon?](#)

The empress could finally relax after hearing this. She bowed again and said: “Thank you for taking it easy on us, Dao Brother.”

“You should be thanking yourself for being smart and know who you can oppose or otherwise. It’s fine to be flexible and give up at times.” Li Qiye shook his head.

He was being quite direct but she took it very well with a smile.

In actuality, it wasn’t easy for an Everlasting like her to accept defeat. In the eyes of many, someone like her conceding was humiliating.

Other Everlastings would never be able to do something like this. Some would rather die in battle. She was much more broad-minded in this respect, knowing when to be flexible.

“Haha, your court has a very good bloodline, very good. Of course, it’s still no match for mine, far inferior.” The bull laughed and said.

“Stop boasting, this girl’s bloodline isn’t that much weaker than yours.” Li Qiye stopped the bull.

“Hah, still not as good as mine, see?” The bull seemed immensely proud of itself.

Li Qiye only smiled since the bull’s bloodline was indeed incredible.

“I have heard of your tales before, Senior.” The empress cupped her fist in a humble manner towards the bull: “I hope you can guide me on bloodline evolution in the future.”

She utilized this opportunity to trap the bull into helping her.

“No problem, no problem.” The bull didn’t even realize it and happily said: “But Sir has been teaching me that there is no free lunch in this world. I can teach you but payments will be required. For example, this dragon of yours...”

It pointed at the violet dragon and salivated: “I’ve eaten many things but not a dragon with a true bloodline. It’s not quite pure but should still be nutritious and tasty enough.”

Saliva started streaming down the corner of its mouth. It seemed to be imagining a plate full of dragon meat already.

“Raa!” The violet dragon could understand and roared back at the bull.

“You’re quite funny, Senior.” The empress didn’t know what to say. This was her first time experiencing the bull’s black heart.

“I’m not joking at all.” It smiled: “A pot of dragon stew is so delicious. I captured an 800,000 flood-dragon in the past and it wasn’t bad at all. Yours should be even better...”

“Master, I thought you said you only ate grass...” Liu Yanbai suddenly jumped in.

“Of course, of course, but there are exceptions to everything. Just a little bit of extra nutrition by chance, you know? That’s the only way your master could live for so long...” The bull put on a righteous act.

“Only a villain can live for this long.” Li Qiye quipped.

“Gentlemen, I have other businesses to take care of and will have to leave for now. Our court welcomes you all as guests.” The empress suddenly said goodbye, afraid that the bull might actually eat her dragon.

After all, it didn’t look like it was kidding in the slightest.

“What a shame... my dragon stew...” The bull lamented after she left.

“Senior, you scared the lady away.” Holyfrost smilingly shook her head.

“Haha, the little girl is very smart, as smart as you even.” The bull said: “She’ll have a bright future for sure. It’s a shame that you don’t have the same ambition as her, no desire to become a hegemon.”

“I have plenty already.” She calmly smiled.

“It’s only authority.” Li Qiye shook his head: “The future is uncertain and even the greatest kingdom will fall, all one’s hopes and efforts can amount to nothing but vanity, can’t reach the apex.”

“True.” The bull agreed: “At your level, hegemony and authority are useless and ephemeral.”

“Nonetheless, this girl has good prospects, a capable strategist and a good commander. Divine Dragon Court will prosper under her rule if nothing out of the ordinary happens.” Li Qiye looked towards the empress’ departing direction.

“That’s too bad, seems like I won’t be eating dragon meat any time later on.” The bull shook its head.

Holyfrost pondered for a moment. In terms of cultivation, they seemed evenly matched. However, she accepted inferiority when it came to ambition and influence.

Due to her peaceful temperament, she didn’t mind staying at Northern Academy to search for the dao forever. Taking over the world wasn’t on her agenda.

The group continued onward. This boundless golden land seemed to have no end.

They weren’t in a rush. Li Qiye and even the bull were trying to sense something.

“A battle happened here, at least five progenitors were involved.” The bull calculated the remnant traces and auras.

“This meteor is even older than expected. Stronger and older existences have come here; there are some seals left behind as well.” Li Qiye said.

“Right, extremely strong.” The bull nodded in agreement: “I’m sure that this is an ace card meant for Three Immortals now, that’s why it finally flew out of the expanse. Maybe everything was prepared for the incoming days.”

Li Qiye didn’t respond to this conjecture.

Holyfrost has also been studying the land. However, she couldn't compare to Li Qiye and the bull so she stayed quiet to listen and learn more.

The sky slowly turned dark after a while. Dark energy flowed above - an ominous sign.

All living beings here seemed to be running back to their nest after this change.

The air became suffocating and tense, akin to the winds before a downpour causing people to be alarmed.

"Go, we need to get to a temple now!" The cultivators nearby noticed the black clouds and hurried up.

"Why? Is something the matter?" Someone who had only gotten here didn't know.

"Don't ask, we need to go or death awaits us." A big shot shouted and ran as fast as possible.

"Whoosh!" An evil wind suddenly appeared in the horizon, as bizarre as can be. The sky darkened greatly, nearly turning into the night.

Thick, black clouds emerged, seemingly blotting out the entire world. People felt as if a black blanket was thrown over them.

"The darkness is here, we need to get to a temple now!" Another shouted.

"Fast, I know there's one ahead!" One expert rushed forward.

"Whoosh!" The black clouds kept on lowering, very close to the ground now.

"Ah!" The clouds immediately swallowed everything like a locust plague. A weaker cultivator was caught and screamed. His flesh was completely devoured, leaving behind a white skeleton.

"What the hell?!" The first-timers shouted in horror.

"Go! Go!" One big shot warned the crowd.

A powerful True God became the next target of the darkness and was drowned out completely.

He was quite powerful and had defensive halos. Unfortunately, his barriers didn't last long against the tides of darkness.

### [Chapter 3032: Black Sand](#)

"Run!" Everyone ran in a panic, wanting to get to the temple.

"Hu-rrry! There's one ahead!" Someone saw a temple ahead and ran as fast as possible, mustering all of his strength.

Screams resounded everywhere during the escaping process. Many didn't make it to the temple or weren't strong enough to stop the strange darkness. Only bones were left of them.

"Whoosh!" A devilish wind blew near Holyfrost and the others. Darkness instantly coiled around them.

"Buzz." Holyfrost became shrouded in a holy radiance as if she was a divine lamp.

The darkness still overwhelmed her while missing strange noises. Fiendish entities came next.

These fiends were different from what she had seen before. Usually, they had the shape of a fog, not as tangible as the black sands attacking her this time around.

The black sands had mouth and teeth that issue grinding noises as if they could chew anything with life.

Some of her light was being crushed, akin to a field being ravaged by a swarm of locusts. However, she was still a twelve-palace emperor and finally got serious.

“Boom!” Her light erupted and went on the offensive.

“Pop!” Tiniest strings of light pierced through the individual black grains and instantly refined them into smoke.

“Whoosh!” However, the storm of darkness seemed unrelenting. More came to drown her out.

It seemed that her purification didn’t actually matter due to the endless amount of darkness.

“Blah, something sinister is at work here.” The bull had no heroism in its blood and instantly ran for the temple in the distance.

Its speed was insane as it got there and left the black sands behind.

Holyfrost saw her senior running shamelessly so there was no point for her to keep on resisting. She instantly entered the temple as well.

They saw that many people were crowding inside. These men were clearly experienced and got here before the start of the fiendish winds.

“Whoosh!” The winds continued ravaging the area along with the black sands.

They surrounded the entire temple but strangely enough, they couldn’t get in the wide-open entrance of the temple. There was no wooden door or anything blocking the way.

This protection stemmed from a faint glow, seemingly eternal. Someone has blessed this place with divinity before to block the darkness out.

“Zzz...” The sound of what seems to be a million ants chewing echoed outside. They eventually formed a gigantic jaw and continued biting. Alas, the temple stood strong.

