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Chapter 191 A Crisis For The Li Family (Part Two)

'It seems that they have left the Valley Town after creating a stir, ' Lanny thought.

He ordered his men to expand the scope of their search to the regions around Valley Town.

But the town was true to its name. In other words, it really was a valley and around it was nothing but continuous high mountains surrounded by dense jungles. It wasn't easy to find a dozen people there.

The second day, news came that the people who had been sent out were dead. A bamboo slip had been stuck in every dead person's body. There was a number on every one of those slips.

The largest number on the bamboo slips was 95.

Apparently, one bamboo slip meant that one person was killed. So within two days, 95 members of the family had been killed. Ninety six if one counted Benson.

Seeing so many cadavers lying around in the ancestral hall of the Li Family, the members were extremely alarmed. It seemed that a shadow of death was covering their family these days.

From that day onwards, not one member of the Family dared to go out alone. Some of those who were yellow-bellied didn't even dare to step out of their houses.

Austin, Mindy, and the others were lying down and resting in the open space of a grove.

The grove was ten miles away from Valley Town and therefore, safe.

about a dozen people of the Zhang Family there too. They were all looking pretty excited. For the last several days, each one of them had killed several members of the Li Family. Whereas for the last seven years, they had been forced to

were nine men of middle age surrounding Mindy

past few days, the Li Family's members, whose cultivation base of vital energy was said to be quite powerful and high,

admired him a lot. Besides, in their eyes, there was no doubt that Austin was going to get married to Mindy. That was to say, he was also going to become a member of the Zhang Family one

have killed 95 people of the Zhang Family in the last few days. When will

the men

and weaken their fighting will. That way, we

I believe the whole Li Family is getting into a panic now. I would like them to suffer a bit

Mindy replied calmly.

another crop of more than forty men of the Li Family

slip with a number was

so the Family had to go to nearby towns and buy more coffins. When people asked them why so many people were dying in the family, they would always respond with the excuse that it was

to keep the truth contained. Soon, almost all the people in Valley Town knew that it was the Zhang Family coming

task. Women and children were gathered in

who dared to go out alone was sure to be dead when people next

the seventh day, the last surviving son of Lanny, his first son, Ellison, was cut into pieces. Less than half of

was killed right at the corner, only about 600 meters way from the Li

corner with four of his family

Judging from their backs, it looked like they were a pair of young man and woman.

In a very short while, the four people accompanying Ellison were killed. And then Ellison was punched into pieces, with more than half of his body so smashed that it could not be recovered.

On the eighth day, inside Lanny's study, two men were seen discussing something secretively.

One was Lanny, and the other one was an old man clad in black.

"Uncle Wang, it looks like our Li Family is facing a deep crisis. I want you to go to the Black Mountain Fortress and find my brother there. You need to ask him to help me. Only with his help, can we deal with this disaster. Uncle Wang, you are the person I trust the most. And I believe that only you can fulfill this task."

"My lord, don't worry too much. The chief of Black Mountain Fortress is one of us. Now, when our own family is in trouble, he will surely spare no effort to help us."

"That's all well and good. But uncle, remember to be careful and shelter yourself well. Keep it a secret that the chief of Black Mountain Fortress is my brother, or else we will be in an unfavorable position."

"Believe me, my lord. I will be careful."

"OK, then you should leave at once. You can pretend to be a servant of the Li Family. Keep to yourself and if people ask, then say that you are leaving the Family because you are frightened. I think you'll be able to leave safely that way. On observing for several days, I have found that the remaining people of the Zhang Family only kill the clansmen of our Li Family. They haven't harmed anyone else."

"Don't worry, my lord. I will handle it."

Uncle Wang said. Then he set out on his mission.

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Chapter 192 Breaking Into The Li Clan's Grand Courtyard

The whole Valley Town was covered in the darkness. The moon was so bright, and the stars twinkled magically in the sky.

A grand courtyard, located in the northern part of the town, covered a large area. Around it stood well-constructed buildings that looked dignified. Two noble-looking stone lions were standing each side of its gate.

However, even with its grand architecture, everything inside the courtyard was old and shabby—the walls were broken, and there were weeds, snakes, and mouse that housed in its interiors. It was obviously abandoned.

At that moment, more than ten people stood at its gate, which had already been opened. They intently gazed around the Zhang Clan's Courtyard--a place which was once glorious and magnificent. Now, it looked the opposite. The people, at the sight of the forgotten place, shed tears.

The person leading them was Mindy. She bore her teary eyes at the ruins of the Zhang Courtyard.

A young man was silently standing still not far from her. He looked a little thin, his arms around his chest and his lips pursed into a grim line.

He understood the despairs of the other people from the Zhang Clan and did not want to interrupt that emotional moment.

After a while, Mindy and other members of the Zhang Clan walked towards the young man.

"Austin, do you really think we should break into the Li Clan's courtyard tonight?" Mindy asked him.

She gazed at him, full of trust for the young man who had been her companion and savior.

The other members of the Zhang Clan regarded Mindy as their leader. But Mindy knew clearly that Austin was far better than her when it came to cultivation base and wisdom, and it was also him to devise their plan.

"Yes, I think it is better to do it immediately. This is the right time to fight against the Li Clan face to face. Moreover, four days later, it will be the Top Ten Outer Disciples Ranking Challenge," Austin explained.

Mindy was suddenly enlightened, covering her mouth with her pretty hand.

"I am sorry. I almost forgot about it," she said in a low voice.

The past few days, Mindy had been occupied thinking about taking revenge and had almost forgotten about the Top Ten Outer Disciples Ranking Challenge. Now Austin had mentioned it, she suddenly remembered it was important to him.

"Are you worried that we might not be strong enough if we recklessly break into the Li Courtyard?"

looking at her tensed face.

embarrassed, but she

some sort of strategy to kill the people from the Li Clan, they could already do it with sheer strength.

