"Sect Master, how could you not keep your promise?" Darryl ridiculed while pointing at his feet. "It's just a foot wash, it can't be that hard..."

"You..." Debra bit her lip hard from her speechlessness!

Had she known better, she would never have agreed to the bet.

As the Artemis Sect Master, how could she possibly wash Darryl's feet?

"Report! Sect Master, someone is here to see you."

A disciple reported servilely from the other side of the door.

"Who wants to see me?" Debra asked softly.

"Sect Master, the person asking to see you is Elder Jupiter," answered the disciple.

Elder Jupiter?

Debra ordered, "Invite him in."

Debra was secretly breathing a sigh of relief. Elder Jupiter came in time to save her from the sticky situation as she had no idea how to turn Darryl down.

At the same time, Debra was also a little surprised that the magnificent Elder Jupiter who was only second to the Elixir Sect Master would visit her! His alchemy skill was one of the best!

Rumors mentioned that Elder Jupiter had always spent his time in seclusion on practicing alchemy and had never left the Elixir Sect for more than ten years.

Debra had only heard of him but never personally met him. What made him visit Debra?

Squeak.

The door was pushed open as a man in a black robe slowly walked in.

The man was over fifty years old with a gaunt face. He stepped forward and bowed slightly. "I'm Elder Jupiter from the Elixir Sect. A pleasure to meet the Sect Master."

"Elder Jupiter, please have a seat." Debra smiled politely. "I've heard about you and it's the first time I'm seeing you in person. What brings you here today?"

Elder Jupiter laughed and said, "Sect Master, it's your birthday three days later and on behalf of the Elixir Sect, I'm here to send you a gift—the Ternary Pill."

Elder Jupiter took out a box and handed it over to Debra. A red elixir laid inside the box.

Ternary Pill?

Debra was shocked and softly exclaimed, "How can I accept such an expensive gift?"

It was her birthday three days later. Every year on Debra's birthday, many people came to celebrate her birthday. Her gifts could be piled up as high as mountains but even all of them combined were nothing in comparison to the Ternary Pill!

The Ternary Pill was a rare superb elixir! It could greatly boost one's internal energy!

It had been a long time since Debra was stuck at Level Three Martial Emperor. No matter how hard she cultivated, she simply could not improve her strength. The Ternary Pill from Elder Jupiter was undoubtedly a timely gift for her.

Elder Jupiter laughed and said, "Sect Master, both the Elixir Sect and Artemis Sect have been allies for generations. We have to give you a big gift on your birthday of course! Sect Master, take this Ternary Pill quickly. It's fresh from the cauldron. The sooner you consume it, the better its effects."

"Sure."

Debra smiled as she picked up the pill in her graceful hand and placed it into her mouth.

"Don't take it!"

Darryl stood up and warned her.

Darryl could see that it was not a Ternary Pill but the Three Poisons Pill!

The Ternary Pill was great at enhancing internal energy.

However, the Three Poisons Pill was noxious!

One was easily confused by their looks as both pills were similar in appearance! Darryl was certain he was looking at a Three Poisons Pill!

"Don't take it!" Darryl repeated but it was too late! Debra's red lips engulfed the pill as it slipped into her throat in a blink of an eye.

After watching her swallow the pill, Elder Jupiter laughed. "Haha, Sect Master. This pill is called the Three Poisons Pill to tell you the truth. It's extremely noxious so now you can slowly enjoy the torture. Haha!"

Elder Jupiter laughed, turned around, and walked out of the room!

"You..."

Debra was in a debilitated state as she could sense her internal energy quickly disappearing from her energy field!

"Elder Jupiter, there isn't bad blood between you and me. Instead, I have a good relationship with the Elixir Sect. Why did you do this to me?" Debra asked in a low voice but Elder Jupiter was long gone from the room!

Debra was anxious. All she wanted to do was to go after Elder Jupiter, but she was in a weakened state. She could feel that her legs went jelly when she tried to take a step forward and almost fell to the ground.

Darryl acted quickly and put his hand around her waist to help her up.

'Wow...

'Smells good!'

Darryl felt the sensation at his hand and the fragrance which came through his nostrils. He was enjoying the moment and secretly lamented.

Debra's beautiful face turned bright red all of a sudden. It turned as bright as the firmament which made her indescribably charming.

She had always been the aloof and noble Sect Master who never had close contact with men, hence she was embarrassed to be held in Darryl's embrace.

"Darryl, y-you let me go. Hurry up... Chase after Elder Jupiter," Debra called out anxiously in a low voice!

She had to get that fishy Elder Jupiter back!

Darryl watched Debra calmly with a smile. "Sect Master, will you fulfill your promise to wash my feet if I help you bring him back?"

Debra was shaking as her beautiful face turned flush.

'How could he bring this up at such a critical time!'

"Y-you go get him first!" She panicked as sweats beaded on her beautiful face.

Darryl laughed and stopped teasing her. He put Debra on the bed before dashing out of the door.

He went out just in time to see that Elder Jupiter had left the Artemis Sect.

Darryl rose into the air with all his strength and chased after Elder Jupiter. He was whizzing closely behind but unable to catch up with Elder Jupiter. Just when Darryl was about to give up, he saw Elder Jupiter before him dropping a jade pendant in panic.

Darryl quickly picked up the jade pendant and stopped chasing after Elder Jupiter.

Artemis Sect Master would be able to head toward the Elixir Sect and ask for Elder Jupiter with the jade pendant. The Elixir Sect would not be able to deny any responsibility at that time.

Darryl took the jade pendant and returned to Debra's room. As soon as he got to the door, he heard low groans coming from the room. It was Debra moaning in pain.

Darryl pushed the door open and walked into the room. He took a deep breath and was stunned!

Debra was lying in bed and grimacing.

"Sect Master, are you okay?" Darryl immediately walked over to her.

The Three Poisons Pill was working.

Three Poisons Pill was a strange poison! After ingesting the Three Poisons Pills, a cultivator's internal energy would be destroyed and would never be able to cultivate again!

In addition, the person who was poisoned would develop three types of feelings in their body—a burning hot sensation like their body was on fire, a shivering cold experience as though being placed in an ice cavern, and finally an unbearable itch.

Cold, hot, and itchy—the three sensations alternated incessantly. The feelings were unbearable which stands to reason the pill was called the Three Poisons Pill!

Debra was suffering in bed-shivering in cold and sweats.

"Darryl did you...bring Elder Jupiter back?" Debra's lips were dry but managed to ask in a low voice. It seemed that sentence had used up all her strength.

Darryl sighed. "I didn't manage to catch up, he's too fast..."

Darryl put the jade pendant on the table. "Elder Jupiter dropped a jade pendant and I managed to get it."

Oh no...

He managed to get the jade pendant piece but the person escaped?

Debra was in despair.

She could feel her internal energy being completely drained. In addition, her body was alternating between hot and cold. At the same time, it felt as though several ten thousand ants were crawling all over her which made it extremely itchy!

However, she had resisted with all her might not to groan until Darryl returned just solely based on her cold and tough personality. However, he was unable to hold it any longer.

Debra had no choice but to tell Darryl. "You... You get out of here."

Darryl did not leave, but said with a smile instead, "Sect Master, no one will be able to save you if I leave."

Darryl paused momentarily before saying, "The Three Poisons Pill is a strange poison. After taking it, your body will feel the incessant cold, hot, and itchy sensations alternately. You'll soon lose all your internal energy and won't be able to cultivate anymore if you don't take the antidote in time. You're lucky I can refine the antidote."

### What?

'Can he really refine the antidote?'

Debra was shocked to hear that as she blankly looked at Darryl.

She subconsciously thought that Darryl was merely boasting. However, she realized the next second that Darryl had aptly described her symptoms.

Debra bit her lips and weakly whispered, "Then... Then you should quickly help me... refine the antidote."

Darryl stood in front of her and watched her agonizing appearance with a smile. "Sect Master, I'm not from the Artemis Sect so there's no reason for me to obey your orders. Besides, you have eaten your words and refused to wash my feet. Why should I help you refine the antidote?"

"Tell... Tell me what you want!" Debra bellowed anxiously.

Darryl would surely grab every chance he could to take advantage of Debra!

Darryl smiled and looked at Debra. "Well... I might agree if you sincerely beg me."

Haha...

'Did she not claim to the proud and aloof Artemis Sect Master? She even rebuked me for being young and frivolous! Now what? She wants me to refine the antidote?'

"Y-you are so vain!" Debra bit her lip while painstakingly resisting the hot, cold, and itchy sensations.

How could the dignified Artemis Sect Master beg for a favor?

Darryl was not bothered as he comfortably sank in a seat while waiting for her decision.

A few minutes had passed. The poison was attacking Debra more fiercely again and she finally could not bear it anymore and turned to Darryl before saying, "Darryl, y-you can help me refine the antidote..."

"The magic word—please!" Darryl said with a smile while pouring himself a cup of tea and leisurely drinking it.

"You..." Debra was in so much pain. She could tolerate both the cold and heat, but the itchy feeling all over her body was unbearable.

"Darryl, please... Please refine the antidote for me..." Debra looked at Darryl and finally let go of her pride.

However, Darryl on the other side did not have the slightest intention of getting up and starting the antidote refinement. He was still happily sipping his tea and said, "No way, that's not sincere enough..."

"Darryl, you..." Debra could not take it anymore. She felt like slapping Darryl to death but had no strength! She no longer cared about her pride. "I beg you. I beg you, please help me refine the antidote..."

'Haha...'

Darryl laughed in his heart. 'So fast? I thought you could still hold on for a while.' Darryl was grinning.

Debra pleaded, "Darryl, I beg you. I'll fulfill the promise... I'll fulfill the promise to wash your feet as soon as I've taken the antidote. I'll also pour tea and water for you—making sure to serve you well. Come on, I beg you..."

On the other side, in the New World Continent.

Justin Quinn had lost count of how much he drank. He was so drunk when he tottered around on the street while thinking about Lily Lyndon and finally managed to return to the inn on the following evening.

He saw Matteo sitting in the room alone when he arrived at the room—looking all relaxed and comfortable.

Seeing Justin coming through the door, Matteo smiled and said, "My good disciple is finally back?"

Justin scanned around the room but did not see Lily. He panicked and asked, "Master, where is Lily?"

Although Justin did not know how to face Lily, he was worried when he noticed she was gone.

Matteo faintly smiled. "You've given her to me so why worry about her? She must've gone off when I was away briefly. I guess she's still looking for her husband, haha..."

Matteo stared at Justin. "I have always kept my words. It shows your willpower is strong since you willingly gave your beloved goddess to me. You're a moldable talent. I' Il now teach you some cultivation methods. Watch closely..."

