

Chapter 2431 The Divine Ability, The Thirteen Green Lotus Swords

Although Zhang Yi wanted the sword, he did not feel it was appropriate for him to take it. After all, he did not contribute much at all since the first challenge in the heaven-rank treasure vault that Li Bai, the Green Lotus Sword Celestial, had left behind. It was already difficult for him to deal with the first challenge, he could not even do anything during the second and third challenges that became progressively harder.

“Just take it.” Duan Ling Tian was not surprised by Zhang Yi’s polite refusal. He only smiled faintly after speaking before he continued to move forward. He had no intention of taking the Celestial Sword from Zhang Yi at all.

Meanwhile, Liu Xia stared at the Celestial Sword in Zhang Yi’s hands enviously. Ever since she had entered the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone, she had not obtained any treasure yet.

“Brother Ling Tian, wait for me!” Han Xue Nai quickly ran after Duan Ling Tian.

A hint of appreciation flashed through Zhang Yi’s eyes as he gazed at Duan Ling Tian’s back. He quietly put the Celestial Sword away. He had decided to accept Duan Ling Tian’s kindness.

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The following three challenges, naturally, got progressively harder as well. However, they were nothing to Duan Ling Tian. He was able to pass through the challenges effortlessly.

After they passed the sixth challenge, the scenery changed again. Duan Ling Tian thought to himself, “There should be a Divine Ability after we passed the sixth challenge!”

Previously, they were in a desert, now they were in a bamboo forest. A stone tablet lay conspicuously in the bamboo forest. The stone tablet’s surface looked smooth and did not look special. However, it attracted everyone’s attention immediately. How could it not attract their attraction despite its ordinary appearance when it was the only thing in this bamboo forest?

Suddenly, the voice of Li Bai, the Green Lotus Sword Celestial, rang in the air again as clear as bells. “Congratulations on passing the sixth challenge... The stone tablet contains a Divine Ability that I accidentally found in the Devata Realm. At that time, it had no name. After I mastered it, I decided to call it the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords.”

Li Bai’s voice continued to ring in the air. “The Thirteen Green Lotus Swords is a sword-type Divine Ability and has thirteen swords. The strength of these thirteen swords can be combined into a single attack! The strength of the fourth sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords is comparable to the strongest sword-type Divine Ability in the mundane realm. The fifth sword is comparable to an ordinary sword-type Divine Ability in the Devata Realm. Your strength will progressively get stronger as you continue to master it.”

Everyone’s eyes brightened when they heard Li Bai’s words. Based on his words, it was clear that this Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, was not a common Divine Ability even in the Devata Realms.

All of them inhaled sharply when they looked at the stone tablet in the bamboo forest again.

Duan Ling Tian thought to himself, 'I wonder if this stone tablet that contains the Divine Ability, The Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, can be comprehended by more than one person?'

At this moment, Li Bai's voice rang out in a timely manner. "This stone tablet with the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, can be comprehended by more than one person. As long as you put your hand on the stone tablet, you'll be able to begin comprehending it. However, three days and three nights after the first person puts his hand on the stone tablet, it will disappear. Before it disappears, I hope that you'll be able to remember the content of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. Finally, I hope I'll be able to meet whoever manages to completely master the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. Although you can't be considered as my disciple, we can still have a few drinks together!"

Based on Li Bai's words, it seemed that he liked drinking alcoholic beverages. However, the four people in the bamboo forest were not too concerned about that at this moment. They were more focused on the part where Li Bai said the Divine Ability could be comprehended by more than one person. They were relieved since this meant they would not have to worry about being left out.

"Let's go!" Duan Ling Tian smiled faintly when he saw Han Xue Nai, Zhang Yi, and Liu Xia looking at him hopefully. Then, he led them to the stone tablet that contained the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords.

Duan Ling Tian was the first one to put his hand on the stone tablet. Then, the other three quickly followed suit and put their hands on the stone tablet as well. All of their eyes were closed at this moment.

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As soon as Duan Ling Tian put his hand on the stone tablet and closed his eyes, a black figure appeared in his mind. Judging from its form, it should be a man. He could not help but think to himself, 'Could it be Li Bai?' However, he had no time to ponder on that thought since the black figure began to move.

Swoosh!

A sword appeared in the black figure's hand. He wielded it skillfully and moved with a flash, leaving afterimages in his wake. Then, the black figure slashed the sword across the sky, it seemed capable of cutting through everything!

'The First Green Lotus Sword!' A thought appeared in Duan Ling Tian's mind unbidden. He knew then this must be the first sword of The Thirteen Green Lotus Swords.

Swoosh! Swoosh! Swoosh!

Duan Ling Tian was still immersed in his thoughts when the black figure separated into two. The second black figure wielded the sword in a posture different from the first black figure while the first black figure still maintained its posture.

'The Second Green Sword!' Another thought appeared in Duan Ling Tian's mind.

Subsequently...

'The Third Green Lotus Sword!'

'The Fourth Green Lotus Sword!'

'The Fifth Green Lotus Sword!'

After a short time...

'The Twelfth Green Lotus Sword!'

'The Thirteenth Green Lotus Sword!'

Duan Ling Tian did not even react in time when the thirteen black figures had executed all the movements of the thirteen swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords.

It only took the black figures a moment to execute the first to the thirteenth sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords.

Duan Ling Tian could barely keep up with the first three swords. He could not keep up at all after the fourth sword.

'It's too fast! The speed of the figures wielding the sword is extremely fast!' Duan Ling Tian was extremely shocked. He did not expect that even after comprehending the Sovereign Heart Sword of the Supreme Sword Dao Mental Cultivation Method, he still could not keep up with the speed of the fourth sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords.

'If the thirteen swords' movements were combined and used at the same time... I can't imagine it's strength. After all, the Green Lotus Sword Celestial had said that just the strength of the fifth sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Sword is comparable to the strength of ordinary Divine Abilities in the Devata Realms. I can imagine how terrifyingly strong it would be if I managed to comprehend all thirteen swords. Its strength would probably be comparable to those high-rank Divine Abilities in the Devata Realms at that time.' Duan Ling Tian's eyes brightened when he thought about this. The Thirteen Green Lotus Swords was indeed a peerless treasure. He became excited as he continued thinking to himself, 'Even if I only mastered the fifth sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, my strength will rise a few levels!'

Naturally, Duan Ling Tian knew it would be difficult to master the first five swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, let alone the remaining eight swords. However, he was not discouraged. 'What I should do now is comprehend the basics of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. Most importantly, I'll have to memorize all thirteen swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords even if I can't comprehend them yet.'

After all, if Duan Ling Tian could not even remember the movements of the thirteen swords from the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, how was he going to comprehend and master it?

'Although I've already comprehended the Sovereign Heart Sword, I only managed to catch the movements of the first three swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. I'm afraid the other three

people might not even be able to catch the movements of the first sword when they see it for the first time!’

At this moment, Duan Ling Tian discovered the black figure was going to demonstrate the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords for the second time, and he quickly focused his attention on the black figure.

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Duan Ling Tian was right in his speculation. Indeed, Han Xue Nai, Zhang Yi, and Liu Xia could not even catch the movements of the first sword when the black figure demonstrated the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. Before they even regained their senses, the first demonstration had ended!

The demonstration of the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, lasted for three days and three nights. The black figure repeatedly demonstrated the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords to them.

Chapter 2432 How Much of the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, Did You Remember?

When the black figure demonstrated the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, for the 31st time, Zhang Yi finally managed to capture the movements of the First Green Lotus Sword.

‘Great, I can finally see it clearly!’ Zhang Yi was despairing just a moment ago. However, he became excited when he discovered he was finally able to track the movements of the first sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. His eyes that had turned dull brightened immediately.

Zhang Yi was aware that if he wanted to memorize the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Sword, he would need to be able to track the movements of all thirteen swords. He thought to himself, ‘I don’t expect to remember all thirteen swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords within three days and three nights, I only hope that I’ll be able to memorize the first six or seven swords!’

Zhang Yi was not too ambitious, and he was realistic. He would be content if he could memorize and comprehend the sixth sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. After all, the Fifth Green Lotus Sword was already comparable to an ordinary Divine Ability in the Devata Realms. If he managed to master the Sixth or Seventh Green Lotus Sword, he would already be extremely strong!

Although Zhang Yi had managed to fully capture the movements of the First Green Lotus Sword after fifteen minutes, he knew that the subsequent Green Lotus Swords’ movements would only become progressively faster. He would definitely require more time just to capture all the movements of the second sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, also known as Second Green Lotus Sword.

Indeed. It took Zhang Yi roughly two hours before he managed to memorize the movements of the second sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords.

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Meanwhile, Han Xue Nai took almost the same time as Zhang Yi to finish memorizing the movements of the First Green Lotus Sword.

As for Liu Xia, she took half an hour more to memorize the movements of the First Green Lotus Sword.

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Meanwhile, on Duan Ling Tian's side.

'I finally managed to memorize the Tenth Green Lotus Sword!' Duan Ling Tian only had three more swords to memorize!

It was fortunate that Zhang Yi, Han Xue Nai, and Liu Xia were unaware of Duan Ling Tian's progress. Otherwise, they would definitely throw up blood. Three of them had worked so hard just to catch a glimpse of the First and Second Green Lotus Sword's movements and memorize them, but Duan Ling Tian had already memorized the Tenth Green Lotus Sword.

This also meant Duan Ling Tian only needed to memorize the movements of three more swords before he completely memorized the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. At that time, he would be able to start comprehending and mastering this Divine Ability. Based on his progress, he would definitely be able to completely memorize the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords before time ran out.

Duan Ling Tian knew very well why he was able to memorize the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. 'It's all thanks to the Sword Dao Mental Cultivation Method, the Sovereign Heart Sword, that Senior Feng Qing Yang left behind. Otherwise, it would've been impossible for me to memorize the first ten swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords so quickly!'

