

Chapter 1101: The Bottleneck of Life Genes

Luo Feng sat on his throne and looked down at the numerous black figures kneeling before him. Thousands of special life forms were looking at him with surging emotions and worship... At that moment, a realization dawned on Luo Feng. These special life forms that seemed so uncommonly big and powerful shared a common grief... they were too weak and insignificant.

Because of the lures of high levels of life and talent techniques, billions of races within the universe were taking matters into their hands—to either enslave or soul transfer! A group of special life-forms without a strong protector would be quickly torn apart by the vast numbers of races in the universe who were blinded by greed! Devoured!

Back when Blood Cloud Palace Master ran rampant about the universe, there was still a substantial number of special life forms. When he saw these special life forms being hunted down and killed, his heart went out to them. So, group after group of special life-forms he rescued, until finally, he had gathered a group that amounted to a few thousand special life-forms! After countless years of growth, with Sitting Mountain Guest's guidance, there were the births of top-tier universe lords such as Black Sky Horde Leader, Silver Dragon Knight, and Black Thorn Devil Master.

Back then, they would have probably met the fate of being hunted and killed. Of course, since that time long ago, any races of special life-forms without protectors had long vanished along the historical river of the universe—which was why some ancient beings like Primal Chaos City Leader owned quite a few special life form bodies. However, as time passed, during the times of later generations such as Luo Feng's, it was rare to see special life forms due to soul transfer.

"Sitting Mountain Guest protected them, guarded them, guided them. He was just like a father to them..." Luo Feng said to himself. "No wonder they all call him 'Master.' They really respected and worshipped him from the bottoms of their hearts."

As of today! thought Luo Feng. I am thus, Blood Cloud Palace Master. I may have gained a new power, but I have also rid a part of Earth's. I have a new responsibility to take on.

Three top-tier universe overlords... This was indeed a force that many powers of the universe would covet! Especially Black Sky Horde Leader, whose godly powers were almost 100 times purer than those of Heavenly Yang Knight. Though both were senior true treasure armors, Luo Feng needed a force that was two levels higher than what he used to kill Tian Yang Knight in order to bring about the same attack power... and Black Sky Horde Leader's godly body was millions of miles larger! That was billions of times bigger than the godly body of Tian Yang knight, which was not even 30 feet tall...

As for Silver Dragon Knight and Dark Thorn Devil Master, thought Luo Feng, their godly bodies were not as outrageously big, but neither were they small. With the three of them around, this force of special life-forms they make up—so long as they do not cross paths with universe masters—will be able to ward off attacks from any other opponents.

Luo Feng nodded as he analyzed the situation. Protecting such a force would not be as difficult as protecting his own kind on Earth. After all, this bloodline of special life forms had matured over countless years. They could protect themselves.

A sudden realization dawned upon Luo Feng. The reason the treasure vault contained so many precious materials, treasures, and ordinary true treasures, was because Luo Feng's future opponents would be universe masters. If he used ordinary true treasures in a battle against a universe master, they would be shattered right away! Obviously, these ordinary true treasures were not what Sitting Mountain Guest had left for Luo Feng, but for this group of special life forms.

"Black Sky," Luo Feng spoke.

"Master," Black Sky Horde Leader replied politely.

Luo Feng looked down. "The true treasures that all 18 of you possess. Tell me about them."

"Yes, Master. I have a senior true treasure armor, six senior true treasures heavenly hammers!" Black Sky Horde Leader then joked good-naturedly, saying, "Master, are you going to bestow me with a top-tier true treasure armor? Previously, you even said... the next time around, you would find a way to get me a top-tier true treasure, and you told me that if I owned a top-tier true treasure armor, even universe masters will find it difficult to kill me."

Luo Feng was taken aback. Top-tier true treasure armor? Teacher had left him with a treasure vault that only contained about 100 ordinary true treasures.

Sitting Mountain Guest Teacher is so scheming, thought Luo Feng, grumbling to himself, but there was nothing he could do. Now that I have succeeded in the title of Blood Cloud Palace Master, the responsibility of designating valuables for the great beings under my command is also mine?

"I am thinking of a solution," Luo Feng answered. "Top-tier true treasure armor is not easy to obtain."

"Yes, but Master will be able to make that happen," Black Sky Horde Leader said.

Luo Feng quickly moved on. "Next."

Silver Dragon Knight, Dark Thorn Devil Master and the rest gave respective reports about their own true treasures, and Luo Feng discovered that these 18 universe knights all possessed true treasures, which were obviously obtained based on their personal capabilities. For instance, the three top-tier universe overlords owned senior true treasures, and each of them owned a few true treasures! Luo Feng had initial plans to bestow true treasures to them. Thus, he had to banish those plans. In the end, he could only bestow some other undying special life-forms with treasures before he concluded the meeting.

"This is a form of power," Luo Feng said to himself. "Although I shoulder the responsibility of leading and guarding them, they can also help me with a lot of things. In the future, for my kind living on Earth, I would certainly be the one to protect them. Black Sky Horde Leader, together with this group of special life forms and the branch of life forms on Earth, should be able to complement each other."

That very day, Luo Feng ordered all these special life-forms to retreat. And to Black Sky Horde Leader, Silver Dragon Knight, and Dark Thorn Devil Master, he commanded, "Black Sky, Silver Dragon, Dark Thorn, I need to make a trip out. Matters regarding those children in the ancient secret region. Please take care of them. If you all are unable to settle them, inform me."

"Yes, Master," all three replied through their tokens.

That very day, Golden Horned Beast body secretly returned to the human territory, back to his god country.

Luo Feng's life had been divided into two parts. One of it took the form of a golden horned beast and was involved in studying Star Tower based on his knowledge of pictures of secret engravings, while the other took the form of an Earthling original body and stayed on Redbud Island for self-cultivation!

His original earthling body had started to cultivate the eighth volume of the Nine Volume Manual! The advantage of having a small godly body was that the rate of cultivation would be much faster.

After about a year or so, Luo Feng had mastered the eighth volume. His life gene level increased from 9,800 times to 10,050 times, and this was purely a rough gauge estimate. Thereafter, Luo Feng moved on to mastering the ninth volume of the Nine Volume Manual...

During the cultivation process, his life gene level increased at an extremely slow rate, especially when he was midway through—suddenly, his life gene level arrived at its bottleneck! It stopped increasing when it was one final inch away from the perfect life gene level. No matter how he continued with the Nine Volume Manual, his life gene level would not budge an inch.

"Just a little bit more. Remote Ocean body and Golden Horned Beast body reached the perfect gene level right away, but my earthling body still needs the last bit to reach the perfect life gene level. No matter how I try to start cultivating the ninth volume of Nine Volume Manual from the middle... it's all useless!"

Luo Feng was panicking. Useless! No matter how he tried to go back and forth during the cultivation process, his life gene level remained stagnant.

"Just that little bit more. What am I supposed to do?"

It was his third year on Redbud Island. Luo Feng sat cross-legged on the stone bridge by the pond in the courtyard of his mansion. By this point, he had finally reached the last step to completing the Nine Volume Manual! His Golden Horned Beast body and Remote Ocean bodies had both attained the perfect gene before they could reach the final step, so his original earthling body was the first to have cultivated the final volume.

Hua! Hua!

There Luo Feng sat with his entire being emitting a sound as mighty as a surging sea. At the same time, golden threads started to form, and his skin glowed. A gigantic, mysterious, intricate picture of secret engravings appeared all over him! If Luo Feng's skin were to have been peeled off and laid flat, it would have formed a picture of secret engravings. Although it was different from the engravings of the Nine Volume Manual, the aesthetics were the same.

Peng!

Luo Feng felt a fundamental breakthrough happening to the origin of life. It seemed he had made it through the bottleneck! His life gene level had finally moved once again, albeit a small step forward! Just this one small step, however, represented a leap toward a fundamental breakthrough.

"A breakthrough." Luo Feng's eyes were filled with glee. "I must make a trip back to my god country."

Luo Feng could feel his godly body attempting to absorb the power and felt its continuous growth. On Redbud Island, there was insufficient power to absorb, so he needed to transfer back to his god country as soon as he could. He left Redbud Island quickly.

In his god country, the limitless Remote Ocean set off tumbling waves a few hundred miles high. At the peak of the waves, a black-haired youth stood in midair, stark naked. An immeasurable amount of ocean water was surging up from beneath, as though there were countless ribbons surrounding him, continuously being absorbed by him.

The black-haired youth started to grow bigger and bigger. From a height that was below six feet, he started to grow taller at an alarming rate. 30 feet, 300 feet, 3,000 feet...

The godly power within his godly body was continuously increasing as well. The increase was more than trillions of times! It had reached an unsurpassable stage that was tumultuous and frightening.

When he became a towering figure standing at a height of over 55,000 miles, the growth finally stopped.

"As of today!" said Luo Feng. "My original earthling body and my Golden Horned Beast body shall be my main battling powers!"

Luo Feng smiled. His original body's godly being was very pure, but it was small. As a result, he had been unable to use "I am the Universe." But now, his original earthling body and his Golden Horned Beast body matched in size. Naturally, it was able to display greater powers. Just like when displaying Golden Light—the ultimate technique of a universe master—he did not need to worry about his godly body being overly-used up.

"It's time to pay Primal Chaos City a visit," he said. "That Cutting Pearl Sword is now too weak for me."

First and foremost, Luo Feng headed to Primal Chaos City in the primal universe. He gathered together his Cutting Pearl Sword and a large quantity of ordinary true treasures he had obtained from all the hunting he did on the Original Star. Then he added on 20-odd true treasures from the treasure vault in Blood Cloud Palace and calculated a total. Lastly, he added on the remaining true treasure points that he had to trade for a top-tier true treasure blade—Sorrowful Nine Snow!

The blade was originally named Sorrowful Nine Snow, but Luo Feng gave it a new name. Thus, it became known as Ghost Blade.

"Black Sky, Silver Dragon, Dark Thorn... The 100-plus true treasures in the treasure vault are what Master has left for you special life forms, but all those fellows still need a long, long time to grow up. I will take part of the total now, and I will return them in the future."

Now that the bug soldiers, automaton race, and demons alike were so eager to take him down, Luo Feng was feeling the pressure, too. He needed to become even stronger. This was for the better.

With the pinnacle true treasure Force Armor activated to the third form (where enemies' attacks were reduced to only 1/10,000 their original power) and a godly body that was 55,000 miles tall, his survival skills had attained an alarming level. If he were to battle with a universe master, a mere senior true treasure blade was obviously too weak.

He left his god country and returned to Redbud Island.

Golden Horned Beast body took off from the pictures of secret engravings and continued to stay in the god country to study the secret engravings on Star Tower.

On Redbud Island, Luo Feng stayed in silent retreat to continue increasing his comprehension of the beast god path. After all, the more one could comprehend about the Beast God Path, the more beneficial it was in attaining more in the field of secret engravings. And with such peaceful days, it was little wonder that within the blink of an eye, 61 years had done by.

Chapter 1102: Nervous

On Redbud Island.

"Look! Luo Feng showed up, and he's flying toward the square in front of the palace of the island owner."

Two undying fighters of the demon race were chatting in one of the palaces, but they stared at Luo Feng who was flying in the distance. Their task was to monitor his every move.

After a short while, Luo Feng went into the water curtain and disappeared, and the two undying fighters began reporting.

Expression: smile.

Wearing: silver armor.

They checked each other's notes before they made a detailed report.

The undying fighter with a grey shell on his back said in a hoarse voice, "It's been so many years, and all the powers in the universe know that our race, the bug race, and the automaton race want to kill that Luo Feng! However, nothing's happened. We all know Luo Feng has the power of a top-tier universe overlord. If we don't do it quickly, we won't be able to do anything if he becomes a universe master!"

"We can't blame our race. Luo Feng's been hiding on Redbud Island. What can we do about it?" A black eye was staring at the square. "Strange. Why is Luo Feng still at the fifth level on the beast god path?"