This was a frightening experience for those inside. However, they realized that not even a single grain could get in and eventually calmed down.

The next course of action was to greet Holyfrost Emperor. After all, a twelve-palace emperor commanded respect everywhere, especially one with a light affinity in these dark hours.

If the temple were to fall, at least she was still around. This made them feel much safer.

“Interesting, very interesting.” The bull ignored the crowd and studied the temple.

The place was made from rocks piled up in a coarse manner as if the builders just picked whatever was available on the spot. There was no planning outside of stacking these rocks.

Moreover, no worshipping entity could be found inside, completely empty, and seemingly built as an asylum.

The bull once again proved its exceptional vision and wisdom. It could sense an eternal power despite the basic appearance of the temple.

A supreme overlord had left it here since the olden days. This power far exceeded common wisdom. Its eyes lit up, thinking about taking this temple away if possible.

“We’re so lucky that there’s a temple right here.” One cultivator patted their chest and heaved a sigh of relief.

“Don’t worry, they scatter on this path.” An expert who has been here for a while said: “And this wind and sand come at the right time each day. That’s why we just need to be in a temple at the right time then we can leave when they’re gone.”

“I see.” Many nearby felt much better.

“But what are those things? Why are they so damn horrifying?” This question came next.

The black sands could instantly devour someone. Not even powerful True Gods could withstand them.

Of course, no one here could answer. Some cast a glance towards Holyfrost because she was the most powerful and knowledgeable one here.

Alas, she wasn’t in a mood to answer because she noticed that Li Qiye wasn’t here!

In the beginning, she ran away with the bull and didn’t pay attention to Li Qiye. Plus, he didn’t need them to worry about him either. They only needed to take care of themselves.

Now, it looked like he didn’t follow them into the temple.

“Senior, the young noble isn’t here.” Holyfrost told the bull that was still investigating the temple.

“Don’t worry about him.” The bull didn’t care: “He’ll survive anything. He probably wants to do something, just don’t become his burden.”

It knew that this black sand wouldn’t be able to kill Li Qiye.

“I saw the young noble outside when we got in.” Liu Yanbai sitting on top of the bull revealed.

Holyfrost calmed down, thinking that Li Qiye must have had a reason for staying outside and that he should be strong enough to survive.

“Whoosh!” The winds and sands continued to engulf the world, blotting out the sun and moon.

Because of this, those standing outside wouldn’t be able to see their hands in front of them, destined to be devoured by the fiends.

So many big shots were overly confident and ended up dying after struggling for a long while.

### [Chapter 3033: Hidden Figure](#)

Li Qiye stood outside, letting the winds and black sands engulf him.

The devouring process couldn't hurt him in the slightest since he exuded a faint light.

It looked like a candle in the wind, on the verge of extinguishing. However, it was enough to render the barrages ineffective.

He gazed at the world and measured the realms. The vast fabrics of reality and the myriad dao were captured in his eyes.

Not a single grain of sand could elude his eyes. He clearly saw the outlines of each individual one. It was impossible to conceal anything from his all-seeing gaze.

He stood as still as a statue. This lasted for a while before he leaped to the sky with insane speed.

However, the world was still covered by the black sand so no one could actually see him.

He reached out in the next second and shouted: "Open!"

His palm sealed the nine heavens and ten earths. Everything came to a halt including the billowing sands and powerful winds. The only thing moving right now was Li Qiye.

"Buzz." Space seemingly melted under his reach into a door.

The moment he reached into this spatial void, his hand came out in another area. It had crossed through time and space in order to figure something out.

The result of this attempt was the emergence of a gigantic wind tunnel capable of sucking in everything.

However, this wind tunnel turned out to be the source of the black sands. This didn't scare Li Qiye in the slightest. He reached into the opening.

"Pop!" The wind tunnel tried to close under the control of a supreme power in order to stop the invader.

Li Qiye snorted; his eyes became fierce. Dao runes appeared, turning his palm into the hand of the high heaven - the ruler of all.

No one and no power could resist his reach. It successfully pierced through the defensive lines of the wind tunnel, aiming for the deepest location in there.

"Pop!" He closed his hand but didn't get any item.

The wind tunnel gradually became transparent, seemingly wanting to disappear.

"Too late for that!" Li Qiye added power to his hand, allowing it to seal the past itself. This made it impossible for the wind tunnel to escape.

"Open!" He finally used his other hand and reached into the wind tunnel again. His fingers began calculating the source of it all.

"Buzz." The wind tunnel became unstable, on the verge of exploding.

Unfortunately, Li Qiye stabilized and forced it back to its original form.

Transformations started happening - a boundless land, a flame engulfing the sky, endless void...

As he got closer to the end, its origin finally emerged. The wind tunnel was nowhere to be found now. Li Qiye was holding a boundless ocean with its own celestial and dao system. Numerous phenomena and strange spectacles could be seen.

“Uncrossable Expanse.” Li Qiye’s eyes narrowed as he uttered coldly.

“It’s not what I want.” He shot out peerless fiery rays from his eyes with unquestionable willpower - enough to subdue everything.

Even progenitors would tremble in fear. They broke through all illusions and forced the thing to show its true self.

“Pop!” The expanse suddenly turned into never-ending darkness just like a bottomless abyss.

The abyss would gaze back at anyone spying on it and begin devouring their soul, turning them into a part of the darkness.

However, Li Qiye’s gaze persevered and continued onward. Unfortunately, how could one get through a bottomless abyss? It seemingly had no end.

Even if it did have a final destination, it was farther than the end of the world. One could see the latter but not the former.

“Hmph.” Li Qiye pulled back his hands and touched his forehead with one finger, and another finger on his heart.

He began chanting: “Let my will be done, break the ages and show the origin with my unbreakable heart...”

His chest unleashed a power capable of tearing everything apart. His dao heart finally made its entrance while his heavenly gaze became resplendent.

This allowed him to peer through time regardless of the era. Everything became as clear as pictures.

The past, present, and future have been suppressed by his dao heart. He could figure out everything during this investigation.

“What power is this?!” Meanwhile, everyone else in the world felt themselves being frozen.

The strongest emperors and the mightiest progenitors took a deep breath, not knowing the source of this force. It seemed that someone was messing with the time flow by traveling freely through it.

“Someone’s passing through?” Even the progenitors were startled.

In history, no one has ever been able to truly cross from one era to another. Doing so with their true form would result in unimaginable destruction. The entire river of time would collapse and the intruder would also turn to ashes.

Meanwhile, Li Qiye’s dao heart was weakening the boundless darkness. He could see a figure hidden deep down there now. This place was unreachable and barely had any light.

The location of this figure was at the highest spot, impossible to be traced by anyone. Alas, Li Qiye's dao heart had done the impossible.

The figure noticed this right away. In the next second, a pop could be heard and the image shattered like a broken mirror. It turned into bubbles and disappeared, same with the winds and black sands.

"Hmm, strong and cautious?" Li Qiye praised: "No wonder why the geezer said that it did a good job hiding. Looks like finding it again won't be easy."

He smiled and didn't try again because he was too far away. Plus, this wasn't his target anyway.

### [Chapter 3034: Boot-licking](#)

"The winds and sands are gone!" Someone inside the temple noticed a lack of commotion outside and shouted.

"Right, they're gone now." Others came to take a look and noticed that the evil entities have disappeared.

"Strange, why is it so short this time? It lasted for more than half a day the last time." An experienced big shot came out of the temple and said.

"We gotta go, I heard people found an island in the fiery ocean!" An expert didn't want to waste time and headed deeper into the land.

Meanwhile, Holyfrost Emperor and the bull exchanged glances. They were powerful enough to actually comprehend the level of the suppression earlier.

The other experts felt something akin to a dream - it came and left quickly, not leaving a deep impression. They weren't strong enough to notice the temporal affinity.

This wasn't the case for these two. The eternal suppression had been carved into their mind. Plus, they knew the source as well and why the evil entities were gone now - Li Qiye!