Duan Ling Tian thought to himself confidently, 'Based on my progress, it would probably take roughly half a day before I completely memorize the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords!'

Alas, things would not always go as planned in life...

Half a day had already passed and Duan Ling Tian had barely managed to memorize the Twelfth Green Lotus Sword.

'It seems like I've overestimated myself. The movements of the last sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords are incredibly fast.' When Duan Ling Tian discovered this, he no longer dared to be complacent and refocused his effort into memorizing the Thirteenth Green Lotus Sword.

At this time, another half a day had passed...

'A little bit more... Just a little more and I'll be able to completely memorize the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords!'

In the end, Duan Ling Tian spent another half a day before he managed to completely memorize the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. Now that he memorized it, even if the stone tablet disappeared, he would still be able to comprehend and master the Divine Ability.

"Finally..." Duan Ling Tian heaved a sigh of relief as he opened his eyes and removed his hand from the stone tablet. Naturally, the black figure that was still demonstrating the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords in his mind had disappeared without a trace as well.

Duan Ling Tian looked around and saw that Han Xue Nai, Zhang Yi, and Liu Xia were all frowning. It was obvious they were having a difficult time memorizing the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. He thought to himself, 'There's one and a half more days left. I hope they'll be able to memorize as much as they can!' He knew how difficult it was to track and memorize the movements of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords

after all. It was not that he looked down on Han Xue Nai and the others, but he truly felt they would not be able to completely memorize the Thirteen Green Lotus Sword. He speculated inwardly that they would not even be able to memorize ten of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords before they ran out of time. After all, each sword would get progressively faster.

“There’s nothing I can do to help them with this...” Duan Ling Tian murmured to himself before he sat at the side and began to comprehend the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, that he had memorized.

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A day and a half flew by in a blink of an eye, and the stone tablet under Han Xue Nai, Zhang Yi, and Liu Xia’s hands disappeared into thin air accompanied by a soft sound.

At this time, the scenery changed again, and they found themselves in a lavish hall.

“Hm?” At this time, Duan Ling Tian who had been comprehending the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords opened his eyes in surprise. ‘One and a half days have passed? I managed to master the first sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords during this time. Moreover, I’m halfway through mastering the second sword of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. I’m certain I’ll be able to completely master the Second Green Lotus Sword if I were given another two days!’ He was delighted when he thought about this.

After a while, Duan Ling Tian turned to look at Han Xue Nai, Zhang Yi, and Liu Xia who seemed to have just regained their senses. He asked, “How’s everyone feeling? What do you think of the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords? How many swords did you manage to remember?”

“Brother Ling Tian, I only managed to remember four swords out of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords...” Han Xue Nai smiled bitterly. “It seems like I’m not suited for the Sword Dao and have no fate with the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords.”

Although the first four swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords were powerful, they were only comparable to the top Divine Abilities in mundane realms.

Similar to the Divine Abilities in mundane realms, although Duan Ling Tian had completely memorized the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, he could not share it with anyone else.

Duan Ling Tian looked at Zhang Yi and Liu Xia and asked, “How about both of you?”

“I only memorized until the Third Green Lotus Sword...” Liu Xia said as she forced a smile on her face, feeling helpless. Although she had mastered the first three swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, it was weaker than the offensive Divine Ability from the mundane realm that she had comprehended. For this reason, she did not plan to comprehend the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords.

“I managed to memorize the first six swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. I’m confident I would have been able to memorize the seventh sword if I had two more hours...” Zhang Yi sighed even though he was satisfied with the result. He knew that the Sixth Green Lotus Sword was comparable or even greater than ordinary Divine Abilities in the Devata Realms.

When Duan Ling Tian heard Han Xue Nai and Liu Xia's words, he did not have high expectations for Zhang Yi. Therefore, he was pleasantly surprised when he heard Zhang Yi's words. "That's not bad!" This proved that Zhang Yi was gifted in the Sword Dao.

"The Sixth Green Lotus Sword?!" Han Xue Nai and Liu Xia were shocked when they heard Zhang Yi's words. They did not expect the gap between them to be so wide.

Liu Xia looked at Zhang Yi and said, "Congratulations, Zhang Yi... If you're able to successfully comprehend and master the first five swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, when you become an Eminent Celestial, coupled with the Celestial Sword, you'll be as strong as a Four Tribulation Bodiless Celestial! Combined with the various techniques from the Celestial Masters Sect, your strength should be comparable to a Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial!" Her eyes were filled with envy and admiration when she spoke.

"It's pure luck. I'm just lucky," Zhang Yi replied humbly.

At this moment, Han Xue Nai asked Duan Ling Tian, "Brother Ling Tian, how much of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords did you memorize?"

Zhang Yi and Liu Xia instantly shifted their attention to Duan Ling Tian as their eyes shined with curiosity.

How much of the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, did Duan Ling Tian memorize?

Chapter 2433 Fall Out

"Thirteen swords!" Duan Ling Tian said slowly with a faint smile on his face as Han Xue Nai and the other two people stared at him intently.

Thirteen Swords!

Upon hearing Duan Ling Tian's words, the other three were stunned speechless. Although they had expected that he would have an easier time memorizing the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, they did not expect him to completely memorize the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords.

All of them were amazed. To be able to completely memorize the Divine Ability from the Devata Realm, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, meant that he would be able to comprehend and master the Divine Ability in its entirety.

Liu Xia's face was filled with disbelief as she asked, "Duan Ling Tian, you... Are you sure you managed to see all the movements and memorize all thirteen swords?" It was only natural that she felt skeptical. After all, she had personally experienced how difficult it was to memorize the movements of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords. Moreover, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords was an extraordinary Divine Ability even in the Devata Realm.

Duan Ling Tian only grunted when faced with Liu Xia's skeptical gaze. After a while, he said indifferently, "There's no need for me to explain this. It's up to you if you choose to believe it or not."

Initially, Duan Ling Tian still had a rather good impression of Liu Xia even though she was hesitant to act that time when Rong Bo had threatened them to kick Duan Ling Tian out of the group. He could understand her hesitance at that time. However, her skeptical gaze and doubtful words really angered

him this time. After a while, he said, "Is it necessary for me to lie about this? Is there any benefit to me lying?"

"I..." Liu Xia was stunned speechless when she heard Duan Ling Tian's words. She felt embarrassed and regretful. If she had a chance to start over, she would not have asked him that question regardless of how much she doubted his words. She thought to herself bitterly, 'It's too late to do anything now... Since the incident with Rong Bo, Duan Ling Tian has already become distant. He even gave the Celestial Sword to Zhang Yi first. Now that I made him upset again, I'm afraid there won't be any gain for me even if I continue to follow him.' At this moment, a complex expression could be seen on her face.

Meanwhile, Han Xue Nai chimed in, "Brother Ling Tian, I believe in you!" She was slightly unhappy when she saw Liu Xia doubting Duan Ling Tian earlier. Once she heard his words, her expression turned cold immediately when she looked at Liu Xia. In fact, even a hint of anger could be seen in her eyes.

Zhang Yi said, "It's true. There's no need for Duan Ling Tian to lie." Although he was shocked, he did not think Duan Ling Tian would lie. Throughout their time together in the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone, he felt he knew what kind of person Duan Ling Tian was. He could not say that he knew Duan Ling Tian very well, but he was certain Duan Ling Tian would not lie about this.

Han Xue Nai and Zhangyi's words were like needles to Liu Xia's ears. Her face turned red before they turned pale. After a while, she turned to look at Duan Ling Tian and said in a low voice, "Duan Ling Tian, I think there's no point in me continuing to follow you. It's better if we part ways from here onwards..."

When Liu Xia was about to leave the heaven-rank treasure left behind by the Green Lotus Sword Celestial, Duan Ling Tian suddenly called out to her, "Wait! I know what's going through your mind at this moment. There's no need for you to worry. If we run into any Celestial Supreme Treasure after this, it'll be yours. I'm not a petty person and wouldn't act unfairly just because of your words."

"Really?" Liu Xia did not seem happy at all when she heard Duan Ling Tian's words. Instead, she sneered. "Aren't you just trying to get me to follow all of you so you can leave me behind to die during one of the challenges?"

Upon hearing Liu Xia's words, Duan Ling Tian frowned. Although he had a good temperament, these words had truly angered him. "What are you talking about?!" If he really wanted her dead, would she even be alive now?

"Liu Xia, what nonsense are you spewing?!" Han Xue Nai was furious. She thought to herself, 'This Liu Xia! How dare she question Brother Ling Tian's integrity!'

"Liu Xia, what's your problem?" Zhang Yi's expression had changed as well. He did not expect her to say such things.

"Are you saying it's not true?" Liu Xia continued to sneer. "Duan Ling Tian, based on your strength that you displayed recently, if you didn't intentionally hold back, how could Wang Shi have died?"

"You think I intentionally killed Wang Shi?" An unsightly expression on Duan Ling Tian's face. Wang Shi had been killed in one of the human-rank treasure vaults because Duan Ling Tian did not expect the challenges to be so difficult. As a result, he did not have time to cast the Elementary Devouring Tactic to

save Wang Shi. He did not expect that Liu Xia would accuse him of deliberately holding back his power and letting Wang Shi die.

“Isn’t that so?” Since Liu Xia had made up her mind to leave, it seemed like she did not think there was a point in holding her tongue anymore. Her sneer became more pronounced as she said, “With your strength, you could have breezed through the challenges. If you didn’t hold back, would Wang Shi have died?”

“So you’re insisting that I intentionally let him die?” Duan Ling Tian was angry that he started laughing. “What reason do I have to harm him?”

“Isn’t it because when Rong Bo asked us to kick you out of the group, both Wang Shi and I hesitated for a moment. You must be angry, that’s why you let him die!” Liu Xia said with a cold smile.

“Based on your words, I should still be angry at you. Why are you still alive then?” Duan Ling Tian asked as he narrowed his eyes.

“Who knows? Perhaps, you’re just trying to look kind in front of Zhang Yi.” Since Liu Xia felt there was nothing left for her to lose, she did not bother to hide her wicked thoughts anymore.