The ranking was clear on Redbud Island. All those at the third level of the beast god path were in the same ranking, and all those at the fourth level were at the same ranking... Luo Feng had entered the fifth level 62 years ago! Apparently, he was still practicing the fifth level on beast god path. It made him look powerful, but a top-tier universe overlord needed to be at least at the seventh level.

"Stupid! He's at the fifth level on the beast god path! Do you know how much he has achieved on the path of space and time? Perhaps he's almost finished it and become a universe master."

"Makes sense. But how did he improve so much in such a short time?"

"Who knows? But if he didn't, there's no need to kill him now."

"Look, he came out."

The two undying fighters of the demon race stared at Luo Feng and kept monitoring every one of his moves. They might be able to extrapolate some important information based on the messages on the surface.

Luo Feng was flying back to his palace.

At least 100 candidates are spying on me, thought Luo Feng with a smirk.

All the candidates from other powers wrote, "Luo Feng smirked at someone."

I might be able to complete the fifth level after a year or two.

It only took him half a month to complete the fourth level, which represented Beast God Claw. However, the fifth level represented Beast God Horn, which was more intricate, and hence, it took more time. Luo Feng went to the land of inheritance one every two or three months.

After 62 years, he almost finished the fifth level. Besides, advancing on the path of beast god also made it easier for Luo Feng to create techniques using engraving pictures, and he even got inspirations when studying Star Tower and created a pinnacle technique of universe masters and an ultimate technique of universe overlords named "Golden Mountain" and "Level Mountain," respectively.

The incredible techniques Luo Feng had created were ultimate techniques of universe masters, "Golden Light," a pinnacle technique of universe masters, "Golden Mountain," and two ultimate techniques of universe overlords: "Mist" and "Level Mountain."

Of course, these were not important compared to studying "Star Tower"! Although he had created two incredible techniques, Luo Feng was still only able to utilize the first level of engravings on Star Tower. As for the second level, he had understood most of them, but it would still take him some time before he could utilize the second level.

"I'm only able to use the first move of Star Tower, 'Pierce'! As for the second move, 'Smash,' I might need to completely understand the second level of the engravings to fully wield its power."

Luo Feng dove toward his palace and continued his peaceful life. He knew it was a short moment of peacefulness before a storm came!

The human race was also following Luo Feng. At the moment, Long Yan Master and Primal Chaos City Leader were talking.

"It's okay. Luo Feng has been staying on Redbud Island, and it's safe for him to do so. Chaos, why did you let him go out? It's safest for him to stay in Chaos City. It'll still be dangerous for him to go out of the human territory. Even in the Ancestral God School, great beings of the bug race, the demon race, the automaton race, and the Northern Territory Alliance might cooperate with each other and attack Luo Feng."

"I wouldn't have stopped him as he insisted on going out. He has a soul type true treasure, and he has an incredible mind and willpower! Even if he runs into dangers he can't deal with, he can explode himself, as he has the clone technique. There's nothing to worry about."

Long Yan Master was right to be concerned. The bug race, the demon race, and the automaton race had been nervous because Luo Feng kept staying on Redbud Island. They didn't dare to send a universe master there as they would definitely be annihilated by Five-Color Aurora Lake! It was not worth it to sacrifice a universe master to do that.

"Damn it."

"Is that human Luo Feng going to stay on Redbud Island forever?"

"He's been on Redbud Island for a long time, but nothing has happened. All he needs is practice, and he must be wanting to finish comprehension on Redbud Island! He has that kind of power. Though he hasn't achieved much on the beast god path, he's almost reached the perfect level on the path of space and time, and that's why he uses the beast god path as a reference! Perhaps he might make a breakthrough by studying different paths."

"We can't waste our time anymore. The longer we delay, the better it'll be for Luo Feng."

All three pinnacle races got nervous. They wanted to wait for Luo Feng to leave Redbud Island by himself, but it had been 62 years.

In the sky, three entities pierced through the distance in the space and arrived at a starry sky. There were three blurry, towering beings.

One of them was breathtaking, and there were halos around it. The being itself could make a universe knight hallucinate. A phantom of a giant oval was floating. There was another being that looked like tens of thousands of snakes, and a giant silver snake head was looking around. The sky around it was twisted into whirlpools.

"Dream Tea, where is Shock Horn?" said the giant black oval.

"I'll represent our demon race," said the silver snake's head. Their voices immediately transmitted to the other two sides, as if the original operation law was rendered useless here. "Automaton, you called me and the bug race here. Both Bug Race Empress and I are here. Let's talk."

"Speak, Automaton."

"Okay," said the black oval. "A little one named Luo Feng rose within the human race. His power's been surging fast, and there'll be another great being within the human race if we let him roam free. Besides, he has clone technique, and it'll be difficult for us to kill him in the future. We must kill him as soon as possible."

"Of course we must," the breathtaking being said. "But how? He's in the center of Ancestral God School! Even universe masters will be killed by that Five-Color Aurora Lake! Besides, we'll be messing with the Ancestral God School if we send someone in and break its law... The repercussion will be more catastrophic than having another Primal Chaos City Leader in the human race! In the original universe, the Ancestral God School is the guardian of the operation law, and nobody can overpower it!"

"I agree with what the Empress said," the silver snake head said. "We want to kill him too, but how?"

"If none of us want to become enemies of the Ancestral God School, we just need to ask a lone universe supreme master to do our bidding," the black oval said. "We're afraid because we have our race to worry about, but those lone ones don't need to worry. So what if they kill Luo Feng at the center of the Ancestral God School?"

"Lone universe supreme masters?"

Both the breathtaking figure and the silver snake head were hesitant.

"It's going to cost a lot!" the breathtaking being said.

"Asking a lone universe supreme master to kill a peerless genius at the center of the Ancestral God School..." the silver snake head said. "It'll upset both the Ancestral God School and Huge Axe! Though those lone ones don't care, it'll be costly to ask them."

"Each of you, give me three top-tier true treasures! I'll do it!" the black oval said.

"Three top-tier true treasures?"

Both the breathtaking being and silver snake head were hesitant. The breathtaking being said, "Even if you add three more top-tier true treasures, they'll be worth a pinnacle true treasure... One pinnacle true treasure might not be enough to convince a universe supreme master to do such things. Who are you going to ask? Sitting Mountain Guest? Shi Hua Island Leader?"

"That's not your concern. Just give me three top-tier true treasures each, and I'll ask a universe supreme master to do it. If I fail, I'll give them back. I don't need to lie for those top-tier true treasure."

"Okay."

"Sure. Luo Feng's life is worth three top-tier true treasures."

Both of them agreed.

"Great." The giant black oval disappeared, followed by the other two.

The sky turned peaceful again. Nobody could have known that three of the greatest beings in the universe had just held a conversation there.

Chapter 1103: Arrival of the Strongest

On a life planet within a domain of the human territory.

A hunchbacked and green-skinned elderly human who sported an antenna on his head stood in one of the back alleys of a bustling city, addressing a drunken human youth.

The green-skinned elderly human said in a hoarse voice, "My child, you are so young, so full of vitality. You have such a bright future ahead of you. Are you so void of fighting spirit to want to drink yourself into a stupor like that?"

The drunken youth slouched against the wall while seated on the ground, his eyes filled with sorrow. He shook his head and said, "Hopeless. All hope is gone. I have racked my brains to think of ways to contribute my best, but they were simply too strong. In this city, they may not be the strongest, but they are still in a different league where ordinary, lower-class people like myself are defenseless. They have been trifling with my feelings, teasing me but not killing me. To them, I am just a toy!"

"Life is full of miracles," the green-skinned old man said hoarsely. "Nothing is unchanging. The universe is always so mysterious and unpredictable. Anything is possible."

"Is that so?" The wasted youth looked at the old man, then lowered his head to indulge in his beer.

The old man smiled and nodded. "Yes, anything is possible."

Slightly taken aback, the youth sat in a daze, the beer bottle in his hands. The smile on the hunchbacked elderly's face widened, and within five short seconds, the wasted youth snapped out of his daze.

He looked around with piercing eyes as sharp as an eagle. There was a vigor in him that had been absent before. Scanning his surroundings with due vigilance, he saw the ordinary back alley and the hunchbacked old man before him. His expression registered disbelief.

"I, I, I..." he stammered. "How can I be back to where I was 100,000 years ago? I am already a sector lord. How can it... This is an illusion, but how can an illusion feel so real? But, but...!"

"My child—" the hunchbacked old man started to say.

"You—you are..." the youth said. He stared at the hunchbacked old man and recognized him. "You are the old man who provided me guidance back then."

"Back then? Wasn't it just a little while ago?" The hunchbacked old man smiled, then vanished into thin air.

The youth stood rooted to the spot for a long time.

The wasted youth looked around and manipulated his willpower with his mind. "Domain!"

His spiritual force might not be strong, but it was comparable to that of a sector lord. Under the guidance of his willpower, he managed to produce a weak, flamed domain.

"Really, all of this is real? I... Everything that happened is real. Is it true that I have cultivated up to the stage of a sector lord? But why am I back to the most painful time of my life? Have I traveled back in time? No..."

The youth was different from before. He had cultivated the heart of a great being.

"Even if I could turn back time, I would still be unable to travel to the past. That is to say, I have experienced an illusion. But what illusion is this, where I can live in it for 100,000 years? And become a sector lord? And to have comprehended part of the universe laws?" Eyes widened in fear, the drunken youth looked around him and shouted repeatedly, "Senior! Senior! Senior...!"

However, there was no one around.

The youth shook his head. "What a pity, I missed a great opportunity! If I had followed that elderly man, I think it would have been easy to become undying. This is simply unbelievable... However, I have gained quite a fair bit, too. Hmm... Those bastards. I have killed you all in my illusion before. I shall let you face desperation once again!"

Thereafter, he left the back alley.

"Ho ho..." The hunchbacked, single-horned elderly was still in the same spot. Seeing the wasted youth leaving, he smiled.

From the beginning, the hunchbacked elderly had not moved an inch. However, if he wanted to be seen, he could make himself appear; if he did not want to be seen, the other party would not be able to see him.

Weng!

A forceful power transcended the limitless space and suddenly landed on this planet in the back alley. The surrounding space became slightly distorted. An elliptical black sphere appeared in the back alley, and it spoke.

"Stone, you are a devil master!" the black sphere said. "Even universe masters fear you, and yet you are in the mood for helping this young fellow."

The hunchbacked old man grinned. "If you want me to kill, I shall kill. If you want me to rescue, I shall rescue. If you want me to bestow, I shall bestow! If earlier on, in the back alley, that young fellow had knelt and pled earnestly, if he had asked to see me... I would have killed him right away." The hunchbacked old man turned to look at the elliptical black sphere and said, "Automaton, this is the human territory. What purpose does your conscious mind have for being here?"

"There is something going on." The elliptical black sphere was hovering in midair. The surrounding space was very unstable. Indistinctly, the request could be heard: "I am engaging you to kill a young fellow."

"Is he strong?" the hunchbacked old man said.

"The human, Luo Feng!" the elliptical black sphere said.

"Luo Feng?" The hunchbacked old man nodded. "I know that young fellow. When he just returned from Universe Ocean, news about him was widely spread and sought after. No wonder you are here. You automaton race, bug soldiers, and demons are all after him. Tell me, where is he now?"

"The Ancestral God School, Redbud Island!" the elliptical black sphere said.

"The Ancestral God School!" The old man was no longer as calm and laid-back. His eyes focused on the black rays flashing faintly. "Automaton, I am not bothered about Huge Axe; I am happy to kill that young

fellow for you. But if he is in the core grounds of the Ancestral God School... asking me to kill a candidate of theirs while he's on the grounds of the Ancestral God School is a suicide mission. I've heard that the Ancestral God School has bestowed him with valuables, which shows how much they value him."

"I have helped you before," the black sphere transmitted its voice from afar. "This time, we can call it quits. I owed you one."

The hunchbacked elderly replied in his hoarse voice, "All right, you have my word. Tell me all the details you know about him."