## Thump!

Justin was overjoyed. He knelt on the ground as though he had immediately and completely forgotten about Lily. He excitedly knocked his head to the ground and respectfully bowed. "Thank you, Master. Thank you..."

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On the other side, at a small village in the New World Continent.

The small Wang village had a ruined temple at the village's entrance. Donoghue was sitting in the ruined temple and carefully studying the seven volumes of 'Supreme Mystery Scripture'.

Yumi was busy cooking in a clay pot in front of him with a humiliated look on her face. A few days ago, the two successfully arrived at the New World Continent after a long voyage.

After they landed, Yumi tried to escape several times but was recaptured by Donoghue at each attempt. Each time she was caught, Donoghue would humiliate and beat her up.

"F\*ck! What's the secret of this 'Supreme Mystery Scripture'?" Donoghue clenched his fists in inexplicable anger.

In the past few days, he had been studying the seven volumes but failed to find the

#### secrets within!

He was told that one who collected the seven volumes could command the world. However, he was unable to figure out the secrets within even with the seven volumes in hand... 'F\*ck it! Aren't these just ordinary scriptures?'

Donoghue was upset as he turned his head around toward Yumi and loudly asked, "I ask you, do you know what's the secret of these scriptures?"

He got the seven volumes of scriptures from her so she must have some clues.

"L... L..."

Yumi panicked as she carefully walked over and whispered, "I don't know. I got these seven volumes from someone else and haven't even read them..."

Yumi looked away when she said that with her best attempts to mask her panic look.

She knew the secrets of the 'Supreme Mystery Scripture of course. The three siblings including Darryl had accidentally spilled tea on the scriptures which revealed a map on the scriptures. Yumi could see the map clearly after Nancy dried up the scriptures.

How could she reveal the secret to Donoghue? She was still looking forward to reuniting with Florian again and would tell Florian the scriptures' secret.

"You don't know?"

Donoghue frowned as he could see Yumi was a little flustered. 'Yes, this woman must know the scriptures' secret!'

"Slap!"

Donoghue slapped Yumi's face! Yumi let out a painful cry as she crumpled and suddenly fell to the ground.

"B\*tch, are you trying to fool me?" Donoghue's eyes were cold. "Quickly explain to me! Otherwise, I'll kill you!"

Donoghue slapped Yumi hard again and again.

In Donoghue's heart, Yumi was Darryl's sister-in-law so he did not feel bad humiliating her!

Slap! Slap! Slap!

The crisp slapping sounds kept echoing as Yumi felt insulted. She could no longer endure anymore and fearfully said, "I'll tell you..."

Yumi had completely collapsed just within a few days. She knew that she would be beaten up if she refused to reveal the scriptures' secret.

Donoghue stopped and sneered, "Well, say it!"

Yumi curled up in pain and whispered, "These... These seven volumes need to be soaked in water for the secrets within to be revealed..."

Haha...

So that was it!

Donoghue was stunned before looking up toward the sky and laughed heartily. His face sank after seeing Yumi trembling all over and scolded, "B\*tch, what are you doing there? Go get me some water!"

"I'll get it now..." Yumi quickly stepped aside and filled some water into a crockpot.

A map appeared on the seven scriptures volumes as soon as water was poured on them.

Donoghue was overjoyed and could not wait to look at the map. He was then shocked to find the place marked on the map was the New World Continent!

'Haha! God is treating me well!'

Donoghue grabbed Yumi and quickly walked out of the ruined temple. "Quick! Come with me and hunt for the treasure. Haha!"

Yumi had no choice but to do as she was told. She accompanied Donoghue and followed the map to hunt for the marked location.

After some time, Donoghue and Yumi finally arrived at the destination.

It was the Incredible Sky Mountains.

It was the mountains marked on the map! The Incredible Sky Mountains were located in the outskirts of the Royal City.

The mountain range was huge as it spanned over a few thousand miles! The mountains which reached up straight into the sky were honored as a sacred mountain by the New World Emperor!

However, what depressed Donoghue was that he had explored the mountain range several times yet found no treasure.

They noticed lush vegetation halfway through the Incredible Sky Mountains. It looked like a primeval forest without a single person in sight. How could there be any treasure in such a desolate place?

Nonetheless, Donoghue firmly believed that the map on those seven scriptures was not randomly drawn.

Donoghue and Yumi stayed on the mountain for several days as Donoghue searched diligently and made sure not to miss any corner when looking for the treasure. He fed himself with mountain hares and pheasants when he was hungry.

One day, Donoghue had not eaten all day as he had spent the entire day seeking high and low for the treasure. In the afternoon, he was famished so he went looking for food. He saw a hare and chased it all the way. The hare which ran very fast soon went into a hole.

Donoghue reached into the hole and tried to catch it. He was stunned the moment his arm reached in!

Donoghue could clearly feel a gush of spiritual energy coming from the hole!

How strange was that?

How could a rabbit hole have such a strange aura?

Donoghue immediately squatted down and began digging the hole.

Yumi was afraid of being beaten up again so she dared not escape but came over upon noticing his actions. She was curious to see Donoghue digging hard and decided to take a closer look.

She saw the rabbit hole getting bigger and bigger! In a blink of an eye, the entrance of the hole became half a meter wide!

Donoghue and Yumi were both stunned!

That was not a rabbit hole! It was clearly a huge cave!

Donoghue took out his cellphone and used what little battery remained and turned on the flashlight. He popped his phone through the hole and took a good look at what was inside. He saw a flight of stone steps at the cave entrance which directly led them deeper underground!

'Haha

'Found it! Found it!

'Finally! That must be the path leading to the treasure! Haha!'

Donoghue was extremely excited and dragged Yumi along. "Hurry up, go into the cave with me. Haha, I'll soon be commanding the world! Haha!"

Yumi bit her lip and went in with him.

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Once inside, Donoghue took a sharp breath of air. There was no end to the steps in front of him; he had no idea how many steps were there. It seemed it was headed toward the center of the earth!

The surrounding space got larger as he went down the steps.

The Incredible Sky Mountain was hollow on the inside; it looked like it had been emptied out!

The cave was probably larger than Donghai City! No, maybe ten times bigger than Donghai City!

Donoghue was so excited as he walked down the steps. The cave was dark, but after he walked for half an hour, Donoghue noticed that the cave's depths were as bright as daytime!

Besides that, the spiritual aura around him got stronger the further down he went! The cave was like a spiritual aura pool! After he walked for two hours, Donoghue was pleasantly surprised to find that his inner energy in his energy field had soared!

#### Buzz

Donoghue had been a Level Five Martial General, and he had since then progressed to a Level Four Martial Marquis!

Even Yumi, who was next to him, had reached the level of a Martial Marguis!

Donoghue was so indescribably excited that he quickened his pace unknowingly and walked even deeper!

### Roar!

Not long after that, he heard a roar from below the cave.

It sounded like a dragon's roar!

That was right; it was a dragon's roar! Donoghue's heart pounded as he thought, 'There is no dragon in this cave, right?'

Donoghue trembled with excitement. The dragon's roar sounded soft and distant at first, but the deeper he wandered, the clearer it became.

It seemed like ages before they reached the end of the steps. A huge open space was what they first saw, and it was as big as a dozen cities!

There was a huge white jade platform in the middle of the open space.

This jade platform shone brightly; it was white and crystal clear. It was approximately 3 00 feet long, more than 100 feet wide, and more than ten feet high!

A huge rusty axe was embedded deep into the platform above the white jade platform.

The giant axe was more than two feet long, and the blade was more than half a feet wide; it revealed ancient changes in life! It looked powerful!

Donoghue heard the dragon's roar from the giant axe!

'This rusty axe is the treasure mentioned in the scriptures?'

'I can command the world if I get this axe?'

Donoghue was in a daze for a few minutes before he recovered his senses. He leapt onto the jade platform and observed the axe closely.

The giant axe was covered with rust; it certainly did not look like a divine weapon at all.

However, he could feel the terrifying power within the giant axe!

### Gulp!

Donoghue swallowed his saliva anxiously. Before he could think about it, he held the axe handle with both hands, and he was about to pull it out of the jade platform.

Donoghue was surprised that even though he had exhausted all his internal energy, he could not lift the axe at all! The giant axe was as stable as a mountain; it was completely stuck!

After he tried for several times in a row, Donoghue sweated profusely. Still, the giant axe did not budge!

#### F\*ck!

The divine weapon was right in front of him, but he could not pick it up?

"F\*ck it!" Donoghue screamed out loud as he kicked the jade platform. He turned around and said to Yumi, "B\*tch, come here! Let's do it together and see if we can raise if "

Yumi bit her lips and walked toward Donoghue unwillingly. She held the axe with both hands.

"We'll pull it on three," Donoghue said coldly. "You hear me, b\*tch?"

"Yes." Yumi answered in a low voice.

"One, two, three!"

Donoghue shouted and lifted the axe with all his might, but the axe did not move!

"B\*tch, you better try harder!" Donoghue kicked Yumi. "On three, and use all your might! You must lift this axe! Do you hear me, B\*tch?"

"I hear you," Yumi responded in a low voice. Her eyes flashed a spiteful look.

She had made a decision—no matter what, she would never let Donoghue take the axe!

The axe was a divine weapon! It had to belong to Florian.

"One, two, three!" Donoghue shouted as he tried vigorously to lift the axe.

Suddenly, Yumi raised her hand, took off her hairpin and aimed it straight at Donoghue's neck!

"Die!" Yumi yelled coldly. The hairpin in her hand reached Donoghue's neck in the blink of an eye!

Yumi had enough of all the times she had been humiliated by Donoghue; she wanted to crush him into pieces, but she had no chance to fight back!

She took advantage of Donoghue's attention on the giant axe, and Yumi knew that it was her chance to do something. It was all or nothing! She took the opportunity to attack him; she wanted to kill him!

After Donoghue had died, that peerless divine weapon would be Florian's.

"You-"

Sweat beaded on Donoghue's forehead! He had perceived the danger, so he quickly dodged it.

Screech!

Yumi struck the hairpin on Donoghue's shoulder!

"Argh!" Donoghue took a sharp breath. What a frightful incident!

Fortunately, he was quick to respond. Otherwise, the hairpin would have landed on his neck!

Donoghue's shoulder was pricked, and blood oozed and splashed onto the giant axe.

"B\*tch! How dare you attack me!" Donoghue turned around slowly; his eyes were bloodred as he approached Yumi deliberately!

Yumi's face paled; she did not expect that her sneak attack would fail so miserably.

Slap!

Donoghue walked up to Yumi with a furious expression and slapped her fiercely. He heard a muffled grunt. His attack sent Yumi more than ten feet away from the jade platform before she slid off it!

"Pfft!" A mouthful of blood spouted from Yumi's mouth!