When they got out of the temple, they found him standing outside with both hands behind his back, looking calm as if nothing had happened.

They took a careful look but didn't notice anything. Li Qiye didn't seem like he had been in a battle or used his power to suppress the ages.

They would have thought that it was just a dream like the rest if it wasn't for the indelible impression.

"What were those evil entities? They seemed unstoppable." Holyfrost asked.

Given her power, she could have stopped and purified the wind and sand for a short while. However, they seemed endless and her holy power had limitations. She would have suffered the same fate as the victim eventually.

"Just a single strand of greed feeding." Li Qiye said.

"Just one strand?" Holyfrost shuddered. That thing was extremely horrifying enough already; what about the actual being?



“Far more powerful than your imagination.” He could read her mind and said: “This strand of greed was released from a very long ago and in a casual manner. It can be so much stronger otherwise.

She took a deep breath, thinking that this being might be above their realm of comprehension.

The world believed progenitors to be the strongest. However, she knew better than that. For example, the three immortals!

“Did you see it, Sir?” The bull laughed and said.

“Just a glance.” Li Qiye nodded: “Even more cautious than expected, it’s going to be a headache. That’s why it hasn’t been found.”

“I knew it, this piece of crap wouldn’t have left Uncrossable Expanse for no reason, same with the expedition ship. It’s an ongoing contest.” The bull laughed.

“Three Immortals is very lucky.” Li Qiye looked towards the horizon and said.

“Haha, it’ll stay lucky.” The bull added: “Because you’re here, Sir. It has no chance of escaping if you want to kill it.”

“Don’t be so quick to flatter me, I won’t be taking credit for this. It’s the hard work of your wise sages. They have paid a heavy price and are still trying.” Li Qiye shook his head.

“So have you.” The bull didn’t stop flattering: “And in the future, your battle will determine the fate of the universe. That’s the ultimate contribution, no one else can compare to you...”

It was truly shameless in this regard.

“Master, you’re making it too obvious.” Liu Yanbai got goosebumps after listening to her master.

“Little girl, you’re a frog under the well right now, I’m being very serious. You’ll find out later on.” The bull put on a rare serious expression and told its disciple.

This was her first time seeing this expression because normally, it didn’t give a damn about anything.

“Your master is trying hard in its own way.” Li Qiye chuckled.

Others would find the bull to be an unbearable sycophant. However, Holyfrost actually felt respect for it.

The bull wasn’t doing it for its own sake but rather everyone else in Three Immortals. This would end up saving so many living beings here.

Remember, the bull was a brilliant creature as well, extremely prestigious and noble. Alas, it threw away its pride in order to protect Three Immortals and its inhabitants. This realistic act was far more effective than the big shots who only spew false heroism and morality.

“Let’s go.” Li Qiye smiled and continued ahead. The bull laughed and carried his disciple right after along with Holyfrost.

“Will the wind and sand return?” Holyfrost stared at the calm sky and asked.

“That doesn’t matter since those things are only tiny branches. One strand of greed is nothing, it’s what coming after that’s terrifying, the important part of the play.” Li Qiye shook his head.

“Hmm...” Holyfrost felt a chill inside.

“The vanguard is coming very soon, that’s all I know. It’s hard predicting anything else because these beings are unpredictable.” Li Qiye’s eyes pierced through the ages as he answered.

She took a deep breath and nodded.

“Haha, everything will settle once you enter Uncrossable Expanse, peace will come.” The bull said.

“It’s not as simple as you say and I won’t be hanging at the expanse or too long. We’ll see how patient they’ll be.” Li Qiye smiled.

“I’m sure nothing but success awaits you once you’re there.” The bull had complete confidence in Li Qiye.

“I’m certainly excited since that is where I’ll reach perfection.” Li Qiye said.

Going to the expanse wasn’t on a whim for him. He had his own plans outside of being curious about certain things. Most importantly, it would serve as a training and polishing opportunity for his new system - a chance to perfect it.

The group eventually felt a roasting heatwave before reaching their destination, one far more direct than the previous. It was akin to having lava poured on one’s cheeks.

A mortal would never be able to handle this. They would instantly be turned into ashes by this point.

The golden world wasn’t there for the group either, replaced by an ocean of lava as far as the eye can see. This scorching liquid painted the ground red.

They oozed out from the ground like a spring with immense intensity. This looked like a cataclysm - everything was melding away.

This was no lava but rather a type of flame ravaging the entire meteor.

“A terrible type of flame.” Everyone became cautious after seeing this.

Many experts could withstand high temperatures and avoid fire. They themselves possessed powerful true fires capable of refining everything.

However, they were still afraid of this true flame in liquid form. It was capable of burning Eternals once trapped.

“Don’t touch it or you’ll die without a grave.” A big shot warned those nearby.

Unfortunately, another had touched the lava with his shoe. The moment this happened, true flame gushed out of the lava.

It was just a spark but it instantly incinerated this person. He screamed in agony before turning into ashes scattering into the lava.

“Damn.” An Everlasting gasped, realizing that this flame was at the progenitorial level.

Fortunately, this was only a remnant of the actual flame left behind since a very long time ago. The actual thing would be insane.

### [Chapter 3035: Smell](#)

The lava itself was tolerable but inside were bubbles containing the true flame. Once these bubbles were broken, little sparks powerful enough to take down anything would escape.

That’s why those treading on the lava exercised utmost caution in order to avoid the actual flame.

“Look over there.” Holyfrost said with a grave tone while pointing forward.

Everyone looked over and noticed something deeper in the lava. There was an infusion of sword rays among the flames.

There existed an adage - the water of Yellow River came from heaven itself. At this moment, it felt as if the ocean of fire came from heaven.

The deepest part of this ocean was also the highest, akin to an erupting volcano. It stood at the center, tall enough to pierce the sky. The true flame was emanating from its mouth. It burned and reduced everything to lava, hence the ocean.

Upon careful inspection, one would also find a sword energy lingering on that volcano. It spread ten million miles and reached their area as well.

One could see a flashing glint there as if there was a divine sword pinned in that place. It penetrated the earth and shut down all affinities.

This gave the sensation that the sword was stopping this rampaging volcano. If it wasn’t around, the true flame would ooze out and annihilate everything.

Thus, the sword allowed this world to exist.

“Such powerful sword energy.” Holyfrost took a deep breath, noticing that even a brilliant progenitor would be suppressed beneath.

“It’s more than that. It’s an undying will and obsession too.” The bull quietly said.

“A battle for the ages, enough to inform the descendants of a few things.” Li Qiye observed the volcano before adding.

“Could you elaborate?” Holyfrost asked. This terrible battle turned this world into lava on top of leaving behind an undying will.

“What else can it be but an internal battle between progenitors? The auras are obvious on this battlefield.” The bull laughed.

Once again, Holyfrost had a hard time accepting this reality despite her suspicion and the evidence.

“Let’s keep going, we’ll get an answer soon enough.” Li Qiye smiled and stepped into the lava.

He naturally had no fear of this true flame. His eyes have been fixated on one target - the deepest area of this ocean of fire, the place to get an answer. Internal strife clearly happened here, resulting in this ultimate battle.

Holyfrost and the bull didn't have any trouble following him either.

The ocean spanned ten million miles. Though the group didn't need to be as cautious as the other cultivators, it still took some time to make it to the end.

"Someone found an oasis ahead, let's hurry up, there should be good stuff here." Someone ahead of them shouted and increased their speed, not worrying about the danger.

Others also followed suit and headed for this oasis.

"Do you smell anything?" Li Qiye stopped and took a deep breath before looking at the bull.

"No." The bull did the same thing and smacked its lips then honestly answered.

Li Qiye gave it the side-eye which made the bull awkward. It turned towards Holyfrost and asked: "Little girl, what about you?"

She copied them and carefully tasted the air: "I don't sense anything."

"Haha, even the girl can't sense anything, not everyone has a dog nose like yours, so sharp." The bull laughed and teased Li Qiye.