"The power of a top-tier universe overlord's godly body would probably be comparable to the rare special life forms, and he has the talent technique of dividing bodies," the black sphere continued. "Just annihilating one of his godly bodies is useless. You need to penetrate the soul... and bring all the godly bodies to complete destruction. Or you can make use of soul control! But the difficulty of using soul control is obviously much higher. Stone, you are a universe supreme master of the school of illusions! If you are unable to succeed... then no other great being in this primal universe would be able to."

"All right, I will set off now," said the old man. "I know all of you must be waiting so impatiently."

"I will be waiting for good news then." The elliptical black sphere replied.

Hua!

The two disappeared together one after the other. A slight tremor shook the surrounding space, then everything resumed normality. The ordinary humans of this city were completely unaware of everything that had just happened.

In the Ancestral God secret region, in the void space surrounding Five-Color Aurora Lake, an entirely black life form was standing in the void space. There was a black aura surrounding it in winding paths, enveloping his entire being. Only a pair of black eyes could be seen, albeit indistinctly.

"The human Luo Feng? Meriting a universe supreme master to engage another universe supreme master to kill you... You should be proud of yourself."

Redbud Island.

Luo Feng's mansion was designed like a Jiang Nan garden, boasting features like small bridges and rivers, airy pavilions, and pagodas. Luo Feng was seated at the table of one of the pagodas, sipping wine as he pondered the beast god path. He really enjoyed the peaceful days where he could devote himself to cultivation wholeheartedly, yet he knew that in the Ancestral God School, he only appeared to be safe and sound.

But as time passed, bug soldiers, demons, and the automaton race alike were losing patience! As they watched him grow continuously, how would the other three pinnacle races take it lying down? They would definitely find a way to take him down.

As for him, he had the talent technique of dividing bodies, and if it was only a material attack on one of his bodies to annihilate it, they would not achieve the result they wanted. If they wanted to attack... they would definitely focus on his soul. They could either permeate his soul and perish as one with it—like how Soaring Star Master had died—or they could try controlling his soul.

With his original earthling body making such an apparent appearance, Luo Feng did not dare to act rashly. The soul type true treasure Tower Pearl and the pinnacle true treasure Force Armor were always with him. Force Armor also had the ability to weaken attacks on his soul. Most importantly, ordinary weaker kinds of soul type true treasures would shatter when being attacked by other soul type treasures. But Tower Pearl was the core control center of Star Tower, and it could recognize its master; even supreme true treasures could not cause it to shatter. Its defense level merely matched up to an ordinary true treasure, but it was definitely trustworthy.

Tower Pearl and Force Armor, in addition to my willpower and consciousness which were at the level of a universe master, Luo Feng calculated to himself.

His massive godly body and limitless godly power had given him a powerful consciousness! Countless ordeals, changes of life-and-death inheritances, and 180 million years of cultivation had brought his willpower to the level of a universe master! He could count on these advantages! Luo Feng was certainly confident enough!

While holding his wine glass, Luo Feng pondered the beast god path. Suddenly, he looked up at the sky and became aware that something was not quite right.

"Huh?"

The moment he looked up at the area in the sky that was enveloped by the Five-Color Aurora Lake, a figure surrounded by a limitless black airflow suddenly appeared.

Shrouded as the figure was by the airflow, Luo Feng's view of him obscured. Only a pair of eyes could be seen. And what a pair of eyes it was! Just one look at them was enough to make Luo Feng shudder.

Not good...!

The shudders ran deep within him, right down to his very soul... and Luo Feng understood in an instant that this was a feeling of powerlessness he had only felt in the face of Star Ancestor and Sitting Mountain Guest.

"It's a universe supreme being!" Luo Feng realized.

Hua!

Intangible attacks were launched!

Peng! Peng! Peng! Peng! Peng! Peng!

300 feet above Luo Feng, a gigantic crack suddenly appeared in the sky.

Wrong—it was not a crack. It was an impact brought about by the collision of two spaces!

All time and space in the surroundings of the figure enveloped by the black airflow fell under his control. Even the universe laws were dismissed. The figure enveloped by black airflow was in total control over everything. And similarly, the lower space was also being controlled. One up, one down; these two spaces collided at a mere 300 feet away from Luo Feng. It was a scene more frightening than the collisions of planets!

When the two spaces collided with one another, the two strong powers manipulated their own space. Wherever the two spaces collided, a crack would appear.

"What?" Luo Feng gasped.

Luo Feng was stupefied. His power far surpassed that of top-tier universe overlords and was comparable to universe masters. His willpower and consciousness were also extremely strong, so he could instantly conclude that in the lower space, there was another universe supreme master.

"Two universe supreme masters? Fighting each other?"

Luo Feng was at a loss for a reaction.

Hua! Hua! Hua!

The skies above the Five-Color Aurora Lake were in a furious frenzy. It was Luo Feng's first time witnessing how turbulent the lake could become. What was happening to the vast Five-Color Aurora Lake was a sight resembling that of heavenly lakes collapsing in an instant.

Hong! Long! Long!

Abundant rays of light came swooping down toward the space below, surging at the black, misty figure.

The black, misty figure did not budge an inch. Instead, a furious roar of rage was heard.

"Ancestor God!" the figure roared. "Are you going to stop me?"

"Virtual-Real Devil Master!" a booming voice replied. "This is the territory of my Ancestral God School!"

Chapter 1104: Ancestral God Fights Devil God

"Ancestral God?" Luo Feng looked to where the voice came from. A being flew up from an ordinary palace close to his palace. It was a great being of another race that was dozens of feet tall and had six arms. He was in human form with thick legs, but he had a face on each side of his head. The face at the front looked amiable with a smile, yet the one at the back was dark and fierce.

Each of his six arms was grasping a short stick, and there were four sections on each stick, making them look like parrying daggers from Earth. Three of the parrying daggers were black while the other three were white, and power flowed around each parrying dagger.

"Ancestral God is living beside me?" Luo Feng was started. He had been practicing on Redbud Island for 62 years and hadn't known that the Ancestral God was living beside him until now.

The amiable face of Ancestral God looked at the sky, and his voice was transmitted from the space and time under his control to the space and time under Virtual-Real Devil Master's control.

"Virtual-Real Devil Master, get out!" he said. "I'll pretend that you were never here."

"Haha! It's Double-Face Ancestral God!" said Virtual-Real Devil Master. "You dare to be so arrogant in front of me! Humph! I've never given a damn about your so-called Ancestral God School, and I always go wherever I want! Who can stop me? I'll kill that human Luo Feng today, and you won't be able to stop me!"

The space and time controlled by the being in the black mist were pushed down after his gloating.

Hong! Long!

The power from the space and time controlled by Devil Master was stronger.

Peng!

Double-Face Ancestral God looked up, and the space under his control also surged.

Hong! Hong! Hong!

When the two universe spaces clashed against each other, the Five-color Aurora Lake started to launch attacks. All the auroras shrank and merged together, forming a golden pillar. The universe space controlled by Virtual-Real Devil Master was slashed as if there were a gully.

"No wonder it's a supreme true treasure." Luo Feng looked up and was awed. "That universe space is completely under the control of Virtual-Real Devil Master, and even universe operation law has backed off! It's more incredible than the control on time and space by universe masters, and it's still powerless under a supreme true treasure."

The golden pillar dashed down, and a dark space gully extended toward Virtual-Real Devil Master.

"Ha!" Virtual-Real Devil Master suddenly looked up, and black mist permeated. "Five-color Aurora Lake? Scram!"

Virtual-Real Devil master roared, and armor appeared that trembled the surrounding space. It was a mysterious suit of armor with blood stains on it. The armor integrated with each inch of the sky of Virtual-Real Devil Master.

A dark hollow that was more than 30 square feet appeared. The golden pillar kept bombarding Virtual-Real Devil Master, but the armor withstood it!

Peng! Peng! Peng! Peng! Peng!

Each inch of the space sparked like fireworks. The universe space controlled by Virtual-Real Devil Master crumbled into particles, yet the space controlled by the Ancestral God was stable.

Luo Feng saw Virtual-Real Devil Master clearly. Virtual-Real Devil Master fell a little bit, and the golden pillar was dissipated.

"Hahaha! I have a supreme true treasure to protect me!" Virtual-Real Devil Master said. "Nobody in the universe oceans can kill me! Let alone you, Double-Face Ancestral God!" He followed this sentiment by recklessly roaring, "Universe space, break!"

Hong!

The being in black mist dove, and his right foot stamped and ground! His right foot wore an ancient boot, which obviously was a component of a supreme true treasure. The ancient boot twisted the time and space under its impact. The flow of time was in disorder, and space was cracked.

Peng! Peng! Peng!

The space controlled by Ancestral God was also cracked, as he wasn't able to resist that attack.

"Virtual-Real Devil Master, you're being outrageous!"

Double-Face Ancestral God switched faces. The dark black face moved to the forefront and glared at Virtual-Real Devil Master. He roared in anger and flew up. Each of his arms was carrying a parrying dagger. With the daggers being waved, three black airflows and three white airflows were formed. They were combined and formed a complex black-and-white airflow picture!

The picture gushed, and the right foot stamped down!

Hong!

The moment they touched, the power of the supreme true treasure Virtual-Real Devil Master was carrying and the power all the six pinnacle true treasures carried by Ancestral God was merged... The attacking ability of the protection true treasure Virtual-Real Devil Master had was only an accessory, and the attacking power of it was not much different from the true treasures Ancestral God had.

"Virtual-Real, get the hell out!"

All six arms of Double-Face Ancestral God waved, and the attacks from each parrying dagger overlaid with each other, making them more powerful! The universe spaces controlled by them were trembling.

Luo Feng could feel the space around him trembling. He wanted secretly to run away. However, it was safest for him to stay in the time and space controlled by Ancestral God. Besides, two universe supreme masters were fighting, and the space and time controlled by them were unstable. He wasn't able to leave using god country transportation!

I can't even run away, he thought. There's a universe supreme master trying to kill me.

Luo Feng gazed at the fight between the two universe supreme masters in the sky. Although the fight only affected the spaces controlled by them, the spaces were sometimes dismantled and became particles. And sometimes, the particles gathered again. He could feel how terrific it was. Virtual-Real Devil Master was using a supreme true treasure! Ancestral God was using six black-and-white parrying daggers! Perhaps universe masters could be killed!

"Virtual-Real Devil Master, don't blame me! Five-color Aurora Lake!" Ancestral God roared.

Five-color Aurora Lake, which had been only partly utilized, immediately shrank. It was the guarding true treasure of the Ancestral God School that covered several square light years. But now, it was shrinking. All the auroras shrank to the size of rice grains, then formed a giant, five-colored blade.

"Cut!"

The five-color giant blade slashed down! The six parrying blades slashed at Virtual-Real Devil Master again...

"Damn Ancestral God! Damn you!" Virtual-Real Devil master bellowed.

He needed to defend himself from attacks from the five-color giant blade and the six parrying daggers from Ancestral God at once. He wasn't able to handle them at the same time and got hit several times, which consumed his godly body.

"You're pushing me!" Virtual-Real Devil Master raised his head and roared. "Ahhhhh!" The space around him cracked.

Ancestral God bounced away. The giant blade couldn't get close.

Neither Ancestral God nor the five-color giant blade could get close, and the force from Virtual-Real Devil Master was inconceivably strong, which stunned Luo Feng who was watching down there. Rumor had it that universe supreme masters were restricted by the universe operation, and thus, they could only show power that was slightly stronger than universe masters. How could they be that strong! Neither Ancestral God nor the supreme true treasure could get close.

"Virtual-Real Devil Master, this is the original universe!" Ancestral God shouted.

"Ya!"

Virtual-Real Devil Master looked omnipotent. He disregarded the five-color giant blade and dove down. At the same time, a golden chain showed up in the space, and it bound the arm of Virtual-Real Devil Master, making it difficult for him to hit down.

