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Chapter 761: The Battle of Jade Lock Pass

The eye of Earth Count.

Light was dim here, and in the eye, Celestial Venerable Yu finished the rest of the chicken. However, when he wanted to throw the bones away, he saw how clean this sacred hall was. He didn't know where he could throw them in this spotless place.

He hesitated for a moment and saw no one in the hall. The Hellfire Earth Count and Elder Messenger of Death were both not around, and thus, he threw the chicken bones at the corner of the walls before scampering away.

Outside the hall, the Earth Count formed from hellfire stood there with Elder Messenger of Death, and they were currently looking down.

Celestial Venerable Yu also looked down, but he could only see a piece of darkness. He couldn't see anything at all.

"Have you recorded everything down?" Earth Count turned his head to ask.

Elder Messenger of Death nodded his head and said, "I'm recording."

Outside Earth Count's eye, small boats were floating, and on every one of the tens of thousands of small boats, there was an Elder Messenger of Death. Lanterns were hung at the bow, and the messengers of death were all writing quickly.

"Celestial Venerable Mu is helping Earth Count, so do I still record down his mistakes?" Elder Messenger of Death asked.

Earth Count had no expression. "Even though he is helping me, swallowing the primordial spirits of these gods is still a grave crime, we have no choice but to record them down."

Elder Messenger of Death let out a troubled expression and sighed. "There are too many small booklets about him, and those houses previously could no longer fit anymore. How could this stop at having enough books to fill a house to the rafters? I'm afraid we will have to construct a few halls to specially store his glorious achievements!"

Earth Count said, "In that case, specially construct palaces to store his scrolls."

Elder Messenger of Death acknowledged.

In front of Jade Lock Pass, Yan Qianzhong coughed repeatedly. His face turned from pale to flush as he looked at the surging tide of divine weapons moving over. Those divine weapons were the weapons of the gods under him. Those tens of thousands of gods earlier were all his subordinates.

He was Southern Heaven Red Deity in the extraterritorial celestial heavens during the High Emperor Era, and these gods were his subordinates.

He fought with Qi Xiayu of the High Emperor Era, and he had died in battle. Countless subordinates of his had also died in battle, and after they died, they also fell into Youdu. They still continued to follow him.

And today, they were all swallowed by that figure that was stepping over on countless skeletons.

The surging tide of divine weapons gave off rays of sunlight, and they weaved around in midair as they moved forward continuously. They continuously pressured the sky to give off rumbles of thunder.

Every divine weapon was like a mountain. The god light and devil light shone on each other, and suddenly, both lights united. God and devil collided and in Youdu, the devil path suppressed the god path, so the power of the divine weapons was hard to be unleashed.

However, terrifying power burst forth from these divine weapons. They were corrupted by the devil qi of Youdu.

Under the shine of the god light and the devil light, the figure that was stepping on countless white bones walked over. He gave everyone an intense feeling of intimidation.

It was a three-headed and six-armed human. The first head was a baby, and he was clapping his chubby hands in excitement. The eyes of another head gave off an incomparably feverish desire to fight and seemed to be seething in anger at the upcoming battle. He was like a devil king who could blow up any time and start his massacre while being controlled by the devil nature!

Meanwhile, the third head seemed to be extremely calm and sacred. He surveyed the surroundings, and he was like a god that was high above.

Yan Qianzhong was slightly puzzled. "He seems to be slightly different from the previous Son of Youdu..."

"Hold yourself!"

Angry roars came from both sides of the camp. Those were the voices of the generals that were restraining the gods under them so they wouldn't get messed up.

Now that Yan Qianzhong's subordinates got wiped out, he had opened up a gap. As long as Qin Mu went straight for Yan Qianzhong, both sides could pincer Qin Mu right in the middle.

Yan Qianzhong snorted, and he felt rather unhappy. "Seems like I've mobilized my troops too early..."

Right at this moment, Qin Mu suddenly stopped. On both sides were the army of gods amounting to millions. They shuddered as they looked at him, and their eyes were filled with fear.

Under each military tent, existences on Numinous Sky Realm and Emperor's Throne Realm sat there without a word.

Qin Mu's three heads surveyed the surroundings, and he revealed a smile.

He could feel the waves of violent energy pouring over from Qin Fengqing, and after swallowing the primordial spirits of tens of thousands of gods in that instant like a whale, his power rose as the big baby digested so many gods. He couldn't help but like this kind of feeling.

Luckily, Qin Fengqing could control the devil nature of Youdu and didn't let the devil nature corrupt him. Otherwise, he wouldn't have been able to control himself and would have swallowed all the gods here!

Qin Fengqing didn't trace back to the roots of a divine art. He couldn't, or in other words, was too lazy to comprehend divine arts, so he just used them.

However, he was different.

Since he had followed Village Chief, Granny Si, Old Ma, and the rest to cultivate when he was a child, he was also influenced by their spirit on questioning everything. He liked to study.

If he were to commit evil, he would definitely be a hundred times more terrifying than Qin Fengqing!

"You guys."

He surveyed the surroundings, and he looked at the terrified army of gods. Even though they had a hundred camps, millions of gods and countless Youdu monsters, they were all trembling as they faced one person. They couldn't even hold their weapons properly.

"You guys are not giving way and not escaping, are you waiting for me to..."

Both of Qin Mu's heads suddenly expanded and became a huge Mount Meru. He opened his huge mouth, and one mouth was equivalent to half of the sky. He roared towards the army of gods and devils. "Eat you?"

His body was originally incomparably gigantic and sturdy. Now, his head was a hundred times bigger than his body. The top of his head was truly holding up the sky while his chin was poking the ground. It was an extremely terrifying sight.

Qin Fengqing's reaction was a step slower. When he saw the situation, he hurriedly swayed his head as well. His head was even larger than both of Qin Mu's heads, and he swung his fists around. "Eat you—"

Three roars raised cold winds that surged forth in all directions. The voice collided on the black-colored city walls, and the big city rumbled from the sound waves.

On the ground were rolling sand and rocks which surged forth with the black wind, rushing into all the battle formations and camps. The bone-chilling cold wind caused the tattered armor and broken weapons on the gods to rattle. Soon, they were all covered in a layer of frost.

In front of the formations, a one-eyed god swallowed his saliva with difficulty. However, because he was a ghost god, he didn't have any saliva in his mouth.

"Run-"

A green imp king suddenly turned and ran, leaving behind a trail of lush green will-o'-the-wisp.

The other Youdu devil gods and the primordial spirits of gods didn't move.

Suddenly, something rattled. The armor of a four-armed god got shattered by the sound waves and fell to the ground.

This voice seemed extremely piercing in the battle formations after the strong wind passed.

That devil god carefully stabbed the military flag of his army on the ground, and he bent down to pick up his shattered armor. However, he accidentally bumped onto the flagpole.

The huge flag collapsed onto the ground. The tattered flag laid on the ground.

'This flag can't fall...'

Just as he thought of holding the flag back up, sounds of flood rang beside his ears. Countless gods were escaping back, and countless people were shouting. "The flag has fallen, we have lost, run!"

That four-armed god was in a daze. Just as he was thinking of raising the flag back up, he got further and further away from the flag on the ground.

'I'm done for...'

He exclaimed to himself. 'Even if I find the flag, I can't stabilize the heart of the army anymore. I should flee!' And thus he turned and ran.

Yan Qianzhong looked at the primordial spirits of the gods that were running away and sneered. At this moment, Yan Jiuxi, Great Sun Sovereign, and the rest of the ancient gods couldn't sit still any longer. They got up and tried to stop the soldiers that were escaping, but the heart of the army was already scattered, so how could they stop them?

The army deserters ran across the mountains and plains, and they poured towards the surface of Earth Count's feet like a flood. They quickly climbed up his legs. Cries could be heard everywhere, and countless people were screaming. "Little Overlord is eating people again!"

In the eye of Earth Count, Hellfire Earth Count was astonished, and he said, "It looks like you don't have to record too much. Just two halls should be enough, they might not even be filled."

Elder Messenger of Death shook his head and said with a sigh, "These guys remaining are the true big shots. Even though I don't have to record as much, this sin will be massive."

After a long time, only then was the chaos gradually quelled.

The big-headed baby looked forward and saw only a thousand gods still standing there without running away. He was stunned. He looked left and looked right before asking Qin Mu, "Brother, they have all escaped, what do we eat now?"

When his voice rang out, more commotion was heard as several hundred gods couldn't suppress the fear in their hearts, and they ran.

Qin Fengqing ground his teeth and wanted to chase them very much. However, it was Qin Mu controlling the body now so he couldn't act on his own.

"No matter how many small fish we eat, it can never be compared to eating a big fish."