"Didn't you say you have eaten nine-pistil golden grain before?" Li Qiye asked the bull.

"Well, even if I did, it's not omnipotent, I can't smell and figure out everything." The bull smiled awkwardly and hesitated.

"Sure, so you didn't eat one. What about those leaves from the old demon, you surely ate them. These are immortal-grade items." Li Qiye continued.

"Hehehe, I still remember their taste right now." The bull arched its chest proudly.

Li Qiye only stared in response.

"Fine, I'll definitely smell something." The bull didn't like this gaze from Li Qiye and became annoyed. It took a deep breath and carefully savored the air. It closed its eyes, seemingly asleep.

"This is..." It opened its eyes after a while; its bell-like eyes flashed like two moons.

"It smells like lingzhi, very old. Probably immortal-grade?" The bull murmured.

"So there's an immortal item here?!" It then shouted.

"Just missing one tiny bit, very tiny bit." Li Qiye elaborated.

"Right, it's definitely an immortal lingzhi then. Hmm, I don't know what type exactly, but the grade is indeed amazing. Of course, still not on the same level as a nine-pistil golden grain." It carefully smelled for the second time.

It then rushed forward, afraid that someone else might take it first.

Li Qiye shook his head and followed right behind the bull.

“I don’t think it’ll be easy taking an item of this level.” Holyfrost hurried as well.

“Yes, it would be long gone now if it were easy instead of still waiting here.” Li Qiye smiled.

“Young Noble, does Nine-pistil Golden Grain truly exist?” Holyfrost couldn’t help but ask while glancing at the bull ahead.

It has always bragged about eating this grain before but she knew that this was an immortal-grade item. No one has seen it before.

“It does.” Li Qiye smiled and said: “As for that thing eating one? Who knows...”

Holyfrost didn’t pursue the matter since Li Qiye stopped talking.

There existed a floating oasis on this ocean of fire. It looked like an independent island.

“It’s here!” The bull shouted and rushed in.

Li Qiye and Holyfrost also stepped on this floating oasis and were greeted by a refreshing sensation.

Verdant and thick foliage appeared before them along with trees and vines.

One would have a hard time believing that this oasis was floating on an ocean of fire. This was truly a sight to behold. How did someone create this spectacle?

“I heard there’s an immortal lingzhi ahead.” A cultivator ahead couldn’t help revealing.

“Really?” Those who had just gotten here became crazily excited and hastened their speed.

### [Chapter 3036: Oasis Island](#)

The oasis - a scene of green with creeks and streams, along with a pleasant freshness.

One would start thinking - how the hell did this oasis get here among the fiery ocean?

The place was full of vibrant life force; people couldn’t help feeling comfortable here, akin to being in a desert and finding a spring. It was indeed that sweet.

“How strange, we’ve actually been through here before and this island wasn’t there.” One expert felt strange.

“This place is awfully mysterious and isn’t fixed in place, shifting in and out of appearance. Seeing it right now is a fortune for us.” Another big shot noticed it.

“I see, no wonder why we didn’t see it before.” Others understood after listening.

“A magical place like this usually has an amazing artifact.” One ancestor from a big sect added.

“It’s right ahead, actually. Someone said that it was an immortal lingzhi.” An elder couldn’t wait and rushed ahead after shouting.

Others heard him and delved deeper into the island. After all, the majority of people here came for treasures. How could they miss a meteor originating from Uncrossable Expanse?

They eventually found a sizable lake deeper on this island along with cool and wet breezes. The water was as green as jade, looking quite beautiful.

The most magical thing was a spring of lava at the center of the lake. However, the lava couldn't infiltrate and mix with the lake water regardless of how much came out. An invisible power seemed to be separating the two.

The lava spring made the center area full of steam, causing it to be indistinct.

Of course, the spring wasn't the most tempting thing for the spectators. All focus was on a lingzhi root growing there - resplendent from top to bottom as if it were carved from ice and snow. It exuded an extremely cold energy. It had strings of golden lines that were very vibrant, looking like a golden liquid flowing around it.

The combination of ice and gold made the root quite beautiful. One could smell its medicinal fragrance from afar - definitely the unique characteristic of a lingzhi.

It seemed faint but clearly had an ice affinity with a touch of five-element divine gold.

After taking a deep breath, one would feel a golden liquid flowing through them, clearing all the meridians and paths.

"It's amazing, definitely an immortal grade!" Even a fool that knew nothing about alchemy could tell that it was special.

Just imagine, this lingzhi grew in an extremely hot lava spring yet still had a cold affinity. What else could it be if not special?

"I can't believe it." A few big shots who have just gotten here had a glint in their eyes, eager to give it a shot.

Everyone's heart started beating faster before this amazing item.

"Hmm, I think I have seen this lingzhi described in an ancient mat before." An alchemist at the Eternal realm murmured.

"Senior, could you elaborate?" The ones nearby inquired.

"If I'm not mistaken..." He pondered before answering: "This lingzhi is the legendary Golden Iceflame Lingzhi, definitely at the immortal grade."

Meanwhile, the bull has made it here and also saw the root in the middle of the lake and shouted: "Golden Iceflame! Hmm, not comparable to what I've eaten before but it's not bad. My disciple, I will take it for you since it will help you become an invincible emperor."

It didn't have too much patience left, wanting to take it right now.

"What? One can become an emperor right away after eating it?" The experts nearby were shaken, almost becoming drunk.

Becoming an emperor was the dream for many prodigies here. They would pay any price for it if this creature was right.

“Go!” Several young experts leaped towards the middle of the lake. Alas, they suddenly disappeared, seemingly entering a different dimension.

“Ahh!” They screamed once they emerged again, incinerated from top to bottom before becoming ashes.

“What’s going on?” Many shuddered at this sight.

“It’s not that easy to take a wondrous natural resource.” An older big shot shook his head.

“Haha, an Eternal tried and got turned to ashes earlier.” Someone who got here earlier sneered.

In fact, those who came early knew the danger. That’s why they didn’t risk rushing in.

“This is stealing the fortune and creation of heaven and earth. A big fortune is accompanied by appropriate danger.” An ancestor carefully mused for a while.

He lost his patience as well and took one step into the lake. The scene before him disappeared - the lake was nowhere to be found, only surging lava. The waves were high enough to drown the entire area; the temperature rose to an insane level.

People felt as if they had returned to an ocean of fire once more. This didn’t seem like an illusion at all.

Taking one step meant changing the geography completely in a magical manner. This place had this special characteristic after accumulating the natural essences of the world. That’s why the lingzhi grew in this spot.

A while later, the ancestor emerged again, a lot closer to the lingzhi this time. In the next second, he flashed into disappearance.

“Can he do it?” Some people became nervous, afraid that the lingzhi might be taken by this ancestor.

“Haha, keep watching, it’s not that easy.” An early arriver said.

“Ah!” A scream could be heard not long after. The ancestor emerged once more on the lake but now, something had pierced through his chest.

Blood gushed out from the hole as he fell down from the sky.

“Damn!” Some spectators had no clue what was going on. They took a deep breath after seeing the death of this mighty ancestor.

“Haha, I see.” The bull laughed, very pleased with itself: “So nine dimensions of dao fortunes, amazing, this place is incredible.”

“My good disciple, wait here, I’m going to take it now.” The bull let the girl down and prepared to enter.

All eyes were on this bull now. Many have seen it before and knew just how strong it was - definitely not someone to trifle with.

“Don’t. Someone is in there already, pass it up this time.” However, Li Qiye stopped the bull and shook his head.

### [Chapter 3037: Golden Iceflame Lingzhi](#)

“Pass it up?” The bull laughed and took another look at the lake with its big eyes.

“This brat? I was only deriving earlier and didn’t see him, not bad at all.” It became surprised after a while: “Forget it then, I’ll listen to you this time.”