"No!" Virtual-Real Devil Master was terrified.

Another green chain extended from space and entangled the other arm of Virtual-Real Devil Master. A navy blue chain extended from space... Chains continued to come out of space, bearing down Virtual-Real Devil Master.

"Damn it!" Virtual-Real Devil master roared, exasperated. However, his force got weaker and weaker, and the chains stopped giving out power as he grew weaker.

Virtual-Real Devil Master looked down. "Double-Face Ancestral God, this is the original universe! You're not my match in Universe Ocean!"

Double-Face Ancestral God looked up. "Unfortunately for you, you're in the original universe now! Each of us three Ancestral Gods can overpower you! In the original universe, nobody can challenge us! We're the guardians of universe operation law, and we're given grace by the universe origin. Give up! Do you want to challenge the universe origin?"

Virtual-Real Devil Master glared down. Double-Face Ancestral God glared up.

"Good," Virtual-Real Devil Master snorted. "You'll learn the consequences in Universe Ocean."

"We never go to Universe Ocean!" said Double-Face Ancestral God.

Virtual-Real Devil Master clenched his teeth. The Ancestral God School couldn't roam the Universe Ocean, but it was sitting in the crown in the original universe.

"Little one," said Virtual-Real Devil Master. He glanced at Luo Feng, who was in shock. "You got lucky today!"

Hong!

Virtual-Real Devil Master surged much faster than light. He broke out of the Five-Color Aurora Lake and disappeared.

The shattered universe space went back to being peaceful, and nothing on Redbud Island was damaged. Other candidates only felt the space trembling. They had no idea what had just happened.

Luo Feng stared at the sky. Both Ancestral God and Virtual-Real Devil Master had disappeared.

Then Luo Feng heard the voice of Ancestral God. "Come here, Luo Feng."

Chapter 1105: Virtual-Real Devil Master

By the side of the railings of the pagoda, Luo Feng turned to look down. There, he saw, right in the middle of his courtyard, Double-Face Ancestor God.

"Ancestor God." With a flash, Luo Feng reached the side of the other party.

Double-Face Ancestor God was fair-skinned and benevolent-looking. As he looked at Luo Feng, Luo Feng felt as though he were basking in a spring breeze, and he started to thank Ancestor God repeatedly, "Thank you for coming to my rescue, Ancestor God."

Five-Color Aurora Lake enveloped the core ground of the entire Ancestral God School. When it suddenly disappeared, many islands, Eight Beast God Palace, Guarding Beast God Palace, 72 General Continent, and many others were quick to notice its absence. When a predominating treasure like Five-Color Aurora Lake went missing, wouldn't it consider that a major event?

Even though everything returned back to normal very quickly, it still sparked an endless debate. The Ancestral God School had many peripheral members who normally lived on other islands. They were all discussing this proactively. At the same time, they were secretly sending news back to the powers behind them!

"Five-Color Aurora Lake is a supreme true treasure. Barring a critical moment, it would be impossible to get it to unleash its full potential. Normally, just a little aurora is enough to annihilate enemies."

"For it to instantly disappear, Five-Color Aurora Lake must be putting in its all and doing everything it can."

"Who could cause this?"

"Who provoked Five-Color Aurora Lake into retaliation at full might?"

Though they were peripheral members, the possibilities included Jiu Feng Knight, who might be a candidate for the post of Heavenly General. But such individuals would definitely pledge their loyalty to their human race! Who would have provoked Five-Color Aurora Lake?

With Ancestral God School as the core grounds, the news was secretly and rapidly disseminated.

"The predominating treasure of Ancestral God School, Five-Color Aurora Lake, was activated once, then it disappeared within an instant, but was recovered to original state within a fleeting moment."

"Something major must have happened."

"Pushed to such extremes, could it be a universe supreme being has barged its way into the core grounds of Ancestral God School?"

The other eight of the top nine powers of the universe were no fools. Each came to a conclusion quickly, especially the top three powers—the bug soldiers, the demons, and the automaton race—who were waiting quietly and expectantly. Upon enlisting the help of Virtual-Real Devil Master, Father God of the automaton race had notified the demons and bug soldiers that he had invited a universe supreme being to take up the matter.

"It must be the killing of Luo Feng that incurred the wrath of the Ancestral God School."

"Haha! So long as Luo Feng is eliminated, with that hard stone's ability, it would be able to take its leave easily."

News spread to the outside world rapidly, but Luo Feng was oblivious. He did not have an inkling of what was going on because Redbud Island was within the universe that was under the control of Double-Face Ancestor God, so the candidates on Redbud Island were unaware of the sudden, momentary disappearance and reappearance of the Five-Color Aurora Lake.

"What!" Luo Feng could not suppress his shout of surprise. "Ancestor God, you—you have been protecting me...?"

"Hahaha..." Double-Face Ancestor God smiled and said, "I was the undying demon staying next to you, I transformed into that appearance so no one on Redbud Island would discover my true identity."

Images of an undying demon in the form of a two-headed white wolf immediately sprang up in Luo Feng's mind. That was him?

"If I were not staying next to you and you were to meet with sudden danger, how would I be able to come to your rescue in time? I couldn't have done it from my Ancestor God Palace." Double-Face Ancestor God smiled. "Virtual-Real Devil Master has extremely strong powers. He could appear on Redbud Island in an instant. If I had been at Ancestor God Palace, by the time I realized he was here, even if I did my best to rush here... I'm afraid I still would have been too late to save you from annihilation—or to save you from being controlled by another soul."

"Being controlled by a soul?" Luo Feng's brow twitched.

Based on what he knew, a universe supreme being was merely one notch stronger than the strongest universe master. The difference was not all that far apart. Luo Feng's willpower and consciousness were at the universe master level. Furthermore, he had Force Armor to reduce attacks on his soul, and he had one of the components of his supreme true treasure Star Tower, "Tower Pearl," to guard his soul. With those, he assumed he would not be that weak.

"Don't believe me?" Double-Face Ancestor God said. He looked at Luo Feng and shook his head laughingly. "He is called Virtual-Real Devil Master. The 'virtual-real' part of his name comes from the fact that he possesses the skill of creating illusions which are identical to reality."

"Illusions? Identical to reality?" Luo Feng was secretly in shock.

"The moment you fall into an illusion he created, you will still feel the universe laws in motion, you can still cultivate... and in the process of cultivation, you can still master the skill of law comprehension. Everything is perfectly real." Double-Face Ancestor God smiled at Luo Feng, "Of course, once you are able to break free from the illusion, you will realize that you have not undergone any change, only your willpower and memory will have some changes. Of course, the laws that you have cultivated within the illusion must be one of those that he personally knew of. If he didn't know the laws, he wouldn't have enabled you to cultivate."

Luo Feng was stunned.

Cultivating laws within an illusion? This bore a resemblance to the virtual universe.

Actually, the virtual universe allowed countless life forms to enter at any one point in time, and within the virtual universe, any kind of law could be cultivated; there was almost no difference from the real world. A true super great being could clearly differentiate the virtual world from the real world without confusion. Only the ordinary humans who were weaker, and who were immersed in virtual games on a long-term basis would confuse the real and virtual worlds as time passed. However, the moment one's willpower got stronger, the confusion would stop.

There was a fundamental difference between the virtual universe and an illusion. The virtual universe was open and aboveboard, like another universe—the universe of consciousness.

"Once you fall into his illusion, you may feel as though a short instant in the actual, real world was equivalent to tens of thousands of years, or even more, in the illusionary world," Double-Face Ancestor God explained.

Luo Feng was appalled and commented, "Could this time be used for cultivation? This would be a very smart way of saving time."

"No." Double-Face Ancestor God walked along the stoned pavement encircling the pond and said, "Sustaining an illusion consumes a large amount of godly power. Besides, he has to give his best; getting an ordinary human to fall into an illusion and sustaining it for a long time is easy. But, getting a universe master to fall into an illusion and make him feel as though 10,000 years have passed within the blink of an eye... The amount of godly power needed is truly unbelievable. How can it be used for cultivation? Moreover, the path of your choice may not be familiar to Virtual-Real Devil Master. His strongest ability is illusion. I have lived by your side for 62 years. Having observed you for so long, I can also judge that

your willpower and consciousness must have already reached the level of a universe master; your godly body is probably comparable to the special life forms that were one of a kind."

Luo Feng was in great shock. How frightening! He had not engaged in any battle and was only observing, completely in the dark. After a long period of watching Luo Feng, Double-Face Ancestor God had been able to make a judgment about his level of power. Even Primal Chaos City Leader Teacher could only make a judgment if Luo Feng was in the primal universe.

"For a soul to kill you would be as difficult as trying to kill a universe master," said Double-Face Ancestor God. "But Virtual-Real Devil Master can achieve that. His ability to create illusions is horrifying. Given the willpower and consciousness of a universe master, at the very least, he would have to possess a top-tier soul type true treasure in order to not be fearful of Virtual-Real Devil Master. This is the strength of his ability under a certain amount of restraint upon being suppressed by the universe origins."

"A top-tier soul type true treasure?" Luo Feng held his breath.

A top-tier soul type true treasure was comparable to the value of a pinnacle true treasure. Among all the universe masters, a great majority did not own one.

"You have to know that among the universe supreme beings, he has the most frightening skills when it comes to illusions." Double-Face Ancestor God looked at Luo Feng. "In the case of an ordinary soul type true treasure, his blurry godly power can tear it apart any moment; as for a senior soul type true treasure, they are also defenseless against him. These victorious moments are proven proved by his credentials."

Luo Feng nodded and made sure he remembered all this information well. This information was considered confidential. For Double-Face Ancestor God to tell him all this was indeed an act of great kindness. Actually, for Double-Face Ancestor God to be willing to stay in solitude beside him for 62 years meant that, during the times when he gained fame—leading to him being hunted down by bug soldiers, demons, and the automaton race—Double-Face Ancestor God had already been living a secluded life beside him.

"Force Armor can only weaken the force by one level; with Tower Pearl alone, is it not enough?"

Seems to me I must bring Star Tower with me at all times, Luo Feng told himself.

The moment Tower Pearl returned to Star Tower, the latter would shrink and park itself within Luo Feng's godly body. Then, it would naturally be guarding his soul!

Star Tower consisted of various functional components like attacking, soul type, flying palace type, sealing type, and many more. He might only have the soul type component, but with the entire Star Tower within his body, according to Luo Feng's assessment, it should be comparable to a pinnacle soul type true treasure. Or, at the very least, Luo Feng felt it would make a difference.

Just as what Sitting Mountain Guest said, with Star Tower, he would fear no one! The best form of defense would be to hide within Star Tower!

Regardless of material or soul attack, Star Tower would be able to ward off everything! If he hid within it, even a universe supreme master would not be able to do anything to him! But of course, doing so would only reveal the fact that he owned Star Tower, which would arouse the greed of the group of

universe pinnacle great beings. There was no way one could be on guard against theft day in and day out. Once a universe supreme being started eyeing him, there was no way he could possibly remain within Star Tower all the time. Any moment of carelessness would spell danger.

Next time around, I have to put Star Tower within my godly body, to guard and protect my soul. I have underestimated the universe supreme beings. It was said that a universe supreme being was only slightly stronger than the most powerful universe master—just a bit stronger. But I did not expect them to be so powerful. Seems like... I have also underestimated the powers of universe masters.

Luo Feng had always thought that after he became a universe knight, he would be able to compete head-to-head with a universe master.

A sudden realization dawned on Luo Feng. Among universe masters, there were stronger ones and weaker ones, too! He could probably stand against the weaker ones. However, for the strong ones like Primal Chaos City Leader—who was only a small fraction less powerful than Virtual-Real Devil Master, judging from Virtual-real Devil Master's showcase of skills—the strongest of all top-tier universe masters was certainly much stronger than he was.

The supreme true treasure Star Tower guards the soul, thought Luo Feng. Force Armor protects the body. With a godly body more than 55,000 miles tall, even a universe supreme being should not be able to harm me. Hmm. I have to hurriedly get Star Tower back.

