

She Shocks 33

Chapter 33: Good wine needs no bush

There were still two days left in Yu Huang's break. She planned to go with Yu Donghai to look for a house to rent tomorrow.

Yu Donghai didn't need to do business tomorrow, so he didn't need to stay up all night to prepare the alms bowl and chicken materials. After taking a shower, he went to bed.

Because Yu Donghai told the secret that he had kept hidden in his heart for 18 years, that night, Yu Donghai slept soundly.

The next morning, after cooking a bowl of noodles, the father-daughter pair drove the tricycle to find a house near Yong Hui High School.

Renting a house was easy, but commercial rental places were hard to find. After walking around the school for two days, Yu Huang finally found a place that she was satisfied with.

The entrance was at the back gate of Yong Hui High School, next to the teachers' living area, and also near the third-year academic building. Although the number of people here was not as high as at the front gate, good wine needs no bush. The alms bowl cooked by Yu Donghai was delicious, and students who wanted to eat would naturally take the initiative to find them.

After paying a year's rent, Yu Huang found an indoor design studio and explained her requirements to the designer. She readily gave the deposit and didn't need to care about the rest.

When Yu Donghai found out that Yu Huang had specially looked for a renovation company, he instantly felt speechless. He said, "I'm just someone who sells alms bowls and chickens. I only need two pots and a big refrigerator. What's the use of renovating it so nicely? Isn't it a waste of money?"

Yu Huang clicked her tongue and sat down to reason with him. "Father, being short-sighted won't earn you any money. You have to look further ahead. Do you think that Imperial Cuisine Restaurant's dishes are really that delicious? It's all because His Majesty once came to the restaurant to eat. With prestige, even the most unpalatable dishes will become delicious."

"So what if we sell alms bowls and chickens? Can't those who sell alms bowls and chickens be renovated to be high-end and classy? Young people these days just care about the atmosphere. If the environment of our shop is good, then young couples and young ladies will come to our shop to take photos and eat!"

When Yu Donghai heard Yu Huang's words, he immediately felt that it made sense. He looked at Yu Huang's small head and advised her earnestly, "Don't think too much about earning money. Study more and strive to become the top scholar."

In Yu Donghai's eyes, no matter what his daughter did, she would always be number one. It was just a matter of time before she became the top scholar.

"Okay, I'll become the top scorer!"

After returning home, Yu Huang took out Divine Realm Academy's school badge of the from under her pillow. She threw it up and quickly grabbed it.

Yu Huang opened her palm and stared at the front of the school badge. Without another word, she quickly stood up and put on her mask. She picked up the school badge and quietly headed in the direction of the Purifying Spirit Academy.

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Outside the Purifying Spirit Academy, the towering black walls that reached into the clouds blocked out the disturbances of the mortal world. Within the walls, the Purifying Spirit Academy, which had been bustling for three days, finally welcomed peace.

The bright moonlight shone on the spacious square, making Sheng Xiao's slender figure appear even longer.

Sheng Xiao walked to the entrance of the hall of the Purifying Spirit Academy. Immediately, a waiter in blue came out of the hall and greeted him. "Good evening, Master Sheng. What brings you here so late at night?"

Sheng Xiao took off his coat and handed it to the attendant. "Is Mr. Lin resting?"

"Master, the dean hasn't rested yet."

"I'm going back to school tomorrow morning. I'm here to bid farewell to Mr. Lin. Please bring me to Mr. Lin."

"Master, this way please."

The attendant led Sheng Xiao into the hall. They passed through a few quiet corridors and stopped in front of a tall hall.

There was a crystal ball floating in the middle of the hall. Lin Jiansheng was standing under the ball with his back facing Sheng Xiao. He was still wearing the red robe and holding a scepter in his left hand. His back view alone gave off an imposing aura.

The attendant deliberately made some noise to attract Lin Jiansheng's attention. He then bent down and reported, "Dean, Master Sheng requests to see you."

Upon hearing this, Lin Jiansheng raised his right hand and gestured for the attendant to leave.

After the attendant left, Lin Jiansheng turned around and asked Sheng Xiao, "Are you preparing to return to school?"

"I'll leave tomorrow morning. I'm here tonight to resign." Sheng Xiao walked behind Mr. Lin and looked up at the crystal ball.

Staring at the quiet crystal ball, Sheng Xiao suddenly thought of the strange phenomenon caused by Yu Huang's test three days ago.

At that moment, Sheng Xiao heard Mr. Lin say in a low voice, "18 years ago, there were 110,000 students of suitable age in Sheng City. That year, 68 people successfully awakened their beast state."

“17 years ago, there were 140,000 students of suitable age and 60 successful beastly metahumans. 16 years ago, there were 150,000 students of suitable age, but there were only 51 successful beastly metahumans...”

“...Until last year, there were 120,000 people participating in the test in the Prosperous Capital and only 20 people successfully awakened their beast state. But this year, there are less than 20 people.”

Lin Jiansheng had already memorized these data by heart. He did not need to deliberately recall them to be able to report them accurately.

Sheng Xiao’s expression turned serious when he heard the data.

“Young Master Sheng, over the past 18 years, the rate of beast tamers awakening has been getting lower and lower. This has happened not only in the Prosperous Capital, but also in the entire Divine Moon Empire and the entire Holy Spirit Continent!”

Mr. Lin’s mood was even more distress than his expression. He lamented worriedly, “I’m afraid that in less than twenty years, no one in this huge Prosperous Capital will be able to awaken their beast form!”

This was undoubtedly a disaster for the entire Holy Spirit Continent.

Chapter 34: You’re Very Attentive to Yu Feng

The Divine Realm Academy had long been aware of the situation that Lin Jiansheng had revealed today. They had even specially investigated this matter.

Similar to Lin Jiansheng, the academy was also worried about the future of the Beast Tamers on the Holy Spirit Continent.