This made people feel much better despite not really knowing what was going on. Nonetheless, it seemed that the bull wasn’t going to try anymore because it might actually be able to do it.

“Let’s give it a shot.” Other ancestors lost their cool and went into the lake together.

“Ah!” Sure enough, they fell from the sky a while later, completely bathed in their own blood.

“Silver Lake Sacred Monarch...” Someone recognized one of the victims.

“How many people came in?” Another asked.

“Eight-battle Sacred Monarch, Celestial True God, Leisureless Lord...” One person started counting.

The rest breathed deeply after hearing the names of these big shots.

“Ah!” Two more big shots stained the lake with their blood.

“That’s Eight-battle Sacred Monarch and Leisureless Lord...” A spectator bellowed.

“What happened to them...” One elder’s voice trembled because he knew just how powerful they were. How could they die like this?

Meanwhile, Li Qiye stared at the lake and the lingzhi with no intention of joining in.

“It’s wondrous. It’s too bad that someone got ahead of us.” Holyfrost sighed and said.

“Not necessarily, it’s only because Sir is stopping me from competing with that brat or I would be faster.” The bull laughed.

“It’s a rare chance, just let him have it since you have tasted immortal-grade items before.” Li Qiye smiled and shook his head.

The bull shrugged in response: “The brat is lucky that even you are helping him. I hope he won’t let us down.”

“He should have no problem picking this lingzhi.” Holyfrost commented.

Ordinary experts only saw a lake but top existences like Li Qiye and the bull saw something else entirely - an ocean of lava with permeating evil fog along with chaotic space...

“Master, how come they disappear after entering?” Yanbai was too weak to see the hints. She saw several experts coming in and didn’t come out.

“You’re only seeing what’s in front of you, not actually the essences of this area.” The bull explained: “There are numerous dimensions in this lake. Taking one step would take you to a random one. A place of fortune like this has plenty of looming dangers, they’re proportional.”



Yanbai nodded, still looking a bit perplexed.

Several more screams resounded during their conversation, ending with corpses appearing in the lake.

“Buzz.” In the next second, a figure flashed on top of the water, then a second figure.

They rode on a treasure lotus - one male and one female, looking like a match made in heaven while standing shoulder to shoulder.

“Three-eyed Prodigy and Spiritheart Emperor.” A spectator blurted out. He was right, and these two looked like an amazing match.

“Buzz.” They disappeared and entered another dimension.

“Why are these two together?” Someone quietly asked.

Everyone exchanged glances in contemplation. They knew that Spiritheart and Metalkin War God were engaged. However, she looked quite close to the prodigy.

“They’re students of Academy of Light, going on an adventure together is normal.” One expert didn’t mind.

Of course, the majority rather not comment on this issue since it might get them in trouble.

“Buzz.” An ancient path stretched from the distance and descended next to the lake. A man walked down, standing there as if he was under the protection of a thousand sages.

“Shen Guzhan...” An audience member became surprised.

Shen Guzhan looked around and eventually noticed Li Qiye’s group. He told the crowd: “This lingzhi belongs to me.”

This warning naturally took the crowd like a storm.

“Oh, what a bold declaration.” The bull looked at the guy and laughed: “Actually go get it first before bragging.”

“You!” Shen Guzhan’s expression grew ugly, not liking the public insult.

“Brother Guzhan, you and I together are more than enough.” A clear voice resounded.

“Clank!” A female sword rider landed next to Shen Guzhan.

“Flying Sword Marvel!” People naturally recognized her.

She was famous for her cultivation but most importantly, she was Luminous Master’s sister-in-law. This was enough to deter anyone.

She snorted after seeing Li Qiye’s group, still holding a grudge. This just wasn’t the right time to act on it.

“Let’s go!” The two shouted at the same time and entered the lake.

They disappeared the moment they touched the water and appeared again in the next second.

“Boom!” Shen Guzhan was protected by the myriad dao as he walked on the ancient path. Flying Sword Marvel had thousands of divine swords floating around her.

One focused on offense; the other defense. They quickly made it through the first dimension.

“Rumble!” The two made it to the second dimension with an untouchable divinity, breaking through everything as if they were dried branches. The danger here wasn’t enough to hinder their path.

“So strong.” The spectators praised.

“So Three-eyed Prodigy and Spiritheart Emperor are a team, then we have Shen Guzhan and Flying Sword Marvel, who will be the first to get the lingzhi?” Someone murmured.

“Who knows? Three-eyed Prodigy and Spiritheart Emperor are almost at the ninth dimension now.” An ancestor who got here early revealed.

“Whoosh!” A golden ship arrived and interrupted the discussions.

“A vessel from Metalkin Divine Court.” An expert became startled.

Two military forces descended from above. They were clearly elites, evident by their fierce aura. It was as if they had just gotten here from a tough battlefield.

“Unrestrained Legion of the court.” People took a deep breath.

“I heard that this legion is on the same level as Divine Beast Legion. They don’t have that many men but are capable of fighting against imperial-level enemies.” Many retreated after sensing their bloodthirst.

Two people came out of the vessel - a man above thirty years of age and an old man wearing a servant robe but an official crest.

“Semi-sword God, the senior brother of Metalkin War God.” Someone recognized the middle-aged man.

“The other person is Metalkin War God’s servant who watched him grow up, he’s the current prime minister of the court.” Another added.

“So their army is here.” One more said.

“Violet Dragon Empress brought her legion here so it makes sense that Metalkin War God would also summon his own.” One expert commented.

### [Chapter 3038: Semi-sword God](#)

The sword god and prime minister of Metalkin Divine Court stood next to the lake and gazed at the lingzhi in the center. [1]

“His Majesty was right, there is indeed an immortal item appearing here.” The prime minister stared at the lingzhi with a golden glint in his eyes: “We must take this supreme item.”

Though he didn’t exude his aura, he was still a powerful Everlasting who watched Metalkin War God grew up. Outside of being Metalkin War God’s servant, he used to be an ancestor of the system then the protector of this youth.

Semi-sword God then shifted his gaze towards Li Qiye instead.

“You’re Fiercest?” He said with narrowed eyes.

Many paid attention to this conversation while holding their breath. They knew that Li Qiye had destroyed Metalkin War God’s dao avatar back in Sky Pass. This was nothing short of a feud.

Li Qiye ignored him because he was only here to look at the lingzhi.

“Daring to oppose the court and our race? Quite bold.” The sword god calmly said.

Though his tone remained calm, everyone felt a sword unsheathing and releasing its aura with the intent of decapitation.

“A fight, maybe?” A spectator shuddered after feeling the sword energy.

“Maybe, this sword god’s name is Niu Yunhao, quite powerful with a heavy sword dao. According to the rumor, no one can take a full slash from him, hence his title. He’s probably not that much weaker than Metalkin War God.” An ancestor said.

“Opposing your insignificant court and race? No big deal.” Li Qiye smiled and said.

“So merciless!” People gasped after hearing this and exchanged glances.

Metalkin Divine Court was one of the strongest systems currently, same with their race. Now, they were considered insignificant in his eyes? This view probably extended to the rest of the world as well.

Because of this, all of the soldiers from Unrestrained glared at him with murderous intent.

They were also metalkins, hence their distaste of his comment regarding their system and race.

Semi-sword God scowled and released his sword intents. The entire area turned into a sword domain.

“Pop!” However, a popping sound came from the lake. Two people emerged and stood side by side once more.

“Three-eyed Prodigy and Spiritheart Emperor, they made it through the ninth level, that lingzhi is as good as theirs now.” A spectator shouted.

The two of them rode a lotus flower together. Their teamwork seemed impeccable. They undoubtedly became much better partners after breaking through the individual dimension.

The two of them saw lava all around now, only inches away from the lingzhi.

Many were surprised because big shots have entered and failed before. These two have become the forerunners in this contest.

“They got it, right?” One spectator said.

“Nephew, we must get this lingzhi.” The prime minister said seriously.

