

GOF 861

### **Chapter 861: Han Fei on a Rampage**

Han Fei took the risk to move forward only because he wanted to find out how strong the Clam Girl was, or if she was alive at all.

His head was dizzy when he saw the result.

Information popped up in his head.

<Name> Enchanting Clam Demon

<Introduction> In the primordial age, a Clam Girl with a special bloodline perished and resurrected by absorbing the remaining souls in the sea. For some reason, she mutated into an Enchanting Clam Demon. She can control Mystic Lines to bewilder creatures. Anything that's controlled for long will create a Soul Charming Pearl and be forced to respect her as a master.

<Level> 62

<Spiritual Energy> 24,520

<Demon Heritage> Level-Seven, Mid-Quality

<Level> Sea Spirit

<Technique> Enchantment

<Associated Spirit> Star Shell

<Unabsorbable>

<Note> The Star Shell can create a mysterious independent space, which will wear out anything in it and turn it into a glittering pearl in the end.

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Han Fei's blood was freezing, and this was a real Sea Spirit-level expert, not a timid creature such as the Wind Sky Wings.

Also, Han Fei saw that even though the enormous shell was covered in dirt, it was still very thick and emitted the color of jade in some parts.

Han Fei didn't even dare to cancel the Yin-Yang Divine Eyes. He suspected that the clam was exactly the Star Shell.

Han Fei was more or less scared. He sensed that his strength was weakened by about ten percent.

Han Fei instantly roared, "Use your spiritual energy protective covers! Also, this space is eating away our strength!"

After that, Han Fei looked at the clam demon and said, "You're just a new Sea Spirit. Are you sure you want to fight us?"

When Han Fei mentioned Sea Spirit, Luo Xiaobai and the others changed their expressions. A Sea Spirit was as strong as a Law Enforcer in their eyes.

Luo Xiaobai instantly reminded him, "Han Fei, the Sea Spirits usually have special talents."

"How did you find out? With your special eyes?"

The Clam Girl smiled and spoke in a soul-stirring rhythm.

Han Fei stepped back and looked at the Clam Girl. "We'll kill you if you don't open the space in three seconds."

While Han Fei talked, he secretly extended the Void Lines into the shell.

The Clam Girl's smiling face was frozen, and she instantly closed the clam. She somehow sensed fear a moment earlier.

Seeing her reaction, Han Fei knew that the Void Lines made her feel a sense of crisis.

"Attack!"

Without a word, Han Fei squeezed the jade slip in his hand. That was the ancient mark Mu Jia'er gave him that he had never used.

Immediately, a terrifying pillar of flames was launched towards the Clam Girl.

*Creak...*

*Clang!*

The noise of the collision echoed in the space.

The strike of a peak-level Hidden Fisher was easily blocked by the clam shell.

Almost at the same time, all the enchanting pupas in the cavern cracked.

Purple flames that were almost insubstantial surged out. Some of the pupas didn't turn into purple flames but wriggling worms that were attached to the wall, as if they were taking precautions against Le Renkuang's Sky Swallowing Technique.

"Violent War Body, Majestic Mystic Spell."

Le Renkuang's skin became red as if he were on fire. Faced with someone as strong as a Sea Spirit, he certainly did not dare to underestimate the enemy.

"Divine Turtle Shield, Ultimate Defense!"

It was the power that Le Renkuang acquired from the mysterious old turtle in the level-three fishery. He protected himself with that.

Why did Le Renkuang only protect himself? Because everybody had their own mission, and his mission was to block the enchanting pupas.

"Grand Sky Swallowing Technique!"

As a big hole was opened, the purple flames and a lot of the worms that were stuck to the wall were removed and swallowed by him.

Zhang Xuanyu roared with a tough soul, "Fuse!"

In the shadow of overwhelming blood, a ferocious shark disappeared into Zhang Xuanyu's body. He went straight to Jiang Tong with bloodshot eyes.

Jiang Tong's eyes glittered, and he took out two long sabers. A bloody shell appeared, covering him with a red piece of armor and doubling his combat ability.

"Momentary Time!"

Zhang Xuanyu had naturally made use of the Majestic Mystic Spell too. He dare not underestimate someone under the control of a Sea Spirit at all.

Since Jiang Tong had been enchanted, he was probably a simple puppet.

Luo Xiaobai looked around. Le Renkuang was unleashing a terrifying attraction force, but the worms were not all absorbed by him. Some of them crawled down the wall.

Luo Xiaobai looked at Han Fei. "You have to deal with the Clam Demon. We can't attack her unless her shell is broken."

As she talked, her pupils became white, and demonic flowers blossomed in the cavern, sending out a colorful fog.

With an intimidating expression, Han Fei summoned the Overlord and sent a blue soul fire into the Overlord's body.

*SWISH!*

*Clang! Clang! Clang!*

The terrifying power of Snowmourn fell upon the Star Shell. The magnificent and powerful attack shattered the dirt that covered the Star Shell. Instantly, a green glittering shell appeared, with white marks that resulted from Snowmourn's slashing.

"Ahhhhh!"

A shriek came out of the Star Shell, "How can you possibly have a Sea Quelling Bizarre Treasure?"

Han Fei sneered. "What about the Sea Quelling Bizarre Treasure? You're just a Sea Spirit that can't do anything except enchant us. Die!"

*Dang! Dang!*

Inside the Star Shell, the Clam Girl played a piece of weird music, which echoed in the air.

Zhang Xuanyu, who had just stabbed his spear into Jiang Tong's stomach, staggered and started spinning, as if he were caught in an illusion.

Le Renkuang's eyes lost focus too. His Sky Swallowing Technique seemed as though it would stop at any moment.

Luo Xiaobai vomited blood. She had no advantages at all in the battle here. The shell, whose body was as pure as jade, was clearly not something that she could break.

She felt like she was about to be caught in an illusion too. In the end, she saw that Zhang Xuanyu stabbed his spear at Han Fei. She hurriedly dragged Zhang Xuanyu away.

Han Fei's expression changed greatly. His head was in chaos, and everybody was blurry in his eyes.

However, the Yin-Yang Divine Eyes seemed able to see through illusions, so he flapped his wings and came a hundred meters away, before he smashed his fists at Jiang Tong who was slashing his long saber at Zhang Xuanyu.

*Boom!*

Jiang Tong was manipulated, but his strength hadn't really been increased to a high level yet.

Even Hidden Fishers, faced with Han Fei's fists that were boosted by the Overlord's Technique, would be killed unless they were as sturdy as the Star Shell.

After so many days of battle, Han Fei's force had already surpassed two million kilograms. Plus the enhancement of the Overlord's Technique, he could launch a force of almost sixteen thousand tons.

In the life-and-death moment, he couldn't hide his strength as he usually did. Under his strike, Jiang Tong almost crumbled.

The terrifying force hit the Star Shell and rolled it on the ground until it crashed into the wall heavily. Even the wall was starting to crack, and the rocks up above were falling one after another.

Han Fei opened his mouth and had a mouthful of the Candle Dragon Blood. Although the Candle Dragon Blood was only enough for five uses, Han Fei didn't care. He had energy fruits even if he didn't have the Candle Dragon Blood, and he was confident of beating his enemy.

The pleasant music came to an end. Han Fei was certain that even though the Star Shell was above level-60, it couldn't have remained safe and sound after taking his Sacrificing Punch.

Zhang Xuanyu and Le Renkuang were both stunned.

Zhang Xuanyu asked in shock, "What did I do?"

Luo Xiaobai breathed heavily. "Le Renkuang, keep swallowing."

Le Renkuang hummed a response and used the Sky Swallowing Technique again. He looked at the wall that was full of cracks, astonished at the damage that Han Fei had caused.

Seizing the opportunity, Han Fei quickly inserted an ultra-quality demonic stone into the Overlord's body.

The Star Shell had survived the Overlord's consecutive strikes, but the Overlord had run out of battery after only twenty strikes. He could only replace it!

Luo Xiaobai didn't waste the opportunity either. The cavern was already covered by various plants. When Han Fei bombarded the Star Shell, it slightly opened its mouth.

That was the opportunity that Luo Xiaobai waited for. She stuffed the vines into the shell through the opening. Unfortunately, the Star Shell was closed again after only a few vines were inserted.

At this moment, Luo Xiaobai pointed her finger. "Deep Blue, Poison Explosion!"

The Clam Girl's voice echoed in the air, "I didn't expect that a junior Hidden Fisher would be so powerful. However, you'll die sooner or later if you can't break the shell."

Han Fei sneered. "Let's see."

Han Fei flew to the sky and activated the Agility of Wind. He rushed as quickly as lightning and accumulated his momentum.

Han Fei was like a streak of light. Under the boost of the Agility of Wind, he estimated that even Ye Baiyu would've been amazed by his speed if the guy were here.

"Hide behind Le Renkuang's shield!"

Luo Xiaobai quickly dragged Zhang Xuanyu and hid behind the turtle shield. In the next second, sparks were caused in the air because of friction.

*Boom!*

The terrifying speed and strength were unleashed.

*Boom...*

The rock wall was instantly shattered, and Han Fei punched the Star Shell dozens of meters into the mountain.

*Crack!*

The Star Shell cracked. Han Fei clutched it with the Void Chains and filled himself with a mouthful of Candle Dragon Blood when he exited. His arms were already bleeding.

However, with madness flashing in his eyes, he struggled to pull the Clam Girl out.

"Haha... You're just a Clam Girl. Although you're good at enchanting, I can kill you easily because I can't be enchanted."

### **Chapter 862: Information About the Bone Yard**

Han Fei attempted to catch the Clam Girl's soul with the Void Lines, but the Void Lines didn't catch anything as if the enormous clam didn't have a soul.

"Is it on the shell?"

*Dang! Dang! Dang!*

At this moment, an overwhelming wave of music came down like a river. The Clam Girl stopped talking, as she could control Han Fei's teammates even though she couldn't control him.

Instantly, Le Renkuang stopped the Sky Swallowing Technique and launched his weapons at Luo Xiaobai and Zhang Xuanyu.

Because of his high soul power, Zhang Xuanyu didn't attack anyone. But he was struggling and seemed to be losing control too.

Luo Xiaobai's face was bleeding, but she wasn't enchanted. Her soul seemed to be protected. Abundant vines covered herself and Zhang Xuanyu.

Han Fei simply flashed to Le Renkuang and knocked him away.

*Clang! Clang! Clang!*

The Overlord attacked the Star Shell crazily.

Unfortunately, the Sea Quelling Bizarre Treasure was only powerful in the right hands. The Overlord, as strong as an advanced Hidden Fisher, couldn't really hurt the shell.

Han Fei thought that he was wielding great power, but he only caused a few cracks on the Star Shell. There was still a long way to go if he wanted to break it.

Seeing that everybody was about to be enchanted including Luo Xiaobai, Han Fei quickly sent three Void Lines to each of them.

Han Fei shouted, "Don't resist!"

Realizing that something wasn't right, Luo Xiaobai struggled to say, "I have treasures to protect my soul."

Hearing that, Han Fei darted the Void Lines towards Le Renkuang and Zhang Xuanyu.

Hearing what Han Fei said, Zhang Xuanyu didn't resist, but Le Renkuang had been fully captivated and was fighting crazily.

Han Fei simply sent three Void Lines to Le Renkuang and split them into nine.

Instantly, Han Fei saw a lot of pictures and information.

For example, the fatty had been overweight since he was several years old.

For example, Le Renkuang was so hungry that he had to pick food everywhere before he showed his Spiritual Heritage.

For example, Le Renkuang didn't have parents at all. They seemed to have perished in a fishery a long time ago.

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Han Fei quickly stopped snooping through their souls. In the next moment, Le Renkuang calmed down, and the Million Knife Art was back.