“Dean Lin, the academy has also noticed what you said. But this is not the worst thing. What’s worse is that there is still a group of people hiding in the dark, secretly killing young Beast Tamers all over the world! In the recent year, there have been no less than ten cases of young Beast Tamers being assassinated in the Divine Moon Empire.”

“This is also why the academy specially sent me to Prosperous Capital to be a monitor.”

This was the first time that Lin Jiansheng learned of this matter, and he was shocked once again. “There are actually people who specifically chose young Beast Tamers to assassinate? Are they trying to kill the future of the Holy Spirit Continent?!”

The more Lin Jiansheng thought about it, the more afraid he became. In the end, his expression changed slightly. He suddenly put the hat on his head and said anxiously, “I have to go to the capital to meet the Grand State Master!”

Since the Grand State Master was able to pry into the fate of the nation, he must be able to see the future of the Divine Moon Empire’s Beast Tamers. Lin Jiansheng had to seek confirmation from him.

Sheng Xiao suddenly stopped Lin Jiansheng. “Dean Lin, wait! I have something to ask you.”

Lin Jiansheng stopped in his tracks. He looked at Sheng Xiao and urged him. “Ask away!”

Sheng Xiao then walked to Lin Jiansheng and asked, "I want to know what kind of situation would it be for a person with a strong beast nature to be unable to awaken her beast form?"

Hearing this question, Dean Lin immediately thought of Yu Huang.

He narrowed his eyes and looked at Sheng Xiao playfully. He teased, "You seem to care a lot about that girl called Yu Huang."

Sheng Xiao touched the pen on his chest and explained righteously, "That child is in a special condition. If we can find the problem and help her awaken her beast form, it will be a good thing for our country."

Lin Jiansheng waved his hand and interrupted his official explanation. He said impatiently, "Stop explaining. The more you explain, the more you are just trying to cover it up."

Sheng Xiao shut his mouth.

Lin Jiansheng felt that Sheng Xiao was too boring and lost the mood to tease him. He told Sheng Xiao, "This is the first time I've seen what happened to Yu Huang. I went to check some information and found something."

At this point, Lin Jiansheng's face revealed a look of hesitation, as if he had something that he couldn't say.

Sheng Xiao could tell that he was worried. He quickly said, "Dean Lin, please speak your mind."

"Since you are asking, I might as well be frank." Dean Lin stroked his beard and said with a complicated expression, "Although her situation is strange, it has happened before in history. I wonder if you know about Spirit Restraining Parasites?"

Spirit Restraining Parasite!

Sheng Xiao's expression changed when he heard the words "Spirit Restraining Parasite".

As the young master of the Sheng family and the future successor of the Sheng family, Sheng Xiao knew what Spirit Restraining Parasites were. "A Spirit Restraining Parasite is a forbidden technique, but didn't the six families burn it down six hundred years ago?"

Lin Jiansheng nodded and told him, "It's precisely because that thing has been destroyed that I didn't dare to come to a conclusion." He said 'I didn't dare' and not 'I couldn't'.

Sheng Xiao could tell what Lin Jiansheng was implying. He asked anxiously, "Do you really think that Yu Huang was planted with a Spirit Restraining Parasite?"

Lin Jiansheng coughed and quickly waved his hand in denial while saying, "You can't misinterpret my meaning. What I mean is, the situation that appeared on Yu Huang's body is very similar to the Spirit Restraining Parasite."

"But the Spirit Restraining Parasite has already been burned through the combined efforts of the six families. This does not exist in the world, so why would it appear on Yu Huang?"

If Lin Jiansheng insisted that Yu Huang had been poisoned by the Spirit Restraining Parasite, that would be publicly humiliating the six families.

The smart and slick old man would never say something that offended others.

Sheng Xiao understood Lin Jiansheng's hint.

If someone had really planted the Spirit Restraining Parasite in Yu Huang's body, then back then when the six families were burning the Spirit Restraining Parasite, someone must have secretly done something to it and secretly kept it.

He had to investigate this matter!

Sheng Xiao bowed to Dean Lin again. "Thank you for your advice, Dean Lin. Since you still have something to do, I will not disturb you any further."

"Take care!"

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Yu Huang arrived at the entrance of the Purifying Spirit Academy at night. She raised her head and looked at the towering walls that reached into the clouds. She felt troubled.

Lin Jiansheng was a distinguished Level 8 Purifying Spirit Master who usually lived in the Purifying Spirit Academy's Courtyard. Ordinary people did not have the chance to meet him.

How should she meet him?

Just as Yu Huang was feeling vexed, she saw a black car drive out from the Purifying Spirit Academy. She noticed that the guards at the entrance of the academy had uniformly bowed towards the car and respectfully said, "Goodbye, Dean!"

Dean?

Dean Lin?

Yu Huang hurriedly walked out from the darkness and waited on the path that the car had to pass through.

Lin Jiansheng's chauffeur saw Yu Feng and hurriedly stopped the car. He turned around and said to Lin Jiansheng, "A girl stopped our car."

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Lin Jiansheng was rushing to the capital to meet the Grand State Master. Upon hearing this, he said without thinking, "Chase her away."

The driver could only get out of the car and shout to the guards at the back, "Hurry up and chase this girl away!"

The guard quickly ran over and acted as if he was going to grab Yu Feng's arm. "Quickly get out of the way. Don't block the Dean's path!"

Just as their hands were about to touch Yu Huang's arm, Yu Huang bent down like a cat and successfully escaped their grasp.

At the same time, her legs moved swiftly like a shadow. Everyone only saw a black shadow flash before their eyes. In the next second, she appeared behind the driver and stood beside the car. She was only a distance away from Lin Jiansheng through the car window.

They did not expect Yu Feng to know kung fu. Both the driver and the guard were stunned.

After regaining his senses, the driver urged the guards. "Quick, catch her!"

Seeing that the guard was charging towards her again, Yu Huang hurriedly shouted at the black glass, "Dean Lin, an elder asked me to pass a message to you. He asked me to ask you if you still remember that you borrowed 20,000 yuan from him to buy an inflatable doll!"