Donoghue did not intend to let her off so easily. He walked up to her and slapped her cheeks over and over again!

#### Crack!

A loud noise emerged from behind! Donoghue looked back subconsciously and saw the rust on the giant axe behind him cracked open!

Donoghue's blood had dripped onto the giant axe and awakened the divine weapon!

### Hum!

Donoghue felt the violent force that gushed from the giant axe!

#### Crack!

The rust on the giant axe spread like a spider web! A dazzling golden light burst out through the cracks, and illuminated the entire cave like it was broad daylight!

Donoghue blocked his eyes with his hands; the golden light was too dazzling.

### Rumble!

The next second, before Donoghue could react, he sensed a violent vibration under his feet, as if an earthquake had occurred! Gravel fell on top of his head as the entire Incredible Sky Mountains shook violently!

### It was a landslide!

Yumi, who was knocked to the ground, was stupefied!

#### Ouch!

Donoghue gasped at the sight; he was surprised and delighted. He rushed over quickly only to learn that the rust on the giant axe had completely peeled off and revealed its golden form underneath.

It was a golden axe with nine vivid dragons carved on it! The entire axe had an ancient and sacred breath of aura!

Donoghue was very excited! The axe must have been awakened when his blood dripped onto it. It had found its master!

Donoghue sighed of relief as he held the axe handle with both hands and tugged it hard. He was surprised that he could pull the giant axe so easily!

Donoghue looked up at the sky and laughed out loud. "It looks like it would acknowledge its master with just a drop of blood on it. And then I can pull it out of the platform easily!"

Donoghue glanced at Yumi coldly.

How dared the b\*tch attacked him! However, his blood had been accidentally splashed onto the axe because of his sneak attack. Otherwise, he would not be able to lift the divine weapon!

Donoghue was extremely excited; he could feel the giant axe's oppressive power. He took a great leap and soared into the air.

"Eventually, I will be able to command the world with this divine weapon.

"I'll be the world's Supreme Leader!"

Donoghue was so excited that he was drowned in a state of madness. He laughed as he waved the giant axe in his hand.

Hum! Hum! Hum!

A series of terrifying powers burst from the giant axe, and it raged wildly around him!

Boom!

The extremely terrifying power shook the entire incredible Sky Mountain violently!

The axe's internal energy surged, and it was channelled into Donoghue's body. His strength had grown frantically! In the blink of an eye, he had achieved the level of a Martial Saint!

Yet, his internal energy continued to climb!

When Donoghue lifted the giant axe, the earth's nine mainlands shook violently! Dark clouds formed in the clear sky!

It was like the apocalypse!

Everyone on the nine mainlands panicked! The sects' members raised their heads as

they looked at the grey sky. They were in awe at the rare sight!

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Meanwhile, at the Artemis Sect's general altar in the Great East Continent.

Darryl was refining an antidote for Debra in the room.

As Darryl's strength continued to grow, his alchemy technique got better too.

### Boom!

With the pill's seething breath of aura, Darryl smiled and opened the porcelain jar in front of him.

There was a pill with surging spiritual aura in it.

It was the antidote for the Three Poisons Pill.

The pill's fragrance filled the entire room.

Debra, who laid on the soft bed, was amazed. She stared at Darryl blankly; she was in disbelief, and her delicate body trembled slightly!

Oh...

'He really does know how to refine the antidote, and he did it so quickly too!'

"Hurry and give me the antidote, Darryl! I beg you..." Debra was no longer her arrogant self as she pleaded weakly.

She was cold, hot, and itchy; it was worse than death. Even though she was proud and arrogant, she could not stand such torture!

Darryl smiled and looked at her. "Sect Master, the antidote I refined for you is quite easy to make. It does not require any rare materials and does not take much time to make, but I can't give it to you in vain."

Debra was piqued, but she stomped her feet. She pleaded softly, "Darryl, please give me the antidote. If you save me, I shall wash your feet and serve you well. I'll do anything for you..."

The Three Poisons Pill's efficacy grew stronger; Debra could no longer withstand it. Her body was weak and sore, and she had no strength at all.

"Will you really do anything if I give you the antidote?" Darryl teased her as her appearance amused him.

Debra bit her lips and nodded.

Darryl wanted to laugh. The woman looked so enchanting when she was in a weak state.

Darryl became playful; a smile appeared at the corner of his lips. "Why don't you call me' my dear hubby?" Darryl said as he sat comfortably on the chair beside her.

#### What?

Debra shuddered. Her face was flushed, and her lips were about to bleed as she continued to bite them.

The dignified Artemis Sect Master was pure and noble. If she were to call him 'hubby', her name would be tarnished.

"Don't cross the line," Debra whispered as she lowered her head.

She was ashamed and angry, but she could not put herself down. She desperately hoped that Darryl would change his condition.

After all, she could call him 'my dear hubby'.

Darryl laughed as a playful look spread on his face. "Well, if you don't want to do that, then just forget about it. I haven't eaten for a day; I should take some pills to cushion my stomach. This antidote is not harmful to my body."

Darryl picked the pill up and was about to pop it into his mouth.

"No-"

Debra was anxious, and her cheeks blushed a deep red color. The toxicity of the Three Poisons Pill became stronger, so she had no choice but to bite her lips and said softly, "Very well, my dear hubby..."

Debra's face turned even redder after she said that.

As the Artemis Sect's Sect Master, she never imagined that she could say such shameful words. Fortunately, there was no one else in the room. Otherwise, even if she had to die in pain, she would never give in to it.

Darryl felt so good that he wanted to laugh. That was how it was supposed to be.

"My dear wife, come here. This antidote is for you," Darryl said with a smile as he threw the medicine at Debra.

Debra caught it easily. Her red lips parted slightly as she swallowed the pill.

Darryl's gaze was locked onto Debra's body.

He could not deny that Debra was the best goddess, especially her perfect figure. Her body was simply flawless; she looked incredibly sexy no matter the angle.

Huml

Just as Darryl sighed stealthily, suddenly the ground under his feet vibrated violently. It was as if the world had collapsed!

Damn it!

What had happened?

Was it an earthquake?

Darryl was taken aback; he quickly walked out of the hall. All the Artemis Sect disciples also flocked out of the hall; they struggled to walk. They looked inexplicably shocked as they looked up at the sky.

The sky was covered with dark clouds, and it rumbled!

A golden ray of light lit the sky and earth in the north-west, which was the direction of the New World Continent.

Debra slowly made her way out of her room. After she took the pill, she felt much better.

Debra saw the golden light in the distance, and her beautiful face could not conceal her deep shock. "That is an anomaly and the earth trembles. It seems like a peerless divine weapon has been found."

What?

A divine weapon?

Darryl was shocked to hear that. He turned to Debra and asked, "Is it true that there are divine weapons in this world?"

Weapons were divided into seven levels—red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo and violet.

If there was a divine weapon, then which rank would it be?

"It's not just a divine weapon, but a peerless divine weapon," Debra said slowly.

"Even divine weapons like the Plantain Fan and the Magic Cudgel would not cause such a big movement."

Darryl shuddered.

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Meanwhile, at the Emei Hall in Emei Mountain, in the World Universe Continent.

Aurora stood proudly at the hall entrance and looked up at the sky.

Behind her, the Emei Sect's elders and some elite disciples also looked at the sky; they were dumbfounded.

Aurora summoned the elders to discuss ways to deal with Chester.

After the previous battle with the Eternal Life Palace Sect, the Emei Sect had won, but the situation was not optimistic for them. Aurora learned that the Eternal Life Palace Sect and Flower Mountain were ready to join forces to attack them.

Halfway through the discussion, the mountain suddenly shook. Everyone there was stunned

A golden light had struck heaven and earth in the New World Continent's direction!

Aurora said softly, "Such anomaly and the earth is shaking, it seems that a peerless divine weapon has been found. The world will be a different place soon."

Behind Aurora, all the Emei elders exchanged looks as they drew a sharp breath. What kind of a divine weapon would cause such astronomical phenomena?

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At Mount Mingwang in the New World Continent.

Mount Mingwang was located at the southeast of the New World Continent. It was a strange mountain range. There was no vegetation, and the entire mountain was covered in red rocks. From a distance, it looked like a ball of fire.

There was a magnificent palace at the top of the mountain. It was the Incandescent Sect's general altar.

The Incandescent Sect had been around for thousands of years. There were countless cultivators from the Incandescent Sect throughout the New World Continent's history.

It was safe to say that the Incandescent Sect was one of the oldest sects in the New World Continent; it was extremely powerful! They had very powerful sect masters too!

Its newest Sect Master was a woman called Laura Hanson.

Laura was the Incandescent Sect's 33rd Sect Master. She was also Matteo's sister.

The Incandescent Sect had a magical skill called the Immeasurable Universe Power. There were ten levels altogether. The previous Sect Masters only managed to cultivate up to the seventh level, and Laura had already reached the eighth level!

In the bright hall...

Laura sat on the throne. She was only 30 years old; her body was firm, and she looked aloof and elegant. She had a powerful aura; it was sacred and not to be desecrated!

Two men stood in front of her; they wore red robes with the symbol of flame embroidered on their chests. They were the Unrivalled Heaven and Earth duo.

The Deputy Sect Master, the Unrivalled Heaven and Earth duo and the Nine Sovereign Kings stood near the Sect Master's throne.

The Unrivalled Heaven and Earth duo had a high status in the Incandescent Sect; they were second only to the Deputy Sect Master.

Laura commented, "Why does the earth keep shaking?"

Laura had just come out of seclusion, so she had no idea what had happened.

The Unrivalled Heaven replied, "Sect Master, the shock seems to be coming from the Incredible Sky Mountain..."

The Unrivalled Earth added quickly, "Sect Master, I think that a divine weapon has been found. I learned that the divine weapon's appearance had also shattered the nine mainlands' barriers; it had almost completely disappeared. The New World and the World Universe were originally separated by the Sea of Death that had no buoyancy. However, it seems like it had turned into a normal sea."

The Unrivalled Earth continued to say, "The Mysterious Canyon originally separated the New World and the Great East. The canyon had poisonous barriers and swamps, but they are all gone as well... It means that people from the nine mainlands can now move around freely without any obstacles..."

### What?

Laura was shocked. What kind of a divine weapon was that? How could it be so powerful?

The appearance of a divine weapon had caused the nine mainlands to shake violently!

There was a manor about 800 miles north of the Incandescent Sect general altar in the New World

The manor was part of the Incandescent Sect altar.

Justin was in cultivation in a secret room in the manor; he sat there cross-legged.

Matteo was also there; he sat beside his disciple as he sipped his tea leisurely.

The secret chamber was quiet, but Justin was not focused. He could not concentrate on his cultivation.

