

Tales of Herding Gods Chapter 1241-1245

Chapter 1241 – Celestial Venerable Yue's Zither string

The curtains of the carriage were suddenly lifted, but it wasn't Celestial Venerable Hao sitting inside. Instead, it was a divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu!

When the Grand Emperor saw this, his pupils contracted. 'Celestial Venerable Hao isn't in the carriage, so where is he?'

Just as he thought of that, the Celestial Venerable Treasure Carriage suddenly exploded. The divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu revealed a sneer on his face, and his body expanded rapidly as he struck out with his palm.

Qin Mu's expression changed slightly, and he hurriedly retreated with the lantern. When he saw the starting stance of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, he knew something was wrong.

This divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was Celestial Venerable Hao's treasure, and Celestial Venerable Hao's strongest attribute was his constitution. He was the son of Celestial Emperor and Mistress Yuanmu. Mistress Yuanmu was an ancient god in the Ruins of End, while Celestial Emperor was an ancient god born from the Grand Primordium Mine.

The most powerful part of their bloodline lay in Celestial Emperor's innate qi. The innate qi was the source of all the Dao in the world, the one that gave birth to two, three, three, and all things!

As for Mistress Yuanmu's Great Dao of the Ruins of End, it was the end of everything. It swallowed the starry sky, swallowed the ten thousand Dao, and finally became one!

The starting form of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was the divine art of one qi.

Qin Mu had seen this kind of divine art, the merging of ten thousand paths, in the battle between Founding Emperor and Celestial Venerable Hao. Even Founding Emperor could only pierce through his palm before he broke through his sword path domain.

This kind of divine art was called the Myriad Dao Heavenly Wheel!

Even though Qin Mu and the rest were far from the collision, they were actually very close to Celestial Venerable Hao and the Grand Emperor's divine arts. Not to mention Qin Mu, even Bai Yujing couldn't withstand the aftermath of their divine arts.

The moment he retreated with the lantern, the Grand Emperor collided with the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. Almost at the same time, a small figure suddenly appeared behind the Grand Emperor's head.

Celestial Venerable Hao!

Celestial Venerable Hao actually appeared behind the Grand Emperor, and his divine art burst forth. What he executed wasn't the innate one qi divine art, but the Ruins of End divine art. It was like the ten thousand heavenly wheels rotating in the opposite direction, combining everything into one!

The divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu and his divine art formed a cage that trapped the Grand Emperor!

Qin Mu had a grim expression. "Celestial Venerable Hao is no longer the Celestial Venerable Hao from a million years ago at the Jade Pool..."

The two extreme existences collided, but there was no sound coming from the void. Not only was there no sound, there was not even a ripple.

Qin Mu became even more nervous and quickly retreated with the lantern.

Suddenly, fine tremors came from the void, and the sleeves of Qin Mu's clothes that were floating in front of him trembled countless times in an instant, turning into fine powder!

The speed of the tremors was extremely fast. Even with Celestial Venerable Yue's lantern, the tremors quickly caught up to him.

Qin Mu quickly retreated and suddenly met a heart devil wandering in the void.

That devil in the heart was transformed from the evil in a human's heart. It was sinister and fierce, but it had remarkable abilities. When it saw him, it couldn't help being delighted and wanted to pounce over to swallow him.

Following that, the heart devil suddenly shattered and exploded like incomparably fine dust!

"Wanting to watch this battle isn't easy!"

Qin Mu raised the lantern to shrink the space. Suddenly, Bai Yujing's voice rang out. "The treasure of Celestial Venerable Yue isn't used like this."

Qin Mu's heart stirred slightly, and he said solemnly, "White Heaven Master, control the lantern."

Bai Yujing flew out from the lantern and took the lantern with her fair palm. She circulated her magic power and a fine light shot out from the lantern. The space around them instantly became incomparably fine, like a string without any thickness.

The aftermath of the collision between the Grand Emperor and Celestial Venerable Hao's divine art rushed over, and the incomparably terrifying ripple plucked the string of light as if an invisible hand was plucking the strings.

In the strings, Qin Mu, Lan Yutian, and the rest heard the beautiful zither notes. The Grand Emperor and Celestial Venerable Hao's divine arts clashed, and the vibrations were extremely complicated. However, when they reached the strings, they played the prelude to the Great Dao.

Even though Qin Mu was very familiar with Celestial Venerable Yue, he rarely saw her execute her divine art. He had always been unfamiliar with Celestial Venerable Yue's divine art.

In reality, when he returned to the past, even though he had interacted with Celestial Venerable Yue many times and met the people around Celestial Venerable Yue or Celestial Venerable Yue every time, Qin Mu could see that in every era, Celestial Venerable Yue was a foil, whether it was the early, mid, or late stages of the Dragon Han Era or the High Emperor Era in the future.

Celestial Venerable Yun's foil, Celestial Venerable Ling's foil.

She rarely led the revolution of an era. She was always like Celestial Venerable Yun's little sister, Celestial Venerable Ling's little sister. Her radiance was always overshadowed by them, and everyone's gaze was focused on Celestial Venerable Yun or Celestial Venerable Ling.