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It suddenly became quiet.

Chapter 35: The Distraught Dean Lin

Yu Huang's voice was loud and clear. After she roared, the wide and empty street outside the Purifying Spirit Academy instantly became silent.

Fortunately, it was night time. If it was daytime, the entire city would know that the respectable President of the Purifying Spirit Academy was an old man who loved to play with inflatable dolls.

The driver and the guards were shocked. They all looked at their dignified and powerful Dean in disbelief. So the Dean liked to play with dolls...

Was this the reason why he was never married?

Because a wife is not as attractive as a doll?

The black glass window was finally lowered, revealing Lin Jiansheng's sulky face. "Little girl, what did you just say?"

Very good, she had successfully attracted his attention!

Lin Jiansheng stared at Yu Huang maliciously, as if he was threatening to kill her if she dared to spout nonsense. "Do you know what nonsense you are spouting?"

Yu Huang also knew that what she had just said would make people's imagination run wild, but she had no choice. Her current identity was just a commoner, and Lin Jiansheng was a Level 8 Purifying Spirit Master respected by everyone in the city. Not to mention the current her, but even the superstar Yu Huang before she was disfigured would find it harder than ascending to heaven to meet Lin Jiansheng.

In order to attract Lin Jiansheng's attention, Yu Huang could only deliberately say such words that would cause one's imagination to run wild.

Seeing that Lin Jiansheng had indeed noticed her, Yu Huang heaved a sigh of relief.

She was not afraid of his threat at all. Instead, she took a step forward and looked at Lin Jiansheng calmly with her clear eyes. Without reducing her volume, she continued to ask, "My elder asked me to ask you, when are you planning to return the 20,000 yuan that you owe him?"

Twenty thousand dollars?

A blow-up doll?

Lin Jiansheng suddenly thought of an old friend, but wasn't that person long gone?

Lin Jiansheng narrowed his aged but wise eyes. He stared at Yu Huang for a long time before asking thoughtfully, "Who is your elder?"

Yu Huang blinked her eyes at Lin Jiansheng, as if she was giving him a secret signal. She said, "Long time no see. My elder asked me to send his regards to the dean on his behalf. He wishes the dean the best of luck and longevity!"

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When he heard this, Lin Jiansheng's eyes flickered slightly, and his expression became agitated as he muttered to himself.

Lin Jiansheng suddenly slapped his thigh and said angrily, "Bullshit! How many times have I said that I wasn't buying an inflatable doll, but a statue! Do you know what a statue is?!"

The dean, who always maintained his composure in front of the students, beat his chest and stomped his feet like an exasperated teenager. He cursed, "That bastard. It's been more than a hundred years. He still remembers!"

After cursing, Lin Jiansheng realized that he had lost control of his emotions.

He immediately calmed down and pretended to be nonchalant as he looked at Yu Huang and said, "Bring me to see your elder. I'll return the money to him personally." Repaying the money was a lie. His real motive was to see his old friend.

Yu Donghai had long guessed that Lin Jiansheng would definitely request Yu Huang to bring him to see him after hearing that he was still alive.

However, Yu Huang still didn't have the strength to protect herself now, and he was a cripple. Yu Donghai didn't dare meet his old friend at all because he was afraid of drawing Yin Mingchong's attention and exposing Yu Huang's existence, causing Yu Huang to be killed.

Because of this, Yu Donghai specially instructed Yu Huang not to bring Lin Jiansheng to see him.

However, he had also told Yu Huang that Lin Jiansheng was a friend that he trusted very much. He could reveal Yin Mingchong's true identity to Lin Jiansheng.

At the thought of this, Yu Huang could only reject Lin Jiansheng's request.

Shaking her head, Yu Huang said, "I'm sorry, Dean Lin. My elder told me that the time isn't right, so he can't meet his old friend yet."

Upon hearing this, Lin Jiansheng immediately understood the hidden meaning behind Yu Huang's words.

The time was not yet right. He could not meet his old friend.

This meant that Yu Donghai had been in hiding. He was hidden in the shadows and isolated himself from the world. He was probably hiding from someone. Since he didn't dare to meet with his old friend, it meant that the person he feared was extremely powerful and could discover him at any time.

When Lin Jiansheng thought of this, when he looked at Yu Huang, his expression was filled with suspicion. "Little girl, based on your words alone, I will not acknowledge your identity."

Yu Huang immediately took out her school badge from her pocket and passed it to Lin Jiansheng without any worries. She was not afraid that Lin Jiansheng would not return it to her after taking it.

Lin Jiansheng took the school badge and quickly flipped it over. When he saw the words 'Yin Donghai' behind the school badge, his expression became slightly agitated.

That old man was really still alive!

Lin Jiansheng then said to the guards, "All of you, go back."

The guards obeyed and retreated.

Lin Jiansheng opened the car door and got out. He said to the chauffeur standing in front of the car, "You get off first. We won't be going to the capital tonight."

The driver glanced at Yu Huang and left without asking further.

"Come in with me," Lin Jiansheng said to Yu Huang.

Yu Huang nodded and followed Lin Jiansheng to the tall wall. After passing through the iron gate of the Purifying Spirit Academy, Yu Huang saw Sheng Xiao.

He walked alone in the vast plaza of the Purifying Spirit Academy.. The bright moonlight elongated his shadow.

Chapter 36: How did you establish a relationship with Sheng Xiao?

Sheng Xiao was about to go back to the hotel to rest when he saw Lin Jiansheng returning with a familiar-looking young lady behind him. Sheng Xiao was surprised when he recognized Yu Huang.

Sheng Xiao bowed to Lin Jiansheng and asked, "Mr. Lin, what happened?"

Before Yu Huang could think of a way to explain herself, she heard Lin Jiansheng say, "It's like this. Miss Yu Huang wants to ask about her failure to awaken her beast form. This child has the talent to be a Beast Tamer. I can't bear to see her talent being drowned like this, so I want to perform another deep cleansing spirit for her and see if it can help her awaken her beast form."