Qin Mu's gaze fell onto the gigantic bodies of the remaining hundred gods. He said with a smile, "Brother, now what we are going to eat are these big fish!"

Qin Fengqing became excited and asked with a smile, "Then why aren't we moving?"

Qin Mu leaped up, and the god weapons and devil god weapons in midair instantly melted as he soared into the sky. They transformed into a surging current, and this current formed a huge sword that was flowing in flames. He grabbed it in his hands.

The instant he grabbed the huge sword, Yan Qianzhong, Yan Jiuxi, Great Sun Sovereign, and the rest burst forth with their divine arts. Jade Lock Pass was supposed to be the darkest place in Youdu and the place with the densest devil qi, but at this moment, it was like the sky suddenly had several thousand more suns. The flames and rays of divine arts stretched for ten thousand miles, and they came flooding from all directions to bombard Oin Mu who was in midair.

Yan Jiuxi roared, and his body swirled to rush forward. His arms flailed, and the black swords in his hands flew out to stab at Qin Mu.

Great Sun Sovereign flapped his wings and transformed into a Golden Crow of Darkness. Dark suns of all sizes spun and bombarded Qin Mu.

Yan Qianzhong leaped furiously and transformed into a flame god. The wheels of flames behind his head swirled and countless divine arts burst forth from the wheels of light.

At the same time, all kinds of divine arts from the other primordial spirits on Numinous Sky Realm and Emperor's Throne Realm covered the entire sky, lighting up the darkest place in Youdu. Even inside Jade Lock Pass was a place of snow-white!

To be able to cultivate to their extent, they were mostly existences that had entered the path. When their divine arts burst forth, they were immediately great divine arts that had the power to shake the world!

Goddess Wuji was the fiercest, and her martial path divine arts were astonishing. Her fist skills were fierce and overbearing, while her speed was extremely fast. With a warcry, she rushed to Qin Mu's face, and countless afterimages of fists, palms, and fingers came smashing at Qin Mu from all directions!

Right at this moment, Qin Fengqing was incomparably excited. He was about to fight when he realized he was holding the scarlet red sword. He was confused. 'Strange, why am I holding this sword? I don't know any sword skills...'

Just as he thought until here, Goddess Wuji had already rushed to his face.

"Return of Thousand Palms Beyond the Strange Peaks of Heavens!"

Qin Mu roared, and countless corporeal body divine arts transformed into a simple punch. This punch seemed to have a thousand strange peaks smashing over suddenly as they flew towards Goddess Wuji.

"Your martial path is too weak!"

Countless punches from Goddess Wuji landed on Qin Mu's body. With her hands welcoming Qin Mu's fist, her face suddenly transformed drastically. Her arms bent and started to snap. Her legs whirled as she kicked Qin Mu's body repeatedly.

"Sword come."

Qin Mu stretched his hand to snatch the sword from Qin Fengqing's hand. With a swing, Goddess Wuji's head was separated from her body!

Boom-

Thousands of divine arts arrived and drowned them. The terrifying divine arts exploded, and snow-white light swept out in all directions. They flattened the land and rushed into the sky, coming to Earth Count's waist. Only then did the waves raised by the white light slowly disperse.

And in the center of the explosion, Qin Mu landed on the ground with a half squat. His corporeal body was tattered, and even his three heads and six arms were damaged badly.

Waves of qi and blood flowed through his body and came out of his body. Qin Mu held onto the huge sword with ineffable excitement.

"I'm so strong—"

His corporeal body recovered at a rapid speed which the naked eye could see. He burst forth with strength and leaped into the sky. He rushed at the Half God Yan Jiuxi and laughed loudly. "So strong—"

Qin Fengqing, who was trying his best to digest Goddess Wuji, rolled his eyes when he heard him. "Country bumpkin..."

Chapter 762: Heavenly Fire Incerinating the World

"Country bumpkin!"

Yan Jiuxi saw Qin Mu rushing to his face and he laughed loudly, "Son of Youdu, you are really a country bumpkin. To actually dare to fight head to head with me. Looks like you haven't suffered enough! You don't know how powerful Mother Earth's bloodline is!"

Qin Fengqing said in a hurry, "Brother, this short one is very powerful. His divine arts are very strange and he uses two good swords which are terrifying heavy. He caused me quite some pain."

Yan Jiuxi's body gave off divine rays of magnetism and suddenly the divine might of magnetism burst forth. When Qin Mu rushed over, he suddenly felt as though countless planets were pressing down on his body, causing his corporeal body to instantly be incomparably heavy.

Yan Jiuxi's divine rays of magnetism instantly transformed into two divine swords that he gripped on his hands. He slashed at Qin Mu's three heads and six arms while smiling. "You can't do anything, can you? Mother Earth is my mother and I've inherited her bloodline. During my robust years, who dares to fight me?"

"Magnetism divine arts?"

Qin Mu raised up one hand with difficulty and his arm was incomparably heavy. He almost couldn't lift it up at all.

Yan Jiuxi's sword light had already come to his face. Qin Mu roared and his palm force burst forth. Countless prisms of heavenly fire poured out furiously and started to crack open. In an instantly, heavenly fire with the shape of prism were everywhere in the radius of several thousand miles!

Yan Jiuxi's magnetism divine swords stabbed through the prisms of heavenly fire and at this moment, Great Sun Sovereign's shouts rang out. "Crown Prince Jiuxi, don't touch those prisms! Move back quickly—"

But it was already too late.

When Yan Jiuxi's magnetism divine sword stabbed through the first heavenly fire prism, the power of the heavenly fire has already burst forth. Blazing flames smelted the magnetism divine swords and the terrifying explosion ignited the other prisms in the surroundings which in turn, ignited even more heavenly fire.

Boom boom boom—

Nearly all of the heavenly fire prisms had exploded at the same time with Yan Jiuxi being at the center of the explosion. Space was shattered into pieces at this very moment and the terrifying heavenly fire invaded into the depths of space. The sky and land were melted, revealed layers of space that kept on burning.

The ground trembled as a huge fireball slowly rose from the sky to incinerate everything. Even the Youdu devil qi and the land under Earth Count's feet also got burned through.

The fireball expanded and vaporized everything it passed by, leaving only a series of empty holes. Around the empty holes were the layers of space that was ignited.

That was the power of Heaven Duke.

Heaven Duke, Mother Earth, Earth Count. They all controlled different powers and they were the most ancient existences.

Qin Mu used the Great Dao of Heavenly Fire to break Yan Jiuxi's Great Dao of Magnetism however, Yan Jiuxi was also didn't have an undeserved reputation. He actually used countless rays of magnetism to protect his body. The explosion had broken through countless layers of his divine rays but it couldn't hurt his origin.

The surging heavenly fire surrounded him and even the divine rays continued to melt in the heavenly fire. It was hard for the rays to be of any threat.

In the flames, Qin Mu wielded the sword in one hand and he stabbed out. The sword light broke through the divine rays of magnetism and gave a clink as it hit the heart of Yan Jiuxi's brows.

Countless runes swirled around the heart of Yan Jiuxi's brows and blocked this sword. His magnetism runes broke under the power of the sword light and the sword light pierced into the heart of his brows, advancing forward with difficulty.

Yan Jiuxi retreated and the heavenly fire came burning. His primordial spirit got ignited.

Yan Jiuxi roared angrily as his green smoke came out from his burned body. Screeches suddenly came from the sky as Great Sun Sovereign flew through the heavenly fire to grab at Qin Mu.

Qin Mu's corporeal body shrunk rapidly and he regained his normal body size. Great Sun Sovereign grabbed nothing and he hurriedly flapped his wings to transformed back into a god with the head of a bird and the body of a human. He grew three bird legs and have wings that were like divine knives. As he spun, he used his wings, claws, beak and all kinds of methods to attack Qin Mu furiously!

He witnessed the power of the heavenly fire and he knew that he couldn't beat Qin Mu in the art of flames so he decided not to divine art at all. Instead, he went for close combat.

Even though he was dead, his primordial spirit was still extremely powerful. He was a famous ancient god back in Dragon Han Era and in terms of close combat, he was rarely afraid of others.

His feathers were like swords, his wings were like knives, his claws were like hooks and his beak was like a spike. Every part of his body was a weapon which could easily kill Qin Mu!

"Son of Youdu, I have never lost in close combat!"

Great Sun Sovereign looked as splendid as a rainbow as he cried out, "Thousand Feathers of Great Sun Slashing Profound Theory!"

The countless feathers on his wings flew out and they shuttled to and fro like swords to create bloody holes in Qin Mu's body.

Great Sun Sovereign jolted his wings and his thousand feathers returned to become two wings again. The two wings were like rapidly spinning blades as he slashed at Qin Mu.