His mind was filled with images of Lily! His heart ached numbly, especially when he thought of how he gave her up to his master.

She was his favorite goddess!

Matteo sensed that something was wrong with Justin, so he stood up. He frowned and said, "Don't be impetuous in your cultivation. I can see that you are absent-minded. Why is that?"

Matteo sat there; it seemed like he enjoyed his tea, but he kept his eyes on Justin.

Justin scratched his head, but he did not dare raise his head. He asked in a low voice, " Master, where do you think Lily went?"

He did not wait for Matteo's answer; Justin said, "She is so stubborn. She must be wanting to commit suicide after being shamed. I feel so sorry for her-"

Matteo laughed and sneered, "Who told you that I sullied her?"

### What?

Justin's body trembled; he was dumbfounded. He stared at Matteo blankly. A few seconds later, he asked, "Master, you didn't touch her at the inn?"

Justin was so surprised and happy that he even stuttered!



Matteo continued to sip his tea leisurely; he was quite proud of his indifferent expression.

Justin was dumbfounded. "Then, Master, why did you ask me to give her to you-"

Matteo burst into laughter as he looked at Justin. He said, "A group of bandits bullied you at the inn. You were willing to kneel and crawl under their crotches. How many people could have done it? I admired you very much, so I wanted to test you. To be a strong man, you must not have any worries and be willing to set aside everything you

love. You managed to do it that time, but now... Since you have given up on Lily, you should stop thinking about her."

Justin's heart was shaken. He felt his brain buzzed, and at the same time, he was inexplicably happy.

Then he felt as if something was wrong and so, he asked, "Master, I was outside the door after I gave her to you. I heard everything."

"Report!"

Before Justin could say anymore, an Incandescent Sect disciple hurried toward them." Deputy Sect Master, a woman just broke into the Incandescent Sect's branch. We've caught her."

They caught a woman?

Matteo frowned as he told Justin, "Let's go and see what's going on."

The relationship between the Incandescent Sect and the other sects had been quite tense. If she was a spy from the other sects, it was necessary to interrogate her.

Matteo got up and walked out of the secret chamber; Justin quickly followed suit.

When they arrived in the front hall, Justin saw the woman who broke into the branch's altar; her hands were tied, and she looked unkempt.

Hiss

Justin gasped when he saw her face.

Her left face was as smooth as jade and snow; she looked beautiful and charming!

However, the other half of her face on the right was as black as ink. It looked like a birthmark

Was that not Lily?

"You are not human, Justin! I hate you! I hate you!" Lily yelled as tears streamed down her cheeks

Lily was distraught after she left the inn, so she walked around aimlessly. She had no idea where she was headed until she ended up at the branch altar. Then she was arrested as a spy who had broken into the area.

She did not expect to see Justin and Matteo there!

"Lily! What happened to your face?" Justin was surprised and happy to see her. He rushed forward to untie her.

"Go away! Don't touch me!" Lily cried and tried to back away. She did not want Justin to approach her at all.

Lily stared at Matteo fiercely. "Both of you are animals! Go to hell!"

Justin was stunned; he looked at Matteo. "Master..."

'Master said that he did not touch her, did he not?'

'Then, why is Lily reacting in such a way?'

'What happened to her face?'

Matteo exhaled irritably. He glanced at Lily, and said coldly, "You kept saying that I've sullied you, what evidence do you have?"

"You-"

Lily was annoyed; she stared at Matteo fiercely. "Back at the inn! You ought to know what you did to me."

She remembered that she was not appropriately dressed, and she was wet in the tub. Was that not a piece of strong evidence?

Matteo smiled coldly. "You were in your clothes as you soaked in the bathtub. Of

course, your clothes would be messy. I put you in the bathtub as a show I put up for my disciple. It was just a test. I didn't touch you at all."

Matteo looked at Lily closely. "As a woman, you don't even know if you have been violated. How ridiculous of you to slander me so casually. Also, I practice the Immeasurable Universe Power. I cannot get close to the opposite sex for three years. Even if a fairy is in front of me, I won't be messing with her, let alone you, ugly monster!"

"You-" Lily was speechless after she heard that.

She did not remember any damage to her hymen or felt uncomfortable after the incident at the inn.

Matteo had called her an ugly monster; his words pierced her heart like a sharp needle.

Half of Lily's face had inexplicably become as black as ink after she left the inn.

She had transformed from a beautiful swan to an ugly duckling overnight; Lily felt so overwhelmed that she started to cry. "Even if you didn't defile me, you turned me into this. I neither look like a human nor a ghost. I hate you! I hate you!"

"Shut up, please." Matteo stepped forward and slapped Lily's face!

Slap!

That slap sent Lily to the ground.

"This is the Incandescent Sect. You are an ugly monster, and you are making a lot of noise here. Where do I put my face as the Deputy Sect Master?" Matteo rebuked coldly.

"Master, I beg you not to beat her—" Justin knelt in front of Lily; he wanted to protect her.

"Master, when I was outside the door, was it Lily's voice that I heard?" Justin asked through gritted teeth. Every time he was reminded of that voice, his heart bled!

"That night? Lily's voice?"

Matteo sat on a chair. He took a sip of his tea and said, "The Immeasurable Universe Power that I'm cultivating is a peerless technique. Even though this technique is invincible in the world, it also has its drawbacks. By practising this technique, I will accumulate toxins in my body. Every month, the toxins must be excreted. If they are not discharged, the toxins will wreak havoc in my body and kill me.

He put down the teacup and continued to say, "So, every month, I will catch one person and discharge the toxins into his or her body. The process of detoxification is a painful one, and that explains the noise you heard when you were at the door that night."

Matteo stood up with a smile. "Her ugly face is the poison I drained into her body. This poison penetrates the meridians, and it cannot be cured, not even by the legendary genius doctor."

Matteo walked toward Lily. He leaned into her ear and whispered, "All the women I used to drain the toxins into their body committed suicide because they thought they were too ugly. You will always look like this, you ugly monster."

Lily wailed; her grievances had turned into tears.

Even if she was still a pure virgin, what was the use of that if she could not even look at herself in the mirror.

"You are a shameless bastard! I hate you!" Lily shuddered uncontrollably as she cursed at him.

Justin was shocked when he learned the truth. He could not sit tight anymore when he realized that Lily's face would remain blackened for a lifetime.

He asked, "Master, then why didn't you use other women? Why did you do this to Lily?"

Matteo smiled coldly. "I am Matteo, and I shall do whatever I want. Why? Are you questioning your Master?"

"1-"

Justin felt a chill in his heart under Matteo's fierce gaze, and he lowered his head.

Matteo's eyes were cold. "I knew that you would regret it after you gave me your beloved woman. This woman is your weakness, which is why I want to ruin her. Now that she looks so ugly, you don't have to worry about her again! This ugly

monster is not worth your time! Forget about this woman. You need to remember that you have no weaknesses, and you are invincible, understand? A disciple of mine can't have any weaknesses!"

"I hate you! I hate you both!" Lily's tears wetted her clothes.

Even if she was not defiled, how could she appear in front of her husband? Her appearance was a thousand times uglier than an ordinary woman. How could she stand out from Yvonne and Monica? She might as well die.

Matteo frowned. He was too lazy to continue with the nonsense, so he shouted angrily, "Drag this ugly woman away from me."

Two disciples immediately went to take Lily away.

"Don't touch me!"

Lily continued to cry. She dashed away before she bumped her head on a pillar.

Thump!

A loud noise echoed in the hall!

Justin would have gone crazy had he seen the scene before that. However, he no longer felt the same affection for Lily after he saw her disfigured face.

Justin did not feel anything when he saw Lily landed in a pool of blood. 💿

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In the New World Royal City.

The nine mainlands shook when the divine power appeared. The Palace suffered the worst of the impact.

When the mountain shook, many of the Royal City buildings collapsed; everyone was terrified.

Even though the shock had lessened significantly, the people in the Royal City were still fearful.

Inside the Palace hall.

The New World Emperor sat upright in his throne, and his face was gloomy.

The civil and military officials who stood below his throne wore complex expressions on their faces. The violent shock sent them all into a daze, and they had not recovered from it yet.

"Report!"

A eunuch walked into the hall hurriedly. With a respectful tone and slight trepidation, he said, "Your Majesty, the Incredible Sky Mountain north of the Royal City, the mountain... the mountain... has collapsed..."

What?

The Incredible Sky Mountain had collapsed?

Suddenly, the hall was filled with chaotic exclaims.

The New World Emperor's face darkened as his heart trembled inexplicably.

Another person walked into the hall; he looked anxious. He was the New World's Country Secretary!

"Your Majesty, it's bad." The Country Secretary took a deep breath as he walked into the hall. "I just learned that the barriers separating the nine mainlands are all gone. The Sea of Death's ocean level is falling rapidly, and it is about to dry up! Likewise, the poisonous swamp in the Mysterious Canyon is also slowly disappearing..."

After he said that, the Country Secretary's eyes flickered. "Your Majesty, if I am not mistaken, there is a peerless divine weapon in the Incredible Sky Mountains! It is the divine weapon that is causing the earthquake!"

A peerless divine weapon?

The civil and military officials looked at each other; they could not conceal their shock.

The New World Emperor was so excited that he stood up and shouted, "Quickly, get the royal armies to escort me into the forest. I want to take a look."

"Yesl"

A few minutes later, more than ten thousand royal armies quickly assembled and escorted the New World Emperor to the Incredible Sky Mountain.

The soldiers marched in order as a woman led them from the front. She was on a Blood-Horse.

She was Sloan!

The New World Emperor's princes and princesses were there as well.

Among those princes and princesses, Yvette looked the most stunning. She was dressed in a yellow princess dress. Even though she wore a long dress, it did not hide her flawless figure.

Next to Yvette was a slender figure, and she was in a purple dress. She was sexy and charming.

It was Yvonne!

The New World Emperor had put Yvonne under house arrest in his harem. He had planned to devour her beauty after he was done with his morning audience.

Sometime later, Yvette spotted Yvonne, and she insisted that Yvonne left with her. Yvette knew Yvonne, and she had even treated Yvonne before that. Yvette extended Yvonne's life with her medical skill, and she knew of Yvonne's unusual relationship with Darryl.

How could she allow her father to sleep with Darryl's woman?

Yvette had fallen into The Illusional Formation at Zhao Yun's ancient tomb. She recalled that she had to kneel in front of Darryl and called him 'Father'. Yvette would never forget the painful scene. If her father had slept with Darryl's woman, then Darryl's seniority would match her father, would it not?

The New World Emperor was a powerful man, but he reluctantly gave in to Yvette as she was his favorite daughter.

Up until then, Yvonne had been in the Palace with Yvette for almost half a month.