"After all, there are fewer and fewer new Beast Tamers nowadays. If we can have one more Beast Tamer, our country will have more hope." Sheng Xiao must have understood this.

As expected, when Sheng Xiao heard that Lin Jiansheng was willing to do a thorough purifying for Yu Huang, his expression became solemn.

Sheng Xiao bowed to Lin Jiansheng again. "I am impressed by your kindness." He looked at Yu Huang and said, "Little Yu, this is a rare opportunity. You must grasp it."

Yu Huang hurriedly nodded.

"I'll take my leave then. See you later, Mr. Lin." Sheng Xiao walked past them and was about to leave when he suddenly turned around and called Yu Huang. "Little Yu!"

Yu Huang stopped and turned to look at Sheng Xiao. Her eyes were filled with confusion.

Sheng Xiao said to her, "Give me your contact number."

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Yu Huang was confused.

Were they very close?

Sheng Xiao was the young master of the Sheng family. He was the disciplinary executive of Divine Realm Academy. He was also the most respected Supreme Master Beast Tamer. On the other hand, Sheng Xiao was just a disfigured commoner. They would not have a deeper relationship in the future.

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Despite her confusion, Yu Huang still took the phone and typed in her phone number. It was necessary for her to get to know a few more big shots if she wanted to take down Yin Mingchong.

After Yu Huang returned the phone to Sheng Xiao, she left with Lin Jiansheng.

Sheng Xiao asked for her phone number not because of their personal relationship or favoritism, but purely because of justice. If Yu Huang was really poisoned by Spirit Restraining Parasite, it would mean that the six families owed her.

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When Sheng Xiao went back this time, he would look into the information about the Spirit Restraining Parasite. If he was sure that Yu Huang was really poisoned by the Spirit Restraining Parasite, he would do everything he could to help her solve the problem and help her awaken as a beast tamer.

Sheng Xiao touched the pen on his chest and thought to himself, 'It's not that I think she's as good as a cactus and that's why I want to help her, but I just cherish her talent.'

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Yu Huang walked along the winding and quiet corridor with Lin Jiansheng. This was her first time entering the inner part of the Purifying Spirit Academy. She looked at the carvings on both sides of the corridor curiously. Suddenly, she heard Lin Jiansheng ask, "When did you establish a relationship with Sheng Xiao?"

When the phrase 'establish a relationship' came out of Lin Jiansheng's mouth, it made Yu Huang feel that it sounded out of place. It made her feel like he was being disrespectful to her.

Yu Huang rubbed her nose and explained, "I didn't establish a relationship with him. We only met a few times."

Lin Jiansheng's lips curled up. He stroked his beard and said, "Sheng Xiao is very capable. If you can win him over and become the Young Madam of the Sheng family, you won't have to worry about anything in the future."

Yu Huang was unconvinced and subconsciously replied in an even more arrogant manner, "Isn't becoming stronger than him and becoming the leader of a clan better than being the Young Madam of the Sheng clan?"

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Lin Jiansheng was stunned.

He stopped in his tracks and narrowed his eyes at Yu Huang. With a nonchalant smile, he asked, "Become the head of a clan? What, little girl, are you planning to build a Yu Clan? Make the six great cultivation clans into the seven great cultivation clans?"

As soon as he finished speaking, he even laughed lightly and sighed. "A newborn calf isn't afraid of a tiger because it's young and cocky!"

Yu Huang stared at Lin Jiansheng's face and asked seriously, "Dean Lin, if I successfully awaken my beast form, do you think it's possible?"

When Dean Lin thought of Yu Huang's powerful and terrifying beastly energy, he instantly pursed his lips and did not speak.

After a while, he said, "So you came to me with an old friend's token, to ask me to remove the parasite from your body and help you become a Beast Tamer?"

This time, Yu Huang was truly shocked. "Even you know that I was poisoned?"

Lin Jiansheng snorted and ridiculed, "That old thing knew about the existence of the Spirit Restraining Parasite because he peeked at my notes. Otherwise, how would a Beast Tamer know about the things only a Purifying Spirit Master would know?!"

So that was how it was.

Yu Huang hypocritically praised Lin Jiansheng. "Dean Lin is knowledgeable. I'm impressed."

"Shut up. I find your hypocritical demeanor annoying. You're just like that old fart." After saying that, Lin Jiansheng continued to walk forward. As he walked, he said, "The person who created the Spirit Restraining Parasite was a Rank 9 Purifying Spirit Master. That person created this thing to destroy the future of Beast Tamers. Since he wanted to destroy Beast Tamers, he would not leave behind a solution."

"If you're looking for me, there's no use."

Hearing this, Yu Huang did not despair. She asked curiously, "Why did that person want to destroy Beast Tamers?"

A complicated expression appeared on Lin Jiansheng's face. For a moment, he didn't know what to say.

"I'm sure you know that every single Purifying Spirit Master possesses an incomparably powerful Spiritual Strength. Furthermore, those with powerful Spiritual Strength often possess powerful beast natures and are able to awaken their beast form."

Yu Huang nodded. "I know."

Lin Jiansheng narrowed his eyes and looked at the crystal ball above his head. He sighed in disappointment and frustration. "However, there are a portion of people with strong Spiritual Strength who are born without a beast form and are destined to be unable to become Beast Tamers.. They are half-finished products abandoned by God."

Chapter 37: Grand Master Su Tingxue

What Lin Jiansheng had said was that the person whose Spiritual Strength was strong but did not have a beast form and was destined to be unable to become a Beast Tamer was none other than Purifying Spirit Masters.

In the eyes of the common people, a Purifying Spirit Master's profession was a respected profession. However, they did not know that a Purifying Spirit Master's true status in the cultivation world was actually very awkward.

Purifying Spirit Masters were half-finished product abandoned by God.