The injuries on Qin Mu's body quickly recovered and his arms moved up and down to block down his attacks. He said with a smile, "You are bullshitting."

Great Sun Sovereign's heart skipped a beat. When he heard the word bull, the indomitable figure of a bull-headed god subconsciously appeared in his mind.

He had also lost before but that was an incident that was very long ago. During the first year of Dragon Han, he was beaten by Golden Commander Niu Ben who had only used his bare hands.

That was an extraordinary shame and humiliation!

Afterward, his attainments in sun divine fire grew higher and higher. He was confident he had already surpassed Niu Ben and wanted to take revenge. However, he could never find Niu Ben.

Qin Mu freed his hands to fight him but that sword in the heart of Yan Jiuxi's brows was still there. Yan Jiuxi was blazing with heavenly fire and he moved back frantically. However, Qin Mu stuck close to him.

Great Sun Sovereign's attacks became faster and faster but he could never break into Qin Mu's ring of defense.

Right at this moment, Yan Qianzhong braved the heavenly fire and entered the battle.

"Dragon Dance of Great Expansion!"

Countless fire dragons bared their fangs and brandished their claws around Yan Qianzhong, penetrating in and out of his body as though he was a devil god that had countless fire dragons growing on his body. No matter if it was his divine might or his divine art, they were all extremely terrifying!

Great Sun Sovereign let out a sigh of relief. Yan Qianzhong was an existence on Emperor's Throne before he died after all. He had astonishing attainments in fire divine art and was an overlord in Youdu so he wasn't afraid of the heavenly fire burning him.

Great Sun Sovereign and Yan Qianzhong worked together to attack Qin Mu. Yan Qianzhong's body shrunk and became the same size as Qin Mu. Both of them attacked him furiously from his left and right but Qin Mu could still block both of their attacks down. That sword was still planted in Yan Jiuxi's forehead and the sword light had already stabbed into Yan Jiuxi's skull.

The four of them moved their feet frantically and all kinds of attacks gave off astonishingly loud rumbles.

Suddenly, a melody from a flute came from the sky and a god in clothing as white as snow came stepping on the heavenly fire with his barefoot. He descended down from the sky with his hands holding onto his jade flute and his fingers moved quickly to play a calm melody.

"It's the disciple of Heaven Duke, Saint Huo Yun of the celestial heavens!"

Yan Qianzhong was delighted and he said with a smile, "Nice melody, could this be Heavenly Fire Burning Divine Melody?"

Saint Huo Yun played the jade flute and Heavenly Fire Burning Divine Melody was being played. The sound waves guided the heavenly fire and actually used the heavenly fire to attack Qin Mu.

Great Sun Sovereign said with a smile, "With the assistance of Saint Huo Yun, we can even beat the Son of Youdu!"

Saint Huo Yun moved. As the four of them were sprinting, he circled around them in the heavenly fire and the music of the flute flowed out melodiously. The sounds of nature came assaulting from all directions.

As Saint Huo Yun was playing loudly, the third eye on Qin Mu's forehead opened up and a beam of light shot out. It swept through Saint Huo Yun's neck.

Saint Huo Yun was stunned and his head fell down.

Qin Fengqing quickly stretched his hands out to grabbed the two halves of Saint Huo Yun's primordial spirit. He stuff into his mouth, only to give a burp of satisfaction.

'Crap, I'm full.'

This big-headed baby was a little flustered. He had eaten Goddess Wuji earlier and before he could even digest her, now he had eaten Saint Huo Yun. Instantly, he felt his corporeal body swelling up and feeling full.

'There are still so many good dishes, what do I do?' His thoughts were in turmoil.

Outside the heavenly fire, the other hundred ancient existences were looking from far away, not daring to go in.

The heavenly fire was too intense and most of them were primordial spirits without any corporeal bodies. The heavenly fire could cause severe harm to primordial spirits, therefore, this was also one of the reasons why a primordial spirit would fall into Youdu and couldn't travel to Xuandu after they die.

Heaven Duke's body was completely covered in heavenly fire so the soul and primordial spirit couldn't withstand at all.

Suddenly, the eyes of a strong practitioner on Numinous Sky Realm lighted up and he shouted, "They have fought out of the heavenly fire!"

The waves of fire surged and spewed several thousand miles out. It was Qin Mu, Great Sun Sovereign and Yan Qianzhong's divine arts that were fire snakes slithering out.

Next, their figures fought their way out of the heavenly fire. Numerous ancient existences hurriedly flew over only to see Qin Mu's sword light had pierced through Yan Jiuxi's head and stabbed out from the back of his head.

"Mine!"

Qin Mu's chubby head was delighted. He grabbed Yan Jiuxi and opened his huge mouth to stuff Yan Jiuxi in. Next, he gave several burps of satisfaction and he was troubled. 'I thought I can really eat but it seems that I can't..."

"You dare!"

A hundred strong practitioners on Numinous Sky and Emperor's Throne came attacking and they instantly felt there were too many people. This caused them to stumble and found it hard to execute their moves.

There were only a few people that could attack Qin Mu at the same time but with Qin Mu's three heads and six arms, he could block down all of the attacks from his surroundings.

Furthermore, this Son of Youdu also had thick skin that made him extremely resilient. Even when they attacked together, they could only injure him and not take his life.

Qin Mu's footsteps moved quickly and he executed all kinds of paths, skills and divine arts. When he encounters danger, he would just raise his hand and sent all of the close combatants a thousand mile away.

"How is his magic power still so strong?" Great Sun Sovereign was also injured, making him flustered and exasperated.

Yan Qianzhong's roared angrily, "In Youdu, his magic power is boundless!"

Suddenly, the third eyes on Qin Mu's three heads burst forth with beams of light and the beams shot out in all directions. The beams of light swirled and sliced everything in their way. Everyone tried to dodge but there was still quite a number of people who got severed into two halves!

Their primordial spirits got severed and it was different from corporeal bodies being severed. After their primordial spirits got severed, it was equivalent to their souls being slain and their souls would disperse, leaving only their spirit embryos behind.

Qin Fengqing stared with his eyes wide open and he felt a pain in his heart. He hurriedly said with a soft voice, "Little brother, my good little brother, I really can't eat anymore, fight slowly, don't beat them to death... Big brother, you are the big brother, stop killing..."

Qin Mu disregarded his words and with his injured body, he executed Raising Calamity Sword to slay several people. Two of his heads had been severed and four arms were already broken.

Flesh squirmed out from his shoulders as another two heads grew out with fiendish looks.

Qin Fengqing's hands trembled and he grabbed the primordial spirits that were slain. He wanted to stuff them in his mouth but he truly couldn't stuff them down any longer. Suddenly, an idea flashed in his mind and he said in delight, "I have an idea! I can store some food first!"

After saying so, he stuffed those broken primordial spirits into the heart of his brows.

The clone of Heaven Duke and the consciousness of Crimson Emperor looked nervously at the situation of the battle outside. Suddenly, the sky split apart and broken limbs came falling from the sky. They soon accumulated on the ground.

Both of them looked at each other in dismay.

Right at this moment, Great Sun Sovereign got thrown in as well and he fell to the ground.

This star sovereign was also a primordial spirit and he actually wasn't dead yet. He immediately flapped his wings and planned to leave this place.

Heaven Duke said with a good intention. "Little bird, you don't have to run, if we can't even escape, what makes you think you are able to? How did you get in?"

Great Sun Sovereign was astonished and only then did he noticed these two people. He hurriedly greeted, "Heaven Duke! Heaven Duke, are you also being treated as food by the Son of Youdu?"

"Pah pah! Children's words carry no harm! Go knock on wood, knock on wood!"

Heaven Duke said with a smile, "How could I be treated as food? I'm here to enlighten this devil so I've come here on my own initiative, preventing him from causing harm to all living things. Why have you come in?"

Great Sun Sovereign was ashamed and said, "Just now, I got stunned by Son of Youdu and that baby pinched onto my wings to pull me in. It is indeed righteous of Heaven Duke to want to prevent him from causing harm to all living things. However, why is he still able to start a massacre outside?"

The white beard elder blew onto his beard and stared with his eyes wide open. "Little bird, do you know how you died?"

Great Sun Sovereign muttered, "My mouth has no seal and I know too many secrets, thus, I just died for some unknown reason."

Heaven Duke snorted and said indifferently, "After you die, you still have primordial spirit, if you continue to spout nonsense, you might not even have your soul left."

Great Sun Sovereign was meek and said, "In that case, will Son of Youdu still eat me?"