Li Clan's Courtyard. It seemed to be difficult for their small group to fight against them, for they were clearly outnumbered.

all killed in no time. Now, they were sole survivors of the Zhang Clan,

ask all the others to hide somewhere else. After we succeed defeating the Li Clan, you can ask them to come and rebuild your clan," Austin reassured Mindy, figuring that she might be worried about her people.

Mindy's mind and tried

She stared at

into the Li Clan's courtyard?" Mindy could not believe what

other members of the Zhang

the Li Clan's Courtyard. Even if you two are at a high level of cultivation base, you cannot defeat so many people. It is too dangerous for both

and was the only hope in restoring their clan. The rest of the members wouldn't

safe," Austin uttered to all the other members

elixir field was stored with enough vital energy. If Austin used up all of it, the vital energy stone could

meant there were three cultivators--Austin, Mindy, and Violet--who would break into the Li Clan's courtyard. If ever they

Austin wanted to finish dealing with all the cases in the Valley Town and to be able to go back and make earlier preparations did not want to delay anymore and had decided to fight against the Li Clan face to face—to

you,"

him. She had spent a lot of time with Austin, and Mindy had known that he was not an impulsive man who would foolishly dive into a

somewhere,"

you should think

man

doing," Mindy stopped him before he could finish his

her head.

be careful. We will be waiting for your good news," the middle-aged

Mindy and Austin's minds. Both of them appeared to be determined for

Austin and Middy came rushing in the direction of the Li Clan amidst the darkness then hovered from the

Clan together for the

He sat in the chair, depressed and looked nothing like the usual dignified head of the Li Clan. His three sons had been recently killed--one after another. It was a heavy blow to him, and he looked really old.

"We, the Li Clan has lost more than one hundred members in the past few days," Lanny said firstly.

On this thought, Lanny's eyes illuminated a cruel gaze and became red like that of an injured beast.

"In total, there are two hundred and twenty-three people dead. All of them are our principal members," a man announced.

"Can you conclude how many of the Zhang Clan appeared this time?" Lanny posed another question.

"It seems there are only more than ten of them," the man replied.

"It's impossible! How can their number possibly kill so many of us? They can't make our clan suffer from just more than ten of them!

Lanny blurted out, unwilling to admit the reality. His face was in despair and total desolation.

"Master, is it possible that the people from the Zhang Clan came with powerful allies?

They can't do this only with the few people left. They are not strong enough," another man asked.

It was Lanny's cousin, and both were around the same age. He held the second position in the Li Clan, next to Lanny. He was tall, thin and shrewd.

"Hm! I have thought about it already. It seems to be the case. Based on our fight, the ones who are lucky enough to escape are all at low cultivation levels. The highest are only at the sixth or seventh level of the Energy Gathering Realm while the rest are at the third to fifth level. But the one who killed my son is at least at the Earth Realm, and he is definitely not from the Zhang Clan. There is only one who has such a high cultivation base in the Zhang Clan--it is Zachary, the one we have imprisoned."

"Then who is it? Who will stand behind the Zhang Clan and fight against the Li Clan?"

All of the members were silent, and the meeting hall became tensely sedated.

The Strongest cultivator among all the members of the Li Clan was Lanny, who was at the Earth Realm. If the Zhang Clan had invited an ally who was at the same level, it would be difficult for them to handle the fight. Moreover, if it was right, that also explained why there were so many members of the Li Clan who had been easily killed.

All the members of the Li Clan who died were at the Energy Gathering Realm. If a cultivator at the Earth Realm was truly standing against them, it was to no wonder why it took him little effort in killing so many people....

In that instant, a figure opened the door of the meeting hall and rushed inside--it was a servant. He walked hastily into the meeting hall and reported, "Master, there are people who claimed to be from the Zhang Clan. They broke into our gate!"

"What? Members of the Zhang Clan?" Everyone in the meeting hall was stunned to hear the servant's report.

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Chapter 193 Fight Face To Face

Lanny was also surprised at the news. He stood up suddenly, walked over to the servant, seized his collar and barked, "How many people?"

"T-two. Two of them are coming!"

the servant replied, frightened.

"Two of them?"

Every Li in the room was stunned, yet again.

Lanny frowned as if he couldn't believe what he had heard. He asked again, "You said that only two people from the Zhang Clan broke into our courtyard, didn't you?"

The servant nodded vigorously.

"So those two Zhang idiots really think that we Lis are so weak? What are they thinking? Do they really think they can take on our whole clan? Just the two of them?"

Lanny let go of the servant as he laughed coldly.

"Okay, now I want to see how powerful the so-called members of the Zhang Clan are. Are they supermen? They think they can get away with it?"

He shook his head and turned to his servant, his eyes and voice cold. "It will be to our advantage if they come here, which saves our time and effort. Tell everyone in the courtyard to close the gate and block the exit. Our Courtyard is not a place they can barge in and exit as per their whims and fancies!"

"Yes, master," the servant said and turned around swiftly to leave and do as Lanny had asked.

have a look and see who it is that gives such great

a laugh, he walked over the front of the courtyard with long, deliberate strides. The others hurried to keep up

Lanny, soon saw that there were two figures standing at the gate.

He was wearing a grey gown. The young woman was of slender build and had a pretty face.

writhing and moaning in pain. The

head of this Clan. It's nice to meet you,"

you will stay here forever!"

were badly injured and some, he realized were dead. He stepped forward and pointed a finger at Austin. He wanted to be as cruel Austin smirked.