This was not only the evaluation of the highly-esteemed Beast Tamers towards the Purifying Spirit Masters, but also the evaluation of many of them. This was because without their beast form, they were destined to be inferior to the Beast Tamers.

Yu Huang could sense the sorrow in Lin Jiansheng's voice, but she didn't dare to say anything in agreement.

Lin Jiansheng quickly regained his composure and asked Yu Huang, "Do you know who the founder of the Purifying Spirit Master Sect is?"

Yu Huang thought for a while before answering, "Su Tingxue?" Su Tingxue was a big shot who appeared in every national textbook on the Holy Spirit Continent. It was impossible for Yu Huang not to know.

"Yes." Lin Jiansheng asked again, "Then do you know who created the Spirit Restraining Parasite?"

Yu Huang did not know this, but she had a bold and absurd guess in her heart. She probed, "Could it be Su Tingxue?"

Lin Jiansheng neither nodded nor shook his head.

He looked at the crystal ball floating in the air in front of him and muttered softly, "Do you know that every Purifying Spirit Master is trash that failed to awaken their beast form?"

“However, there was a good-for-nothing who established her own sect and created her own system of Spirit Purification. It was only then that the world gave birth to a profession like Purifying Spirit Masters! She allowed those good-for-nothings to find a new cultivation path!”

Just by listening to Lin Jiansheng’s words, Yu Huang could feel Lin Jiansheng’s blood boiling.

Could Lin Jiansheng’s idol be Su Tingxue?

Lin Jiansheng asked Yu Huang again, “Little girl, have you heard about the tragic extermination of the Su family of Kui Mountain six hundred years ago?”

The young child of the Su family of Kui Mountain had been implanted with Spirit Restraining Parasite, causing no one in the family to awaken in their beast form. Yu Huang had already learned of this from Yu Donghai’s recount. Under Lin Jiansheng’s gaze, Yu Huang nodded her head lightly. “The elders in the family have told me before.”

Lin Jiansheng acknowledged it and said, “Su Tingxue is from the Su family of Kui Mountain.”

So that was how it was! No wonder the Su Clan of Kui Mountain was exterminated.

When she was a child, Su Tingxue was mocked and despised by the geniuses of her race because of her failure to awaken her beast form. She swore to become stronger so that those who used to mock her would kneel down and kowtow to her!

After decades of research, Su Tingxue created her own system and became the first person to establish a sect!

After Su Tingxue became a Purifying Spirit Master, countless youths visited her and begged her to help them purify their spirit and awaken their beast forms. Even adult Beast Tamers paid her a visit and begged her to help them improve their beast forms.

Among them were many geniuses of the Su Clan.

After Su Tingxue became a Purifying Spirit Master, the resentment in her heart did not dissipate. Instead, it accumulated more and more. She hated those ‘geniuses’ who had once looked down on her. She hated those blood relatives who had humiliated her.

Didn’t they boast that they were geniuses that looked down on trash like her?

Thus, the trash directly wiped out all the geniuses.

Lin Jiansheng said, “Su Tingxue’s life was inspirational and negative. As a Purifying Spirit Master, her contribution to the Purifying Spirit Master Sect is enough for her to be remembered by the Holy Spirit Continent for the rest of her life. However, the evil she has done to the Su Clan of Kui Mountain will cause her to be despised by the future generations forever.”

“After the six families found out the truth about the extermination of the Su Clan on Kui Mountain, they worked together to capture Su Tingxue and beheaded her in public. They were also grateful to her for her help to all the Beast Tamers as a Purifying Spirit Master, so they intentionally concealed the fact that she was the founder of the Spirit Restraining Parasite. Therefore, very few people in the later generations know what Su Tingxue did in the past.”

After saying that, Lin Jiansheng lowered his gaze and stared at Yu Huang. With a heartless expression, he told her, "Do you understand now? In this world, there is no way to remove the Spirit Restraining Parasite. Even if you come to beg me, there is no way."

After she heard Lin Jiansheng's words, Yu Huang's eyes were still brimming with vigor. There was no hint of despair or sadness.

Seeing that she was not disappointed at all, Lin Jiansheng could not help but frown and ask her, "What's wrong with you, little girl? I already said that I can't get rid of the Spirit Restraining Parasite. Why are you still so optimistic?"

Was she a fool?

Yu Huang smiled and said, "Dean Lin, you can't help me remove the Spirit Restraining Parasite, so why don't you help me do something that you can do?"

Lin Jiansheng stared at Yu Huang's crafty eyes and had a premonition that there was a trap waiting for him.

"Dean Lin, I want to become a Purifying Spirit Master! Please accept me as your disciple!" With that said, Yu Huang knelt before Lin Jiansheng.

It was indeed a trap!

However, the rational Lin Jiansheng did not want to jump in.

Yu Huang sensed that Lin Jiansheng wanted to reject her. She hurriedly straightened her back and raised her head while staring at Lin Jiansheng with a stubborn gaze. She said, "If I'm destined to be unable to become a Beast Tamer, then I want to become a Purifying Spirit Master and help more people fulfill their dream of becoming a Beast Tamer! I want to change the way people view Purifying Spirit Masters and let them understand!"

Staring at Lin Jiansheng, Yu Huang shouted in a clear voice, "Purifying Spirit Masters aren't half-finished products abandoned by God. They are angels sent by the heavens to assist the Beast Tamer!"

Chapter 38: Apprenticeship

Purifying Spirit Masters were not half-completed products abandoned by God. They were angels sent by God to assist Beast Tamers!

These words shocked Lin Jiansheng.

Lin Jiansheng was already more than a hundred years old. He was no longer young, but at this moment, it was as if he had returned to his youth. He had returned to the day when he was accepted into the Divine Realm Academy and participated in the opening ceremony as a scholar.

At that time, Lin Jiansheng was not yet a Purifying Spirit Master. He was just a nerd who only knew how to immerse himself in his studies. If there were no accidents, after graduation, Lin Jiansheng would most likely go to the Purifying Spirit Academy and assist the Purifying Spirit Masters in their work.

