

## Chapter 651

Thwack, thwack, thwack...

Shaw fell from the air to the ground and slid for more than ten meters until he hit an obstacle.

Shaw spat out a mouthful of blood. His face was as white as paper and full of pain. He was at death's door. At the same time, his eyes were full of fear and horror!

He had never seen such a powerful punch and certainly couldn't bear it.

Now, his arm was broken. But the most serious thing was the injury to his chest. His chest was hollow by Tom's punch and his ribs were completely

broken. Shaw suffered an extremely serious internal injury. If it weren't for his strong vitality, he would have died!

He couldn't figure out why Tom had become such powerful in only about twenty days!

Tom was not even thirty years old!

The other three were also frightened as if seeing a devil.

Redford widened his eyes and took a deep breath. He knew very well how strong Shaw was. They were equally matched. But now he was seriously injured by Tom's punch and completely lost his fighting ability. Moreover, Tom attacked him in a siege, which meant Tom was extremely strong!

Redford's scalp was numb and he did not dare to think further.

"This is definitely not the fourth stage of the Innate Realm. You are not Tom. Who are you?!" Redford shouted.

He knew Tom very well because he had investigated Tom thoroughly. He knew that Tom had just broken through to the Innate Realm two years ago. More than a month ago, he had just stepped into the fourth stage of Innate Realm. How could Tom reach the Major Perfection Realm in such a short time?

Will and Carl were also numb. They were terrified to witness the power that Tom showed just now. It completely overturned their understanding.

Tom stopped and did not rush to launch a counterattack against them. He stood with his hands behind his back and faced them with absolutely invincible strength. He said faintly, "You are too short-sighted to realize my strength."

Tom admitted it. Now not only the three of Redford but also the thousands of people on the scene began to panic. In this case, it was obvious that the three of Redford were not Tom's opponents!

Big shots like Kiwi and Eric were even more scared. They were insiders and knew what the Major Perfection Realm meant. If the three of Redford couldn't beat Tom, then they would be



doomed!

"That's impossible! How old are you! How could you break through to the Major Perfection Realm at such a young age?" Will's eyes were filled with disbelief.

"You're definitely not Tom. Who the hell are you?" Carl couldn't accept this fact either. If Tom really reached the Major Perfection Realm, none of them wouldn't be able to leave today.

Redford stared fixedly at Tom and said with gritted teeth, "It's the Colorful Fruit of Essence! He ate the Colorful Fruit of Essence, so he could escape from death and even reach Major Perfection Realm!"

Redford was jealous. If he ate the Colorful Fruit of Essence, then he would break through to the Major Perfection Realm of Innate Realm.

Tom flicked his fingers and said, "Are you done speaking? If yes, then I will send you to the hell."

As soon as he finished speaking, Tom made a direct move. He was extremely fast. And his momentum was as powerful as the tidal wave and earthquake that overwhelmed the three of Redford. None of them could escape.

"Go!"

They were also the top masters at the fourth stage of the Innate Realm and

had very rich fighting experience. In this situation, they could not escape. They could only fight to the death with Tom with all their strength.

Although Tom was one level higher than them, they had a chance of winning if they cooperated well!

Tom was surrounded by the three of them. He was absolutely invincible and shouldered their attack.

Bang bang...

The sound of fists hitting flesh kept ringing. The four of them were making too much noise, which was even scarier than the earthquake.

It was beyond ordinary people's imagination to see these masters fight

each other.

The three of Redford kept attacking him. But they became more and more frightened. They had already activated all their potential and shown their most powerful moves. But Tom was still unharmed!

Tom was like a God of War, a level higher than them. He said, "Is that all you have? I'm so disappointed." Tom was still able to speak calmly at this moment. Obviously, he hadn't tried his best and still could handle a butcher's cleaver skillfully. "Since that's the case, then kneel down for me."

After saying this, Tom's originally half-narrowed eyes suddenly widened. His momentum also ushered in earth-

shaking changes. Everyone present felt that Thunder God was opening his eyes and was about to destroy the world!

Tom's sharp eyes, in particular, shone like the sun, making them feel hot and that their bodies burning.

Of course, this was an illusion. Tom's spiritual power was so strong that made them have an illusion.

"Damn it!"

"He is too strong. We are no match!"

"Retreat!"

They were deeply shocked by Tom and planned to retreat, not daring to fight anymore. They turned around and ran

away separately in the face of disaster.

It was not that they were timid, but that Tom's strength was too terrifying. They were no match!

Tom sneered and said, "Do you think you can run away?"

With a whoosh, Tom chased straight after Will. In less than a second, he caught Will, grabbed his neck, and hit him hard on the ground, making a hole in the ground. Will lied inside and spat out blood. His bones were broken and he was no longer able to move.

Next, Tom continued to chase after Carl without hesitation.