However, Celestial Venerable Yue wasn't an insignificant figure. On the contrary, it was because of her support and hard work that the Heaven Han Celestial Heavens and the High Emperor Celestial Heavens were so glorious.

Qin Mu had seen her zither before, and he had also seen her disciple Red Deity Qi Xiayu's zither. He had heard their zither notes, and they were very pleasant to listen to.

He had never thought that Celestial Venerable Yue wasn't simply playing music. It wasn't until Bai Yujing turned the light into strings that he realized Celestial Venerable Yue's remarkable abilities. Her divine arts were inconceivable.

Her melody wasn't just a simple melody, it was the strings of the Dao. When one touched this string, a beautiful melody would be played.

The divine arts of the Grand Emperor and Celestial Venerable Hao were powerful and marvelous, containing all that they had learned in their lives and their Dao. But now, Qin Mu was attracted by the beautiful melody played by the string, as if this was the most wonderful thing.

He was intoxicated. The tune played by the string wasn't simply Celestial Venerable Yue's Dao of Space, but the Dao of Celestial Venerable Hao and the Grand Emperor.

"This Great Cluster Law contains the Dao law of one qi. It's truly wonderful to comprehend the Dao runes of one qi from the Dao law..."

Qin Mu was intoxicated. When he had obtained the innate runes in the eggshell of Celestial Emperor Tai Chu, it had been extremely strenuous for him. It was very difficult for him to comprehend the marvel of the qi of nature. However, when Celestial Venerable Yue's zither notes rang out, the innate runes that he couldn't understand before suddenly became clear.

"This Law of No Shooting is the law of Dao in the Grand Overarching Supreme Consciousness. Eh, this Law of Supreme Consciousness actually has the same effect as the Connate Qi!"

In the light strings, Qin Mu danced with joy. He heard the same Dao runes as the qi of the innate one from the supreme consciousness.

If it was anyone else, they would definitely not know the reason for this place, but he understood the relationship here.

The consciousness of the primordial era flourished, and there were no divine arts of the later generations. There was also no cultivation system of divine treasures and celestial palaces.

The cultivation of consciousness in the primordial era was built on the foundation of the Grand Primordium Divine Stone. The Grand Primordium Divine Stone came from the Grand Primordium Mine, and the Connate Qi of Celestial Emperor Grand Primordium was to absorb the power of the divine stone and the Grand Primordium Divine Stone in the mine.

In other words, the two were interlinked!

In the past, Qin Mu hadn't thought of this. However, the moment the Grand Emperor and Celestial Venerable Hao clashed, the fluctuations of his paths, skills, and divine arts reached Celestial Venerable Yue's bowstring, and he immediately discovered this!

"My Connate Qi can be refined!"

Qin Mu was ineffably excited. "My seventeenth celestial palace, Connate celestial palace, can also be refined!"

Chapter 1242 – A New Generation Beats The Old

The precelestial celestial palace was definitely a huge celestial palace that surpassed the consciousness celestial palace and even the reincarnation celestial palace. The benefits it brought to Qin Mu were also greater than the benefits the other celestial palaces brought.

If this celestial palace was refined, the improvement to Qin Mu's cultivation and abilities would be immeasurable!

However, Dao's zither strings soon stopped playing. Qin Mu looked at the zither strings and saw that the lotus landmass under the Grand Emperor's feet had actually shattered into powder!

The Grand Emperor was finally free!

With the Grand Emperor's own power, it was very difficult for him to completely break the restrictions left behind by Celestial Venerable Ling and Celestial Venerable Yun. However, the first move of the Grand Emperor was to borrow the power of Celestial Venerable Hao and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu to break his own cage!

Even though he borrowed the force to break the restriction, he was still injured by Hao Tian, and the corner of his mouth was covered in blood.

"Hahahaha!"

The Grand Emperor laughed heartily, and his legs were full of broken roots. He shouted, "I'm finally out, I'm finally out! What bullshit Celestial Venerable Yun and Celestial Venerable Ling, even though you plotted against me, didn't you all die in my hands? I, on the other hand, have come back to life!"

The thick roots on his legs were broken. These roots were the roots of the sacred objects of the masters of creation. These sacred objects were the spirit roots that the masters of creation had found in the ancestral court and used countless years of sacrifice to raise them.

Some of the sacred objects grew into sacrificial gods, while some maintained their original form.

In the battle against the Grand Emperor, the masters of creation in the Great Void used up almost all of their sacred items to design traps. Only then did they break through the Grand Emperor's corporeal body, giving Celestial Venerable Yun, Celestial Venerable Ling, and the rest a chance to take advantage of him.

Yet now, the sacred object that bound the Grand Emperor's corporeal body was also dead.

The Grand Emperor's wounds were healing rapidly, and there were no more wounds.

His consciousness was powerful, and under the visualization of consciousness, he could easily visualize it even if he chopped off his head.

For an existence like him, his Life Gate wasn't a soul, a primordial spirit, or a corporeal body. His Life Gate was his consciousness. If his consciousness wasn't extinguished, he wouldn't truly die.