That day, the entire plaza was filled with outstanding children from various families and cities. He, a scholar who did not have a beast form, was mixed among these people. He was really like a little sparrow that had mistakenly entered the nest of a phoenix.

The geniuses all looked at him with disdain and whispered about his attire, his temperament, his identity, and his future that was not worth mentioning. There was not a single vulgar word in their words, but Lin Jiansheng felt as if he had been insulted.

Just as he felt embarrassed and wanted to find a hole to hide in, Yin Mingjue, the academy's disciplinary officer, descended from the sky while riding on his beast form. He stood in front of him and greeted him with a friendly attitude. "Hello, college entrance examination top scorer Lin Jiansheng."

In the eyes of those privileged people, he was an ordinary person who had failed his beast awakening. Only Yin Mingjue respected his character and called him the "College Entrance Examination Top Scorer".

When Lin Jiansheng heard Yin Mingjue calling him that, his face turned red and he couldn't raise his head. He bashfully replied, "Hello, senior. I'm not that impressive. Don't call me that."

However, Yin Mingjue said, "The total number of people taking the college entrance examination this year is 6.5 million. You're the top scorer of the college entrance examination. If that's not impressive, what is?"

After saying that, Yin Mingjue smiled and looked around at his classmates who had shut up because of his appearance. He then raised his voice and said, "There are nearly a hundred Beast Tamers who successfully awaken every year, but there's only one top scorer in the college entrance examination. Aren't you better than all of us here?"

With that, he extended his right hand towards Lin Jiansheng with a smile. "Welcome to Divine Realm Academy. I'm your senior, Yin Mingjue."

Under everyone's gaze, Wen Sheng and Lin Jiansheng held the hands of the number one genius of the school, Yin Mingjue.

Originally, Lin Jiansheng had only intended to learn some knowledge in the Divine Realm Academy. After graduation, he would strive to enter the Purifying Spirit Academy to get a job. However, after receiving Yin Mingjue's encouragement, he suddenly became enlightened and embarked on the cultivation path of a Purifying Spirit Master.

His memories from more than a hundred years ago surfaced. Lin Jiansheng stared at the young girl in front of him and once again felt that long-awaited feeling of being inspired and touched.

He knew that this was bad.

It was a trap, but he was willing to jump in.

Lin Jiansheng pursed his lips and said uncomfortably, "You can be my disciple, but you have to be prepared to suffer."

Yu Huang said, "I'm not afraid of anything."

“You have quite some confidence!” Lin Jiansheng took a step back and placed his hands behind his waist. He raised his chin slightly and looked at her as he said rather arrogantly, “Be my disciple.”

Yu Huang took half a step back. She tidied up her clothes and sleeves, then respectfully bowed to Lin Jiansheng as a disciple. “Today, I will accept Mr. Lin Jiansheng as my master. One day my master, forever my father! From now on, I will treat my master with respect, respect my master, love my master, protect my master, and never deceive or betray my master! If I violate this, lightning will strike from the heavens, and my soul will be destroyed!”

With that said, Yu Huang raised her head and bit the blood on her fingertip with her teeth. Then, she extended her hand towards Lin Jiansheng.

Yu Huang wanted to form a blood pact with Lin Jiansheng!

A blood Pact was a contract that was exchanged with life.

Once the Blood Pact was formed, both parties could not deceive each other or betray each other. This was a kind of contract that was more stable than a husband and wife relationship.

Lin Jiansheng stared at the drop of blood on Yu Huang’s fingertip and his expression turned solemn. He couldn’t help but ask, “Do you know that once you form a Blood Pact with me, if you violate your oath, you will suffer the wrath of the Thunder God? The power of the Thunder God’s Fury is so great that even a Prime Master will lose half his life.”

“I know! I have no regrets!”

Yu Huang knew that Lin Jiansheng did not have a personal disciple. After the Blood Pact was formed, she would be Lin Jiansheng’s only personal disciple.

The relationship between a personal disciple and an ordinary disciple was completely different. Yu Huang needed Lin Jiansheng to give her 100% trust and respect. If she didn’t show her sincerity, how could she gain Lin Jiansheng’s trust and respect?

A smile finally appeared on Lin Jiansheng’s face. “Very good!” Lin Jiansheng bit his finger and mixed it with Yu Huang’s blood.

The two drops of blood fused in the air and turned into a red line that entered each of their bodies. The blood contract was completed.

“Get up and follow me upstairs.”

“Okay.”

Lin Jiansheng brought Yu Huang to his secret meeting room. Seeing the tea set on the table, Yu Huang hurriedly went over to make tea for Lin Jiansheng.

Lin Jiansheng sat in front of the chessboard and played alone. He asked Yu Huang, “What is your relationship with Yin Donghai?”

Without waiting for Yu Huang’s reply, Lin Jiansheng muttered to himself, “Could you be his illegitimate daughter?”

Yu Huang was already 18 years old. According to the pattern of pregnancy, Yin Donghai had Yu Huang 19 years ago. However, at that time, Yin Donghai had been a bachelor. How could he have a daughter?

That was why Lin Jiansheng thought that Yu Huang was Yin Donghai's illegitimate daughter.

He cursed in his heart: Old fart, we agreed to grow old together, but he secretly broke the pact.

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He actually had a daughter with someone else behind his back!

Chapter 39: Fury

Yu Huang did not know that the dignified and imposing Headmaster was currently letting his imagination run wild.

Now that she and Lin Jiansheng had formed a blood pact, it was not inappropriate for her to reveal her true identity to Lin Jiansheng since they trusted each other the most.

"I'm not his illegitimate daughter." Yu Huang said to pull Lin Jiansheng's thoughts back. After Lin Jiansheng focused all his attention on her, she then explained, "Yin Donghai is my adoptive father. My original name is Yin Huang, and I'm the daughter of Yin Mingjue, the previous Yin Clan Leader!"