His speed was already close to the speed of sound, causing the sonic

boom. If his body wasn't strong enough, his heart wouldn't have been able to withstand such a large acceleration at this speed.

In just three seconds, Tom caught up with Carl and struck him directly. He also grabbed Carl's neck like grabbing a chicken.

Carl felt Tom's breath. He was so scared that his goosebumps stood up. Carl begged for mercy, "Tom, there is a misunderstanding. I..."

But before he could finish his sentence, Tom had already grabbed his neck and threw him directly on the ground.

Carl had never thought that the master at the fourth stage of the Innate Realm

would be so vulnerable to Tom.

With a bang, at least half of his bones were broken. The intense pain made him scream miserably.

Tom did not look at him and continued to chase after Redford.

"Redford, you won't run away from my hand."

Redford, who had already rushed a few hundred meters away, turned around to see this scene. He was already scared out of his wits. At the same time, he was extremely regretful. If he had known that Tom had broken through to the Major Perfection Realm of the Innate Realm, he would not have dared to provoke him!



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"Run. Run as fast as you can."

It was the only thought left in Redford's mind. Tom was so scary that Redford didn't want to go against Tom anymore.

Redford ran pretty fast as he had this thought in his mind. But unfortunately, no matter how fast he ran, it still meant nothing to Tom.

Suddenly, Redford felt a bone-chilling coldness. He realized that Tom had caught up with him after dealing with Will and Carl.

How fast was Tom?

Redford hurriedly glanced back and

saw a scene that freaked him out. Tom was already behind him, and Tom was about to grab his neck. There was nowhere for Redford to run.

Redford knew that once Tom grabbed his neck, he would be finished.

At this moment, a strong desire for survival rose in Redford's heart. Redford suddenly sped up his speed a lot. He was like an arrow, darting ahead.

Tom was surprised. Tom didn't expect Redford to be able to stimulate his potential at this time. Tom underestimated Redford.

However, this still couldn't change the result.

Redford escaped from Tom's grasp and was just relieved. Before he could be happy, he heard Tom's voice in his ear the next moment. "If you can still dodge this time, I'll spare you."

"Ah!!!"

Redford felt that he had a chance. Redford let out a deafening roar, floundering desperately before dying

But immediately, his voice stopped, because Tom had already grabbed him by the neck. Now, Tom was the master of Redford's life as Tom controlled Redford's life and death.

"Too weak." Tom sighed behind Redford. His tone was tinged with boredom. It was as if he thought that

Redford was too weak to arouse his interest at all.

Redford's whole body stiffened. Redford had never been so helpless and frightened like this moment. He felt his feet couldn't land on the ground. Redford was in great panic and quickly shouted, "Tom, please be merciful. I..."

Before he could finish his sentence, Tom smashed him hard on the ground, leaving a hole half a meter deep. Redford was stuck in the hole.

The pain was so intense that Redford felt all the bones in his body fall apart, and his internal organs were also seriously hurt. Redford kept spitting out blood.

It hurt. It really hurt!

This was a pain he had never experienced before. It was so painful that he wished he could die immediately.

"I didn't expect that you have such a tenacious vitality. You are still alive." Tom's surprised voice came again.

Redford's expression was twisted, and his eyes were filled with unprecedented fear and regret. Why did he offend this devil, Tom?

"Don't kill me, please. Spare my life..." There was really nothing that Redford could do now. He now only had the fear for Tom. He also had only one thought now, that was to live. Redford

wanted to stay alive no matter what it cost, even he had to lose his dignity.

Tom looked down at Redford and said calmly, "I heard you still want to kill me?"

"No. I don't dare to! Tom!" Redford begged for mercy.

Tom sneered disdainfully. He despised Redford, a coward who was mortally afraid of death, from the bottom of his heart.

Then he picked up Redford from the hole and walked towards the crowd.

When everyone saw Tom walking back unharmed with Redford in one hand, they were all stunned. Their blood froze and they trembled.

Kiwi, Eric, and people who were with Ma and Chen, in particular, were now so scared that they went limp and feeble and fell to the ground.

As for the others, they were so scared that they had no intention of resisting at all. They turned around and wanted to run as far as they could. They didn't want to face Tom, the devil, anymore!

But Tom's words made them all stand still as if they had been attacked at a vital point.

"Who dares to run? I'll kill him."

Tom's words were like an imperial edict that allowed no rejection. That made those people instinctively stop and not dare to run anymore.

They were scared by Tom so much.

Throwing Redford on the land near Kiwi's feet, Tom looked at Kiwi and the others with a half-smile and said, "It looks like the backer you got is not so capable."

"Tom... Mr. Howard..." Kiwi could speak now. His face was pale. His teeth were chattering, and his legs were limp. He knelt down directly in front of Tom and cried for mercy with tears and snot all over his face. "Mr. Howard, we were wrong. We shouldn't have done anything against Mr. Howard. Please, Mr. Howard, be magnanimous and spare our lives..."