Luo Feng had gotten too complacent. The showcase of power by a universe supreme being this time around had sobered him up.

Double-Face Ancestor God turned to look at Luo Feng. "Word of you killing Flourishing Light Horde Leader and Para-chopper Knight has spread, especially when you turned up at Redbud Island. I proceeded to discuss your situation with two other ancestor gods. The bug soldiers, the automaton race, and the demons would stay away for the moment, but as time passed, we knew they would probably close in on you. Therefore, the second day after you arrived at Redbud Island, I started living in the palace next to your mansion."

"Thank you Ancestor God." Luo Feng expressed his gratitude.

This kind sentiment... He had to put it to heart! Kindness begets kindness!

"It has been a long time since a promising being such as yourself has turned up at the Ancestral God School," said Double-Face Ancestor God. "Your potential is much stronger than Purple Knight." He smiled at Luo Feng, then added, "We at the Ancestral God School hope that you will grow and mature to a stage where you are comparable to your teacher, Primal Chaos City Leader. At that time, the Ancestral God School will bestow you with the title of Guarding Godly Master."

Chapter 1106: Universe's Favor

"Guarding Godly Master?"

Luo Feng was startled. Nine Remoteness Master was a Guarding Godly Master of Ancestral God School. Guarding Godly Masters were the top seniors among the sub-members of the Ancestral God School, and they were at the same level as Beast Gods.

No wonder they've been helping me like that. It's because they want me to be a Guarding Godly Master, Luo Feng thought. I still need a supreme true treasure to protect me when I am dealing with universe supreme masters! However, if I become a universe master, my godly power will surge again, and so will my willpower. After that, I won't need a soul type true treasure to defend myself against an illusion by Virtual-Real Devil Master.

Luo Feng was indeed powerful, and he wanted to fight universe masters. However, he still needed Star Tower to protect his life when he came across universe supreme masters. Sitting Mountain Guest was indeed accurate about him. He had said that Luo Feng could roam the universe as long as he had Star Tower, and a different translation of that was that Luo Feng did still have to fear some beings without it.

Though Luo Feng understood that the Ancestral God School had protected him for their own benefit, he was still grateful. After all, they did this because they thought highly of Luo Feng. Besides, based on the information he collected, there were no confrontations between the Ancestral God School and the human race, and the Ancestral God School promised before that human sub-members wouldn't be required to fight the human race, and sub-members could refuse to accept a particular task.

"Virtual-Real Devil Master came after you once, so you know how much the bug race, automaton race, and demon race want you dead." Double-Face Ancestral God gazed at Luo Feng. "Think carefully about what you should do."

"I know." Luo Feng nodded.

"Of course, don't be worried, either," said Double-Face Ancestral God. "Virtual-Real Devil Master is a universe supreme master. Since he failed, at least we know he won't come here and try to kill you again. As for asking another universe supreme master, that's not easy. The bug race, automaton race, and demon race might not be willing to. They failed the first time, and if they try it and fail again, it's like giving out true treasures for free." Double-Face Ancestral God smiled. "Think about what you should do. I'll go back to the Ancestral God Palace."

Double-Face Ancestral God turned around and walked away.

After three steps, his shape was blurred.

"Back to Ancestral God Palace?" Luo Feng nodded. Of course. He was an Ancestral God, and he had been doing him a large favor by disguising himself beside him. He couldn't be his spy forever.

"I'll go back to my god country first."

Luo Feng turned around and walked back to his palace. Then he left Redbud Island and went back to his god country.

In his god country, the boundless Remote Ocean was sensing the universe origin and absorbing godly power. After all, only one-eighth of the ocean had finished being transformed when turning to a universe knight...

"Star Tower," said Luo Feng. He wore his silver armor and silver wings and was standing atop the ocean.

Golden Horned Beast flew toward him. It became a Golden Horned Beast a million miles long with a huge Star Tower on its head. The Golden Horned Beast had been studying the engravings on Star Tower for all these years. The engravings were extremely intricate, which baffled people! Luo Feng was only able to recognize three levels and fully comprehend the first level.

"Come." Luo Feng reached out his hands.

Hua!

Star Tower flew toward him, shrinking, and fell into his palm.

"Guard the soul."

Star Tower went into Luo Feng's body and floated at the center of Luo Feng's chest. Tower Pearl flew back to Star Tower. The Tower Pearl itself was able to guard the soul. As for the complete Star Tower, it was much more efficient at guarding the soul.

Hua! Hua! Hua!

Countless threads spread from Star Tower like a net coming from Star Tower. They covered Luo Feng, and each trace of godly power had its life imprint protected. Luo Feng was awed. Tower Pearl was like a giant boulder guarding the soul, yet Star Tower was more like a towering mountain. Even now, it felt much more stable.

"No wonder it's a supreme true treasure."

Luo Feng was pleased. It was known that a supreme true treasure could be a guarding treasure, but even some universe supreme masters didn't have supreme true treasures.

"I still need to be careful even if the first universe supreme master failed." Luo Feng immediately connected to the virtual universe with his mind. "I tried to search for the information about universe supreme masters before, but I couldn't. Now that I've been deemed a top-tier universe overlord, my access authority should be higher."

Inside Luo Feng's habitation on Thunder Island, in a quiet palace.

Luo Feng stared at the screen in front of his desk.

"My access authority is indeed high."

Luo Feng smiled. Last time, he had the access authority of a secondary universe knight. This time, Luo Feng had the access authority of a seven-star universe overlord.

"Master," Babata replied. This was, of course, a subsidiary intelligent part of Babata, while the original body was training on the earth. Babata had become undying with the resources provided by Luo Feng. However, undying fighters were too weak to meddle in the sort of the fights Luo Feng was dealing with. That was why he still stayed on the earth. Babata did, however, provide a great deal of help for Luo Feng's family.

"Search for universe masters and universe supreme masters," said Luo Feng.

"Yes."

Hua!

Information showed up on the screen. Luo Feng clicked on the first result, as it usually contained the most information.

"It's indeed different to have the access authority of a seven-star universe overlord. I can learn many top-tier secrets." Luo Feng smiled and kept reading.

All the creatures in the universe were children of the universe, and the universe loved them. Special life forms had eternal lives when they were first born. Ordinary life forms, however, had to become undying before they had eternal lives. Otherwise, they would die. There was no need to elaborate on non-undying. Undying fighters were those who fully comprehended the easiest laws and gained eternal lives with the help of law ocean.

Universe knights were those who had fully comprehended space law or time law. They had stronger godly bodies and had high law comprehension.

As for universe masters, they had fully comprehended one of the merge laws... Once becoming a universe master, they would be able to control space and time.

These were all gifts from the universe. Undying fighters, universe knights, and universe masters... The universe origin was bestowing them with endless godly power! And perhaps inherited techniques, complete control over space and time, and the power to turn back time. The universe origin would still treat universe masters as their children and take care of them. And it wouldn't disturb their training.

However, there was no clear way to become a universe supreme master! All the methods they tried before would be rendered useless! Other great beings couldn't follow the same path to become universe supreme masters.

Besides, after all the efforts, wisdom, and luck, universe supreme masters were able to control the law. They could even make their own laws! As such, they would be suppressed and constrained by the universe.

The universe would take care of a being when it became a universe master from a weaker one. However, universe supreme masters were constrained by the universe—so constrained that they could only wield power slightly stronger than the most powerful universe masters! Regardless, they were so powerful that it was easy for them to resurrect universe overlords.

Besides, if a universe supreme master killed a universe knight or a universe master, they would be punished because universe knights and universe masters were protected by the universe. And the more powerful the knight or master they killed, the more severe the punishment would be.

The punishment of killing a universe overlord was nothing to a universe supreme master. Killing a universe master would be costly.

As for universe masters like Primal Chaos City Leader or Nine Remoteness Master, even universe supreme masters could try to kill them without worrying about the punishment. They wouldn't be able to do so, as they could only wield limited power.

Luo Feng was dazed. "The universe favors and nourishes everything," he murmured. "However, after becoming a universe supreme master, one will be suppressed and constrained. And killing universe knights and universe masters is punishable... So bizarre. They're all lives born in the primal universe, and they're all nourished and cared for. However, once someone becomes a universe supreme master, he will be suppressed. And each universe supreme master needs to find his own way to make a breakthrough?"

Luo Feng realized that universe supreme masters must have a bigger secret—a secret regarding why the original universe tried to suppress them. However, his access authority was not yet high enough for him to know about this secret.

Chapter 1107: Disguise

Luo Feng leaned back and put his legs on the desk. He kept his eyes closed and reviewed what he had just read about universe masters and universe supreme masters.

"There are differences between the power of universe masters, and it's difficult for a universe master to kill another one unless there is a huge gap of power between them. As for universe supreme masters, they're slightly stronger even than the most powerful universe masters, but they're rare. There is only one universe supreme master within our race, and he is Huge Axe Creator! Besides, if they kill universe masters, they'll be punished by the universe... Which makes it extremely difficult for universe masters to die!"

Luo Feng nodded. It didn't necessarily mean that their power prevented them from dying. But apparently, this was one of the reasons it was unlikely. Aside from that, some supreme beings weren't willing to act on something unless the valuables were attractive enough—such as the fights for true treasures on the original stars. Those were some of the only scenarios that would lead to the deaths of universe masters.

"What should I do? The automaton race, demon race, and bug race asked a universe supreme master to kill me. What should I do?"

Luo Feng kept thinking. Even a fool could tell that Virtual-Real Devil Master had been hired by the bug race, demon race, and automaton race.

"Ancestral God defended me this time. However, he can't keep being my bodyguard. What am I going to do next time? Although it's almost impossible for the three races to invite a universe supreme master to attack me again, they might be more well-prepared next time. It's certainly not outside the realm of possibility."

Luo Feng frowned. It was tricky. He had a supreme true treasure, Star Tower, and he didn't need to be afraid of universe supreme masters! But it was also a problem for him! How could he defend himself against a universe supreme master? Was a top-tier universe overlord able to resist a universe supreme master? What a joke! If he did, everyone would be able to figure out that he must own an incredible true treasure; otherwise, there would be no way he could survive against a universe supreme master.

"If a universe supreme master comes to kill me and Ancestral God can't stop him in time, my secret will be exposed."

Luo Feng kept thinking. He wouldn't just die that easily. If pressed, he would fight! And if he survived against a universe supreme master, everyone would figure out that he had an incredible valuable. Besides, the disappearance of Star Tower had led to turmoil in the universe, and if Luo Feng could survive against a universe supreme master, many would surmise that Luo Feng had something to do Star Tower.

"If that happens, I'll be in deep trouble," he mumbled. "Perhaps there are quite a few universe supreme masters who have their eyes on Star Tower, and if they speculate that I took it, they'll come after me. They won't need the request of the bug race, demon race, or automaton race. Then what would I do? Hide? I'm not going to live in Star Tower forever!"

Luo Feng kept contemplating with his eyes closed.

There are two ways, he decided. One, I hide in the original universe until I become a universe master. However, it is extremely difficult to turn into a universe master from a universe knight. I might not be able to make it even if I spend another 180 million years. Besides, the longer it takes, the more anxious and angrier those three alliances will get. They might even attack my family.

The fight among great beings rarely involved families, but this guideline only applied to the human race! However, killings among races were ruthless, as the ultimate goal was to annihilate the enemy races! They would go to any lengths! Remote Ocean body, who was more powerful than top-tier universe overlords, was guarding Earth, and it was heavily defended. Unless a universe master was sent out...

Second, I can trick them into thinking that I'm a universe master! Luo Feng thought. Why are they so keen to kill me? Because they're afraid I'll become a universe master... If they believe I already am a universe master, they'll regret that they didn't kill me earlier. Even if they want to ask a universe supreme leader to kill me, they won't agree to do so as easily, as the punishment for killing a universe master is really heavy.