Zhang Yi who had been remaining quiet most of the time spoke up at this moment, “Liu Xia, Duan Ling Tian is not that kind of person!”

“Zhang Yi, you can never know a person’s heart... I advise you to be careful!” After saying this to Zhang Yi, Liu Xia turned and left. Since there were no obstacles when one left the heaven-rank treasure vault, she was able to smoothly leave the place.

After Liu Xia left, Duan Ling Tian asked with a wry smile on his face, “Zhang Yi, do you also think I deliberately let Wang Shi die?”

“Of course not!” Zhang Yi said without any hesitation, “To be honest, after I witnessed your true strength, I have, indeed, thought about that incident. However, I believe you just didn’t have time to save Wang Shi. I don’t think you deliberately let him die. There’s no way you would deliberately let him die! If you really wanted Wang Shi or Liu Xia dead, it would be easy for you to kill them. What’s the point of bringing them along with us just to kill them?”

After hearing Zhang Yi’s speech, Duan Lingtian chuckled. All of the frustration caused by Liu Xia before had disappeared completely. He thought that as long Zhang Yi believed him, it was enough. After a while, he said, “Come on! Let’s go and see what the seventh challenge has in store for us!”

To be honest, Duan Ling Tian was not particularly interested in the minor inheritance that the Green Lotus Sword Celestial left behind, which they would obtain after passing the ninth challenge. However, since they were already here, he decided to finish the remaining three challenges in the heaven-rank treasure vault.

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Meanwhile, Liu Xia who had left still felt extremely dissatisfied. She muttered to herself, “If it weren’t for Wang Shi and I, would they have even found that place?” Even after a while, she found that her anger

did not subside. For this reason, she decided to spread the word about the heaven-rank treasure vault to everyone she met along the way.

It did not take long before many people learned about the heaven-rank treasure vault.

“What? A heaven-rank treasure left behind by Li Bai, the Green Lotus Sword Celestial? He’s a legendary figure in our Yan Huang Realm! I didn’t think he would become a Great Overarching Golden Celestial after only 1,000 years!”

“I heard there’s a Celestial Sword and a Divine Ability from a Devata Realm as well!”

“Let’s go check it out!”

“Why are you in such a hurry? We’re Bodiless Celestials, there’s no way for us to enter the place. There’s no chance for us to obtain the Divine Ability from the Devata Realm or the Sword Dao that’s contained in the minor inheritance left behind by the Green Lotus Sword Celestial. The only thing we have a chance to get our hands on is the Celestial Sword.”

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At this time, a crowd had begun to form outside the underground palace. Most of these people were Bodiless Celestials. These Bodiless Celestials could only wait outside since they could not enter the heaven-rank treasure vault.

Swoosh! Swoosh! Swoosh!

Those who were not Bodiless Celestial did not hesitate to fly into the heaven-rank treasure vault as soon as they arrived.

Chapter 2434 The Celestial Technique, the Destructive Celestial Thunder!

“Hm?” After Duan Ling Tian, Han Xue Nai, and Zhang Yi passed through the seventh challenge in the heaven-rank treasure vault that was left behind by Li Bai, the Green Lotus Sword Celestial, they heard the sound of wind whistling in the air.

In just a blink of an eye, three of them were surrounded by dozens of people.

“Zhang Yi?” One of the people who surrounded them cried out in surprise. “I didn’t expect you to be so lucky to come across a heaven-rank treasure vault by Li Bai, the Green Lotus Sword Celestial!”

The person who had spoken to Zhang Yi was a young man dressed in white robes with silver edges. When he spoke to Zhang Yi, he had spoken arrogantly and condescendingly as though he was an emperor talking down to his subjects.

“Zhang Yun Fei!” Zhang Yi’s expression changed drastically. It was obvious he did not expect to see the young man here. “You... Why are you here?”

“Why can’t I be here?” The white-clad young man known as Zhang Yun Fei chuckled. “What? Aren’t you happy to see me? I heard that the Celestial Sword in here was obtained by someone called Zhang Yi,” he said condescendingly, “Before I came, I thought it was someone else who had managed to obtain the

Celestial Sword. After all, a loser like you couldn't have possibly obtained it. To my surprise, it's actually you!"

At this point, Zhang Yun Fei's eyes flashed coldly as he said, "Zhang Yi, hand the Celestial Sword over!"

After Zhang Yun Fei spoke, many of the people with him who were impatient began to express their opinions.

"Zhang Yun Fei! Even if you want the Celestial Sword, you can't have it!"

"Everyone here wants that sword. If you want that sword, then, you'll have to fight for it!"

When Zhang Yun Fei heard their words, he scoffed. Then, he said coldly, "Do you think you can stop me? Seeking death!"

Boom!

As soon as Zhang Yun Fei finished speaking, a loud explosion reverberated in the air as a vast energy surged out of his body. Apart from Saint Origin, there was a stronger force contained in his energy.

"Celestial Origin Energy?"

"He's an Eminent Celestial!"

Most people's expressions changed when they sensed Zhang Yun Fei's energy.

However, there were a few people who remained unafraid.

"So what if you're an Eminent Celestial? Do you think you're the only Eminent Celestial in here?"

Both of the Eminent Celestials quickly released their Celestial Origin Energy that was mixed with Saint Origin as well, displaying their strength.

'Two Eminent Celestials?' Zhang Yun Fei did not expect to see two Eminent Celestials in here. He was slightly surprised.

"What? Are you afraid?" The two Eminent Celestials sneered.

"Afraid?" Zhang Yun Fei laughed. "I hope you're not ordinary Eminent Celestials. Otherwise, you'll be killed within two breaths!" He did not seem worried at all. In fact, he seemed extremely confident.

The two Eminent Celestials exchanged a look of surprise. Both of them had the same thought in their minds. 'Zhang Yun Fei is probably stronger than a Three Tribulation Bodiless Celestial. Otherwise, how can he remain so confident?'

Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom!

An earth-shattering explosion sounded out of nowhere at this moment.

Zhang Yun Fei wielded his Thunder Sword and sent his Celestial Origin Energy that was mixed Saint Origin into it. Clouds began to form above him as he waved his sword around. In the midst of the cloud,

purple and white light flashed intermittently, brightening the underground palace. This light, naturally, came from the bolts of lightning.

“Destructive Thunder Celestial!” Zhang Yun Fei cried out.

Zhang Yi’s expression changed dramatically when he saw this. He exclaimed in shock, “H-he has mastered this Celestial Technique!”

“Celestial Technique?” Duan Ling Tian’s eyes widened when he heard Zhang Yi’s words. He had heard Elder Huo speaking about Celestial Supreme Techniques previously. It was similar to the martial tactics in the mundane realms and could be used alongside Divine Abilities. One would only be able to master Celestial Supreme Techniques once one had become an Eminent Celestial since Celestial Supreme Techniques required the Celestial Origin Energy. At that time, Elder Huo had a Celestial Supreme Technique but could not teach it to him since he was far from becoming an Eminent Celestial.

“Celestial Technique?!” The two Eminent Celestials exclaimed in unison. They knew if an Eminent Celestial had mastered a Celestial Supreme Technique, his strength would be stronger than a Three Tribulation Bodiless Celestial. Their survival instinct kicked in immediately.

“B-brother, I don’t dare to take that sword. Y-you can have it!”

“Brother, I don’t want that sword as well. I’ll take my leave!”

The two Eminent Celestials expressed their stance and prepared to leave this place as soon as they could when Zhang Yun Fei’s voice rang in the air. “It’s too late!”

Zhang Fei’s Celestial Origin Energy that was mixed with Saint Origin surged out of his body again, causing the earth to shake.

Duan Ling Tian narrowed his eyes as he thought to himself, ‘It’s similar to an assist-type Divine Ability!’ He could clearly sense the Heaven and Earth Spirit Energy in the underground palace had been absorbed by Zhang Yun Fei. Although it was nowhere near as powerful as his Elementary Devouring Tactic, it was still much more powerful than ordinary assist-type Divine Ability. He speculated inwardly, ‘It seems like Zhang Yu Fei’s strength is comparable to a Four Tribulation Bodiless Celestial.’

Boom!

As the two Eminent Celestials tried to escape, two bolts of purple lightning struck them. The light from the lightning was so blinding that most people had a difficult time seeing.

When the light finally faded away, the two Eminent Celestials had already disappeared.

Upon seeing this, the people broke out in a commotion immediately.

“Please! Spare our lives, sir! Please!”

“We’re foolish for not recognizing your strength! Please spare our lives!”

How could they not beg for their lives? The two Eminent Celestials who were stronger than them had been turned into nothing in just a blink of an eye! How could they resist? Some of them even fell to their knees as they begged for their lives.

Zhang Yun Fei scoffed. It was clear that he did not intend to spare their lives as he waved his hand.

Boom!

In just a blink of an eye, numerous bolts of lightning struck the ground. It felt as though its power was enough to destroy the entire world! The dozens of people in the underground palace had, thus, disappeared as well.

At this moment, Duan Ling Tian asked Zhang Yi, "Is he the Eminent Celestial from the Celestial Masters Sect whom you previously mentioned? The one who's stronger than a Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial?"

"No." Zhang Yi shook his head. "The person I mentioned is Zhang Yun Teng, Zhang Yun Fei's brother. Before he entered the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone, Zhang Yun Fei's strength was only comparable to a Three Tribulation Bodiless Celestial powers. However, that's only my assumption since I didn't know he had mastered the Celestial Masters Sect's Destructive Thunder Celestial!"

Zhang Yi continued to say, "In fact, Zhang Yun Teng gained strength comparable to Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial due to this Celestial Technique, the Destructive Celestial Thunder, a Divine Ability from a Devata Realm, and Celestial Supreme Treasure."

Duan Lingtian nodded before he said, "This means if Zhang Yun Fei obtains your Celestial Sword, his strength will be comparable to Zhang Yun Teng?"