However, he had already placed his consciousness in the Ultimate Void, which cut off the possibility of his death.

The strongest corporeal body that the masters of creation spoke of was finally able to unleash its full power!

The Grand Emperor laughed loudly, and his terrifying consciousness burst forth. His consciousness was invincible in this world. Before he could completely break free, he could control the entire divine city and even Emperor's Throne like Shang Pinying.

Even though Shang Pinying was easily controlled by him because of his Dao heart, being able to easily control Emperor's Throne was still an inconceivable ability.

However, the Grand Emperor's consciousness wasn't as simple as controlling others. It was visualization!

"Celestial Venerable Hao, let me show you what visualization is!"

The Grand Emperor's long hair was twisted into a lump, and many strands were tangled together. His hair was thick, and his expression was wild. At that moment, not only could Celestial Venerable Hao sense the fluctuations of Dao in his consciousness, but even Qin Mu and the rest who were far away could feel the Grand Emperor's consciousness transforming into Dao!

Turning consciousness into the path was a realm that Qin Mu had never come into contact with before!

The Grand Emperor didn't really transform his consciousness into a Great Dao. Instead, he borrowed the characteristics of his consciousness to visualize the Great Dao of Heaven and Earth!

This was already the level of creating the Dao in the void!

"The abilities of the Grand Emperor are indeed from the same source as the abilities of Celestial Emperor's Grand Primordium. They are both derived from the Grand Primordium Great Dao! The Connate Qi and the Dao of consciousness both belong to the Grand Primordium Great Dao!"

In the strings of light, Qin Mu was abnormally excited as he listened to the zither notes that were playing due to the fluctuations of divine arts. He suddenly said, "White Heaven Master, can you come closer? There are many Dao laws that are too soft and hard to catch."

Bai Yujing hesitated for a moment and shook her head. "If we go any closer, I'm afraid it will exceed the limits of this lantern. At that time, I won't be able to protect you."

Lan Yutian pleaded, "Sister, can we go closer?"

Bai Yujing looked at the two of them, and her heart softened. She gritted her teeth and said, "Alright, then let's get closer. However, we can't get too close, or I won't be able to escape in time."

Qin Mu looked at Lan Yutian and couldn't help feeling a hint of sorrow in his heart. 'I'm probably old and unable to act naive anymore. Only Celestial Venerable Yu can continue to act naive, but Bai Yujing only agreed to move the light strings because of him...'

As a youth that had walked out of Disabled Elderly Village and had learned from Apothecary, he had a great lethality towards girls, but that was already in the past.

Now, others thought that Celestial Venerable Mu was sinister, cunning, and calculative. Even if he acted cute, the girls didn't believe him.

Bai Yujing moved the lantern, and the strings of light moved forward as well. She said to the two of them, "Brother Lan, although I'm the disciple of the Moon Master, I've learned the abilities of the Moon Master from hundreds of thousands of years ago. The Moon Master created the Dao of Space, and she can go anywhere in the world, but I can't do it. I really want to become her disciple again, but I'm also hesitant..."

Lan Yutian blinked his big eyes and asked curiously, "What hesitation?"

Bai Yujing looked back at Qin Mu and didn't say anything.

Qin Mu understood that Bai Yujing was worried that the friendship between Celestial Venerable Yue and South Deity Zhu Que would make her awaken the South Deity soul in her body again.

Bai Yujing was selfish and had her own considerations. It was not her fault.

Bai Yujing sensed that the lantern was about to reach its limit, and the sound of the zither became much clearer. She immediately stopped and said, "Don't go forward anymore... I've always been a cautious person, so how did I run into you two brothers and take such a huge risk?"

She didn't know whether to laugh or cry.

Qin Mu observed the battle between the Grand Emperor, Celestial Venerable Hao, and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu from afar while listening to the Dao rhythm from the zither. He compared it with what he had comprehended, and his understanding of the qi of the precelestial grew deeper.

The Grand Emperor's consciousness transformed into the Dao, and with a move of his consciousness, the Great Dao grew. Not only that, but his Great Dao covered his entire body, causing his corporeal body to reach an extremely terrifying state. Even Celestial Venerable Hao, who was controlling the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, couldn't withstand the power of the Great Dao when facing his fists!

Boom—

Terrifying waves spread out, shaking the strings of light. In the center of the battle, the Grand Emperor's every move was natural, and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu retreated under his pressure.

His muscles were sinister, like the most ancient mine of the ancestral court of the primordial era. The toughest mountains and rivers were forged into iron fists and bronze bones.

He punched out, and the Great Dao resonated. The power gathered in the center of his fist, and when he punched out, the power of the Dao exploded. The divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was also smashed into pieces, and he staggered backward.

Qin Mu finally saw why the masters of creation said that the Grand Emperor was the strongest corporeal body in history. This kind of power was simply unrivaled!

However, he could also see that the Grand Emperor of the primordial era was definitely not as powerful.

The reason why the Grand Emperor became so strong was mainly because he had lived as Heavenly Lady Qiang and absorbed the paths, skills, and divine arts of the past million years.

