

Martial 3071

Chapter 3071, He's Here

"Is it worth it for you to do this?" A gentle voice was heard asking as Fu Xuan looked up at Mo Huang. His thick beard felt ticklish on her forehead, but she was yearning for this feeling, so she moved her forehead a little to rub his beard against her skin, as though she was trying to imprint this feeling in the deepest part of her soul.

Despite Mo Huang's masculine face, he appeared gentle as he stroked her face and put on a smile, "No matter how beautiful the world is, you're the only one I love."

Fu Xuan's gaze brightened up when she heard that.

Mo Huang grinned, "I heard Li Wu Yi, that brat, say this before. So, I'm just borrowing his words."

Fu Xuan giggled, "So, those are Wu Yi's words."

After a sigh, Mo Huang uttered, "I'm sorry for what you've had to endure all these years."

Fu Xuan shook her head and replied, "I had already expected this, and I deserved this kind of punishment. In any case, we've reunited today."

In a serious manner, Mo Huang swore, "I'll never let you leave me again!"

"But you'll have to go against all of Dragon Island." Fu Xuan pressed her head against the man's broad chest. As she listened to his heartbeat, it was as though it was the most melodious music in the world and despite her words, the smile on her face suggested that she was truly happy.

Mo Huang snorted, "The day we met, I was already prepared to oppose Dragon Island."

At the time when they chanced upon each other, they were both young and free-spirited. At first glance, Mo Huang could recognize that the arrogant-looking woman was a Dragon Clan member, and as the Martial Beast Great Emperor, whose Dao was that of Beast Taming, he had conquered many in this world, but he had never tamed a Dragon before. As his mind was filled with this thought, he couldn't control his urge anymore. Repeatedly, he tried to approach her, forcefully at times. Eventually, he managed to subdue her, but he didn't expect that he could never free himself from her after having a taste of her gentleness. Since then, grudges that were unknown to the outside world had been formed between the Dragon Clan and him.

As he reminisced about the past, he put on a warm smile and thought that it was the wisest decision he had ever made.

"How is Xiao Qi now?" Fu Xuan suddenly asked.

“She’s grown-up now, but she’s still acting like a spoiled child. You should go back to Spirit Beast Island with me to discipline her.”

Fu Xuan questioned, “She hasn’t found out about her identity, right?”

Mo Huang shook his head, “I haven’t told her about it. Hmm, that girl has been giving me some trouble recently though.”

“What happened?” Fu Xuan was shocked. After all, that was her own daughter. Although she had never met her daughter after giving birth to her, they were still mother and daughter, so naturally Fu Xuan was concerned about her.

“She’s been longing for a certain brat recently,” Mo Huan replied with a dark expression.

Fu Xuan was startled for a moment before she burst out laughing.

“What are you laughing at?”

Fu Xuan stopped laughing and explained, “Well, Xiao Qi has already come of age, so it’s expected that she’d be fond of one or two boys.”

Mo Huang shook his head repeatedly, “No, no. She’s still too young, so she shouldn’t even think about such things yet!”

Fu Xuan said gently, “Although I’m her mother, I have never had the chance to discipline her. You’re right to be concerned about her, but make sure that you won’t make her hate you because of this.”

Mo Huang was stunned, “She’ll hate me because of that brat?”

Fu Xuan pressed her lips together and smiled, “I don’t know. She’s grown up now, and women are generally more outgoing.”

Mo Huang’s expression darkened when he heard that. All of a sudden, he became worried about his daughter.

“Alright. We should go over to have a look now.”

With a frown, Mo Huang said, “We’d better not go. We’ll just have a chat here until the two old farts are done settling their problems.”

Fu Xuan looked up at him, “Please bring me there to have a look. They’re my fellow clansmen, after all.”

Mo Huang could never say no to her whenever she pleaded with him, so he immediately nodded, “Alright, alright. Since you’ve said so, we’ll go over now.” He paused for a moment and smiled, “If we’re lucky, we might even see that brat.”

Upon finishing his words, he carried Fu Xuan up and flew towards the sky.

Fu Xuan was startled for a moment before she grasped the meaning behind his words, “You mean, the boy Xiao Qi is fond of is on Dragon Island as well?”

“En. It’s thanks to him that I was able to sneak into this place without anyone noticing.” Mo Huang nodded his head. If it weren’t because Yang Kai had made a scene on Dragon Island and attracted the

attention of Zhu Yan and Fu Zhun, Mo Huang would not have been able to sneak into this place unnoticed.

Normally, if he were to enter Dragon Island, Zhu Yan and Fu Zhun would immediately discover him.

“Is he a member of the Dragon Clan?” Fu Xuan frowned. She was a Dragon Clan member herself, so she knew that those male Dragons were all promiscuous people. If her daughter had fallen in love with a male Dragon, things would become thorny.

“No, he’s not a Dragon. He’s Human,” Mo Huang shook his head and replied.

“A Human?” Fu Xuan was puzzled, “How did a Human enter Dragon Island? What is he here for?”

Mo Huang pursed his lips and uttered, “He’s here to snatch a bride.”

Fu Xuan was shocked, and after she pestered him about it for a while, she finally found out what crazy things Yang Kai had done on Dragon Island. At that moment, she was astounded and thought that this young man was far too rash and brazen. However, after a change of thought, she realized that this boy called Yang Kai was in a similar situation as Mo Huang.

Both of them were Humans, and they had both married Dragon women. Naturally, the Dragon Clan was against their marriages, so they were forced to go against the Dragon Clan.

At that instant, Fu Xuan felt sympathetic towards Yang Kai.

Mo Huang was one of the Ten Great Emperors, but even he couldn’t bring Fu Xuan out of Dragon Island at that time. Certainly, Yang Kai couldn’t do that either. This love story between a Human and a Dragon was bound to have a tragic ending, as the Dragon Clan’s obstinacy was legendary.

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All of a sudden, a figure shot up from the sea, which attracted the attention of Yang Kai and the others. Upon a closer look, the Embodiment had shrunk to become as tall as an ordinary Human again. Steam was rising from its body as it flew towards the sky.

Zhu Qing and Fu Ling sized it up in shock and wondered where this thing had come from. However, the Divine Spirit aura on this stone man was conspicuous, so they immediately recognized that it was a Shi Huo.

What shocked them was that Yang Kai’s aura also lingered on this Shi Huo. If they scanned the stone man with Divine Sense instead of looking at it with their eyes, they would have thought that it was Yang Kai.

In a doubtful manner, Zhu Qing turned to look at Yang Kai.

Yang Kai uttered gently, “He’s with me.”

His Embodiment was a combination of his Soul Clone and a Stone Spirit. Although it had integrated with Shi Huo’s Source and become the Divine Spirit Shi Huo, it had not changed fundamentally.

It had been battling a Dragon Clan member earlier, but it was now returning to this place alone. Apparently, its opponent had fled, but none of them were certain what the outcome of the battle was.

Just when Yang Kai was about to ask this question, he was rooted to the spot upon hearing what the Embodiment said.

“Wu Kuang is here!”

Yang Kai asked in shock, “How do you know?”

Zhu Qing asked with a frown, “Wu Kuang? Which Wu Kuang?”

Fu Ling said with a smile, “Who is that? Why does he share the same name as Heaven Devouring Great Emperor?”

Heaven Devouring Great Emperor was a legend. More than 20,000 years had passed since his ‘fall’, but no one had surpassed him in terms of achievements and power. That was why even the haughty Dragon Clan members still remembered this name and were wary of him.

The Embodiment replied, “I wasn’t supposed to wake up today. I was awakened by a special force.”

“What kind of force?”

“A resonance from my cultivation technique!”

Upon hearing that, Yang Kai was finally able to connect the dots. His Embodiment’s cultivation technique was the Heaven Devouring Battle Law, which was a Secret Art created by Wu Kuang. In the past, Heaven Devouring Great Emperor had no equal in this world because of this Secret Art. During the Great Emperor War, he had even managed to kill a number of Great Emperors despite being completely outnumbered.

If there was anyone in this world who could sense Wu Kuang’s presence, it was the Embodiment.

It was no wonder the Embodiment would awaken in advance. It wasn’t that Yang Kai’s calculations were wrong, but a special circumstance had taken place.

“Why is he on Dragon Island? If he’s here, does it mean that Senior Duan has come as well?”

After the battle in the Shattered Star Sea, the Souls of Wu Kuang and Duan Hong Chen were forced to co-exist in one body. After that, in the Divine Ascension Mirror of Azure Sun Temple, Wu Kuang took control of the body and fled from the temple. No trace of him had appeared since then.

Yang Kai had never expected that Wu Kuang would come to Dragon Island. As he thought about it, his chest tightened all of a sudden. The reason the Embodiment could sense Wu Kuang’s presence was that Wu Kuang must have used his Heaven Devouring Battle Law. It was impossible for Wu Kuang to use his Secret Art for no reason. When Yang Kai recalled the sight of the Fallen Dragon Rain earlier, a horrifying idea sprang into his mind.

Yang Kai turned to look in a particular direction and yelled, “Damn it! Come with me!”

Upon finishing his words, he flew off in that direction. While in the air, cracking sounds could be heard from all over his body as he returned to his original form.

After they flew off, all the remaining Dragon Clan members, who had been defeated, traded glances with each other before they raced after them.

Wu Kuang had arrived on Dragon Island and even used his Heaven Devouring Battle Law. On top of that, a Dragon Clan member had died, so the possibility it was Wu Kuang's doing was high. He possessed the foundation and heritage of the strongest Great Emperor in history, so if he wasn't stopped immediately, no one knew how much damage he would inflict here.

Yang Kai didn't care about the Dragon Clan's safety, but Liu Yan and Jiu Feng were over there. If they came across Wu Kuang, they might not be able to deal with him.

In just a short moment, Yang Kai had returned to the previous battlefield and upon closer inspection, he couldn't help but heave a sigh of relief. Liu Yan and Jiu Feng were fine, while the Dragon Clan members, who were battling against them, had stopped as they gathered together with dark expressions on their faces. Apparently, the fall of a Dragon Clan member had dealt an unimaginable blow to them, so they were not in the mood to keep fighting.

Furthermore, all the Dragon Clan members in this place were unharmed, which meant that Wu Kuang didn't make a move here.

Seeing Yang Kai, Liu Yan hurriedly flew towards him. Yang Kai stroked her head and asked with care, "Are you hurt?"

Liu Yan shook her head. She had learned a great deal from this battle; after all, it was hard to have a chance to fight with a member of the Dragon Clan. After this battle, her strength and experience had increased significantly.

"Brat, did you do it?" Jiu Feng looked at Yang Kai and asked with a frown.

If Yang Kai was the one who killed a Dragon Clan member, he was doomed, which was why Jiu Feng couldn't help but ask him about it.

Yang Kai shook his head, "It wasn't me."

Jiu Feng asked curiously, "Who was it, then? Did Zhu Yan or Fu Zhun really... never mind."

She turned to look in a different direction, where two beams of lights, one green and one white, were approaching at incredible speed. In the blink of an eye, they landed on the ground in front of everyone. They were none other than Zhu Yan and Fu Zhun.

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Honestly, not really a spoiler... You guys should already know. Well, I'll leave it up to the editors etc to decide whether to keep the title or not.

Chapter 3072, Mo Xiao Qi?

The expressions of the two Elders were grim. Right after Fu Zhun appeared, she swept a glance over Yang Kai and Jiu Feng before asking coldly, "Who was it?"

“Second Elder, we’re fine.” Fu Qi stepped forward and cupped his fists before replying to her.

Fu Ling hurriedly reported, “We’re fine as well.”

Fu Zhun frowned upon hearing that. Zhu Yan swept a glance over the Dragons and noted, “Fourth Elder and Fu Chi are not here.”

There were only a small number of Dragon Clan members, so it was easy for Zhu Yan to count them and find out who was missing.

Zhu Kong wasn’t there because he had been dragged into the Void by Li Wu Yi. Given Zhu Kong’s strength though, he wouldn’t be put in a disadvantageous position when going up against Li Wu Yi.

Then, the only possibility now was that Fu Chi had passed away. Zhu Yan’s expression darkened when he thought of this.

Fu Chi was an Eighth-Order Thunder Dragon, so he was quite highly ranked among the Dragons on Dragon Island. If he were the one who had passed away, the Dragon Clan would have suffered a great loss. Fu Chi had already been wounded by Yang Kai earlier, so his power must have dropped, still, on Dragon Island, who could have the capability to kill an Eighth-Order Thunder Dragon besides those already here?

That was what puzzled Zhu Yan.

After giving it a thought, Yang Kai cupped his fists and uttered, “Great Elder, there’s something I need to tell you.”

Zhu Yan wasn’t fond of Yang Kai because he was the one who had caused all these troubles. Although he had nothing to do with Mo Huang’s appearance, he was the one who had turned Dragon Island upside down. The reason they didn’t discover the fact that Mo Huang had broken into Dragon Island was because Yang Kai had distracted them. That was why Mo Huang had managed to barge into the Dragon Grave and break the Dragon Clan’s rules.

As a temperate man though, the Great Elder kept his emotions in check and nodded slightly upon hearing that, “What is it?”

With a serious expression, Yang Kai replied, “Wu Kuang might have come to Dragon Island!”

“Wu Kuang?” Zhu Yan frowned, “Which Wu Kuang?”

Yang Kai uttered, “Is there another Wu Kuang in this world?”

Zhu Yan turned pale in an instant, “You mean... the Heaven Devouring Great Emperor?”

