

The Good 781

Chapter 781: Moving the Entire Family (2)

Shen Yanxiao claimed that Sun Never Sets was completed but Shen Feng had his doubts.

Throughout history, the Longxuan Empire had sent out countless elites to open up the frontier. Yet, all of those elites came back in failure.

So, with that in mind, how could Shen Yanxiao have possibly finished building Sun Never Sets after merely half a year?

Besides, Sun Never Sets was one of the five major cities of the Forsaken Land. The amount of work required to finish Sun Never Sets was larger than the amount needed for other cities. Moreover, she would have to face extreme dangers while building it. Just to exterminate the demons in Sun Never Sets would at least take about three to five years.

As for constructing a city...

It would take at least five or six years.

"Xiaoxiao, I understand that you are worried about us but don't push yourself too hard. You have to face many dangers in the Forsaken Land. But the Vermilion Bird Family cannot be of much help to you even if we go there with you. Rather, we may become your burden." Shen Feng gently turned down Shen Yanxiao's proposal. He wanted to save the Vermilion Bird Family but was unwilling to drag Shen Yanxiao down to do so. This girl had enough responsibilities on her shoulder as it was. He could not have his underage granddaughter take care of the entire family.

If he truly pushed all of his responsibility to his granddaughter, he would be too ashamed to meet his ancestors upon death.

"Grandpa, you can never be my burden." Shen Yanxiao comforted him. "You are well-informed and Uncle Five is a master in managing guards. Uncle Qiu has excellent medical skills. You are the talents that Sun Never Sets needs the most right now. You will be of great help to me, not burdening me one bit. Truthfully, I don't know how to manage a city. So, grandpa, I am counting on you to give me some advice."

Shen Yanxiao knew very well what Shen Feng was worried about but he was overthinking it. Just last night, Vermilion Bird told her that thanks to Ye Qing and Yun Qi, Sun Never Sets was finally out of danger. Moreover, the buildings in Sun Never Sets were finally finished. They were now just waiting for her to go back and open up the city and officially declare the completion of the city to the public.

"Alas, that is not my biggest concern. My biggest concern is that we have not recovered our full strength yet. If we run into any advanced-ranked demons, you will have to protect us, and that will distract you." Shen Feng shook his head helplessly. He was happy that Shen Yanxiao was looking out for him but he had to worry about her safety.

To build a city in the Forsaken Land was a big deal to the Longxuan Empire. If Shen Yanxiao could finish building Sun Never Sets, then this city would be the only one that belonged to the Longxuan Empire in the Forsaken Land, which would be a significant accomplishment.

By then, Sun Never Sets would become Shen Yanxiao's strongest force, so Shen Feng did not wish to trouble Shen Yanxiao at this critical time.

"Running into advanced-ranked demons is common, but they will never have the courage to attack you." Shen Yanxiao mumbled to herself. Every single demon in Sun Never Sets were tamed by her. They were loyal to her and would follow her orders to a tee. If she told them to head east, they would never go west. If she told them to build houses, they would never pave roads.

If they were to find out that her grandpa and uncle were coming to Sun Never Sets, the demons would line up to welcome them. The demons would dance and sing to express their kindness and hospitality.

Attack them?

Why? The demons were not tired of living just yet. To bully the family members of their city lord was to invite a death wish.

Even if there were any, the advanced-ranked demons would strangle the unruly demons to death!

The demons that dared to be disrespectful to the person that provided them with a peaceful life must be beaten to death!

Shen Yanxiao's status in Sun Never Sets was unimaginably high.

To the demons who had been eating humans for a long time, Shen Yanxiao was their goddess, their muse because she could bring them delicious dark elements.

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"What did you say?" Shen Feng didn't catch it when Shen Yanxiao mumbled to herself. He was confused about what she was mumbling under her breath.

Shen Yanxiao shook her head.

"Nothing." For people living on the Brilliance Continent, demons were their eternal enemies. If she were to tell Shen Feng that she was raising tens of thousands of demons like pets, Shen Feng would immediately pass out right in front of her, given how weak he was at the moment.

But, Shen Feng was still not convinced that she had made Sun Never Sets a safe place. However, she could not reveal the whole truth as it was too controversial and shocking.

This was turning into such an intricate situation just because she couldn't come clean.