Zhang Xuanyu's face was slightly twisted, and Luo Xiaobai resisted the charming music too.

Regaining his strength, Han Fei looked at the Star Shell. "How many of those attacks do you think I can perform?"

There was no reply from the Star Shell. Han Fei launched exactly the same attack.

A moment later...

*Boom...*

*Crack!*

The stones were collapsing, but Infinity Water swept above Han Fei's head. This time, he extended four Void Lines into the shell fast enough.

In fact, Han Fei had refined all the dragon vines when he returned from the Wind Sky Canyon to the Scattered Stars Island. There were ten of them in total, and nine were from Han Guanshu.

As usual, Han Fei controlled Le Renkuang and Zhang Xuanyu by splitting one line into three, and he was going to deal with the Clam Girl with the last six Void Lines.

Unfortunately, the clam shell was closed after he only sent four into it.

With Han Fei's thought, the four Void Lines were split up into twelve and moved randomly inside the shell.

There was no telling what he caught, but Han Fei felt horrible and his face was bleeding. A powerful soul was mauling his own.

The Enchanting Clam Demon, to enchant others, naturally boasted a powerful soul. When Han Fei tried to steal her soul, her counterattack instantly put him at a disadvantage.

Han Fei was quite shocked. He felt lucky that his soul had been growing faster than usual thanks to the help of the God Scaring Painting.

He also felt lucky that he acquired unowned souls in the 72-floor Soul Realm, or he would've been crushed in the first round.

"Huh? The God Scaring Painting?"

Han Fei instantly remembered the God Scaring Painting. Although he had only memorized sixty pieces, no more than one tenth of the painting, it was his lifesaver at this moment.

"Come on, come on, you are a divine painting anyway."

"Ahhhhh!"

A devastating scream spread out of the Star Clam. Han Fei coughed blood and subconsciously opened his eyes.

He grinned, as he found that the trick was working.

Although he didn't remember the entirety of the God Scaring Painting, and he didn't know if it could kill the enemy, he realized that it was useful and had slightly opened the clam.

The Clam Girl was too busy fighting Han Fei at this moment. Naturally, she went easy on the others.

The Overlord had run out of battery again and stayed where it was.

Luo Xiaobai came back to herself and hurriedly controlled the vines to squeeze into the clam.

At that moment, Han Fei felt a great mental pressure that forced him to close the shell.

However, there was no way that Han Fei would do that.

The remaining two Void Lines were sent into the shell too.

Han Fei turned mad! It took him five Void Lines to subdue the Wind Sky Wing. This thing was one level lower than the Wind Sky Wing. How could he not take it down with six Void Lines?

Furthermore, Han Fei crazily quit his state of fusion and roared, "Little Black, go in there and bite her!"

Han Fei collected Little White back to Forge the Universe while he fought the Clam Girl. Little Black swam into the opening, accompanied by a lot of vines.

"Ahhhhh!"

The devastating scream echoed again. He could totally imagine how crazily Little Black was biting.

If the Clam Girl was bold enough to enchant Little Black, Han Fei would've been even more delighted. Little Black in a crazy state was frightening, even to him.

Of course, there was also the possibility that the Clam Girl was so strong that she could kill Little Black directly.

Therefore, Han Fei was gambling. If he lost, he wouldn't be able to summon Little White or Little Black anytime soon. If he won, he would win the battle.

As long as either Little White or Little Black was alive, the other wouldn't die. That was Han Fei's trump card.

"Ahhh!"

The devastating scream came one after another.

Han Fei attempted to control the Clam Girl. Weird and bloody scenes popped up in his head.

Scenes of a terrifying battle. Judging from the incomplete pictures, one between sea demons and humans. He saw swords that rose to the sky. A clam seemed to be trying to stop them, but the clam was then cut apart.

After that, the pictures were no longer battlefields, but countless wriggling enchanting pupas that trapped the pearl divers.

About ten seconds later, Han Fei found that it was getting easier and easier. It seemed that the Star Shell couldn't close again, and Han Fei saw vines and seaweeds growing from the shell.

"We're winning."



Han Fei recalled the Void Lines from Zhang Xuanyu and Le Renkuang and pressed them deep into the clam.

So far, all the ten Void Lines were attached to the Clam Girl and the Star Shell.

What slightly confused Han Fei was that, even though the struggle was less powerful than before, he didn't feel like everything was under control.

"Is it because my soul isn't powerful enough?"

When Han Fei and the Clam Girl fought each other mentally, he heard the Clam Girl begging for mercy in a pitiful voice.

"Spare me, please spare me. I can respect you as a master."

Zhang Xuanyu had already come back to himself, and Le Renkuang held his head on the ground and tried to raise it.

Zhang Xuanyu cursed, "Han Fei, don't trust this witch! Her voice has an enchanting power! Kill her!"

Luo Xiaobai said only one word, "Kill".

"Ah, let me go... I have treasures... I have information about the Sea Quelling Bizarre Treasures..."

Han Fei yelled, "What do you know? You think I'm crazy for Sea Quelling Bizarre Treasures?"

As he talked, Han Fei controlled the Infinity Water to cut into the shell. His advantages were greater and greater, and the Star Shell opened more and more widely too.

Under the dual attacks from Luo Xiaobai and Little Black, Han Fei endured less and less resistance.

The Clam Girl stopped shouting, and Han Fei fell into silence too.

Han Fei thought that he would simply kill the Clam Girl no matter what she said.

But Han Fei paused for a moment, as he saw the Sea Token as well as someone he didn't know at all in the Clam Girl's soul.

Han Fei instantly said, "Xiaobai, stop."

Luo Xiaobai glanced at Han Fei and stopped attacking.

But Han Fei didn't stop Little Black. He said coldly, "You'd better tell us where the Sea Quelling Painting is before you're eaten!"

"The Bone Yard, I'm sure it's in the Bone Yard."

Han Fei's eyes glittered. "Where is the Bone Yard?"

The Clam Girl shrieked. "Let me go! Let me go! I'll tell you everything!"

Han Fei sneered. "You'd better tell me an accurate location before you're eaten up. You're already disabled anyway. I wouldn't mind letting you go. The choice is yours."

Han Fei was performing a divination. Of course, he was not predicting where the Bone Yard was. He wasn't capable of doing that.

He was only predicting if the Clam Girl was tricking him. He was pretty confident in his ability with such simple yes-or-no questions.

Luo Xiaobai said coldly, "You'd better think carefully before you talk. I know all the dangerous areas near the Scattered Stars Island."

"It's in the underground city, the underground city..."

Luo Xiaobai snapped, "There's no such thing as an underground city near the Scattered Stars Island."

Han Fei, however, was slightly surprised, as the Clam Girl didn't seem to be lying.

However, he played along with Luo Xiaobai and said, "I've never heard about the underground city. Unless you tell us where its entrance is, I think you're lying to us."

"Ah! I don't know the entrance! I learned the location from a human I swallowed... Maybe it's right in the Sea of Pearls!"

Han Fei put on a smile. "You must be lying. Die! Xiaobai, do it..."

"Shameless human beings... Ah, spare me..."

While begging for mercy, the Clam Girl finally died. Her body no longer belonged to her, and half of the flesh inside the Star Shell was eaten by Little Black.

Han Fei even saw that Little Black flashed, which indicated a level-up.

Recalling Little Black, Han Fei was going to say something to Luo Xiaobai, when he sensed that a violent soul was surging at him through the Void Lines.

Han Fei instantly sat down. "Protect me."

### **Chapter 863: Confession**

Han Fei found another usage for the Divine Manipulation Technique. It could not only deprive someone else of their control over their body, but also claim the unowned soul of a dead creature.

However, Han Fei didn't dare to extract the entirety of the unowned soul. Only no more than one tenth of the Clam Girl's soul was pulled back by the Void Lines.

Nevertheless, the part that was extracted was still a lot.

Han Fei sensed that the unowned soul extracted by the Void Lines wasn't as rampant as before and was acceptable. So, he claimed the unowned soul without hesitation.

About ten minutes later, Han Fei fully digested the unowned soul. He quickly looked at his information.

<Owner> Han Fei

<Level> 51 (Junior Hidden Fisher)

<Spiritual Energy>: 4,619,667 (23,886)

<Spiritual Power> 3,392/3,392

<Perception Range> 31,999 Meters

<Spiritual Heritage> Level-Seven, Low-Quality

<Spiritual Beast> Twin Yin-Yang Spirit Swallowing Fish (level-46)

<Main Art> Divine Manipulation Technique, Volume Five of Void Fishing (Heaven-Level, Divine-Quality)

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Han Fei found that his spiritual power had increased by more than two hundred points. He instantly grinned.

*Great! As expected of a Sea Spirit! The increase of spiritual power is even greater than that of a level-up.*

When Han Fei opened his eyes, Le Renkuang had already recovered. He shouted and said, "We need to get out of here. This place isn't very stable."

Han Fei looked around, only to see cracks on the wall everywhere. The cavern looked as though it would collapse at any moment.

Luo Xiaobai pointed at the green Star Shell and said, "This must be the source. Why don't you claim it and refine it?"

Han Fei looked at the Star Shell. He had no doubt that the entire space here was established by the shell.

Han Fei instantly walked forward and laid his hand on the shell. He cut his hand and let the blood drip.

However, the Star Shell showed no reaction.

"Huh? You don't acknowledge my blood?"

Han Fei imprinted his soul on it. In the next second, the scenes around them changed, and they were back to the sea. There was a tiny green shell in Han Fei's hand.

Han Fei spread out his senses, only to discover that someone was flying on a boat thirty kilometers away.

Immediately, Han Fei said telepathically, *Our battle with the Clam Girl seemed to have attracted the attention of the outside world. Let's get out of here and pretend to be nobody...*

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An hour later, Han Fei and his teammates looked at each other on the Wind God Boat in bewilderment.

They had encountered at least ten teams on their way. Fortunately, none of them had a Law Enforcer, or they would've noticed Han Fei's team.

Having run far enough, Han Fei's team pretended to be hunting for treasures and searched the area.

After only a hundred seconds, someone passed by.

The man happened to be a Law Enforcer. He was surprised to see Han Fei's team. "When did you come?"

Han Fei pretends to be stunned. "We just got here!"

The Law Enforcer looked at Han Fei's temporary permit and the six-star waist tag and nodded. "The noise was quite big, but there was no sign of purple flames. Be careful!"

Then, the Law Enforcer left, and Han Fei and his teammates didn't know what to say.

Le Renkuang said unhurriedly, "We seem to be quite lucky..."

Zhang Xuanyu nodded. "We were almost caught by the Law Enforcer."

Han Fei said, "Let's fly in the sky. Le Renkuang, you'll fly the boat anywhere you want, but don't be too fast. I'll check our spoils."

All their spoils were kept inside the Star Shell.

The moment he came back, Han Fei had already discovered that the Star Shell contained an enormous space with a radius of twenty kilometers, which was much better than the Sun-Moon Shell. It was even bigger than Forge the Universe.

Unfortunately, there weren't many treasures. What Han Fei found and took out first was a Sea Token.

Luo Xiaobai remarked in surprise, "It's the same as yours."

Zhang Xuanyu was delighted. "I wonder if the token can only be used by one person exclusively. It'll be great if we each have one. Han Fei, do you have any more of them?"

Han Fei rolled his eyes. "Do you think that these things are just everywhere to be seen? I suspect that this Sea Token was left by a Heavenly Talent who was killed by the clam demon."

Luo Xiaobai gave the Sea Token to Han Fei. "You can keep it for now! Let's see how useful the token is later."

Le Renkuang nodded. "It isn't safe to keep the token. Don't you remember how long the Sun family hunted Han Fei for the token?"