“I’m going.” Semi-sword God leaped to the sky and unleashed a heavy slash capable of splitting the earth. He disappeared from sight as well.

“Rumble!” People saw slashes ravaging the air; each with enough power to crush everything. He made it through three dimensions without any problem.

“So strong, yes, he can’t be that much weaker than Metalkin War God.” One spectator commented.

“Those two are doing it!” Someone saw the prodigy and the emperor move closer.

However, they didn’t reach for the lingzhi right away but chose to slowly circle around the lava spring.

“What are they doing? It’s right there?” A weak cultivator didn’t know the reason why.

“It’s not that easy to get an item of this level.” An ancestor shook his head: “Your eyes see that it is only inches away but it might, in actuality, be an entire world apart.”

“Haha, the brat noticed it.” The bull laughed and said.

“His third eye isn’t there for nothing.” Li Qiye chuckled: “If he can’t see the entrance, he should change his title to blind-eye idiot instead.”

“Hmm, the others are catching up.” The emperor laughed beautifully at Li Qiye’s joke before looking at the lake.

Li Qiye only smiled, clearly confident in Three-eyed Prodigy.

Meanwhile, the prime minister had ordered for his legion to prepare a formation around the lake. Though it was yet to be activated, one could still hear thunderous detonation as if this were an army from heaven.

“Little turtle, what are you doing?” The bull glanced over and asked.

The other spectators finally noticed this as well. Their expression changed as they retreated away.

They could see that the legion was up to something and didn’t wish to be involved.

The prime minister’s expression soured after being addressed as “little turtle” but still seriously responded: “Metalkin Divine Court does not need to answer to anyone.”

This was a domineering and tough response. Of course, their system really had this ability since few could match them.

“Whatever.” The bull shrugged before turning back towards the prodigy and the emperor.

It then spoke nonchalantly while acting innocent: “Hmm, those two are such a good pair, a match made in heaven, hehe, Sir, should we help them become a couple?”

This comment was obviously deliberate. The prime minister’s expression darkened even more while others gained interest.

Everyone knew about the marriage pact between Metalkin Divine Court and Garden of God.

Now, the bull’s comment was the same as slapping Metalkin Divine Court and Metalkin War God in the face.

Most importantly, the prodigy and the emperor were indeed together at this moment. Even if they were completely innocent, the bull's comment was still adding oil to the fire.

"Why not, they're really perfect for each other, a talented man and a gorgeous woman. I also want them to stay together." Li Qiye nodded.

"Fiercest is insane!" Some of the crowd thought. He clearly wanted to break the engagement.

On the other hand, Holyfrost thought that this wasn't a whimsical comment from Li Qiye and could see the end result already.

### [Chapter 3039: Competition](#)

"Ridiculous!" The prime minister uttered coldly: "The marriage pact between our great sects can't be broken by a bunch of ruffians!"

He was doubly annoyed since he was the one who went to propose this to Garden of God. In his eyes, Spiritheart Emperor was going to be the future mistress of the court. Thus, Li Qiye and the bull's comments were not well-received by him.

"Hahaha, we'll see about that." The bull laughed, ready to cause chaos to the world. It would have done something even if Li Qiye didn't care about this romance just to spite the court.

"Hmph!" A cold glint flashed in the prime minister's eyes. He considered any attempt at breaking this marriage unforgivable and would destroy them regardless of who they are.

"Boom!" In the interim, a path surrounded by swords has made it to the center of the lake.

"Flying Sword Marvel and Shen Guzhan have broken through the ninth dimension too. The other two wasted too much time." One spectator shouted in astonishment.

This made the situation much more interesting. The prodigy and the emperor were the first to get here but they just lingered around without taking action.

Now, their rivals have made it here, resulting in fierce competition. The four stood opposite of each other, ready to fight.

"Fellow Daoist Three-eyed, we want this lingzhi." Shen Guzhan laughed and declared.

"Hah, really now?" The prodigy has never been afraid of anyone. He was a prideful person himself and said: "This lingzhi is already ours."

"Hmph." Flying Sword Marvel snorted in response: "The two of us can crush you in terms of power." She seemed quite imperious making this statement.

Nonetheless, this was rather reasonable. The two of them were indeed stronger than the prodigy and the emperor.

"Boom!" Suddenly, a massive sword broke through the spatial fabric. This newcomer was obviously Semi-sword God. He made his entrance, looking like he was unbeatable.

"Dao Brother." Shen Guzhan's eyes became serious.

“My apology, I will have to take some of this immortal-grade lingzhi.” He sounded polite but left no room for refusal.

“Dao Brother, the most capable is the most deserving.” Guzhan chuckled, seemingly confident.

He was no slouch either compared to the sword god. His Border of God shouldn't be weaker than the divine court.

“The lingzhi belongs to no one but us!” The marvel snorted, even more arrogant than Guzhan.

She wasn't as strong as the others but her tone remained more aggressive due to her relationship with a progenitor. Just this alone made everyone wary of her.

Even if she were to offend them, they couldn't do much and definitely couldn't kill her. No one could handle a vengeful Luminous Master.

Thus, these three began staring at Three-eyed Prodigy and Spiritheart Emperor, the weakest duo of the three camps.

“It's not looking good for those two.” The masters outside knew the general power level here.

The prodigy had peerless talents but was also the youngest. His cultivation and experience were inferior to these seniors.

“Your Highness, lend me a hand. Garden of God will have a piece of the lingzhi as well.” Semi-sword God looked at Spiritheart Emperor and requested. He wanted to break this alliance and didn't waste time getting to the point.

All eyes were on Spiritheart now. Remember, she was Metalkin War God's fiancée while Semi-sword God was his senior brother. The sword god could represent the court.

However, people sympathized with her difficult situation. Abandoning a teammate at this crucial moment wasn't easy either.

“Thank you, Sword God, but we spotted this lingzhi together. I will keep my promise with him.” The emperor calmly said while shaking her head.

This excited some of the crowd. They began thinking about what Li Qiye and the bull said earlier.

“How interesting.” One ancestor murmured, able to see the storm in the future.

“See that, little turtle? I told you, those two juniors are a perfect match.” The bull laughed at the prime minister.

The prime minister tried his hardest to restrain his anger. Though these two might not have anything, this wasn't a good development for their divine court. One wrong move and they might lose a considerable amount of face.

“Very well, let this be decided with skill.” The sword god didn't become angry and focused on Three-eyed Prodigy.

He clearly had the intention of killing this youth today, thinking that the guy might be a seed of discord. Killing him now would allow the sword god to rest easy.

“Someone’s using their head now.” The bull knew right away and laughed, the same with Li Qiye.

Holyfrost noticed Li Qiye’s smile and pitied the future victims of his.

“Sounds good. As I’ve said earlier, may the most capable person win.” Shen Guzhan smiled.

“It’s as good as ours.” The marvel left no leeway, unlike Shen Guzhan.

“We’ll see about that.” The prodigy looked exceedingly confident, ready to dominate his opponents despite being the weakest one here.

He glared straight at the sword god - enough to reveal his intention of taking both the lingzhi and the beauty. He no longer cared about opposing the divine court or Metalkin War God.

She was currently by his side and chose to fight with him. Thus, this gave him enough courage to fearlessly take on anyone in the world!

“Show me what you got.” The sword god said with an underlying coldness.

“Let’s get started.” Shen Guzhan couldn’t wait since his group had the highest chance of winning.

“Remind him.” Li Qiye smiled and told the bull.

“Brat, remember, this lingzhi has its own consciousness now so you will only have one chance before it starts running. If you don’t grab it right away, you’ll never catch up again.” The bull loudly shouted at the prodigy.

The others also heard him and exchanged glances.

“Thank you, Senior. I understand.” The prodigy responded and also saw Li Qiye around. He became even more confident.

#### [Chapter 3040: Picking Strategy](#)

“Let’s get started.” Semi-sword God stared intensely at Three-eyed Prodigy and uttered coldly with a murderous glint flashing in his eyes.