"Grandpa, just come with me. I will not rest easy if you stay in the capital. I will never forgive myself if something happens to you when the Broken Star Palace comes and I cannot help you in time. You are worried about me, but I'm worried about you. I will not be able to stay calm in Sun Never Sets if I am unable to ensure your safety." Shen Yanxiao decided to go with her trump card!

"Grandpa, will you please?" Shen Yanxiao blinked her watery eyes and used her soft, sweet voice to charm Shen Feng. She even pulled a corner of Shen Feng's clothes with her delicate hands and shook them.

Some all-powerful girl was forced to act cute and girly and play rogue.

Her moral principles and dignity were thrown to the back of her head.

Shen Feng could not help but break into a laugh. It was rare that Shen Yanxiao would act girly. This girl had always been stable and mature. To see her playing cute like a girl of her age should, felt nice.

“...” Vermilion Bird, who had come in with his master, was stunned still by his master’s shameless act. With eyes open and mouth ajar, Vermilion Bird blankly stared at this cute girl.

His master was able to wield both the pen and the gun, to kill people, and to act cute...

Do the citizens in Sun Never Sets know you can be this shameless?

Shen Ling stepped in at this moment. When he saw Shen Yanxiao playing all adorable, he was visibly stunned as well.

As he remembered, Shen Yanxiao had always been acting more mature than her age. But this sight in front of him, she was behaving like a normal kid. However, this “normal” state was more unacceptable to him.

“What are you doing?” Shen Ling’s mouth twitched.

Shen Feng told him Shen Yanxiao’s proposal.

Shen Ling replied, “I, for one, think Xiaoxiao’s proposal reasonable. If we stay in the capital, the Broken Star Palace will definitely retaliate. When Xiaoxiao is away, we will not be able to save the Vermilion Bird Family anymore. If we go to the Forsaken Land with Xiaoxiao, there is still a chance that the Vermilion Bird Family can still exist. As for burdening her...” Before Shen Ling could finish, he noticed that Shen Yanxiao was staring at him with twinkling eyes.

She was trying to pressure him into siding with her!

Anyway, this girl that would always act as an elder was being adorable all of a sudden. He could not bear this sight.

She had a beauty that overthrew states and cities. Her cuteness could convince anyone!

“Well... some other guards and I have almost recovered fully. We can at least protect you if we cannot help Xiaoxiao. I say we accept her offer just so that she will not have to worry about us.” Shen Ling placed his hands over his chest. He was a loner without children of his own and he never liked other kids in the Vermilion Bird Family.

The only kid he ever found agreeable to him was Shen Yanxiao. The lovely Shen Yanxiao made him feel...

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It made him feel that having a kid was not such a bad thing.

Because of Shen Ling’s words, Shen Feng became less intransigent.

Make hay while the sun shines. Shen Yanxiao continued to use adorableness as her weapon.

After a few cute blinks, Shen Feng finally gave in.

What had been happening inside this room shocked Vermilion Bird to his core.

Where was his overwhelming and bossy master?

Was it okay for you to be so cute like this?

Vermilion Bird realized that his master could be cute as well as cruel...

She was indeed a strange girl!

“Father, for the next couple of days, try to have some rest. I will have stuff here packed up and prepared for our trip.” Since they decided to go to Sun Never Sets, they would have to make plans.

“Go ahead.” The past couple of days had exhausted Shen Feng. Having experienced this crisis, Shen Feng had found out that Shen Ling was only his trustworthy son and now he was willing to let Shen Ling take care of certain matters.

“Xiaoxiao, tell me what we need to take to be ready for the Forsaken Land. I will send people to buy them.” Shen Ling had never been to the Forsaken Land so he had to ask her for advice.

Shen Yanxiao was in a good mood for having convinced Shen Feng, so she said to Shen Ling with a brilliant smile, “You don’t have to take much stuff. Sun Never Sets has everything ready. Just take our money and valuables.”

“...” Shen Ling was speechless. He already found this girl was somewhat a money-grubber when she was billing the four families. This feeling deepened as she gave this answer. The Vermilion Bird Family was not poor. But why was this girl so obsessed with money?

Was it because she had a tough childhood?

“Then I will take what I see fit.” Shen Ling thought he might just as well make the call himself. If they were to bring gold coins to the Forsaken Land, he was afraid that they would not find a place to spend them.