The clone of Heaven Duke laughed and said, "I've stayed here for too long, even though Son of Youdu is capable, as long as you follow me, he can forget about eating you."

Great Sun Sovereign was overjoyed.

Crimson Emperor couldn't resist saying, "Don't believe him. I believed him and got beaten up god knows how many times."

Great Sun Sovereign hurriedly asked, "And you are?"

"Crimson Light Celestial Heavens, Crimson Emperor."

Great Sun Sovereign was astonished.

There were still countless arms dropping in from outside and suddenly, the sky turned dark. There was no more movement outside.

"Lu Li and the rest have made a move!"

Great Sun Sovereign cried out, "Slaughter Cauldron and Heavenly Net has merged and trapped him! We are saved!"

The clone of Heaven Duke had a worried expression and he shook his head. "You are overthinking. This is bad, Slaughter Cauldron and Heavenly Net would only refine us to death along with the people in the cauldron... Lu Li is trying to become the second Earth Count!"

Chapter 763: How Fragrant

Qin Mu was enjoying the massacre when Lu Li suddenly raised a squarish cauldron from far away.

Even though the cauldron was squarish, there was a circular marking under the squarish lid which imprinted the stars of the worlds. It represented the heaven plate.

The four sides of the cauldron were imprinted with four devil gods that had the head of a bull, the face of a tiger, and the body of a human. They bit on the heaven plate, and that represented Youdu.

Lu Li raised the lid of the cauldron high up and instantly, a ray of snow-white light shone and landed on Qin Mu's body. Qin Mu instantly knew it was bad, and suddenly, the world started spinning. His body flew up involuntarily, and he was grabbed along with the other gods, flying towards the cauldron lid that was in Lu Li's hands.

The other three gods that got grabbed by that light became flustered, and they cried out, "God Suppression Heavenly Net!"

Qin Mu's heart trembled violently. He was about to escape when the sky suddenly turned dark. He raised his head to look, and it was full of stars.

Lu Li grabbed the cauldron lid and capped it on the Slaughter Cauldron that Earth Count's reincarnation had refined. She capped it tightly until it was airtight!

Lu Li let out a sigh of relief and cried out, "Aren't you guys coming to help?"

Xuan Ming, Han Lei, and Jue Huang immediately struck their palms onto the Slaughter Cauldron. Lu Li also made her move, and the four palms on four sides activated the power of the Slaughter Cauldron and Heavenly Net.

Suddenly, the Youdu big shots descended, and Yan Qianzhong took a step forward. "You cannot execute the Slaughter Cauldron! There are still three Dao friends that had been pulled into the cauldron as well. If you activate the Slaughter Cauldron, they would also be refined to death!"

Lu Li took a glance at him and said with a smile, "In that case, open the lid and release Youdu Little Overlord, Red Deity shall personally smack him back in."

Yan Qianzhong snorted and didn't say another word.

"Release Son of Youdu and we are all going to die."

Xuan Ming said insipidly, "Everyone here is a senior, and you don't have corporeal bodies, you are naturally restrained by Son of Youdu. Now that Son of Youdu has made a comeback, he is different from what he was twenty-two years ago. He has mended all of his short-comings and his divine arts today are extraordinary. Furthermore, he is in Youdu, so he can't be beaten to death. The only thing that can kill him is the Heavenly Net and Slaughter Cauldron."

Everyone fell silent.

Son of Youdu's power and terror was something that they had all comprehended. Furthermore, they had experienced it twice.

The first time was two months after he was born. Back then, Son of Youdu had created quite the trouble and swallowed god knows how many gods from the various factions. He grew bigger and bigger while becoming more and more arrogant.

However, even though Son of Youdu was strong then, he wasn't invincible.

He didn't know any paths, skills, or divine arts. He had only relied on himself being the first life that was born from the womb in Youdu. By staying in Youdu, he could recover anytime, and he could absorb other people's souls and primordial spirits to strengthen himself. Only then did he manage to secure his life.

And twenty-two years later, Son of Youdu returned back to Youdu once again, and the power he had displayed was completely different.

In the battle just now, there were great casualties among the hundred strong practitioners on Numinous Sky and Emperor's Throne. More than half had died in his hands.

Numerous strong practitioners on Numinous Sky and Emperor's Throne didn't have corporeal bodies and were only left with primordial spirits. Their abilities would be reduced greatly, and they would be equivalent to gods on Jade Capital Realm and Numinous Sky Realm. However, their knowledge and horizons from when they were alive were still around, so they were much stronger than gods on Jade Capital Realm.

With so many strong practitioners ganging up on him, and them still having that many casualties, it truly made them tremble in fear.

Lu Li's attack caught Son of Youdu off guard and kept him into the cauldron. If they opened up the Slaughter Cauldron, it would be far more difficult to seal him back in. Who knew how many more ancient existences would have to die!

"For these three Dao friends to sacrifice their lives to get rid of the Son of Youdu, the righteous are as high as the sky, and I admire them very much."

Suddenly, Heavenly King Gao had a look of sorrow on his face and placed his palm on Slaughter Cauldron. He teared up and said, "For three Dao friends to be so righteous, let me cry for three Dao friends from the bottom of my heart and send them off!"

The other ancient existences had terrible expressions, and they choked on their tears. "To send three Dao friends off!"

Everyone was crying.

Lu Li looked at them with a smile, and she suddenly laughed. "Alright, alright, there's no need for everyone to be so sorrowful, this Son of Youdu didn't die immediately after landing in the cauldron. For those three Dao friends to not suffer, let us quickly execute the Slaughter Cauldron and send all of them on their way!"

Everyone had dark faces. Yan Qianzhong said coldly, "Provincial Governor Lu Li, your desire for credit is too much, three Dao friends have died because of you, and yet you can still smile?"

Lu Li bawled, and her tears streaked down like rain. She wiped her tears and said, "Other people may think I'm doing this for credit, but who knows I'm forcing myself to smile?"

Xuan Ming couldn't look at her any longer and just said gently, "Important matters first. Settle the important matter at hand."

Heavenly King Gao raised his eyebrows and said, "After we refine Son of Youdu to death, who will his corporeal body belong to?"

Everyone's heart skipped a beat.

Heavenly King Gao chuckled and said, "Four provincial governors, the Heavenly Net was made by our combined effort to deal with Son of Youdu. Now that so many Dao friends have died, we might be sad, but the corporeal body of the Son of Youdu is no small matter. We should discuss who this corporeal body belongs to beforehand."

Lu Li frowned, and she asked with a smile, "Heavenly King Gao, what opinions do you have? Why don't you make yourself clear."

Heavenly King Gao chuckled. "We are merely dead people, what opinions could we have?"

Yan Qianzhong's heart stirred slightly and said, "Four provincial governors all have corporeal bodies, but we old things don't. After Son of Youdu is refined to death, his corporeal body is naturally ours. Four provincial governors should give it to us, your predecessors."

Jue Huang sneered and said, "There are so many ghosts and only one Son of Youdu, so how are you guys going to split him? Since the corporeal body of Son of Youdu won't belong to us, why doesn't everyone decide who it belongs to now!"

All of the ancient existences were apprehensive.

The corporeal body of the Son of Youdu was simply too attractive. When they thought of how they could control Earth Count's abilities when they revive, replacing Earth Count would only be a matter of time if they continued to grow.

The surroundings of the Slaughter Cauldron was quiet as all of the ancient existences became silent.

Lu Li sneered endlessly in her heart. The other three provincial governors stood beside her and examined the faces of these ancient existences, putting up their guards.

In the cauldron, Qin Mu and those three primordial spirits on Numinous Sky Realm had fallen into the cauldron at the same time. The light of the Heavenly Net dispersed.

The surroundings were in darkness.

Qin Mu raised his head to look, and he saw the radiant stars and a galaxy above their heads.

When he looked down, there was incomparable darkness. Floating in the darkness were faces, and there were human faces, as well as god faces.

The faces seemed to be forged by the thinnest paper, and they just floated in the darkness without any thickness, appearing from time to time.

Those were the strong practitioners that had died in the Slaughter Cauldron, and after they got refined by the Slaughter Cauldron, they turned into imprints inside the cauldron to add to the power of the huge cauldron.

"The Heavenly Net!"

One of the primordial spirits gave off a look of despair and cried out with a miserable voice, "The Heavenly Net we made personally has been used by that Little Bastard Lu Li on us!"

"There's also the Slaughter Cauldron!"

The primordial spirits of the other two ancient existences also revealed intense fear, and their voices were coarse. "The Slaughter Cauldron that was being refined by Earth Count's reincarnation, the number one treasure in Youdu, the number one treasure for slaughter!"

"Back then, when Earth Count started a massacre during the Dragon Han Era, he used this cauldron and refined so many souls of ancient gods and half-gods into dust!"