Han Fei grinned. "Two Sea Tokens is a nice collection. I don't mind."

Luo Xiaobai glanced at Han Fei and asked, "Where's the Bone Yard? What is the Sea Quelling Painting? I'm pretty sure there are no underground cities."

Han Fei looked at Luo Xiaobai in surprise. "You don't know that?"

Luo Xiaobai shook her head in confusion. "Should I?"

Han Fei laughed. "Maybe I'm just overthinking. Cao Qiu knows something about it. What I'm about to say is probably a secret..."

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Han Fei didn't keep it a secret from Luo Xiaobai and the others. They trusted each other after all the life-and-death experiences they went through.

Although this adventure was so dangerous that they were still uneasy, it was not really a bad thing.

This adventure informed them of the dreadfulness of the treasure troves and mysterious events near the Scattered Stars Island, which could easily kill Hidden Fishers.

The experience might not be a big deal to others, but it would definitely prompt Le Renkuang to train harder. His face was grim at this moment.

A moment later...

Luo Xiaobai asked in surprise, "It's related to the fall of the Thug Academy?"

Han Fei nodded. "Yes. If my guess is correct, the Thug Academy fought certain people in the Thousand Star City over the Sea Quelling Painting and lost. Then, it was reduced to its current poor conditions..."

Zhang Xuanyu took a deep breath. "Wait a moment, are we going to compete over something that so many experts failed to get?"

Le Renkuang nodded quickly. "Right, the Thug Academy was crushed and didn't get the treasure? Besides, Han Fei, your big sword is a Sea Quelling Bizarre Treasure? I always thought it was a Divine weapon."

Luo Xiaobai and Zhang Xuanyu both looked at Han Fei. Zhang Xuanyu didn't take part in the battle in the demon forest, but Le Renkuang had told him what happened. It was obvious that Han Fei didn't tell the truth back then.

Han Fei smiled innocently. "Would you believe me if I say that Xia Xiaochan left it for me?"

Zhang Xuanyu tilted his head and asked, "Did Xia Xiaochan have a Sea Quelling Bizarre Treasure?"

Luo Xiaobai added, "If Xiaochan left a Sea Quelling Bizarre Treasure for you, she would've at least left a Divine weapon for us. You think you can fool us?"

Le Renkuang snorted. "Exactly."

Han Fei scratched his head. "I knew I couldn't keep it a secret forever! Fine, I acquired it from the Snow God's Temple. You know the place, right?"

Luo Xiaobai nodded. "Yes. It's the mission that you carried out before Xiaochan's disappearance."

Han Fei nodded. "Yes, that's the place... Also, one other thing that I need to tell you is that if you ever acquire a high-quality Divine weapon, don't let it acknowledge you immediately, or it will suck up your blood."

Le Renkuang asked in surprise, "Really?"

Han Fei sneered. "People like you who aren't even Hidden Fishers, in particular, can take Sea Quelling Bizarre Treasures, but shouldn't claim them yet."

Luo Xiaobai nodded slightly. "I've heard this before..."

Zhang Xuanyu didn't really envy Han Fei for the Sea Quelling Bizarre Treasures. He knew that Han Fei couldn't carry out their power anyway.

In fact, there were too many items whose power Han Fei couldn't fully carry out!

For example, Han Fei didn't dare to use Snowmourne, fearing that he would give his opponent an opportunity if his spiritual energy was all pumped away by one attack.

For example, the Needle hadn't acknowledged him yet, and he could only wield it as a big hard stick.

For example, he didn't know any usage of the Infinity Water except for turning it into blades.

And the Cosmic Sword hadn't acknowledged him yet. Han Fei had been wondering if he should claim it, as it was necessary for him to have an ultra-quality Divine weapon.

However, Han Fei wasn't sure if he would have to learn a sword technique if he got the Cosmic Sword.

Although the Cosmic Sword innately carried a sword technique, Han Fei knew that he was never good with swords.

Zhang Xuanyu said, "Acquiring one Sea Token is already so hard. I'm starting to doubt if we'll be killed before we can touch the painting in the Bone Yard."

Le Renkuang quickly nodded. "Yes, that's exactly my opinion too."

Han Fei laughed. "That's why I asked you to improve your strength quickly! To be honest, most of the people who compete for the Sea Quelling Painting will likely be our peer Heavenly Talents. We'll probably all participate."

Luo Xiaobai exclaimed, "Huh? We can go there without Sea Tokens?"

Han Fei said with a smile, "That's just my guess. As far as I know, there are 99 Sea Tokens, but I don't believe that only 99 people will compete for it. I don't know the usage of the Sea Token just yet, but maybe I will later. Until then, we'll have to keep improving our capabilities."

Le Renkuang took a deep breath and said, "I'll make a breakthrough to be a Hidden Fisher when I return."

#### **Chapter 864: Scalpers**

Apart from the Sea Token that tempted everybody, there were few weapons that deserved attention inside the Star Shell. There were only several dozen ultra-quality spiritual weapons and two Semi-Divine weapons, left by poor victims.

Han Fei gave all the ultra-quality spiritual weapons as well as a Semi-Divine saber to Le Renkuang.

The other Semi-Divine weapon was a sword, and neither Luo Xiaobai nor Zhang Xuanyu needed it. Zhang Xuanyu was of a mind to let Han Fei refine a Semi-Divine stick for him, and Han Fei accepted his request.

What excited Han Fei most was the items other than weapons.

Han Fei said, "More than 12,000 ultra-quality pearls, about 2,000 black pearls, 5,000 colorful pearls, and no more than 5,000 high-quality pearls."

In terms of price, one black pearl equaled a hundred high-quality pearls.

In terms of value, one black pearl contained more than 100,000 points of spiritual energy, so the harvest from the black pearls amounted to more than two hundred million.

Han Fei thought for a moment and said, "The black pearls are useful to me. You can split up the ultra-quality, high-quality, and colorful pearls!"

In Han Fei's opinion, all the other pearls combined weren't as valuable as the two thousand black pearls.

Although he had made the greatest contributions to the victory, his teammates had offered a lot of help too. Zhang Xuanyu protected Le Renkuang and Luo Xiaobai with his soul. Le Renkuang absorbed a huge number of enchanting pupas. Luo Xiaobai always seized the opportunity to fight alongside him inside the Star Shell.

Luo Xiaobai glanced at Han Fei in surprise. "The ultra-quality and black pearls cannot be traded with high-quality pearls. Why don't you take some ultra-quality pearls too?"

Zhang Xuanyu said, "Yes! I think you're the one who needs spiritual energy the most."

Han Fei was amused. "Don't forget that I'm a spirit gatherer! Do you want them or not? If you don't, I'll just take all of them away."

Luo Xiaobai and the others almost said at the same time, "Yes."

As for the Star Shell itself, Han Fei looked at Luo Xiaobai and asked, "Do you know about Star Shells?"

Luo Xiaobai slightly shook her head. "I only know of the Sun-Moon Shell. Usually, the space that a dead Sun-Moon Shell contains has a radius above a thousand meters. The Star Shell might be an even rarer treasure than the Sun-Moon Shell."

Han Fei nodded. "I'll keep it for now. If we find Sun-Moon Shells later, you can have them."

Han Fei had to keep the Star Shell not really because he needed it, but because he found it impossible to take it out.

He thought quickly. *Doesn't it belong to me now? Why can't I take it out?*

However, there was no time for him to check it yet. He had to examine it in Forge the Universe another day.

Zhang Xuanyu scratched his head. "We paid four hundred thousand high-quality pearls for the permit, but we've stayed here for only one day, right?"

Le Renkuang said regretfully, "I wonder if we can ask for a refund..."

Luo Xiaobai explained, "The temporary permits are refundable, but you can only get some of your money back."

Han Fei's eyes glittered. "That's still better than nothing! I certainly do not intend to fight another Clam Girl in the Sea of Pearls."

Le Renkuang nodded quickly. "Yes! I don't want to eat any more worms either."

Luo Xiaobai said casually, "This trip to the Sea of Pearls indirectly proves that we're not strong enough. We might have been killed if Han Fei hadn't unleashed the force greater than a wave."

Han Fei suddenly asked, "Right, Xiaobai, what does the force of a wave mean? Is it a unit?"

Zhang Xuanyu and Le Renkuang looked at Luo Xiaobai too. They had never heard of such a term before.

Luo Xiaobai looked at Han Fei thoughtfully and said, "The force of one wave describes the slapping power of a wave and equals about ten million kilograms. Experts measure strength with that. A Hidden Fisher may be able to unleash the force of one wave when they reach their peak."

Luo Xiaobai stared at Han Fei while she talked, slightly surprised that Han Fei already had the force above one wave.

Zhang Xuanyu looked at Han Fei too. "Hiss... Doesn't it mean that Han Fei has more strength than a peak-level Hidden Fisher does?"

Le Renkuang was stunned too. "Is he so strong?"

Luo Xiaobai said casually, "Not just a peak-level Hidden Fisher. When Han Fei uses the Majestic Mystic Spell, he may have the power of a junior Law Enforcer."

Han Fei remembered the tsunami. He read the news that an undersea earthquake caused a gigantic trench that was a hundred kilometers wide, a thousand kilometers long, and dozens of meters deep. The power caused by the earthquake equaled a million atomic bombs and vaporized humans and shores.

Of course, the energy of all the sea water was much greater than that of a single wave, but Han Fei was still impressed by Luo Xiaobai's description. Was a force of ten million kilograms equal to one wave? In that case, the maximal force he could unleash was close to two waves.

Han Fei frowned, "Xiaobai, are you sure that the force of one wave is ten million kilograms? I think it should be greater."

Luo Xiaobai said, "I was talking about the force of one part of the wave. When you attack, you have to focus your strength on one point too, so the calculation is correct. It's impossible to calculate the force of an entire tide."

Han Fei slapped his thigh and said, "Hey, you're all capable of the Majestic Mystic Spell! You're not far away from the force of one wave!"

Zhang Xuanyu rolled his eyes and said, "Nonsense! My force was about 0.6 million kilograms after I became a Hidden Fisher. Even if I'm fused with my spiritual beast and use the Majestic Mystic Spell, I can unleash a force of four million kilograms at best. It's still far away from one wave."

Le Renkuang rolled his eyes. *Are you bragging here?*

Le Renkuang realized that he had to make a breakthrough as soon as possible, or he would really be left behind.

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On the next day, Han Fei and the others flew back to the Pearl Divers' Port unhurriedly.



This time, they saw a lot of boats flying above the square carrying six-star experts. They wondered if they were all here for the big earthquake from the previous night.

Unfortunately, no purple flames emerged this time, and those people were bound to return with empty hands.

When Han Fei's team came to the registration office, they found that the place was crowded. How could they ask for a refund when the place was swarmed?

Zhang Xuanyu suggested, "Maybe we should just go."

Le Renkuang said regretfully, "But it's money!"

Han Fei suddenly grabbed his temporary permit and said, "Everybody, four temporary permits that won't expire in nineteen days. First come, first serve."

Zhang Xuanyu and the others all looked at Han Fei. Was that really possible?

The crowd fell into silence. Then, someone quickly jumped to Han Fei. "Bro, I'd like your temporary permit."

*SWISH!*

Dozens of people emerged in front of Han Fei in all kinds of ways. Someone appeared as smoke, some jumped to him after a flash, and some rose from underneath the floor.

All in all, Han Fei was surrounded by buyers after his call.

Someone saw Luo Xiaobai and exclaimed, "Ms. Luo, we met in the central city before. Can you give me your permit?"

Someone laid his hand on Le Renkuang's shoulder. "Bro, I'll give you a higher price."