I am not a member of the Zhang Clan. My family name is Lin. The lady here is the one you should be talking to. I was just helping her because of the contemptible things you've done to her clan. I came here with her because I'm a gentleman and it is unfair for her

only a helper and that it was the girl who was the Zhang. The helper was so calm and collected, as though he was

one. It's a pity you will

into helping her against the Li Clan.

of them, Lanny was confident that he could defeat them, even if both had high cultivation bases. He

the Li Clan was gathered in the courtyard once they had received

into the front

calm as he was. She had aroused her dragon feminine constitution and had broken through

Clan in Valley Town

front yard slowly without freaking out even though he saw there were more and more cultivators from the Li Clan appeared as if he did not

you have great courage!" Lanny said, gritting his

want to admit it. He waved his hand, and at his

After the new gate was shut, more cultivators spilled onto the courtyard and surrounded Austin and Mindy. Every one of them had a weapon in their hands and cruelty writ large on their face. Their weapons shone cold under the light of the moon.

The huge crowd of Li Clan warriors led Austin to shake his head pityingly.

"Don't even think of winning, the devil couple! We won't fight you oneto-one but I will defeat you in the surest way possible and kill both of you. You will regret coming to the Li Clan's Courtyard tonight!" Lanny said, his voice ringing with impending savagery.

Lanny smiled coldly at Austin, expecting Austin to be frightened at the little speech and the fact that both of them had been surrounded by so many cultivators.

Austin nodded as Lanny spoke. He knew that Lanny wasn't a fool. He was the leader of the Li Clan and had a high level of cultivation base. If Austin were Lanny, he wouldn't fight one to one, either. There was no fairness in the world at all. There was no fairness in the world, but as long as it could achieve the target regardless of how mean it was, it had to be a good way. Losers were always in the wrong, and Austin fully agreed.

"Kill them!" Lanny screamed an order, pointing at Austin and Mindy. There was great killing intent in his voice.

The order incited a roar of rage in the clan members, and they charged at Austin and Mindy, their weapons held high.

Covered by the crowd, Lanny stared hatefully at the two young people, both of whom still looked calm. "No matter who you are, you will die tonight!" Lanny yelled, voice cold as ice.

"You think these people, who are as weak as ants, will kill us? Send in more and I still will not fear them!" Austin said, a smile growing on his face.

Austin looked around at the cultivators of the Li Clan. He was pretty confident as most of them were at level four to seven of the Energy Gathering Realm.

A bright light glittered, followed by the appearance of a red sword in Austin's hand, his Violet Royal Sword.

Dozens of sword lights appeared as quick as lightning, each containing sword intent as well as powerful killing intent.

These sword lights all contained Austin's vital energy force. He had scattered his strength by splitting his vital energy into dozens of pieces and attached each piece to a sword light. It wasn't as powerful as the strength he had gathered to a point. But each piece was powerful enough to kill members of the Li Clan.

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Chapter 194 The Slaughter (Part One)

Austin brandished the lethal Violet Royal Sword, which glowed strong with ten rays of threatening sword-light. Suddenly, six fighters of the Li clan leapt in front of him, challenging him to combat. Austin hardly blinked, waved his mighty sword and its rays of light over the men. Howls, cries and shrieks could be heard as the light stabbed them. In a few seconds, the six had died.

As the sword-light was still gleaming, Austin decided to put his Windcommanding Skill into action. In a flash, he slid forward and stopped in front of a fighter, who was not yet dead. Then, Austin fiercely swerved his sword and stopped barely an inch away from his neck.

No, he did not use the sword to kill the man. Instead, he used his mighty fist which capable of exerting 1000-pound force.

As he mentally exerted himself, clattering and roaring sounds came out of his clenched fists and filled the atmosphere. He drew in a deep breath and stirred cold howling winds around his body. The very sight of this struck fear into his opponents' hearts. Like a fearsome predator, he threw his fist and hit the man hard in his chest, knocking him out of breath. Austin's skillful punch fell right on the man's solar plexus. As he gasped for a shred of breath, the man felt as if a sack of sand had fallen and bored a big hole into his chest. He could feel the blood oozing out and his insides bulging from his back.

At only level four of the Energy Gathering Realm, the man's strength was no match for Austin's. He was doomed to be killed. Austin's lethal blow flung the body into the air for about five seconds, and then the body landed with a dull thud, crushing the man's spine into a thousand pieces.

In the blink of an eye, Austin had vanquished him. From his release of the sword-light, to his pummeling the Li Clan man into the sky, Austin was fighting combat at the speed of light. Those who saw the slaughter couldn't catch all the details and wondered about the warrior.

Now, the man lay on the ground, dead and broken. Silence blanketed everyone.

fear. Not in their wildest dreams had they thought that they would confront as mighty a warrior as

been there all this time seeing Austin's impressive displays and killer moves. 'Who would have guessed that Austin would be so strong by now?' she thought.

you waiting for?

state irked Austin. This was hardly the time to daydream. So Austin shouted out loud to jolt her into action. Back to reality, Mindy took in the urgency of the moment and saw what was around. Still, her cheeks were flushed with embarrassment as she realized her

streak of icy blue light. With her sword firmly in her hands, she strode forward at the Li Clan men, raring to fight. In a flash, she activated her dragon feminine

few moments, she perceived a chance to attack. She deftly jumped up and stabbed Li Clan men

two of them fell and a fountain of blood spritzed out of each one's mouth. Their bodies on the ground shook violently in fits and then, stopped moving completely: they were dead. Tasting her first success, boosted Mindy's confidence and strength. Again, she applied all

for the Li Clan at all. From what they had anticipated, they were a far superior bunch to Austin and Mindy due to the number of people they had on their side. The few burly men in the group, of course, bolstered their view and confidence as they imagined them

putting plan B into action. But, to their disappointment, as soon as they applied the second plan, Austin used his Wind-commanding Skill and flitted to another location. Not a single

hefty person. And yet, the strength of Austin's fists was otherworldly magnificent. Getting a hit meant the end

Just in ten minutes, Austin walloped twenty fighters to death.

"They both have the cultivation base of the Earth Realm," said a man, standing next to Lanny.

Before the fight had started, Lanny and a few of his advisors had anticipated Austin and Mindy's cultivation base to be something else. Now that they saw for themselves that both belonged to the Earth Realm, they regretted their earlier readings a great deal. They wistfully thought that they should have thoroughly investigated the two to see where the fight could have led.