Three-eyed Prodigy and Spiritheart True Emperor exchanged glances, instantly coming to a mutual understanding without needing to speak.

Semi-sword God’s eyes grew colder while looking at these two; his murderous intent became stronger.

In his opinion, Three-eyed Prodigy must die for sure. He would never let the youth leave this place alive.

“Die!” In this split second, The duo shouted in unison and made their move.

Spiritheart Emperor was one step ahead of Three-eyed Prodigy. The golden wings behind her spread while issuing clanks - each feather resembled a golden saber.

Her wings had golden pulses as if a million sabers were hanging there. The radiance activated her saber intent and in the blink of an eye, the entire world seemingly became engulfed in their might.

“You’re going down!” Spiritheart True Emperor shouted as her wings slashed vertically at the sword god. A seven-palace emperor like her was no slouch. [1]

“Clank!” The two wings slashed down like two sabers - capable of severing the celestials and splitting the grand dao and primordial chaos.

She also exuded her imperial aura, resulting in a loud boom. The aura billowed like a tsunami and gathered around the two sabers, causing them to become more resplendent and domineering.

The sword god snorted in response, clearly not impressed.

“Clank!” He activated his own majestic sword dao. He simply held the sword hilt but everyone felt as if he was gripping the entire world.

One slash cut through the sky and severed the ten directions, easily sealing everything and not allowing others to take half a step forward.

“Boom!” Her golden sabers slammed on his massive sword yet barely moved it. Her move capable of cutting down the sun, moon, and stars couldn’t break through his defensive seal.

“Boom!” He then retaliated by exerting his pressure forward after the successful parry.

Everyone felt the sky turning dark with the descend of his sword. It was as if the entire sky vault was falling down - a feeling of total suffocation.

“Boom!” She blocked his attack but her golden sabers crumbled, forcing her to stagger backward.

However, she wasn’t going to lose that easily and leaped up to the sky. Her left wing inched forward like a large and thick golden shield and smashed straight at the sword god’s blade.

Meanwhile, her right blade-like wing started rotating.

“Clank! Clank! Clank!” A golden maelstrom immediately appeared in the sky as her sabers created a perilous storm. They then chop forward without showing any mercy like the endless tides.

“Rumble!” Her shield and slashes struck his sword relentlessly, successfully quaking this world-crushing blade.

“Boom!” She also activated her twelve palaces, seven of which have been lit up.

The worldly essences, power, and grand dao were absorbed by these bright palaces and moved to her golden wings.

The shield and sabers exuded a brilliant radiance and showed no mercy in their onslaught.

“Rumble!” Even someone as powerful as he couldn’t help staggering several steps backward.

“That’s a True Emperor for you, having advantages unavailable to True Gods.” Many praised after seeing this scene.

“Eat this!” The sword god roared after being shaken.

“Boom!” He took one step forward and seemingly crushed the world.



“Clank!” Another slash emerged and ravaged heaven and earth before breaking the firmament.

This vertical slash caused loud booms before actually arriving. Space instantly crumbled beneath its brilliance.

“So strong.” Many people by the lake took a deep breath, thinking that this slash could slay an emperor.

“Boom!” The world trembled with towering waves emanating since the slash nearly penetrated the lake entirely.

She had a hard time resisting this slash and staggered backward again, feeling her inner energy churn.

She was undoubtedly weaker than him in terms of strength.

“Die!” She jumped up again with a sword in hand. Her two wings turned into two swords for a dual slash. This ended up being a three-pronged attack.

“Come!” He rotated his body like a tornado before thrusting his sword straight forward.

The battle raged on. Despite being stronger, he would still need more than a few moves to take her down.

Meanwhile, Three-eyed Prodigy’s figure flashed as he rushed for the lingzhi.

His speed was extremely fast, seemingly crossing through three thousand worlds in a split second and instantly appeared before the lingzhi.

“You need our permission first!” Flying Sword Marvel and Shen Guzhan shouted.

They attacked the youth in unison, one from the left and one from the right.

“Boom!” Shen Guzhan utilized a world-shaking move - a supreme palm domain.

This domain had the blessing of the gods and emperors. It seemed as if these invincible sages were attacking Three-eyed Prodigy with palm strikes.

One could instantly hear the roar of the grand dao under the suppression of these great beings. It didn’t take long before Three-eyed Prodigy’s grand dao became suppressed by Shen Guzhan.

“Clank!” A sword hymn resounded with Flying Sword Marvel joining in. Myriad swords flew to the sky and attacked Three-eyed Prodigy in the form of a sword domain

“It’s not looking good.” One ancestor cried out. Everyone could see that Three-eyed Prodigy was no match for these two.

Next, Three-eyed Prodigy’s figure jolted a bit as if he was making a wrong step.

“Rumble!” Explosions echoed across the area. The entire world seemed to be vibrating.

After this seemingly wrong step from Three-eyed Prodigy, the lava spring suddenly gushed forward like an eruption. Lava waves like a tsunami rushed towards the two attackers.

“Zzz.” The lava rushing to the sky instantly burned the spatial fabric.

The most terrifying thing wasn't the surging lava itself. "Raa!" One could hear something akin to a dragon roar.

A gigantic fiery dragon also rushed out from the spring as well, raising its claws and aiming straight at Shen Guzhan and Flying Sword Marvel.

This was the manifestation of a progenitorial true fire accumulated in this lava spring after millions of years.

"Poof!" The entire world became trapped in an ocean of fire. "Zzz." Even space started burning into the void.

"Activate!" The two's expression soured after seeing this true fire capable of burning everything.

They stopped attacking Three-eyed Prodigy and shifted into a defensive mode instead. A divine border appeared in the sky; the other chose to use her myriad swords for protection to stop the incoming true fire.

"Thanks!" Three-eyed Prodigy laughed and began moving in a strange yet magical manner. He skipped through the lava beneath and instantly appeared before the lingzhi.

He clearly saw through the mysteries of this lava or he wouldn't have been able to skip and even took advantage of it to stop his foes.

"Buzz." The lingzhi felt danger the moment he got close and instantly drilled into the lava with extreme speed.

"Halt!" His eyes became bright and spewed out boundless laws that seal the area, forcing the lingzhi to stop.

He grabbed and uprooted it completely before putting it inside a carefully-prepared treasure box.

This was all part of his plan - from those two joining in and utilizing the lava to trapping the lingzhi.

"Not bad, the brat got some schemes." Many started praising after seeing Three-eyed Prodigy taking the lingzhi in such a skillful manner without risking his life.

"Begin." At this time, Semi-sword Heavenly God stared carefully at Three-eyed Prodigy and uttered coldly. A murderous glint flashed in his eyes.

At this time, Three-eyed Prodigy and Spiritheart True Emperor stared at each other. In this blink of an eye, the two had an implicit understanding. They didn't need to speak.

While looking at Three-eyed Prodigy and Spiritheart True Emperor, Semi-sword Heavenly God's eyes grew colder, his murderous intent became denser.

At this time, in Semi-sword Heavenly God's opinion, Three-eyed Prodigy must die for sure. He would never let Three-eyed Prodigy leave this place alive.

"Die!" In this split second, Three-eyed Prodigy and Spiritheart True Emperor shouted in unison and their figures flashed.

Spiritheart True Emperor was one step ahead of Three-eyed Prodigy. The wings behind her spread. One could hear clanking sounds as the golden wings behind her opened; each feather resembled golden sabers.

Spiritheart True Emperor's wings spread and had golden pulses. The two wings seemed to have a million sabers hanging there. When the feathers exuded a golden brilliance, the saber intent intensified. In the blink of an eye, the entire world seemingly became engulfed in a million divine sabers.

"Die!" Spiritheart True Emperor shouted. Her wings slashed downward straight at Semi-sword Heavenly God.

Spiritheart True Emperor was a seven-palace True Emperor so she wasn't weak at all.