Someone pushed away the person in front of Han Fei. "Go away! I came here first! Stop cutting in line!"

A moment later...

Han Fei and the others looked at each other in bewilderment. Not only did they suffer no loss from the trip to the Sea of Pearls, but they had even earned a hundred thousand mid-quality pearls. The price of the temporary permits had risen!

Zhang Xuanyu grinned at Han Fei. "Han Fei, I find that you are a genius when it comes to making money."

Le Renkuang nodded. "Yes! I think we could've asked for a higher price."

Luo Xiaobai said, "Training is more important."

Han Fei didn't expect that he could be a scalper in such a place. This was really a profitable industry!

Han Fei chuckled. "Okay, enough! Is such a tiny amount of money really worth celebrating?"

When Han Fei was about to go, he saw that a few men wearing battle suits quickly came to the registration office with a big fish skin and then stuck the fish skin to the wall.

“Huh? An auction?”

Han Fei was briefly stunned. “An auction is to be held at a moment like this?”

Luo Xiaobai said, “It makes sense. A lot of people are coming to the Pearl Divers’ Port, and they may be strong, which means that they are rich. It’s easy to attract their attention by holding auctions right now.”

Le Renkuang said, “Look, a few treasures are introduced on it. There are Semi-Divine weapons, heaven-level techniques, and Phoenix Spirit Ginseng. What’s that?”

Han Fei’s eyes instantly glittered. “Wait a moment, this auction is to be held at nightfall tomorrow? Should we go there and check it out?”

Luo Xiaobai asked, “Are you interested? I think what you have is much more valuable than the items at the auction.”

Zhang Xuanyu quickly nodded. “I do wonder if any Semi-Divine sticks will be auctioned off...”

Han Fei sneered. “Even if there are, are you going to buy them? Can’t you let me craft one for you?”

Zhang Xuanyu smacked his lips. “That’s true.”

Le Renkuang said, “Then are we going to the auction or not?”

Han Fei chuckled. He was determined to get the Phoenix Spirit Ginseng, which he could exchange for the Spirit Awakening Fluid from the old turtle.

Han Fei shrugged. “We’re all curious, right? We’ve never been to such an auction before.”

Luo Xiaobai said casually, “Then we’ll just stay for another night.”

## **Chapter 865: Auction**

The night fell.

At the auction field in the Pearl Diver’s Port.

A lot of people participated in the auction.

The Pearl Diver’s Port ensured absolute fairness and safety in the transactions, so no participants at the auction were wearing masks or hiding their identity.

Of course, few participants at the auction had fewer than six stars.

Even if there were any, they were only here to open their eyes, or sell items.

The auction field of the Pearl Divers’ Port was decorated in a special style. So many pearls had been embedded in the walls and furniture that they glittered under the light.

When Han Fei and the others came in, one of the waiters came and asked, “Sir, are you here to participate in the auction or do you have anything to sell?”

Han Fei asked, “Are there any requirements to participate in the auction?”

The waiter replied with a smile, "The requirement for the Heavenly Talents that participate in the auction in the Pearl Diver's Port is simple. All you need to do is prove your wealth. If you have more than half a million credit points or have many stars, you're allowed to participate."

Han Fei still had a lot of credit points. He had obtained them from Mu Jia'er and Guan Qingyan in the Wind Sky Canyon.

So, everybody simply showed their waist tag, and the waiter examined them and said with a smile, "Would you like a private room, or a public one? A private room, including tea service, only costs a thousand high-quality pearls."

Han Fei quickly paid the pearls. "We'd like a private room."

He didn't even need to think about that all. Not only was a private room fancier than a public room, but the customers inside the private rooms could also impress their competitors during the bidding while remaining anonymous!

A moment later...

Han Fei and his team came to a private room. There were snacks and beverages on the table.

Zhang Xuanyu sat down next to Han Fei. "Han Fei, it's said that a great horror is hidden underneath the Emyrean Waterfall. Do you know what it is?"

Han Fei snorted. "A big turtle."

"A big turtle?"

Le Renkuang couldn't help but ask in a low voice, "Like the Rock-Holding Turtle?"

Han Fei rolled his eyes. "What are you thinking about? It's just as strong as a peak-level Law Enforcer and wouldn't hurt anyone actively."

Luo Xiaobai didn't join their chit chat but had been observing other private rooms through windows. Remote senses were blocked by the private rooms, but the naked eye couldn't be.

Suddenly, Luo Xiaobai said, "There are a lot of acquaintances here."

Han Fei and the others asked in surprise, "Where are they?"

Luo Xiaobai pointed at a private room on the other side of the round hall. "Over there, Cao Jiaren."

Han Fei and the others looked in that direction and saw Cao Jiaren at the window. Seeing that they were looking at her, she looked back at them casually.

Luo Xiaobai continued, "The third room to Cao Jiaren's left. Zhang Wen is there."

Han Fei had already noticed the guy, who always seemed ready to eat him alive whenever they met each other.

However, Han Fei remembered what Old Han said. The seventh level of the True Spirit Fishing Art might be in the Zhang family, so he might have to make friends with Zhang Wen later.

Zhang Xuanyu said, "Li Heiye and Li Baizhou are here too. And what's-his-name from the Mountain Sea Pavilion."

Luo Xiaobai corrected, "Zhai Shun."

Zhang Xuanyu nodded quickly. "Yes, that's him."

Han Fei craned his head out of the wind and looked around, only to catch sight of Mu Ling.

Mu Ling waved at Han Fei and said telepathically with a smile, *Where have you been hiding Tang Ge? I haven't seen him in a long time.*

Han Fei replied with a smile, *Don't worry. He's working on an opportunity. Are you here alone?*

Mu Ling nodded. *There's something I want at this auction. I'm here to compete for it.*

Han Fei didn't talk much to Mu Ling, as there were many high-star experts here, such as Shi Sanyue who was next to Mu Ling's room.

She was one of the captains back in the demon forest. When Han Fei observed her, he found that she had seven stars and had secured a thousand kills.

Shi Sanyue was confused when Han Fei kept staring at him, as they didn't know each other at all.

Luo Xiaobai pulled Han Fei back and said, "Behave and sit down."

Han Fei chuckled. "Are the auctions here always so fancy?"

Luo Xiaobai shook her head. "As far as I know, not many Heavenly Talents usually gather here. There must be something special at this auction that called their attention."

While stuffing dried fish into his mouth, Le Renkuang said, "It's none of my business anyway. Han Fei, when are you going to craft Semi-Divine weapons or Divine weapons? Can you upgrade the weapons in my weapon box?"

"Ha!"

Han Fei rolled his eyes. "How cheap do you think Semi-Divine weapons and Divine weapons are? I can't afford upgrading all your weapons!"

Le Renkuang shrugged and ate sunflower seeds.

Zhang Xuanyu remarked, "Good thing that I only need a stick."

Luo Xiaobai chuckled. "I don't need anything."

Everyone: "..."

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About an hour later.

All the private rooms, and the hall downstairs was full of people. Then, a charming woman walked to the podium.

The woman smiled and said, "Greetings, I'm Wang Jiao, the auctioneer for this session. You may call me Sister Jiao. This auction will start in a hundred seconds. Please bid in order. You're allowed to release your senses and observe your competitors."

Someone smiled. "Jiaojiao, just get it started already! I can't wait anymore!"

Wang Jiao smiled charmingly. "How annoying. Call me Sister Jiao. Don't be hasty. The items are about to be served."

Someone mumbled, "I'm so addicted to her voice."

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While everybody talked and laughed, a hundred seconds passed quickly.

Very soon, a girl stepped up with a small wooden box in her hand.

Wang Jiao slightly nodded her head. The girl opened the box and revealed a purple pill.

Wang Jiao said, "This is the first item of the auction. It's named the Barrier Breaking Pill. I believe you all know its usage. If you're a peak-level Hanging Fisher, your odds of a successful breakthrough will be improved by thirty percent after swallowing a Barrier Breaking Pill. Of course, you may ignore it if you're confident of yourself. The initial price is three thousand high-quality pearls. Every raise must be higher than a hundred high-quality pearls... The bidding starts now."

Someone instantly shouted, "Three thousand, I'll take it."

Someone proposed, "Three thousand and two hundred, it's mine!"

"Three thousand and five hundred, please show me some respect."

"Heh, do you think you deserve any respect? I'll pay four thousand."

Very soon, the price for the Barrier Breaking Pill reached six-thousand, and it was sold for six-thousand five-hundred pearls.

That was just the beginning. The pill was only useful to peak-level Hanging Fishers, so none of the Hidden Fishers took action. It meant that nobody in the private rooms did anything.

Wang Jiao giggled. "Congratulations! Our staff will give the Barrier Breaking Pill to you in a moment... Now, let's see our next item."

The same girl showed up again with a plate that had a jade slip on it.

Wang Jiao explained, "It's an ancient battle technique found from a treasure trove that a lot of people here must know. The name of the technique is Sunset Book. It's a heaven-level, low-quality technique that can gather the power of the sun. It's suitable for those who have strong bodies. Its initial price is fifty thousand, and every raise must be no lower than a thousand... The bidding begins now."

Zhang Xuanyu was slightly surprised. "That's so cheap!"

Han Fei glanced at him. "Why do you think it's cheap? It's just a low-quality technique, and the final price will definitely be much higher than the initial price."

Someone on the second floor shouted, "Sixty thousand! Only armorists and soul warriors can use this technique. I'm sure not many people would want this, right?"

Someone smiled. "Hey, wait. I'll offer eighty thousand. Any higher bid?"

Someone said, "85,000. It's just a low-quality battle technique. Is the competition really worth it?"

After only one moment, the heaven-level, low-quality technique had been raised to 130,000, and they didn't stop bidding until the price reached 150,000.

Han Fei licked his lips. "I really feel like robbing them."

Everyone: "..."

Le Renkuang remarked, "They're willing to pay so much for a heaven-level, low-quality technique?"

Luo Xiaobai shook her head. "Its price would be even higher if it were sold in the Logistics Division."

Le Renkuang smiled. "That's true."

A moment later...

The third item was pushed out. It was kept in a water ball.

Wang Jiao giggled. "It's a mutation of the demonic sea anemones. It can reside in other creatures and grow fast. It's best for a manipulator as a contracted spiritual plant. The initial price is sixty thousand, and every raise must be higher than a thousand... The bidding starts now."

Immediately, many girls stepped out. Someone said, "Eighty thousand."

"A hundred thousand."

"A hundred and ten thousand."

"A hundred and fifty thousand."

Han Fei and the others were all shocked by the brutal bidding of women.

Han Fei looked at Luo Xiaobai. "Is it good?"

Luo Xiaobai explained, "Not exactly, but it's quite special in that it's sturdy and can reside in another creature... Two hundred thousand."

Han Fei was shocked to hear Luo Xiaobai's bid. *You're paying two hundred thousand for something that isn't good?*

Everybody fell quiet, and Wang Jiao spoke with a smile.

"Two hundred thousand once!"

"Two hundred thousand twice!"

"Deal."

“My friend from Private Room No.23, congratulations. Our staff will deliver the item to your room soon.”

Luo Xiaobai looked at everybody. “It isn’t very good, but it’s quite rare and I can extract its features.”

Han Fei was lost for words. “Why do I feel that I’ve seen this before?”

Luo Xiaobai: “...”

Zhang Xuanyu patted Han Fei’s shoulder. “I feel like you’ve missed a lot...”

### **Chapter 866: The Water Pacifying Beast**

Han Fei had indeed seen the demon sea anemones when he escaped from the sea demon mountains, but he was too busy fleeing to pay attention to the insignificant anemones.

Luo Xiaobai said, “It doesn’t matter. You don’t know where you’ll meet special spiritual plants at all.”