The most crucial point was that Dao Ancestor had drawn all the Great Dao runes of the ancient gods!

The Grand Emperor's consciousness, together with all the runes of the Great Dao of the ancient gods, gave his corporeal body and consciousness power an astonishing boost!

'In other words, Heavenly Lady Qiang has already come into contact with the Grand Emperor's corporeal body and imparted her cultivation knowledge to him,' Qin Mu thought.

Celestial Venerable Hao used his divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu to fight the Grand Emperor head-on, but his true body didn't dare to fight the Grand Emperor head-on. Instead, he chose to roam around and attack the Grand Emperor's corporeal body with divine arts.

However, to the Grand Emperor, it was like scratching an itch through his boots.

The Great Dao around the Grand Emperor's body condensed frantically and actually formed the corporealization of the Dao around his body. The Great Dao of Heaven and Earth in his body transformed into Great Dao ancient gods with actual bodies!

From Xuandu to Youdu, from the East Pole to the West Pole, from the Primordial Realm to the Ruins of End, ancient gods stood tall in his body!

In the heart of his brows, there was even a Great Dao forming the form of the ancient Celestial Emperor!

Chapter 1243 – Ruler Of The Ancient Gods

The ten Celestial Venerables of the celestial heavens had created the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu in order to achieve the Grand Emperor's current state. However, they had always been borrowing external objects and not their true abilities.

On the other hand, the Grand Emperor could achieve this step on his own, or even stronger!

"The peerless overlord of the primordial era is extraordinary!"

Qin Mu couldn't help exclaiming in admiration. The Grand Emperor's current state wasn't his strongest state. If he reached his strongest state, he would still need a complete Grand Primordium Origin Stone embedded in the heart of his brows!

Not only that, he also needed to retract Celestial Venerable Qiang's magic power and consciousness!

At that time, he would be the complete Grand Emperor!

With the Great Overarching Consciousness Heaven above, the Grand Emperor in this form was definitely the most terrifying existence in the world since ancient times!

Now, Qin Mu finally understood that the masters of creation ruled over the ancient gods and enslaved them. It wasn't just empty talk.

It was the masters of creation of the primordial era that created such a powerful monster like the Grand Emperor.

They could create a Grand Emperor, a second Grand Emperor, and a third one. Enslaving the ancient gods wasn't a lie.

"However, the path of consciousness from the Grand Primordium Dao has a huge flaw. That is Celestial Venerable Ling's unchanging substance divine art."

Qin Mu had a weird expression. Under the influence of the unchanging divine art, the Grand Emperor couldn't visualize anything and couldn't think of any Great Dao. He was completely suppressed and had no chance to resist!

Under the power of the complete unchanging divine art, he didn't even have a chance to make a move before he was completely solidified by it.

Compared to the Connate Qi, the path of consciousness had a huge flaw.

Connate Qi was also from the Dao of Absolute Beginning. It could resist unchanging divine arts and even kill the owner of divine arts.

'This should be the reason why the Grand Emperor's primordial spirit reincarnation, Ming Fangyu, controlled the corporeal body of Celestial Emperor Tai Chu to kill Celestial Venerable Ling,' he thought to himself.

Suddenly, he felt an indescribable Dao rune coming from his side. He hurriedly turned back and saw that Lan Yutian was actually listening to the Dao rune coming from the zither melody. He had unknowingly fallen into a state of Dao comprehension!

Qin Mu was stunned. Even though he had Celestial Emperor's eggshell and extraordinary attainments in the Connate Qi and the Great Dao of Consciousness, even though the masters of creation of the Great Void and the ancestor spirits of the Ancestor Spirit World imparted consciousness comprehension to him, he didn't fall into a state of comprehension after hearing the zither notes.

On the other hand, this should be Lan Yutian's first time coming into contact with the Dao of Consciousness and the Connate Qi, yet he fell into a state of Dao comprehension after listening to the rhythm of the zither. This aptitude was too heaven-defying!

Qin Mu muttered to himself and suddenly entered the path in his dream. Pieces of dream realm spread out from the strings of light, and countless diligent little Qin Mus were listening to the music of the zither and comprehending the marvel within.

Even though his talent was far inferior to Lan Yutian's, Lan Yutian's attainments in algebra were inferior to his. Furthermore, his knowledge of Brahma Buddha's heart of buddhism was also inferior to his.

Therefore, he could enter the path in his dreams to comprehend it, but Lan Yutian couldn't. This was his shortcut, and no one could be envious of him.

His corporeal body fell asleep, and his primordial spirit continued to open its eyes. He used his primordial spirit to observe the battle between the Grand Emperor and Celestial Venerable Hao, trying to figure out the divine arts of these two peak existences.

Bai Yujing looked at the two of them and opened her mouth, speechless.

After a moment, she sighed faintly.

"I got to where I am now because of my experience of two hundred lifetimes. However, Celestial Venerable Mu and Brother Lan were born with talent and intelligence. One relied on techniques and divine arts to deduce, while the other directly entered the path. Comparatively..."