"Clank!" The two wings slashed down with clanking sounds like two sabers slashing down with great sharpness - capable of severing the sun, moon, and the stars along with splitting the grand dao and primordial chaos.

At the same time, Spiritheart True Emperor exuded her True Emperor aura. One could hear a loud boom. This True Emperor aura billowed like a tsunami. The powerful True Emperor aura gathered on the two golden sabers, causing them to become more resplendent and domineering.

Semi-sword Heavenly God snorted in response to the two sabers from Spiritheart True Emperor.

"Clank!" A sound resounded; the sword dao was majestic. He was only holding a sword but everyone felt as if he was gripping the entire world.

One slash cut through the sky and severed the ten directions. When Semi-sword Heavenly God's slash came out, it easily sealed everything, not allowing others to take half a step forward.

"Boom!" In this split second, Spiritheart True Emperor's golden sabers struck the massive sword of Semi-sword Heavenly God and barely moved it.

The sabers capable of cutting down the sun, moon, and stars couldn't break through Semi-sword Heavenly God's seal.

"Boom!" A loud sound resounded. When Spiritheart True Emperor's golden saber was stopped, Semi-sword Heavenly God's massive sword moved and came pressing down in the blink of an eye.

When Semi-sword Heavenly God's massive sword came pressing down, everyone felt the sky turning dark. This sword pressing down felt like the entire sky vault was falling down, making it hard to breathe.

"Boom!" Spiritheart True Emperor faced Semi-sword Heavenly God's attack. Her golden sabers collapsed and she staggered several steps backward.

However, Spiritheart True Emperor wasn't going to lose that easily. She leaped up and in this blink of an eye, her left wing pulled forward like a large and thick golden shield that smashes straight at Semi-sword Heavenly God's massive sword.

At the same time, Spiritheart True Emperor's right wing in the form of a million golden sabers rotated.

“Clank! Clank! Clank!” A golden maelstrom immediately appeared in the sky. The million golden sabers seemingly created a perilous storm. Next, the million golden sabers cut directly down. Each cut seemed like a massive golden wave showing no mercy.

“Rumble!” Loud detonations were nonstop. Spiritheart True Emperor’s massive golden shield and the waves from the millions of golden sabers struck Semi-sword Heavenly God’s massive sword. The move shook the massive sword capable of crushing the world.

“Boom!” Another loud explosion. In this blink of an eye, Spiritheart True Emperor’s twelve palaces appeared. Seven among them have been lit up.

When the seven palaces became bright, the worldly essences, power, and grand dao were absorbed by these palaces and moved to Spiritheart True Emperor’s golden wings.

At this time, both the golden shield and tidal-like golden sabers exuded a resplendent light. They showed no mercy in attacking Semi-sword Heavenly God’s massive sword.

“Rumble!” Even someone as powerful as Semi-sword Heavenly God couldn’t help staggering several steps backward.

Many praised after seeing this scene: “That’s a True Emperor for you, having advantages unavailable to True Gods.”

“Eat my sword!” Semi-sword Heavenly God roared after being shaken by Spiritheart True Emperor.

“Boom!” Semi-sword Heavenly God took one step forward and seemingly crushed the world.

“Clank!” Semi-sword Heavenly God’s slash emerged and ravaged heaven and earth then broke the firmament.

This vertical slash already caused loud booms before actually arriving. The slash was invincible. In the blink of an eye, space instantly crumbled beneath this heavy sword.

“So strong.” Many people by the lake took a deep breath after seeing this scene. This slash could really kill a True Emperor.

“Boom!” The world trembled. Towering waves emanated from the lake. The entire lake seemed to be pierced completely.

Spiritheart True Emperor had a hard time resisting this slash. She staggered several steps backward; her inner energy churning.

There was no doubt that Spiritheart True Emperor was considerably weaker than Semi-sword True God in terms of strength.

“Die!” She jumped up again with a sword in hand. The two wings turned into two swords for a dual cut. This three-pronged attack headed straight for Semi-sword Heavenly God.

“Come!” Semi-sword Heavenly God rotated his body once like a tornado before personally thrusting straight at Spiritheart True Emperor.

In this split second, Semi-sword Heavenly God and Spiritheart True Emperor fought fiercely. Though Semi-sword Heavenly God was stronger than Spiritheart True Emperor, Spiritheart True Emperor wasn't a weakling. If Semi-sword Heavenly God wanted to defeat Spiritheart True Emperor, he would need more than a few moves.

While Spiritheart True Emperor was attacking Semi-sword Heavenly God, Three-eyed Prodigy's figure flashed as he headed for the lingzhi.

His speed was extremely fast, seemingly crossing through three thousand worlds in a split second. He instantly stood before the lingzhi.

"You need our permission first!" Flying Sword Marvel and Shen Guzhan shouted as Three-eyed Prodigy crossed through the lava spring.

They attacked Three-eyed Prodigy in unison, one from the left and one from the right.

"Boom!" A loud explosion shook the world. Shen Guzhan made his move - a supreme palm domain.

This domain had the blessing of the gods and emperors. It seemed as if these invincible sages were attacking Three-eyed Prodigy with palm strikes.

One could instantly hear the roar of the grand dao under the suppression of the gods and emperors. In the blink of an eye, Three-eyed Prodigy's grand dao seemingly became suppressed by Shen Guzhan.

"Clank!" A sword hymn resounded with Flying Sword Marvel joining in. Myriad swords flew to the sky. Her figure slightly moved and a million swords attacked Three-eyed Prodigy. In this blink of an eye, a sword domain turned into a net. A million swords wanted to kill Three-eyed Prodigy. [1]

"It's not looking good." One ancestor cried out after seeing this scene. Everyone could see that Three-eyed Prodigy was no match for these two.

However, in this blink of an eye, Three-eyed Prodigy's figure jolted a bit as if he was making a wrong step.

"Rumble!" Explosions echoed across the nine heavens and ten earths. The entire world seemed to be vibrating.

After this wrong step from Three-eyed Prodigy, the lava spring suddenly gushed forward, seemingly exploded. Lava waves like a tsunami rushed towards Shen Guzhan and Flying Sword Marvel.

"Zzz." The lava rushing to the sky instantly burned space.

The most terrifying thing wasn't the surging lava either. "Raa!" One could hear something akin to a dragon roar.

When the lava spring erupted, a gigantic fiery dragon also rushed out as well. It raised its claws, aiming straight at Shen Guzhan and Flying Sword Marvel.

This wasn't actually a fire dragon. It was a true fire accumulated in this lava spring after millions of years.

This true fire was at the progenitorial level so it looked like a fire dragon capable of incinerating everything.

“Poof!” The entire world became trapped in an ocean of fire. “Zzz.” Even space started burning into nothingness.

“Activate!” Shen Guzhan and Flying Sword Marvel’s expression soured against the true fire capable of burning everything.

They stopped attacking Three-eyed Prodigy and shifted into a defensive mode instead. A divine border appeared in the sky; the other chose to use her myriad swords for protection to stop the incoming true fire.

“Thanks!” Three-eyed Prodigy laughed and began moving in a strange yet magical manner. He skipped through the lava beneath and instantly appeared before the lingzhi.

Three-eyed Prodigy clearly saw through the mysteries of this lava. Otherwise, he wouldn’t have been able to skip and even took advantage of it to stop Shen Guzhan and Flying Sword Marvel.

“Buzz.” The lingzhi felt danger the moment Three-eyed Prodigy got close and instantly drilled into the lava with extreme speed.

“Halt!” Three-eyed Prodigy’s eyes became bright and spewed out boundless laws. His eyes sealed the area and the lingzhi was forced to stop.

He grabbed and uprooted it completely before putting it inside a carefully-prepared treasure box.

This was all within his plan - from those two joining in and utilizing the lava to trapping the lingzhi.

“Not bad, the brat got some schemes.” Many started praising after seeing Three-eyed Prodigy taking the lingzhi in such a skillful manner without risking his life.