"We are done for!"

"Let us out!"

The three primordial spirits rushed into the sky and flew towards the galaxy. Qin Mu raised his head and saw the stars and the galaxy operating, and when the three primordial spirits on Numinous Sky Realm rushed into the galaxy, they got smacked down and landed in the darkness. They exploded in the darkness, and their light gradually extinguished.

"What a pity I couldn't eat them..." the big baby said regretfully.

Qin Mu examined his surroundings with a grave expression.

Back then, he had seen the faces of the three ancient existences appearing in the darkness and becoming another three imprints.

Those people that got refined to death here were extremely strong. Under the power of the Slaughter Cauldron, they were killed before they could even resist!

Back then, Earth Count had massacred countless people because of the death of his wife and daughter. He was controlled by his devil nature, and as a result, he created this number one treasure of slaughter in Youdu.

His grudges and his devil nature had reached the extreme limits in that instant, reaching the extent that broke free of the control of Youdu's rules. At that time, the Slaughter Cauldron was formed with his strongest devil nature and grievances, so one could imagine how terrifying this cauldron was!

'Now, this cauldron still hasn't attacked us.'

Qin Mu looked at the faces floating around and felt apprehensive. 'Is Earth Count controlling this cauldron? That's not right, after Earth Count started a massacre in the Dragon Han Era, he felt heavy guilt and locked his reincarnation in Jade Lock Pass to suffer the hellfire. This cauldron must have been abandoned by him or taken by the celestial heavens who gave it to Provincial Governor Lu Li to control. That also means the strongest power of this cauldron hasn't been activated. There must be no one outside activating it."

He composed himself, and when the three primordial spirits got smacked down by the Heavenly Net, it activated the power of the Slaughter Cauldron and killed them directly. This meant that the power of the Slaughter Cauldron could be activated, but as long as it wasn't activated, there wouldn't be much of a problem. Unless Lu Li and the rest just activate the power of the huge cauldron directly.

'For Earth Count to refine the Slaughter Cauldron in the Dragon Han Era, his attainments in algebra must not be high at all."

Qin Mu maintained his composure, and the eye in the heart of his brows opened up to look in the surroundings. He thought to himself, "At that time, Dao Master should only have created Computational Canon of Mysterious Lady and Computation Canon of Supreme Mystery, Earth Count probably hadn't learned it either. In that case, this Slaughter Cauldron would have a flaw in its killing formation."

He looked around and scrunched his brows tighter and tighter. Beads of cold sweat appeared on his forehead.

He couldn't see any flaws.

At this moment, he thought of something crucial!

That was that the algebra of the Dao Sect was used to expound the Great Dao of Heaven and Earth. On the other hand, Earth Count was a natural-born ancient god, he was the embodiment of the Great Dao of Youdu!

He had no need for algebra!

Algebra was lowly attainment to him!

Giving up his own paths, skills, and achievements to research algebra was simply buying a wooden box and returning the pearls inside.

'This is bad...'

Just as he thought until here, Qin Fengqing on his right suddenly sucked in deep breaths and praised, "This is truly a good place, there's a nice smell everywhere, how fragrant—"

Qin Mu blinked his eyes. "How fragrant?"

Qin Fengqing nodded his head. "How fragrant! Don't you smell the fragrance in the air? That is the smell of the souls that are filled with pain, terror, despair, grievances, regrets, and all kinds of lethal thoughts. The smell is especially nice!"

Qin Mu was stunned. Suddenly, a divine art bombarded the darkness. There was a loud rumble, and the darkness flowed, but there was no retaliation from the Slaughter Cauldron like he had expected!

The Slaughter Cauldron didn't have any reaction to his attack. Only a face revealed a pained look in the darkness and opened his mouth to give off a silent cry.

Qin Mu was stunned, and he suddenly came to a realization. He cried out, "I know why now! We brothers are Earth Count, to this cauldron, we are the same as it. It won't attack Earth Count or attack itself!"

He was instantly excited. He moved around and still didn't receive any attack from the Slaughter Cauldron.

Qin Mu flew to the front of a face, and the eyes of that huge face rolled, looking at him with an expression of fear.

Qin Mu moved to the side of the face and still saw this face. No matter what angle he looked at it from, he could only see the front of the face. He could never see the sides or the back!

He couldn't help clicking his tongue in wonder. "Big brother, can you see what paths, skills, and divine arts this cauldron uses? How did Earth Count create this face?"

"Give me a moment!"

Qin Fengqing raised his hand and stretched his arm into the eye in the heart of his brows. He grabbed around messily, and in Qin word land, Heaven Duke, Crimson Emperor, and Great Sun Sovereign hurriedly dodged here and there.

After a moment, Qin Fengqing took a head out from Qin word land. He blew a breath of air, and that head flew up to float in the darkness. "Just like this."

Qin Mu was stunned and circled a few times around that head. All four sides of the head were the front of the face, and he couldn't see the sides or the back.

"What paths, skills, and divine arts are being used in this?" Qin Mu was at a loss.

"I have no idea."

Qin Fengqing said, "Since there's no danger, let me digest first. You can think of a way out."

Chapter 764: Ah Chou

Qin Mu called out a few times, but Qin Fengqing never replied. This big baby had actually fallen asleep at this important moment, and he even stuffed a big thumb in his mouth.

Qin Mu pulled his thumb out from his mouth and wiped it on his body. Qin Fengqing was sucking on his thumb.

Among his three heads and six arms, one head and two arms were controlled by Qin Fengqing while the other two heads and four arms were controlled by Qin Mu. During the battle, Qin Mu would even control all six arms.

When Qin Fengqing had fallen asleep, he had taken his hand and put Qin Mu's thumb into his mouth.

There was nothing in his mouth so Qin Fengqing couldn't sleep well. He smacked his lips and mumbled to himself.

Qin Mu raised Qin Fengqing's left hand and stuck his thumb into his mouth. Only then did he calm down.

'Is he my older brother or am I the older brother?'

Qin Mu shook his head and wandered around in the Slaughter Cauldron, trying to find a way out. However, no matter how much he flew, he could never find the borders.

Even though the Slaughter Cauldron didn't look huge, the space inside seemed to be endless. He couldn't find any end.

Qin Mu executed his teleportation divine art and still couldn't escape from this cauldron.

After a long time, he finally gave up on searching for the borders. Instead, he flew up. The Slaughter Cauldron was made by Earth Count, and Earth Count was remarkable. Even though Qin Fengqing's abilities were great, he was still a long distance away from Earth Count, which made leaving from the Heavenly Net the best shortcut.

He came to the sky, and before he could even get close, he saw countless starlight flowing. The galaxy changed and soared like a dragon towards him.

Qin Mu raised his hand to block, and his magic power transformed into a barrier. That galaxy instantly clashed onto that barrier.

The stars in the galaxy didn't have physical forms, and instead, they were strange imprints. They collided furiously against one another and, at first, it was only a dozen stars, and that didn't have much power. However, in the blink of an eye, countless stars poured out like the sea and the barrier that Qin Mu had created lit up continuously. In an instant, it turned into an incomparably bright barrier of light!

Boom-

Violent tremors came over, and the barrier from his magic power crumbled. The galaxy bombarded his body and threw him down from the sky!

In just a short while, countless stars collided on his corporeal body and intense pain swept through his body. Qin Mu defended against the attacks and gave a shout. Grand Youdu devil language came from his mouth. "Where I am, it's Youdu!"

The devil qi at the bottom of Slaughter Cauldron swirled up and formed a land of darkness under his feet. Next, Youdu devil qi rushed into the sky and bombarded towards the galaxy in the sky!

Qin Mu realized he could actually mobilize the power of Slaughter Cauldron, and he was astonished and delighted. The galaxy that was rushing at him was dispersed by the Youdu devil qi. He stepped on the land of Youdu and grew taller and taller, reaching straight into the galaxy.

The galaxy shook, and it became more and more intense. Suddenly, the starlight of countless stars linked together and transformed into a dense net of starlight. It descended down from the sky and sliced apart the Youdu devil qi as it traveled down.

Qin Mu was astonished. He mobilized the Youdu devil qi, and the berserk devil qi transformed into a long knife in his hand as he slashed at the net of starlight!

Every Cloud Has a Silver Lining!

With a vertical and a horizontal knife light, the net of starlight was torn apart. Qin Mu sucked in deep breaths, and his corporeal body grew until he became a giant that was thirty thousand yards tall. His four arms struck furiously into the air, and in an instant, countless fists crumbled the galaxy!