She shook her head. Even though she could also hear numerous marvels of the Great Dao from the zither melody, it would take an unknown amount of time to comprehend them completely.

In comparison, her wisdom and methods were inferior to Qin Mu's, and her talent was worlds apart from Celestial Venerable Yu's.

"Hard work makes up for your lack of talent!"

She looked at the hardworking little Qin Mu in Qin Mu's dream world who was as hardworking as a bee and grunted. "But he's not as hardworking as others... What if I awaken South Deity's soul? What if I become South Deity..."

She suddenly shuddered and hurriedly wiped away this terrifying thought.

In the distance, the power of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was also pushed to its limits by Celestial Venerable Hao. This huge divine weapon was also like the Grand Emperor, with ancient gods living in each of its apertures. They controlled all the paths in the world, and their battle power was overflowing.

However, compared to the Grand Emperor, the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was still inferior.

On the body, the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu couldn't be compared to the Grand Emperor. His corporeal body was born from the Dao of Creation. Even with the support of the Great Dao, the Grand Emperor was also blessed by the Great Dao. He was also refined by the masters of creation of the primordial era day and night.

In terms of vital qi, the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu had much more vital qi than the Grand Emperor. However, the Grand Emperor's cultivation was consciousness, and his consciousness was strong enough to imprint the ultimate void!

In terms of vital qi, even the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu hadn't reached this step.

Under the attack of the Grand Emperor, the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu retreated continuously. His skin and flesh were lacerated, and the markings of the Great Dao on his body were shattered. The ancient gods' lights in his body were extinguished one after another.

The divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was a giant that could destroy heaven and earth, suppressing all worlds. However, in front of the Grand Emperor, he was like a little brother that could only be beaten.

At that moment, celestial palaces suddenly leaped out from behind Celestial Venerable Hao. At the same time, celestial palaces appeared behind the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, causing their magic power to increase exponentially!

Two celestial heavens appeared, and their structures were different. Different celestial palaces and celestial palaces could combine to form different Great Celestial Heavens techniques, while different Great Celestial Heavens techniques had different powers.

With the appearance of the two celestial heavens, the power of their paths, skills, and divine arts instantly increased exponentially!

Celestial Venerable Hao had been holding back the whole time, like a venomous snake staring at its prey, waiting for the chance to kill it in one strike.

And now, he finally didn't have to endure anymore and directly displayed his true abilities!

The Grand Emperor laughed. "Celestial Venerable Hao, I've been waiting for this!"

His consciousness burst forth, transforming into numerous celestial palaces behind him that formed a celestial heavens.

Bai Yujing stared with her eyes wide open. Her heart was beating rapidly.

She suddenly thought of a possibility. One of the ten Celestial Venerables was the Grand Emperor!

The Grand Emperor, who was killed by Celestial Venerable Yun and Celestial Venerable Ling back then, naturally couldn't comprehend his own Great Celestial Heavens technique. After he revived, he couldn't comprehend the Great Celestial Heavens technique in a short period of time, and there was only one possibility for him to execute his own Great Celestial Heavens technique.

"That is, the Grand Emperor is hidden among the ten Celestial Venerables, and this Celestial Venerable is nearby!"

Her hair stood on end.

Even though she knew that there were many things going on between the ten Celestial Venerables, she didn't expect there to be so many things going on!

The ten Celestial Venerables were high and mighty. Even though a heavenly master like her was high and mighty to many people, she was insignificant in front of the ten Celestial Venerables. Crushing her was like crushing an ant.

Now that she knew this secret, how much longer could she live?

At that moment, she suddenly saw Qin Mu's primordial spirit leave his body and look at her with interest.

Bai Yujing composed herself and decided to tell him about her discovery. "Celestial Venerable Mu, one of the ten Celestial Venerables of the celestial heavens is the Grand Emperor. He's nearby!"

Qin Mu's primordial spirit smiled at her and said leisurely, "I already know, and I also know that this Celestial Venerable is Heavenly Lady Qiang. I also know that the ancient Celestial Emperor is among them, Celestial Venerable Xiao. Do you want to know the identities of Celestial Empress, Yuanmu, Heaven Duke, and the ancient divine king among the ten Celestial Venerables?"

Chapter 1244 – Ruined

When Bai Yujing heard that, her eyes widened in confusion and fear. At the same time, she felt sour in her heart.

What confused her was that she didn't expect so many ambitious and ruthless people of the ancient primordial era to be hidden among the high and mighty ten Celestial Venerables.

What she was afraid of was that she actually knew so many secrets. Even though Qin Mu had yet to reveal the true identities of these people, from her understanding of Qin Mu, he loved to play with people's hearts and make them despair. She had no choice but to make a choice that was beneficial to him and join his camp.

On the other hand, the sorrow in her heart was due to the hard work of generations. She felt that she had finally overthrown the ancient gods and the old era. Never did she expect that the ruler of the past would only change his face and still sit on the throne of the ruler!

"Hehe..." The girl smiled and lowered her head.

This was the first time she felt that the world she saw was so fake and unsightly.