Upon hearing this, Lin Jiansheng stood up abruptly and looked at Yu Huang in shock. He exclaimed, "You are Mr. Yin's daughter!"

Lin Jiansheng was good friends with Yu Donghai and had graduated from the Divine Realm Academy. It was not surprising that he knew his father. Lin Jiansheng's reaction was within Yu Huang's expectations. Seeing this, she only nodded lightly and said with certainty again, "Yin Mingjue is indeed my father."

Lin Jiansheng sat down slowly. He subconsciously touched the white chess piece at his fingertip and took a moment to digest this information.

18 years ago, after the death of the Prime Master Yin Mingjue, his daughter Yin Huang was stolen by a thief and her whereabouts were unknown. Not long after, Yin Donghai also disappeared.

Even now, when people talked about the missing female young master, their faces were filled with regret.

Yin Huang had died a long time ago. This was what everyone thought.

Who would dare to believe that the Yin family's young master was still alive?! Furthermore, as a child star, she had always been active on the big screen.

"I didn't expect you to still be alive." Lin Jiansheng looked at Yu Huang's appearance and lamented absentmindedly, "You're actually the Yin Clan's Young Lord. No wonder you were able to obtain that old fellow's token!"

That old fellow Yin Donghai was the most loyal to Yin Mingjue. Only Yin Mingjue's daughter was worthy of his love and trust.

Yu Huang told Lin Jiansheng, "After my beast awakening failed that day, Father suspected that someone had planted the Spirit Restraining Parasite on me. After knowing that I wanted to become a Purifying Spirit Master, Father gave me the school badge and asked me to come to you with a token."

Yu Huang stared at the school badge on the table and said, "Father told me before that the Master was his best friend and you are someone he can trust." Yu Huang was lying.

However, Lin Jiansheng revealed a proud expression when he heard Yu Huang's flattery. He snorted and placed the white chess piece on the chessboard. He said with a smile, "We've known each other for more than a hundred years. If he doesn't trust me, who else can he trust?"

Yu Huang started to understand that her mentor was an old proud person. In the future, she would have to kiss up to him. If she kissed up to him, there would naturally be many benefits.

Lin Jiansheng was a smart person. He instantly guessed the circumstances of Yu Huang's identity and Yu Donghai's disappearance. "All these years, the two of you have been hiding your identities to avoid the investigation of certain people, right?"

"Yes." Yu Huang brought the brewed tea to Lin Jiansheng. "Master, please have some tea."

Lin Jiansheng held the teacup with one hand. It was still very hot. He blew on the tea and said in a deep voice, "Tell me everything in detail."

"Alright." Thus, Yu Huang spent some time telling Lin Jiansheng about how Yin Mingchong had colluded with outsiders to steal her and throw her into the abyss eighteen years ago, as well as how Yu Donghai had charged into the abyss to save her and even sacrificed his beast form and broke a leg.

From the moment he heard that Yu Huang had been thrown into the abyss, the water in Lin Jiansheng's cup began to ripple. It was a sign that he was agitated.

When he heard that Yu Donghai had self-destructed his beast form and even lost a leg, Lin Jiansheng could no longer control his emotions.

"Damn it!" He lost control and crushed the cup in his hand.

The cup suddenly shattered before rolling all over the floor. The scalding tea spilled all over the table. Yu Huang took a step back and avoided the scalding tea.

On the other hand, Lin Jiansheng, who was wearing a robe made of special material, was unharmed.

"Yin Mingchong has gone too far!" Lin Jiansheng slammed his fist on the table. His anger made the flesh on his face tremble.

Lin Jiansheng sighed sorrowfully. "That old man was most proud of his Tiger Form Beast Form. When he was studying, there weren't many people of the same level who could defeat him in a competition. A Supreme Master was actually forced to self-destruct his Beast Form to survive..."

At the thought of Yu Donghai losing his beast form and becoming a cripple, and unable to flaunt his prowess in front of him like before, Lin Jiansheng felt heartache and anger.

All of this was Yin Mingchong's fault!

“Yin Mingchong, you’ll get karma sooner or later!”

The powerful Spiritual Strength fluctuations of a Rank 8 Purifying Spirit Master made the atmosphere in the entire Purifying Spirit Academy unsettling.

Yu Huang felt a slight headache from the threat of that force. She quickly reminded Lin Jiansheng, “Master, calm down. You’ve lost control of your Spiritual Strength!”

Upon hearing Yu Huang’s reminder, Lin Jiansheng slowly restrained himself.

After knowing what had happened to Yu Huang, Lin Jiansheng looked at Yu Huang lovingly. “Child, the path to becoming a Purifying Spirit Master is much more difficult than that of a Beast Tamer. Are you prepared to suffer?”

Yu Huang’s expression was serious as she said, “Master, no matter how hard it is, I won’t complain.” What was that compared to the pain of Father self-destructing his beast form and breaking his leg?

Chapter 40: Tempering Steel

Lin Jiansheng felt relieved when he saw the determination in Yu Huang’s eyes.

Lin Jiansheng pointed at his own head and told Yu Huang, “Every Purifying Spirit Master must have a vast amount of mental strength. However, not everyone with strong mental strength can become a Purifying Spirit Master. We will measure whether a person is a Purifying Spirit Master and whether he has condensed a Psychic Pearl.”

“Psychic Pearl?” As a layman, this was the first time Yu Huang had heard such a professional term.

She thought of the crystal ball during the Awakening Ceremony and asked Lin Jiansheng, “What is the relationship between the Psychic Pearl and the crystal ball during the Awakening Ceremony?”

“The Psychic Sphere is a Psychic Sphere trained by a Level 9 Purifying Spirit Master using his vast mental strength. In essence, they are the same thing.”

The mystery in Yu Huang’s heart intensified. She asked blankly, “What exactly is a Psychic Pearl?”

Lin Jiansheng told her, “The Psychic Pearl is an energy bead condensed from the mental energy that you have successfully controlled. The more mental energy you can control, the more energy the Psychic Pearl will have.”