Upon hearing that, everyone gulped as they turned to look at Yang Kai in shock, as though they were trying to figure out if he had gone mad. Not many people were aware of the name Wu Kuang, but the title Heaven Devouring Great Emperor was known to all.

Even Zhu Qing gazed at Yang Kai in disbelief.

Fu Zhun snarled, “Stop spouting nonsense! It has been tens of thousands of years since Wu Kuang died, so how is it possible that he’d appear on Dragon Island? How dare you lie to us!”

She was already resentful of Yang Kai prior to his appearance here today, and with a Dragon Clan member dead, she was in an extremely bad mood, so it was no wonder that she spoke harshly to him.

With a calm expression, Yang Kai replied, "Wu Kuang isn't dead."

Zhu Yan and Fu Zhun were startled upon hearing that. While Zhu Yan shook his head repeatedly, Fu Zhun snorted as she obviously didn't believe him.

Yang Kai was exasperated at their attitude. He was just trying to tell them what he knew without any ulterior motives. He didn't expect the Dragon Clan to be grateful to him, but they shouldn't appear so disdainful.

Displeased by the two Elders' attitude, Yang Kai stopped trying to explain himself. The Dragon who died had nothing to do with him anyway. His most important task at hand was to leave Dragon Island with Zhu Qing and the others without being stopped by Zhu Yan and Fu Zhun.

"Heh, he's not spouting nonsense." After a clear voice was heard speaking, a burly man suddenly landed on the ground with a pale woman in his embrace.

Pleasantly surprised, Zhu Qing looked at that woman and called out, "Third Elder!"

The other Dragons also stared at Fu Xuan with conflicted gazes as they greeted her.

Fu Xuan turned to look at Zhu Qing and nodded at her with a lethargic smile. After that, she shifted her attention to Yang Kai and sized him up. Yang Kai happened to be gazing at her as well, and when their eyes met, he couldn't help but be startled.

[Mo Xiao Qi? Why is she here?]

But the next moment, Yang Kai realized that he was mistaken. Although this woman looked similar to Mo Xiao Qi, she had a very different air about her. This woman appeared more mature than Mo Xiao Qi. If Mo Xiao Qi was like a bud, then this woman was like a blooming flower who was more charming than Mo Xiao Qi.

Most importantly, this woman did not have a butterfly mark on her face.

The butterfly mark on Mo Xiao Qi's face was a seal, not a birthmark like Yang Kai thought it was initially. It was a life-saving technique that the Martial Beast Great Emperor had cast on her. Some time ago in the Shattered Star Sea, after breaking the seal, Mo Xiao Qi almost went berserk. In the end, it was Zhang Ruo Xi's blood that managed to return her to her senses by sealing the Divine Spirit which was implanted in her again.

Therefore, this woman wasn't Mo Xiao Qi. Perhaps she was Mo Xiao Qi's relative or even her Elder Sister; however, Yang Kai was puzzled upon hearing how Zhu Qing and the others addressed her, so he wondered about the nature of her relationship with Mo Xiao Qi.

What puzzled Yang Kai the most though was the way this woman was looking at him. It was as though she was examining and evaluating him.

"Is she the Dragon Clan's Third Elder?" Yang Kai was too embarrassed to continue meeting eyes with her, so he looked away and spoke to Zhu Qing using Divine Sense.

“Yes.”

“Then the one holding her...”

“He is the Martial Beast Great Emperor, Mo Huang!”

Upon hearing her reply, Yang Kai was flabbergasted. He reckoned that this man must be very powerful when the latter arrived at this place just now, but he didn't expect this man to be the Martial Beast Great Emperor. He had never met the Martial Beast Great Emperor before, so he didn't know what the latter looked like. He had only tried to imagine the Martial Beast Great Emperor's appearance through Mo Xiao Qi's face. However, this man in front of his eyes was vastly different from his imagination.

[So, he's the Martial Beast Great Emperor, the one who can control all beasts in this world. As soon as he gives the order, no beast will dare to disobey him. He's one of the Ten Great Emperors!]

With this thought in mind, Yang Kai suddenly realized something. With an awkward expression, he spoke to Zhu Qing in her mind, “Has Senior Martial Beast come to Dragon Island because of the Third Elder?”

Zhu Qing replied, “Yes. In fact, their situation... is quite similar to ours.”

Yang Kai wiped away the cold sweat on his forehead and uttered, “Did the Third Elder get thrown into the Dragon Grave just because of this?”

Zhu Qing nodded and replied, “The main issue was that Third Elder conceived a child with Senior Martial Beast. Without that child, Second Elder wouldn't have exiled her to the Dragon Grave; after all, she was a Ninth-Order Dragon. The Second Elder thought that there was still hope of her turning back, so she kept persuading her to break relations with Senior Martial Beast; however, after the child was born, everything became different.”

Yang Kai uttered, dazed, “So, Xiao Qi's mother is a member of the Dragon Clan.”

Without the need to ask anything more, Yang Kai knew who the child of the Third Elder and Mo Huang was. There was only one Little Princess on Spirit Beast Island, the Martial Beast Great Emperor's only daughter, Mo Xiao Qi. It was no wonder that this woman looked so similar to Mo Xiao Qi. They were mother and daughter, after all.

“What did you just say?” Zhu Qing turned to look at him.

With a serious expression, Yang Kai said, “Don't worry. Even if we have a child of our own, I won't let them send you into the Dragon Grave.”

Zhu Qing blushed and stopped pursuing the matter.

It was extremely difficult for a Human and a Dragon to bear a child of their own. The Martial Beast Great Emperor and Fu Xuan had been deeply in love with one another for more than a thousand years, but they had only managed to conceive Mo Xiao Qi in recent years, which went to show how difficult it was.

During those one thousand years, the other Dragon Clan members had always been against their relationship. However, since Martial Beast Great Emperor was involved, they couldn't move too openly. They only made the final decision after Mo Xiao Qi was born.

At that time, the Dragon Clan went all out and stormed into Spirit Beast Island. Although Mo Huang wanted to resist, in order to settle the situation peacefully, Fu Xuan decided to follow her fellow clansmen back to Dragon Island. Naturally, Mo Huang had chased after them, but he was eventually forced out of Dragon Island since he was only one man.

After that, he had been constantly planning and waiting for the right moment to act.

While Zhu Qing and Yang Kai were communicating with each other in secret, Zhu Yan and Fu Zhun turned to stare at Mo Huang in shock, thinking that they must have heard it wrong.

Mo Huang sneered, "The Dragon Clan is really a conservative and self-centred bunch who never bother to learn about the outside world. That's why you think that everyone would lie to you."

"What do you mean?" Fu Zhun stared coldly at him.

Zhu Yan knitted his eyebrows together, "You mean, Wu Kuang is really still alive!?"

Mo Huang replied, "En, he's been reborn."

"What?" Zhu Yan and Fu Zhun turned ashen at the same time, while the other Dragon Clan members were astonished.

"How reliable is this news?" Zhu Yan stared solemnly at Mo Huang. If what the latter said was true, the world would go through a huge change soon. The Dragon Clan had participated in the Great Emperor War in the past, with Zhu Yan even being present personally. Only those who had dealt with Wu Kuang before knew how terrifying the Heaven Devouring Great Emperor truly could be.

Mo Huang went on to explain, "I spoke to him personally just over a year ago. How accurate do you think this news is?"

"You spoke with him?" Zhu Yan frowned as he didn't understand what Mo Huang meant. As far as he was concerned, the Heaven Devouring Great Emperor wasn't one to sit down and chat. Moreover, there were supposed to be deep grudges between the Martial Beast Great Emperor and him. How was it possible that they could communicate peacefully with each other instead of fighting the moment they met?

In an impatient manner, Mo Huang uttered, "Wu Kuang's situation is a little special. He'd been hiding in the Source Sea of the Shattered Star Sea in an attempt to collect Blood Essence and build a new body so that he could be reborn. In fact, he almost succeeded; however, at the most critical moment, Duan Hong Chen broke into that place and fought against him. Both of them were severely wounded in the end. Wu Kuang did not obtain a new body as he planned, but he did manage to occupy half of Duan Hong Chen's body instead."

"Duan Hong Chen is involved in this?"

Mo Huang explained, "After they left the Shattered Star Sea, Old Duan began looking for ways to seal Wu Kuang's Soul. He went to Serene Soul Palace, but even that old man did not have a solution. After he left, they came to look for me on Spirit Beast Island. That was how I found out what happened."

Spirit Beast Island and Serene Soul Palace were both in the Eastern Territory, so it wouldn't take much time to travel between them.

“Even that person from Serene Soul Palace had no solution?” Zhu Yan was surprised.

Besides the Master of Serene Soul Palace, no one else could be said to have studied and understood the Soul as deeply or thoroughly. If even he couldn't solve the problem Duan Hong Chen was facing, who else in this world could?

“En, Wu Kuang is very much still alive.” Mo Huang looked disdainfully at the two Elders, “All of you should go out more often and learn about the outside world.”

In reality, only a tiny number of people in this world knew what happened with Wu Kuang and Duan Hong Chen. So, even if the Dragon Clan members really left their island, they might not be able to get wind of this news.

Chapter 3073, Who is That Man?

The fact that Wu Kuang had been reborn sent shockwaves across the Dragon Clan, rendering them speechless for a long time.

Just then, a figure appeared on the horizon, flying over from afar in an unstable manner. Looking like an intoxicated bee, the person appeared quite weak as he flailed through the air, like he would fall into the sea at any moment.

Everyone turned to look at him with doubtful gazes.

Yang Kai's expression changed slightly after he recognized who the person was.

Zhu Qing uttered curiously, “It's Li Jiao.”

With a pale face, Li Jiao suddenly spat a mouthful of blood. Upon seeing Yang Kai in the distance, he anxiously called out to him, as though he had met his long lost family member, “Palace Master Yang...”

Yang Kai hurriedly went over and supported his weight before checking on him. Upon making sure that he wasn't at risk of losing his life, Yang Kai spoke to him using Divine Sense, “Is Fu Chi dead?”

“Yes!”

Yang Kai's expression changed, “Did you kill him?”

Li Jiao shook his head.

He wanted to kill Fu Chi, but he was no match for him in the end. If that unwelcome guest hadn't barged into that place at the most critical moment, he would have lost his life by now. Although Li Jiao understood the consequences of killing a member of the Dragon Clan, the situation he was in did not allow him to think things through. As he thought about what Lu San Niang had suffered through over the years, he knew that he could only get revenge for her by killing Fu Chi.

“It was Wu Chen! He killed Fu Chi!” Li Jiao uttered.

“Wu Chen?” Yang Kai’s expression turned awkward when he heard that. [How could it be him?]

Yang Kai could now set his mind at ease upon learning that it wasn’t Li Jiao who had killed Fu Chi; however, he still couldn’t believe what Li Jiao had said. When he was certain that Fu Chi was dead, only two possibilities came into his mind. First, Li Jiao suddenly experienced a surge of power and managed to slay him. If that was the case, Li Jiao shouldn’t even dream about leaving Dragon Island. Perhaps even his Fire Dragon Palace would be destroyed as well.

However, Yang Kai was doubtful this was possible. The reason he allowed Li Jiao to race after Fu Chi at that time was that he knew that given Li Jiao’s cultivation, it was impossible for him to kill Fu Chi. The most Li Jiao could do was to fight with Fu Chi to vent his anger. It would be unrealistic to think that Li Jiao could really kill Fu Chi.

The second possibility was that Wu Kuang had killed Fu Chi. That was far more likely, and perhaps the only possibility. However, what Li Jiao just told him was beyond his imagination.

[It was Wu Chen who killed Fu Chi?] Yang Kai had always felt that something was off about Wu Chen, so he had been wary of him. However, for the past month, Wu Chen had never shown any sign of hostility towards him. Instead, he had offered him help a number of times.

What concerned Yang Kai was the way Wu Chen’s cultivation had strangely broken through.

Initially, Wu Chen was just a Second-Order Emperor, but one month later, he had become a Third-Order Emperor. Although it was just a difference of a Minor Realm, it was as difficult as ascending to the Heavens for most cultivators.

Yang Kai did not know how Wu Chen got the opportunity to achieve this breakthrough, but he just felt that the latter was more complicated than he appeared to be.

“Who is Wu Chen?” Fu Zhun suddenly questioned.

Li Jiao uttered the last sentence directly instead of using Divine Sense, and everyone in that place had incredible cultivation, so naturally, they could hear what he had said clearly. Now, they were certain that Fu Chi had passed away. Upon finding out the culprit’s name, naturally, the Dragon Clan members wanted to know more about Wu Chen.

After Fu Zhun pressed him with her Dragon Pressure, Li Jiao spurted out blood again, looking like he was about to lose his life.

Yang Kai immediately stood in front of him and replied, “He’s a Human from Half-Dragon City.”

Fu Zhun snarled, “How did a lowly Human manage to kill a member of the Dragon Clan?” She suddenly stared at Li Jiao and narrowed her eyes, “Fu Chi’s blood aura still lingers on his body. You must be lying! It was you who killed him!”

Li Jiao hurriedly shook his head, “It wasn’t me! It was really Wu Chen! Although I fought with Fu Chi, in the end, I wasn’t able to do anything to him. In fact, he was just about to kill me when Wu Chen suddenly appeared out of nowhere and used some strange Secret Technique to instantly subdue Fu Chi.”