There was a trace of sorrow between Yvonne's brows; she was anxious about Monica.

Yvette had rescued Yvonne, but Monica was still at Guang Ping Palace! Yvonne wondered about how the pregnant Cult Master's wife had fared.

Every time Yvonne thought of Monica, she felt distraught.

The Royal armies had successfully escorted the New World Emperor to the Incredible Sky Mountain.

Even though they had seen the mountain from a distance, the hundreds of civil and military officials, as well as the royal armies were still dumbfounded!

The Incredible Sky Mountain had collapsed entirely; there was only an enormous ruin left!

A figure with a two-foot-long giant axe was suspended mid-air in the sky.

It was Donoghue! 🍩

Donoghue held a massive axe in the air-it shone brightly like the sun.

The New World Emperor was stunned as he looked at the scene in awe.

'That is an excellent axe! Is that the newly-found Grand Weapon?'

Everyone else—the Royal City's inhabitants, the Prince, the Princess, and the Ministers—were stunned as well. They did not believe what they had seen.

"Do you know what kind of axe is that, Country Secretary?" the New World Emperor asked; he was impressed.

The Country Secretary took a deep breath. He was shocked and emotional when he said, "That looks like the Sky Breaking Axe, Your Majesty."

### What?

The Sky Breaking Axe?

Everyone's eyes immediately focused on the Country Secretary; they were astonished.

The New World Emperor was surprised as well; he asked, "And what is a Sky Breaking Axe?"

The Country Secretary sighed; he looked stunned and emotional as he mumbled, "It is a myth from a very long ago. When the sky and the earth were still joined, there was only chaos. An ancient god called Pangu separated the sky and the earth with a swing of his giant axe!"

The Country Secretary took a deep breath before he continued to say, "After he separated the sky and the earth, he left the giant axe behind in our world, but no one could find it anywhere. I did not expect it would make its appearance here today, at the Incredible Sky Mountain."

## Wow!

Everyone was shocked when they heard that tale.

That was the axe used to separate the sky and earth.

The Country Secretary bowed to the New World Emperor and said emotionally, "Your Majesty, now that the Sky Breaking Axe has appeared, the borders that separate the nine parts of the world would soon vanish. When that happens, and if you have the Sky Breaking Axe, you would be able to conquer the whole world!"

Wowl

The New World Emperor gasped when he heard that. He stared intensely at Donoghue, who was still in a mid-air float. Then he pointed at the man and ordered, "Capture that man and get me the Sky Breaking Axe!"

Swish! Swish! Swish!

Once the New World Emperor commanded, thousands of his royal armies leapt into the sky and charged toward Donoghue!

The royal armies were the New World elite group soldiers. They were at least a Level Five Master General, and most of them were Level One Martial Marquis.

It was a terrifying moment when thousands of royal armies conquered the entire sky.

Donoghue gripped the Sky Breaking Axe tightly; he looked fearless and proud. He did not waste his time with words as he swayed the axe fiercely.

## Bang!

The giant axe made a loud noise. The next moment, a golden ray of light appeared as it separated the sky and the earth; its light also shone brightly at the royal armies!

"Die!" Donoghue roared.

"Argh!"

In the blink of an eye, the thousands of royal armies shouted in pain as they dropped from the air and landed in various pools of blood.

When that happened, the New World Emperor and his ministers gasped in horror.

The man in the air might have only been a Martial Saint. However, he had the Sky Breaking Sword in his hands, so his power was magnified!

'That is a Grand Weapon!'

The New World Emperor was in shock; he felt as if his eyes had burned.

'Only I deserve to have such a powerful Grand Weapon!' the New World Emperor thought.

"I shall attack him, Your Majesty."

The Country Secretary's face darkened. As he spoke, he leapt to the sky and charged toward Donoghue.

"I will help you, Country Secretary!"

Sloan had stood at the side; her body shivered as she drew her Tang Sword and

# leapt forward as well!

The Country Secretary and Sloan released their internal energy, and the sky looked as if it would crack!

They were the New World's guardians!

The Country Secretary had lived in the Royal City and followed the Emperor for a long time. He was the most powerful warrior in the palace.

Sloan, on the other hand, was the famous War Goddess!

Both of them raised their hands together to form terrifying energy that froze in the air before it grew into a giant fireball and charged toward Donoghue!

The crowd on the ground got anxious when they witnessed that.

The fireball raised the temperature of the surrounding area.

Donoghue was surprised—he quickly blocked it with the Sky Breaking Sword!

# Bang!

The fireball crashed against the Sky Breaking Sword!

Donoghue spouted blood as his body was flung away.

Even though he had the Sky Breaking Sword, he struggled to defend himself against the attack!

When the fireball fell, Sloan pulled a long leather belt from her waist and hit it at Donoghue!

Donoghue shouted in pain when the belt hit him and badly sliced his flesh.

Still, he did not give up; he swung the Sky Breaking Sword fiercely. Unfortunately, he had used up his energy!

The axe had absorbed Donoghue's internal energy, but it had incredible power—it almost tore the surrounding air apart. Sloan even had to hide temporarily to avoid it.

Donoghue took the opportunity to turn around and escaped.

In the blink of an eye, he had disappeared from everyone's vision.

## Bang!

The New World Emperor's eyes darkened as he slammed on the horse carriage when he realized that Donoghue had escaped.

"Capture that man!" the New World Emperor roared. He was so furious that he held his fist tightly.

How could he escape?

'I will find you, no matter where you are!'

"Yes, Your Majesty!" All the ministers shouted immediately; their loud voices shocked everyone there!

"Father, there is someone at the wasteland." The second prince said he stood up and pointed at the Incredible Sky Mountain.

Everyone looked toward the Incredible Sky Mountain's wasteland.

They saw a tired, slender body crawled from the edge of the wasteland. That person had an exquisite face, but they looked exhausted. It was Yumi!

The New World Emperor furrowed his brows. "She must be that man's accomplice; capture her!"

His royal armies immediately went to surround her.

"A moment, please, Your Majesty," a shaky voice said. Florian walked forward emotionally.

Florian wore an armor—he looked very smart. The New World Emperor had awarded him a position as a level three minister.

Florian was in shock. He had never dreamt that he would see his wife there!

"My dear!" Florian rushed forward and hugged Yumi-he was too happy to see her!

"My dear, it is really you! It is really you!" Florian hugged her tightly. "How did you get here? You must have suffered during the journey..."

Florian's heart throbbed when he saw Yumi in the torn clothing.

Even though it was for surprise Yumi too—she did not expect to see her silly husband there. Sad emotions overwhelmed her as she raised her head to look at Florian. She cried, "Useless bastard! Why do you only appear now?!"

She punched Florian as she yelled.

Florian still had no idea that Donoghue had tortured his wife the whole journey.

"You look tired, my dear, but you are even more attractive, and more beautiful to me." Florian hugged Yumi tightly as he tried to sweet-talk her. Then he turned and said, "My dear wife, come and bow to His Majesty."

As they spoke, both of them walked toward the New World Emperor.

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Meanwhile, at the Great East's Artemis Sect.

As the earthquake subsided, the Artemis Sect's disciples started to disperse.

"Your husband should take his leave now, Sect Master Gable." Darryl smiled as he said that.

It was time to leave for the New World; it could not be delayed any further.

Debra's face blushed; it was just like Darryl to flirt.

Debra stomped her feet worriedly. She looked around and was relieved to see no one there. She said, "Where are you going? You have cleansed the poison in my body, but I have yet to thank you."

"How would you repay me? By washing your husband's feet?" he asked with a smile.

"Lower your voice, please." Debra quickly opened a door and pulled Darryl into the room. She was afraid that other people would hear Darryl's nonsense.

As she closed the door, Debra looked at Darryl and said softly, "Thank you, Darryl."

"There is no need to thank me." Darryl laughed and said, "Well, I remember someone saying that if I could produce an elixir to remove the poison in her body, she would wash my feet, serve me, and—"

"Stop." Debra was worried. She panicked and pressed two fingers on Darryl's lips.

Then, she blushed before she quickly pulled her hand back; her heart pounded.

She was the Artemis Sect's Sect Master; she had never touched any man before that.

Her heart raced as she touched Darryl's lips.

The man in front of her was perfect, even though he was a flirt. He could write poems and produce elixir.

Were there other things that he could not do?

"Well, I really have to leave now." Darryl did not want to tease her anymore; he turned to leave.

"Where are you going?" Debra did not know why, but she pulled Darryl's arm.

Darryl turned and looked at her. He sighed as he said, "A place very far away."

"Very far away—" Debra bit her lips. She was not sure why she reacted that way, but she asked, "Will I see you again?"

She felt embarrassed the moment she asked that question; she wished to crawl into a hole to hide her embarrassment!

Debra did not understand how she could utter such humiliating words. She only knew that she wanted to learn more about the man in front of her. She did not want him to leave just yet.

She was the Artemis Sect's Sect Master, and everyone respected her. Darryl had been the only one who dared to tease her.

His words captured Debra's heart; she thought she could never love another man for the rest of her life.

She knew that she had fallen for Darryl, but she could not believe that she would fall for such a big flirt. He had wanted her to beg him, and he even called himself her husband.

"Darryl, will we meet again?" Debra asked again with hopeful eyes.

"I guess—" Darryl looked away and said slowly, "I do not think that we will meet again."

He would never return to the Great East, so how would they ever meet again? Darryl sighed as he pushed the door open and left.

"Darryl, wait-"

Darryl had taken a few steps forward when he heard Debra's worried voice.

So, he stopped and turned to look at her. Debra bit her lips as she looked down and said softly, "Can't you stay? Don't go."

"Stay?"

Darryl laughed when he heard that. "Why would I stay here?"

Debra looked hopeful. She was silent for a while before she decided to say, "Stay here with me, and I would do anything for you. I would serve you my entire life."

## Wowl

Debra's body shook when she said that. She could not believe she had confessed her feelings to him. She was bashful; she turned as she dared not look at Darryl.

Debra was the most talented woman in that world. She was proficient in all aspects—art, music, and poem writing.

It was as if her conservative side had gone wild; she was crazy in love with Darryl!

She had lived a disciplined life, and to everyone else, she was the noble Artemis Sect's Sect Master—the Goddess.

However, she only wanted Darryl to stay. She tried to be brave in love—if only for that one time!

Debra's face sweated-she had fallen deeply in love with Darryl!

She was not one to believe in fate, but she knew it was that the moment she met the man. She would follow him, no matter who he was!

She had fallen in love, and she admitted that. No matter what, she wanted Darryl to stay.

Darryl sighed when he heard her words. His mind started to spin.

'Did I hear that correctly? The Artemis Sect's Sect Master has fallen in love with me?'