He had to make due preparations.

While Shen Ling went off to take care of the “move”, Shen Yanxiao stayed behind and chatted with Shen Feng for a bit more. She was about to leave to shop for some medical ingredients to bring back to the Forsaken Land when a servant came over in a hurry.

“Lady... the young masters of the four families are here to see you. They are waiting for you in the hall.”

Shen Yanxiao was surprised. Why were the beasts up so early? She had her doubts when she saw how their grandpa took them back and assumed they should not be able to “get out of bed” today.

With this doubt, Shen Yanxiao went to the hall.

As soon as she came through the door, a tall guy threw himself at her.

But before he could even touch the corner of her clothes, Vermilion Bird kicked him away.

That beast flew across the hall along a perfect curve and smashed into the floor, face down.

“Eh...” Tang Nazhi was the one the Vermilion Bird kicked away. He crawled up and looked at the Vermilion Bird with googly eyes.

“You are so little but so strong.” Tang Nazhi mumbled.

Vermilion Bird raised his eyebrows.

Qi Xia and the others looked at Tang Nazhi amusingly.

Shen Yanxiao rubbed her head and sat down on a chair.

“What are you doing here?”

“What do you think?” Qi Xia seated himself on a chair and gazed at Shen Yanxiao with a faint smile.

“What do I think?” Shen Yanxiao’s mind was occupied by the future arrangement when Shen Ling and Shen Feng would arrive at Sun Never Sets. She truly did not know what the beasts were doing here this early in the morning.

Qi Xia tried to remind her, “This morning, someone from the Vermilion Bird Family came to the door of our Qilin Family, waving a flag around.”

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“...” Shen Yanxiao blinked. She seemed to remember that before she turned in for the night, she had found four servants and told them about certain matters concerning “asking for payment of the debt”.

“What about it?” Shen Yanxiao went on asking.

“What about it? How can you ask that with a straight face?” Tang Nazhi struggled to sit down on a chair as he replied to Shen Yanxiao with a question.

This morning, he was still asleep when he heard someone beating gongs outside his gates. He immediately got up to take a look, only to see a man in the Vermilion Bird Family’s uniform outside the gate. The man was carrying a flag and clanging the gong in his hand wildly.

When he saw the words written on the flag, Tang Nazhi became speechless...

“Black Tortoise Family, pay me back 13,923 gold coins. Thank you!”

Tang Ao went outside with Tang Nazhi at that time. When Tang Ao saw the words on the flag, he almost stopped breathing!

“Aren’t you being too mean? You sent someone to collect money and to make it worse, he was beating the gong so loudly that a lot of strangers were standing there for a nice show. Were you asking for money or our lives?” Tang Nazhi almost wanted to pay homage to Shen Yanxiao for her shameless yet innovative way of asking for money!

Compared to the wealth of the five aristocratic families, ten thousand gold coins were like a drop in a bucket.

Look at this girl. She sent people to their families, waving flags and clanging gongs. It was truly a cruel method, as their family estates were tightly packed by those nosey spectators looking for entertainment.

The number on the flag was accurate to the extreme. Those Family Heads wished they could smash their heads on the walls to death.

That was not a large amount of money, so why was Shen Yanxiao making such a big deal?!

For a moment, the four aristocratic families became the topic of conversation in the capital. The high-profile Family Heads could not repudiate a debt in public, so they sent out the money at once.

However...

Those servants from the Vermilion Bird Family followed Shen Yanxiao's orders to the tee. Instead of going home after receiving the money, they sat down on the spot and began to count the gold coins, one by one.

They spent over an hour sorting through the pile of gold coins. The Family Heads stood there, pulling a long face as they watched as the servants counted the money slowly. Those amused looks from the spectators almost shamed the Family Heads to death.

"You are shameless." Yang Xi could not help but exclaim. He was filled with apprehension when he thought of how sullen his grandpa was this morning.

They knew Shen Yanxiao well enough to tell that she was getting back at them.

This girl must be "holding a grudge" because they vandalized her family estate last night. So this morning, she sent people over deliberately to provoke their grandpas.

"Oh, I see." Shen Yanxiao nodded calmly. She did not think what she did was frenzied at all.