Outside the cauldron, Yan Qianzhong, Heavenly King Gao, and the rest of the ancient existences were still in a deadlock. No one was willing to give up this chance, and suddenly, the Slaughter Cauldron vibrated violently. The cauldron lid gave off loud clanks, and the huge cauldron began to sway left and right. It was as if there was a behemoth being suppressed inside which could break out of the cauldron anytime!

Everyone was astonished, and Lu Li hurriedly said, "Everyone here is a senior, this is no time to throw a tantrum. Let us first refine Son of Youdu to death before making a decision!"

She, Xuan Ming, Jue Huang, and Han Lei immediately went up, and they pressed their palms on the four corners of the Heavenly Net. They activated the power of the Heavenly Net.

"Okay!"

Yan Qianzhong went forward, and behind him was layers and layers of flame wheels that were swirling furiously. The magic power of his primordial spirit instantly shot out like a beam and hit the Slaughter Cauldron. He shouted, "Let us refine Son of Youdu to death first!"

Heavenly King Gao saw this situation and stretched out his fingers to gently brush against the heart of his brows, revealing a jade green eye. A beam of light also shot out and landed on the Slaughter Cauldron. He said with a smile, "Oh well, as for who the corporeal body of the Son of Youdu belongs to, we can discuss that after he's dead."

Some of the other ancient existences either stretched out their palms or opened their mouths to spew out their magic power. Vast celestial palaces appeared behind them, and with all kinds of methods, they poured their magic power into the Slaughter Cauldron and Heavenly Net, activating the power of these two important treasures!

"Knock him down from the Heavenly Net first!"

Lu Li shouted, "Let the Slaughter Cauldron refine him to death!"

Qin Mu had already fought his way up to the top of the galaxy, and the land of Youdu under his feet grew at a rapid speed. Just as he was about to break free, the galaxy suddenly spun and its power increased tremendously.

At the same time, four heads of Earth Count actually appear around him, and they opened their mouths wide to bite down on the land of Youdu.

In the sky above, the galaxy transformed into an inescapable net as the starlight chained together. The net of starlight came slicing down, and its power was more than a dozen times stronger than before!

'I can't fight it with brute force!'

The land of Youdu got suppressed by the four heads of Earth Count. Just as Qin Mu was about to avoid it using his teleportation divine art, he suddenly felt boundless power pouring over to him from the Slaughter Cauldron. In an instant, power filled his entire body, and he was surprised and delighted. 'Originally, I couldn't mobilize power from the Slaughter Cauldron, so how can I mobilize so much now?'

He didn't know it was Heavenly King Gao, Yan Qianzhong, and the rest that were activating the Slaughter Cauldron. They didn't know that activating the Slaughter Cauldron would only allow Qin Mu to mobilize even more power of Youdu.

Qin Mu's aura trembled violently, and he gave a roar as he tore apart the chains of starlight. Breaking through the net of starlight, he rushed up only to see the galaxy swirling and pressing down on him.

Qin Mu punched and kicked to shake the galaxy, and at the same time, the four heads of Earth Count couldn't suppress the land of Youdu. The land of Youdu brought Qin Mu higher and higher.

Outside the cauldron, Lu Li and the rest were feeling numb in their arms from the vibrations. They were astonished and terrified.

Qin Mu was simply so overbearing in the cauldron that even the Slaughter Cauldron and Heavenly Net couldn't suppress him. If this continued, he would probably blow the Heavenly Net off and break free!

"Isn't the Slaughter Cauldron the number one treasure of slaughter in Youdu? Why isn't he being refined to death?"

Everyone was flustered, and they poured out even more magic power to activate the Slaughter Cauldron and Heavenly Net. Lu Li hurriedly shouted, "Let us completely activate the power of the Heavenly Net first and push him to the bottom of the cauldron!"

Instantly, all of the ancient existences stopped activating the Slaughter Cauldron and poured their magic power into the Heavenly Net. The power of the Heavenly Net instantly increased tremendously, and a loud explosion was heard from the cauldron. Everyone instantly felt their pressure lessening. However, they still felt a lingering fear in their hearts and didn't know what the situation in the cauldron was.

"Could Son of Youdu be killed by the Heavenly Net?" Yan Qianzhong asked with a low voice.

In the cauldron, Qin Mu stood on the land of Youdu as starlight came shooting out from the galaxy swirling in the sky. Nets of starlight came slicing down one after another as the light sparkled, forcing him to furiously attack to be able to block the slicing nets.

The power of the Heavenly Net got pushed to its extremes, and the galaxy surged forward to suddenly transform into a huge palm print that came pressing down. Qin Mu raised his four arms high up to catch this gigantic galaxy hand, and his body sank down continuously from the pressure.

Right at this moment, the third eyes on the four heads of Earth Count opened up, and four beams of light came slicing down. The land under Qin Mu's feet was sliced into chunks and broke off.

That galaxy hand smacked down ruthlessly at Qin Mu, and Qin Mu was pressed down in the bottom of the palm. Sounds of wind rang out beside his ears, and the sounds overlapped into one. The devil qi got pressed down until it was thick like a wall, forming a land which squashed him in the center.

Boom!

The power of this galaxy hand burst forth, and the palm force struck straight to the bottom of the cauldron. The huge cauldron trembled violently. Qin Mu's bones and tendons were broken, his neck was snapped, his arms were cracked, and his legs were twisted. He sprawled out on the ground in a peculiar pose. On the other hand, Qin Fengqing was still sucking on his thumb and sleeping soundly.

Qin Mu took the initiative to fight against the power of the galaxy hand and assisted him with all his power. Only then was Qin Fengqing not injured, and instead, he was the one full of injuries.

That galaxy hand dispersed, and the starlight flowed up continuously like a tornado. They quickly vanished.

This was the first time Qin Mu had been beaten up so miserably. He laid there without moving, and the magic power in his body was completely in disorder. His primordial spirit was also severely injured. Right at this moment, the power of Slaughter Cauldron suddenly raised explosively, and the Youdu devil qi surged over. The devil qi quickly filled his entire body.

Qin Mu was surprised and delighted. 'Who is treating my injuries? Is it Earth Count? He doesn't seem like such a nice person...'

His magic power was instantly refilled, and he hurriedly executed creation technique to treat his own injuries.

With the power of the Slaughter Cauldron becoming stronger and stronger, more and more magic power came flowing towards him. Qin Mu's injuries quickly recovered, and the power of the Slaughter Cauldron was still increasing furiously!

'Something is wrong...'

Qin Mu's corporeal body swelled up from the violent devil qi, and his body grew larger and larger. He couldn't help feeling flustered and hurriedly called out, "Brother, brother, wake up, has your digestion finish? I'm about to reach my limit..."

He was stuffed until he felt giddy, and his sight turned blurry. Suddenly, he heard an old voice saying with a laugh, "Ah Chou, don't be a busy bee, your wife has a big tummy, and you're still letting her do the chores? Aren't you going to help her?"

Qin Mu's sight gradually became clearer, and he could see verdant hills and clear waters, hear the chirping of birds and smell the fragrant flowers. An old woman with white hair smiled and looked at him as she stood in front of a house with the support of a cane.

Qin Mu was stunned. He heard his voice becoming rough and coarse. "Mother, I know, I'm going to help."

Qin Mu was stunned. Only then did he notice he was plowing with an iron rake.

He looked at the incomparably rough hands putting down the iron rake as he stood up. He was very tall, about twelve feet.

Qin Mu was puzzled, and he looked down at his reflection on the ground. His mind was blown.

The figure on the ground had bull horns on his head, and there was even the tail of a bull behind his buttocks!

'That's not right, this isn't me...'

He felt he couldn't control his corporeal body as he started walking towards the house. In the manor, which wasn't too big, he could see a gentle and virtuous woman washing the clothes with a big tummy in difficulty.

He hurriedly walked forward and tried to use a gentle voice to speak. "Dear, be careful of disturbing the fetus, let me do it!"

That woman tried her best to straighten her back, and he quickly helped the woman up while he sat down to wash the clothes.

At this moment, Qin Mu saw his face in the water.

He had the eyes of a tiger and tiger stripes on his face. On his head was a pair of bull horns with nine bends.

Even though he had the eyes of a tiger, his eyes were filled with gentleness.

'Earth Count...'

Qin Mu's mind was blank, and he only came back to his senses after a moment. 'Is this the memory of this Slaughter Cauldron? Which also means I'm currently in the memory of Earth Count's Slaughter Cauldron. This Slaughter Cauldron already has a spirit...'

Earth Count had reincarnated in an era very long ago, and when Left Soul Guardian mentioned this incident, he had even said that Earth Count was too ugly and wasn't welcomed by the people. Afterward, some ancient gods and half-gods schemed against him and killed his wife and daughter. As a result, Earth Count's devil nature lost control, and he killed countless terrifying existences.