As Kiwi begged for mercy, he



kowtowed to Tom. Now, he had no dignity at all. Now, staying alive was the most important thing!

Many people followed his suit. They knelt down and begged Tom for forgiveness.

After Kiwi, Eric, and other leading men knelt down, the remaining thousands of their followers also knelt down and kowtowed to Tom, begging for forgiveness.

This scene was extremely shocking. Tom stood there alone, and a large group of people knelt down to him. At this moment, Tom was the king, deciding the lives and deaths of these people.

Elliot, Malcolm, and the others who were on the side saw this scene. They became so excited that their faces turned red!

They had never seen such a scene before. It was too shocking. Tom today gave them too many surprises!

One shall know that these people kneeling to the ground in front of Tom were all big shots. Each of them had tens of billions. They were so powerful that they could cause an earthquake in a place just by stomping. Countless men were afraid of them.

And now, these people were kneeling in front of Tom without dignity. They knelt to the ground with reverence and awe and they became prisoners. They

only wanted Tom to forgive them and let them go.

Tom stood with his hands behind his back. He glanced at them, and said coldly, "You were all very arrogant just now. You all thought I would be finished today. Why are you kneeling down now?"

Hearing Tom's words, Kiwi, and the others were even more frightened, and at the same time, they were extremely regretful. If they had known that Tom was so abnormally powerful, they would have never dared to go against Tom.

Kiwi kept kowtowing on the ground. He kowtowed hard and his head was bleeding. He felt dizzy but he didn't

dare to stop. He kept saying, "Please forgive me. Please forgive me."

The others also kowtowed hard. The richer the people, the more afraid they were of death. They feared death more than anything else.

Tom said coldly, "If you do something wrong, you have to take responsibility. You dared to go against me and you have to pay the price."

Hearing Tom's words, they all thought that they could stay alive today. While at the same time, their hearts ached. According to Tom's words, they were going to lose a lot.

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The matter tonight was soon settled.

Tom didn't kill Kiwi, Eric, and the others.

However, they were absolved from death but not from torture. Tom certainly would not let them go easily.

He mercilessly broke one of their legs and took two-thirds of their supplies, which cost them much both physically and materially. After that, Tom finally let go of them.

In this way, Tom's power grew several times stronger to a giant in G State.

In addition, after this, his reputation will stage a great comeback!

This was what he came for. Since he was back this time, there was no need to keep a low profile.

As for Redford and Will, Tom did not keep making things difficult for them. After teaching them a lesson, he let them go.

It wasn't how magnanimous Tom was, but he couldn't get things into an impasse. Anyway, Redford and the others were also talents in H Country to which they had made great contributions. If Tom did kill them, he would leave himself no way of retreat. Smart people like Tom would never do such a thing.

Moreover, with Tom's strength, there

was no need to be afraid that they would retaliate. If they really dared to, there would be plenty of ways for him to deal with them.

"Redford, it's all your fault. You've implicated us! Why did you offend Tom?"

After Tom and the others left, Will struggled to stand up and scolded Redford through gritted teeth, full of resentment.

Shaw also scolded, "You almost got me killed this time! Half of my bones were broken! I will never break through to the Major Perfection Realm in my life, fuck!"

Carl was equally angry, "I shouldn't

have come with you. Now, let alone I am severely injured, I have offended Tom so much! The Innate Realm Major Perfection Realm! Achieving the Innate Realm Major Perfection Realm before thirty! What a miracle! Even God of War was not so remarkable back then!"

Hearing the word "God of War", the other three people showed worship and reverence from their eyes. It was the soul of H Country, who had made countless contributions to H Country. If it weren't for God of War, H Country would never have been at peace like now.

Redford looked extremely bad. This time, he really asked for trouble himself. He would never consider that



Tom had broken through to the Major Perfection Realm and they were no match for him even united. It was really to go for wool and come home shorn mouse.

"Shut up!" Redford stood up with difficulty. Although he was seriously injured, his life was not in danger. He could recover after a good rest. "What the hell is he? Tom? How can he compare to God of War?"

"You don't have to look at me like that. What happened tonight was what you asked for. Remember that you have received a lot of benefits!" Redford said coldly, and because he moved too much, he pulled the wound, which made him gnash his teeth in pain.

Will and the others snorted heavily, feeling very unhappy, but did not refute. Redford was right. They did receive a lot of benefits and they were already on the same boat.

"Tom is a big problem. If we let him grow, he may become the next God of War, then there will be no turning back for us!!" Shaw said worriedly.

Redford snorted and said, "That's impossible! This time he disobeyed the military order and stole the Colorful Fruit of Essence. He has already committed a deadly sin and certainly, Shifu will not spare him! Besides, he beat us like this today, which is doubly guilty, he would definitely be punished to death!"