Lanny began to despair surrounded by all the lifeless bodies around him. He realized that he had overreached himself and brought a great loss to his clan. How come he didn't sense this outcome in advance? His heart was filled with a sense of oppression and great regret.

Now, under such circumstances, defeating Austin and Mindy looked like an impossible goal despite having the advantage of numbers. He now knew that both Mindy and Austin, fighters of the Earth Realm, could hardly give him hope of tilting the balance in his favor. Even if Lanny himself engaged in the combat, the whole situation would remain a challenge. In fact, staying on the battlefield and facing the pair was a threat to him.

Going over his analysis, Lanny decided to step back and beat a hasty retreat. Quickly, with an unsaid understanding, he looked for places where he could leave unnoticed.

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Chapter 195 The Slaughter (Part Two)

And yet, Lanny's suspicious movements caught Austin's attention at once. Austin snorted in contempt noting Lanny's intention of running away.

"Violet, come out and free me from fighting these men. Lanny is scheming to run away. I can't stop him while these men are keeping me busy. You take care of these men. I will go deal with Lanny," Austin said.

Austin transmitted his message to Violet through his mind.

Instantly, a flash of green light shot through the gate and entered the front yard of the Li Clan's mansion. Gradually, the light fell slowly on the ground and turned into a beautiful, sweet girl in a soft silken green dress. The men of the Li Clan became distracted by the sudden appearance of the girl. But the girl, undeterred and started to take down a few of them. Unlike Mindy, whose fighting pattern was swift and silent, the girl used the tactic of moving seductively and diverting their attention from the fight in order to kill them without any resistance.

This girl too, was an Earth Realm fighter.

Lanny was completely taken aback by this new threat.

As if Austin and Mindy weren't already too much for him to defeat, now they had added new blood to their strengths? And again, the new girl sapped her strength from the Earth Realm. Winning was certainly the last thing on Lanny's mind.

Lanny realized that it would do him no good if he stayed. Now he hurried to get out of there, trying to preserve the effective strength in his clan. Fight of today was doomed to fail and it would be a miracle if all of them got out of this disaster unscathed. Although other than the men who were engaged in combat, Lanny commanded a highpowered backup team. He had trained them for years and planned to use them in case of a situation like this. He would never reveal this team if not for something really critical. He thought he ought to keep himself from harm's way before this team finally revealed itself.

Black Mountain Fortress's men should arrive any minute. The head of the Black Mountain Fortress was known to have a cultivation base of the Earth Realm, and on top of that, all his men were cruel, merciless and afraid of nothing. Stringing together these advantages, Lanny

to defeat these three Earth Realm

not to weigh his pros and cons, Lanny thought that it was best to escape from a battle whose outcome

was still occupied by the fight with a couple of the Li Clan men. Unintentionally, Mindy glanced

thought Mindy but then she could not tell where exactly she had seen her. 'How did she just appear out of nowhere and is

came alive in

remember all its details, Mindy

the fox that captured Austin at first then was subdued by Austin later? How did

out!

Violet, out of the blue. She turned around and

felt awful for becoming lax on the battlefield. Looking in front, Mindy just caught the sight of a long sword coming straight for her to stab her in the stomach. Violet's presence had taken her eyes and mind off the battlefield and now the tip of the sword was about to

the long sword to avoid the attack. Jolted by the close shave, Mindy vowed not to think of anything else.

fighting field, the front yard of the Li Clan, was covered

number of the dead men had

'Damn it! From where did these fighters of the Earth Realm come? How did the Zhang Clan manage to hire such powerful allies to help them with their revenge?

How thoughtless of us to not have wiped out every living soul of the Zhang Clan seven years ago! We wouldn't have had to see so much of trouble now.'

Lanny kept on cursing as he felt unable to come to terms with his own weakness as a warrior.

"As the master of the Li Clan, how can you sneak out of the battlefield abandoning your men to death? They should be so disappointed at you."

A mocking voice came from behind. Scared, Lanny decided to turn around and see who it was. It was the young man, who swished past him and stood in front.

Austin stood tall to keep the despicable Clan Leader from running away. "Well then, if you so insist, I can only strike you to death as you have come tailing me for it. Don't ever think that I am frightened of you, boy." Having no choice, Lanny retorted with bravado. Given the situation, Lanny now had to fight. Staring viciously at Austin, he slowly pulled out his exquisite steel long spear. Let out, the spear breathed out chilly, piercing winds that started to wrap Lanny in circles as he held the spear to the sky.

Lanny was a wee bit relieved too. It was just one of them, just Austin to challenge him. Defeating the three together looked absolutely impossible, but maybe defeating one wasn't out of the question. As he scanned Austin's strength, he saw that he was in the Earth Realm, but had entered its preliminary stage not too long ago. Lanny in comparison had been in the Earth Realm for nine years. Moreover, he had a feeling that his strength had been on par with that of the medium stage.

Fortified by these ideas, Lanny hurried into his battle with Austin with the singular aim of ending his enemy's life.

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Chapter 196 The Blood Dragon Spear Skill

Lanny raised his spear slowly while staring at Austin. His intention to kill was driving all the vital energy in his body, making him heat up drastically. There were even invisible energy waves flowing on the surface of his skin.

He had accumulated so much resentment in his mind recently as so many members of the Li Clan, including his three sons, had been killed. The atmosphere inside the courtyard became tense at that moment. It was the basic reason why Lanny had given all his efforts, utilized all of his skills, and even gave his full strength the moment he joined in the fight. God knew how he wanted to kill the young man so much! Sensing his vital energy fluctuating, Austin inhaled deeply and wore a serious expression. He was confident that he wouldn't get hurt today. However, the fact that his opponent was a high-level cultivator from the Earth Realm still made him a little nervous.

He had already experienced fighting against cultivators at the Earth Realm before coming to the Valley Town. He had successfully killed three ones before he came here.