When Han Fei smacked his lips, Wang Jiao pushed out another water ball. Inside the water ball was a sealed fish that was gray and motionless inside the ball.

If it weren’t shown as an item, Han Fei would’ve thought that it was a dead fish.

However, the private room wasn’t far away from the podium, so Han Fei could see information.

At this moment, information popped up in his eyes.

<Name> Hollow Nether Fish

<Introduction> A very lazy fish. It will go stealth if it remains still for a long time. The Hollow Nether Fish has a high spiritual power and can easily pierce through the enemy’s mind. They can also swallow the opponent’s soul.

<Level> 53

<Quality> Exotic (Ultra-Quality)

<Spiritual Energy> 10,023 points

<Effect> Your focus will be improved after you eat this. It will help a lot with the cultivation of the meditating paintings.

<Collectible> Hollow Nether Eyes

<Absorbable>

Before Han Fei said anything, Luo Xiaobai looked at Han Fei and said, “I want this fish too. I may need to borrow money from you.”

Han Fei grinned. “Okay, it seems that you know the fish!”

Luo Xiaobai nodded. “It’s a Hollow Nether Fish.”

Le Renkuang asked in confusion, “What’s that?”

Zhang Xuanyu punched him. "Why don't you just listen to her?"

Wang Jiao said in a regretful voice, "A lot of you must've heard about the Nether Hollow Fish, which are best partners to manipulators. They can help with the improvement of the soul and the concentration of the mind. This is a rarely-seen level-53 Hollow Nether Fish. The initial price is one hundred thousand, and every raise must be higher than ten thousand."

This time, voices came out of all the private rooms.

Someone said, "Two hundred thousand."

Someone followed closely, "Three hundred thousand."

Cao Jiaren suddenly opened her mouth, "Five hundred thousand."

Everybody in the hall was dumbfounded. Could a fish really be so expensive?

In a private room on Han Fei's left side, someone said, "Eight hundred thousand."

Cao Jiaren didn't bat an eye. "One million."

The girl on her opposite side gritted her teeth. "A million and two hundred thousand."

Cao Jiaren shot back, "A million and a half."

Suddenly, Luo Xiaobai joined the battle and said, "Two million."

"Hiss!"

Even the people in the private rooms gasped too, wondering how rich these women were. Two million? Was that really the price of a fish?

Cao Jiaren looked at Luo Xiaobai in surprise too, but she wasn't too bothered and simply went on, "Three million."

Her bid put everybody else into silence. The girl who bid earlier was dumbfounded. Was this really the right way of bidding?

Wang Jiao asked, "Customer in Private Room No.23, are you going to bid again? If no..."

Luo Xiaobai said calmly, "Four million."

"Where are these women from? Does money mean nothing to them?"

Someone remarked, "The auction has just begun, and they're already fighting so fiercely over a fish?"

Cao Jiaren looked at Luo Xiaobai. "Five million. If you pay six million, it's yours."

Luo Xiaobai said without hesitation, "Six million."

Cao Jiaren sat down without saying anything.

Han Fei smiled bitterly, wondering if Xiaobai really had that amount of money.

Wang Jiao quickly settled the deal. "Six million once, six million twice... Deal..."



A moment later, Han Fei looked at Luo Xiaobai, lost for words. "Are you crazy?"

Six million high-quality pearls didn't seem a lot, but they equaled six hundred million mid-quality pearls, which were gone because of Luo Xiaobai's bidding.

Luo Xiaobai said, "I was rewarded with five million credit points from the last mission, and I have three million left. I also carry two million high-quality pearls. You need to lend me another million."

Han Fei smiled helplessly, "Never mind, just bid as you will. There's always enough money for you."

Zhang Xuanyu said casually, "Han Fei, if you put it that way, I'm feeling the urge to join the bidding too."  
"Get lost!"

The atmosphere of the auction got intense because of Luo Xiaobai and Cao Jiaren. A bid of six million? Everybody was frightened by them.

Han Fei remembered his Divine Manipulation Technique. After killing the Clam Girl, he could absorb some of her soul. It was probably even more effective than the Hollow Nether Fish!

It meant that one of the Divine Manipulation Technique's abilities was already worth a fortune.

Another dozen items were shown, and almost every private room had joined the bidding, but none made an offer higher than six million.

Han Fei acquired the Phoenix Spirit Ginseng for only 210,000. He didn't regret it at all.

At this moment, two soul warriors carried what appeared to be a calf to the podium. It seemed heavy and covered under a fish skin.

Wang Jiao said alluringly, "The last two items were found from an underground relic. This one is so mysterious that we don't know what it is at all. It could have been a Water Pacifying Statue in the past. Please take a look."

Wang Jiao lifted the fish skin, and Han Fei's eyes bulged at that moment.

"A buffalo?"

He was lost for words. He had expected something great, but it turned out to be an exquisite buffalo that had all kinds of weird engravings.

Han Fei didn't know what it was, but he knew that the buffalo couldn't be simple.

Wang Jiao claimed that it was from a relic, so it had to be a prehistoric relic, or there couldn't have been buffaloes.

Immediately, someone asked, "Jiaojiao, what is it?"

Someone was stunned. "I don't recognize this thing, or the patterns on it! What is this thing for?"

Wang Jiao smiled. "It's exactly because nobody recognizes it, that it's being auctioned. Why else would such a weird statue be auctioned?"

Someone asked, "Jiaojiao, can you tell us the purpose of this item? What can I get from it?"

Wang Jiao shook her head. "I don't know. Just because we don't understand this treasure doesn't mean nobody else can. The initial price for this item is half a million, and every raise must be higher than ten thousand... The bidding starts now."

However, nobody bid at all after a long time.

Wang Jiao asked again, "Is there no bidder at all? I'll ask three times. If there isn't a bidder, we will pass this item..."

"Is there no bidder?"

"Is there..."

"Half a million."

Han Fei opened his mouth.

Everybody looked at Private Room No.23. Han Fei said, "I can buy this item, but can you tell me the location of the relics where it was found?"

Wang Jiao smiled. "Guest in Private Room No.23, I'm sorry, but the relics are already ruined and we've recovered whatever could be recovered. Do you still want it?"

Han Fei pretended to be silent for a moment, before he said, "Fine! I'll take it."

Luo Xiaobai and the others looked at Han Fei, wondering if there was any secret behind the weird item.

Other people were thinking the same. Someone intended to bid against Han Fei, but on second thought, they realized that it would be a waste of money if they didn't know what the item was for.

Zhang Wen suddenly said from his private room, "510,000."

Han Fei glanced at Zhang Wen and thought that he probably had to put off making friends with the Zhang family and acquiring the seventh level of the True Spirit Fishing Art. He decided to kill this guy immediately next time they met.

Zhang Wen felt rather scared when Han Fei glanced at him.

Wang Jiao asked, "Do you intend to bid again, No.23?"

Han Fei smiled. "No. If he wants it, he can have it. I simply wanted to know the location of the relics."

"Pu!"

Zhang Wen almost vomited blood. Did that guy want someone to propose a higher bid?

Wang Jiao giggled too. "Is there a higher bid? 510,000 once, 51,000 twice..."

When Wang Jiao was about to sit down, Mu Ling suddenly said from her booth, "Six hundred thousand."

Wang Jiao looked at Zhang Wen. "No.37, are you going to bid again?"

Zhang Wen shook his head. "No."

He only bid against Han Fei to upset him. He was quite happy that someone took it over from him!

Han Fei didn't expect Mu Ling to help either. He had just intended to ask Cao Jiaren to bid for him, but Mu Ling already took it over.

Mu Ling winked at Han Fei, and Han Fei slightly nodded, indicating that he knew she did it for him.

Luo Xiaobai asked in surprise, "Do you know the creature?"

Han Fei nodded. "I've seen it in the Snow God's Temple."

Han Fei thought to himself, *Wouldn't I be an idiot if I didn't know what a buffalo was?*

It was the first time Han Fei had seen a buffalo in this world. Well, although it was just a statue, it was evidently based on a buffalo.

"A stick!"

All of a sudden, Zhang Xuanyu pointed at a stick that was being handed over to the podium.

Han Fei was stunned for a moment.

The item was a purple-and-red long stick. It was at least a Semi-Divine weapon in Han Fei's eyes. No wonder Zhang Xuanyu became so interested.

Le Renkuang mumbled, "Do they really sell sticks here?"

Han Fei instantly said, "Xuanyu, let me tell you, the items here are very expensive. Why don't you gather some spiritual energy? I can craft weapons for you after we come back."

Tempted, Zhang Xuanyu said, "Let's see how much it costs first."

Wang Jiao smiled alluringly. "This stick is from the same ancient relics where the divine statue was dug out. Also, it's a low-quality Divine weapon. I'm sure you know how valuable it is."

Zhang Xuanyu breathed heavily. "Han Fei, Han Fei, that's a low-quality Divine weapon..."

Han Fei rolled his eyes. "I heard her. There's no need to repeat. Let's see what the final price will be..."

Divine weapons were very precious on the Scattered Stars Island. Han Fei had not seen a lot of them. They were usually not available on the market even if one had enough money.

Wang Jiao said, "The initial price of this stick is two million. Every new bid must be at least ten thousand higher than the last one."

Zhang Wen simply said, "Five million. Those who don't have money, just quit. Make your bid on this basis!"

Shi Sanyue stood out and said, "How about we start from eight million?"

Han Fei looked at Zhang Xuanyu and patted his shoulder. "As your brother, I won't lie to you. I can craft a low-quality Divine weapon for you. Buying it will be too costly!"

Han Fei was rather shocked himself. How could a Divine weapon be so expensive? If he were to craft two daggers with the Essence of Wind, wouldn't he make several hundred million?

“Gudu!”

Han Fei swallowed, envisioning the fortune he could make.

Zhang Xuanyu looked at Han Fei in shock and said telepathically, *Wait, are you saying you can make Divine weapons?*

Han Fei nodded slightly.

Immediately, Le Renkuang’s eyes were filled with passion. Even Luo Xiaobai looked at him too.

Han Fei coughed. “I need spiritual energy. I can craft weapons for you with two hundred million points of spiritual energy.”

Everyone: “...”

At this moment, the bid had reached sixteen million.

Han Fei clicked his tongue, amazed by the lunatics.

Zhang Wen shouted, “Eighteen million! Is anybody else playing too?”

Han Fei smiled casually. “Twenty million.”

Zhang Xuanyu and the others instantly looked at Han Fei with a stun. Can’t you make weapons on your own? Why are you bidding?

Zhang Wen looked at Han Fei with an awful expression. “Do you have that amount of money?”

Han Fei clicked his tongue. “I have plenty of money. The problem is, do you?”

Zhang Wen was so angry that he laughed. “Are you kidding me? Money is the last thing I’m short of. Twenty-one million.”

Han Fei shot back, “Twenty-two million.”

Zhang Wen gnashed his teeth. “Twenty-five million.”

Han Fei fell into silence and stared at Zhang Wen. “You’re indeed rich. I simply bid against you to annoy you.”

“Pu!”

Everybody was stunned.

### **Chapter 867: Serious Old Jiang**

The auction was over, and all the items were delivered to him. However, there was one thing that they didn’t win: the buffalo that Mu Ling bought.

At this moment, Zhang Xuanyu and Le Renkuang were studying the buffalo curiously.

Luo Xiaobai, however, summoned the Blue Cannibal Flower and extended its root into the sea anemone. Very soon, the sea anemone was dried up.

As for the Hollow Nether Fish, it had already gone stealth, probably because it had been still for a long time. Han Fei tried the Eyes of True Vision and didn't see anything. He didn't detect the Hollow Nether Fish with his senses either.