Carl said meaningfully, "That's not necessarily true. Now that Tom is a giant who has been to Innate Realm Major Perfection Realm, his status has changed. If Tom gave Shifu a proper reason, Shifu may not punish Tom to death due to his own preference for talents."

His words silenced the other three people, including Redford. He did think of this situation, but he was really unreconciled. Let alone Tom had killed his brother-in-law, he himself was also seriously beat and humiliated by him. His hatred for Tom was like a roaring river, couldn't be taken away.

Redford said, "No matter what, Tom must die! Only when he dies can we survive."

Redford's words were approved by the other three, but they still had to think about what to do next.

After Tom reached the Innate Realm Major Perfection Realm, not only did his fighting power increase, but his IQ also rose sharply. Now his brain worked several times as fast as before, and his energy was infinite. It was no exaggeration to say that he could reach the peak studying any subject in a very short time.

Therefore, even facing a big mess, he could manage it well. He issued orders one by one and let his subordinates execute them. Soon, he could establish his business empire and organize a huge network of connections.

Now his mind had changed. In the past, he paid more attention to his own personal cultivation, thinking that as long as he was strong enough, he could protect the people around him, so he had not expanded his power, afraid of being disturbed by those causes and effects.

However, he had abandoned this idea now. He realized that no matter how strong a person's ability was, it was still limited. Moreover, he felt a sense of mission that he had never had before.

Since God had given him so much talent and opportunity, he shouldn't waste it and should help more people.

Now, unknowingly, there were more

and more people relying on him, so he had to organize them in a disciplined way and turn them into a force, lasting for a long time.

After everything was done, Tom returned to Dragon Bay and found Phoebe regulating her breath there. Seeing this, Tom smiled with relief.

Now, for Phoebe, it was the first stage of the Innate Realm, which was like a poor boy who had a huge wealth overnight not knowing how to spend it. What Tom had to do now was to teach Phoebe how to spend this wealth.

"You're back."

When Phoebe heard Tom's footsteps, she opened her eyes and smiled

sweetly, like a blooming peony.

Phoebe walked over, took Tom's coat he had taken off, and hung it on the hanger. Then she poured Tom a cup of tea and said with a smile, "You must be tired being busy all day. Come and have some tea."

"Thank you." Tom took the hot tea and looked at Phoebe with a happy smile.

After making love, Phoebe lay on Tom's chest and listened to him talking about the experience of these days. She felt terrified and held her breath when hearing the thrilling parts.

In the end, when she heard that Tom had survived through all these and successfully broken through to the

Innate Realm Major Perfection Realm, she was relieved and genuinely proud of Tom.

The next day, Tom was on his way to ZQ Film & TV when he suddenly felt something. He stopped and looked in one direction.

He saw a red figure flashing across the building in the distance.

A glint flashed in his eyes. After thinking about it, he decided to chase after it.



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As soon as Tom thought about it, he disappeared on the spot. His speed was so fast that it happened almost instantaneously. No one around him noticed it. They just felt a gust of wind passing by.

When Tom saw the person in red, his heart beat faster and a beautiful face appeared in his mind.

It was Sunny.

It was a woman who had been with him before.

Sunny was here to see him. At first, Tom was very happy to see his old friend. But then, he was on guard.

Could it be a trap? Could it be that Fausto asked Sunny to seduce him? On second thought, Tom decided to go over personally. First, he didn't think Sunny would do so. Second, he believed that Fausto wouldn't do such a dirty thing. Moreover, he had confidence in himself. Even if Fausto really ambushed him, with his current strength, he was confident that he would be able to escape!

He was no longer that weak man on Lion Mountain.

Sunny kept running for more than twenty kilometers.

Tom could easily catch up with her, but he didn't do that. He continued to chase after her, keeping a fixed

distance.

It was a unique way of communication between them.

Finally, when they reached a deserted hill, Sunny stopped. But she did not look back.

Tom also slowed down and walked slowly towards her.

"Why aren't you dead?" That was what Sunny asked first. Tom was not surprised and said, "I set up the big explosion that day in advance. There's a way to escape."

Sunny was silent. The wind was strong today, blowing the hem of her skirt, which was floating constantly, like a burning flame. She looked beautiful

and delicate.

Tom walked ten meters behind her and stopped. He had mixed feelings. He couldn't tell how he felt about Sunny.

All he knew was that he would think of her uncontrollably from time to time.

After two minutes of silence, they just stood there. It was especially strange.

Just as Tom was about to speak, Sunny spoke again. "Why did you do that?"

In an instant, Tom thought of more than a hundred excuses, but before the words came out of his mouth, he chose to tell the truth, "For my wife. She is running out of her Essence of Life. The only way to save her is to give her the Heaven and Earth's Spiritual Fruit."