Two of them were Madden and Rankin from the Flaming Sun Valley, while the other one was from the Blood Wolf Team.

However, the first two cultivators from the Flaming Sun Valley were killed while defending the power of the Four-sided and Eight Trigrams Array. It was he who killed the last one with the help of Violet.

With these things said, this was the first time that Austin was fighting against someone from the Earth Realm alone. He might have looked relaxed at the moment but he was actually very cautious inside his mind.

Austin raised his Violet Royal Sword and awakened the vital energy inside his body. A mildly golden aura began spreading out of Austin's elixir field and flowed inside the energy meridian quickly. It finally reached the surface of his body and the Violet Royal Sword started to quiver due to his vital energy's force.

On the other hand, Lanny easily sensed that Austin's cultivation base was basically for beginners. It was obvious that Austin was just at the starting level of the Earth Realm compared to him who had been inside it for nine long years. How could this young man be this courageous? Honestly, even Lanny didn't think that there was anyone within the same level as him that could defeat him. Thus, he cocked his head to one side and glared at Austin with contempt.

be too arrogant just because you have broken through the Earth Realm at such a young age. I will make you regret opposing our roared in a low voice and stomped on the ground heavily. Then without a warning, his spear started to quiver. Plum blossoms appeared at the tip of his weapon. The blossoms were bright red as though they were made from blood. In an instant, the blossoms flew in the air

the special skill of those who were in the Earth Realm. They could give off their own vital energy and form different shapes to attack anyone from a far distance. Cultivators at the Energy Gathering Realm could not do this, except if their weapons were like darts. All they could do was to attach their vital energy to any weapon in their

be in different ways and the power of

and had grasped it extremely well. His intention to kill Austin that time was beyond words, so he wasted no time to attack. Immediately, Austin's body was cut

to the blood-red plum blossom, he couldn't help but admit that Lanny indeed was a master of

Thus, his injuries from the blood-red plum blossoms didn't go too deep. Should he not practiced the Overlord Body-refining Formula, he could have

red-plum blossom just scratched Austin's skin. He

flying blood-red plum blossoms, Austin gave off his spiritual sense and shielded the surrounding space. He needed to

was as light as catkin in the wind. One swift move and the Violet Royal Sword in his hand attacked like pouring

it, the one thousand pounds force conducted from each punch was worth it. It was also

chose to use Illusory Swordsmanship.

Austin was indeed a skillful swordsman.

blood-red plum blossoms appeared from his weapon. He then had the blossoms

cunning viper who disappeared into a white shadow, Without being noticed by others, he charged towards Austin in a wily and cruel way. He thought that

was hidden behind the blood-red plum blossoms, so ordinary cultivators couldn't see it. However, Austin's spiritual sense made

Knowing that Lanny would be attacking him secretly, Austin started his Wind-commanding Skill again. His tiptoe pushed on the ground slightly and made his body flew back a little. At the same time, the Violet Royal Sword in his hand stretched out all of a sudden to the direction where Lanny was. The tip of his sword immediately collided against the tip of Lanny's spear, stopping it from its brutal attack.

Clinking sounds filled the place

as both of the cultivators' body moved quickly. The spear and the sword created sparks whenever these weapons hit each other. The sound was ear-splitting and brittle.

"You are different from ordinary cultivators indeed. No wonder you're this bold to come, neglecting so many people here. However, don't think you can defeat me if you only have such strength, little stinker," sneered Lanny as he stopped fighting.

He pulled his spear back and waved it casually. It seemed like he had changed his spear skill. Soon Lanny started his spear so swiftly that the spear seemed to tear up the air around it and the sharp sound was heard.

Austin used his Violet Royal Sword again and tried to fight with the spear in the same way he did earlier.

But just before the sword's tip touched the tip of the spear that was quickly rushing towards him, the spear quivered slightly. The head of the spear began moving by itself like a living snake. The straight and tough spear suddenly became soft and started to wind. It wound around the Violet Royal Sword and continued to move forward. When it avoided the sword's tip, the spear suddenly sped up and shot towards Austin's neck.

The attack was as fast as lightning and Austin was startled. It was fortunate that his spiritual sense had been covering him completely. He regained himself fast after realizing what had happened.

"How dangerous it is! How amazing the guy is using his spear!"

Looking at the wonderful spear skills, Austin could not help but speak highly from the bottom of his heart.

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Chapter 197 Goes All Out

Seeing that the spear was flying right at him, Austin immediately leaned back and tapped his toe on the ground. The Windcommanding Skill was handy at such critical moments. Austin started floating backwards at an incredible speed about 20 meters, and managed to avoid the attack.

Lanny was confident that his spear wouldn't miss Austin. But when he saw that Austin had dodged his attack swiftly with his incredible skills, his face darkened. He realized that the longer this battle lasted, the worse it was for him. So he didn't say anything more and continued pursuing Austin.

"Eagle Soaring Pace!"

Lanny yelled as he lightly tapped the ground with the tip of his toe. Instantly, vital energy gushed out from his body with such momentum that Lanny flew at high speed towards Austin, like a leaf in the wind. Meanwhile, his long spear twisted again. Wrapped in a cold glow, it stabbed Austin like a spinning viper.

Austin frowned when he noticed that Lanny closing in on him. He looked back and found that Lanny was already turning the corner. Just then, an idea struck him. He jumped up and pressed his feet on the wall. The moment his feet touched the wall, a layer of light golden vital energy covered them. Then, by bending his knees and using his full strength he pushed himself off the wall.

The rebound momentum allowed Austin to hover in the air. Summoning all his vital energy, he waved the Violet Royal Sword and stabbed Lanny a dozen times with robust vital energy force.

"You old bastard! Time's up! Go to hell!"

During the fight, Austin realized that although Lanny's vital energy cultivation base had reached the pinnacle of the preliminary stage of Earth Realm, he would be able to defeat him. As Austin had cultivated the Golden Sun Scripture, his vital energy was much stronger than other cultivators on the same level. His vital energy cultivation base wasn't inferior to Lanny's.