In such a way, Han Fei finally confirmed the value of the Hollow Nether Fish.

Han Fei asked, "Xiaobai, I remember that you had a stealthy jellyfish as your contractual spiritual beast."

Luo Xiaobai nodded. "I'll cancel the contract immediately. The stealthy jellyfish doesn't work very well. The Hollow Nether Fish is more valuable to a manipulator even than a legendary contractual spiritual beast is."

Therefore, Luo Xiaobai contracted the Hollow Nether Fish on the spot.

Han Fei remembered that Luo Xiaobai had contracted a Divine Seaweed Octopus back in the wall of seaweed. She always had high standards about her contractual spiritual beasts.

About ten minutes later, the Hollow Nether Fish successfully became Luo Xiaobai's contractual spiritual beast. Zhang Xuanyu and Le Renkuang, on the other hand, were examining the buffaloes' horns on its back.

Zhang Xuanyu asked in a low voice, "What do you think the horns are made of? If we knock them off and ask Han Fei to refine them, can they be crafted into Divine weapons?"

Le Renkuang shook his head. "I don't think so. If these could be materials for a Divine weapon, how could they have been sold for several hundred thousand high-quality pearls?"

Zhang Xuanyu remarked, "That's true! I don't think we bought anything at the auction."

Le Renkuang said in disdain, "We're too poor. But that's alright. Han Fei is rich."

Zhang Xuanyu quickly nodded, showing his agreement with Le Renkuang's words.

Han Fei was lost for words. "If you're trying to rip me off, would you please at least communicate telepathically?"

Zhang Xuanyu chuckled and jumped off from the buffalo. "I don't know what this thing is exactly, but its materials don't seem very good. The only things mysterious about it are the messy lines and words."

Han Fei stepped forward and stored the buffalo into Forge the Universe, before he pushed them forward. "Let's go back to the Scattered Stars Island and continue training! You two held us back on this trip. You almost got killed."

"Sir, please wait a moment."

When Han Fei was about to leave, a waiter stopped him.

Han Fei frowned. "What's wrong?"

The waiter said, "Sir, this is the first time you've come to the auction field of the Pearl Diver's Port. According to our rules, you will permanently have a free private room here after you spend more than a million high-quality pearls."

Han Fei was lost for words. "I can not understand businessmen like you. Is a permanent free private room really something? Do we look like we can't pay a thousand high-quality pearls?"

The waiter was slightly embarrassed. He thought to himself, *That's just the way that my auction field attracts big clients!*

Luo Xiaobai accepted the privilege card from the waiter and glared at Zhang Xuanyu, who seemed too arrogant for someone who had so little money.

Of course, that was just a minor incident. Han Fei's attention had already been focused on the Twisted Jungle.

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On the Scattered Stars Island.

After Han Fei came back, he said to Luo Xiaobai and the others, "You can get back to your business. There's something I must do."

Luo Xiaobai nodded slightly. "Okay."

Zhang Xuanyu said, "Han Fei, is it about the underground city? Are you sure the news about the underground city is true?"

Han Fei said casually, "Whether or not it's true, I have to learn more about it."

Le Renkuang shouted, "Don't be too fast! Wait for me. I'm planning to make a breakthrough first. After my breakthrough, I'll go to the Wind Sky Canyon and get a pair of wings."

Han Fei rolled his eyes. "There's no need to rush. I don't think it will be useful without enough Sea Tokens even if we go there."

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Saying goodbye to Luo Xiaobai and the others, Han Fei flew right towards the Twisted Jungle. This time, he ignored the arrays that Old Jiang set up.

All the venomous grasses and worms on the way were simply crushed.

The tricky arrays that Old Jiang set up were simply destroyed by Han Fei with violence. He didn't have time to come up with solutions at all.

Considering Old Jiang's personality, he would only increase the difficulty of the arrays every time he passed them.

It never occurred to Old Jiang that Han Fei was never predictable. So, when Han Fei broke through the arrays, Old Jiang was so pissed that his beard was almost flying.

Old Jiang yelled, "What a short-tempered and inconsiderate guy! He could crack the arrays quickly. Does he have to be so hasty?"

Tang Ge raised his head in surprise. "Senior, is Han Fei here?"

Old Jiang said angrily, "Stay focused. Don't get distracted."

A moment later, Han Fei broke in and cried, "Old man, a major discovery! Is Sister Qin not back yet?"

Old Jiang snorted heavily. "You'll rearrange all my arrays when you go! Did you see how many creatures you killed on your way here?"

Han Fei ignored Old Jiang and looked at Tang Ge in surprise. "Huh? You're here too, Tang Ge?"

"Humph!"

The heavy snort echoed in the air, and Tang Ge had to concentrate his attention under the shock.

Han Fei even suspected that the furnace would explode again.

Han Fei mumbled, "We'll talk later. You should focus on alchemy, which is even more dangerous than refining. Your furnace might explode anytime."

Old Jiang glanced at Han Fei and said, "What are you so hasty about? Is it because you got a Wind God Pearl?"

Han Fei asked in surprise, "Huh? How did you know that?"

Old Jiang said in disdain, "Do you even need to ask? How can Xiao Qin not know the appearance of a Wind God Pearl? However, I'm told you've been close to a girl at the Empyrean Waterfall. What's that about?"

Han Fei sniffed. "It's completely under control. Do you not know what a decent man I am?"

"Do you have any decency at all?"

Han Fei: "..."

Han Fei said gloomily, "Enough chit chat. I've learned something about the Bone Yard."

Old Jiang's hands slightly shivered. Then, he asked solemnly, "Where is it? Xiao Qin has been searching for a long time, to no avail. Did you find something?"

Tang Ge pricked his ears. *Bone Yard? What's that place?*

Han Fei said, "Old Jiang, have you ever heard about the underground city?"

"Huh?"

Old Jiang was rarely grave. "It's a collapsed land... On the Scattered Stars Island, there's a legend that an ancient city is buried somewhere at the bottom of the sea. People almost turned the island upside down to find the underground city, but they never found anything. Is your information accurate?"

Han Fei nodded. "Yes, I think so."

While talking, Han Fei summoned a Sea Token in each hand, which made Old Jiang's eyelids twitch. "You've got another one?"

Old Jiang slowly rose from his chair and paced back and forth on the open ground. A moment later, he said, "You cook first. I'll call Xiao Qin back."

Han Fei was lost for words. *You're asking me to cook when there's something so important to do?*

However, seeing that Old Jiang was considering something, Han Fei didn't ask further but leaned closer to Tang Ge. "What are you making this time? Right, Mu Ling did me a favor three days ago. You should thank her for me sometime!"

*BAM!*

The furnace exploded, and the black smoke inside darkened the faces of Tang Ge and Han Fei.

Tang Ge looked back at Old Jiang, only to find that the old man didn't seem bothered at all. He was still pacing back and forth thoughtfully.

Han Fei secretly dragged Tang Ge to the kitchen and complained, "Why does your furnace keep exploding? I'm still waiting for your products."

Tang Ge smiled helplessly. "The path of alchemy is extremely complicated. I'm now finally a two-star alchemist. There's still a long way to go..."

He suddenly asked, "What is the Bone Yard? Where is the underground city?"

Han Fei was going to talk, when Old Jiang snorted and said, "Don't ask so many questions yet. Tang Ge, you should stop studying alchemy and focus on increasing your strength. Han Fei, you should also prepare as many spiritual fruits as possible."

Suddenly, the protection barriers shivered.

Jiang Qin's voice came through, "Not just that. Han Fei, can you craft Divine weapons? Maybe single-use ones?"

Han Fei was surprised that Jiang Qin had come back so quickly.

He knew that the underground city was probably very dangerous, or Old Jiang and Jiang Qin wouldn't have been so serious.

Han Fei suggested, "What about single-use Semi-Divine weapons? I don't have enough materials for more!"

Jiang Qin was dazed for a moment. "Do they exist?"

Han Fei nodded. "All that matters is how you craft them. I think it's possible to make one-time Semi-Divine weapons, but they won't be too powerful."

Old Jiang said, "If we don't have Divine weapons, we'll have to make do with Semi-Divine weapons. We don't have a choice."

Han Fei couldn't help but stand in place and ask, "Old Jiang, Sister Qin, is the underground city really so dangerous?"



Jiang Qin nodded deeply. "It's even more dangerous than our description... I always thought... Never mind, keep the information to yourselves, and try to strengthen yourselves as much as possible."

### **Chapter 868: Tales of the Underground City**

At the dinner table.

"Chiliu! Ah~"

Old Jiang sipped the wine and said unhurriedly, "Someone found half of an ancient scroll in the relics near the Scattered Stars Island. It said that the island was much bigger during ancient times, and that a human city was built here. The sea demons were not like the Half-Mermen at all. They were real top experts who could move mountains away..."

Han Fei realized that Old Jiang was probably talking about an intelligent species.

He also knew that if there could be sea demons and demonic plants, there might even be crabs that could talk. Who could know?

Old Jiang continued, "It's said that a king of human beings had an astonishing battle against sea demons. In the end, the bottom of the sea was broken, and earth fire surged out. The overwhelming tides drowned the city. Then, for some reason, the remaining sea demons retreated, and the survivors built a ship and sailed across the sea. They were all gone from the Scattered Stars City. It remains a mystery how human beings came back to this place."

Tang Ge asked in surprise, "What king? An Explorer-level expert?"

Han Fei found it slightly weird. Based on Old Jiang's vague narration, the city was a lot like Atlantis. Of course, he knew that they couldn't be the same.

The problem was that the underground city should be below the ground after the fall.

Han Fei asked again, "Is the underground city not beneath the ground?"

Old Jiang laughed. "How can it be so simple? If it's just underground, you can easily find it by digging... It would've been found a long time ago."

Old Jiang glanced at Tang Ge and Han Fei. "We have to talk about the king first. He was not an Explorer, but a matchless expert above the Venerable level. It's said that his clone protected the city and relocated the city to a place unknown to prevent it from being destroyed."

Tang Ge was slightly surprised. "Stronger than Venerable?"

Han Fei was surprised. "Another place unknown?"

Both Han Fei and Tang Ge looked at Old Jiang in shock.

The old man snorted again. "What do you mean by another? Why do you think the Scattered Stars Island is called the Unknown Place? If the Scattered Stars Island is all there is, why don't they simply call it the Scattered Stars Island?"

Han Fei asked with his eyes widened, "Really? Is the underground city the real reason why it's all a place unknown?"

"Chiliu! Ah~"

Old Jiang had another mouthful of the wine and nodded. "Of course. The Scattered Stars Island is just an island with a lot of residents. Why is it unknown? The real place unknown is the underground city."

Jiang Qin asked, "Han Fei, did you mention that you acquired the intelligence from a Clam Girl?"

Han Fei nodded quickly. "Yes, the Clam Girl came back to life a long time ago and hunted the pearl divers specifically. Fortunately, she wasn't fully recovered yet, or I would've been killed."

Tang Ge looked at Han Fei. "What dangerous place did you go to?"

Han Fei shook his head. "Nowhere, just the Sea of Pearls."

Tang Ge was stunned for a moment. "Is there such a dangerous place on the Sea of Pearls?"

Jiang Qin, however, looked at Han Fei casually. "Have you found the secrets of the Sea of Pearl's earthquakes, purple flames, and missing cases?"

Han Fei nodded. "Yes! She was in an independent space. We got the information of the underground city from her too. Also, the Clam Girl mentioned that there might be an entrance to the underground city in the Sea of Pearls, but I'm not sure."

Old Jiang laughed. "She was probably tricking you. If the Clam Girl did come back to life from a long time ago, she must've known the Sea of Pearls very well. How could she not know if there was an entrance?"