Two options... Luo Feng immediately eliminated the first possibility, as he didn't know how long it would take him to become a universe master... Plenty of universe knights remained stuck at the universe-overlord level for an eternity! Besides, he hadn't even completed the fifth level of the beast god path yet! It'd take him a very long time to complete the seventh level of the beast god path. Besides, Teacher Sitting Mountain Guest also didn't want him to hide and train himself. Instead, he wanted him to fight to improve himself. He might never become a universe master if he just kept practicing in a safe place.

"I can only choose the second option," said Luo Feng. "Okay. I'll disguise myself as a universe master."

My godly body is very close to that of a universe master.

Based on the information he gathered, a godly body would surge 100 times when someone turned from a universe knight to a universe master, which meant the weakest universe masters' godly bodies were as powerful as universe knights with life gene level of 10,000 times!

Godly bodies are equal, thought Luo Feng. And my mind and willpower are at universe-master level. So are my techniques. He nodded. I have a pinnacle technique of universe masters, Golden Mountain, and an ultimate technique of universe masters, Golden Light. If I perform these two techniques often, I'll demonstrate that I have the power of a universe-master! The only weakness is that I'm not able to control a space and time.

Control over space and time could both suppress enemies. And it could also be used to reverse time to resurrect some universe knights and undying fighters.

The fights between universe masters are so intense that control over space and time is useless. It's only used to restrain the weak. No one will force me to resurrect anyone by turning back time.

"Okay," Luo Feng said with a nod.

It was completely feasible. The most convincing one was his techniques. He needed to perform his universe-master level techniques Golden Mountain and Golden Light more often to let more supreme beings know. They would quickly see that they were techniques of the universe master level, and engraving-picture path was obviously a secret! Only universe masters were able to create ultimate techniques of universe masters; this was common sense in the original universe—without knowledge of engraving-picture path.

"I can totally do it!" Luo Feng nodded. "I just need to prove it by fighting."

Since Luo Feng was determined to make all the races in the universe believe that he was a universe master, he needed to prove it in battle! And the fights needed to be credible!

"Teacher Sitting Mountain Guest wanted me to kill ten universe overlords or one universe master, and if I can accomplish that, he'll make me a pinnacle true treasure. I can't guarantee that I can kill a universe master, as I've never fought one, and I might not be able to control it. I can't make any mistakes. It needs to be a perfect fight! I need to thrill all the races and convince them that I'm a universe master! I need to let the bug race, the demon race, and the automaton race believe that I've become a universe master and that it will be costly to kill me!"

Luo Feng stood up immediately. "Babata!" he shouted.

The intelligent life form answered, "Master?"

"Gather all the information on the top-tier universe overlords from demon race, the automaton race, and the bug race, and the top-tier universe overlords of the alliances they belonged to. I'll read all the information and pick some to fight." He had decided to pick from the three races.

"Yes, Master!"

Hua!

After only a short while...

"All the information has been gathered," said Babata. "The information is very detailed. It includes their past, their fighting records, their power, and the true treasures they have."

"I'll read them one by one," said Luo Feng.

Just when Luo Feng was choosing his prey, he received an email from Primal Chaos City Leader. It simply read, "Come!"

Luo Feng immediately stopped and rushed to the godly palace where Primal Chaos City Leader was staying.

Endless air permeated, and a round table that looked like jade was placed in front of the godly palace. There were two beings sitting there. One of them was Primal Chaos City Leader while the other was a giant man with a dragon tail who wore baggy armor. He sat there like a mountain.

Luo Feng immediately realized that he was also a universe master.

"Luo Feng, this is Long Yan Master," Primal Chaos City Leader said when he saw Luo Feng.

"Teacher, Long Yan Master." Luo Feng gave a salutation.

"Luo Feng." Primal Chaos City Leader turned around. "I called you here for something vital. Based on our intelligence, something big happened in the Ancestral God School. The supreme true treasure Five-Color Aurora Lake suddenly disappeared before it showed itself again, yet no candidates on Redbud Island know what happened. Do you know what that means? That means a space and time were controlled, and none of the great beings knew what happened."

"Though universe masters are able to control space and time, they're not capable of doing that," continued Primal Chaos City Leader. "Only universe supreme masters can! Universe supreme masters cover everything, and that Five-Color Aurora Lake disappeared. It's likely that a universe supreme master trespassed in the center of the Ancestral God School."

Primal Chaos City Leader looked at Luo Feng. "Did that universe supreme master go after you?"

Chapter 1108: Sky Flower Knight

The moment the higher-ups of the human race like Primal Chaos City Leader caught wind of the news, they deduced that the intruder on Redbud Island must have been a universe supreme being, that was the first thought that immediately came to their minds... The bug clan, demon clan, and automaton race already wanted to eliminate Luo Feng, and he was on Redbud Island all this while. When backed into a corner, the three pinnacle races would go for the most reliable method—getting a universe supreme being to do the killing. This was a possibility!

Once they arrived at this conclusion, Primal Chaos City Leader was quite shaken. Fortunately, Luo Feng's consciousness was always connected to the virtual universe, so Primal Chaos City Leader was aware that Luo Feng was alive! That was when he could calm himself down.

However, Primal Chaos City Leader was also confused... If a universe supreme being was there to kill Luo Feng, then there should not have been any chance of failure unless Luo Feng was fast enough to self-destruct! If killing Luo Feng was not the motive, then what was going on?

"That universe supreme being was Virtual-Real Devil Master," Luo Feng said in a respectful manner.

"Virtual-real Devil Master?" Long Yan Master and Primal Chaos City Leader were flustered.

"Indeed, he came to Redbud Island to kill me."

Luo Feng considered for a short while, then decided to tell them the truth. After all, from a normal perspective, he was an up-and-coming great being among the humans; if the bug soldiers, demons, and

automaton race were doing all they could to eliminate him, then naturally, the human race would do all they could to protect him.

He was a target for assassination by a universe supreme being, so by right, the human race should be doing something to help him. To depend solely on himself for a hard fight should not be necessary. He would first see what the race would do.

"He was there to kill you?" Primal Chaos City Leader asked with a trace of fervor in his eyes.

"If Virtual-Real Devil Master made a trip personally, how did you manage to escape?" Long Yan Master could not help asking.

Primal Chaos City Leader said, "If Virtual-Real Master was there, given his power, the island master of Redbud Island would not have been able to stop him. As for your Ancestor God from the Ancestral God School, he may not be able to make it in time to stop him... How could you...?"

"Teacher, it was Ancestor God who saved my life," Luo Feng informed them.

Long Yan Master and Primal Chaos City Leader exchanged eye contact. Both of them had reached a conclusion based on the information they received. Being able to make use of the Five-Color Aurora Lake without being discovered by any of the candidates on Bauhinia Island was a feat that only Ancestor God could achieve. What neither could comprehend was how Ancestor God could have made it there in time to intervene. Battles among the great always happened at breakneck speed!

"If it wasn't for Ancestor God, I'm afraid..." Luo Feng shook his head as he recalled. "Since the time I gained recognition as a top-tier universe overlord and first arrived at Redbud Island, Ancestor God has been secretly staying in seclusion by my side. For 62 years, he has been my neighbor."

"Ah."

"Neighbor?"

Long Yan Master and Primal Chaos City Leader were taken aback, shocked that Ancestor God held Luo Feng with such high regard and was willing to be his bodyguard. He was, after all, the greatest authority in the entire Ancestral God School... This was such a beautiful gesture, for the highest being of the top power of the universe to stay by his side for so long, just to protect him in the dark. It was a gesture that would touch anyone's heart.

"Where are you now?" Primal Chaos City Leader asked right away.

"For now, I am temporarily out of Redbud Island," Luo Feng replied.

"You had better not go back yet. The bug soldiers, automaton race, and demons may have failed this time around, but it is hard to say. They may be back anytime." Primal Chaos City Leader ordered solemnly, "You may go for a silent retreat for now. As to how we should deal with your problems, I need some time to ponder."

"Noted."

Luo Feng bowed before the two and within a blink of the eye, vanished into thin air.

Long Yan Master and Primal Chaos City Leader contemplated the problem in silence for some time.

"Primal Chaos City Leader," Long Yan Master said, finally breaking the silence, "Redbud Island is no safe ground. The three races are determined to kill Luo Feng. Their desire is so strong that it is frightening. Previously, we were just making conjectures, but we had not expected everything to come true. Especially when the opponent was Virtual-Real Devil Master, the one who was most highly-skilled in creating illusions; when used against someone like Luo Feng, who has the talent technique of dividing bodies, his skills would be a most frightening threat."

"I will inform Huge Axe and gather the universe masters to discuss this matter." Primal Chaos City Leader could not contain his anxiety any longer.

When all the universe masters of the human race were once again gathered together for a discussion, Luo Feng was back in one of the chambers of his palace, continuing to browse through information on the numerous top-tier universe overlords.

"In my human race, if I count myself, then there will only be four top-tier universe overlords," he mumbled to himself. "Automaton race has four top-tier universe overlords. The demon clan has a total of 21 top-tier universe overlords. After all, within the demon clan, there are different bloodlines that are ranked on different levels. There are quite a few with the talent technique of dividing bodies, so the number of top-tier universe overlords is quite a lot. The bug clan... it has 81 universe overlords, of which only two are top-tier universe overlords. However, the moment universe overlords of the bug clan make use of the Bug Ocean Combat Tactic, they are comparable to top-tier universe overlords of other races."

Luo Feng nodded to himself. The bug clan was a frightening presence. The bug Mother Queen alone would only have the combat power at the level of a universe overlord. But she would do all she could to create a clan of bug warriors that were of universe knight level. Although she only had a massive godly body, she could distribute consciously to every warrior, allowing every single one of them to possess extremely powerful combat skills.

"Alliance clan of the automaton race: a total of 12 top-tier universe overlords. Alliance clan of the demon race: a total of 16 top-tier universe overlords. Alliance clan of the bug race: a total of 9 top-tier universe overlords. Who should I choose?"

Luo Feng eliminated the bug clan first. Mother Queen overlord of the bug clan was not a fearsome figure individually, but she could control and manipulate a massive number of bug warriors! Even if he could kill those bug warriors one by one, their queen would still be able to make an unhurried but speedy escape with her warriors warding her off.

The automaton race? It had a total of four top-tier universe overlords, just like the human race previously had a total of three. The true treasures under their possession were extremely powerful! And they were all positioned in restricted grounds of the automaton race, just like how Heaven Erosion Palace Master and Star Prison Devil Master of the human race were in restricted grounds within the human domain.

"Demon clan it shall be," said Luo Feng. "The demon clan has a great number of top-tier universe overlords, and they are very scattered." Luo Feng looked at all the information suspended in mid-air and suddenly looked to one set of information, "This is the one. Sky Flower Knight!"

Sky Flower Knight was a top-tier universe overlord of the demon clan. Within the Sky Wolf Clan, he was only second to Sky Wolf Master; he was the pride of the Sky Wolf Clan and was the special disciple of Sky Wolf Master. He was also the disciple of the clan's "Dream Demon Ancestor."

"Sky Flower Knight? Sky Wolf Master?" Luo Feng laughed lightheartedly.

He recalled that unforgettable time where he had attempted to make it out of Ice Hell. That almighty Sky Wolf Master had attempted to kill him. Fortunately, Primal Chaos City Leader Teacher had appeared and had come to his rescue!

"Sky Flower Knight, just your luck," said Luo Feng. "You are the chosen one."

After he had decided on his prey, Sky Flower Knight, Luo Feng started searching for various detailed information to devise his plot. He looked into the true treasures, techniques, and related information to understand his own powers, and also, he looked into possible places of residence!

While Luo Feng was planning, he received a call from Primal Chaos City Leader.

"Luo Feng. Come to primal chaos ruins to meet me."

"Yes, Teacher."

Luo Feng put everything aside. Since it was a command from his teacher, he wasted no time in making a speedy departure from his god country. He arrived at the headquarters of the Virtual Universe Company, boarded a planet ship, and traveled through the universe tunnel to arrive at Primal Chaos City.