“How is this Wu Chen so powerful?” Zhu Yan was shocked by these words. It was almost impossible to instantly subdue an Eighth-Order Thunder Dragon. How could there be such a Master hidden in Half-Dragon City?

After giving it a thought, Zhu Yan uttered solemnly, “Tell us everything in detail. If you tell a single lie, your life will be forfeit.”

Although Li Jiao appeared battered, he remained calm and collected. So, he didn’t look like he was lying.

After nodding slightly, Li Jiao began to arrange his thoughts.

Yang Kai gently grabbed Li Jiao’s wrist and directed his Emperor Qi into the latter’s body. After Li Jiao recovered a little, he shot Yang Kai a grateful glance before he began narrating the story.

He did not try to hide anything as he told them how he followed Fu Chi to the deserted Spirit Island and went all out to kill him. He also told them how Wu Chen appeared out of nowhere suddenly, and the transformation of Wu Chen’s body as well as the wild swings in his personality.

“After I fled from that place, I heard Fu Chi’s screams. Following that, rain started falling from the sky even though there were no clouds above. Although I’m just a Dragonborn, I know a thing or two about Fallen Dragon Rain, so that’s why I was certain Fu Chi had died, and the person who killed him was Wu Chen.”

Naturally, he was gleeful that Fu Chi was killed, even though he wasn’t the one who killed him. Nevertheless, Li Jiao had dealt some serious damage to Fu Chi using his desperation attacks, allowing him to vent some of his anger.

It would have been quite difficult for Wu Chen to end Fu Chi’s life if not for Li Jiao’s prior assault. Taking that into consideration, he had contributed to Fu Chi’s death. In other words, he had personally gotten his revenge.

Although he knew that Wu Chen was dangerous, Li Jiao still felt grateful to him.

After everyone heard his story, a myriad of expressions came over them.

With a solemn expression, Yang Kai uttered, “You mean, both his appearance and temperament changed...” [Wu Chen, Wu Chen... Wu Chen! Wu Kuang and Duan Hong Chen!]

Wu Chen was just an alias, a simple combination of Wu Kuang and Duan Hong Chen’s names, which was perfect for them. After all, these two Great Emperors now shared the same body, so it was apt that they had made an alias by combining their names.

Upon realizing this, Yang Kai put on a bitter smile.

No matter how imaginative he was, it was impossible for him to associate Wu Chen and the two Great Emperors; after all, Wu Chen didn’t show any demeanour that resembled that of a Great Emperor, not to mention that he was extremely thin, and he looked like a monkey. All in all, he looked nothing like either of those two Great Emperors.

Now, it seemed that Wu Kuang had obtained full control of the body, and Duan Hong Chen had been suppressed. Yang Kai wondered how Wu Kuang had managed to do that.

As he thought about it, Yang Kai became shocked all of a sudden. He recalled that 500 of them were recruited to this place to build the palace, but one month later, only about 300 were left. What's more, most of those who had gone missing were Emperor Realm Masters. Yang Kai didn't think too hard about what had happened to them, for their life-or-death had nothing to do with him; however, upon realizing Wu Chen's identity, he now knew what their fate was. Wu Kuang must have devoured them.

Now, there was a reasonable explanation for the fact that Wu Chen's power had increased significantly in just one month. He was the legendary Heaven Devouring Great Emperor who had created the Heaven Devouring Battle Law. Judging from how the Embodiment cultivated the Heaven Devouring Battle Law, Yang Kai understood that those cultivators must have become the food for Wu Kuang's growth.

Since Yang Kai could figure out Wu Chen's identity, naturally, Mo Huang, Zhu Yan, and the others could do the same. Mo Huang had just said that Wu Kuang and Duan Hong Chen were now living in the same body, which verified what Li Jiao said about Wu Chen's personality swings.

Now, everyone realized the severity of the situation.

Fu Zhun immediately extended her hand towards Li Jiao and uttered, "Come with me."

All the Dragon Clan members were shocked that Wu Kuang had killed a Dragon, but now, the most important thing for them was to find out Wu Kuang's whereabouts. He had snuck into Dragon Island and even pretended to be a lowly Human, so it was impossible that he was just here to kill a Dragon.

In order to look for Wu Kuang, they had to bring Li Jiao with them, only he knew the location where Wu Kuang had made the move that caused Fu Chi's death.

When Li Jiao saw Fu Zhun's fair hand extend towards him, he became rooted to the spot as the Emperor Qi in his body stopped running entirely, he was barely even able to breathe. He was like an inexperienced rabbit that was stunned on the spot when a falcon was coming at him with sharp claws.

It was then he came to realize just how massive the gap between the Dragon Clan's Second Elder and him was. Even with his prided Third-Order Emperor Realm cultivation, it only took an instant for him to be utterly suppressed. His already pale face turned a shade whiter at that moment.

Just then, cracking sounds could be heard as Yang Kai turned his hand into a Dragon Claw and, ignoring the hindrance of space, he reached for Fu Zhun's fair hand.

As soon as he started moving, the Embodiment made a move as well by attempting to land a fist on Fu Zhun's cheek. The attack appeared forceful and ruthless.

Right then, a phantom flashed across Yang Kai's eyes as he felt a forceful thump on his chest, upon which he was sent flying backwards for more than hundreds of metres before he spat a mouthful of blood. Then, as if struck by lightning, the Embodiment stiffened and directly fell into the sea.

Shocked, Zhu Qing hurriedly flew towards Yang Kai.

Yang Kai covered his chest with his hand and raised his gaze, only to see that Li Jiao had been picked up by Fu Zhun as though he was a chicken. Then, she leapt into the air and flew in a particular direction. Seeing that, the other Dragon Clan members hurriedly followed her.

Yang Kai clenched his teeth and cursed at Fu Zhun. Although he knew that he was no match for someone as strong as a Great Emperor, he couldn't stay put when Fu Zhun made a move against Li Jiao. Despite the difference in their powers, he had to show her that he was unyielding.

It was only because Fu Zhun didn't want to waste time on him that she simply pushed him out of the way. Otherwise, he would have suffered a more severe injury.

"You're quite bold." Mo Huang shot Yang Kai a glance, but it wasn't certain whether what he just said was praise or mockery.

It wasn't until this moment that he finally took the time to observe Yang Kai. For some reason, he wasn't fond of him. In fact, he was aware of the reason, but he just didn't want to acknowledge it.

If it weren't because Mo Xiao Qi had been longing for this brat, Mo Huang would have thought that this young man was a rising star worthy of praise. After all, no other young First-Order Emperor would have the guts to break into Dragon Island, let alone the ability to turn the place upside down.

Zhu Yan remained on the same spot as he looked past the void that was hundreds of metres away and gazed at Yang Kai and Zhu Qing, who were standing together. Then, he uttered, "Both of you, come with us."

He couldn't let Yang Kai and Zhu Qing stay in this place because he was worried that Yang Kai might seize the chance and flee from Dragon Island. The Dragon Clan couldn't accept such an outcome. It had been an eventful day for the Dragon Clan already, but if Yang Kai managed to end everything by abducting a Dragon woman who was qualified to be an Elder, the Dragon Clan would lose what face it had left.

Chapter 3074, Luring The Tiger From The Mountains

With a livid expression, Yang Kai stared at Zhu Yan and uttered, "What if I refuse?"

There were only two choices for him now. First, he would agree to Zhu Yan's suggestion and follow him, but for all intents and purposes that meant they would be under surveillance. Second, he would fight with Zhu Yan now and settle the issue by force.

Nevertheless, Yang Kai didn't think he would end up being the winner. He wasn't even an equal match for Fu Zhun, not to mention that Zhu Yan, who was a rank above the Second Elder.

He was the Dragon Clan's Great Elder, so even if Yang Kai used everything at his disposal, he would still not stand a chance against him.

Zhu Yan shook his head slowly, "You will agree. I'm your Senior, so I'm not willing to bully you."

Frustrated, Yang Kai felt a bitter taste in his mouth. Anyway, Li Jiao had been taken away by Fu Zhun, so he didn't think he should leave him behind. As his friend, he was supposed to go over there and see what the outcome would be.

"Boy, just go with them. Mo Huang will take care of you."

The corners of Mo Huang's eyes twitched when he heard what Fu Xuan said.

Since she had said so, Yang Kai decided to agree. Nodding gently, he replied, "Many thanks, Third Elder. We'll go over to have a look together, then."

In response, Fu Xuan flashed a smile at him. Zhu Yan turned to look at Mo Huang and uttered, "Shouldn't you make them stop now?"

Without saying anything, Mo Huang pushed out a fist in silence, upon which a layer of ripples was formed in the air as it spread to the front. The next moment, sounds of things breaking could be heard as two figures appeared out of nowhere all of a sudden. They were none other than Li Wu Yi and Zhu Kong. Both of them appeared to be fine. It wasn't certain how they fought with each other just now, but no one could tell who the winner was by just looking at their appearances.

After the Space Divine Ability was broken, Li Wu Yi and Zhu Kong immediately widened their gap as they looked doubtfully at Mo Huang and Zhu Yan respectively, wondering what was going on outside the void.

"We'll talk about it on our way there." Zhu Yan turned around and leapt into the air. After a frown, Zhu Kong followed him.

"Let's go," Mo Huang uttered.

Just like this, all of them headed for that particular Spirit Island. On their way there, Zhu Kong and Li Wu Yi were informed of what just happened. Zhu Kong's expression darkened as he had never expected that just one hour after he entered the Void, a Dragon had lost his life. Furthermore, the famous Heaven Devouring Great Emperor was involved in this matter.

Li Wu Yi appeared equally shocked as he continued chatting with Jiu Feng.

World Energy was abundant on this particular Spirit Island, while traces of the battle had been left behind, but those traces were mainly formed during the battle between Li Jiao and Fu Chi.

The other Dragon Clan members were already investigating this place. With an agonized expression, Li Jiao appeared fearful as he was surrounded by a few Dragon Clan members.

"Have you found anything?" Zhu Yan flew towards Fu Zhun and landed beside her.

"Fu Chi did indeed lose his life here."

"Where's Wu Kuang?"

"There's no trace of him."

Zhu Yan nodded. After slaying a Dragon, there was no way Wu Kuang would stay in the same place.

“Find him!” Zhu Yan snorted, as he was incensed. Earlier, he wasn’t really angry when Yang Kai tried to snatch the bride. He also wasn’t furious when Mo Huang broke into the Dragon Grave and brought Fu Xuan out of it. However, what Wu Kuang had done had obviously crossed the line for the Dragon Clan.

He who slew a Dragon must be killed in the cruellest way possible!

Fu Zhun nodded and parted her lips, upon which, the abstruse Dragon Language could be heard. As she rapidly performed different hand seals, it was apparent that she was using a Secret Technique to find Wu Kuang’s whereabouts through the traces left behind.

Fu Chi had passed away not long ago, so Wu Kuang couldn’t have fled from Dragon Island even with his incredible capabilities. In other words, he must be somewhere on Dragon Island, just concealing himself.

While Fu Zhun was using her Secret Technique to find where Wu Kuang was, Mo Huang didn’t just stand idly by.

There were many grudges between the Dragon Clan and him, and he even hoped that all the Dragon Clan members would go to Hell. However, since the Heaven Devouring Great Emperor was involved in this, he couldn’t stay put and do nothing.

If the Heaven Devourer managed to flee from this place, the entire Star Boundary would be plunged into chaos. Although Spirit Beast Island would still be safe outwardly, Mo Huang couldn’t avoid his responsibilities. No one knew better than the Great Emperors about how horrendous Wu Kuang could be. His presence was like a plague that slowly consumed this world.

Just then, a small snowy white beast snuck out from Mo Huang’s sleeve. It looked like a combination of a mink and a fox, so it was hard to tell what species it was. The beast was only about the size of a palm, and its fur was a brilliant white. It was darting its gaze about at the moment, and after landing on the ground, it started sniffing around.

Zhu Yan didn’t try to stop it when he saw it. Instead, he decided to have a chat with Mo Huang, “Brother Mo, why do you think Wu Kuang would sneak into Dragon Island and kill a Dragon Clan member despite knowing that his identity would be exposed?”

They were battling against each other not long ago, but now they looked like they had been good friends for many years. The sudden change in attitude didn’t look strange. Instead, it was all quite natural.

Dispassionately, Mo Huang replied, “I’m not Wu Kuang, so how would I know what tricks he has up his sleeves? Great Elder, don’t you think you’re asking the wrong person?”

In fact, he did not understand what was going on either. Wu Kuang was an infamous man who was a common enemy of everyone in Star Boundary. Since he had managed to stay alive and even take control of Duan Hong Chen’s body, supposedly, he should have gone into hiding. Given the special characteristics of his Heaven Devouring Battle Law, it would only take him a few hundred years to restore his power to its peak. If he waited a few hundred years, he would become the most powerful person in the Star Boundary again. Unless a new Great Emperor War was launched, no one in this world would have the ability to deter him.

Zhu Yan nodded slightly and stopped talking. As they spoke, Yang Kai and the others finally arrived at this place. Seeing him, all the Dragon Clan members glowered at him, especially those who had fought with him before.

With seven Dragons going against one man, they were supposed to win the battle with ease and make Yang Kai concede defeat. Instead, Yang Kai managed to break their Blessings and battered all of them into an embarrassing state. Now that they met Yang Kai again, naturally, they all looked very hostile.

Yang Kai returned the glare, thinking that they shouldn't be so arrogant since they had all been defeated by him. After trading aggressive glances for a while though, the Dragon Clan members gradually looked away.