Before Darryl could gather his thoughts, Debra walked toward him, tipped toe and kissed him on his cheek. It was a feather-light kiss.

"You—" Darry looked at her; he was puzzled. The Artemis Sect's Sect Master was an epitome of calmness; that small little act did not seem like something she

would do.

Debra tried to be brave; she asked, "Please, would you stay, Darryl? For me?"

Debra wanted Darryl. She recognized his talent, and she wanted to be with him forever.

"What is love that makes people willing to choose to live or die?

"When two people meet, it is worth a lifetime.

"When two persons are in love forever, it does not matter if they are together or apart."

Darryl recited a poem. None of Artemis Sect's disciples could write such poems—what a talented man!

"About that-"

Darryl looked at Debra in confusion. He tried to keep his mind clear as he smiled bitterly and said, "I'm afraid that I can't stay, Sect Master Gable. I have some very important matters to attend to."

Even though she was a beautiful woman, and he was lucky to have her, it was too sudden for him to accept that.

Darryl had no time for relationships. He could only think about Yvonne and the Cult Mistress.

Debra bit her lips until it was about to bleed; she did not expect a man would reject her. She panicked and said, "Then, please stay for two more days. Just two days. Come to the Elixir Sect with me, please? Elder Jupiter has given me a fake elixir, and I want to seek justice. Please, just stay for me for two more days. I beg you," she said softly. She did not expect she would be willing to lose her dignity after she fell in love with someone.

Darryl could not reject her request, so he nodded. "Very well, I shall accompany you to the Elixir Sect. However, I will only stay for two days."

"That's great!" Debra smiled happily.

She had a plan; she would show her most beautiful side to Darryl in those two days. She knew that he would fall in love with her after that, and he would never want to leave again.

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Meanwhile, at the Incandescent Sect's side altar in the New World.

Lily dropped to the floor at the main hall. She had hit the pillar earlier; no one knew if she was still alive.

One of the Incandescent Sect disciples ran forward to check on her. When he realized that she was still alive, he ran toward Matteo and asked, "Deputy Sect master, what shall we do with this woman?"

Matteo's face was cold, and he said bluntly, "Do you still need to ask me about it? Such an ugly sight; just throw her into the sea!"

"Yes!"

Then, two disciples lifted Lily with disgust etched on their faces.

Even though she had perfect body features, they were disgusted with her black and white face. None of them was willing to carry her, but they had no choice because it was the Deputy Sect Master's orders. They brought Lily out of the city, and then onto a boat. They sailed it to the middle of the sea and threw her into the water.

The two disciples only left when they saw Lily's body submerged into the ocean.

Right after they left, Lily regained her consciousness.

However, her body had fully submerged into the sea, so she could not breathe.

Lily was terrified; she wanted to resurface, but she could not swim. She could only kick her legs, but her body would not float. Eventually, she gave up her struggles.

'This is the day I die.'

Lily's tears flowed; it blended with the seawater.

'What is the point of living when I am so ugly now? Even if I found my husband,

he will not love me anymore. I should just die and get over with it,' Lily thought. She smiled and slowly closed her eyes.

Justin did not dare to look at Lily when they carried her away.

He had admired that Goddess, but her beauty had been destroyed. He could no longer love her.

Matteo noticed Justin's reaction.

"My good disciple!" Matteo nodded as he laughed. "Now that you have let everything go, you should not worry anymore. Just work hard on your cultivation, and the sky is your limit!" Matteo laughed as he patted Justin on his shoulder.

Justin smiled and replied respectfully, "Thank you, Master, for your guidance."

Justin looked hopeful as he said that.

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At the Artemis Sect's Main Altar at the Great West.

Jewel slept soundly in one of Artemis Sect's guestrooms.

Darryl sat beside her, and he was in meditation. Soon, the sky brightened.

When Darryl opened his eyes, an attractive body figure opened the door and entered the room: it was Debra.

Debra was not in her usual cheongsam that day. She wore an attractive long dress, and she looked really alluring.

She held two bowls of warm breakfast in her hands.

Debra approached them and set the breakfast on the table. She smiled at Darryl and said, "It's time to wake up. Darryl. This is the first time I made this ginkgo lotus seed soup, please try it."

It was Darryl, so Debra withheld her arrogance as the Sect Master. She displayed only elegance and gentleness.

Darryl wanted to laugh.

'This Sect Master cooked this just to make me stay.' Darryl smiled as he took the soup and tasted it: it was sweet.

Who knew that Debra had such excellent cooking skills; she was as good as Jewel.

"What do you think?"

Debra stared Darryl sheepishly; her exquisite face was filled with expectation.

Darryl nodded. "It's pretty good."

Debra was happy to hear the compliment, and she said softly, "If you want, I can make it for you every day for the rest of my life."

The delicious smell of food awakened Jewel. She rubbed her eyes as she asked, "Is that lily seed soup? Smells good."

Debra's face blushed; she felt awkward when Jewel woke up. She stood up quickly and said, "I should go. Oh, yes, we are heading to the Sword Sect later, so please get ready."

Then, Debra turned and stepped out of the bedroom; her face was still flushed.

No matter the situation, Debra was the Sect Master. Even though she loved Darryl, she still felt awkward when other people were present.

There was a mysterious mountain in the Great East; it was located at the northwest of Artemis Sect.

The mountain looked like a calabash from afar. That was also the reason it was known as the Calabash Mountain.

There was a cluster of antique buildings at the mountain's mid-section; it was where the Elixir Sect's main altar was located.

The Elixir Sect was famed for their elixir production specialty—it was their utmost priority, and cultivation was only the sect's second priority.

Elixir Sect's history could be traced to about 3000 years ago. They started as a family that produced elixirs, and they gradually grew into a sect.

Since they started from within a family, the Elixir Sect's Sect Master position was passed from father to son, and not to anyone outside of the family.

Andy Curtis was the Elixir Sect's Sect Master. He was in his mid-twenties, and he had led the sect for about two years. Even though he was young, he was very talented in elixir production.

At that moment, Any sat at the Sect Master's seat in the conference room, and he was dressed in a long, black robe. Some incense continued to burn in a bronze crane-shaped incense burner at both sides of the hall. Green smoke from the incense enveloped the hall—it made the room look grand and magical.

The Elixir Sect's elders stood respectfully in front of him.

When the earthquake happened in the nine mainlands, the Elixir Sect had experienced a major quake too. They were there to discuss that matter.

Then, a disciple hurried in and said respectfully, "Sect Master, Artemis Sect's Sect Master Debra Gable is here."

'The Artemis Sect's Sect Master is here?'

Andy raised his hand. "Invite her in quickly."

More than a dozen people walked slowly into the main hall—Debra, Darryl, Jewel, and a dozen Artemis Sect elders were among them.

Even though Debra was there to seek justice, she knew well enough not to cause a scene.

She was there to get an explanation from Andy; she wanted to know why he sent Elder Jupiter to her with a fake elixir.

Wowl

All eyes in the hall immediately focused on Debra's body.

She wore a green flower-motif cheongsam; she looked sexy and elegant. She was so beautiful.

It was like what everyone said-she was the center of attention wherever she went.

The Elixir Sect's elders were shocked. Most of them had seen Debra for the first time. They had heard about Sect Master Gable's beauty, but they did not imagine she was that attractive.

Andy stood up and said politely, "Welcome, Sect Master Gable. Please accept our apologies if we are not courteous enough. Please, take a seat."

There was no emotion on Debra's face. She was quiet when she said to Andy, "Not a problem, Sect Master Curtis. I am here to clarify a matter."

Debra had glanced around the room briefly, but she did not see Elder Jupiter there. He was the one who delivered the elixir to her.

Andy smiled and asked, "What is the matter? Please speak freely, Sect Master Gable."

Debra furrowed her brows as he looked around the hall. "May I know where Elder Jupiter is?"

Immediately after that, an old man with white hair and a white beard walked forward.

Once he was in front of her, the older man bowed politely and said, "I am Elder Jupiter. What seems to be the matter, please, Sect Master Gable?"

'He is Elder Jupiter?'

Debra and Darryl looked at each other. That person was not the same man who had delivered the elixir to her.

Debra was a smart woman; she immediately knew that the 'Elder Jupiter' she knew was an imposter.

"What is wrong, Sect Master Gable?" Andy asked; his face was full of curiosity.

Debra laughed coldly and said, "Yesterday, someone had impersonated Elder Jupiter and presented me with a Three Poisons Pill for my birthday. The person claimed that he was Elder Jupiter, and he left a jade pendant behind."

Debra stretched out her hand and showed them the jade pendant.

#### What?

Someone had impersonated Elder Jupiter to harm Sect Master Gable with a Three Poisons Pill?

How dare he do that!

Everyone in the Elixir Sect was furious when they heard that!

Andy was shocked; he took the jade and stared at it for a long time before he said, "This jade looks like it is from the Sword Sect. That person could have come from there."

Andy turned his wrist and delivered some internal energy into the jade pendant. It lit up immediately and showed the word, 'Sword', in red.

Slam!

One of the Elixir Sect elders hit the table furiously and scolded, "Sh\*t! Those Sword Sect bastards! They wanted to push the blame on us! How despicable!"

"Sect Master, we must seek revenge from them!"

Andy nodded in agreement. Then he looked at Debra curiously, "If you have taken the Three Poisons Pill, Sect Master Gable, who cured you then?"

The Elixir Sect elders looked at Debra!

There was no easy cure for the Three Poisons Pill. Even though Andy was the Elixir Sect's Sect Master, even he did not know the cure for it!

At the mention of a cure, Debra's face softened. "Darryl made the cure for me."

She looked at Darryl with a delicate look.

Everyone's attention immediately shifted toward Darryl; they looked perplexed.

How could he know how to make the cure for the Three Poisons Pill?

How could that be possible?

Debra was delighted when she noticed the surprise on their faces; she felt touched.

'I must have chosen correctly; even the Elixir Sect is impressed with Darryl.'

Darryl's face darkened as he stepped forward. "It is not anything remarkable; it is only a cure for the Three Poisons Pill. How could no one here know how to produce the antidote? It seems everyone has overestimated the Elixir Sect's skills; what a bunch of useless bastards!"

Darryl had never had a good impression of Elixir Sect.

His master, Ford South, had been trapped in the valley for ten years because of the Elixir Sect and the Sword Sect.

Even though his master had let it go, Darryl still thought it was unfair! His master did not only lose a leg, but he was also trapped in the valley for ten years. There was not a single good soul in the Sword Sect and the Elixir Sect!

Since he had arrived at the Elixir Sect, he had decided that he would not let it go!

"You-"

The people from the Elixir Sect were furious when they heard that.

"Do you want to die?"

"Do you know where you are, young man? How dare you pick a fight here!"

Zing!