There was a ball of fire in her heart that she wanted to burn, but she couldn't.

"Is Celestial Venerable Huo also transformed from the ruler of the past?" she asked.

Qin Mu shook his head. "No. Celestial Venerable Huo is still Celestial Venerable Huo. He hasn't been possessed by anyone, nor has he been borrowed. Celestial Venerable Huo is just..."

He was silent for a moment before saying bitterly, "He chose to become the ruler like the Ancient Gods, but he didn't realize this himself."

Bai Yujing's eyes revealed hope again. Qin Mu saw it and said, "Don't have too much anticipation for Celestial Venerable Huo. The greater the anticipation, the greater the disappointment. Celestial Venerable Yun, Light Emperor, Celestial Venerable Ling, Celestial Venerable Yue, and Founding Emperor are all disappointed."

A long time ago, in the Guardian Pavilion of the celestial heavens, Celestial Venerable Huo had rushed to the top floor of the Guardian Pavilion. Qin Mu had escaped into Youdu, and Celestial Venerable Huo was preparing to capture him. It was Celestial Venerable You who had stopped him.

At that time, Celestial Venerable You told him that Celestial Venerable Huo had changed. He was no longer the Celestial Venerable Huo of the past and couldn't be trusted.

Trusting him would kill him.

However, at that time, Qin Mu was still full of anticipation for Celestial Venerable Huo. He felt that it was just Celestial Venerable You's prejudice.

It wasn't until later that Qin Mu felt that Celestial Venerable You's words had a reason. After returning from Southern Heaven, his heart was like dead ashes to Celestial Venerable Huo.

He didn't want Bai Yujing to follow in his footsteps.

From being filled with hope to utter despair, he deeply experienced the impact and torment of this difference on his Dao heart.

Bai Yujing silently watched the battle outside and changed the topic. She said worriedly, "Celestial Venerable Hao is probably going to lose. The Grand Emperor is too strong."

Qin Mu didn't want to continue this topic, so he smiled and said, "In that case, you are wrong. The Grand Emperor is going to lose, and Celestial Venerable Hao is too strong."

Bai Yujing was puzzled.

"Actually, the Grand Emperor is here on my invitation to stop Celestial Venerable Hao."

Qin Mu smiled and said, "You know that even though I'm Celestial Venerable Mu of the Heaven Alliance and a founding elder, I'm also a traitor of the Anti-Heaven Alliance. As long as it's useful, I will definitely make use of it. That's why I used the Grand Primordium Origin Stone to ask the Grand Emperor to stop Celestial Venerable Hao. However, my goal is to make both of them suffer. It would be even better if we could perish together. However, even though I think the Grand Emperor is very strong, Celestial Venerable Hao's true strength has never been revealed."

His gaze was far-reaching as he looked at the soul-stirring battle. He said unhurriedly, "The other reason I asked the Grand Emperor to make a move was to find out exactly how high Celestial Venerable Hao's upper limit was. Didn't you notice? Celestial Venerable Hao has always been calm. He still hasn't revealed his true strength."

Bai Yujing looked at Celestial Venerable Hao and saw that even though Celestial Venerable Hao was at a disadvantage, he was still as calm as before.

Meanwhile, his divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu had already been severely injured by the Grand Emperor. The power of the Grand Emperor was too strong, and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu's corporeal body was in tatters!

Even the celestial palace of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was destroyed by the Grand Emperor's powerful attack!

Qin Mu said, "Celestial Venerable Hao's celestial palace and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu's celestial palace are both 28 in number. However, even though the number of celestial palaces is the same, the types of celestial palaces are different. If you identify each celestial palace carefully, you can discover the types of celestial palaces of Celestial Venerable Hao and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu, adding up to 35 types!"

Bai Yujing's heart jumped, and she carefully observed the types of celestial palaces of Celestial Venerable Hao and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu.

The types of celestial palaces couldn't be classified according to Emperor's Throne techniques. Some Emperor's Throne techniques were actually of the same type. For example, fire type Emperor's Throne techniques. Other than Celestial Venerable Huo's techniques, there were also Red Deity Qi Xiayu's techniques, former Red Deity's techniques, and even sky fire type techniques.

However, these techniques were all the same. If one wanted to cultivate the Great Celestial Heavens, they could only choose one.

However, Celestial Venerable Hao and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu's Emperor's Throne techniques didn't repeat many types. There were indeed 35 types according to the types!

"In other words, Celestial Venerable Hao might have fused thirty-five Emperor's Throne techniques. He's only a step away from the Celestial Heavens Realm."

Qin Mu continued, "He was calm because he had the power to fight the Grand Emperor. He wasn't far from the true Celestial Heavens Realm, so he didn't use his full power to lure out the Grand Emperor's identity among the ten Celestial Venerables. He knew Heavenly Lady Qiang was nearby, and his goal was to lure her out."

Bai Yujing's voice was slightly hoarse. "With Heavenly Lady Qiang and the Grand Emperor, Celestial Venerable Hao has no chance of winning! Furthermore, Celestial Venerable Qiang has the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu..."