As for what the Psychic Pearl was, it was difficult to describe. Lin Jiansheng decided to bring Yu Huang to take a look.

He reminded Yu Huang, “Close your eyes and relax. Open your Spiritual Abode and follow my instructions.”

Yu Huang hurriedly closed her eyes.

The moment she closed her eyes, Yu Huang sensed an unfamiliar soul force entering the Spiritual Abode in her mind. Yu Huang instinctively wanted to resist, but she heard Lin Jiansheng say, "This is my soul force. Don't resist."

Yu Huang forced herself to open up her Spiritual Abode to Lin Jiansheng.

Lin Jiansheng sized up the spiritual world inside the Yu Huang's Spiritual Abode. Just as he had expected, Yu Huang had a boundless spiritual sea.

If she could successfully become a Purifying Spirit Master, her cultivation speed would definitely be astounding.

Lin Jiansheng told Yu Huang, "Focus and follow me!"

Yu Huang followed the stream of soul power to another strange place. It was a rippling silver-white sea. A huge energy storm was floating above the sea. The eye of the storm was connected to the sea and the sky. One could not see the end of it.

Yu Huang looked at the storm from afar. She could also sense the terrifying power hidden deep within it. She had the feeling that if she took a step forward, she would be pulverized by the energy storm.

"What is this?"

Lin Jiansheng's voice rang in Yu Huang's ears. He said, "You are now in my Spiritual Abode world. The storm that you see is a storm eye formed by my Psychic Pearl. It has destructive power."

Yu Huang was shocked. "Are they all Psychic Pearls?" Was the energy of a Level 8 Purifying Spirit Master that terrifying?

Lin Jiansheng closed his Spiritual Abode and brought Yu Huang out of the Spiritual Abode.

Yu Huang opened her eyes and saw Lin Jiansheng holding a white chess piece in his hand.

Lin Jiansheng shook the chess piece and said to her, "If a Rank 1 Purifying Spirit Master's Psychic Pearl is only as big as this chess piece, then a Rank 2 Purifying Spirit Master's Psychic Pearl is as big as our conference room. A Rank 3 Purifying Spirit Master's Psychic Pearl should be as big as ours..."

"The higher the level of a Purifying Spirit Master, the stronger the Psychic Pearl stored in their Spiritual Abode. For example, as a Level 8 Purifying Spirit Master, my Psychic Pearl is so powerful that it can condense into an eye of the storm. If I were to open all of them, the area would be as big as the entire Divine Moon Empire."

Yu Huang was shocked. It was as big as the entire Divine Moon Empire?

Lin Jiansheng continued, "The only Level 9 Purifying Spirit Master in the Divine Moon Empire is the President of the Purifying Spirit Alliance. His Psychic Pearl is spread out and is as big as the entire Divine Realm Continent!"

The Holy Spirit Continent was vast. According to its geographical features, it was divided into five continents and three seas, a total of 443 countries. The Divine Realm Continent was the largest

continent among the five continents and three seas. It occupied a quarter of the Holy Spirit Continent's territory.

No wonder everyone said that Level 9 Purifying Spirit Masters were like gods.

"As far as I know, there are only six Level 8 Purifying Spirit Masters on the Holy Spirit Continent, and only two Level 9 Purifying Spirit Masters. Can you understand how difficult it is for a Purifying Spirit Master to cultivate?"

Yu Huang finally understood how difficult things were for a Purifying Spirit Master.

She did not even have a single Psychic Pearl in her mind. If she wanted to reach her mentor's level, she did not know how long she would have to wait.

Yu Huang licked her lips and asked Lin Jiansheng, "Mentor, how long did it take you to condense the Psychic Pearl?"

Lin Jiansheng smiled at her and said mysteriously, "Why don't you guess?"

Yu Huang cautiously replied, "Half a year?"

Lin Jiansheng laughed. "Guess again."

Yu Huang hesitated before making a bold guess. "One year!"

Lin Jiansheng extended three fingers.

When Yu Huang saw this, her eyes widened. "Three years! That long?!"

Lin Jiansheng nodded and said, "Whether you can condense a Psychic Pearl and become a Purifying Spirit Master depends entirely on your talent and good fortune. Even I, your mentor, can't help you find a shortcut. I can only teach you true abilities after you reach the threshold of a Purifying Spirit Master."

Yu Huang's expression instantly stiffened. "Mentor, how long do you think it will take me to condense a Psychic Pearl?"

Lin Jiansheng merely smiled and shook his head.

Yu Huang's heart turned cold. "Mentor, don't scare me."

Lin Jiansheng stroked his long beard and told Yu Huang, "I once met a hardworking and studious child. Like you, he also wanted to acknowledge me as his mentor. I told him to look for me after the Psychic Pearl condensed successfully. Guess, how many years have I waited for him?"

Yu Huang's expression was ugly as she said, "If I'm not mistaken, I'm the only disciple under your name, so that person has yet to acknowledge you as his mentor."

Her expression became more and more serious. "Did that person acknowledge another person as his mentor, or did he give up?"

Lin Jiansheng sighed and said, "He didn't give up, nor did he take anyone else as his mentor. He passed away when he was 60 years old, and he didn't manage to condense a Psychic Pearl until his death."

This was despair-inducing news. Yu Huang didn't know how to react.

Lin Jiansheng looked at Yu Huang lovingly and said in anticipation, "My dear disciple, if nothing unexpected happens, I can live for another two to three hundred years. I'll wait patiently and see how long you'll make me wait."

Yu Huang was really on the verge of tears. She grabbed Lin Jiansheng's sleeve and asked in an aggrieved tone, "Mentor, don't you have any experience to impart to me? I want to take fewer detours."

Lin Jiansheng raised his hand and stroked Yu Huang's hair tenderly. He said, "One has to lay the foundations of success by study and hard work. If you don't want to accept your fate, you can only put in more effort than other people!"

"Even a piece of scrap metal has been tempered a thousand times before it could become steel."