Appearing smug, Yang Kai swept a glance over the other Dragon Clan members, only to see that Fu Xuan was gazing at him with a smile. Feeling embarrassed, he coughed and uttered, "I can feel that Wu Kuang is eagerly trying to restore his power."

He had heard the conversation between Mo Huang and Zhu Yan just now, so what he had just uttered didn't sound awkward.

"Certainly, he would want to increase his power quickly." Zhu Yan nodded in agreement. Previously, Wu Kuang was the most powerful Master in the Star Boundary, so he always appeared haughty and aloof. He even managed to suppress all other Great Emperors. Now that his cultivation had dropped to such a low realm though, it was obvious he would be eager to restore himself.

Yang Kai uttered, "When Wu Kuang left the Shattered Star Sea with Senior Duan at that time, his cultivation was only First-Order Emperor Realm. When I came across him some time ago, he was already in the Second-Order Emperor Realm. However, in just one month, he managed to reach the Third-Order. The speed at which his cultivation improves is simply inconceivable. This time, he chose to kill a member of the Dragon Clan even if his identity got exposed. Maybe there's something on Dragon Island that can help increase his power rapidly. For example... Fu Chi's Dragon Source."

A Dragon Source contained a lot of power, so it was certainly attractive to Wu Kuang. Zhu Yan's expression changed when he heard that as a horrifying idea sprang into his mind and he suddenly raised his head and yelled., "The Dragon Grave!"

Mo Huang's expression darkened, "He was trying to lure the tigers from the mountain."

Wu Kuang's actions would make sense if his target was indeed the Dragon Grave. The Dragon Grave was where the Source Strengths of all the deceased Dragon Clan members slumbered. If Wu Kuang could devour all the Source Strength inside the Dragon Grave, his cultivation would increase significantly. He already possessed the foundations of a Great Emperor, and he had even taken control of Duan Hong Chen's body, so there were practically no bottlenecks in his cultivation.

Given the Heaven Devouring Battle Law's special characteristics, he would be able to increase his power to an unbelievable point as long as he had enough resources. Even if this gambit wouldn't allow him to reach the level of a Great Emperor, he would still be far stronger than a Third-Order Emperor by the end of it.

A Dragon's Source was extremely precious as the power it contained was unbelievably immense. If Wu Kuang's target was the Dragon Grave, it would be a major issue for the Dragon Clan.

The reason he exposed himself and even killed Fu Chi was to lure Zhu Yan, Fu Zhun and Mo Huang away from the Dragon Grave. After all, these incredibly powerful Masters were right in front of the Dragon Grave. Wu Kuang wasn't a fool, so he wouldn't show up in front of them. Now, everything fell into place.

Just then, Fu Zhun stopped casting her Secret Technique and looked in the Dragon Grave's direction. At the same time, the weird little beast that was released by Mo Huang growled in the same direction.

Seeing that, all of them stopped hesitating and rushed over to the Dragon Grave. In an instant, beams of lights shot up into the sky in an overbearing and stunning manner. The sight would have shocked anyone who happened to see it.

The Dragon Grave was very far from their current location, and although they were all flying at full speed, it would still take an hour at least to reach their destination.

Even though Yang Kai appeared calm, he was secretly worried about Duan Hong Chen. He was now an Azure Sun Temple Elder, and there was a close relationship between Duan Hong Chen and the Temple. Hence, he was also somewhat related to Duan Hong Chen.

Moreover, Duan Hong Chen had helped him before. Yang Kai especially admired the fact that Duan Hong Chen decided to sacrifice himself by crippling his own cultivation over and over again just to break into the Shattered Star Sea.

Taking all these factors into consideration, he hoped that nothing would happen to Duan Hong Chen. However, it seemed that Duan Hong Chen had been completely suppressed by Wu Kuang as he couldn't even control his own body now, which put him in an unfortunate spot.

Wu Kuang had already managed to achieve this even though he hadn't regained his full power. If he could grow stronger, Duan Hong Chen would be doomed. Just like Wu Kuang had declared before, even the Bustling World Great Emperor would be devoured.

The fall of a Great Emperor would be a huge loss for the entire Star Boundary.

A moment later, the Dragon Grave finally came into their sight. It was a dim place that appeared as though it had been separated from the outside world, which was a depressing sight for anyone who saw it.

Zhu Yan and the others narrowed their eyes and looked dazedly at a spot in front of the Dragon Grave.

"Wu Kuang!"

There was a sturdy figure standing over there. Although there was no wind at the moment, his long robes were flapping in the air on their own. With a faint smile, he gazed at the people who were approaching him, his expression completely serene.

He was none other than Wu Kuang.

All the Dragon Clan members widened their eyes and stared at him. Although Wu Kuang, who was the most powerful Master in the history of the Star Boundary, had disappeared for countless years, all

would still be terrified at the mention of his name. Rumours of him were so infamous and far-fetched that even the Dragon Clan members wondered if he really had three heads and six arms.

Chapter 3075, A Brilliant Plan

Naturally, Wu Kuang didn't have three heads and six arms. Likewise, the current aura he was exuding was not that strong. If they hadn't known his identity, they wouldn't have associated him with the Heaven Devouring Great Emperor if they happened to come across him.

Not only did he not look like anything special, but his figure also appeared surreal in front of the Dragon Grave. It was hard to tell whether this was his true self or just an illusion.

With a dark expression, Zhu Yan stopped in his tracks.

"Damn it! It's an Illusionary Soul Shadow!" Mo Huang bellowed with a grim expression.

The figure in front of them was indeed Wu Kuang, but it wasn't his real body; it was just an illusion he had created using a Secret Technique. The illusion had perfectly replicated his aura and appearance.

"We've been fooled!" Fu Zhun said through clenched teeth.

Be it the Secret Technique she had used to trace Wu Kuang, or the lead given by Mo Huang's little beast, they all pointed to the Dragon Grave. Paired with Yang Kai's reasonable speculation, they all thought that the reason Wu Kuang had come to Dragon Island was to devour all the Dragon Sources in the Dragon Grave.

However, when they arrived at this place, they realized that they were wrong.

Wu Kuang had successfully attracted all of them to this place using an Illusionary Soul Shadow, while he was somewhere else carrying out his secret plot.

All of them had been fooled by him!

Only a Great Emperor could deceive another Great Emperor. Although Wu Kuang's power hadn't been restored, he was lurking in the dark while they were searching in the light, which was how he could play a trick on all of them with ease.

He was brazen, but at the same time, he had the means to back his confidence.

Just when all of them were in a state of confusion, Wu Kuang's illusionary phantom flashed a smile at them, "Hey, long time no see, how are all of you?"

All of them ignored it because it was just an Illusionary Soul Shadow. It was pointless to communicate with it, and if they did, they might even accidentally fall into Wu Kuang's trap.

Since the Dragon Grave wasn't Wu Kuang's target, what was it that he truly wanted?

Just then, Yang Kai and Li Wu Yi turned their heads and looked in a particular direction at the same time. Upon trading glances, they could see that both of them were equally shocked, "A Space Principle fluctuation!"

In that place, only the two of them were Masters of the Dao of Space, which was why they were the first to sense this kind of force when it was spread across the area.

Following that, Zhu Yan, Fu Zhun and even Mo Huang could sense it as well.

After stomping her foot, Fu Zhun transformed into a beam of white light and headed to that location, followed by Zhu Yan. Both of them were as rapid as meteors.

With a livid expression, Mo Huang bellowed, "It's the Dragon Temple!"

All of them finally understood what was going on upon hearing that.

Wu Kuang's real target was the Dragon Temple. He had used an Illusionary Soul Shadow to attract their attention, but his true self had snuck into the Dragon Temple. It wasn't certain what his intention was.

"Damn it! He's trying to flee!" Mo Huang growled as he had figured out something, upon which he also rushed over to the Dragon Temple. It was the first time he appeared so anxious, which went to show the severity of the matter.

While they were rushing over to that place, a dazzling light suddenly exploded in the distance, upon which a beam of light shot up into the sky and penetrated the Void, as though a big hole had been formed in the sky.

At the same time, the undulating Space Principles became increasingly powerful and conspicuous. Yang Kai was holding Zhu Qing's hand and flying alongside her with a solemn expression.

As a Master of the Dao of Space, Yang Kai understood what this kind of undulation meant. However, he couldn't understand how Wu Kuang managed to achieve it. Although he was the Heaven Devouring Great Emperor, there were no records of him being proficient in the Dao of Space.

Yang Kai sighed secretly, thinking that all the Masters on Dragon Island had been fooled by Wu Kuang. Apparently, it was useless for them to rush over now.

Wu Kuang had spent so much time and energy playing such a trick on them, so he must be well prepared with a comprehensive plan. If Wu Kuang managed to flee, Yang Kai and Mo Huang would have to face the Dragon Clan's wrath.

Mo Huang was the Martial Beast Great Emperor, so he probably wasn't afraid of the Dragon Clan; however, it was a different case for Yang Kai. He still felt diffident when confronted by the almighty Dragon Clan.

After giving it a thought, Yang Kai told Li Jiao, Liu Yan and his Embodiment to come near him. When the others were not paying attention, he put them in the Small Sealed World, preparing to flee if the need arose.

The beam of light shooting up from the Dragon Temple became increasingly bright, to the point that it could illuminate all of Dragon Island, but a moment later, the light grew weaker and slowly became dim.

When all of them arrived at the Dragon Temple, the light had already gone out. Nevertheless, the lingering Space Principle fluctuations coming from the deepest part of the Dragon Temple could still be clearly felt.

The Dragon Temple was an impressive building in which the auras of the Dragon Clan's ancestors resided for eternity. Having gone through its fair share of ups and downs for hundreds of thousands of years, it was one of the most important foundations for the Dragon Clan.

Only those with the Dragon Clan's bloodline had the right to step into the temple, and the bloodline had to be absolutely pure. A Dragonborn like Li Jiao didn't even have the right to approach this place, and if he tried to break in forcefully, he would be crushed to paste by the Dragon Pressure coming from the temple.

Yang Kai was the last person to arrive at the place, but only Li Wu Yi and Jiu Feng were seen waiting outside the Dragon Temple, while the others were nowhere in sight. Apparently, they had gone into the temple.

Seeing Yang Kai, Li Wu Yi flashed a smile at him, while Jiu Feng exclaimed in shock. That was because she realized that Liu Yan and those related to Yang Kai had gone missing. At that instant, she shot a meaningful glance at Yang Kai, but she didn't point it out.

"I'll go in to have a look." Upon finishing his words, Yang Kai stepped into the temple with Zhu Qing. Instead of going in to watch a show, he wanted to find out the situation Duan Hong Chen was in.

The interior of the Dragon Temple was spacious with Dragon-shaped columns erected everywhere. The main hall looked nothing special from the outside, but it was a different story on the inside.

Inside the hall, a thick Dragon Pressure permeated the place, giving off a disorderly feeling. Zhu Qing frowned right after she stepped into it.

Certainly, she had entered the Dragon Temple before, but the place wasn't like this in the past. The disorderly Dragon Pressure suggested that something was wrong with the temple.

After walking for a long time, they finally heard some footsteps in the distance. A moment later, a beam of light came into their sight. Following that light, they kept walking forward and finally saw Masters of the Dragon Clan.

The epic battle Yang Kai had imagined didn't happen. All of them surrounded the light and watched it in silence. As Yang Kai observed their expressions, his chest tightened all of a sudden. He had a premonition at that instant. After he approached the light and took a closer look, he widened his eyes as he was shocked by the sight.

That was because the source of the light was actually a Void Corridor. At the other end of the corridor, stars could be seen twinkling in the dark. It was as though someone had torn off a small area from the Starry Sky, shrunk it innumerable times over, and then pasted it there.

While Zhu Yan's countenance was livid, Fu Zhun's expression was as gloomy as a dark cloud. It was as though ice would drop from her pretty yet grim-looking face.

Mo Huang shook his head repeatedly and said after a sigh, "It's too late."

After Wu Kuang managed to flee from Dragon Island on this day, he would certainly kill more people and cause more Star Fields to collapse in the future. The Heaven Devouring Great Emperor had done such things before. The world they lived in was extremely vast, so no one knew where Wu Kuang had gone to, and it was nearly impossible to track him.

Yang Kai took a look at both sides. Unable to contain his curiosity anymore, he approached Mo Huang and asked in a small voice, "Sir, has Wu Kuang successfully fled?"

Mo Huang nodded slightly.

Yang Kai uttered, "How did he shatter space? What's more, I can tell this is no ordinary Void Corridor."

Even the Cross-Territory Space Array he arranged could not cause such turbulent Space Principle fluctuations when activated. What's more, Yang Kai could feel that this Void Corridor was leading to an extremely faraway place.

While Mo Huang remained silent, Fu Xuan replied, "He made use of the Dragon Temple's power."

Yang Kai raised his brow, "He made use of the Dragon Temple's power? How was he capable of doing that?"

The Dragon Temple was the Dragon Clan's foundation, so how was it possible that it would allow an outsider to make use of its power? Moreover, when Yang Kai stepped into this place earlier, he could feel that some extremely powerful auras were hidden in this hall. Some of these auras were just as formidable as the three Great Emperors in front of him.

Yang Kai guessed that those auras must be from the Dragon Clan's ancestors.

Fu Xuan explained patiently, "The reason he killed Fu Chi and took his Dragon Source was to enter the Dragon Temple. As for how he managed to make use of the temple's power and shatter space, I'm not sure." She turned to look at Mo Huang and spoke in a gentle voice, "Do you know how he did that?"