"Anyway, you have all repaid your debts, right?"

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The five beasts stared at that audacious girl with the same kind of cruelty in their eyes. How could she not feel sorry at all and focus her entire mind on that small amount of money?

Could she be more thick-skinned?

As for that question, look at what she did! Of course, they had paid her.

If they refused to give the money, the servants from the Vermilion Bird Family would stand at their doors and beat the gongs for the entire day.

Their family members had to leave the house at some point! They still had to think about their dignity!

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What they experienced this morning was the worst nightmare for those prideful Family Heads.

As for Qi Xia and the other three, who were the triggers of this humiliating event, were kicked out of their home by their grandpas.

All those grandpas all had the same idea, and they had given their grandsons orders to follow.

They must go to the Vermilion Bird Family to sound Shen Yanxiao out today and try their best to win Shen Yanxiao, their potential granddaughter-in-law, over within the shortest amount of time possible!

Deciding between pleasing their grandpas and not getting beat up by Shen Yanxiao, Qi Xia and the other three had a miserable night. They tried to persuade their grandpas with all kinds of excuses they could think of, but those hard-headed old men would not give up on the idea of having Shen Yanxiao as their granddaughter-in-law.

"Listen, can you please behave and not do something that will cause our doom? Do you feel happy seeing us getting beaten up by our grandpas?" Tang Nazhi mumbled grumpily. Both he and Li Xiaowei were Tang Ao's grandsons, but instead of him beating both of them up, Li Xiaowei escaped scot-free while he was spanked on his bottom. This morning alone, Tang Ao had kicked Tang Nazhi over a dozen times. Till now, Tang Nazhi's butt was still hurting.

"I am happy." Shen Yanxiao nodded.

"..." Tang Nazhi wanted to choke this girl to death.

"Anyway, why are you here so early? I have not had breakfast yet." Shen Yanxiao put her hand under her chin as she stared at the five beasts.

Yan Yu stood up voluntarily and asked his question to Shen Yanxiao with just his eyes.

"Back door and turn right." Shen Yanxiao pointed out the location of the kitchen accurately.

Yan Yu left quietly.

The other four beasts watched thoughtfully as Yan Yu walked towards the door. But just before he left, someone said laced with hidden intentions, "Yu will be a very good husband to his future wife. I mean just look at how graceful he is drawing and how skillful he is in the kitchen."

Yan Yu, who was about to leave through the door, immediately stiffened for a second, and the next second, he vanished from the hall.

"I have a feeling that we all had a discussion with our grandpas last night," Qi Xia said to his friends.

"I agree." Yang Xi nodded gravely.

"I think they have gone nuts." Li Xiaowei sighed.

"Do you have the courage to do what they said?" Tang Nazhi suddenly asked.

The four of them shifted their looks to Vermilion Bird, who was standing right next to Shen Yanxiao. The next second, they all looked away and shook their heads in mild despair.

No joke. If they dared to say to Shen Yanxiao that their grandpas were planning on having one of them be intimate with her in the future, they would be immediately roasted by Vermilion Bird.

“She is too young.” Qi Xia sighed.

“I cannot bring myself to do it.” Yang Xi praised himself for his integrity.

“She is still a budding flower.” Li Xiaowei stroked his chin.

“I don’t think I am that crazy yet.” Tang Nazhi felt he had never been so upright before.

Shen Yanxiao frowned as the four beasts huddled up and babbled on and on.

“What kind of pillow talk are you having there?” Shen Yanxiao felt they were hiding something from her.

“Nothing!”

“We weren’t talking about anything.”

“Just the weather.”

“Right. What a nice day.”

Shen Yanxiao raised her eyebrows. She was certain that there was something they were not telling her!

“Do you want to tell me honestly or do I have to beat the answer out of you?” Shen Yanxiao asked.

Yang Xi was surprised before his expression turned grave. He replied at once, “Don’t use my grandpa’s tone...” That tone reminded him of his ugly past.

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Shen Yanxiao truly intended to grill them about this secret of theirs but she suddenly smelled something nice coming from the door to the kitchen.

Luckily, Yan Yu was quick with his hands, as some tasty breakfast was ready before Shen Yanxiao could dig deeper into their forbidden secret.