'The memory of the Slaughter Cauldron was probably this incident.'

Qin Mu felt as though he had transformed into Earth Count, and he was reliving that memory.

Earth Count was very gentle, and even though he was a brute, he was extremely nice to his wife. She was a very virtuous woman that was very filial to her elders. The old woman was Earth Count's mother, and she was pregnant for several years and didn't give birth. When she finally gave birth to Earth Count,

crows filled the sky outside her window, and when she took a look at her child, her child was actually a monster with the face of a tiger and the horns of a bull.

Everyone said he was the reincarnation of a devil king and wanted to kill him, but the old woman kept him. She gave him the pet name, Ah Chou. She raised him up painstakingly and allowed him to grow into an adult.

When Earth Count became an adult, he displayed extraordinary strength and had remarkable divine arts. However, he missed home and couldn't bear to leave his old mother.

However, while he might be ugly, there was still someone who fell in love with him, and that was his wife.

"Even an ugly person is wanted." The old woman was very happy, and she doted on her son and daughter-in-law very much.

However, his wife didn't like to call him Ah Chou, and she liked to call him Brother Ah Niu.

This family was in bliss, and soon, his wife was pregnant. She gave birth to a boy and a girl. Earth Count cried from happiness, and he carried the two children happily and taught them how to cultivate. Their lives were very carefree.

Even though Earth Count was ugly, he was more like a human now instead of that impartial ancient god in Youdu.

His reputation was very huge, but he was always very content with his lot and never created grudges with anyone. However, since disasters always happen in the surroundings, Earth Count always helped the needy for justice by saving the people around him. Gradually, everyone became nicer and nicer to him.

"I've heard the villagers of the neighboring village saying that there was a half-god appearing in the area recently."

The wife coaxed the kid and said to him. "He ate quite some people, and he seemed to be asking around for your information."

Earth Count gave a sound of acknowledgment, and when he raised his head, he saw that half-god his wife had mentioned.

"Ah Chou, Ah Niu."

That half-god's body was as huge as a mountain, making their small manor look incomparably small. That half-god grabbed a few people in his hands and grinned at him, sending them into his mouth before using force to chew on them. He laughed and said, "Who would have thought the ruler of Youdu would actually reincarnate and marry a human woman? Earth Count, since you have reincarnated, hand over Youdu, you won't get to use it anyway!"

Earth Count didn't reply to him, and he looked behind him. More and more half-gods appeared, and they looked extremely powerful.

The villages around had all been razed to the ground by these half-gods.

"Ah Chou."

His old mother walked out with a trembling body and asked, "What's wrong?"

"It's fine."

Qin Mu heard his muffled voice saying, "Mother, go back first. Everyone, you want to be the ruler of Youdu? Youdu is now empty, just go be the ruler of Youdu, why are you here to trouble me?"

"If you aren't dead, we don't dare to!" Those half-gods started laughing.

"Brother Ah Niu..." His wife's voice came from his back.

Qin Mu turned his head back and saw a half-god transforming into a feathered snake to coil around his wife and grab his two children.

Qin Mu's heart trembled, and he almost couldn't bear to see anymore.

Chapter 765: Fighting up to the Celestial Heavens

This was what had happened to the reincarnation of Earth Count. It was the memory of the Slaughter Cauldron, yet Qin Mu was now viewing from Earth Count's perspective so he could feel what he was feeling as well.

The feathered snake coiled around his wife and grabbed hold of his two kids. Earth Count's weakness was right in their hands.

Numerous half-gods were very excited. In Youdu, Earth Count was invincible. It wasn't only his power that was invincible, even his frame of mind was invincible. No one could defeat him in Youdu.

However, after Earth Count had reincarnated, he was no longer invincible. Earth Count's power after reincarnation was very weak and similarly, his frame of mind was full of flaws.

The biggest flaw he had was his family!

The Earth Count after reincarnation was no longer the true Earth Count. Instead, he was Ah Chou as named by his mother and Ah Niu as called by his wife. He was just an ugly man that was honest and down-to-earth in the village. He was also the father of two kids.

He was no longer Earth Count, he was just Ah Chou.

"I didn't tell any ancient gods about my reincarnation, and I also didn't inform the celestial heavens, so how did you guys know that I reincarnated and how did you know I reincarnated here?"

Ah Chou didn't look at these half-gods, and his gaze passed through them. He looked at the empty sky and said solemnly, "Only the celestial heavens would be able to know that I've reincarnated and where I've reincarnated in. In that case, who is coveting my power?

There was no movement in the sky.

Ah Chou was slightly disappointed.

"Ah Chou, are you not going to sacrifice your life for your wife and daughter?"

That feathered snake half-god cried out, "Surrender with the kind of sacrifice that will cause your soul to be dispersed!"

Ah Chou didn't reply, and he grabbed the iron rake to carry it on his shoulder. That feathered snake half-god was furious and was about to kill his wife when a paper boat suddenly appeared behind Ah Chou. Light shone on the feathered snake's face, and before that feathered snake could even give a grunt, his soul had fallen into Youdu.

On the boat was a youth with a devil mask on the back of his head. He shone around with his lantern, and the half-gods transformed into giant mountain-like corpses to collapse.

That youth hung the lantern back in the bow of the boat and took a look at Ah Chou. "This time they are small fries, next time it won't be just small fries. I can't protect you forever, come back as soon as possible."

Ah Chou turned back to look at his mother, wife, and children before shaking his head. "I have feelings now, I can't go back."

That youth tilted his head and gave it some thought. "I'm still not strong enough now, there are many terrifying existences among the half-gods, and I'm no match for them. There are also ancient gods that are hiding, and if they appear, I won't be a match for them. How much power can you use after your reincarnation?"

"This is the world of the living, I can't use the power of Youdu."

Ah Chou shook his head. "I feel there's power hidden in the heart of my brows, but my third eye can never open."

That youth looked at the heart of his brows, and there was a vertical line on the heart of Ah Chou's brows. However, the third eye couldn't be seen. He could only control his boat to sink into the depths of the darkness. "You are no longer Earth Count, you are Ah Chou, quickly return."

Ah Chou saw him off, and after a moment, he revealed a simple smile. "I can't go back anymore..."

His wife carried his children over, and he still told his wife he was Ah Chou, telling them not to worry.

He couldn't stay here any longer. Even though he was thick and solid, his hands were nimble and skilled. He quickly made a back basket, and he put soft cotton inside to let his old mother sit in the basket on his back.

He placed his son and daughter on his shoulders while his pregnant wife sat on his elbow. His whole family started to immigrate.

Ah Chou hurried day and night to leave this place. However, it wasn't peaceful on their journey. They still encountered quite a number of attacks from half-gods as more and more half-gods appeared in this world. People referred to half-gods as giant beasts that went around to eat humans and slaughter them. There weren't so many half-gods here in the past, but suddenly, they had all appeared.

Ah Chou brought his family to hide here and there until the day came when his old mother's lifespan was up.

"Ah Chou, I'm about to die."

His old mother said to him, "Take care of your wife and your children. You are so ugly, but your wife still didn't abandon you, so never abandon them. Ah Chou is not Earth Count, you are just an ugly child who looks a lot like Earth Count..." After she said that, she breathed her last.

Ah Chou cried and tried his best to open up the eye in the heart of his brows. He forced himself to use the power of Youdu. When he was Earth Count, he could grant blessings and lifespans to strong existences like Celestial Venerable You, allowing them to survive along with the world. Yet, at this moment, he couldn't save his mother.

He even used a knife to slice apart the heart of his brows, causing blood to flow everywhere. However, he couldn't find that eye. He couldn't find the power of Youdu.

He wasn't Earth Count.

He still had a wife, a son, and a daughter—he still had people he was concerned about.

He laid his old mother to rest and brought his wife and children to continue on their way. They avoided the pursues.

Finally, his wife was about to give birth, so he had no choice but to stop and find a midwife to deliver the child. However, with so many half-gods appearing in this world and swallowing humans, it was already very hard to find a living person.

The human race in this entire world was basically wiped out, and he couldn't find a living person in the radius of several thousand miles. He could only find a cave and hide inside, delivering the baby for his wife personally.

After some torment, his child was born, and it was a girl. She was like him, having a pair of small horns on her head and having a pair of tiger teeth the moment she was born. She was very healthy.

Ah Chou was very happy. He went out to hunt to supplement his wife.

When he came back, he saw half-gods all over the mountain like a forest, blocking the cave his wife was in

There were also incomparably powerful half-gods sitting on the mountain peak and looking down at him. Beside them was his wife.