Austin wanted to end the fight as soon as possible, so he used all his vital energy to attack. As he had the vital energy stone in his belly, he wasn't worried about using it all up.

battle, Lanny flew into a rage. He roared and rotated his spear. The tip of the spear immediately got enveloped in a whirlwind. It cut through the air

these plum blossoms contained violent vital energy force. Lanny had gone all out and was using his remaining vital energy to fight with Austin.

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"Clang! Clang! Clang..."
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at the corner of the Li mansion

the sword and the spear clash, generating flying sparks

point, they were competing not through skill, but

both Austin and Lanny felt a

further. He realized that the vital energy of the young man in front of

several minutes, they disengaged abruptly, and the sound of the metal clanging stopped. Austin and Lanny stood with their weapons in their hands and looked at each other. A hint of admiration

Your competence is

Maybe it will be a piece of

with a

Don't gloat

him angrily.

stone in his belly. In no time, vital energy gushed out from the stone

times, Austin restored his vital energy

clothes to shake and billow. Even the dust

"You..."

Lanny's pupils contracted in shock. He looked at Austin as if he were a ghost.

"That's impossible! How could you restore your vital energy so quickly?"

Normally, it took cultivators a long time to replenish their vital energy and Lanny had never seen anybody who could recover it as quickly as Austin did. Naturally, he couldn't believe what he had just seen. "Ha-ha! It's not a big deal. For me, nothing is impossible!"

Austin couldn't help but be arrogant seeing Lanny in a state of panic and confusion.

Using the Wind-commanding Skill once more, Austin collected all his vital energy and charged towards Lanny. The Violet Royal Sword in his hand shot a dozen beams of light towards Lanny.

Lanny's eyes were filled with fear as he sensed an extremely strong vital energy force radiating from Austin's body. He had already consumed half of his own vital energy by now, so he had no enough power left to fight with the young man.

Lanny knew that he had no opportunity to escape the incredibly skilled young fellow, so he had to grit his teeth and resist the oncoming attack to the best of his abilities.

After several rounds of sparring, blood sprayed out of Lanny, accompanied by a heart-wrenching moan. On the left side of his chest, there was a long gash and the rib under his wound was now visible.

"Now you know I wasn't just talking big, right?"

Austin asked sarcastically.

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Chapter 198 Look For The Dungeon Of The Li Clan

Feeling the pain in his left chest, Lanny glared at Austin. At the same time, he regretted continuing to fight with Austin. Since he was familiar with the courtyard and his bodily movement skill was almost on par with Austin's, he probably could have managed to escape before using up all his vital energy. However, he had been so set on killing Austin that he hadn't been thinking clearly. The look of regret on Lanny's face didn't go unnoticed by Austin.

"You know you made the wrong decision, don't you, old guy? Well, there's no coming back from it now. You should remember it in your next life.

Now it's time for you to die," Austin said coldly.

Then, he charged at Lanny again.

Austin and Lanny fought for a while before Austin's Violet Royal Sword slit Lanny's neck. Lanny had used up all his vital energy force.

His eyes bulged out of their sockets and blood gushed out from his mouth as he shot Austin a look of pure hatred.

As he slowly slid onto the ground, vital force disappeared from his body bit by bit until his body became cold.

Austin sheathed his Violet Royal Sword with a look of satisfaction on his face.

This was the first time he had defeated a cultivator at the peak of the preliminary stage of Earth Realm. Austin had correctly estimated his own strength.

Now, he thought that at least few cultivators at the preliminary stage of Earth Realm would have to come together to defeat him.

At the level that Austin was on, he could even go up against a cultivator at the medium stage of Earth Realm. . . .

"Austin," Mindy called.

Moments after Lanny was defeated, Mindy arrived at the scene with Violet.

Mindy had become friendly to Violet after fighting by her side just now. Although she knew that Violet was a level three demonic fox, she thought of her as a good sister. four bleeding heads in Mindy's

her voice bursting with

Li Clan of Valley Town could be wiped

Austin's servant only half a year ago. When she'd first met Austin, he had been a cultivator at level five of the Energy

Spiritual Sense Flying Needle, which had resulted in Violet being hurt by

managed to improve his cultivation base at a speed that was beyond anything she had ever imagined. He had already broken through the preliminary stage of Earth Realm

but shake her head. She started to respect and admire her master from the bottom of her heart as she knew that he was stronger than her in both spiritual sense force and

not that she would ever want to. She had a lot to

all, to reach such a high level in the martial arts field, Austin

probably the luckiest thing that had happened to Violet.

she thought about this, there was a glint of admiration in

cultivators of

Lanny were at low levels of the Energy Gathering Realm, but there had

and Violet were at the preliminary stage of Earth Realm, it wouldn't have been easy for them to kill all the cultivators in such a short time. But looking at their expressions now, it seemed that they'd been able to

with me. If I'd tried to fight them alone, I wouldn't have been able to

and gazed at Austin charmingly.

wildly attractive face and

these people?" Austin asked, pointing to the heads in Mindy's

some special reason for carrying these heads

our clan. The other three were our guards. They're the ones who took a lofty

key reason why the Li Clan were able to launch a surprise attack on the Zhang

our clan who died that night so that they

to take Lanny's head as well," Mindy said with tears

in

to Lanny's body and cut his head off, then carried it along with the

Now that Mindy had aroused her dragon feminine constitution, she looked beautiful with snow-white skin, a pretty face, a slim body, a slim waist, and long legs.

But now, such a beautiful girl was holding six bloody heads. Under the moonlight, she looked like a demon.

"I just interrogated one of the people from Li Clan, and it turns out that the leader of Zhang Clan is still alive. He is imprisoned in a dungeon somewhere along with some key members of Zhang Clan.

But the location of the dungeon is a secret and concealed in a place that only the principal members of the Li Clan know about.