"Yes," Zhang Yi said with a bitter smile on his face.

"Zhang Yun Teng's Celestial Supreme Treasure should've been given to him by the Celestial Masters Sect, right? Since Zhang Yun Fei has mastered the Destructive Celestial Thunder, won't your sect give him a Celestial Supreme Treasure as well?" Duan Lingtian asked.

"No." Zhang Yi shook his head. "We only have two Celestial Supreme Treasures in our sect. One will be given to the most talented and strongest disciple while the other will be kept in the sect. Unless something happened to his brother, it's unlikely he'll obtain a Celestial Supreme Treasure from our sect."

"I see." Duan Ling Tian finally understood why Zhang Yun Fei was looking at Zhang Yi like a hungry wolf looking at its prey.

Chapter 2435 Giving Him The Celestial Sword

When Duan Ling Tian heard Zhang Yi's words, he knew that even if Zhang Yun Fei had mastered the Destructive Celestial Thunder and possessed strength comparable to a Four Tribulation Bodiless Celestial, with his brother being ahead of him in everything and the Celestial Masters Sect only possessing two Celestial Supreme Treasures, he would never obtain a Celestial Supreme Treasures from the sect. Therefore, he would have to obtain one on his own. Now that he found out Zhang Yi had obtained one, he, naturally, would not let this great opportunity pass by.

Zhang Yun Fei looked at Zhang Yi coldly and said in a condescending tone, “Zhang Yi, hand over the Celestial Sword. If you kneel before me and kowtow three times, I might consider sparing your worthless life!” He spoke as though he was the Grim Reaper, easily deciding Zhang Yi’s life or death.

Zhang Yi’s expression turned unsightly and he clenched his hands tightly when he heard Zhang Yun Fei’s words. He was so furious that his body began to tremble. However, he knew there was nothing he could do since he was no match for Zhang Yun Fei. Suddenly, he felt a hand resting on his shoulder, causing him to widen his eyes imperceptibly.

In just a blink of an eye, a figure had moved in front of Zhang Yi, shielding him.

“Is that so? Why do I feel that you’ll die today instead?” That figure was none other than Duan Ling Tian. Although he had spoken calmly, killing intent could be seen in the depths of his eyes. Zhang Yi was someone he sincerely considered as a friend, and currently, someone was threatening his friend. How could he not feel angry?

Duan Ling Tian continued to say, “He’s my friend, and nobody can casually kill my friends!”

Zhang Yun Fei shifted his attention from Zhang Yi to Duan Ling Tian as soon as Duan Ling Tian stepped forward to shield Zhang Yi. Upon hearing Duan Ling Tian’s words, he said angrily, “You brat! You’re seeking death!”

Zhang Yun Fei’s eyes were cold and his body emitted killing intent when he spoke. At the same time, Celestial Origin Energy mixed with Saint Origin began to surge out of his body. As he lunged toward Duan Ling Tian, he cried out, “Die!”

Boom!

A thunderous sound rang in the air. Clouds began to converge again as a purple and white light flashed intermittently within the clouds.

Everything happened so quickly that Zhang Yi and Han Xue Nai could not even react in time.

Duan Ling Tian scoffed when he saw Zhang Yun Fei casting the Celestial Technique, the Destructive Celestial Thunder. He lifted his hand and the Celestial Sword he had acquired appeared. Meanwhile, his energy circulated through this Ninety-nine Saint Veins and surged out of his body in just an instant.

Whoosh! Whoosh! Whoosh!

Duan Ling Tian cried out, “Sword Wielding Art!” In just an instant, the Celestial Sword that was shooting out sword rays shot out as well.

Indeed. The Celestial Technique, the Destructive Celestial Thunder, was quite extraordinary. Its power was destructive, and it left thunderous explosions in its wake. Unfortunately, the seemingly domineering and destructive technique seemed to suddenly stop in its track. Time seemed to have stopped at this moment.

Duan Ling Tian’s sword shot out and completely overwhelmed the Destructive Celestial Thunder in just a blink of an eye.

Boom!

A deafening explosion sounded in the air, causing the earth to quake. A shockwave swept out, sending Han Xue Nai and Zhang Yi flying. They were slightly injured by the shockwave as well.

Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom!

A series of explosions continued to reverberate in the air, seemingly causing the air to stagnate.

Fortunately, they were not in the mundane realm. Otherwise, the collision of the attacks would have left countless cracks in the void. After all, the power of the attacks was comparable to the full strength of a Four Tribulation Bodiless Celestial.

After a while, the commotion finally subsided.

However, it seemed like there was no clear winner in the battle between Duan Ling Tian and Zhang Yun Fei.

Duan Ling Tian had attacked in a hurry, therefore, he did not have the time to cast his assist-type Divine Ability, the Elementary Devouring Tactic, and the fourth stage of the Sovereign Heart Sword, the Body Sword Fusion. If it were not for this reason, how could Zhang Yun Fei have survived?

Zhang Yun Fei looked at Duan Ling Tian pointedly and said in a low voice, "It seems like you're that Duan Ling Tian from the Saint Province Realm. Not bad! With your Celestial Sword and Celestial Technique, you possess strength comparable to a Four Tribulation Bodiless Celestial. It seems like you're not any weaker than me."

Duan Ling Tian raised an eyebrow and asked, "You've heard about me?"

However, Zhang Yun Fei did not answer Duan Ling Tian's question. Instead, he looked at Zhang Yi and sent him a Voice Transmission. "Zhang Yi, if you hand over your Celestial Sword, I'll kill this man and let you have his Celestial Sword. Moreover, I will not fight you for the minor inheritance from Li Bai, the Green Lotus Sword Celestial. I'll even help you with the challenges so you can obtain the minor inheritance!"

At this moment, Zhang Yun Fei had lost his condescending tone when he spoke. Instead, he sounded quite respectful when he spoke to Zhang Yi. After all, he had fallen into a disadvantageous position. He did not expect Zhang Yi's companion would possess strength that was comparable to his. However, he was certain he would be able to defeat Duan Ling Tian once he obtained Zhang Yi's Celestial Sword. In other words, whether he would be able to kill Duan Ling Tian or not depended on Zhang Yi. Naturally, the promise he made Zhang Yi was just an empty promise. He did not intend to spare Zhang Yi's life at all. After all, once he killed Duan Ling Tian, he could easily kill Zhang Yi. With this, he would obtain two Celestial Swords and the minor inheritance from Li Bai, the Green Lotus Sword Celestial. He had everything planned out in his mind, all he needed right now was Zhang Yi's cooperation.

"Zhang Yunfei!" Zhang Yi shook his head. He knew what was going through Zhang Yun Fei's mind. He said loudly without bothering to use Voice Transmission, "Even if I hand over the Celestial Sword to you, you still won't be a match for Duan Ling Tian!"

Zhang Yun Fei did not expect Zhang Yi to reply to him out loud and flew into a rage out of humiliation. "Zhang Yi! You're dead!" Naturally, he did not take Zhang Yi's words seriously when Zhang Yi said that he would not be a match for Duan Ling Tian. He assumed Zhang Yi was just trying to provoke him.

At this moment, Duan Ling Tian turned to look at Zhang Yi and said, "Since he thinks he can beat me with a Celestial Sword, why don't you give him the sword? I want to see how strong he'll become after getting his hands on a Celestial Sword." His expression was calm when he spoke, it was clear he was not bothered at all.

As soon as Duan Ling Tian spoke, Zhang Yi did not hesitate and took his Celestial Sword out and threw it at Zhang Yun Fei. He said solemnly, "Zhang Yun Fei, you'll soon discover that my words are true!"

When Zhang Yun Fei caught the sword in his hand, an ominous feeling rose in his heart when he confirmed that Zhang Yi had, indeed, given him the Celestial Sword and saw how calm Duan Ling Tian was. He could not shake off the feeling that something was wrong. However, there was no way he could back down now. He had no other choice but to steel his nerves and continue on the path he had chosen.

Zhang Yun Fei thought to himself to calm his nerves, 'He must be exaggerating. There's no way he's telling the truth.' With that thought in mind, he lifted the Celestial Sword and cast his assist-type Divine Ability and the Celestial Technique, the Destructive Celestial Thunder.

"Elementary Devouring Tactic!" At the same time, Duan Ling Tian cast his assist-type Divine Ability and whirlpools began to appear around him. It did not take long before the whirlpools disappeared.

Let alone Han Xue Nai, even Zhang Yi could not get a good look at the mysterious whirlpools.

On the other hand, Zhang Yun Fei could clearly see the technique Duan Ling Tian had cast. He could tell the Duan Ling Tian's assist-type Divine Ability was not inferior to his own assist-type Divine Ability. However, after a while, he discovered that his assist-type Divine Ability was losing out to Duan Ling Tian's assist-type Divine Ability in regard to absorbing the Heaven and Earth Spirit Energy in the surroundings. Fortunately, he had absorbed enough energy to launch his attack.

Zhang Yun Fei thought to himself, 'With this Celestial Supreme Treasure, my strength will be comparable to a Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial. Even if his assist-type Divine Ability is superior to mine, his strength would be on par with mine at best!'

Chapter 2436 The Death of Zhang Yun Fei

The world of imagination was beautiful, but reality was cruel. It did not take long before Zhang Yun Fei learned the meaning of these words.

"Destructive Celestial Thunder!" This time, the strength of the Celestial Technique was much stronger than the one he had cast earlier. It was comparable to the strength of a Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial, a level stronger than his previous attack.

"Sword Wielding Art!" The sword in Duan Ling Tian's hand shot out immediately. Similar to Zhang Yun Fei, it could be seen that the attack was much stronger than his previous one after he had raised his strength using the assist-type Divine Ability, the Elementary Devouring Technique. However, there was a difference between his and Zhang Yun Fei's attacks; the power of Zhang Yun Fei's attack seemed to have risen a level whereas his attack seemed to have risen a few levels.

Boom!

Lightning flashed in the sky before striking down. Its power was destructive!