Walking within the palace, every guard that he met along the way was very respectful.

In the middle of the vast primal chaos ruins, Primal Chaos City Leader sat cross-legged as he waited for Luo Feng. When Luo Feng was near him, he opened his eyes.

"Teacher." Luo Feng gave a slight bow.

Hua.

With a wave, Primal Chaos City Leader threw something in the form of a ray of light that flew toward Luo Feng. Luo Feng caught the ray with one hand and looked down to see a triangular crystal in his palm. It was like an amethyst, with beautiful, ancient yet simple floral patterns; the crystal exuded a strangely attractive charm.

"This is a senior soul type true treasure that is more superior than those on the same level," Primal Chaos City Leader said. "Its original name is 'Afterimage.'"

"Afterimage?" said Luo Feng.

Luo Feng was stunned. Previously, when he traded for the top-tier true treasure blade, "Ghost Blade," he had scanned the catalog of items for trade. With his photographic memory, he would have naturally remembered everything that he had seen on the list after just one look. He clearly recalled that within one of the columns for soul type true treasures, Afterimage had been worth a total of 620 true treasure points!

Senior soul type true treasures were much more valuable than the ordinary top-tier true treasure weapons. For top-tier true treasure blades, normally 80 true treasure points would suffice. However, senior soul type true treasures would at least require 200 to 300 true treasure points. Afterimage was a notch higher than them all, reaching a value of 620 true treasure points. Of course, if it were a top-tier soul type true treasure, its value would be much higher, as it was equivalent to weapons like Thousand Treasure River and Blade River Luo, which would usually require a few thousand true treasure points.

"Teacher..." Luo Feng raised his head to look at Primal Chaos City Leader.

Primal Chaos City Leader smiled. "This is not from me. It is what our entire race is giving you. Of all our senior soul type true treasures, this is the best of the best. Afterimage. Its value is worth a few pieces of top-tier true treasure weapons! This is a final decision the race made upon learning that Virtual-Real Devil Master is hunting you down. We are giving you Afterimage to guard your soul."

"Your willpower and consciousness have reached the level of a universe master," Primal Chaos City Leader continued, "while Afterimage is one of the best senior soul type true treasures. Even if you were to cross paths with Virtual-Real Devil Master again, with Afterimage to guard your soul, at least your soul cannot be permeated and thereby controlled by another soul. You can still calmly self-destruct."

Luo Feng nodded. Indeed, if it was a true top-tier universe overlord—and even if his soul was protected by a true treasure—in the face of a universe supreme being, there was still no means of escape. Normally, universe overlords in such a situation would choose to self-destruct. Being able to self-destruct was considered a form of success...

But Luo Feng was different. He had the supreme true treasure Star Tower and the pinnacle true treasure Force Armor to protect his body.

Luo Feng was still filled with gratitude. "Thank you, Teacher," he said. He was indeed short of a soul type true treasure.

He might have Star Tower, but... both his original earthling body and his Golden Horned Beast body required a soul type true treasure. Upon gaining Afterimage, Luo Feng decided right away.

Afterimage shall be used by my original earthling body, who used to have Force Armor, which in turn has the efficacy of weakening soul attacks. Afterimage and Force Armor shall work together... This would make them comparable to a top-tier soul type true treasure! Then, even if I'm being attacked by Virtual-Real Devil Master, I will not be afraid of being unable to ward off his attacks.

Golden Horned Beast body has Star Tower. It has more than enough clout. If I were to venture out in the name of Blood Cloud Palace Master, at least I won't be putting the great name of Blood Cloud Palace Master to shame.

Luo Feng secretly made this decision. This treasure's arrival was timely.

Afterimage required 620 true treasure points. If Luo Feng were to contribute all of his remaining true treasures, he would still only have been able to obtain a fraction of this amount.

"With this true treasure, you can venture out to roam the universe," said Primal Chaos City Leader. "After all, it will not be that easy for the other three races like the bug soldiers to enlist the help of a universe supreme being again. You need not be overly worried." He continued solemnly. "With the level of power you have now, you should be honing your skills through combat; the birth of universe masters has always been achieved through the tough training from battles. Just working hard in cultivation does not help one in becoming a universe master. You should go now."

"Understood." Luo Feng bowed and left right away.

Chapter 1109: Start

Luo Feng went back to his god country after leaving the original universe. The waves were churning. Above the boundless Remote Ocean floated a godly palace enveloped by a dim light.

Luo Feng stood on the square in front of the godly palace with the towering Golden Horned Beast beside him. A nine-story ancient tower showed up on his hand and flew toward Golden Horned Beast.

"From now on, Golden Horned Beast will use Star Tower!" he said. "The original earthling body uses Shi Wu Wings, Force Armor, and Afterimage."

Luo Feng nodded. This was indeed the best arrangement, as Golden Horned Beast had a second identity, 'Blood Cloud Palace Leader,' and had the Blood Cloud Pearl to disguise himself. Blood Cloud Palace was able to change someone's aura, along with the shape of true treasures. Although it was difficult to determine its level, it took Sitting Mountain Guest a long time and lots of energy to make it.

Star Tower would shrink during regular fights, but anyone who paid attention could tell the secret if it was enlarged. However, Blood Cloud Tower was able to completely change the look of Star Tower, so nobody would be able to identify it.

"Teacher Primal Chaos City Leader also said that training alone won't make a universe master, and he also wants me to sharpen myself in combat as Teacher Sitting Mountain Guest does." Luo Feng nodded.

In a pavilion in the virtual universe, the servants of Luo's family prepared delicious meals. Luo Feng and Kuang Zhou Knight sat face-to-face with each other.

Kuang Zhou Knight felt a bit awkward, and he said, "Blade River, you don't need to prepare the wine or meals if you want my help. Just tell me what you want. I'll do everything."

Kuang Zhou Knight was not stupid. Luo Feng could already rival Heavenly Erosion Palace Leader, Ancestral Tree Knight, and Star Prison Devil Master. All the universe knights in the race wanted to be friends with him.

"Indeed, I need to ask you a favor." Luo Feng nodded.

"Just tell me," said Kuang Zhou Knight. "I'm just afraid that I might not do a good job."

"It's simple," said Luo Feng. "Help me find the coordinates of Sky Flower Knight from the demon race."

Beings like Heavenly Erosion Palace Leader and Star Prison Devil Master rarely showed up on the open-air bar, and neither did Luo Feng, as he didn't have much time for such things.

"Find him?" Kuang Zhou Knight's eyes gleamed. "Rest assured. I'm the best at gathering information."

Luo Feng smiled and nodded. Usually, great beings would block their conversations if they were talking about important issues, which was why it was difficult to gather information. And this was when connections came in handy. Kuang Zhou Knight was known for his ability to gather information, as he had a tremendous number of friends.

"Sky Flower Knight should be on the original stars." Kuang Zhou Knight smiled. "Actually, most of the top-tier universe overlords of the demon race are adventuring the original stars. I heard that Sky Flower Knight showed up on Original Star Number 02002 more than 1,000 years ago. However, you should know that top-tier universe overlords usually act alone, and he left very quickly. I didn't collect any information on him after that. I guess he's on one of the original stars."

Luo Feng nodded. "Thank you so much."

"Not at all. Just come and find me whenever you need more information."

Kuang Zhou Knight knew that the more favors he did for Luo Feng, the closer they would be! All the universe knights knew that Ganwu Universe Country Master's debts were automatically paid off because he was the teacher of Luo Feng's son.

"I'll go collect other information." Kuang Zhou Knight smiled.

Luo Feng nodded, and Kuang Zhou Knight disappeared.

Luo Feng knew that it was difficult to track down a supreme being. If he kept hiding—like Luo Feng hid from the demon race, the automaton race, and the bug race—it would take forever to find him. Fortunately, Sky Flower Knight wasn't hiding deliberately. Instead, he was still adventuring the original stars... It might take a while to find him, but it would take that long.

"I'll keep training on Redbud Island," said Luo Feng.

He was calm and confident, and his original earthling body went back to Redbud Island and started to train himself. He went to the land of inheritance after more than two months.

On Redbud Island.

"Look."

"It's Luo Feng."

"Luo Feng's going to land of inheritance again."

The candidates immediately took notes and reported them back to their races.

Three beings arrived at a starry sky and twisted the space around it as if they were in another dimension: a giant, oval-shaped phantom, a breathtaking being, and a gigantic, silver snake head surrounded by countless snake-like shadows.

"What happened, Automaton?" the breathtaking being grunted.

"Didn't you ask Virtual-Real Devil Master to kill him?" The silver snake head also said in anger

After Virtual-Real Devil Master failed to kill Luo Feng in the center of the Ancestral God School, he had never contacted Father God of the Automaton race. Father God was patient enough as a universe supreme master, and he didn't push him. Instead, he tried to figure out what information the human race had.

In the past two months... Luo Feng had shown up in Primal Chaos City and entered City Leader Palace, and almost no one knew it. Although there were spies of the automaton race in PrimalChaos City, nobody had noticed that Luo Feng had entered the City Leader Palace and left.

No one had been certain of his fate until this time... When Luo Feng showed up on Redbud Island, that was when all the three pinnacle races knew that Luo Feng was still alive!

"I asked Virtual-Real Devil Master to kill him," the phantom said. "You all know Virtual-Real Devil Master. He'll be upset if I keep pushing him. I just went to ask him what happened after learning that Luo Feng was still alive."

"What happened?" asked the silver snake head.

The breathtaking being also stared at the black oval.

The four pinnacle races had been fighting each other for an eternity, and the three other races had formed a temporary alliance because of their common enemy: Luo Feng. The relationship among them was sour.

"Virtual-Real Devil Master said he immediately started the killing attempt after arriving at Redbud Island," the phantom said, "but he didn't expect Double-Face Ancestral God to be living beside Luo Feng and secretly protecting him. The Ancestral God counter-attacked the second he attacked."

"Ancestral God?"

"Double-Face Ancestral God?"

Both the silver snake head and the breathtaking being were shocked.

"Ancestral God's been protecting him secretly?" The breathtaking being's voice was mesmerizing. "How is that possible?"

"That was what happened," said the black oval.

"We can ask him to do it again," said the silver head. "He's received our gift, and he needs to finish it. Besides, do you really think Double-Face Ancestral God will protect that Luo Feng again? Ask Virtual-Real Devil Master to do that again! He'll definitely succeed."

"Dream Tea!" the black phantom yelled. "All the true treasures we contributed combined are only worth a pinnacle true treasure weapon! Who do you think Virtual-Real Devil Master is? He's the most terrifying being even in the Universe Ocean! Do you really think he'll do it again? It'll be provoking the Ancestral God School if he does it twice! Do you really think one pinnacle true treasure can compel him to become an enemy of the Ancestral God School?"

"Unfortunately, he failed," said the silver head.

"Virtual-Real Devil Master said he had tried his best," said the black phantom, "but he was still suppressed by the universe. What he's done is worthy of a pinnacle true treasure."

Both the breathtaking being and the silver snake head went silent. Virtual-Real Devil Master was indeed an exceptional being. He was a lone universe supreme master, and no powers dared to mess with him. Besides, he had a supreme true treasure to protect him! He and that smiley, conniving Sitting Mountain Guest were two beings who were hated by all the powers in the universe, and none of the powers could do anything to them.

"Then what should we do?" said the breathtaking being.

"Luo Feng showed up on Redbud Island again," said the silver snake head. "If we hire another universe supreme master but Ancestral God is secretly protecting him, we'll be squandering true treasures."

Both the breathtaking being and silver snake head had responsibilities to their races, and they were unwilling to waste their true treasures.

The black phantom said, "Just wait and see. Double-Face Ancestral God won't be able to protect him forever. We can invite a universe supreme master later!"

"We need to wait."

"Who should we ask next time?"

"I'll suggest Sitting Mountain Guest. He's incomparably cunning and proficient in soul attacks. I think he'll do a better job than Virtual-Real Devil Master."