Sunny shook slightly. Because the wind was too strong, Tom didn't know whether it was because of the wind or his words that she shook.

"Then you really love her." Sunny's tone seemed to be teasing, sad, and angry. "But have you ever thought about your mother? Do you know how sad she was when she heard the news that you had died?"

Tom felt guilty. He knew what would happen, but he had no choice. He couldn't watch Phoebe die and do nothing. Since this had happened, it was useless for him to explain. It would only seem that he was trying to shirk responsibility if he explained. That was not something he would do.

"I'm sorry." He could only say that.

Sunny seemed to be a little excited.

"What's the use of an apology? My auntie, she almost... Tom, how could you do this!"

Tom became nervous and asked quickly, "How's my mother? Is she okay?"

Sunny heard him come forward and scolded coldly, "Stop! Don't come near me!"

Tom had no choice but to stop. Now he knew he was in the wrong. This time, he really had hurt Sunny and his mother.

He could only sigh heavily and say, "Is

my mother okay now?"

Sunny said fiercely, "Fortunately, auntie is fine, or I won't spare you!"

Tom had no choice but to remain silent.

The wind seemed to blow even harder, making it hard for them to hear each other's voices.

After a while, Tom asked softly, "When can I see my mother?"

This was a heavy topic.

Tom had thought that by the time he reached the Major Perfection Realm of the Innate Realm, he would be able to bring his mother out. But now, he knew that even if he reached the Major Perfection Realm, he still did not have

the ability to bring his mother back from the LT Organization. Not to mention the King of RT Organization had already reached the Immortal Realm. Even with Fausto's help, he could not bring his mother out.

"Let's wait until you reach the Immortal Realm." Sunny's tone sounded helpless and sad.

Tom closed his eyes and tried to sense the Immortal Realm and the threshold of it. Then he opened his piercing eyes. "Okay! In three years, I will definitely make a breakthrough to the Immortal Realm and bring my mother out!"

Sunny was silent and did not respond.

After a while, Sunny sighed and said,



"I'm afraid three years will be too long."

Although she spoke in a low voice, Tom heard her and immediately asked, "What's wrong? Is there something wrong with my mother's health?!"

Sunny did not answer him, but changed his tone and said coldly, "The news of your resurrection has been known by the LT Organization. Even the Saint King is interested in you. Next, Master Fausto will come to you personally. You have to be careful."

Tom was not surprised at all. After all, he did not keep a low profile this time. Almost everyone who knew him knew the news of his return.

"Really? Then I'm looking forward to

it." Tom smiled. He looked relaxed.

Looking at Sunny's slender figure, Tom had always been in a complicated mood.

Sunny did not speak anymore. She nodded and was about to leave. From the beginning to the end, she did not look straight at Tom.

Tom stopped her. "Wait a minute."

"What?" Sunny's tone was very cold and impersonal. Fortunately, Tom was used to her personality, and he didn't sense anything wrong. He said, "What about you? How have you been? Fausto didn't make things difficult for you, did he?"

Sunny was silent for a few seconds

before saying, "This is not your concern. Take care of yourself."

After saying this, she disappeared on the spot, being out of Tom's sight in a few seconds.

Tom did not chase her. After a while, he sighed, shook his head helplessly and began to walk down the mountain.

Sunny ran for a few kilometers to make sure that Tom did not catch up with her. Then she stopped. In the corner of her eyes, two tears suddenly appeared. There was a smile on her face, as if she was happy about Tom's return. But immediately, she looked sad again and she sighed faintly.

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Tom returned to the ZQ Inc and sat in the chair, recalling what Sunny had just said and her performance. He always felt that Sunny was not normal and something was hidden from him.

However, he did not notice any injuries on Sunny's body. She was spirited and energetic, and even her cultivation was more refined.

He carefully analyzed it and thought that Sunny's abnormal behavior was just because that she was angry at his actions. She thought he shouldn't make his mother so sad!

But Sunny was right. Three years was indeed too long. He had to bring his

mother out as soon as possible and restore her freedom!

He would reach the Immortal Realm as soon as possible!

In a very old, but very imposing courtyard, Y City.

There were two men playing go, and there were more than 30 people standing beside them. They were all masters in the Innate Realm!

The most powerful one of them reached the fourth stage of the Innate Realm. If people outside saw this, they would definitely be frightened and shocked!

"Albert, you lost, ha ha ha." At this moment, one of the men moved the

chess and burst into laughter, looking very happy.

However, the man opposite him was not disappointed at all. Instead, he smiled meaningfully and said, "Really? That's not necessarily true."

As his voice fell, he moved the white chess. The situation on the chessboard had changed completely! Originally, the white chessmen had been invaded by the black chessmen. Anyone with a clear eye could tell that the result was certain. The man playing the white chessmen had already been defeated. However, as this man moved the white chessman, he immediately turned defeat into victory!