At this moment, both Duan Ling Tian and Zhang Yun Fei's attacks collided violently. Different from earlier, this time there was no pause. After all, there was only a pause earlier due to the attacks' equal strength.

This time, Duan Ling Tian's Celestial Sword carried with it an even more terrifying and destructive force as it flew out. Its strength was clearly much more superior compared to the Destructive Celestial Thunder.

Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom!

The deafening explosions shook the earth, and a shockwave swept out like a hurricane.

In the face of Duan Ling Tian's attack, the Destructive Celestial Thunder was so weak like a blade of grass. In just a blink of an eye, it was easily nullified by Duan Ling Tian's attack.

Zhang Yun Fei who had exerted all his strength to cast the Celestial Technique threw up blood as soon his attack was nullified. The ground was dyed a dazzling red by his blood. His face was extremely pale at this moment. His eyes were filled with fear and disbelief as he looked at Duan Ling Tian. He said with great difficulty, "H-How's this possible? My strength is comparable to a Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial!"

Zhang Yi scoffed when he heard Zhang Yun Fei's words. He said unhurriedly, "Duan Ling Tian can kill a true Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial if he wants to, let alone an Eminent Celestial like you who only possess the strength of a Five Tribulation Bodiless. How can you compare yourself to him?"

The scene of Duan Ling Tian killing Pei Kun Shan, a Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial, was still vivid in Zhang Yi's mind. Therefore, he was not surprised that Duan Ling Tian had easily defeated Zhang Yun Fei.

"What?! Impossible!" Zhang Yun Fei's body trembled in fear when he heard this. He did not expect the purple-clad young man standing before him possessed such terrifying strength! He thought to himself in anger, 'Damn it! Damn it all! Who was the one who spread the news about this heaven-rank treasure vault that was left behind by Li Bai, the Green Lotus Sword Celestial? Why did that person forget to mention that Duan Ling Tian had obtained a Celestial Sword and is capable of killing a Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial?' At this moment, he had lost all his motivation to fight after witnessing Duan Ling Tian's strength.

Duan Ling Tian stared at Zhang Yun Fei pointedly and asked in a low voice, "How did you find this place? How do you know my name and that I'm from the Saint Province Realm? Who did you hear this from?" He had an inkling of who the culprit was, but he still wanted confirmation.

Previously, Zhang Yun Fei had arrogantly ignored Duan Ling Tian's question, but at this moment, how would he dare to ignore Duan Ling Tian after witnessing his strength? He hurriedly replied without pausing to breathe, "I'm not sure who started the rumor. However, word has been spreading about the location of this heaven-rank treasure vault. Moreover, it's widely known that it's left behind by Li Bai,

the Green Lotus Sword Celestial, from Yan Huang Realm. Apart from that, that person also said there are three people in the treasure vault and each of them possesses a Celestial Supreme Treasure. These people are Duan Ling Tian and Han Xue Nai from the Saint Province Realm and Zhang Yi from the Yan Huang Realm.” He revealed everything he knew, he did not dare to withhold any information at all.

Han Xue Nai’s expression changed as she cried out, “It must be Liu Xia! Apart from her, nobody knows Brother Ling Tian and my name!”

“Liu Xia!” Zhang Yi said through gritted teeth as his body emitted killing intent. Usually, he was patient and was not quick to anger, but he could help but feel angry when he heard that Liu Xia had deliberately sabotaged them after leaving the heaven-rank treasure vault. He thought to himself, ‘Liu Xia really wants us to die!’

Meanwhile, Duan Ling Tian who had his suspicions confirmed remained calm as though he was not angry at all. Who knew if he was truly not affected by this information? After a while, he lifted his hand and the Celestial Sword shot out again. His move was unexpected and carried with it the same terrifying force from before.

“No!!!” Zhang Yun Fei cried out. He did not expect Duan Ling Tian would attack him again. He hurriedly waved the Celestial Sword in his hand in a panic, trying to stop the incoming attack. Unfortunately, he was too slow. In just a blink of an eye, his glabella was pierced and blood gushed out from the wound immediately.

It was no surprise to anyone that Duan Ling Tian had easily killed Zhang Yun Fei. After all his strength was comparable to a Six Tribulation Bodiless Celestial. If he had cast the Body Fusion Sword, his strength would increase to the level of a Seven Tribulation Bodiless Celestial.

Zhang Yi’s expression changed dramatically. He did not expect that Duan Ling Tian would directly kill Zhang Yun Fei after all.

“Is there something on your mind?” Duan Ling Tian asked when he noticed the change in Zhang Yi’s expression. He was confused. Did Zhang Yi not want Zhang Yun Fei to die?

“No, no. There’s nothing on my mind!” Zhang Yi shook his head. However, there was a subtle expression of fear and unease that could be seen on his face.

All these, naturally, did not escape Duan Ling Tian’s eyes. He could tell there was something on Zhang Yi’s mind. “Are you certain?”

“Yes. It’s really nothing,” Zhang Yi said. However, when he saw the look in Duan Ling Tian’s eyes, he finally said, “It’s just that when you killed Zhang Yi, I’m certain his seniors must have been alerted to his death. However, it’s not a big deal since I don’t think they’ll be able to find you. They won’t be able to seek revenge from you.”

‘Minor Major Mirror Image Talisman?’ A thought instantly popped up in Duan Ling Tian’s mind. With the Minor Major Mirror Image Talisman, the scene prior to one’s death would be transmitted to the other holder of the talisman. After a while, he muttered under his breath, “Strange... I didn’t sense the Minor Major Mirror Image Talisman or any Dao talisman from him earlier...’

Although Duan Ling Tian's voice was not loud, Zhang Yi clearly heard his words. He explained, "In Yan Huang Realm, these talismans are not called Minor Major Mirror Image Talismans. Moreover, these talismans are considered to be low-grade in our realm. In our realm, one could inscribe such a talisman on one's body. It functions the same way, but it would not leave a trail behind." After a while, he added, "However, there's no need for you to worry. The Beyond Heaven Secret Zone is so big, they definitely won't be able to find you. Moreover, you're from a different realm."

"They might not be able to find me. However, what about you? I'm certain the scene of him being killed must have included you as well. Moreover, his seniors must know you, right?" Duan Ling Tian asked. At this moment, he finally realized the reason behind the change in Zhang Yi's expression earlier.

When Zhang Yi heard Duan Ling Tian's words, he forced a smile on his face and said, "I'll be fine. At most, I just won't return to the Celestial Masters Sect after exiting the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone. The world is so big, it wouldn't be difficult for me to find another home!"

Duan Ling Tian asked, "Would those people from the Celestial Masters Sect still punish you if they find out you're stronger than Zhang Yun Fei and are highly talented as well?"

"Of course not," Zhang Yi replied, "Strength is important after all. It's also due to this reason that Zhang Yun Fei boldly announced he was going to kill me. Although I'm not ranked as high as he was, I'm still considered as talented in the sect. Similar to him, I have a Dao talisman inscribed on my body as well. If he kills me, the scene would be transmitted to my seniors. However, since I'm ranked lower than him, the sect would probably only give him a light punishment as a formality if he really did kill me. After all, in the sect, he's much more valuable than I am."

Chapter 2437 Eight Tribulation Bodiless Celestial

After listening to Zhang Yi's words, Duan Ling Tian reminded him, "That was before. Currently, not only do you possess a Celestial Supreme Treasure, but you've also obtained an offensive Divine Ability from a Devata Realm. As long as you're able to master the first five swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords, it'll be equivalent to mastering an offensive Divine Ability from a Devata Realm." He paused for a moment before he continued, "If you also master the assist-type Divine Ability that has been passed down for generations in the Celestial Masters Sect and the Celestial Technique, the Destructive Celestial Thunder, your strength will be comparable to a Six Tribulation Bodiless Celestial!"

Zhang Yi smiled helplessly as he said, "I'm not qualified to comprehend that assist-type Divine Ability and the Destructive Celestial Thunder. You're overestimating me..."

"I'm not," Duan Ling Tian said confidently, "If you successfully master the first five swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords and become an Eminent Celestial, with your Celestial Sword, you'll possess strength comparable to a Four Tribulation Bodiless Celestial. Let me ask you this, at that time, when you return to the Celestial Masters Sect, do you think they'll still blame you for Zhang Yun Fei's death?"

Zhang Yi shook his head. "No. However, it might be easy to become an Eminent Celestial but mastering the first five swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords won't be easy." He was well aware of his own capability.

Duan Ling Tian continued to persuade Zhang Yi, "Think about it. It's just like you said, the world is big, you can always find a new home. Before you master the first five swords of the Thirteen Green Lotus

Swords, don't return to the Celestial Masters Sect. When you master it and return to the sect, they won't blame you for Zhang Yun Fei's death!"

Zhang Yi nodded. "Yes, that's what I'll do for now." He had no other choice after all.

At this moment, Han Xue Nai finally spoke up. She could not help but complain indignantly, "Brother Lingtian... Liu Xia has crossed a line! I didn't expect her to be so vicious!"

A cold light flashed in Duan Ling Tian's eyes as he said, "I didn't expect her to do this as well." When he had first met Liu Xia, he had thought she was a rather nice person. He did not expect her to be so vicious. His expression changed and he clenched his hands when he thought about her. He vowed inwardly that he would not let her go if he encountered her again.

Zhang Yi who was nervous about the predicament they were in said solemnly, "At this moment, I'm afraid this heaven-rank treasure vault that's left behind by Li Bai, the Green Lotus Sword Celestial, is surrounded by many Bodiless Celestials..."

Han Xuenai nodded, agreeing with Zhang Yi's words.

Since Liu Xia had spread word about this, if non-Bodiless Celestials like Zhang Yun Fei had heard about it, there was no doubt that other Bodiless Celestials had also heard about it. However, since they were prohibited from entering the heaven-rank treasure vault, they would definitely wait outside for them to come out.

Upon hearing this, Duan Ling Tian did not comment on it. Instead, he said to Han Xue Nai and Zhang Yi, "Let's continue!"