While she was basically asking this question on Yang Kai's behalf, it was also true that she was quite curious about it herself.

Mo Huang replied, "Wu Kuang is much older than any of us here. It's just hearsay, but I heard that Wu Kuang was on good terms with the Dragon Clan's first few generations of Elders."

If anyone else had said such words, they couldn't be deemed credible. It could even be said that it was just an unfounded rumour. However, since it was Mo Huang who had said it, it suggested that it wasn't just hearsay.

Wu Kuang was probably on good terms with the first few generations of Dragon Clan Elders.

Since that was the case, it was no wonder that he knew information about the Dragon Clan's Secret Techniques. He might even have learned some abstruse methods from those Elders. Basically, his plan was to communicate with the Dragon Temple through Fu Chi's Dragon Source and make use of the temple's power to break through the space.

When carrying out the plan, he had not made any mistakes, and he had even succeeded in the end. Although Yang Kai wasn't fond of Wu Kuang, he had to acknowledge that the latter's plan was brilliant. A Great Emperor's intelligence and tactics were indeed exceptional.

"Since the Void Corridor is still here, why don't we pursue him?" Yang Kai asked.

"Pursue him?" Mo Huang shot him a glance and put on a sneer.

Yang Kai frowned, "What's wrong with that?"

"Do you know where this Void Corridor leads to?"

"Sir, please enlighten me." Yang Kai asked humbly.

Although he had figured that this Void Corridor was leading to an extremely faraway place, he didn't know the exact location.

"It's to a Lower Star Field!" Mo Huang broke the shocking news.

Yang Kai was stunned for a moment before he came to his senses. Then, he exclaimed, "A Lower Star Field?"

His loud voice had attracted everyone's attention. Fu Zhun's glare was especially cold.

Appearing embarrassed, Yang Kai rubbed his nose. Then, he asked anxiously, "How could it be the Lower Star Field? Isn't there a great force called the Star Court that guards all the passageways from the Star Boundary to the Lower Star Fields? How did he manage to open this entrance?"

Certainly, Yang Kai was flustered that Wu Kuang had gone to a Lower Star Field. Although there were many Lower Star Fields, no one could be certain that Wu Kuang didn't go to Heng Luo Star Field. If he happened to have entered Heng Luo Star Field, the entire Star Field was doomed. Moreover, Yang Kai's roots were over there.

Chapter 3076, Disagreement

The number of Lower Star Fields was incredibly large. Some of them were completely sealed off and isolated on their own. Some of them were connected to the Star Boundary. The cultivators in these Star Fields were undoubtedly blessed, because once they reached a certain cultivation realm, they could head to the Star Boundary to further increase their strength and pursue a higher Martial Dao.

In the past, the Star Boundary was connected to essentially all Lower Star Fields. Not only could the people from below go up once they reached a certain cultivation realm, but the Masters from the Star Boundary could also go down using some methods.

However, after what the Heaven Devouring Great Emperor had done, the entrances of those Lower Star Fields that led to the Star Boundary had all been sealed. That was because to those cultivators from the

Star Fields, the Masters from the Star Boundary were too powerful. There were many Star Fields that had been destroyed by the Heaven Devouring Great Emperor, and no one could guarantee that another similar incident wouldn't happen in the future.

The existence of these Star Fields was crucial to the Star Boundary, so these seals also acted as a kind of protection.

That was where Star Court came in. It was a mysterious great force that was unknown to most people. It was founded by the Great Emperors at that time and was charged with guarding the passageways to these Lower Star Fields so that those from the Star Boundary could not go down as they pleased.

If Yang Kai wasn't mistaken, the Iron Blood Great Emperor was the current leader of Star Court.

Yang Kai had always thought that anyone who wished to go to any Lower Star Field must obtain Star Court's permission first. His plan was that he would go back to Heng Luo Star Field one day when he was free so that he could bring his friends and relatives out of that place.

He even suspected that Yang Yan, who had gone missing for quite some time, was currently in Star Court's headquarters. However, he had never expected that before he could carry out his plan, he would see a Void Corridor that led to a Lower Star Field in the Dragon Temple on Dragon Island. Moreover, it was the infamous Heaven Devouring Great Emperor who had opened it up.

Although it was highly improbable that Wu Kuang would go to Heng Luo Star Field, Yang Kai still couldn't set his mind at ease. What if Wu Kuang really went there? That was why Yang Kai became flustered when he heard from Mo Huang that Wu Kuang had gone to a Lower Star Field.

After giving it some thought, Yang Kai proposed, "Sirs, Wu Kuang has not regained his full power yet. If we don't take this opportunity to kill him, he'll be a scourge for all of us in the future. What are you all hesitating for?"

Zhu Yan raised his head and took a look at him. His already displeased expression darkened, "If we can accurately locate where Wu Kuang is, I'll definitely race after him without you telling me to do so; however, no one can be sure which Star Field he has snuck into."

"Is that why you're staying put?" Yang Kai stared back at him defiantly.

With a frown, Mo Huang uttered, "It's not as simple as you think."

Yang Kai refuted, "Although we don't know which Star Field Wu Kuang has snuck into, we have so many people with us now. If we all pursue him, we might stand a chance of finding him. However, if we don't even try, we'll only be allowing him to do as he pleases, then, when he regains his full power one day, no one in the Star Boundary will be able to stop him. I don't think all of you want another Great Emperor War, right?"

"You're both bold and ill-tempered." Mo Huang snorted.

Yang Kai replied, "I'm just speaking the truth."

Fu Xuan uttered, "This matter is very complicated, so you should calm down first." Compared to the others, Fu Xuan had treated Yang Kai relatively gently. However, she didn't understand why Yang Kai had become agitated all of a sudden, as though he was extremely eager to go after Wu Kuang.

Yang Kai shook his head, "I just don't understand."

"Shut up! How do you still have the gall to speak?" Fu Zhun suddenly raised her head and shot Yang Kai a cold glare.

Exasperated, Yang Kai stared back at her and said mockingly, "What is it that you want to say, Second Elder?"

Fu Zhun uttered through clenched teeth, "If it weren't because of you, all these misfortunes wouldn't have happened to us. If Fu Chi hadn't been hurt by you, how would he have lost his life? If Wu Kuang hadn't obtained Fu Chi's Dragon Source, how could he have entered the Dragon Temple?"

She was accusing Yang Kai in an overbearing manner.

Yang Kai sneered, "Why do you make it sound like it's all my fault? I'm just someone with a low cultivation, so I'm not powerful enough to take up this responsibility. You're thinking too highly of me."

He wasn't fond of Fu Zhun at all, because not only did she try to break up Mo Huang and Fu Xuan, but she also wanted to interfere in the relationship between Zhu Qing and him. It was as though she was jealous of others' love lives, so she wanted to destroy their relationships. Although she was beautiful and alluring, Yang Kai still found her to be contemptible because she tried to get Zhu Qing married to another man. Yang Kai was only giving in to her because he was still not her match. When he became powerful enough one day, he would deal with her and make her have a taste of her own medicine.

Upon finishing his words, he didn't wait for her response as he turned to Zhu Yan and cupped his fists, "Great Elder, this incident has happened on Dragon Island, and Wu Kuang has fled from this place. So, the Dragon Clan shouldn't evade responsibility. Now, the most important thing is to track down Wu Kuang and nip him in the bud. Otherwise, he'll only return to destroy us one day."

"Brat, don't you try to cross the line!" Fu Zhun bellowed.

"Great Elder!" Yang Kai ignored her and stared fixedly at Zhu Yan.

However, Zhu Yan replied with a frown, "This has nothing to do with you. Step aside now."

He was also sick of Yang Kai. Although Fu Zhun's accusations against Yang Kai just now were extreme, it was true he held a great deal of responsibility for the events that transpired on Dragon Island this day. After all, Yang Kai was the one who had hurt Fu Chi first and held up the other Dragon Clan members. Otherwise, Wu Kuang wouldn't have been able to carry out his plot so easily.

Certainly, Yang Kai understood that as well, but he couldn't tolerate Fu Zhun placing all the blame on him.

Instead of stepping aside though, Yang Kai replied impassively with a dark expression, "It seems that the Dragon Clan does not want to get involved in this. Fine. I'll do it then!"

All of them looked weirdly at him after he finished speaking.

Fu Xuan even secretly spoke to him via Divine Sense, "Don't say such reckless things. Listen to the Great Elder and step aside for now. Perhaps there's still a chance for you and Qing'er."

Yang Kai looked gratefully at her, but he shook his head and uttered, "All I ask is that you will not stop me and allow me to leave. If I manage to find Wu Kuang, I'll deal with him on my own. If I can't do that, there won't be any losses for the Dragon Clan."

As he spoke, he pointed at the Void Corridor.

During the discussion, the Void Corridor's entrance had been slowly closing. After all, World Principles had the ability to heal spatial tears. The Void had been broken through after Wu Kuang had made use of the Dragon Temple's power, so it could be considered a kind of damage to the world. With the help of the World Principles, this kind of damage would disappear quickly.

If Yang Kai wanted to leave this place through the Void Corridor, he had to do it quickly. After it was closed, he wouldn't have another chance to flee.

"In your dreams!" Fu Zhun shouted.

Zhu Yan shook his head, "I also cannot agree to this."

It was already their fault that Wu Kuang had managed to escape to a Lower Star Field through Dragon Island. Although they didn't have to explain themselves to anyone, it would still be embarrassing for them if this news was spread. If they also allowed Yang Kai to descend to a Star Field, their reputation would be ruined.

Since both Elders didn't agree to it, there was basically no other way around it. If Yang Kai was clever, he should stop insisting now, for if he infuriated the Dragon Clan, he would be punished harshly.

However, all of them didn't expect that not only did Yang Kai not give in, but he also stepped forward and said in a steadfast manner, "If you don't agree to it, I can only use force."

"How dare you disobey us!" Fu Zhun snorted, "Seize him!"

Apparently, she was speaking to all Dragon Clan members. Although she wasn't fond of Yang Kai, it was difficult for her to personally move against him given her status and cultivation.

Upon receiving the order, the dozen Dragon Clan members started making a move.

Some of them were hurt by Yang Kai not long ago, but although their Blessing Technique was broken, they were mostly fine. With the Elders watching over them, there was no way they would be afraid of Yang Kai.

In the blink of an eye, Yang Kai and Zhu Qing were surrounded.

"Just try it!" Yang Kai shouted and stomped his foot on the ground, causing the entire Dragon Temple to shake. After a resounding roar was heard, the illusory phantom of a huge Golden Divine Dragon emerged from the back of his head, appearing overbearing and aloof.

Upon sensing the Golden Divine Dragon Source's aura, all the Dragon Clan members fell into a dazed state, including the Elders.

[It's the Ancestral Dragon Source! This is the true Ancestral Dragon Source!]

Although the Dragon Clan members were aware that the Ancestral Dragon Source was with Yang Kai, it was the first time they saw its true form with their eyes.

Even the Great Elder and the Second Elder were not comparable to this Pureblood Dragon aura. To all the Dragon Clan members, the Ancestral Dragon Source was like their origin as well as a mother's embrace, making them feel familiar and amiable.

In an instant, the hostility they had towards Yang Kai vanished into thin air.

The Elders quickly pulled themselves together though and guarded their minds so they wouldn't be affected by the Ancestral Dragon Source Strength.

"Second Elder, do you remember what place this is, and what kind of power I possess?" After the Ancestral Dragon Source appeared, Yang Kai suddenly began acting lofty and aloof. Although there was no sign of him using his Dragon Transformation, the way he looked at Fu Zhun was clearly as though he was superior to her.

Suddenly, he started forming a set of mysterious hand seals and began speaking in two different tones at once, as though two people were chanting at the same time through his mouth.

The first voice was uttering the abstruse Dragon Language, while the other was his usual voice, "Water cannot be dynamic without its origin. The tree cannot grow without its roots. The Ancestral Source is present, so why have you not come to pay your respects yet?"

Two voices were intertwined in a perfectly coordinated manner, so they didn't sound awkward to the ears. Instead, they sounded like a perfect harmony.

The ordinary Dragon Clan members didn't have much reaction when they heard these words, but the Elders all turned pale at the same time.

Fu Xuan's gaze brightened as she exclaimed. Just then, Dragon roars could be heard again, but this time, they were coming from all directions in the temple in a continuous and alternating manner.

The slumbering spirits of all the Great Dragons in this place awakened at the same time as though they had been summoned by an irresistible call.

Suddenly, a spot in the dim hall brightened and then spread across the entire room. In the blink of an eye, the entire hall was as bright as daylight.

Great Dragons of different colours, scarlet, orange, red, emerald, green, blue, and purple, flew about, illuminating the hall in a dazzling display of light.

The first Great Dragon hovered above Yang Kai's head for a moment before it stabilized itself and faced the Golden Divine Dragon. After that, it lowered its head in a dignified manner, followed by the second Dragon, the third Dragon, and all the others in order.

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All who witnessed this scene were dumbfounded.

Chapter 3077, The Ancestors Gather

In the blink of an eye, more than ten Great Dragons had gathered around Yang Kai. These Dragons didn't have a physical form, but their Source Strength was extremely pure. The most shocking thing about them was their sizes.

Even the smallest one was 400 metres long!

The greatest of them was nearly 1,000 metres in length. Its gigantic figure, which had spread across the entire hall, swam majestically through the air, giving immense pressure to everyone present.

It was as though these gigantic Dragons just jumped out of the ancient scrolls and arrived at this place for no reason.