"The conditions of Sitting Mountain Guest might be more demanding."

"We have to try."

"Just wait. Empress, can you go talk to Sitting Mountain Guest? You're the closest to him."

After a short while, they reached a consensus, and all the three being disappeared. The sky went back to being peaceful.

On Redbud Island.

It had been a year since Virtual-Real Devil Master came to kill Luo Feng, and Luo Feng had finished comprehending the fifth level of the beast god path. He had started the sixth level, and he found it extremely intricate and broad. However, after finishing the fifth level, Luo Feng had a more solid

foundation, which made it easier for him to create techniques. He easily created a pinnacle technique of universe masters named "Golden River."

An email interrupted Luo Feng's training on Bauhinia Island: "Blade River! Blade River! I've found where Sky Flower Knight is."

Chapter 1110: The Melee

In the virtual universe, Thunder Island, Luo Feng sat in the study of his palace.

A large screen that was suspended in midair listed detailed information about the latest updates on Sky Flower Knight's movements and the coordinates of his current whereabouts.

"Original Star Number 02933." Luo Feng revealed a trace of a smile. "Sky Flower Knight seems to be having quite a few rewarding years recently. Just based on what great beings of various races have heard, he obtained a senior true treasure and close to ten ordinary true treasures. Sky Flower Knight, if you have taken these true treasures back to where your demon clan is, then count yourself lucky. If not... all of these shall be mine."

His consciousness may have been connected to the virtual universe, but the moment Luo Feng's original earthling body caught wind of the news, he left Redbud Island immediately. He used god country transportation and returned to his god country. This was because he needed to bring his Golden Horned Beast body with him.

"This time around, we are going to the original star. Original star, where even universe masters and universe supreme beings are unable to teleport, and within it... Even if I were to be discovered, or the other races are after my life, I will still have to fly slowly."

Luo Feng nodded to himself, at other places, the moment his whereabouts were discovered, his enemies might appear very soon, but on the Original Star, it would be difficult for them to reach him that quickly.

"But, that is still an original star! This is a place where billions of great beings gather. I must stay vigilant."

"This concerns my battle to fame." Luo Feng would be giving his all, with Golden Horned Beast and Mosha bodies, he started making his way to the original star.

First, Luo Feng entered Original Star Number 03921. In the star, he flew alone for about half a day, then reached the whirlpool leading to Original Star Number 02933. After deliberation, he discovered that this was the fastest way of arriving at this Original Star.

In the sky above the vast ocean of Original Star Number 02933 was a gigantic whirlpool tunnel, and a burly, flaming figure flew through it at that moment. He was around 30 feet tall and black all over, and every inch of his godly body was spurting flames periodically.

"I have reached the original star."

Luo Feng looked at his flaming body and laughed. He was in the form of his Mosha body as he rushed his way here and had allowed his Mosha body to display its talent technique of Replication, where it

replicated a certain universe overlord out of the various special life forms under Blood Cloud Palace's command. The other universe overlords had their merits too, but a universe overlord sporting just one head with a pair of hands and legs was hard to come by; Luo Feng was still used to human form. Behind him, he carried a long battle sword that was around 18 feet long. This true treasure sword was none other than "Bo He."

Sou!

With his blade behind him, the burly, flaming body swept across space at high speed, flew across the ocean, and arrived at an area that consisted of more lands. Then he flew high in the skies enveloping a vast swamp area. He continued flying for around a day when he started to approach a location with coordinates provided by Kuang Zhou Knight.

"It should be here."

Although he had been in flight for a whole day, Luo Feng was still unsettled at heart. Luo Feng started to slow down while observing his surroundings. Kuang Zhou Knight had provided him with the coordinates of Sky Flower Knight's whereabouts discovered by a great being from the Hong Alliance, but that had been discovered three days ago. After three days, there were bound to be changes. He watched carefully along the way.

After half an hour, Luo Feng landed in a small lake within the swamp. The moment his feet touched the water's surface, the flames encircling his ankles created hissing, chi, chi sounds as the flames were distinguished and smoke started to rise from the lake water.

"Nothing? He's not here?" Luo Feng frowned. "I have scoured the entire area of this domain, but still, I do not see Sky Flower Knight."

Sou!

Luo Feng soared high into the sky, and into the extreme limits of space. Then he regained flying at a high speed as he started conducting another round of search on a much larger scale. After all, it had only been three days since the great being from the Hong Alliance had spotted Sky Flower Knight. In those three days, Sky Flower Knight would not have time to leave this original star. He had to still be in the area.

Luo Feng expanded his area of search in a circular manner. When he was half an hour into his search, he suddenly detected a unique aura approaching and spreading out in all directions. This threw Luo Feng—who was preoccupied with his search—off-guard in surprise. He had been roaming and wandering about the original stars, so he was experienced enough to be able to tell that this was the aura of an emerging treasure.

"What a strong aura!" said Luo Feng. "Very strong. It must be a true treasure, and possibly a senior true treasure. To think I came here in search for Sky Flower Knight and have coincidentally been met with the birth of a true treasure!"

Luo Feng laughed. Then his eyes lit up. "That's right, discovering the birth of a true treasure. If I have sensed it, then Sky Flower Knight will discover it too, if he is in the vicinity! Then he will be rushing over as fast as he can... Hahaha...!"

Sou!

Luo Feng made an arc in the sky as he changed course to head off toward where the source of aura was detected, flying at breakneck speed.

As the aura started to spread, those who were nearer to where the birth had taken place would naturally discover it first. "It's a true treasure. It must be the birth of a senior true treasure!"

"Quick!"

"Let's hurry over."

"Such a strong true treasure aura! Quick! As fast as we can! We will earn a fortune if we can get it."

"Let's hope we are the first to make it there."

Those who were slightly further away were late to discover it. Yet regardless of earlier or later, countless teams of knights from top powers of the universe—as well as lone wanderers such as universe overlords and top-tier universe overlords—all rushed over to the source of the aura as fast as they could.

"Haha! My luck is good. I managed to chance upon the birth of a senior true treasure. This aura is definitely one of a senior true treasure!" Exuding an overbearing bloody aura, this great being grinned. He was of a race that sported a huge, blood-red eye vertically in the middle of his face, was covered with snow-white hair, and walked with a crooked back.

He was none other than Sky Flower Knight! A sky wolf who once managed to soul transfer with a special life-form!

"Previously, to trade for true treasure White Needle, I contributed almost all of my other true treasures to the race," he said. "How poor I am. Now that a senior true treasure has emerged... Hmm-hmm. The more powerful the true treasure, the slower its birth will be. By the time I rush over, I think it may not have fully emerged. This treasure is mine."

Sky Flower Knight gave a shrill laugh. At the same time, he transformed into light and dashed toward the source of the aura.

Teams, lone wanderers, or small groups of threes and fives all rushed over to the source of the aura.

Hong!

Hong!

A crazy surge of energy spread outward in all directions in a wave. Luo Feng had not reached the destination but could already feel the strong energy waves spreading.

Seems like the battle has already begun for this true treasure, thought Luo Feng.

At this moment, Remote Ocean's consciousness, which was constantly connected to the virtual universe, received a message Kuang Zhou Knight had just sent over.

"Blade River, Blade River! Original Star Number 02933, which was the location of the coordinates I have previously provided you with—there is fighting going on at a location not far from that place. There are powerfully strong waves. Sky Flower Knight is over there right now and is fighting a battle."

"He is really there!"

Luo Feng could not contain his delight and continued heading towards the source of the aura. At a far distance away, there was a vast and spacious forest, and the battle was going on in that very forest. One look at the groups of knights from various races suspended in midair, and Luo Feng easily counted over 20.

He flew high up into the sky of the vast, spacious forest and looked down from where he was. There were three figures below him. One was a figure covered in snow-white hair who looked exceptionally violent. His hands were holding two heavenly hammers, and with a formidable stance, he charged toward the other two great beings without inhibitions. The other two knights, with equally big godly bodies, were also holding their true treasures and retaliating.

Luo Feng looked down and nodded his head. Demon clan: Sky Flower Knight. Nine Territory Alliance: Zha Wei Horde Leader and Thousand Shadow Knight. No wonder no one is willing to give in. It turns out there are two universe overlords.

Sky Flower Knight may have been strong, but he was only strong in terms of his life gene level, which was as high as around 2,000 times. Zha Wei horde leader and Thousand Island Knight's life gene levels were both 100 times. Their powers were obviously inferior by one level. However, they both had relatively large godly bodies, so the only disadvantage they had was that one level of difference. Zha Wei horde leader was a fighter while Thousand Shadow Knight was a Spirit Reader.

With both working hand-in-hand, they definitely made a worthy fight.

They were not keen on defeating Sky Flower Knight; they only wanted to buy some time, so that when the true treasure was fully emerged, they would be the first to snatch it away. Now that the senior true treasure, a blue-colored true treasure heavenly hammer, was already halfway out. The handle of the hammer was already fully exposed. The hammer's head was gradually emerging too.

"One top-tier universe overlord and two universe overlords. The true treasure will definitely be taken by either one of them. Just my luck. If there was only one universe overlord, I would still take the gamble. But three of them, one of whom is one top-tier universe overlord..."

High up in the sky, some other knights of different races were shaking their heads helplessly, not daring to intervene. Under Sky Flower Knight's attacks, Zha Wei horde leader and Thousand Shadow Knight could still put up a tough fight. As for them, mere universe knights, trying to fight him was rushing to their doom!

Luo Feng was suspended high up in the air, looking down in silence.

"Who is that?" someone said.

"Not someone I know of, but his aura is pretty strong. And he is a lone wanderer, so it's highly possible that he is a universe overlord."

"Seems like this universe overlord is waiting for an opportunity."

All the knights of different races started discussing among themselves. They were aware that from this level of fighting for the treasure, there would be no chance for them—mere knights—to intervene at all!

"Zha Wei Horde Leader and Thousand Shadow Knight... both of you want to snatch my treasure away?" Sky Flower Knight roared. The blood-red vertical eye was incomparably fearsome and insane. "The true treasure that emerged this time is a heavenly hammer true treasure. Heavenly hammer is the weapon I wield, so this should belong to me. With the two of you trying to back me into a corner, do not blame me for not showing mercy!"

"What bullsh*t! Both of us may not be your match, but if you think you can kill us easily, dream on."

"Should we both fear you?"

Zha Wei Horde Leader and Thousand Shadow Knight were extremely crazy. Zha Wei Horde Leader never failed to put up tough resistance, while Thousand Island Knight would use his spiritual force to transform 1,000 phantoms that could envelop all of heaven and earth, thus pestering Sky Flower Knight into a crazy frenzy. Sky Flower Knight could only use his huge hammer to blast away their attacks. Yet Zha Wei Horde Leader and Thousand Shadow Knight were not in a hurry at all. They were both waiting for an opportunity—waiting for the moment the true treasure was fully emerged, when they would snatch it away immediately.

Time passed by. The three were in a continual state of crossfire, while the other knights high above watched without daring to intervene. Luo Feng, too, watched silently.

"Almost."

"The true treasure will soon be born."

The eyes of Zha Wei Horde Leader and Thousand Shadow Knight lit up.

"Thousand Island, our last chance. All depends on you."

"Leave it to me!" Thousand Shadow Knight said, his eyes filled with insanity.

When it was time to fight, he just had to fight like crazy. Treasures had to be fought for.

"Wanting this for yourselves is wishful thinking!" Sky Flower Knight roared.

He made his way toward the treasure. He did not want to be so far away from it, but Zha Wei Horde Leader and Thousand Shadow Knight were attacking aggressively. Their might was overwhelming. Every attack would end up with both sides retreating violently.

And while they fought, Luo Feng had been gradually descending toward them...

"The treasure is born!"

"It's born!"

In a split second, every knight in the air was electrified with excitement.

Hua!

Sky Flower Knight, Zha Wei Horde Leader, and Thousand Shadow Knight all reacted as one; at the same time, they noticed a figure already swooping down from midair.