He held a bowl of millet congee with a fragrant smell in each hand. He gave one bowl to Shen Yanxiao and the other bowl to himself as a reward. Then he sat down to enjoy the delicious food.

The ingredient was so simple but Yan Yu was able to turn mundane into wonder.

Members of the Phantom believed that if someday Yan Yu decided to become a professional chef, he would force a lot of restaurants out of business.

The other four beasts smelled the fragrant smell and gulped.

“Yu, do you have more?” Tang Nazhi licked his lips. He was kicked out of his house so early in the morning that he had not had breakfast yet.

Yan Yu darted him a glance.

“Do you want some?”

The four beasts nodded at the same time.

“Chew on your own paws.”

“...”

He was retaliating! He was seeking revenge!

The four beasts felt tears flowing down their cheeks. They could not provoke Shen Yanxiao, the cruel girl, nor Yan Yu who was the source of their daily sustenance.

If they displeased him, he would not give them food!

The four beasts' bellies were rumbling. They watched helplessly as Shen Yanxiao and Yan Yu having a good time with their food, longing for a share.

However, Yan Yu had made up his mind. He turned a blind eye to the four who almost gave him a heart attack earlier. Yan Yu paid no attention to them no matter how they pretended to be sorry.

After Yan Yu and Shen Yanxiao were filled, the four felt even hungrier.

Shen Ling just happened to walk past. He saw Shen Yanxiao and Yan Yu who were clearly well-fed and the other four that were seeing stars in hunger. He laughed and said, “You all have come so early today. Have you had breakfast yet? How about I have someone cook something for you?”

Before yesterday, Shen Ling was not familiar with the five beasts. However, when he saw these young men coming together to save Shen Yanxiao, he suddenly realized that Shen Yanxiao had made good friends.

Love me and love my dog. Because of that, Shen Ling thought highly of the five beasts.

The rescue plan had a stunning beginning but a tragic ending. That being said, Shen Ling had seen how sincere those boys were.

“Uncle Ling! You are such a nice person!” Tang Nazhi looked at Shen Ling with his watery eyes. Shen Ling was now his idol!

“Ah?” Shen Ling was confused. He was just going to have some breakfast prepared for them. Why was he already regarded as a nice person? When did the bar to be a nice person get so low?

“Don't mind them.” Shen Yanxiao curled her lips. The five beasts had no other habits other than playing crazy or being a scourge to the world.

Shen Ling chuckled. He then ordered a servant to cook breakfast while he went off to take care of his own business.

Finally, the four beasts could have a freshly cooked breakfast. After gorging all of it down, they were perfectly satisfied.

Shen Yanxiao was speechless. They were from the four aristocratic families. Did they have to be so grateful just for breakfast? It was not like they were served breakfast served in the palace. It was just some millet congee. Did they have to have such exaggerated reactions?

If they saw the scene, people would have thought they just fled out of some refugee camp.

“What are your plans for the future? Ruan Yingzhe is dead but the Broken Star Palace will receive the news soon. The Vermilion Bird Family will face tremendous dangers in the days ahead.” Qi Xia rubbed his flat belly.

“I have discussed it with grandpa. In a few days, they are going to Sun Never Sets with me,” Shen Yanxiao replied.

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“That is a good idea, but will your grandpa and the rest... accept the circumstances in Sun Never Sets?” Tang Nazhi blinked. In all honesty, the number of demons was currently increasing at a rapid pace with hundreds of demons coming in to seek refuge every single day. Right now, the number had exceeded forty thousand, and not to mention Shen Feng, even they themselves, who had resided in the city for an extended period of time, were frightened when they saw the flood of demons underground.

Shen Yanxiao pursed her lips. The answer was obviously no!

That grandpa of hers had yet to fully recover so he could not be agitated in the slightest. She was worried that Shen Feng would directly faint upon witnessing the flood of demons in her city.

“I think you might as well send Vermilion Bird back in advance to explain the situation to Du Lang and the rest. For the time being, don’t let your grandpa know the situation inside the city. After he slowly familiarizes himself with those high-ranked demons, we can slowly explain it to him.” Qi Xia touched his chin in ponderment. The tolerance of an elder might not be sufficient to handle the shock, so to prevent extreme joy turning to sorrow, they could only take things step by step

“Alright.” Shen Yanxiao agreed with Qi Xia’s suggestion.