Since Zhang Yi and Han Xue Nai were able to think of it, Duan Ling Tian, naturally, also knew there would be many Bodiless Celestials waiting outside to ambush them. However, there was nothing he could do about it at this moment so it was better to focus on the challenges ahead. What he needed to do now was to raise his strength before he left the heaven-rank treasure vault to maximize his chance of survival when he faced those Bodiless Celestials who were like a pack of hungry wolves.

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Indeed. At this moment, more and more people were gathering outside the heaven-rank treasure vault. Most of these people were Bodiless Celestials. Those who were not Bodiless Celestials had long entered the heaven-rank treasure vault.

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Somewhere in the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone.

Swoosh! Swoosh! Swoosh!

An unknown force gathered in the air before images flashed in the air. The scene that was being transmitted was the moments before Zhang Yun Fei's death and when he was killed by Duan Ling Tian.

It could be seen that the Destructive Celestial Thunder that Zhang Yunfei cast was extremely powerful, but it still could not triumph over the purple-clad young man's attack.

"Who the hell is this person? He's just an Eminent Celestial, but he possesses strength comparable to a Six Tribulation Bodiless Celestial?" An elderly man muttered to himself as he watched the ever-changing scene in front of him.

The elderly man's appearance slightly resembled Zhang Yun Fei, especially their noses. This elderly man was Zhang Yun Fei's grandfather. He was one of the two protectors of Celestial Masters Sect, Zhang Chu He. He was also one of the three strongest people in the sect, only ranked below a Nine Tribulation Bodiless Celestial.

In the Celestial Masters Sect, the most powerful person was the Nine Tribulation Bodiless Celestial. Below him were three Eight Tribulation Bodiless Celestials. Among the three Eight Tribulation Bodiless Celestials, one of them was the sect leader and the other two were the protectors of the sect.

Zhang Chu He's eyes were red as he stared at the purple-clad young man intently. He said through gritted teeth, "I don't care who you are... Since you dare to kill my grandson, I'll definitely kill you!" His body radiated killing intent, and the surrounding temperature seemed to have dropped a few degrees.

After a few moments, he suddenly said when he noticed another person in the images, "This person looks familiar..." After a while, he realized that person was a disciple from the Celestial Masters Sect as well. He exclaimed in surprise, "Zhang Yi!"

Zhang Chu He thought to himself angrily, 'Not only did he stay idle as he watched my grandson die, but it seems like he's acquainted with the purple-clad young man!'

At this moment, the anger Zhang Chu He felt began to swell. His anger was no longer solely targeted at Duan Ling Tian at this moment, it was targeted at Zhang Yi as well. "Damn it! Collaborating with an outsider and killing a fellow disciple! Zhang Yi, you're a sinner! Unforgivable!"

Zhang Chu He was one of the stronger people from the Celestial Masters Sect who had entered the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone. However, even then, there was nothing he could do to avenge his grandson if he could not find the culprits. He knew it would be like searching for a needle in a haystack if he wanted to find the people responsible for his grandson's death. He thought to himself, 'It's fine. When Zhang Yi returns to Yan Huang Realm, I'll be able to kill him. Moreover, I'll probably be able to find the purple-clad young man through Zhang Yi!'

After two and a half years, everyone would be able to sense the point of entrance and exit to their respective mundane realm. Zhang Chu He decided that, at that time, he would guard the point of entrance and exit to Yan Huang Realm to catch Zhang Yi. Meanwhile, he would look for one or two more Celestial Supreme Treasures to increase his strength.

After Zhang Chu He made up his mind, he disappeared in a flash and went on his search for earth-rank treasure vaults in the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone. This was his original objective of entering the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone anyway.

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Meanwhile, inside a human-rank treasure vault in the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone.

A young man who resembled Zhang Yun Fei cried out, "Brother!" A shattered Soul Pearl could be seen in the palm of his hand. Killing intent could be seen in the depths of his eyes at this moment.

This young man wore a white robe with golden edges just like Zhang Yun Fei. This person was none other than Zhang Yun Fei's elder twin brother, Zhang Yun Teng. He was also the strongest disciple among the younger generation in Celestial Masters Sect!

Zhang Yun Teng was delighted when he finally passed the challenges in this human-rank treasure vault and obtained the clue that would lead to the inheritance from a Great Overarching Golden Celestial. Who knew at this time, he would discover that his younger twin brother had died!

Zhang Yun Teng was further enraged when he realized he did not know who murdered his younger brother. The only way for him to find the murderer was to look for his grandfather, Zhang Chu He, since his grandfather would receive the transmitted images of the scene when Zhang Yun Fei died. His voice was cold as he vowed, "No matter who you are and where you're from, you'll have to pay for killing my brother. You'll have to die!"

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Duan Ling Tian was, naturally, unaware of all this. Currently, he, Han Xue Nai, and Zhang Yi were facing the challenges in the heaven-rank treasure vault left behind by Li Bai, the Green Lotus Sword Celestial. It did not take long before they finally managed to obtain the minor inheritance left behind by Li Bai.

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In just a blink of an eye, half a year had flown by.

"No one has come out yet?"

"Half a year has passed, and so many people have gone in, but no one has come out. How big is this heaven-rank treasure vault that's left behind by a Great Overarching Golden Celestial?"

"I-Is it possible that they have all died in there?"

The Bodiless Celestials who were gathered outside the heaven-rank treasure vault looked at each other in confusion as they discussed among themselves. Some of them had come here as soon as they received word about this place, they had been waiting for a long time. A few of them even left after waiting, but the majority of them had stayed.

The ones who remained were extremely powerful Bodiless Celestials. Needless to say, the ones who had left were weaker Bodiless Celestials. After all, with the presence of the strong Bodiless Celestials, they knew they would not gain anything even if they continued to wait. Naturally, there were a few weaker Bodiless Celestials who stayed just to watch the show.

Chapter 2438 Six Months Later

"Is it possible that this heaven-rank treasure vault has another exit?" A Bodiless Celestial asked as he stared at the entrance to the underground palace and frowned.

“No.” Another Bodiless Celestial who was standing nearby shook his head. “Human-rank treasure vaults, heaven-rank treasure vaults, and the inheritance from a Great Overarching Golden Celestial in the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone have only one point of entrance and exit. It has always been so in the past.”

Based on the record left behind by the people who entered the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone in the past, it was said there was only one point of entrance and exit for human-rank treasure vaults, heaven-rank treasure vaults, and the inheritance from a Great Overarching Golden Celestial.

The Bodiless Celestial who had spoken first asked skeptically, “However, in these six months, there are at least 100 non-Bodiless Celestials who have entered the treasure vault. Isn’t it strange that not even one of them has come out?”

“Yes, it’s rather strange. However, it doesn’t mean there’s another point of entrance and exit in the heaven-rank treasure.” After a while, he shook his head and continued to say, “There are only two possibilities; either all of those who entered are dead or they just simply haven’t come out yet...”

Many Bodiless Celestials who were present agreed with this Bodiless Celestial’s words. Naturally, many of them also felt dissatisfied. They had been waiting out here for so long, and yet, they did not gain anything at all.

Swoosh!

A gust of wind appeared as a figure could be seen flying from afar before arriving before all the Bodiless Celestials in just an instant.

“He Run?” One of the Bodiless Celestials recognized the young man who had just arrived. This Bodiless Celestial was an old man who was dressed in a simple and common robe. Due to this reason, he looked particularly unremarkable among the group of Bodiless Celestials.

The young man was taken aback when he saw the old man, he did not waste any time and respectfully greeted the old man, “Greetings, Elder Qi!”

The young man, He Run, was from the same sect as the old man. However, he had only met the old man a few days before he entered the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone for the first time. At that time, he had learned that the old man was a rare Seven Tribulation Bodiless Celestial from his sect! Moreover, it was said that the old man was even stronger than the Seven Tribulation Bodiless Celestial who was the leader of the young man’s group. He really did not expect he would meet this old man here.

“He Run, did you come here because of the heaven-rank treasure vault?” The old man asked He Run.

“Yes.” He Run hurriedly nodded. He felt a jolt of fear when he scanned his surroundings. There were at least 50 to 60 people around, and they were mostly Bodiless Celestials. It seemed as though they were guarding the entrance to the heaven-rank treasure vault. As a cultivator at the Ninth Form of the Saint Celestial Stage, he was, naturally, pressured by the presence of so many Bodiless Celestials.

“I’ve been waiting here for six months now,” the old man said to He Run, “At least 100 people have entered the heaven-rank treasure vault during this time, and among these people, there were many Eminent Celestials as well, but no one has come out yet.” The old man paused for a moment before he said, “Please think it through before you decide to enter the heaven-rank treasure vault.”

“Elder Qi, I want to enter the treasure vault!” He Run replied without any hesitation. The moment he entered the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone, he was already prepared to face all kinds of dangers. After all, there would be no fortune without any risks. He had to take the risk if he wanted to obtain a Celestial Supreme Treasure, a Divine Ability from a Devata Realm or the inheritance from a Great Overarching Golden Celestial!

“Hmm.” The old man did not dissuade He Run. After all, he had his own selfish motive as well. He wanted to see if there was any kind of danger in there. If something were to happen to He Run, he would be able to find out the situation inside. After all, he had He Run’s Soul Pearl, and he had a Dao Talisman that corresponded with He Run’s Mirror Image Dao Talisman.

“Elder Qi, I’ll go now,” He Run said to the old man. He did not hesitate as he flew into the underground palace under the watchful eyes of the Bodiless Celestials present on the scene.

After He Run entered the heaven-rank treasure vault, another Bodiless Celestial asked the old man, “Big brother, is he a junior from your sect?”

“Yes.” The old man nodded slightly.

“So, does this mean you have his Soul Pearl?” Another Bodiless Celestial asked.

“Not only do I have his Soul Pearl, but I even have a Mirror Image Dao Talisman that corresponds to the one he carries!” The old man said.