"Joseph, look, who lost now?"

"Emm..." The man surnamed Ross was stunned when he saw this scene. He did not expect that the chess game he was going to win was reversed by the other party, and he did not react at all.

After a while, he took a closer look at it before accepting the fact and giving a thumbs-up to the man surnamed Campbell. "Albert, you're awesome! You actually set up such a trap! I'm convinced!"

The man surnamed Ross cupped his fists at the man surnamed Campbell.

The man surnamed Campbell smiled slightly. His smile was as warm as a spring breeze. He was tall, but he had a refined temperament. Those who did

not know him would think that he was a teacher. They would never have thought that he was the God of War, Albert, who was guarding the whole H Country.

"Joseph, I'm afraid you're not just here to play chess with me. Now that we've played chess, you can tell me what the matter is." Albert said with a smile and made tea for Joseph.

Joseph's expression became serious and he said, "Albert, there's a genius in G State recently. Have you heard of him?"

The God of War, Albert, said, "Really? How talented?"

He just sat there calmly, but there was



a overbearing aura emanating from his body, which was as heavy as Mount Tai and absolutely unshakable.

In addition to the title of the God of War, he was also called the Key Stand of H Country.

Joseph didn't answer immediately. Instead, he said meaningfully, "Albert, do you remember how old you were to break through to the Major Perfection Realm?"

Albert's eyes flashed, as if he was recalling his past, that period of extraordinary times. He sighed and said, "It's been 30 years since I broke through the Major Perfection Realm. I was 35 years old at that time."

After he said this, the corners of his mouth rose slightly, revealing some pride. He broke through to the Major Perfection Realm at the age of 35, which was already a great achievement!

"Thirty-five years old. Albert is really talented. There're so many martial artists who can't even touch the threshold of the Innate Realm at thirty-five years old." Joseph said with emotion. He was still an ordinary person now, and he had long been yearning for reaching the Innate Realm.

Albert said, "The Innate Realm is a threshold for mortals. It's just like a fish leaping over the dragon gate. If the fish leaps over, it will turn into a dragon. If it

can't jump over, it is still a fish."

Joseph said, "Yes, I can only be a fish for the rest of my life."

"Ha ha ha." Albert laughed and said, "Joseph, don't say that. If you're a fish, then what are the others, ants? There're so many masters in the Innate Realm who wanted to achieve your status. You have done so many things for the country and the people, and you have long been out of the realm of mortals. Even if you do not reach the Innate Realm in your life, you are still a dragon."

Joseph also laughed. For a moment, he was filled with lofty sentiments and aspirations. He said, "With Albert's words, my life is worth it. Ha ha!"

Many people in the courtyard were excited to see the two of them talking cheerfully and humorously.

Albert was right. Even if Joseph didn't reach the Innate Realm, he was a dragon. He was a person with great influence, and he was more than a master in the Innate Realm!

Otherwise, there wouldn't be more than 30 masters in the Innate Realm protecting him.

After a few more words, Albert asked, "Joseph, you just said there was a genius in G State. Did he also reach the Major Perfection Realm?"

Joseph nodded and said, "Yes, this genius, just a while ago, has broken

through to the Major Perfection Realm."

Albert raised his eyebrows, a little surprised, because he had experienced it and knew how difficult it was to break through to the Major Perfection Realm. In the world, there were very few people who could reach this realm!

Combined with what Joseph said just now, he was afraid this genius was still very young, so Albert said, "Is this genius over 40 years old this year?"

It was not that Albert was too conceited to think that no one in this world could be more talented than him, but that he had experienced countless adventures in the past,

coupled with his diligence, so that he could successfully break through to the Major Perfection Realm at the age of 35.

Now that thirty years had passed, he traveled around the world and did not find a genius beyond him.

However, Joseph's next words made his eyes widen and he lost his composure!

Joseph said meaningfully, "Albert, you might really be shocked this time. This genius has just arrived at 28 this year. He's 12 years away from 40."

"What?!" Albert was shocked, and a terrifying aura erupted from his whole body, which shocked Joseph.

Fortunately, he reacted very quickly and withdrew the aura in less than a second, or Joseph would not be able to bear it.

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Even so, Albert was extremely shocked. He reached the Major Perfection Realm at 28 years old. What did it mean?

Genius could no longer be the word to describe him. He was a strong devil!

However, he was the God of War of H Country. He had been through a lot and he was legendary and determined. Naturally, he was not an ordinary person to be compared to. He immediately calmed down even though he still felt shocked in his heart. He still behaved himself, stared straight at Joseph and said, "Joseph, are you kidding me? He reached the Major Perfection Realm at 28 years



old? This is an absolute devil!"