I tried asking someone else from the Li Clan but he didn't know anything about it.

That's why I came here in a hurry, I actually wanted to ask Lanny about it.

But I was too late," Mindy explained excitedly.

She'd been overjoyed to find out that more than one member of her clan was still alive.

"If that's true, then we can't delay any longer. Let's split up and look for the dungeon," Austin replied.

The three of them started to look for the dungeon in the courtyard.

The huge courtyard of the Li Clan was empty as everyone had either escaped or been killed.

It was reasonable for them to have run away. After all, it was frightening for anyone in Valley Town to face three cultivators at the level of Earth Realm. Although the Li Clan was the strongest clan in Valley Town, it was difficult for them to fight against three cultivators at the level of Earth Realm at the same time.

So at the beginning of the fight, the smarter members of the Li Clan had fled the courtyard. The fate of the Li Clan wasn't as important to them as their lives were.

Of course, the others hadn't shared the same sentiment. They had valued their clan over their own lives. Unfortunately, despite their courage and loyalty to their clan, they hadn't been strong enough to defeat three cultivators at the level of Earth Realm. All of the clan members who had stayed had been killed.

Austin used his bodily movement skill and quickly ran through the courtyard. Then, using his spiritual sense, he looked for the entrance of the dungeon.

After a while, he sensed something abnormal under a flagstone beside a pond in the backyard. There was an entrance there.

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Chapter 199 Rebuild The Zhang Clan

Locating the entrance of an underground tunnel, Austin immediately summoned Mindy and Violet there. Together, the three of them entered the tunnel.

Inside, they discovered more than 10 cells.

In these cells, Mindy found the principle members of the Zhang Clan, as well as the head of the clan. There were more than 10 of them there. The most exciting part was that Mindy also found her father, whose brother was the leader, and also one of the principal members. In order to find the scripture of Elixir Foundation, the Li Clan had imprisoned most of the principal members of the Zhang Clan and questioned them using harsh methods, including torture, every now and then.

Mindy also found out that her mother had been killed by the Li Clan on the night of the attack. Hearing this, she put her arms around her father and broke down.

After they rescued all the principal members of her clan, Mindy gathered the other members of the Zhang Clan whom she had asked to remain hidden.

In this way, more than 30 members of the Zhang Clan were now standing together in the courtyard of the Li Clan.

Previously the Zhang Clan had over 400 members. After the disaster, less than 40 members remained. Standing in silence in the Li Clan's courtyard and looking at the numerous dead bodies, the members of the Zhang Clan had mixed feelings. They were saddened by the impact of the disaster but felt lucky to be the ones who survived it. The atmosphere in the courtyard was somber. But they had successfully avenged their fellow clan members and the Li Clan had been ruined. Now the question on everybody's mind was how to revive their clan in the future.

The members slowly went to their leader, gazing at him with eyes filled with despair and hope.

"Listen, everyone! We will rebuild our clan in the coming days. The Zhang Clan will be more prosperous and powerful in Valley Town than it ever was! We will make it great again!" proclaimed the head of the clan slowly.

Although his voice was not loud, each of the members felt their spirits rising and a renewed vigor returning filling their bodies.

"Make our clan great again! Make our clan great again!"

Everyone chanted together, their eyes wet with tears....

Then they found the secret room of the Li Clan, where Lanny had hidden the treasures.

They found as much as 1500, 000 vital energy crystals. It was a tremendous amount of fortune for this clan from a small town.

That's not all. They also found lots of deeds of houses and lands. They counted them carefully and concluded that these deeds contained almost two third of all the properties of Valley Town.

Zhang Clan. After their clan was destroyed, their properties were usurped by the Li Clan.

now everything had returned to its

Li Clan's secret room. There are about 1500, 000 pieces. It is you who helped us avenge our fallen brothers and sisters and also

crystals were put

as well the detailed process of defeating the Li Clan from Mindy, Zachary

so quick and smooth if Austin had returned directly to the Sun Sect and Mindy had come back by herself after they obtained the

she, too, broke through

at the sight of so many vital energy crystals piled

don't have to do this for me. You are going to rebuild the Zhang Clan, and you will need a great many treasures. You should be the

here for the purpose of helping Mindy, not for these vital energy crystals. Besides, as what he said, he knew that the Zhang Clan was in great need of money

so much. We cannot repay you even if we all serve you for the rest of our lives. These vital energy crystals are nothing compared to what you have done for

the Li Clan in Valley Town, including the shops,

gift. Do not

Austin to accept it. Finally, giving in to Zachary and Mindy

these vital energy crystals. That means I

respect Zachary had in his heart for Austin doubled and he had to agree with

was a man with a golden heart. He had a high cultivation base

you have to tolerate her when the two of you are together,"

had misunderstood. The

prettily in embarrassment, she said, "Uncle Zachary, what are you talking about? If you talk like this,

You can't talk to the head of our clan like that. He is right. You cannot be so strong-headed when you are with Austin. Understand?" Mindy's

thought Mindy and Austin were lovers. Moreover, he felt happy to have a son-in-law like Austin who had a

her father's words, Mindy's face turned even redder. She dropped her gaze and didn't dare to look at

Mindy said

was both angry and happy inside.

chuckled at this turn of events.

is how girls behave. They are always shy. Don't blame her," Zachary explained to

consider him as a prospective groom for Mindy. He could do nothing

The good thing was that Zachary did not continue talking about it anymore....

Gathering all the treasures in the Li Mansion, everyone went to the mansion where the Zhang Clan once lived.

It was in ruins and weeds had sprouted up everywhere. It was still desolate and wore an abandoned look.

Zachary dispatched some members of his clan to invite all the artisans near the town. At the same time he bought a lot of construction materials. They started rebuilding and restoring their houses one by one.

According to Zachary's estimation, it would cost them about 200, 000 vital energy crystals to finish building the mansion. They had over 700, 000, which was more than enough.