The eyes of the Bodiless Celestials brightened when they heard the old man’s words. After all, they knew this meant the old man would be able to find out what was happening in the heaven-rank treasure vault.

As soon as the old man finished speaking, the old man lifted his hand as a Soul Pearl appeared in his hand. This Soul Pearl belonged to He Run who had just entered the underground palace.

Many of the Bodiless Celestials shifted their attention to He Run’s Soul Pearl.

In just about 10 breaths, the Soul Pearl in the old man’s hand suddenly shattered, causing fear to rise in the many Bodiless Celestials’ hearts.

“Dead?”

“He died so quickly? He had only entered the treasure vault for less than 20 breaths, right?”

“I wonder what danger lurks in this heaven-rank treasure vault?”

Shock and disbelief could be seen on the group of Bodiless Celestials’ faces when the Soul Pearl shattered. After all, the young man had just entered the heaven-rank treasure vault. How did he die so quickly?

Since those people who had entered the heaven-treasure vault before this were not the juniors from their sect, they, naturally, did not possess those people’s Soul Pearls. For this reason, they were unaware if those people were still alive or not. They were completely unaware of what was going on

inside. However, based on the shattered Soul Pearl in the old man's hand, it seemed like the heaven-rank treasure vault was incredibly dangerous. A cultivator at the Ninth Form of the Saint Celestial Stage had died within 20 breaths after entering the treasure vault.

At this moment, many Bodiless Celestials turned to the old man and urged him, "Big brother, shall we take a look at how he died?"

On the other hand, a shock expression could be seen on the old man's face as he looked at the shattered Soul Pearl. He muttered to himself, "He died so quickly?" Although he did not expect much from He Run, he still did not expect He Run would die so quickly. He was, naturally, curious about how He Run died. As he took out a Mirror Image Dao Talisman, he thought to himself, 'I want to see if He Run died from one of the challenges in the treasure vault or if someone killed him!'

As soon as the old man tore the Dao Talisman, a mysterious force appeared before it transmitted the scene of what had happened to He Run.

The Mirror Image showed He Run with three other people. There was a purple-clad young man who was sitting cross-legged in the air. Phantoms wielding swords were swiftly moving around his body.

"Is he comprehending a Divine Ability?" A Bodiless Celestial asked excitedly, "Is it possible that this is the offensive Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Sword, that's contained in this heaven-rank treasure vault?"

"That's possible." Many Bodiless Celestials nodded in agreement.

"Indeed. This is a Divine Ability from a Devata Realm. It's a sword-type Divine Ability, and it should be the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords!"

"Based on the rumors we heard, there were originally three people who entered this heaven-rank treasure vault. One of them is a purple-clad young man from the Saint Province Realm who's known as Duan Ling Tian. Before he entered this treasure vault, he had already obtained a Celestial Sword. This purple-clad young man should be Duan Ling Tian!"

"Apart from the Celestial Sword, it seems like Duan Ling Tian has also obtained the Divine Ability, the Thirteen Green Lotus Swords!"

"Those two who are flanking Duan Ling Tian should be Zhang Yi from Yan Huang Realm and Han Xue Nai who's also from the Saint Province Realm. Rumor has it that both of them also possess a Celestial Supreme Treasure each!"

"This means there are three Celestial Supreme Treasures in total!"

The eyes of the Bodiless Celestials waiting outside the underground palace were extremely bright when they saw Duan Ling Tian, Han Xue Nai, and Zhang Yi in the Mirror Image.

Many of them had stayed for so long outside of the heaven-rank treasure due to the Celestial Supreme Treasures that three people possessed. Now that they saw the three were alive and well, how could they not feel excited? This meant they did not wait in vain.

Meanwhile, some Bodiless Celestials were curious. “Why are there only three of them? Where are the rest?”

Someone said grimly, “Can’t you see the bloodstains on the floor? If I’m not mistaken, they have been killed by these three people!”

True enough, the Mirror Image Dao Talisman showed what happened to He Run.

What happened to He Run was very simple. As soon as he entered the heaven-rank treasure vault, it did not take long before he met Duan Ling Tian, Han Xue Nai, and Zhang Yi. He exchanged a few words with Zhang Yi before he charged at Zhang Yi. Unfortunately, in just a blink of an eye, Zhang Yi summoned a bolt of lightning to kill him.

After watching this, a Bodiless Celestial from Yan Huang Realm cried out, “This person is Zhang Yi. He’s from the Celestial Masters Sect in Yan Huang Realm!”

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“Based on his attack and strength, his strength should be on par with He Run. However, the sword he wields is indeed extraordinary. It should be the Celestial Sword he obtained from this heaven-rank treasure vault!” Many Bodiless Celestials took notice of the sword that Zhang Yi wielded.

Although both Zhang Yi and He Run’s strength was the same, Zhang Yi had easily killed He Run. The Bodiless Celestials could easily see it was due to the sword that Zhang Yi wielded. It was obvious that the sword was a Celestial Sword. When a cultivator at Ninth Form of the Saint Celestial Stage wielded a Celestial Sword, he or she would have strength comparable to an Eminent Celestial!

“Celestial Sword!” The Bodiless Celestials were staring at the sword in Zhang Yi’s hand greedily.

“Celestial Masters Sect of Yan Huang Realm?” A hint of fear could be seen in the eyes of the old man who came from the same sect as He Run when he heard someone say the person who killed He Run was from the Celestial Masters Sect. His fear was only natural since the Celestial Masters Sect was one of the top forces in Yan Huang Realm. Even among the top forces, the Celestial Masters Sect was quite extraordinary.

Although the sect the old man was from was not one of the top forces in his realm, he was not from Yan Huang Realm. For this reason, the fear in his eyes disappeared quickly as he thought to himself, ‘So what if he’s from the Celestial Masters Sect? It shouldn’t matter if I don’t kill him, I can still snatch his Celestial Sword away!’ In his opinion, he would not offend the Celestial Masters Sect as long as he did not kill Zhang Yi. After all, Zhang Yi could only blame himself for being incompetent and could not protect the Celestial Sword from being taken away.

Whoosh!

It did not take long before the Mirror Image disappeared with a soft noise.

At this moment, all the Bodiless Celestials were filled with greed after watching the scene transmitted by the Mirror Image. Before the Mirror Image, all of them were unaware of what happened in the heaven-rank treasure vault, and they were not certain if anyone had obtained the Celestial Supreme Treasure in the treasure vault. They feel assured now that they knew the Celestial Supreme Treasure

had been obtained, it was just that the person had not come out. Although they knew all of the more than 100 people that entered the heaven-rank treasure vault had died, they were not afraid. After all, those people who entered the heaven-rank treasure vault were not Bodiless Celestials. Most of their strength was not comparable to Bodiless Celestials at all.

“I can’t wait for them to come out!”

“Be patient! They’ll have to come out eventually!”

Initially, some Bodiless Celestials had already gotten impatient and were prepared to leave. However, after watching the Mirror Image, all of them had discarded the idea of leaving. All of them were eagerly staring at the entrance of the underground palace, waiting for the people inside to come out.

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In the northern region of the Upper Province of the Dao Martial Saint Land.

In a misty valley surrounded by ice mountains, Gan Ru Yan bade farewell to Qing Huo and the Old Prophet. At this moment, she was prepared to enter the black hole in the void.

“Master, Senior Prophet... I’m going in now.”

Now that Gan Ru Yan had broken through to the Seventh Form of the Saint Celestial Stage, she was ready to enter the Sword Saint Secret Zone. Naturally, she was unaware that she was about to enter the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone, not the Sword Saint Secret Zone.

“Since Si Ling is cultivating, I won’t kiss her goodbye. Please take good care of her,” Gan Ru Yan said before she left. Before Qing Huo or the Old Prophet could respond, she had already disappeared into the black hole.

Qing Huo sighed when he saw this. In the end, he could not stop his direct disciple from entering the Sword Saint Secret Zone. Although he wanted to accompany her, he was prohibited from entering due to being a non-Bodiless Celestial who was more than 100 years old.

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Somewhere in the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone.

A lady who had just exited a human-rank treasure vault muttered to herself, “This... Eldest sister has come in as well?” The woman was holding a Feng Shui compass at this time. Her beautiful eyes looked at the Feng Shui compass for a moment before she flew away.

This lady’s hair fell on her back like a waterfall. Her figure was graceful, and her appearance was stunning. More importantly, her appearance was identical to Gan Ru Yan. This lady was none other than Duan Ling Tian’s wife, Ke’er.

If this was a month ago, Ke’er would not have been able to sense Gan Ru Yan’s presence even though they were twins. The reason Ke’er could sense Gan Ru Yan’s presence now was due to the increase in her strength.

Since her cultivation base had improved when she regained some of her memories from her past life, not only did her strength increase, but she discovered her senses to her surroundings were also getting more acute. For this reason, she easily sensed Gan Ru Yan when Gan Ru Yan entered the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone. Naturally, this was also largely due to the blood connection between them.

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Meanwhile, Gan Ru Yan discovered she was in a stone forest after she entered the black hole. At this moment, she could hear the sounds of explosions as though people were fighting. She heard people roaring as well.

“The Celestial Supreme Treasure is mine!”

“I want this Celestial Supreme Treasure as well!”

Gan Ru Yan moved closer to the commotion and saw a few people fighting. Apart from that, she saw many onlookers standing at the side. She looked around her surroundings before her eyes finally fell on the area below where the people were fighting. She thought to herself, ‘Celestial Supreme Treasure? There’s a Celestial Supreme Treasure here?’

Gan Ru Yan had seen a crescent knife floating above a towering boulder. She could tell the knife was extraordinary with just a glance. She felt her heart beating wildly in her chest as she thought to herself, ‘That must be the Celestial Supreme Treasure!’ She did not expect she would encounter a Celestial Supreme Treasure as soon as she entered the black hole.