With that plan in mind, Shen Yanxiao sent Vermilion Bird back to Sun Never Sets in the afternoon, while she and the rest took care of some other matters after the completion of the city.

For example... the auction they had previously discussed.

The best method to attract merchants would be to fool them first, then let them have a view of the treasures lying all around the Forsaken Land. After which, they would scheme for them to invest.

With the current situation of the Vermilion Bird Family, they were incapable of bringing out any valued items. Shen Duan had more or less gifted everything of value within the Vermilion Bird Family to the Broken Star Palace in order to please Ruan Yingzhe.

Therefore, the only thing they had was only money.

In regards to that aspect, the five of them were rather supportive and helpful.

Qi Xia utilized the power of the Qilin Family and seized all the auction items that were spread throughout his family's Auction House within the Longxuan Empire

Whereas Yan Yu opened the doors of his family's storage and swept away all the precious medicinal ingredients one by one.

Yang Xi had even straightforwardly promised for their family's Hundred Year Spirit Weapon to be auctioned in Sun Never Sets.

As for Tang Nazhi and Li Xiaowei...

They could only depressingly draw circles in a small corner.

The items in their family were also pretty good, but it was inconvenient to sell.

The few of them did not encounter any difficulties or obstacles with the preparations. Even their respective grandpas did not give them any problems.

But of course, the inside story was in fact...

When Qi Cang saw the bill Qi Xia passed to him, his eyeballs nearly fell out of its socket.

"You prodigal son of mine! Why are you taking so many items?!" This bastard son of his was taking away all the valuable items to be auctioned during this period of time! Was he thinking of rebelling?

Qi Xia indifferently said, "Xiaoxiao wants to organize an auction in her city, I'm taking these items to support her."

Qi Cang's expression immediately turned bright as he smiled. "So it's Xiaoxiao who needs it. Why didn't you bring it up earlier? Your second uncle recently obtained a batch of rare magical cores, I'll have him send them over shortly."

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"Ah Yu, you have a weak constitution so you can't possibly digest all these medicines, so why are you taking all of them out?" Yan Hua trembled when he saw Yan Yu frantically sweeping all the medicine from their storage room. A crack had appeared on his loving face.

Yan Yu did not even bother to raise his head as he continued to stuff the medicine in his bag as he replied, "Xiaoxiao's city is about to be open to the public, and I have to show some sincerity."

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Yan Hua suddenly became full of energy as he said, "Take whatever you need! Right, the Jiuyou Jiugang pill has just been completed, I'll bring them to you later."

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Yang Qiong brought along a group of bodyguards and gathered around the entrance of their weapon depot. He pointed at Yang Xi who was holding onto the Hundred Year Spirit Weapon and roared, "Bastard, what are you doing!? Hurry and put that weapon down. Believe it or not, I will hit you even if you are my..."

“Grandpa, I wish to bring this spirit weapon to the Sun Never Sets’ auction. Xiaoxiao’s city is about to be open to the public.” Yang Xi revealed an innocent expression.

Yang Qiong was momentarily stunned. He then quickly blinked his eyes before turning to those guards around him. “Why are you still in a daze? Go and retrieve all the decent weapons and pack it up for your young master! Be quick!”

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Tang Ao’s mouth twitched as he looked at Tang Nazhi who was hugging his thigh and crying in the corner of his room. He was seriously considering if he should slap that grandson of his to death.

“Grandpa, is there anything in our house that can be auctioned off?” Tang Nazhi looked at Tang Ao with a weeping expression while he tightly clung onto his grandpa’s thigh.

Tang Ao very much wanted to strangle this idiot to death.

Their Black Tortoise Family had businesses all around the continent. When had they fallen so low to the extent they needed to auction away their items!?

“Scram! If you continue bothering me, I will slap you to death!” Tang Ao impatiently shook his leg, wanting to kick that fool away.

However, Tang Nazhi continued wailing and refused to give up.

Li Xiaowei stiffly stood at one side. In fact, he had no idea what to do.

“Bro...” Tang Nazhi looked towards Li Xiaowei while receiving Tang Ao’s brutal kicks.

Li Xiaowei shivered.

“There’s another leg.” Tang Nazhi secretly hinted.

Li Xiaowei honestly felt like dying of embarrassment.