Gudong...

All the Dragon Clan members gulped as their faces turned ashen. Under the influence of such terrifying Dragon Pressure, they could hardly support their own weights as their legs had turned to jelly and their faces were completely white.

Although the Dragon Grave was where the Dragon Clan members would go after their death, not all of them would end their lives in that place. Some of them would be enshrined in the Dragon Temple after their fall to provide good fortunes and blessings to their descendants.

Those who could be enshrined in the Dragon Temple were all Heads of the Dragon Clan.

In other words, only the Great Elder of every generation had the right to be enshrined in the Dragon Temple. For the current generation, only Zhu Yan had such a right. Even Fu Zhun was not eligible for this honour.

Hence, all these Great Dragons coming from all directions in the Dragon Temple were once Great Elders of the Dragon Clan who had been enshrined in this place.

Zhu Yan even saw a familiar figure, a Yellow Dragon between 400 and 500 metres long. In an instant, it was as though he had been thrown into a world of memories as he recalled the events of his childhood tens of thousands of years ago.

At that time, he was still working hard to grow and become a powerful Dragon under this Elder's guidance. After his death, Zhu Yan took over his position and became the Great Elder.

He looked dazedly at the Yellow Dragon as his lips trembled. In his heart, he longed for this Elder, who had passed away many tens of thousands of years ago, to look at him and praise him for doing a good job. However, he was disappointed to see that this Elder, who had never bowed his head his entire life, was doing just that as he hovered quietly behind Yang Kai.

“The first Great Elder...” Astounded, Fu Zhun stared at the only Dragon that was 1,000 metres long. Although they were many generations apart, Fu Zhun could still recognize this particular Great Dragon at first glance.

Only the Dragon Clan members of that generation could grow to be so mighty.

As time passed, the Dragon Clan had gradually become weaker, and in the current generation, even the strongest of them could barely reach 500 metres in length, half of the size of those from the first generation.

The next largest after the first Great Elder must be the Great Elder of the second generation, followed by the third generation, the fourth generation and so on.

All the Great Elders of the past dozen generations had been called upon by the Ancestral Source and gathered together, a sight then sent shockwaves into everyone’s heart.

“How dare you do this!” Fu Zhun was startled for a long time before she snarled through clenched teeth, her beautiful face contorting madly. She stared resentfully at Yang Kai, as though she wanted to pierce through him countless times with her gaze, “How dare you disturb our ancestors!”

Although her tone was still fierce, she no longer appeared overbearing under the Dragon Pressure of these ancient Great Elders as well as the pressure from the Dragon Temple. Now, she looked like an enraged kitten that was brandishing its claws, so she appeared rather laughable.

She couldn’t be blamed for being so incensed though; after all, the Dragon Temple was where the deceased Great Elders of every generation were enshrined. This was the true foundation of the Dragon Clan’s fortune and the basis of their continued bloodline. All of these ancestors were long gone, so they didn’t have their own consciousness nor will. Even the Great Elder and Second Elder couldn’t summon these ancestors using any Secret Technique.

However, right after Yang Kai gave the order, the Great Elders of the past generations all awoke from their sleep, deeply embarrassing all the Dragon Clan members present.

Mo Huang was also amazed as he looked at Yang Kai. He had never expected this young man to be capable of pulling off such a feat. He swept a glance over the Golden Divine Dragon Source next as he knew that everything was made possible because of this strange-looking Dragon Source.

“You left me no choice,” Yang Kai stared down at Fu Zhun, but he didn’t try to aggrandize himself or pressure her in some way. If it weren’t because he was left with no choice, he really wasn’t willing to make such a big fuss.

The moment he stepped into the Dragon Temple, he could feel that the Golden Divine Dragon Source within his body had become active, as though it had been connected to something in the surroundings. In fact, it was just a subconscious act that he had summoned all these ancestors of the Dragon Clan.

“You were left with no choice?” Fu Zhun sneered, “What do you want now, then? Do you want to kill all members of the Dragon Clan?”

“That’s a great idea. Grudges have been formed between us anyway. The best solution is to kill all of you so that there won’t be any future worries for me.” As Yang Kai spoke, he swept an eerie glance over all of them, as though he was mulling over the feasibility of this idea.

All the Dragons were stunned when they met his gaze, as though they had been engulfed in the aura of death. The blood in their veins seemed to have frozen all over.

Appearing defiant, Fu Zhun pressed her lips together, while Zhu Yan appeared solemn.

If Yang Kai decided to deal with them with the help of the Dragon Temple’s power, Zhu Yan and Fu Zhun could only flee from this place even if they joined forces, unless they could kill him in one decisive strike.

However, under the watchful gazes of all the Great Elders from the past generations, killing Yang Kai was all but impossible. They knew just how formidable the Dragon Temple’s power was.

It was a special place that contained a special power, which was what made it unrivalled.

Mo Huang parted his lips in an attempt to persuade Yang Kai. Although he wasn’t fond of the Dragon Clan, the idea of killing any one of them had never crossed his mind, as there were no real blood feuds between them. He wasn’t sure what Yang Kai’s temperament was like though, and if he really did what Fu Zhun had said, the consequences would be dreadful.

Whatever the case, Mo Huang wouldn’t want the Dragon Clan to be slaughtered here. The Dragon Temple was one of the two foundations of the Dragon Clan, and it would be the biggest joke in history if it was responsible for their demise.

Before Mo Huang could speak, however, Yang Kai suddenly curbed his murderous intent and returned to an indifferent stance, “All of you are Qing’er’s family though, so we shouldn’t keep hurting each other. Why don’t we have a seat and talk it out? What do you think, Great Elder?”

Zhu Yan’s face twitched as he uttered, “Since ancient times, the one whose fists are bigger gets to decide. In this place, you have the final say.”

Yang Kai replied, “You seem to have some biases against me, but that’s fine. Besides going to the Lower Star Field, I don’t have other requests, so I hope that you’ll agree to it... Good. Since you remain silent, I’ll just take it as acceptance. You’re indeed a highly principled man, Great Elder. Many thanks.”

The corner of Zhu Yan’s mouth twitched as he lowered his gaze and remained silent. [He’s basically talking to himself. How does he have the nerve to spout such nonsense?]

The Void Corridor that had been created by Wu Kuang would be completely closed soon, so Yang Kai couldn’t dawdle any longer. If he wanted to head to the Lower Star Fields before the Void Corridor closed, he had to do it quickly.

Then, he turned to Zhu Qing and uttered, “You’ll stay here.”

Zhu Qing parted her lips in an attempt to say something, but Yang Kai stepped forward and pulled her into his embrace before locking his lips with hers right in front of everyone.

All of their expressions turned awkward as they looked away in embarrassment. They thought that this brat was too shameless to be carrying out such a blasphemous act in this sacred place.

If someone else had done this, they would have been killed by now.

With her lips locked, Zhu Qing couldn't utter a word, and after their lips finally parted, she was blushing deeply. Yang Kai only said one thing to her then, "Wait for me."

It wasn't that he wasn't willing to bring Zhu Qing with him, but the road ahead was uncertain, so he didn't have the heart to make her suffer such hardships with him. Since Fu Chi was dead, it would be alright for Zhu Qing to stay on Dragon Island.

Then, he gazed at Fu Zhun and said, "Second Elder, I apologize for offending you today. I hope that you'll forgive me. After all, I'm young and reckless, so I hope you don't take my actions to heart. I will return one day to formally apologize to you."

Since Zhu Qing had to stay here, he had to relax tensions with Fu Zhun. Otherwise, the Second Elder might oppress his woman.

However, what he just said could also be regarded as a threat. Since he had broken into Dragon Island once, he could do it again. If Zhu Qing was mistreated after he left, he would come back to Dragon Island with a different attitude. Instead of apologizing to them, he would be condemning them.

Upon grasping the meaning behind his words, Fu Zhun snorted.

Following that, Yang Kai turned to Fu Xuan, who had been in Mo Huang's embrace the whole time, and flashed a smile at her, "Fourth Elder, many thanks for everything today. I didn't manage to prepare a gift for our first meeting, so please accept this small token of my appreciation instead."

As Yang Kai spoke, he performed a hand seal with one hand, upon which a Dragon roar could be heard. At the same time, a beam of light emerged from the void and shot towards Fu Xuan at the speed of lightning.

Mo Huang frowned upon seeing that. Although he could intercept it, he could feel that Yang Kai did not carry any ill-intentions, which was why he allowed him to proceed.

The beam of light shot into Fu Xuan's body, upon which cracking sounds could be heard.

While Zhu Yan's gaze turned softer as he was looking at him, Fu Zhun's expression became grim.

Fu Xuan's pale face gradually became lively again as her gaze brightened. Pleasantly surprised, she turned a grateful smile to Yang Kai.

Yang Kai nodded slightly at her before turning around. No longer daring to delay, he stepped into the Void Corridor and disappeared from everyone's sight.

After he was gone, the Great Elders from the past generations disappeared one by one, as though they hadn't been there at all.

The terrifying Dragon Pressure ebbed, upon which the Dragon Clan members gasped for air and looked at each other in shock, still reeling from the experience.

Mo Huang appeared pleasantly surprised as he gazed hopefully at Fu Xuan and asked in a small voice, "Was it..."

Fu Xuan nodded gently, "The Binding Dragon Seal has been removed."

Binding Dragon Seal was one of the Dragon Clan's Secret Techniques which was used on the Dragon Clan's sinners. Once the Binding Dragon Seal was implanted on someone, their Dragon Source would be completely suppressed.

When Fu Xuan was thrown into the Dragon Grave all those years ago, the Binding Dragon Seal was used on her.

This Secret Technique wasn't just a punishment for the Dragon Clan members who had made a mistake, it was also a symbol of their status as criminals. With this technique binding Fu Xuan, even Mo Huang was powerless to remove it.

Although he could get Fu Xuan out of the Dragon Grave, he couldn't prevent her from growing weaker until she eventually lost her life, unless the Binding Dragon Seal was removed.

However, he didn't have a method to remove this seal.

Chapter 3078, Returning to the Star Field

Sometimes, fortune arrives when one least expects it.

While Mo Huang was powerless to lift this Dragon Clan Secret Technique, Yang Kai was able to break it with ease. At that instant, Mo Huang was over the moon. Initially, he was biased against Yang Kai because of Mo Xiao Qi. Otherwise, he wouldn't have been so harsh towards someone who was his Junior. However, at this moment, he felt extremely grateful towards Yang Kai, thinking that he should return this favour one day.

The removal of the Binding Dragon Seal meant that Fu Xuan was no longer a criminal, so she didn't have to be thrown into the Dragon Grave again.

Mo Huang shifted his attention to Zhu Yan and Fu Zhun as he had made up his mind. No matter what would happen, he had to leave with Fu Xuan on this day. If the two Elders insisted on stopping him, he would have no choice but to fight it out with them.

He had been longing for Fu Xuan while also blaming himself for all the years they have been apart. So this time, he was determined not to leave her behind again.

Then, he heaved a sigh of relief, as he realized that both Zhu Yan and Fu Zhun didn't react to the fact that Binding Dragon Seal had been removed. Instead, they were just gazing at the narrowing Void Corridor in silence.

At the same time, Zhu Qing was also looking at the corridor.

After the corridor disappeared a moment later, Zhu Yan turned to look at Mo Huang and uttered, "Wu Kuang has fled. We have to inform the others about it so that they can prepare, especially those within Star Court."

Mo Huang nodded, "En, I'll go to Star Court later and discuss with Iron Blood on how to deal with it."

Zhu Yan continued, "The Dragon Clan is responsible for the fact that Wu Kuang has fled. Brother Mo, just tell us straight away if you need any help."

"Great Elder, since you've said so, I'll ask for your help whenever I need it in the future. I'll take my leave for now." Upon finishing his words, Mo Huang was ready to leave with Fu Xuan.

Fu Zhun suddenly demanded, "You can leave, but Fu Xuan must stay!"

Mo Huang frowned, "Second Elder, do you still want to fight with me?"

[This woman is so unreasonable.] Mo Huang was truly infuriated. If Fu Zhun insisted on making things difficult for his wife and him, he was ready to turn Dragon Island upside down.

Nevertheless, Fu Zhun uttered dispassionately, "Fu Xuan's foundation has been damaged after years of imprisonment. We have a Secret Technique to help her recuperate; does your Spirit Beast Island have such a technique? If you have one, you can bring her with you. I won't stop you."

Mo Huang was startled for a moment before he became elated. With a grin, he replied, "I see. That's what you meant."

Fu Zhun questioned coldly, "What do you think I meant, then?"

Mo Huang coughed and nodded lightly, "That's alright, then... Xuan'er, you'll stay here. I'll go to Star Court now. After that, I'll come here again with Xiao Qi to see you." As he spoke, he stole a glance at Fu Zhun. Seeing that she frowned but didn't show any sign of disagreement, he became ecstatic.

It seemed that what Yang Kai had done on this day had dealt a heavy blow to her. Otherwise, she wouldn't have gone through such a transformation. Although she didn't agree to let him bring his daughter to Dragon Island, she didn't object to it at the very least.

In the past, Fu Zhun wouldn't have reacted in such a way.

At the mention of Mo Xiao Qi, Fu Xuan's gaze brightened as she nodded, "En."

"Wait for me." Mo Huang stroked her face, but he didn't have the nerve to kiss her in front of everyone just like Yang Kai had done. [That brat was just too brazen!]

Then, he turned around and left the Dragon Temple with light steps.