Joseph nodded hard and said, "Albert, when did I lie to you? His name is Tom, a native of G State, H Country. You might not believe it. He just broke through to the Innate Realm two years ago. In just two years, he had grown from an ordinary person at the Extrinsic Peak to a strong master in the Major Perfection Realm!"

After hearing that, Albert was even more shocked. As the God of War of H Country, he couldn't imagine what kind of person he was and what kind of talent and opportunity he had. In just two years, he would break through to the Major Perfection Realm!

If the person who told him the news

wasn't Joseph, he wouldn't believe it, because it was beyond his comprehension.

Not only Albert, but also more than 30 masters of the Innate Realm who were present were shocked and even embarrassed. The gap was really too big.

After a long silence, Albert sighed heavily and said, "It seems that I'm narrow-minded. I underestimate the people in the world. If he has reached the Major Perfection Realm at 28 years old, before he is forty years old, as long as he doesn't die young, he will definitely break through to the Immortal Realm. I didn't expect such a strong devil to appear in H Country. This is the blessing of H Country!"

The God of War Albert immediately realized this and said, "Such a peerless genius must not be recruited by foreign powers. Otherwise, it will be a fatal blow to our H Country!"

Joseph said sadly, "He wouldn't be recruited by foreign forces. I've investigated this man. He has a strong sense of nationality and even killed many foreigners for his compatriots."

Albert said, "This is a good thing. No matter what, such a genius must be recruited to serve our country."

This was a very natural thing. According to Joseph's character, he would definitely do this. But now he was unusually silent and his expression

was indescribably helpless and sad. Albert noticed it and immediately asked, "Joseph, did this genius make a mistake?"

Joseph nodded and said, "Albert, to tell you the truth, this genius joined the Military Intelligence 3 a while ago, became an instructor, and also performed missions for the organization. Unfortunately, he made a mistake."

Albert raised his eyebrows and said, "Joseph, don't beat around the bush. Since you came to me, it means that this genius is not guilty of treason, so there is still a chance for him to correct the error."

Joseph did not beat around the bush

anymore. He nodded and said, "That's right. This young man participated in the task of snatching the Colorful Fruit of Essence a while ago. He got it first, but he took it personally and didn't hand it over to the organization. He disobeyed the order. I believe that he was able to break through to the Major Perfection Realm from the fourth stage of the Innate Realm in such a short period of time because he swallowed the Colorful Fruit of Essence. This young man is a genius, but also because he is too talented and too self-righteous, he does not take the dignity of the country seriously."

After Albert heard this, he fell into silence.

He frowned slightly and gently tapped

the back of his hand, thinking.

Joseph didn't interrupt him. Albert understood what he meant by now.

Nearly a minute later, Albert asked, "Have you investigated why he violated the military order and stole the Colorful Fruit of Essence? What's his purpose?"

Joseph was stunned by this question. He said, "Is there any need to investigate? The Colorful Fruit of Essence is a treasure of heaven and earth. It is a treasure for any human being that can make them reborn. For a genius like Tom who has reached the Innate Realm, it is a fatal temptation, which can make him stronger. The reason why he could break through to

the Major Perfection Realm is definitely because he swallowed the Colorful Fruit of Essence."

According to this logic, there was nothing wrong with what Joseph said.

However, Albert shook his head and said, "I don't think it's that simple. Since this young man can cultivate to the fourth stage of the Innate Realm in only two years, it means that he is the most intelligent person and can't be unaware of the consequences of doing so. Besides, he didn't escape after he 'rose again'. Instead, he came back fair and square, which meant that he had his own support... Maybe, he's waiting for you to send someone to find him."

The more Albert spoke, the brighter

his eyes became, and the more interested he felt. He said, "This young man is interesting. I am very interested in meeting him."

Joseph was not a fool. On the contrary, his IQ was extremely high, surpassing most of the masters in the Innate Realm. Otherwise, he would not have been able to be in his current position as a mortal. He immediately said, "Albert, you mean this young man did this because he had difficulties?"

Albert said, "I'm not sure whether he has difficulties, but in my judgment, there's a reason. Besides, now he's waiting for you to send someone to call him. This young man is a genius!"

Albert did not hide his admiration for



Tom at all.

Joseph thought about it and said, "Albert, disobeying the military order is a capital offense. Can you let him go?"

This question was very serious, but Albert laughed and said, "Joseph, don't ask me like this. If you really don't want to let him go, you won't come to me. He is such a genius. As long as he doesn't betray the country, what's wrong with this? Back then, I also disobeyed your orders very often. Look at you. Are you willing to kill me? Ha ha ha."

After hearing this, Joseph also laughed and remembered the extraordinary times many years ago. At that time, Albert was also a vigorous young man with a wild and unruly character. He

often disobeyed the military order and pissed them off.

"You have the nerve to say that. I was implicated by you a lot back then! How many times have I helped you clear up a messy situation?" Joseph said with a straight face on purpose, but then he smiled.