Han Fei didn't know what to say. "Then how are we going to search? The Bone Yard is in the underground city, which was moved to a place unknown by a king. Where can we find it?"

Jiang Qin said casually, "It's not entirely impossible."

Both Han Fei and Tang Ge looked at Jiang Qin.

Jiang Qin said, "Do you know why the Transverse Mountain is strictly garrisoned, and only the experts are allowed to enter?"

Han Fei asked in surprise, "Isn't it because the Spirit Awakening Fluid can be found in there? Or is it fake?"

Old Jiang smiled. "It's not fake. It's truly possible to acquire Spirit Awakening Fluid there, but do you know where the Spirit Awakening Fluid is from?"

Han Fei and Tang Ge looked at each other in bewilderment. In the end, Han Fei tilted his head and looked at Old Jiang. "The underground city?"

Old Jiang chuckled. "Yes, and no!"

Han Fei said, "Hey, old man, would you please stop acting mysterious? Say something we can understand."

Old Jiang said angrily, "Why are you so hasty? It is my guess that the Spirit Awakening Fluid appears because of the king."

Han Fei asked in shock, "The king is so strong?"

Tang Ge scratched his head. "Are the kings so capable that they can create the Spirit Awakening Fluid?"

Old Jiang said unhurriedly, "The experts can establish seas and become kings. It's said that people of that level can manipulate the rules of nature. Have you considered why the Spirit Awakening Fluid becomes nothingness after you swallow it?"

Han Fei's eyelids quickly shivered. "Why?"

Old Jiang raised his head. "Maybe, it's not fluid at all, but a rule of nature. How can such great mysteries be a simple fluid?"

Jiang Qin continued, "So, people have guessed that the Undersea Chimneys, the Transverse Mountain, and the spring underneath the old turtle in the Empyrean Waterfall all lead to the underground city..."

Tang Ge was dazed. "Is there an old turtle in the Empyrean Waterfall?"

Han Fei patted Tang Ge's shoulder. "An old turtle is confined to the lake underneath the Empyrean Waterfall."

Tang Ge had a lot of mixed feelings. He didn't realize until this day that the world wasn't as simple as he thought.

Jiang Qin said, "It's more like they're collecting the Spirit Awakening Fluid than digging for it inside the Transverse Mountain."

As she spoke, Jiang Qin looked at Old Jiang. "Grandpa must know better than I do."

Old Jiang stroked his beard and said unhurriedly, "Heh! There's a bottomless hole in the Transverse Mountain that yields Spirit Awakening Fluid all the time. Of course, its productivity isn't too high."

Han Fei was shocked. "A bottomless hole?"

Tang Ge added, "Nobody ever went down to examine it?"

Old Jiang snorted. "As I said, it's a bottomless hole. Too many people went down to check it, but so far nobody has come back. Inside the hole, you can't fly with your wings at all, and you'll sink infinitely. Maybe people who entered it hundreds of years ago are still falling."

Han Fei: "..."

Tang Ge: "..."

The two of them were quite shocked by the big secret. They didn't know that everybody was forbidden from entering the Transverse Mountain because a mysterious place lay in it.

Han Fei shivered and looked at Old Jiang. "What about the old turtle underneath the Empyrean Waterfall? Can't we rescue the old turtle and enter through the spring underneath it?"

Old Jiang looked at Han Fei with a smile. “Do you not know why the old turtle is there?”

Han Fei said loudly, “I do! The Emyrean Waterfall is an enormous seal based on rules, right? The seal cannot be broken unless a lot of people become Law Enforcers around it. But I say it’s too much of a waste of time. We can just let an Explorer move the Emyrean Waterfall away and destroy the Scattered Stars Island... Fine! The Scattered Stars Island can’t be destroyed...”

Tang Ge was dazed. “The Emyrean Waterfall is a seal?”

Tang Ge found that he had become an idiot who didn’t understand anything. Why could the seal be broken if someone became a Law Enforcer?

Jiang Qin slightly shook her head. “Therefore, it’s unrealistic to enter through the Emyrean Waterfall, or the bottomless hole, which may lead you to anywhere.”

Han Fei took a deep breath and said, “The Undersea Chimney... That’s the only option.”

He asked, “If nobody has been there, why do people know that the Sea Quelling Painting is in the Bone Yard? How did the name, Bone Yard, spread out?”

Tang Ge gave up. He really didn’t know what the Sea Quelling Painting was about.

Jiang Qin nodded. “My grandpa and I have the same questions. However, there are few Undersea Chimneys. If we don’t reach one as soon as we can, it’s possible that the entrance will be sealed, if there’s an entrance at all.”

Han Fei nodded. “Hey! Sister Qin, you’re in charge of the Pioneer Group. Have you ever seen an Undersea Chimney?”

Jiang Qin was speechless. “I have, but I never knew that the Bone Yard was in the underground city. I came back as soon as I could after you mentioned it today.”

Han Fei smiled awkwardly. “In any case, there’s no rush right now.”

“You’re wrong!”

Jiang Qin looked at Han Fei solemnly. “The Undersea Chimney may appear anytime. If the Undersea Chimney is really an entrance, you must increase your strength as quickly as possible.”

Old Jiang also said casually, “There aren’t really many coincidences in this world. You were lucky enough to learn about the underground city, but do you know that luck sometimes means destiny? If the information is out, it’s only a matter of time that the underground city will emerge. You have to strengthen yourself as quickly as possible.”

### **Chapter 869: The Truth Behind It All**

After Jiang Qin and Old Jiang said that, Han Fei remarked, “That doesn’t sound right! How can we enter it without gathering the 99 Sea Tokens?”

Old Jiang laughed. “Who told you that the Sea Tokens are the key?”

Han Fei was stunned for a moment. "But even if the Sea Tokens aren't the key, they must be related to the Sea Quelling Painting, right? Didn't the Sea Quelling Painting fall apart into 99 Sea Tokens?"

"Huh?"

Old Jiang stared at Han Fei. "Who told you that there are 99 Sea Tokens, or that the Sea Quelling Painting fell apart and became Sea Tokens?"

Han Fei meant to say that it was Old Han, but judging from the situation, Old Jiang didn't seem to know Old Han!

Han Fei instantly laughed and lied. "It was the Clam Girl. The Clam Girl told me."

"Ha!"

Old Jiang rolled his eyes at Han Fei. "If she knew the truth, she wouldn't have been stuck in the Sea of Pearls. Fine. I'll tell you the truth, but you must keep it a secret. The Sea Tokens are indeed the key, but not one to the underground city or the Bone Yard."

Han Fei was confused. "Then what's the key for?"

Old Jiang laughed. "You really don't know the answer? The key to open the Sea Quelling Painting, of course."

Han Fei didn't know what to say. "Isn't the Sea Quelling Painting equal to the Sea Tokens? Does it have to be opened?"

Old Jiang sneered. "Not exactly. The Sea Tokens are part of the Sea Quelling Painting and what makes it complete. So, it's not outrageous to call the Sea Tokens a key."

Han Fei: "..."

Taking a deep breath, Han Fei finally asked, "Are you saying that anyone can go to the underground city, but they need all the Sea Tokens in order to activate the Sea Quelling Painting? That's too hard. I have only two Sea Tokens. Who knows where the rest of the Sea Tokens are!"

Jiang Qin shook her head.

"Firstly, the Undersea Chimneys might not be entrances. It's just a guess.

"Secondly, the Sea Tokens might be catalysts. When the first Sea Token is in position, the other Sea Tokens will be attracted to it.

"Thirdly, has it occurred to you that the underground city is where the Spirit Awakening Fluid comes from? Do you want someone else to go there first?"

Han Fei shook his head. "It's best to keep the good stuff to myself... Ha!"

Jiang Qin nodded. "Exactly. From any perspective, the first to enter the underground city and touch the Sea Quelling Painting will receive unimaginable benefits. This is just our guess, but since the news of the Sea Quelling Painting is out, it may be a sign that the Sea Quelling Painting will emerge again."

"Chiliu! Ah~"

Old Jiang finished off the wine in his cup. "Everything in this world is predestined. It's impossible to know your destiny through the signs. If you make preparations in advance, you will benefit a lot from it. Also, the Sea Quelling Painting involves secrets about Sea Establishment. Many experts are behind the competition, and you're like their chess pieces that may turn the board upside down."

Han Fei's expression slightly changed. "Chess pieces?"

Old Jiang chuckled. "That may be a heartless way of saying it... Let me put it this way. There are no kings in the Thousand Star City. It will mean a lot if someone becomes a king, especially to the major families in the city. So, they're betting on the chess pieces in their hands, hoping that they can get the secret in the painting."

"Hiss!"

Han Fei remembered what Old Han said. Earlier, Han Fei said that he couldn't defend the Sea Quelling Painting against so many top experts at all, but Old Han said that it was fine.

So, Old Han was one of the players, and he was a chess piece.

Han Fei instantly felt bad. No son would feel good if his father manipulated him like a chess piece, no matter the objective.

Han Fei looked at Tang Ge and Jiang Qin and asked, "Old man, I have two Sea Tokens right now. Should I give one of them away?"

Old Jiang replied unhurriedly, "It's up to you, but you'd better not. Nobody can tell for sure if it's a coincidence that you acquired two Sea Tokens. Someone must've placed a huge bet on you. Why would you pass your fortune to someone else?"

Han Fei laughed. "You're talking as if it's impossible to become a king without the Sea Quelling Painting."

Then, Han Fei looked at Tang Ge. Before Han Fei could talk, Tang Ge rose and grinned. "I won't take it. I can't steal your fortune."

Tang Ge was no fool. It couldn't have been a coincidence that Han Fei had gathered two Sea Tokens. It meant that Han Fei was a man with great fortune.

Also, for Tang Ge, although he wanted to become strong, he didn't want to take away his brother's fortune.

Besides, Old Jiang had mentioned that the experts were placing bets. If someone had bet on him, he would've acquired a Sea Token. Since he didn't have any, nobody could've bet on him yet.

Old Jiang waved his hands. "It's beneficial if you don't give them away! Those who don't have a Sea Token might get killed if you give one to them."

Han Fei felt like his blood was freezing. "Is it really so serious?"

Old Jiang said unhurriedly, "Who knows? But those who don't have a Sea Token can still go to the underground city. There are infinite fortunes in the underground city, some might be even bigger than

the Sea Quelling Painting. In any case, you should all increase your strength, but don't become a Law Enforcer."

Han Fei asked, "Law Enforcers can't go there?"

Jiang Qin said, "Don't become a Law Enforcer hastily... It will be hard to change your course if you walk on the wrong path. It may even affect your path in the future. Also, it's said that the Sea Quelling Painting is related to the path, so don't become a Law Enforcer until you get the painting."

Old Jiang laughed. "Did you really think that nobody at the Emyrean Waterfall could become a Law Enforcer?"

Han Fei's eyelids twitched. "Ah!"

Han Fei knew that everybody at the Emyrean Waterfall was very strong. They expected Jiuyin Ling to become a Law Enforcer because she had decided her path a long time ago.

But the other people weren't the same. Those who didn't become a Law Enforcer might have not decided their path yet.

Thinking about that, Han Fei looked at Old Jiang and asked, "Old man, are you on the wrong path?"

"Pu!"

Old Jiang spat out the peanuts he was chewing and snapped, "Why do you think my path is wrong? It isn't! I told you not to become Law Enforcers because you might be more clear about what you want while you find out the secrets of the Sea Quelling Painting!"

Han Fei was greatly relieved. "That explains a lot. I thought you were both wrong."

Old Jiang: "..."

Jiang Qin smiled. "You're not entirely wrong. Every Law Enforcer has selected a path for themselves, so the Sea Quelling Painting won't be very useful to them. They'll only bet on the Hidden Fishers and won't participate in the competition. Whoever competes for the painting above the Hidden Fisher level will be killed."