"You're wrong."

Qin Mu said calmly, "It has been a million years since Celestial Venerable Yu established the Celestial Heavens Realm. Celestial Venerable Hao is the true mastermind. He occupies the orthodoxy of the celestial heavens, and all the techniques in the world are gathered in his hands. If he wants Celestial Venerable Huo's technique, would Celestial Venerable Huo dare to not give it to him? If he wants God Emperor Lang Xuan's technique, would God Emperor Lang Xuan dare to not give it to him? Thus, Celestial Venerable Hao is the one closest to the celestial heavens."

He took a glance at Lan Yutian and continued, "Celestial Venerable Yu was the one who deduced that there was such a realm in the Celestial Heavens Realm. However, Celestial Venerable Yu only told Celestial Venerable Hao about this realm and no one else. Celestial Venerable Hao was the only one who knew Celestial Venerable Yu's thoughts, and he was even the only one who knew the details of the Celestial Heavens Realm. Even if there was only one celestial palace, Celestial Venerable Hao's abilities wouldn't be weaker than the Grand Emperor's. He might even be stronger!"

Bai Yujing shook her head in disbelief. "I've also heard of that Celestial Venerable Yu. Before he died, he could only cultivate to the realm of venerable gods. How could he possibly deduce the entire realm of the celestial heavens?"

Qin Mu then looked at Lan Yutian who was entering the path and said, "He might have only been at the god realm back then, but he went from nothing to deduce the seven realms of god, true god, Jade Pavilion, God Execution Stage, Jade Capital, Numinous Sky, and Emperor's Throne. On top of that, he even deduced the Celestial Heavens Realm."

Bai Yujing shook her head. "How could there be such a person?"

"This kind of person is right beside you." Qin Mu didn't say this out loud.

The current Lan Yutian was also accomplishing an even more astonishing feat by himself. The impact on the future generations even surpassed the system of divine treasures and celestial palaces!

He looked at the battlefield and said solemnly, "Celestial Venerable Hao is going to show his power and force Heavenly Lady Qiang to show herself!"

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At that moment, Bai Yujing saw another celestial palace in Celestial Venerable Hao's celestial palace!

Previously, Celestial Venerable Hao had 28 celestial palaces, but now, he had 29!

Not only that, another celestial palace of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu appeared, and it was also 29 celestial palaces!

Even though Qin Mu had expected this outcome, he didn't expect that there would be one more celestial palace for the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. It was obvious that Celestial Venerable Hao had two great celestial heavens techniques!

It was already quite time-consuming for other Celestial Venerables to comprehend one, yet he had comprehended two. He and his divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu each had one!

"Founding Emperor lost to him, and he didn't lose unjustly. The Grand Emperor also lost unjustly."

When this celestial palace came out, the Grand Emperor instantly felt the pressure.

An additional celestial palace seemed to only increase the number of celestial palaces, but to techniques, the increase was too much.

Cultivating the Emperor's Throne technique was already very difficult, and only divine arts practitioners with outstanding talent could cultivate it. However, cultivating two to three Emperor's Throne techniques was even more difficult. It was almost ten times or dozens of times harder than cultivating just one Emperor's Throne technique!

However, fusing two to three Emperor's Throne techniques greatly increased the difficulty.

One was to cultivate, while the other was to fuse. The difficulty was incomparable.

Fusing eighteen Emperor's Throne techniques was the Great Celestial Heavens technique. Qin Mu had already reached the borders of the Great Celestial Heavens technique.

At that step, the difficulty of fusing an additional Emperor's Throne technique was several times or even dozens of times harder than before!

This was an exponential increase. After fusing over twenty Emperor's Throne techniques, the most difficult part wasn't finding new Emperor's Throne techniques, but how to incorporate them.

The ten Celestial Venerables of the celestial heavens had spent hundreds of thousands of years, exhausted countless resources and intelligence, to reach this stage.

The hard work and sweat they had put in were also unimaginable to others.

This was also why they were unwilling to accept the reform.

Accepting the reform meant that all the hard work and effort they had put in in the past would go down the drain. They would have to redo everything and deduce their Great Celestial Heavens technique again.

Suddenly, Bai Yujing saw that Celestial Venerable Hao and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu had another celestial palace. Now, Celestial Venerable Hao and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu had thirty celestial palaces!

The composition of these two celestial heavens was different. Other than the different types of celestial palaces, their arrangement was also different.

Celestial Venerable Hao's celestial heavens was led by the Precelestial Celestial Palace. The other celestial palaces were attached to the Precelestial Celestial Palace, forming a system of the great celestial heavens. The Precelestial One Qi was in charge of the other celestial palaces.

The celestial heavens of the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu was led by the Ruins of End Celestial Palace. The other celestial palaces didn't seem to be attached to the Ruins of End Celestial Palace, but the power of the Ruins of End Celestial Palace to enslave and swallow the other celestial palaces!

"Celestial Venerable Hao is truly blessed by the heavens."

Bai Yujing couldn't help but exclaim in admiration. Celestial Venerable Hao was probably the only one in the world who could do this. The other Celestial Venerables didn't have his talent.