But the next second, he caught himself latching onto Tang Ao’s other leg. At that moment, he felt that his pride was shattered to a million pieces.

“Grandpa, give us something! Anything will do!”

Tang Ao glared at his two bastard grandsons, who were hugging his thighs. What sins had he committed to have raised two idiots?

“The both of you, that’s enough! You have no lack of food or clothing, and yet you came here to ask for something to auction. Are you sick of living?” Tang Ao’s eyes turned bloodshot as he seriously considered if he should directly slap these two grandsons of his to death.

“Nooooo! Grandpa, Xiaoxiao’s city is about to open and she intends to organize an auction to attract people. Qi Xia and the rest have all brought items to support her, but bro and I have nothing to show for. It’s so embarrassing! Yang Xi that asshole has even taken out the Hundred Year Spirit Weapon. So, you can’t possibly let us go empty handed, right?” No matter what, Tang Nazhi would rather die than be embarrassed.

Tang Ao suddenly deflated and he looked at Tang Nazhi in doubt. "Is that true?"

Tang Nazhi firmly nodded. "It's absolutely true."

Tang Ao squinted his eyes and stood up.

"Ha! Those few old bastards are surely conniving. How dare they have their grandsons rob my future granddaughter-in-law!? You two idiots, you better listen up. You can choose anything in our storage room, and you better not embarrass your grandpa at this point in time. I don't believe that my Black Tortoise Family cannot be compared with the other three!"

Tang Nazhi had an expression of extreme shock. Even though the way his grandpa understood the problem was rather ridiculous, the result was still good.

In any case, at least they would not show up empty-handed!

Hoho, hugging one's thigh or whatever is the best!

Chapter 789

: Returning to Sun Never Sets (1)

After three days of preparation, the Vermilion Bird Family had finally packed all their belongings. Moreover, their mode of transport was not the usual carriages, but instead, mythical beasts!

When the trembling Shen Ling stepped onto Azure Dragon's scales, he felt that his life was at its peak—that feeling was shared between the group of bodyguards.

Those servants who were fortunately enough to ride on a mythical beast felt that they were dreaming.

By following the seventh young miss, they had food to eat and mythical beasts to ride on. From that alone, they decided that they would never leave the Vermilion Bird Family for the rest of their lives.

Everyone tried to maintain a poker-face and looked steadily forward as they excitedly sat on Azure Dragon. However, they had secretly stretched out their trembling hands and stroked the glossy dragon scales.

In that instant, all of them were so excited to the extent they were about to cry.

This was a legendary mythical beast for goodness sake! Was it alright for them to treat it as a mode of transport?

This was too much of a luxury!

"Xiaoxiao, where's Lord Vermilion Bird?" Shen Ling had practically clung onto Azure Dragon as he used his entire body to feel the power radiated from a mythical beast.

"I sent Vermilion Bird back to explain the situation in advance."

Shen Ling nodded in a trance.

Shen Yanxiao had basically treated the mythical beasts as a means of transportation and a messenger.

Are you sure that's fine?

The greatest advantage of riding a mythical beast was its ability to avoid the border checks. Moreover, Shen Yanxiao was leaving together with her family in the middle of the night. With no one knowing their whereabouts, it would slow down the Broken Star Palace's search for them to a certain degree.

As for the estate of the Vermilion Bird Family, it had already become an empty shell overnight while Shen Yanxiao and her party slowly flew towards Sun Never Sets.

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It was already afternoon when they arrived in the city three days later. Other than those five comrades of hers, there were eight people from the Vermilion Bird Family who followed Shen Yanxiao to Sun Never Sets. Not including Shen Ling, Shen Feng and Shen Qiu, they had only brought along the five loyal guards.

With Yan Yu and Shen Qiu taking care of him for the past few days, Shen Feng had more or less recovered. However, he became increasingly nervous as they got nearer to the Forsaken Land. He was really sure that the city Shen Yanxiao had been allocated was still currently in the process of clearing the demons.

Even though they had six mythical beasts on their side so the journey would not pose much danger, they still had to be prudent.

But as Azure Dragon came closer to the city, Shen Feng revealed a strange expression.