The elders drew their swords and blades; they were ready to kill! The vibration of internal energy immediately filled the entire main hall!

"I dare you to say that again!" Andy yelled as he stared intensely at Darry with a cold expression!

As the Elixir Sect's Sect Master, he had achieved Level Three Martial Emperor! The internal energy in his body exploded, and it took everyone's breath away!

However, Darryl was not afraid. He walked forward, smiled and said, "I said, there's nothing special about the Elixir Sect. You guys are only a bunch of useless bastards."

"Darryl!"

Debra was anxious. She pulled on Darryl's sleeves and said softly, "Darryl, rein in your temper! Even though you know how to produce elixirs, you should not look down on the Elixir Sect. Your skills are still not enough to comment on other people's. When will you change your arrogance?"

Except for his wild character, Darryl was excellent in all aspects of his life.

"I thought you liked me? What happened? You don't like me anymore?" Darry asked with a fake smile. His voice was soft, so only they could hear each other.

Despite that, Debra blushed with shyness; she bit her lips and said, "I like you. I would always like you, no matter how you are. But if you could change your bad temper, I would like you even more."

Darryl laughed as he looked at Debra and said, "Your husband's character may be a little wild, but I spoke only the truth. The Elixir Sect is just a bunch of useless bastards."

He intentionally stressed the last few words as he looked across the entire hall.

"You are asking for death!"

Some of the elders were furious; they raised their blades as they started to charge against Darryl.

A young man had humiliated their sect; how could they stand by and not kill him?

"Sect..." A disciple ran into the hall from the back. He looked panicked as he knelt.

"Sect Master, something is wrong! Sect Mistress is sick again!" The disciple looked worried as he sweated profusely.

### What?

When he heard that, Andy's face changed; he panicked like a child.

Andy's wife was Jody. They grew up together and had a great relationship. Two years ago, they had the grandest wedding ceremony in Great East's history. The event was known throughout the Great East, and everyone was envious.

They grew even closer after the wedding, and they had an intimate loving life.

However, good days did not last long, as terrible things started to happen. Jody had fallen sick about a year ago, and she had been bedridden ever since then. Every time she was ill, her body would freeze, and icy flakes would form on her eyelashes and lips. It would leave her weaker every time, as well.

Andy had searched the entire north and south of Great Valley for a cure. He had also looked for many doctors, but none could cure her. Each of the doctors said that she was too weak. If she were to fall sick again, her body would not take it, and she would die.

As a last resort, Andy made some elixirs to sustain her health, but it did not cure her at all.

The Sect Mistress's illness was like a rock that crushed Andy's heart. He panicked when he heard she had fallen ill again. He did not care about any other matters; he only wanted to be with his wife.

Nothing was more important to Andy than Jody.

"Hurry! Get the Healing Heart Pill!" Andy ordered. He had used many invaluable treasures to produce a Healing Heart Pill a few days ago.

The Healing Heart Pill could improve one's immunity system. It was rumored that those

who had taken the Healing Heart Pill would never fall ill again.

It was a very precious elixir pill as it needed many treasures from around the world to make it. However, Andy did not care about that.

After he gave the orders, Andy ran toward the Sect Mistress's bedroom.

All Elixir Sect elders who wanted to kill Darryl still held their swords—the atmosphere had been very tense. However, after Andy left the hall, the main hall's atmosphere calmed down considerably.

Debra sighed and said to Darryl softly, "Let's go and take a look too."

As she spoke, she pulled Darryl with her as they trailed behind Andy.

If they were to stay in the hall, the Elixir Sect elders might get into a fight with Darryl.

Darryl did not say anything; he let Debra pull him along. They walked past a quiet corridor, toward Jody's bedroom.

When they stepped into the room, they saw an ashen lady on a pink bed. She had unique facial features, and it looked like she was in pain. She yelled that she was cold; her entire body shook. There were also icy flakes on her brows and hair.

The lady was Andy's wife, Jody.

Andy was worried; he sweated profusely. He went toward Jody and hugged her tightly. Then he tried to calm her. "My dear, please, hang in there! Nothing bad would happen."

As he spoke, Andy shouted at the servant beside him, "Hurry! Where is the Healing Heart Pill?"

"I will bring it immediately," the servant replied hurriedly before she left the room.

At that moment, hundreds of Elixir Sect elders watched them from the door.

"Mister..." Jewel pulled Darryl at the corner of his shirt and said softly, "Mistress Jody looked so pitiful."

Jewel felt only pity for Jody when she said that. She had been a beggar all her life, and she had suffered a lot. Even though she looked tough, she had a gentle heart; she could not stand it when she saw the situation in front of her.

Debra furrowed her brows; her face showed some sense of pity too.

'She gets such a sickness when she is so young; what a pity. Is this what they mean by beauty with a short life?' Debra thought.

Soon, the servant arrived with the Healing Heart Pill.

Andy immediately took the pill and fed it to Jody. Then he spoke gently, "My dear; you will be fine soon."

However, Jody did not show any improvement even though she had taken the Healing Heart Pill. Her body shook as she said weakly, "My dear, I can't take it anymore. I really can't take it anymore this time, my love..."

"Don't say such nonsense, my dear. I am begging you, stop saying this nonsense." Andy' s tears flowed as he continued to say, "I will not let anything bad happen to you. You must hang in there. Did you hear me? Did you hear me?"

Andy's voice trembled; what had happened? Even the Healing Heart Pill was useless to cure it. What else could he do?

All the Elixir Sect elders were worried. Even the Healing Heart Pill did not work; it looked like the Sect Mistress would not be able to make it.

Just as everyone was dead worried about the situation, someone said, "Even a Godly Pill would not be able to save her. How useless is the Elixir Sect? You can't even cure your Sect Mistress."

The voice was from Darryl.

Wow!

Everyone immediately focused on Darryl, but he stood there emotionlessly.

"Shut your mouth!"

The Flixir Sect elders were furious

Their Sect Mistress was about to die, and he continued with his nonsense. He must have wanted to die!

Andy was furious; he looked at Darryl as if he wanted to kill him. "What do you mean?"

Darryl smiled. "It's nothing—I just find it funny. You are just curing the illness recklessly. The Healing Heart Pill would not help your wife's condition at all. It would not help her even if you let her take a hundred of it."

### Wow!

The Elixir Sect disciples immediately exploded; they could not stand it anymore. They drew their swords and blades again!

"You are Darryl, right?" Andy tried to control his anger as he looked at Darryl coldly. "You said that like you know what sickness my wife has. Can you cure it?"

The Elixir Sects elders stared at Darryl.

Darryl waved his hand as he looked at Andy and said, "Well, your wife is not sick at all."

What?

Not sick?

Andy was stunned; he held his fist tightly!

"Are you only here to look for trouble?"

"If she is not sick, why could she not get out of bed?"

Andy looked at Debra and smiled coldly, "Sect Master Gable, you have brought this young man here to insult the Elixir Sect. Don't you think you have crossed the line?"

Debra bit her lips as she immediately pulled Darryl to her. "Darryl, stop fooling around and saying nonsense."

"I am not fooling around." Darryl laughed as he walked around the room to check the formation before he looked at Jody. Then, he said, "She's always sick because of the bedroom's poor formation."

"Our Sect Mistress is sick because of the formation?"

"What rubbish!"

A few Elixir Sect elders shouted, "Tell us then—what is wrong with the room's formation?"

Darryl laughed as he pointed at the two dressing mirrors on both sides of the room. Then he said, "The Elixir Sect produces elixir the whole year-round. The cauldron's fire is always strong, and it leaves yang energy around. The room's formation might have been fine initially, but things changed with these two mirrors. A mirror can affect the environment's energy, and two mirrors facing each other would reflect the energy. These two mirrors amplify the yang energy to many times stronger. A man carries the yang energy while a woman carries the yin energy. A man who lives here would get more energetic, but after a long period, a woman's yin energy needs to amplify to defend the yang energy in the room. That is why she was always sick, and each time she was ill, she would feel extreme coldness."

As Darryl explained the situation, the entire bedroom went silent.

When Darryl stepped into the room, he immediately felt that something was not right with the room's formation. The culprit was the Elixir Sect's yang energy and the two mirrors that faced each other in the room.

The huge room was silent; there was no sound, at all!

Everyone was shocked as they stared at Darryl. Their emotion seemed to have changed!

Was there truth to what the man had said?

It was unbelievable.

At that moment, Elder Jupiter stepped forward and said coldly, "Young man, do you mean that our Sect Mistress would be cured if we remove those two mirrors? It sounds like you are making this up. There is no formation in this world."

Darryl smiled lightly and said, "It's up to you whether you believe it or not."

Darryl did not think highly of the Elixir Sect, and he had not even wanted to intervene. However, he pitied Jody—she suffered so badly at such a young age.

It did not matter; he had told them what to do!

It was up to them to believe it or not.

Debra's body shook as she looked at Darryl.

He knew about formation too?

Debra walked forward and said softly, "Sect Master Curtis, why don't you try Darryl's

### method?"

She was not sure why, but Debra believed in Darryl.

Andy sighed. Since Debra had spoken for Darryl, he turned to the servant and said, " Remove those two dressing mirrors; take them outside."

"Yes."

The servant quickly removed both mirrors.

Elder Jupiter and a few elders were worried when they saw that.

"Sect Master, how could you believe his words?"

"Exactly! It was all nonsense."

Andy did not care about the elders; he looked coldly at Darry and said, "If the condition of my wife does not improve, you shall die with her."

Darryl laughed lightly, but he did not say anything else.

"Sure."

Andy was about to say more when Jody spoke.

Her face looked much better then, and her body no longer shook. She had regained her consciousness too.

"What?"

Everyone was stunned when they saw the Sect Mistress's rosy cheeks.

Debra was delighted; she stood closer to Darryl.

He could write poems, produce elixir, and even know about formations. There was nothing that the man did not know.

Jewel cheered beside him; she grabbed Darryl's arm and said, "Wow, Mister, you are so good! Sister Jody is finally awake!"

Andy was stunned too, but he was also delighted. He hugged Jody tightly, and his tears continued to fall. "My dear, my dear! Thank goodness, you are fine now! Thank goodness..."

Jody rubbed her eyebrows; her face was full of curiosity. "My dear, did I fall sick again?"

As she spoke, Jody felt bashful when she saw so many people in her room.

"Yes, but you are fine now." Andy laughed as he cried. He looked around and said, "All of you may leave now. I have something to say to Sect Master Gable."

Once they heard that, the Elixir Sect elders turned and left the room silently.

However, when they reached the door, many of them still stared at Darryl strangely.

That man had such capability!

Just as everyone had left, Andy stood and bowed to Darry. His face was filled with gratefulness. "You are a mysterious man, Darryl. I have searched the entire north and south of the Great Valley to cure my wife's sickness, but no one could do it. I did not think that it was because of the two mirrors. I shall eternally be grateful to you."