He rushed forward frantically and used his iron rake to shatter the head of the god blocking in front of him. He used his fists to smash the opponent's chest. He used his bull horns to spear those half-gods blocking his way, using his teeth to tear them apart.

He was berserk, and he used all his power to attack towards the cliff on the opposite side.

Those half-gods had remarkable abilities, and they beat him up until his face was swollen. His face got messed up, and they broke his bones and horns of nine bends. Ah Chou still continued to attack furiously forward, and he was even more of a giant beast than these half-gods.

It wasn't known how long he had killed, but he was completely exhausted. However, he had also killed until the other side was all afraid. He laid beside a tree and breathed heavily, staring ruthlessly at the mountain on the other side.

Those half-gods still sat there and looked at him with a cold gaze. They didn't speak, but they also didn't move.

Ah Chou rested for a moment and continued to attack forward. There were broken limbs everywhere, and the broken bodies of half-gods were everywhere as well. His strength was boundless, but the power of Youdu was still not related to him.

"Kneel down."

A voice came from the mountain peak, and Ah Chou raised his head to take a look. A half-god was grabbing his wife by the neck and placed his wife over the cliff. As long as he let his hand go, she would fall down and get smashed into meat paste.

Ah Chou stopped and looked at the mountain peak with a pleading look.

That half-god let go of his hands, and his wife fell from the cliff. Ah Chou screamed and pounced forward with all his strength, but he got blocked by the other half-gods on the way there who split his flesh.

Bang.

The sound of a heavy object hitting the ground rang out.

"Kneel down," that half-god said indifferently as he raised his eldest son.

Ah Chou's body trembled, and his legs wobbled. He finally knelt down and lowered his head.

A half-god wielded a shiny ax to walk forward, and he placed it near his neck. He was about to chop down when a voice called out in disapproval. "You can't kill him like that."

That half-god hurriedly stopped.

Sunlight filled the sky as the ancient gods hidden in the shadows descended. That was a face that had appeared in the sky. His face couldn't be seen properly as he hid his face, not wanting to expose his identity. He said indifferently, "If he's killed like this, his three souls will still fly back to Youdu and return into Earth Count's body. We need his souls to be destroyed. Only when his souls are destroyed can we replace Earth Count."

At this moment, another face appeared in the sky, and it was similarly hidden. A similarly cold tone came from the tone as well. "We have borrowed God Execution Mysterious Knife from the celestial heavens, and that can execute the soul. This is the number one weapon in the celestial heavens, and there's nothing it can't cut!"

A beam of light descended down from the sky to stab onto the ground. The knife couldn't be seen, and only flowing light could be seen.

"Execute him." Another few faces appeared in the sky, and even though their faces couldn't be seen clearly, excitement could be seen from their eyes.

A half-god grabbed the God Execution Mysterious Knife from the celestial heavens, and he slashed at Ah Chou, who was kneeling on the ground.

Weng.

The knife light gave off violent tremors, and the half-god wielding the sword turned into blood mist. On the other hand, Ah Chou had no wound on his neck.

Earth Count's three souls were too strong, and even if it was his reincarnation, he wasn't something that a half-god could kill.

Another half-god walked forward and grabbed God Execution Mysterious Knife to slash down. He was turned into blood mist by the tremors, and Ah Chou remained unharmed.

The third half-god walked up, and he was also shattered into pieces by God Execution Knife. In an instant, the entire mountain of half-gods was frightened, and no one dared to pick up that knife.

"Useless things!"

An angry roar came from the sky, and an ancient god couldn't resist descending down. He raised the God Execution Mysterious Knife and sneered. "If we can't kill Earth Count, how do we succeed? How can we rise to the throne?"

"Dao brother, offer your head!"

His knife light landed down, and a trace of blood appeared on Ah Chou's neck. His arms were numb from the tremors from God Execution Mysterious Knife.

That ancient god was astonished and furious. He laughed loudly and said, "Earth Count, your desire for survival is too strong. Even with this knife in my hand, I can't slay you. Looks like you have to give up your desire to live. Throw his child down!"

"Don't..."

Ah Chou's body trembled as he saw his eldest son falling from the sky. He hurriedly crawled forward, and that ancient god stamped on his tail before slashing down once more!

A wound that was an inch deep appeared in his neck, and his fresh blood poured out.

That ancient god became excited, and he said loudly, "Are you still waiting for Celestial Venerable You that brat? To get rid of Earth Count, we need to get rid of Celestial Venerable You. And now, Celestial Venerable You, that brat, can't even protect himself. You already have no more hope, so why are you still struggling? Throw one more!"

Ah Chou crawled forward desperately, but he couldn't move no matter what. His eldest daughter got raised high up and was thrown down the cliff.

Ah Chou roared furiously. Behind him, that ancient god raised the knife and slashed down once again. The knife light flashed, and his neck got severed by half.

"Throw another one down!"

That ancient god cried out excitedly and raised the God Execution Mysterious Knife.

Ah Chou's body trembled as he saw his youngest daughter being raised high up in the sky. He felt like he was dying, like he was falling into a bottomless pit of darkness. He couldn't see any light. He could only see his youngest daughter from the sky.

A soft crack sounded out in his heart, and it sounded like his heart had split apart. A soft crack also came from the heart of his brows. When he had used a knife to open up that wound, it had never healed, and now, the wound had opened up again.

"Ah Chou is not Earth Count, Ah Chou is merely an ugly child that looks like Earth Count."

His old mother's words rang out beside his ears again, and these words gave him immense support during the years he was suffering. This supported him to bring along his wife and children to live on. Now, even these words had crumbled.

He had completely sunk into darkness.

The heart of his brows split apart, and a third eye was revealed. That was a bloody eye, and it flashed with boundless hellfire. It ignited the ground and incinerated this world.

Ah Chou had vanished, and Earth Count was back.

However, the one that had return this time was a furious Earth Count, an Earth Count that was seeking revenge.

Countless chains suddenly appeared and penetrated through his body, linking him to the ground.

Those were chains formed by the rules of Youdu which chained this furious Earth Count.

As Earth Count, he couldn't go against the rules of Youdu, and he couldn't go against the Great Dao of Youdu.

Even Earth Count couldn't break free of these chains.

He grabbed God Execution Mysterious Knife, and the knife sliced into his hands. Blood flowed from his hands, and as he stood up, God Execution Mysterious Knife melted in his hands. This divine knife with the infamous reputation of being the number one dangerous weapon in the celestial heavens gave off a cry in his hands, and it quickly became molten iron.

The molten iron dripped onto the ground to transform into a huge cauldron. Earth Count, who had returned, stood in the cauldron.

That ancient god behind him trembled and got his head grabbed by him. He got pressed into the cauldron and got stomped on heavily. His head exploded from being stomped. That ancient god's face appeared in that cauldron.

In the cauldron, his face floated alone in the darkness, and he revealed a look of terror.

However, more and more half-gods came to accompany him. The entire mountain of half-gods died very quickly, and they were all shattered into pieces by the power of that huge cauldron. They got refined to death and turned into the faces in the cauldron.

Earth Count's body grew bigger and bigger, and he grabbed the baby that was falling from the cliff. Darkness poured out from the cauldron and spread out in all directions, catching up to those half-gods that were escaping. The bodies of the half-gods warped and suddenly transformed into empty shells. Their skins collapsed onto the ground.

The darkness flooded furiously to all corners of this dead and desolate world.

The ancient gods in the sky were astonished, and they retreated to escape to the celestial heavens.

This world had already become another Youdu.

They escaped, and they dared not remain. When they turned back to look, they saw the devil god, who was becoming bigger and bigger, stepping out of that world. On his shoulder was a little girl that grew the horns of a bull.

His body was completely covered with chains transformed from the Great Dao of Youdu, and they restrained him. The other end of the chains was the world that had already transformed into Youdu.

Yet Earth Count pulled along the chains and pulled that world over together, chasing after them towards the celestial heavens.

"Earth Count has gone crazy!"

They screamed as they rushed into the Southern Heavenly Gate of the celestial heavens. Numerous ancient gods poured out and stood in midair, blocking Earth Count's path. They persuaded him, "Earth Count, they are just joking around with you, why do you really have to get angry?"

"Aren't you guys coming to apologize?"

Someone tried to mediate. "Luckily, no huge trouble was caused. Earth Count, please appease your anger..."

Earth Count dragged the Slaughter Cauldron into Southern Heavenly Gate. More and more chains appeared on his body and outside Southern Heavenly Gate was the Youdu in darkness.

Suddenly, an ancient god that came to persuade him fell and transformed into a terrified face in the cauldron.

That day, Earth Count fought his way into Southern Heavenly Gate, and numerous gods fell.