Zhu Qing stepped forward to support Fu Xuan then as the latter was still weak. Both of these Dragon girls shared similar fates, so they naturally became closer to each other.

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Countless stars were twinkling in the vast Starry Sky where a black Starship was navigating through the darkness like a giant beast. The Starship was about 300 metres long with a sleek design. Although it was a behemoth, the speed at which it was moving was quite fast.

The Starship was surrounded by an innumerable number of asteroids of different sizes that were passing it by. Sometimes, some asteroids would hit the Starship and cause some sparks, which spread across the surface like a ripple. However, the smaller asteroids couldn't cause any damage to the Starship as its armour and defences would fend them off and break them into pieces should they come into contact.

Only the larger asteroids could cause the Starship to shake, but there hadn't been any real danger on the way to its destination.

Inside the Starship, humming sounds could be heard coming from different arrays. In the control room, a group of cultivators appeared solemn as they looked out the transparent window that was made from crystals. Seeing those asteroids that were passing them by, they were all drenched in sweat.

[It's an Asteroid Sea!]

When navigating through the Star Field inside a Starship, travellers were most afraid of two things. One was an Asteroid Sea, and the other was a Starry Sky Storm.

The former was still alright because most Asteroid Seas could be avoided by plotting appropriate courses in advance. With that said, some of the larger scale Asteroid Seas were unavoidable. However, the chance of coming across such Asteroid Seas was small in the vast Star Field.

On the other hand, a Starry Sky Storm was a more terrifying phenomenon in the Star Field as it was a disaster that could literally kill. If this 300-metre Starship was dragged into a Starry Sky Storm, it would be doomed.

Over the years, Asteroid Seas and Starry Sky Storms had destroyed many Starships and killed countless people.

Nevertheless, it had been an unlucky day for this particular Starship. There were many Masters aboard this Starship, and their Star Chart Master had charted a good navigation route for them. Supposedly, they shouldn't fall into any danger as they just needed some time to reach their destination; however, they were now confronted by an Asteroid Sea that was coming from the front. It was already impossible for them to evade it the moment they discovered it.

Left with no choice, they had to keep moving forward and pass through the Asteroid Sea with caution.

A woman in an imperial dress was standing in the centre of the cabin. She appeared to be in her 20s, had long black hair, and a beautiful face. At the moment, she was giving orders with a solemn expression, her nose moist with sweat caused by her anxiety.

At the same time, the fragrance wafting from her body permeated the place. All the cultivators in the Starship, both men and women, were breathing more rapidly than usual, as though they were trying to breathe in the fragrance and imprint it in their minds so that they would never forget it.

“How much longer?” The woman suddenly looked in a different direction, where an old man was studying the Star Chart in his hands. A three-dimensional picture was displayed there, obviously a map of the region in Starry Sky in which the Starship was navigating.

Nobody knew how this old man had managed to draw this Star Chart, in which a small dot of light, which represented this Starship, was moving forward slowly. Countless smaller light dots, which represented the asteroids that might pose a threat to the Starship, were passing by as well.

Upon hearing the woman’s question, the old man gave it some thought and replied, “We’ll pass through this Asteroid Sea in one hour. We’re already halfway through it.”

The woman nodded upon hearing his reply, “Very good. Please continue to guide us.”

Apparently, this woman was the one in charge of this Starship. Although her cultivation was incredible, she was still respectful to this old man surnamed Chen. It couldn’t be helped, as this old man surnamed Chen was one of the most famous Star Chart Masters in the Star Field, whom she had paid a hefty price for helping them in this journey.

Star Chart Masters were highly reputable in the Star Field. They were just as important as the Alchemists and Artifact Refiners because, in order to navigate through the Star Field, a Star Chart was indispensable, and a good Star Chart Master could help a Starship evade unforeseen dangers.

With an embarrassed expression, Old Chen uttered, “Lady Lu is too polite. This Old Master should have noticed the existence of this Asteroid Sea. It was my fault that we fell into danger in the first place.”

“Life is full of unexpected circumstances,” Lu Huai Shuang replied.

Just then, she thought of something as her alluring gaze dimmed. With a forced smile, she uttered, “Old Chen, please don’t blame yourself. You’ve already helped us a lot. Without you, we’d have encountered countless crises already. It’s thanks to you that we’ve come so far.”

Old Chen said, “Many thanks for your high praise. This Chen will never forget this favour of yours.”

As they spoke, someone could be heard exclaiming, “Young Lady, we have a problem!”

Lu Huai Shuang’s expression changed as she turned to look at that person, “What happened?”

At this critical moment, she was most afraid of learning any bad news, which was why she was slightly nervous.

“An asteroid is approaching us, distance 100 kilometres.”

“How large is it?”

“It isn’t big, but... it’s giving off an unusually large energy signature.”

As they spoke, Lu Huai Shuang had already approached that person and taken a closer look, upon which she realized that there was indeed a light dot on that Spirit Array Star Chart that was coming at the Starship at incredible speed. In just a short moment, the distance between the asteroid and the Starship had been shortened by half.

After taking a glance at it, Lu Huai Shuang knitted her brows together while astounded, Old Chen uttered, "That's strange. This asteroid isn't very large, so why does it give off such a powerful energy fluctuation?"

He was an experienced man, but it was the first time he came across such a strange thing, which was why he was puzzled.

"Charge the Crystal Cannons!" Lu Huai Shuang yelled.

Then, she quickly added, "All ten!"

It was inevitable that they might fall into such a dangerous situation when navigating through the vast Starry Sky. When confronted by an unavoidable threat, the best option was to destroy it, and Crystal Cannons were the most effective means.

They wouldn't use Crystal Cannons easily because a lot of Crystal Stones were consumed for every shot made; it was almost akin to burning piles of money.

It had to be said that although Lu Huai Shuang was a woman, she was more resolute than most men. It took a firm resolve to give the order to prepare all ten of the Starship's cannons.

Her order was executed without delay and all ten Crystal Cannons emerged from the Starship's hull before aiming at their target. Dazzling white lights were agglomerated as an astonishing energy fluctuation began spreading out.

The next moment, a jarring sound could be heard and a heavy blowback could be felt from one side of the Starship, causing the entire ship to shake. Ten beams of white light shot out in a particular direction into the void and accurately converged in a single spot.

The light exploded and illuminated the Starry Sky, as though a new Sun had been born all of a sudden, causing all in the cabin to narrow their eyes.

Hong...

Following that, a thunderous explosion rang out, stinging all of their eardrums. The asteroids around their target, be they big or small, were vaporized in an instant and disappeared.

Everyone heaved a sigh of relief seeing this. Although they knew how powerful their Crystal Cannons were, they were still reeling from the shock after witnessing the power of ten being fired all at once at a single target, rendering them unable to speak for a long time.

No matter what kind of asteroid was coming at them, it should have vanished into thin air by now.

Silavin: Yo, so starting the next arc, we are going to go back to the Star Fields. The distances of everything is quite a mess. Not consistent at all. I tried to correct them but I most likely missed some stuff...

Some things are supposed to be further and others, not so much. Some things are supposed to be bigger but, later on, not so much...

Chapter 3079, A Strange Thing

“Huh?” The cultivator, who had been keeping watch on the surroundings, suddenly grunted in a weird tone and looked dazedly at the Star Chart. Then, in a horrified voice, he uttered, “Young Lady, that asteroid... that asteroid...”

Lu Huai Shuang looked over and turned pale in an instant.

The light dot remained above the Star Chart, seemingly not having taken even the slightest damage after being hit by a barrage of ten Crystal Cannons.

“What is going on?” Disbelief was written all over Old Chen’s face. He had personally witnessed the collective power of those ten Crystal Cannons before. Even the strongest Masters in the Star Field wouldn’t dare to take such a blow head-on, so how was it possible that this asteroid remained undamaged?

What truly shocked him was that the Crystal Cannon barrage didn’t even manage to change the asteroid’s direction, as it was still heading towards the Starship even now.

“Evade it quickly!” Old Chen exclaimed.

With a helpless smile, Lu Huai Shuang replied, “It’s too late.”

If they were in empty space, they could possibly evade the asteroid and escape unscathed, given the Starship’s exceptional capabilities; however, they were now trapped inside an Asteroid Sea, where they were surrounded by asteroids of different sizes. There was no room to manoeuvre, so there was practically no way they could avoid the asteroid.

Indeed, it was too late. The light dot that represented the unwelcome guest on the Star Chart was about to collide with the Starship.

The only thing all of them could do was pray that this asteroid wouldn’t cause any serious damage, but this idea was undoubtedly unrealistic. Although the asteroid was small, the energy signature it gave off was astonishing. If they were hit by this asteroid, their Starship might not be able to bear the impact.

Through the crystal window, they could see a light dot flashing across their eyes like a falling star. Following that, a booming sound could be heard from somewhere on the Starship. The 300-metre-long Starship shook violently, and everyone inside it turned ashen in an instant. All of them thought to themselves in despair, [It’s over now. We’re all doomed!]

The rumbling sound gradually subsided though as the Starship slowly stabilized itself. Inside the cabin, everyone remained silent, and they only came to their senses a long time later.

[We’re alive! We’re still fine!]

After such a life-or-death moment, all of them still couldn’t believe what they had just gone through. The Starship wasn’t destroyed like they had imagined it would be. They seemed to have overestimated

the destructive power of the asteroid. Nevertheless, the speed of the Starship was noticeably slower now, as it was apparent that there was damage that needed to be repaired immediately. Otherwise, they might fall into other dangers of the vast Starry Sky.

Lu Huai Shuang was the first to come to her senses as she ordered, "The ship has been damaged. Get some people to inspect the affected areas and begin repairs. We have to leave this Asteroid Sea as soon as possible to look for a place to anchor."

It was then that all of them regained their senses and started taking action.

Lu Huai Shuang pressed her lips together and looked out at the Starry Sky through the crystal window. It was said that one was bound for good fortune after surviving a disaster. She hoped that would be the case here too.

The cultivators in the Starship then busied themselves with their own jobs. The Starship had slowed down due to the damage. Initially, they had estimated that they would need one hour to leave the Asteroid Sea, but it took them four hours to cross that gap. After leaving behind the asteroids in the borderless Starry Sky, they finally heaved a sigh of relief.

It wasn't a great idea to allow a damaged Starship to navigate through the Asteroid Sea. Fortunately, all the cultivators in the Starship were well-trained, and they were excellent at controlling the ship, so they managed to stay safe till the end.

Now, they had to look for a stopover immediately and repair the Starship. After Old Chen pointed out a suitable location, Lu Huai Shuang ordered all of them to set sail in that direction.

Half a day later, above a desolate Star, the 300-metre Starship emerged from the clouds and landed on the ground slowly.

There were innumerable Stars like this one in the Star Field. Although there were countless Stars in the Starry Sky, only a small number of them were suitable for cultivators to reside and cultivate on. Only Stars with a complete Star Source that could nurture World Energy were qualified for cultivation. These kinds of lively Stars were called Cultivation Stars.

In contrast, there were Stars that were without any World Energy, and no one could possibly survive on them. These desolate Stars were called Dead Stars.

Some Dead Stars were originally Cultivation Stars. After the Star Source of a Cultivation Star slowly diminished and disappeared, such a Star would turn into a barren rock.

Meanwhile, some Dead Stars could be nurturing new life, and it could possess its own Star Source in the future. After a very long period of growth, such a Dead Star would become a new Cultivation Star. However, this kind of evolution took place over tens of thousands of years at least.

After the Starship landed somewhere on the Dead Star, the crews opened the hatches and streamed out of the ship to head to the damaged section. Although they had done some simple repairs earlier, they had to fully fix the damaged parts of the hull and Spirit Arrays before the Starship could navigate through the Starry Sky again at full power.

Lu Huai Shuang was now somewhat idle inside the Starship, so she decided to take a walk outside. Wherever she went, all the cultivators would salute her. There wasn't any obscene light behind their gazes as they all truly respected her.

In Unending Star Field, everyone would praise the Eldest Young Lady from the Lu Family, who hailed from Morning Sun Star whenever she was mentioned. They all said that she was just as capable as men of the same calibre.

There were no male descendants in the Lu Family's main line, and the Patriarch was old and frail. The entire Lu Family now depended on the Eldest Young Lady to manage and maintain it. When Lu Huai Shuang took over the Lu Family at that time, nobody thought she could succeed.

A woman was supposed to get married and nurture her children, so no one believed she could succeed as the leader of her family. However, all of them were proven wrong in the end.

Although she didn't manage to bring the Lu Family to new heights, she didn't allow it to decay or decline at least. The continued strength of the Lu Family was all thanks to Lu Huai Shuang's efforts, and even their enemies had to acknowledge this fact.

Naturally, many people lusted after Lu Huai Shuang's beauty and her family businesses. Beautiful women and wealth had always been attractive goals for men. The Lu Family was wealthy and had great potential for development, so it was expected that many men were drooling over it. If any man could gain Lu Huai Shuang's favour, not only could he marry a beautiful woman, but he would also gain control over the Lu Family's immense fortune, thereby reaching the heights in his life and shortening the years needed to achieve success. Countless men had proposed to her over the years, but none of them could win Lu Huai Shuang's heart.

"My husband must be the most powerful man in the Star Field. His name must illuminate the Starry Sky just like the Sun. I'll only marry the man who can achieve that."

It was an outrageous demand as no man would admit that he wasn't powerful. Upon self-examination, they would even think that they were the best, and no other men were comparable to them. However, nobody could brazenly say that their name could illuminate the Starry Sky just like the Sun.