Only he had the bloodline of Celestial Emperor Tai Chu and Mistress Yuanmu, and the Precelestial Celestial Palace and the Ruins of End Celestial Palace were so special that they could suppress the other celestial palaces.

'This is probably why Celestial Venerable Hao's cultivation and foundation are higher than other Celestial Venerables.'

Just as she thought that, another celestial palace appeared behind Celestial Venerable Hao and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu. The Grand Emperor was at a complete disadvantage!

With the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu and Celestial Venerable Hao's pincer attack, he could still suppress Celestial Venerable Hao completely just now. When Celestial Venerable Hao's twenty-nine celestial palaces formed the celestial heavens, he could only be on par with him.

Now that thirty celestial palaces had appeared, he was suppressed.

However, he was the Grand Emperor after all. Even in such a disadvantageous situation, he could still hold on.

“Celestial Venerable Hao, let me show you the 36th heaven of the path of consciousness! Great Overarching Consciousness Heaven!”

The Grand Emperor’s consciousness burst forth once again. When the Great Overarching Consciousness Heaven appeared, an incomparably marvelous zither melody came from the strings of light thousands of miles away. The sound of the Dao became exceptionally beautiful.

Everyone in the strings of light was immersed in the mesmerizing melody.

When they looked through the light strings, the Great Overarching Consciousness Heaven seemed to be a supreme realm formed by pure Great Dao. It was entirely made of jade, like a jade capital formed by Great Dao.

In the Great Overarching Heaven, there was a precious tree condensed from the Great Dao of Consciousness. It was dazzling, and there were Dao flowers on the tree.

Qin Mu’s primordial spirit looked from afar. The treasure tree in the Grand Emperor’s Grand Overarching Consciousness Heaven had already been formed. The Dao flower had bloomed, but the Dao fruit had yet to ripen.

‘Is the Grand Emperor’s Grand Overarching Consciousness Dao Fruit not complete because he borrowed the sacrificial power of other masters of creation when he was cultivating?’

When Qin Mu thought of this, he couldn’t help feeling a lingering fear.

When Founding Emperor killed the Grand Emperor’s other identity, Celestial Venerable Ming Fangyu, Qin Mu, Lang Wo, and Shu Jun tried their best to capture and refine the Grand Emperor’s consciousness.

They split the Grand Emperor’s consciousness into three portions, and each of them received a portion.

Lang Wo used the portion she had obtained to strengthen her consciousness. Shu Jun used the portion to strengthen his corporeal body, but Qin Mu didn’t use his portion.

Actually, he had always wanted to use the Grand Emperor’s consciousness to raise his cultivation and abilities, but he felt that doing so would leave behind hidden dangers.

From the looks of it, the Grand Emperor’s consciousness was a huge poison. In the early stages, it would strengthen his abilities, but in the later stages, it would prevent him from reaching the highest realm of the Dao Realm!

“Back then, the Grand Emperor’s consciousness attacked us from the Great Overarching Heaven Net, but he couldn’t do anything to us. Was he purposely poisoning us?”

Qin Mu shuddered. However, he also saw how powerful Founding Emperor's path to the Dao Realm was. The Grand Emperor didn't cultivate this path and couldn't form a Dao Fruit, but if Founding Emperor continued to cultivate, he would definitely cultivate the Great Overarching Sword Dao Heaven and form a Dao Fruit!

Celestial Venerable Hao was still calm. When the Grand Emperor revealed his Great Overarching Consciousness Heaven, another celestial palace appeared in his celestial heavens, and his cultivation rose again!

Soon, there were as many as 33 celestial palaces, not inferior to the Grand Emperor's Great Overarching Consciousness Heaven!

Not only that, the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu had also reached 33 celestial palaces!

The combat power of these three giants was so strong that even the Great Void couldn't withstand it.

Previously, the void here was merely crumbling, and the consciousness that formed the void was disorderly. Now, it was directly turning into void that didn't exist!

Bai Yujing's expression changed drastically, and she hurriedly retreated with the lantern. Even though Qin Mu, who was hiding in the strings of light, wasn't affected by the shattered void and the aftermath of the divine art, he could clearly see the Land of the Great Void being pulled closer!

This was because the void was destroyed!

The Grand Emperor, Celestial Venerable Hao, and the divine weapon Celestial Venerable Yu were too strong, causing the crumbling void to be completely destroyed. Where they fought, a large portion of the void disappeared!

Not only that, but he also saw the void passageway that the army of gods and devils of the celestial heavens had painstakingly built disappear!

Soon, the South Deity divine weapon and West Deity divine weapon used to suppress the crumbling void appeared before their eyes!

Not only that, Qin Mu looked into the distance and even saw East Deity divine weapon and the entrance to the Great Void!

He looked back and saw North Deity's divine weapon and the Land of the Great Void!

A third of the void of the Great Void was destroyed by the three great experts!

At this moment, the celestial heavens behind Celestial Venerable Hao burst forth with multicolored light, and the thirty-fourth celestial palace appeared!