Using these resources, it was easy for them to work. The members of the Zhang Clan were a diligent lot, which was why had grown into such a big clan in the Valley Town.

The workers started to rebuild the house of the Zhang Clan and progress was quick. Gauging the speed at which work was going on Austin felt that the new house would be ready soon.

Although there was nothing to do for Austin and Mindy, he decided to stay in Valley Town for an extra day at Mindy's insistence. . .

While the construction was going on, a figure came sprinting over to Zachary.

"Sir, there is bad news! The big gang of brigands from the Black Mountain Fortress is coming towards Valley Town. The chief of the brigands himself is leading the gang. They seem to have found out that the Li Clan has been destroyed and are coming to take revenge for them," the young man reported to Zachary.

He was a member of the Zhang Clan, with dark skin and sharp eyes. Zachary had sent him to look out near Valley Town as many members of the Li Clan had escaped even though they killed Lanny Li. The surviving members were a potential threat to the Zhang Clan, so Zachary wanted to be alert.

"What? The brigands of the Black Mountain Fortress? Why do they want to avenge the death of the Li Clan members?" Zachary was puzzled.

Was there some secret relationship between the Black Mountain Fortress and the Li Clan?

Mindy and Austin appraised the situation.

"What is the strength of these brigands from the Black Mountain Fortress?"

Austin asked.

"I've heard about the chief of the brigands, named Miller, who was a cultivator at the Earth Realm. A team of marauders follows him. They always rob near the villages and each of them is extremely cruel, and even enjoys slaughtering. Once the village is looted by them, all the women and infants are killed too," Zachary explained.

Hearing Zachary's words, Austin raised his eyebrow and murmured. "Good. More cultivators at the Earth Realm. Okay. I will fight these gangsters this time."

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Chapter 200 The Brigands From The Black Mountain Fortress (Part One)

On the mountain road about a mile away from Valley Town, a large gang of brigands was rapidly marching towards the Town. Every one of them looked fierce and the gang was led by Miller, the chief brigand of the Black Mountain Fortress. He made his way forward on a red horse and his head bowed a little.

Only few people knew that Li was Miller's family name. Lanny, the leader of the Li Clan, was his brother. And the brigands of the Black Mountain Fortress were actually the Li Clan's secret fight force. The two brothers were similar, since both did dirty work for a living—one was known to the public as a business, the other was part of the underworld.

When Miller got wind of what was going on with the Li Clan, he immediately made preparations to go to Valley Town to support his brother. But even before he left his Fortress, his spies reported that all the principal members of the Li Clan had been killed, including the leader, Lanny.

Miller was furious, his rage knowing no bounds. He soon asked everyone in the Black Mountain Fortress to gather and the band immediately started for Valley Town to avenge his brother. With Miller were a huge number of brigands with all kinds of weapons in their hands.

"Be quick. Move forward at the highest speed! Once we get to Valley Town, we will kill everyone belonged to the Zhang Clan! None should be left alive!"

Miller's voice was full of fury, urging the group of brigands into faster movement and more butchery.

The exhausted brigands took in Miller's anger and marched quicker. It didn't matter that they had been running for a whole day already.

After a while, they came to a crossroads from where the first glimpse of Valley Town could be seen from afar.

Miller felt his heart race.

"We will soon reach Valley Town," he called out. "Every one of us must lift our spirit..."

Miller's sentence was interrupted by strange sounds.

Shoop! Shoop! Shoop!

them from the forest that lined the road. Bodies fell hither and thither to the ground, pierced by the arrows. Soon, the air was reeking with

lt's

air at the sudden attack.

coming here? Were they prepared

you think of my welcome, brigands from the

few figures emerged from the woods and walked up to the group.

man and a young woman led the small band

and Mindy walked ahead of the members of the Zhang Clan sent in by Zachary. Austin and Mindy had told him that they could handle it. But according to Zachary, Mindy was a cultivator of the highest level and one who could help develop the clan into a legend, which was why he sent in more people

turned

ambushed us? Are you from the

the Black Mountain Fortress and the

dozen people are sent in to stop us! No talking will be done today. Every single person from the Zhang Clan must die. Fight to kill. I repeat. Fight to kill! Oh, but spare

eyeing her with ill-disguised lust.

you take her first!" the other brigands screeched in wicked

seemed to be heady with a lust, their excitement over the promised 'loot' refreshing them from the exhaustion

gangsters! How dare you!" she said, her

to put up a bold face before you die," Austin said calmly to

brigands standing against him didn't seem to

"There's no point boasting. Let's show him how to fight and kill him!"

At Miller's words, the brigands began moving forward, charging at Austin and his group.

"Mindy. Violet. Tackle them for now. I need a little time to prepare," Austin whispered.

The moment he finished his sentence, a green fog appeared, and from it, emerged Violet.

Mindy nodded and turned to the other members of the Zhang Clan. "If you don't want to cause trouble for us or yourselves, you'd better step back and stay safe."

Saying this, she whipped around fast as an arrow. Moments later when the whirlwind had stopped, her sword was shining and two brigands nearest them were now headless.

Violet laughed softly. The paw of a black fox appeared before her, one that obviously contained a powerful demonic force. And before anyone could comprehend it, it had attacked the brigands, quick as thunder.

A few brigands fell to the ground, frothing blood at their mouths. They were dead before anyone could utter a word.

The other members of the Zhang Clan stood there, stunned, not knowing what to do.

"Mindy is right. You need to step back. If you join the fight, she will need to take extra effort to protect you guys. All you'd do is to bring her trouble," Violet told them.

Embarrassed, the members walked away, far from the battlefield.

A brigand rushed towards Austin, waving an enormous knife in his hand. Judging by his vital energy force, he was probably at level six of the Energy Gathering Realm.

Austin smiled coldly and threw a fist at the man's chest before the knife could graze him. The knife fell from the man's hand as he was propelled backwards, instantly dead.