Gan Ru Yan suddenly jolted, realizing something was amiss. ‘No! Isn’t this the Sword Saint Secret Zone?’ Only the members from the Seven Absolutes Sect and the people she knew had entered the Sword Saint Secret Zone. Nobody else had come in. Was this place not the Sword Saint Secret Zone? She continued thinking to herself, ‘I remember Senior Prophet saying the key he has to the Sword Saint Secret Zone is not the only key around... Other people might have the key as well! These people probably entered using the other keys.’

Gan Ru Yan continued to study the people in the distance. ‘It seems like these people who are fighting are Bodiless Celestials...’ She discovered that the people who were fighting were much stronger than her. She continued observing the situation before her and eavesdropped on the conversation of the onlookers.

“Who do you think will obtain the Celestial Supreme Treasure in the end?”

“I think one of the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials will obtain the Celestial Supreme Treasure. After all, they are the strongest among the people vying for the Celestial Supreme Treasure. The others don’t stand a chance at all,” a middle-aged man said.

Hearing this, Gan Ru Yan instinctively turned to look at two people who were fighting fiercely. It seems like other people were avoiding them as they fought.

'It seems like those two must be the Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials!' Gan Ru Yan was amazed. She could hardly capture the movements of the two people. It was not difficult for her to tell those two people were the Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials.

Gan Ru Yan continued thinking to herself, 'However, their strength seems inferior to Di Chen from the dragon clan. I guess that's to be expected since Di Chen was on the cusp of becoming a Six Tribulation Bodiless Celestial.' Prior to this, she had met Di Chen, the Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial, when she was still the Sect Leader of Fire Worship Sect. At that time, Di Chen was forced to apologize and kowtow to Duan Ling Tian, her brother-in-law. This incident had increased her brother-in-law's notoriety in the Upper Province of the Dao Martial Saint Land.

Gan Ru Yan had also, naturally, heard that Di Chen had failed his sixth Bodiless Celestial Tribulation and died. She was aware that he had failed his tribulation due to his obsession with her brother-in-law. For this reason, Di Huan, the Supreme Elder of the dragon clan and a Seven Tribulation Bodiless Celestial, was seeking her brother-in-law in the Upper Province to avenge Di Chen!

After a moment, Gan Ru Yan turned her attention back to the other Bodiless Celestials present on the scene. 'It seems like all these Bodiless Celestials are quite strong as well...'

'Hmm?' Suddenly, Gan Ru Yan discovered an onlooker was slowly approaching the Celestial Supreme Treasure, taking advantage of the fact that the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials were distracted and engaged in a fierce battle. 'He plans to steal the Celestial Supreme Treasure?'

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'Will he be able to succeed?' Gan Ru Yan thought to herself.

Apart from Gan Ru Yan, a few people had noticed the man's action as well.

'He's getting close to the Celestial Supreme Treasure!' Gan Ru Yan could not help but feel nervous on behalf of the man when she saw he was merely a few meters away from the Celestial Supreme Treasure.

Boom!

A loud explosion rang in the air suddenly, causing the void near the Celestial Supreme Treasure to shake violently. The shockwave sent the man who was approaching the Celestial Supreme Treasure flying.

The explosion caught the attention of the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials.

"Trying to steal the Celestial Supreme Treasure?"

"Seeking death!"

Gan Ru Yan watched as the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials stopped fighting and began to furiously attack the man who tried to snatch the Celestial Supreme Treasure from under their noses.

Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom!

In a blink of an eye, the attacks from the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials converged on the man and exploded, producing a small mushroom cloud. After the mushroom cloud dispersed, there were no traces left of the man who had tried to steal the Celestial Supreme Treasure!

Gan Ru Yan felt chills running up her spine when she saw this. She knew this man had been killed by the Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials and not even his body was left.

At the same time, those who were inclined to follow in that man's footsteps when they saw he intended to steal the Celestial Supreme Treasure sighed in relief.

"L-luckily, I didn't go..."

"Fortunately, he went before me. Otherwise, I'd be the one who died!"

Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom!

A series of explosions rang in the air again as the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials resumed fighting. At this point, nobody dared to take advantage and attempted to steal the Celestial Supreme Treasure.

Gan Ru Yan speculated inwardly, 'I'm afraid none of the Bodiless Celestials present would have a chance to get their hands on the Celestial Supreme Treasure unless the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials are both heavily injured.'

Boom!

Bang!

At this moment, the attacks from the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials landed on each other. Both of them were severely injured. However, it did not stop them from fighting.

Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom! Boom!

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Thunderous explosions continued to reverberate in the air as the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials continued their fierce fight. As time passed, the number of wounds on both their bodies increased as well. At the same time, their auras were also weakening.

Nevertheless, the other Bodiless Celestials present on the scene still did not dare to make a move. After all, as the saying went, 'A lean camel is still bigger than a horse!' A Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial was still stronger than them even if the Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial was injured.

All of a sudden, a burst of laughter could be heard as the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials were fighting. Soon after, a muscular middle-aged man appeared.

As soon as the muscular middle-aged man showed up, he instantly charged toward the two severely injured Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials. He said happily, "Thank you!"

Gan Ru Yan could clearly sense this man was also a Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial. She thought to herself, 'It seems like this person is looking to benefit from these two people's fight!'

At this moment, the crowd broke into an uproar as well.

"He's a Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial!"

"Heavens! There's another Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial! Moreover, it seems like he has been here since the beginning. He was just waiting for the right opportunity to strike!"

"He's too sly!"

At this moment, even the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials had stopped fighting, staring at the newcomer with a hint of unwillingness and fear in their eyes. Who would have expected that when they fought each other, they were actually creating a chance for another person? As they severely injured each other, the chances for the other person became even better.

Many of the onlookers were discussing among themselves. Most of their attention was on the muscular middle-aged man.

"It seems like the newcomer is going to be the winner!"

"That two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials have exhausted almost all of their strength. Even if they join forces, they won't be a match for the newcomer even though they're all Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials. Does this mean the Celestial Supreme Treasure will fall into the newcomer's hands?"

At this time, the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials who were injured finally made a decision to join forces.

"Damn it!"

"Let's join forces. Otherwise, we'll certainly die, and he'll be able to obtain the Celestial Supreme Treasure without expending any effort!"

Would the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials would be able to win after joining forces? The answer was no. Even if both of them were badly injured, they still had strength comparable to a Four Tribulation Bodiless Celestial. However, their strength was nothing compared to a Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial who was at his prime! After ten strikes, the two injured Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials were easily killed by the middle-aged man. The middle-aged man did not sustain any injury at all.

Gan Ru Yan thought to herself, 'This man's strength seems comparable to Di Chen, the Seven-clawed Golden Dragon!' Based on this, it's obvious the muscular middle-aged man is stronger than two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials even when they were at their prime.

The crowd began to discuss among themselves again. Some of them felt the muscular middle-aged man was shameless while some of them thought he was just being smart.

"He's clearly stronger than the two Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials!"

“He’s too shameless! Although he’s clearly stronger than them, he still waited until those two were injured before he made his move!”

“How’s this shameless? He’s just being smart. If he appears in the beginning, he might only be able to defeat one of those two. Moreover, if those two joined forces in the beginning, he might even be defeated.”

Whoosh!

Just like a gust of wind, the muscular middle-aged man moved and reappeared near the crescent saber that was a Celestial Supreme Treasure. His eyes shone as he looked at the crescent saber. “This Celestial Saber is mine!” He lifted his hand, preparing to break the Formations shrouding the Celestial Supreme Treasure.

At the same time, the onlookers continued discussing among themselves.

“We’ve been working for half a day, and yet, we gain nothing in the end!” A Four Tribulation Bodiless Celestial could not help but laugh bitterly.

“He’s too strong. I’m afraid there are not many Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestials in the Beyond Heaven Secret Zone who are stronger than him.”

“It’s not just about his strength. He’s really patient and cunning as well!”

Everyone, including Gan Ru Yan, thought the Celestial Supreme Treasure would undoubtedly fall into the muscular middle-aged man’s hands at this moment. However, life had always been unpredictable.

An ancient voice rang in the air as an elderly man dressed in a grey robe appeared. “Who said the Celestial Supreme Treasure belongs to you?” He was staring intently at the muscular middle-aged man who was preparing to destroy the Formations shrouding the Celestial Supreme Treasure. He gazed at the middle-aged man as though he was looking at a dead man.

Everyone, including the muscular middle-aged man, was not aware of the old man’s presence.

While Gan Ru Yan stared at the old man, a gust of wind blew past her ears. A voice that was very pleasing to the ears rang by ear. “Eldest sister.”

“Ke’er?” Gan Ru Yan exclaimed in shock as she turned to look at the source of the voice, no longer caring about the old man who had just appeared. She saw a lady who looked identical to her standing by her side. The lady was none other than her twin sister, Ke’er.

“Elder sister, you’ve broken through to the Seventh Form of the Saint Celestial Stage?” Ke’er’s appearance did not attract much attention since most people’s attention was focused on the grey-clad old man.

The crowd was in an uproar again.

“I-is he a Five Tribulation Bodiless Celestial as well?” Many of them were shocked by this development.

Meanwhile, Gan Ru Yan nodded her head when she heard Ke’er question. “Hm.” However, a hint of skepticism and curiosity could be seen in her eyes as she looked at Ke’er. She still remembered the

scene when Ke'er vanished into the black hole. According to Mu Yi Yi, Ke'er's strength, at that time, was comparable to a Three Tribulation Bodiless Celestial or possibly even stronger!

Although Gan Ru Yan was delighted for her sister, she was curious and confused. How did her sister become so strong? She opened her mouth to ask the burning question in her mind, "Ke'er..."

Bang!

A loud explosion interrupted Gan Ru Yan at this moment. She turned to the source of the explosion and discovered that the muscular middle-aged had been killed by the grey-clad old man.

Before the muscular middle-aged man died, he gasped. "Six... Six Tribulation Bodiless Celestial..." These were his last words.

The people present on the scene felt their hearts skip a beat when they heard the muscular middle-aged man's dying words.

"Six Tribulation Bodiless Celestial?"

"H-he's the real winner!"

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