Andy's attitude toward Darryl had changed. Jody was the only person he had loved in his life, and if she were to die, he would not want to live either.

No matter how bad Darry's words had sounded, he had saved his wife. He would forever be indebted to him!

Darryl said casually, "Your wife had been in the house for too long. Once she is feeling better, bring her for walks more often."

Andy immediately nodded; he was so happy. He had never thought that his wife, who had been sick for more than a year, would recover so suddenly. That was the most excellent news in the world!

Andy turned around and looked at Debra as he asked excitedly, "Sect Master Gable, if I may ask, is he an elder from your Artemis Sec?"

'This Darryl is so capable, but I have never heard about him.'

Debra smiled lightly and said, "Darryl is not from Artemis Sect; he is a friend of mine."

Debra felt happy about the situation, but she was also the Artemis Sect's Sect Master. She could not tell anyone that she was interested in Darryl.

Jewel spoke proudly, "My mister is a very powerful man; he does not belong to any sect."

When he heard that, Andy's eyes shone, he turned to Darryl and said politely, "You have saved my wife, and I am eternally grateful. If you don't mind, perhaps you would want to join the Elixir Sect and be my Deputy Sect Master?"

### What?

Jewel's body shivered; she was very emotional. It was a generous offer! Andy wanted Darryl to join his sect, so he offered Darryl the Deputy Sect Master position, and it was a crucial position.

Andy, on the other hand, waited for his reply anxiously.

Darryl could produce the cure for the Three Poisons Pill. He must have excellent skills in elixir production.

Besides that, he knew about formations too. It would be great to attract such great talent into his sect.

However, Darryl smiled and said, "You are all bastards; I will not join you."

"Why do you say that?" Andy asked worriedly.

Why did Darryl look down on Elixir Sect when he arrived at their hall? Why did he attack the Elixir Sect verbally? Why?

Darryl's eyes were cold as he said, "I have an old friend. Ten years ago, he was pushed down a cliff by the Elixir Sect and the Sword Sect. Don't you think that the Elixir Sect members are bastards?"

Ten years ago?

Andy's face paled when he heard Darryl's words!

"The old friend that you mentioned; is he the Sword Devil, Ford South?" Andy gulped before he finally spoke.

"That's right." Darryl nodded.

At that moment, the entire bedroom was dead silent!

Andy held his fist tightly as he took a deep breath and said, "Ten years ago, the Elixir Sect and the Sword Sect joined hands to attack Master South discreetly. However, ten years ago, my father was Elixir Sect's Sect Master, and he has passed away since then. He was wrong to ambush Master Sword Devil back then, and I can apologize to Master South on his behalf. However, I am afraid that Master South did not survive the attack—"

Darryl sighed. He could see that Andy was a decent person, and he was even willing to apologize on behalf of his father.

Darryl wanted to tell Andy that Ford did not die but had stayed at the valley for ten years.

However, he changed his mind. His Master had let go of his hatred. He had lived in the valley for more than ten years, and he did not wish for any disturbance.

"Forget it; let's not talk about this anymore." Darryl waved his wave. Then he took Debra and Jewel's hands and turned to leave. "Let's go."

### "Wait!"

Andy shouted as he rushed forward. He took out something from his shirt and handed it to Darryl. "I will never forget your kindness, Darryl. You have saved my wife, so I will always owe you for this favor for the rest of my life. This is the Elixir Sect's rescue signal. If you are in any danger, you only need to release this rescue signal, and I will lead the Elixir Sect disciples to come to your rescue wherever you are!"

Darryl did not reject him when he saw Andy's sincerity; he accepted the rescue signal.

Then Andy said, "Please don't leave now; stay for dinner. Please, stay."

"Darry, why don't we stay? We can leave after dinner," Debra said softly.

She went to the Elixir Sect to seek clarification from Elder Jupiter, but she realized that it was all a misunderstanding. It would not be nice to reject their invitation to dinner.

"Very well." Darryl nodded.

It was night, and the atmosphere in Elixir Sect's grand hall was happy and merry.

There were so many delicious dishes on the dining table.

Andy was thrilled; he continued to serve wine to Darryl and Debra.

His wife's sickness was cured, and the misunderstandings were cleared, so Andy felt relieved.

Naturally, Darryl drank only with Debra.

Even though Debra was the Artemis Sect's Sect Master, she did not have a high tolerance for alcohol. She was already drunk after only two drinks. Her face was flushed, and she looked even more attractive.

After three rounds of drinks.

Andy smiled at Debra and said, "The New World suffered an earthquake a day ago. Have you heard about the Grand Weapon that they recovered?"

Andy continued to say, "I was informed that the boundaries between the nine mainlands have disappeared. We can now communicate with each other among the nine mainlands. The future is so uncertain; hence, our sects must keep in touch regularly, so we can help each other if there are any problems."

Debra nodded.

Suddenly, Darryl stood up.

What?

The boundaries within the nine mainlands had disappeared?

Darryl's body shook; he was so excited. He could not hide his emotion when he said, " Sect Master Gable, Sect Master Curtis, I have some very important matters to attend to, so please excuse me."

Once he had spoken, he took Jewel's hand and prepared to leave.

Darryl had tried to come up with ways to get back to the New World. Since boundaries within the nine mainlands had disappeared, nothing could stop him anymore. That was the greatest news in the world!

What?

What was the rush?

Andy was stunned too, and he looked confused.

Debra was worried. She immediately stood up and pulled Darryl's arms. "Where are you going?"

She panicked; she did not care about anything else as she pulled him tightly.

She only knew that she would not be happy for the rest of her life if Darryl were to leave.

Darryl sighed as he stared at the view outside. Then he said, "I need to get to the New World to rescue someone."

As he spoke, images of Yvonne and Monica appeared in his mind.

"I will go with you." Debra bit her lips as she had made that decision.

Since she could not make him stay, she would need to follow him then.

She was willing to follow him like his shadow; she would not regret it for the rest of her life.

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Meanwhile, at Lord Kenny Bred's residence in the New World's Royal City.

It was almost midnight. There was a lovely little garden at Lord Kenny Bred's residence. Monica stood there by herself; she looked lonely.

She had been in Lord Kenny Bred's residence for a very long time—ever since she was brought there.

Her heart still missed Darryl.

There was only bitterness in her heart whenever she thought of the man.

Her life was like a roller coaster.

It had not been easy for her to escape from Elysian Island and arrived at Dong Hai City. However, she did not manage to meet Darryl immediately; instead, Yumi had conned her into working in a bar.

Eventually, she managed to meet Darryl, but before they could spend more time together, the New World army had attacked.

Since then, she had been trapped in the Bred's residence. Even though Lord Kenny had treated her well, she was still unhappy.

Monica raised her head to look at the starry sky above her; she realized that the sky was much prettier than the World Universe's sky. It was full of stars; it was such a beautiful sight.

However, the person loved was not with her, so it did not matter anymore, no matter

how beautiful the scenery.

"My dear wife, I am here to see you."

A peal of happy laughter came from outside the garden before she saw Lord Kenny walked into the garden.

Once he was in front of her, Lord Kenny smiled and looked at Monica as he asked caringly, "My dear, the night is cold. Why didn't you put on more clothing?"

Lord Kenny removed his jacket and put it over Monica's shoulders affectionately.

Lord Kenny's eyes were gentle. Monica was like a Goddess to him. None of his other concubines could compare to her.

He was attracted to Monica the moment he saw her.

Lord Kenny felt so happy when His Majesty had gifted Monica to him.

Not only was Monica beautiful, but none of the women in his residence could compare with her elegance.

Even though Monica was pregnant, it did not stop Lord Kenny from loving her.

He would spend his time with Monica whenever he was free.

"My dear, are you cold?" Lord Kenny asked gently as he hugged Monica's waist.

Lord Kenny's hand was on the Cult Mistress' waist.

"Lord Kenny, please be respectful and remove your hand."

Monica took a step backward. She still rejected any intimate actions with Lord Kenny.

She only had eyes for one man, and that was Darryl.

Lord Kenny was disappointed. He smiled awkwardly and said, "My dear, it has been such a long time, but you still do not accept me."

Monica had lived in the Bred's residence for a long time. Lord Kenny loved her very much, so he did not force her to accept him.

Monica still looked beautiful even though she was pregnant, and Lord Kenny loved her a little more each day. He could not stop himself; he wanted to hug her. He did not expect she would reject him again.

Lord Kenny forced a smile and changed the topic. "My dear, you have been here for quite some time, what do you think about the Bred's residence?"

Monica bit her lips and said softly, "This is a nice place. Lord Kenny, you have been so nice to me, and I appreciate it. But my heart does not belong here; why don't you let me go?"

Monica's beautiful face was full of hope when she said that. "I am also pregnant, and the baby will come soon. It will affect your reputation if I continue to stay here."

Lord Kenny held his fist tightly and said, "I do not mind your pregnancy. And I do not care what other people think!"

Lord Kenny tried to console her gently. "Don't worry; I will never force you to do anything that you don't want to do. If you are willing, I shall treat the child as my own when the baby is born. The baby will be a prince or a princess. I will be the baby's father and raise the child with you."

He loved Monica very much.

He could even give his title up as long as Monica was willing to stay with him.

Monica shivered when she heard his words. She was touched; she did not know that Lord Kenny loved her that much.

Not many men could do what he had offered her.

Monica was touched; she said softly, "But-"

Just as she was about to speak, Lord Kenny interrupted her. "I know that you wanted to leave, but the situation outside is still very chaotic. Ever since the Grand Weapon has reappeared, the nine mainlands can now connect with each other. The news about that

has spread across the nine mainlands, and many powerful people are heading toward the Royal City to check it out. All of them wanted to get their hands on the Grand Weapon."

Lord Kenny explained it patiently. "It will be chaotic out there with so many people. What if you met some bad people? You have to think about your baby even though you do not care about your own safety."

"I'm-"

Monica paused; she did not know what to say.

He was right; she needed to think for her baby, so she could not act impulsively.

Monica sighed; she had to face the reality. "Then, I shall stay for a little while longer."

Lord Kenny laughed as he nodded. "It is late, rest early."

He was delighted that he could convince Monica to stay. He quickly brought her inside the house.

Lord Kenny was right; the situation at the New World was chaotic!

The news about the Grand Weapon's reappearance had shocked all nine mainlands!

The news about what happened at the Incredible Sky Mountain had also spread. Everyone had heard about it. In just a short time, all the sects from the nine mainlands rushed toward the Royal City when they heard the news. They were there to learn more about the situation. The Incredible Sky Mountain was located right at the Royal City entrance.