Only a handful of Masters in the Star Field could be said to have achieved such status, but they were old men who were in the sunset stage of their lives.

[The Lu Family's Eldest Young Lady is destined to spend the rest of her life alone. No man will love and treasure her. She will never experience how it feels to be loved by a man!] That was the bitter thought of those men who couldn't obtain her. Since they couldn't win her heart, they wanted her to live miserably for the rest of her life. Such men would never hope for her future to be bright, as they were already considered to be weak and unworthy by her.

As Lu Huai Shuang tread on the yellowish ground and smelled the humid air, she couldn't help but knit her brows together. She was a woman, after all, so no matter how others regarded her or how capable she was, she still had her feminine qualities. The environment on a Dead Star was barren and bleak. On this Star, the yellowish sand was seemingly endless, and it was continuously carried up by the gusts of winds. The atmosphere was filled with fog, so she couldn't see far into the distance, making for a gloomy and depressing atmosphere.

After walking for some time, she stopped in her tracks and wanted to stretch her back without caring about anyone's opinions. However, she couldn't even do such a simple thing because she had to uphold her mannerism and authority. She was exhausted, both physically and psychologically.

Standing there quietly, she tried to figure out this Dead Star's history. Perhaps there had been a civilization on this Star a long time ago. Or maybe in the future, a bright civilization with interesting life would arise on this Star. Maybe somewhere on the sandy landscape before her, a cottage would appear, in which a man and a woman lived. The man would cultivate crops on the fields, while the woman would weave clothes in the house as they lived harmoniously together. Three to five years later, they would give birth to a son and a daughter, then they would take good care of their children. When they became old, they would travel the world together. After their death, they would be buried together in some unknown corner.

They wouldn't need much money as long as they had enough. They also wouldn't have to be powerful as long as they had each other. The more powerful a person became, the more difficult it would be to obtain the simple pleasures in life. Only those at the lowest level of the hierarchy would want to gain immense power and make a name for themselves, unaware of the sacrifices and difficulties such power would entail.

"Young Lady..." Someone suddenly called out to her.

Although Lu Huai Shuang's imagination was disrupted, she wasn't mad. Turning to look at the one who called her, she recognized him as one of the Lu Family's guards. At that moment, he was looking dazedly at Lu Huai Shuang as shock and disbelief were written all over his face.

That was because he saw that Lu Huai Shuang was smiling. Although the smile wasn't conspicuous, he could see that her lips had curved into a peaceful grin.

Lu Huai Shuang was a beautiful lady, and her smile made her look even more charming. He had joined the Lu Family a few decades ago, but since Lu Huai Shuang took over the family, he had never seen her smile like this.

Lu Huai Shuang pressed her lips into a line and asked impassively, "What's the matter?"

The bodyguard hurriedly straightened his face and replied, "We've found something strange."

Lu Huai Shuang frowned upon hearing that, "What is it?"

The bodyguard scratched his head as he didn't know how to explain it. Their discovery earlier was so absurd that he couldn't find the right words to describe it. Just then, a group of people walked out of the broken part of the Starship. They seemed to be carrying something as they rushed towards Lu Huai Shuang.

Everyone shifted their attention to them due to their strange behaviour. In just a short time, these people reached Lu Huai Shuang and dropped a person right in front of her. The person rolled on the ground for a bit before stopping.

With a frown, Lu Huai Shuang took a look and realized that the person was a young man. His clothes were torn apart, as though he had just gone through a great ordeal. His eyes were closed, and his face was pale. He remained unmoving on the ground after he was dropped.

Lu Huai Shuang couldn't sense his aura, and he didn't seem to be breathing, so she assumed he had passed away.

Chapter 3080, Where The Fierce Gale Pirates Pass No Grass Grows

It wasn't that Lu Huai Shuang had never seen a corpse before. On the contrary, she had personally killed many people throughout her life.

Not long after she took over the Lu Family, another prestigious family on Morning Sun Star, the He Family, launched an attack on them. In an instant, the two families went to war, and they lost many lives on both sides. It was thanks to Lu Huai Shuang's outstanding leadership in the war that her position became firm.

Now, the entire Morning Sun Star was practically divided by the Lu Family and the He Family. Each of these two families had occupied half of the resources and territory on the Star.

However, the appearance of this young man made Lu Huai Shuang frown deeply. It wasn't that she bore hatred towards him, but rather that this incident was too strange. After examining the young man's face for a long time, she looked up at an old man and asked, "Third Uncle, is he from our side?"

There were a few hundred cultivators aboard the Starship and although she couldn't remember all their names, Lu Huai Shuang could at least recognize all of them. However, this young man looked unfamiliar to her, so she was certain that she had never seen him before.

Lu Bing shook his head, "No."

"He's not?" Lu Huai Shuang narrowed her eyes.

[Since he isn't from our side, why did he appear on my Starship?] In an instant, she could think of many possibilities, but the most reasonable explanation was that he must be a spy sent by the Lu Family's enemies. If that was the case, there might still be other troubles lurking in the dark.

As though he had seen through her mind, Lu Bing uttered, "This man was found in the broken section of the Starship."

"Third Uncle, you mean..." Lu Huai Shuang looked up at him. Although she was intelligent, she couldn't grasp what he was talking about.

With a complicated expression, Lu Bing went on to say, "Based on my observations, our Starship was damaged because it was hit by this man."

Upon hearing that, all fell silent as they were trying to understand what Lu Bing meant. Following that, a terrifying idea sprang into their minds as their gazes were transformed by disbelief.

Lu Huai Shuang came to her senses and stared at her Third Uncle in a bewildered manner. If she wasn't very familiar with her Third Uncle's personality and temperament, she would've thought that he was pulling her leg.

With a helpless smile, Lu Bing continued, "Initially, I thought that the Starship was hit by an asteroid, but after some investigation, I couldn't find any traces left behind by an asteroid impact. Instead, I found this man at the centre of the damaged part of the Starship's hull, right in the centre of the impact."

All of them gasped and looked at Lu Bing with weird expressions, while Lu Huai Shuang remained silent and fell into her thoughts.

Lu Bing continued, "I know this sounds inconceivable, but I can't find a better explanation."

In fact, it wasn't just inconceivable; it was just too shocking. How did a Human manage to crash into the Starship, which formed a hole on it that caused serious damage to its hull? They also had to look for a place to land to make repairs as a result. This was one of the two best Starships on Morning Sun Star, an Origin King Grade Starship! It could even endure the assault of a First-Order Origin King's attacks for an extended period of time, so how could one man manage to damage it so seriously?

If such a Starship could be damaged so easily, it wouldn't have been able to navigate through the Starry Sky, as any asteroid could destroy its hull with ease. Even if a person could cause damage to the hull by crashing into it, what about the Crystal Cannon volley they fired?

All ten Crystal Cannons were fired and hit the target accurately. Who could be strong enough to endure the collective power of ten Crystal Cannons? Judging from this young man's appearance, it was apparent that while quite dishevelled, he was completely unhurt. Even if his skin was made of the hardest metal, he couldn't withstand such an attack.

Everyone broke into a commotion. This young man, who was found in the broken part of the Starship, had all their minds messed up, as all their common sense and knowledge seemed to have been turned upside down.

"It's no use speculating about all this now. Our priority is to repair the Starship," Lu Huai Shuang ordered.

Lu Bing sighed secretly as he knew that she didn't believe his speculation. Honestly speaking, he didn't believe his own speculation either, feeling that he must have missed something and drawn the wrong conclusion, so he didn't attempt to defend himself.

"As for this person, bury him somewhere." Lu Huai Shuang looked down at the deceased young man. Regardless of his identity or the reason he appeared on her Starship, he at least deserved proper last rights.

Just then, beams of lights were seen coming at them from all directions as chaotic energy waves could be felt everywhere. The attacks already reached them before their opponents arrived.

Chi, Chi, Chi...

A series of sounds could be heard, and when a light flashed across their eyes, the place where these people from the Lu Family were standing had turned into a sea of energy waves.

“Enemy attack!” Someone shouted, but his voice stopped abruptly, as though someone was clenching on his neck. Following that, the person’s aura disappeared, so it was apparent that he had passed away. In an instant, numerous people started screaming.

Lu Huai Shuang’s expression changed drastically as she hadn’t expected that they would be assaulted in such a place. They were on a nameless Dead Star, and they had only decided to land here moments ago, so how did their enemies manage to ambush them here?

With no time to think about it though, she touched her earlobe and broke an earring, upon which a beam of white light transformed into a gigantic dome, protecting all the cultivators from the Lu Family from these attacks.

Explosions could be heard as all the attacks landed on the protective shield and formed a layer of ripples. The glow of the shield increasingly dimmed and only a few breaths later did it shatter with a loud crack.

However, with the buffer time they gained, all those from the Lu Family collected themselves and summoned their artifacts or used their Secret Techniques to counter the enemy assault.

The chaotic energy fluctuations caused the surroundings to shake violently as all of a sudden, a person fell from the sky with his arms crossed. At the same time, heavy pressure descended on Lu Huai Shuang.

Lu Huai Shuang narrowed her eyes as she unsheathed her azure longsword. In an instant, she seemed to have transformed into an entirely different person. She was an alluring lady with bountiful curves, but at the same time, she was an Origin King Realm Master.

Without considerable power, she wouldn’t have been able to command everyone in the Lu Family; moreover, she was a woman, so she needed even more power to earn everyone’s respect.

After she slashed across space with her azure longsword, a Sword Domain was formed instantly, and her Sword Intent caused her enemy to feel a sharp pain on their skin. The longsword in her hand then transformed into a phantom as it flourished above her head. At that instant, more than a hundred streams of Sword Qi shot out.

The horrifying pressure vanished in an instant as the enemy who was descending towards Lu Huai Shuang called out in shock and hurriedly dodged to avoid the Sword Qi blades.

After trading attacks, both Lu Huai Shuang and her opponent could feel each other’s immense power. Surprisingly, both sides were equally matched.

The clamorous battlefield fell silent in an eerie manner after the strongest Masters at the scene traded blows. The Lu Family cultivators felt like they had just returned from death’s door, and when they came to their senses, they realized that their backs were already drenched in a cold sweat.

Lu Huai Shuang took a closer look and realized that a fair-skinned chubby man was grinning at her with a playful expression. He was clad in a loose shirt that wasn’t buttoned up, so his big belly was exposed for all to see. He looked like a fat and slovenly man who had just finished a feast. Paired with his long, narrow eyes, he made for a funny picture.

However, no one dared to laugh at him. Instead, they were horrified.

With a dark expression, Lu Bing yelled, “Ma Chao Qun!”

A cold glint flashed across the fat man’s eyes as he replied with a smile, “Oh? You know me?”

Lu Bing gulped. The person before his eyes had a distinctive body shape and facial features, so there was no way he couldn’t recognize him. He was Ma Chao Qun of the Fierce Gale Pirates!

Fierce Gale Pirates wasn’t Ma Chao Chun’s personal force, but rather the name of a great force that was basically a plague upon everyone in the Star Field. Robbers lived in the mountains while pirates lived on the seas. Then, there were Star Pirates who sailed the Starry Sky.

What they did wasn’t fundamentally different from those robbers and pirates, they robbed people of their wealth and committed all sorts of wicked deeds.

There were a large number of Star Pirates in the Star Field, but only a handful of them actually had widely recognized names. The Fierce Gale Pirates was one such group though because they had Origin Kings among their leaders.

The Origin King Realm was the peak of the Star Field, so the Masters in this realm were practically peerless in every Cultivation Star. If such a Master decided to become a pirate though, it would be disastrous for all.

Historically, many of the top forces in the Star Field had joined forces numerous times to stamp out all Star Pirates; however, like weeds, they could be cut down but eventually, they would spring up again. Even if one to two groups of Star Pirates were destroyed, more would emerge in the future to take their place soon enough.

The Fierce Gale Pirates were particularly sly and cunning as they would never provoke those they couldn’t afford to offend. Those targeted by them were forces that were rich but relatively powerless. Moreover, they had no morality at all as they would frequently kill all of their targets and rob all their belongings. It was said that wherever the Fierce Gale Pirates passed through, even grass wouldn’t be able to grow.

Therefore, the Fierce Gale Pirates could be said to be the most infamous Star Pirates in Unending Star Field.

The Star Pirates from the Fierce Gale Pirates had surrounded all those from the Lu Family at this moment and were sporting evil grins on their faces. Their gazes were especially lewd as they stared fixedly at Lu Huai Shuang’s luscious body, as though they were savouring a delicious dish.

The grin on Ma Chao Qun’s face widened as his belly shook and rippled.

“You must be Young Lady Lu. You’re indeed a beautiful lady with a powerful cultivation. You’re so much better than what the rumours mentioned. I’ve been longing to meet you.”

With a long face, Lu Huai Shuang swept a glance over all those from the Lu Family. What happened on this day was unexpected, but she could feel that something nefarious was going on.

Those from the Fierce Gale Pirates seemed to have figured out that they would come here, which was why these pirates had appeared at this moment to rob them. As the leader of the Lu Family, she had her

own suspicions about how this was possible, and with her sharp vision as an Origin King Realm Master she soon found a clue.

One of the clansmen from the Lu Family, who she recalled belonged to her First Uncle's family, didn't dare to meet her eyes at this moment. In that instant, Lu Huai Shuang felt her heart aching as she became extremely disappointed. She didn't understand why someone she considered to be family would betray her.