Old Jiang hummed and said, "Someone did that before. Han Guanshu, the commander of the Scattered Stars Island in the past, looted the painting. He even killed a lot of people, but he was outnumbered and crushed by his enemies. There's no telling if he really died."

"Pu... Cough, cough..."

Han Fei spurted out his wine, as Old Han didn't mention anything about that!

The other three people looked at Han Fei in surprise, wondering why he got so excited.

Han Fei quickly explained, "Oh, I simply remembered the Thug Academy. Old man, did the Thug Academy fight for the painting and lose too?"

Old Jiang snorted. "Sort of! But the Thug Academy never sees eye to eye with the people in the Thousand Star City. It wasn't a surprise."

“Got it, got it.”

Han Fei finally realized why the Thug Academy was destroyed. The experts were playing a chess game, yet the Thug Academy intended to kill the players and swallow the fortune. Of course it was crushed.

Also, why did Old Han fight for the Sea Quelling Painting? Was he not a Law Enforcer yet?

That was hardly unlikely. He would've been killed easily if he weren't a Law Enforcer, and he wouldn't have had a chance to meddle.

Whatever the reason was, Old Han had definitely prepared a sophisticated scheme. If Han Fei hadn't gathered all the leads, he wouldn't have known that he was a chess piece that someone placed a heavy bet on.

Tang Ge, on the other hand, frowned as if he were thinking hard.

After the dinner, Han Fei left the plantation with Tang Ge.

After they came out of the Twisted Jungle, Tang Ge suddenly asked, “Han Fei, is there something that you never told me?”

After a stun, Han Fei grinned and said, “Yes. It's not because I don't want to tell you, but because I cannot say it to you yet. Revealing the information may influence our destiny. You'll know it sooner or later. I'll tell you everything when the Sea Quelling Painting incident is over.”

Tang Ge smiled. “Then I probably know what it's about. Okay, you can go back! I'll meet Mu Ling. Since we have to improve our strength, I'll run more errands with the Scattered Stars First Unit.”

Han Fei nodded. “Okay!”

### **Chapter 870: Law of Gravity**

Han Fei was only away for a few days, so nobody at the Emyrean Waterfall was surprised when he came back.

Many of them even greeted him. For example, Yue Shier invited Han Fei to have fish soup, and You Ye offered to transplant two blooming flowers to Han Fei's place.

However, when Han Fei looked at them, he found that they were stronger than he thought.

Too many of them could have become Law Enforcers, but they were still looking for their path. Han Fei had always thought that Jiuyin Ling was the only super genius, which was why she became a Law Enforcer.

At Ye Qingfeng's home.

Han Fei leaned against the door and asked, “Senior Ye, are you having tea?”

Looking at the sky, Ye Qingfeng was lost for words. “It's already nightfall, yet you want tea? You should be having dinner.”

Han Fei chuckled. “Well, I'm good at frying centipedes. Should I fry one for you?”



The two venomous centipedes that Ye Qingfeng had been keeping seemed able to understand the human language. They both shivered at the horrible man who did not just want their venom, but also wanted to eat them!

Ye Qingfeng snorted and casually threw a vial to Han Fei. "Don't visit me in the following days. I'm developing a new poison."

Accepting the vial, Han Fei quickly said, "Hey, let's not rush into anything yet. I have some Poison God with me. Do you want it? I can offer you a vial."

Ye Qingfeng glanced at Han Fei. "That's the product of the little fatty from the Cao family, right?"

Han Fei quickly nodded. "Yes, exactly. The poison is quite good."

Ye Qingfeng said in disdain, "That fatty is truly gifted in poison, but he's not using it in the right place. How can you call a mess of three hundred poisons, 'Poison God'?"

Han Fei was stunned for a moment. "More than three hundred? Shouldn't it be thousands?"

Ye Qingfeng laughed. "What do you think poisons are? Does he have the time to study thousands of poisons? I've examined it. It contains 308 kinds of poisons in total. Do you know why it causes such drastic reactions in the body?"

Han Fei was confused. "Why?"

Ye Qingfeng sneered. "The collision of poisons is unstable in the first place. Of course the reaction is drastic in the body. Never mind. Why am I talking about this with you? That thing can be used against the enemy, but that's not the right path."

Han Fei walked back unhurriedly. He didn't know that Cao Qiu had been lying. He claimed to have refined a thousand poisons, but there turned out to be only three hundred in total.

Han Fei opened the vial and sipped the poison that Ye Qingfeng made. When he passed Mrs. Yin's place, he felt that the Heaven Spirit Detoxifying Insect flashed and leveled up.

*Huh! It's already level-38! That's so fast!*

Over the past days, Han Fei had swallowed many poisons, and the Heaven Spirit Detoxifying Insect's level had soared quickly. Although it didn't hit level-40 in half a month as Ye Qingfeng promised, it was still close enough.

By Han Fei's estimation, it would reach level-39 after finishing the vial of blood. Then, he could feed a drop of Poison God to it, or some Spirit Awakening Fluid. It shouldn't be hard for the insect to reach level-40.

Jiuyin Ling's home was empty. Han Fei had no idea where the girl had been, as the Heavenly Water Village was a fairly large place. He hoped that she could really understand what comfort meant without being tricked by the technique.

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At the same moment.

In front of Han Fei's old home near the cliff in the Heavenly Water Village.

Jiuyin Ling picked a giant sea clam from the tank and gazed at it. She found that the low-level fishers ate all sorts of things that could be eaten.

Han Fei said that she should experience ordinary people's lives. Should she start with eating?

Thinking for a moment, Jiuyin Ling asked softly, "How should I eat this?"

"M-M-Madam, it's easy. S-Someone is buying daily necessities for you, including grills and spiritual fruits. Please wait a moment, madam. Someone will be here to serve you."

Although Han Fei was gone, nobody dared to touch his old home.

Everybody knew that Han Fei left for the Unknown Place. Although he never sent a message back, the Thug Academy was still here.

The Thug Academy was undoubtedly the best academy in the village. Too many people applied for it. Even the Fish Dragons Gang was under its protection.

When Jiuyin Ling stepped down from the sky, everybody in the Heavenly Water Village was shocked, and the Fish Dragons Gang specifically sent someone to cater to her needs.

The man who was sent to serve her swallowed when he remembered her arrival. She was as graceful as a descending goddess in her white dress, and she didn't seem to belong to this world at all.

Jiuyin Ling shook her head. "Teach me. I'd like to do it on my own."

"Yes, ma'am. I'll have someone teach you."

As they walked, someone in red dashed close with the realm of a junior Hanging Fisher.

It was a girl who came. She wore red clothes and looked rather timid in front of Han Fei's yard.

Jiuyin Ling slightly nodded at her. "Junior Hanging Fisher, hello. What's your name?"

"He... He Xiaoyu."

Jiuyin Ling nodded and asked gently, "Is there anything I can help you with?"

Hearing that someone had stepped down from the sky and stayed in Han Fei's place, He Xiaoyu came as soon as possible, but she was astounded by the elegance of the woman she saw.

She asked nervously, "I... Is Han Fei not back?"

Jiuyin Ling slightly shook her head. "He's still in the Unknown Place."

He Xiaoyu was slightly disappointed, but she asked again, "Did something happen to him? Is that why you're here?"

Jiuyin Ling shook her head. "No. When I came, he had just become a Hidden Fisher."

"A Hidden Fisher?"

He Xiaoyu slightly opened her mouth. *Has Han Fei already become a Hidden Fisher?*

A close-by member of the Fish Dragons Gang felt like thunder was rumbling in his head. That was great news! If his boss had become a Hidden Fisher, he would definitely be able to fly in the sky now!

He decided to tell everybody the news when he came back. His boss was truly awesome.

He Xiaoyu was relieved to know that Han Fei was fine. She asked nervously, "Sister, what's the relation between you and him?"

Jiuyin Ling knew what He Xiaoyu really wanted to know, but she wasn't bothered. "He helped me become a Law Enforcer and asked me to experience the life of ordinary people."

He Xiaoyu was slightly confused. "A Law Enforcer?"

Jiuyin Ling explained gently, "It's the level above Hidden Fisher. I couldn't have crossed the obstacles as easily without him."

He Xiaoyu subconsciously stepped back and looked at Jiuyin Ling in shock. *This woman is even stronger than a Hidden Fisher?*

The member of the Fish Dragons Gang was dumbfounded and swallowed crazily. He had to inform his fellows that they had to treat this goddess with utmost respect. No... He had to ask Boss Gang to come back. Only Boss Gang could take care of this.

He Xiaoyu took a deep breath and said firmly, "Well, Sister, can you tell me his situation in the Unknown Place?"

Jiuyin Ling smiled and said, "Okay! My name is Jiuyin Ling. You may call me Xiao Jiu..."

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At night, the stars were glittering in the sky.

Sitting on the rooftop of Han Fei's old home, Jiuyin Ling stared at the stars and mumbled, "What's he doing?"

Suddenly, Jiuyin Ling extended her hand. "Seal!"

"Who's there?"

Someone else had emerged on Han Fei's rooftop at some point, wearing a mask that didn't even reveal his mouth.

The stranger laughed creepily. "Jiuyin Ling?"

Jiuyin Ling frowned. "Who are you? Why do you seal yourself to the Hidden Fisher level?"

The stranger smiled. "I am Faceless from the Thug Academy. Do you intend to cultivate with Han Fei?"

Jiuyin Ling nodded. "Yes, but how can you prove your identity?"

Uncle Faceless laughed. "Hey, not everybody can be together with Han Fei. If you really want, come to a place with me..."

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Naturally, Han Fei had no idea what happened in the Heavenly Water Village.

He was gazing at the weird buffalo. After he examined the weird runes on the buffalo's body, an astounding technique popped up in his head.

Law of Gravity (Incomplete) (Unrated)

<Introduction> It's one of the laws of nature that manipulates gravity within a certain space, whose range depends on your understanding of the law and your strength.

Deduced Art: Unknown

Deduction cost: 0/500,000,000

Perception: 5/100

"Gudu!"

Han Fei swallowed. He knew that the buffalo could be extraordinary, but he didn't know that it could be so extraordinary that the patterns on its body were a law.

Even Law Enforcers could only understand the power of one law. Yet, there was a law in front of him already, and he had five percent of it.

He had only read the patterns once. If he read them again and again, wouldn't he completely grasp the law?

The law was incomplete, but it was a law anyway! It meant that he could use the power of a Law Enforcer in advance.

Han Fei scoffed. "Heh! This thing was sold for six hundred thousand? People at the Pearl Diver's Port are brainless."

Han Fei believed that it was worth at least sixty million for the law that it contained.

No, this thing was absolutely a priceless treasure.

Han Fei didn't hesitate at all. He had to improve his strength after he learned the Law of Gravity. If he picked it up, he would be partly a Law Enforcer, and he would have a lifesaving skill.

Three days and three nights passed.

Han Fei had been observing and copying every pattern on the buffalo. He had filled dozens of fish skins.

Big Yellow called him three times out of the door, but Han Fei simply ignored it.

It was a critical moment for him, because he had percept sixty percent of the power of the law.

At this moment, Han Fei kept his palm facing the sky. Then, as he turned his hand upside down, a rock was squeezed into pieces, and all the bricks within ten meters were broken and shattered.

Han Fei took a breath and cast the Law of Gravity on the area he was standing.

**BAM!**

“Cough, cough!”

Han Fei staggered and almost fell. His feet had already sunk into the soil.

He sensed that the pressure on his body was above half a million kilograms. It was already very heavy, but he hadn't fully grasped the technique yet!