"What's that?" From a certain distance, Shen Feng saw a towering city whose city walls seemed to be shining under the sunlight. There was unexpectedly such a majestic city in this ruined and barren land? Even after thousands of years, there was not the slightest trace of wear and tear, as if it was newly constructed. As a result, it seemed exceptionally eye-catching.

Shen Yanxiao looked at his direction when she saw Sun Never Sets in the distance. Then she smiled and said, "Grandpa, welcome to Sun Never Sets, our future home."

"That's... Sun Never Sets?" Shen Feng widened his eyes. The appearance of the city in his imagination was entirely different from what was in front of him. He found it somewhat hard to digest.

"This main city of the Devil race is so powerful. Even after thousands of years of war, it is still standing strong." The group of bodyguards who saw the city from afar felt shocked.

Tang Nazhi rolled his eyes at their comment.

Shen Yanxiao only recently finished building the city. The previous city was practically inhabitable as it looked as if it would collapse any second.

The five of them were clear about the situation in Sun Never Sets, but seeing that Shen Yanxiao had not explained, they obediently shut their mouths.

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Azure Dragon descended in front of the city gates while everyone looked up towards the gorgeous city walls with a dazed expression.

“The city wall looks really... new.” Shen Ling could not help but walk to the walls and touch it. The cold and smooth sensation had surprised him, and as he wiped his hand across the wall, he was shocked that there was not the slightest hint of dust.

The engineering skills of the Devil race was too heaven-defying. Were the walls also capable of self-cleaning?

The five beasts speechlessly looked up at the skies as they tried to hold back their laughter.

They had to keep a low-profile. They must not laugh or else they would be beaten into a pulp by Shen Yanxiao.

Even Shen Yanxiao’s eyes carried traces of a smile.

“Grandfather, let’s go in.”

Shen Feng nodded as he looked at the incomparably solid city walls with reluctance.

Just as they entered the city, thousands of people stood on both sides of the wide, spacious road as they welcomed their arrival.

“City lord, welcome back!”

Thousands of voices sounded at the same time. Their clenched fists were held against their left chests as they bowed respectfully to welcome the return of their city lord.

Within the clean and tidy city, the thunderous cheers had stunned Shen Feng and his group.

New buildings were erected inside the city, with thousands of people lined up to greet them while fresh petals covered the clean, wide road.

“This is Sun Never Sets? Xiaoxiao, you’ve truly finished building the city?” Shen Feng looked at everything before him in disbelief. He previously believed that Shen Yanxiao’s words were merely to reassure him. He had never thought that his granddaughter could actually build an entire city in a mere span of half a year.

This wasn’t a joke. It was simply a miracle!

“Yep.” Shen Yanxiao smiled. The reason why she did not explain was because she believed that after they saw the state of the city, they would naturally understand what she said was true.

Shen Feng looked at the scene before him in shock.

He had always known that his granddaughter was very capable, but her current accomplishment was out of his expectations! She was not trying to placate him, but instead she had really accomplished such feats!

“Xiaoxiao, you’ve really given us a huge surprise.” Shen Ling looked at Shen Yanxiao excitedly.

She shyly smiled in response.

“Sister!” Lan Fengli walked out from the crowd. Regardless of Shen Feng and his group’s surprised gaze, he lunged forward and hugged Shen Yanxiao.

“You’re back at last.” Lan Fengli buried his head in her embrace and only relaxed after breathing in Shen Yanxiao’s scent.

During the past few days when Shen Yanxiao was absent, he was troubled with sleepless nights and had no appetite. He constantly felt that something in his life was missing.

“I’m back.” Shen Yanxiao rubbed his head. Lan Fengli had grown taller during the past half a year so he was taller than her by half a head.

Genetic differences were the most irritating thing ever.

“Xiaoxiao, this is?” Shen Feng stared at the handsome young man with a puzzled look. Lan Fengli calling her ‘sister’ had caused him a great deal of confusion.

He remembered that his son had only given birth to a granddaughter, so where did this little boy come from?

When Lan Fengli heard Shen Feng’s question, he nervously loosened his grip. Some traces of shyness could be seen on his clean face as he stood behind Shen Yanxiao in embarrassment.

When Vermilion Bird returned several days ago, he mentioned that his sister’s grandfather and uncle would be arriving in a few days’ time, so he had been constantly worried for the past few days. What if they did not like him?