Then, Joseph said directly to the person next to him, "Arrange for someone to find out why Tom did this and bring him here."

"Yes, sir!"

Two men at the fourth stage of the Innate Realm took the mission and left.

## Chapter 657

Tom had been very relaxed these two days, and his life had been back to normal. However, he did not relax his vigilance. He knew that this was just the calm before the storm, and there would be many challenges waiting for him.

He had already maintained himself in the Major Perfection Realm, and the Essence of Life of the Heaven and Earth's Spiritual Fruit in his body had been digested by 80%. As long as he digested the rest 20%, he would reach the Immortal Realm. If Fausto came to him again, he would be able to fight Fausto and even defeat Fausto!

Then he would wash away the shame!

Now that he had handed over all his power, his business empire was led by Rufus, Elliot, and Malcolm. It ran like a huge machine secretly.

It was no exaggeration to say that Tom was now the richest man in G State, and his assets were still increasing. After some time, it was possible for him to become the richest man in H Country.

Of course, wealth was just a number to him now. What he wanted more was to have more ability to protect the people around him.

Now Tom had returned, and he had defeated the four great masters including Redford and Will with his

own strength. Countless people were frightened. They all knew that he had reached the terrifying state of the Major Perfection Realm. In the whole G State, no one dared to oppose Tom anymore.

There were already countless people who wanted to curry favor with him.

Moreover, Tom was not only a martial artist. Now Tom's business empire was also a giant. No one dared to provoke Tom, and even the three great generals around Tom were also big shots.

Now, there must be many people regretted not following Tom and working for Tom. Otherwise, they would also be powerful!

Unfortunately, there was no regret medicine to take in this world. Now, they could only please Tom as much as possible. It was impossible to send help in Tom's hour of distress, but they could add brilliance to his present splendor.

Strangely enough, even if Tom had become the number one in G State, he still lived a simple life, never wearing famous brand clothes, driving luxury cars, nor hiring bodyguards. Anyone who didn't know him would never have thought that he was such a big shot.

It wasn't that he pretended to be poor on purpose, but that he was used to live a simple life, which was his most comfortable state.

Elliot and Malcolm had strongly suggested that with his status, he should wear the most expensive clothes in the world, drive the most expensive car rather than an electric bike, which was too out of line with his identity.

But Tom refused without hesitation. To him, he didn't need to show off in this way at all. Instead, it would bring him unnecessary trouble. Living comfortably was the most important thing for him.

"Alas, Mr. Howard is really unpredictable!" At the ZQ Media, Elliot and Malcolm watched Tom leaving by an electric bike and sighed helplessly. They really couldn't guess what Tom was thinking.

For normal people, the reason why they struggled was to let themselves live a better life and enrich their material life. Why did it feel that there was no difference in Tom's life whether he was rich or not?

Malcolm said, "An immortal like Mr. Howard is not the same as the ordinary people like us. Maybe this is also a way of cultivation for Mr. Howard!"

Elliot smiled bitterly, "The point is that since Mr. Howard is so simple, I dare not to show off as his subordinate. I wanted to buy a Rolls-Royce, but Mr. Howard just rides an electric bike. How dare I buy it? I even dare not to drive my Bentley. I'm going to sell it and buy a



BMW."

Malcolm was stunned and said, "In that case, I should also change my car."

"You'd better change." Elliot said seriously.

Tom didn't know that his electric bike would make Elliot and Malcolm think so much.

He was now leisurely riding his electric bike home, which made him feel very comfortable. The sunlight also made him feel very comfortable.

Just as he was waiting for the traffic light inside the white line, the window of a Porsche next to him was rolled down and a confused voice sounded. "Tom?"

Tom turned around and immediately saw a slightly fat man with gold-rimmed glasses, who looked familiar. "Do you know me?"

"Damn, it's really you, Tom. Long time no see!" The man suddenly became excited.

Tom was even more confused. He had no impression of this man. "Who are you?"

The man immediately scolded angrily, "Damn! You bastard, you actually forgot about me. I'm Kai. We were classmates in grade two!"

Hearing this, Tom immediately remembered and said with a sudden realization, "Kai, it's you! No wonder

you look so familiar. Tell me what you've been through in the past few years. How did you get so fat?"

It was not surprising that Tom could not recognize him for a moment. Kai's image was so different from that of junior high school. At that time, Kai was famous for being thin in the class, and he had the nickname of "monkey". Now he had gained a few rounds of weight. If it weren't for that his facial contours looked familiar, Tom wouldn't have recognized him.

Kai said with a smile, "This is the appearance of a successful person."

At this moment, a woman's voice came from inside the car, with a hint of impatience in her tone. "Kai, pay

attention to your identity. Don't talk to messy people."

When Kai heard this voice, he looked respectful and said quickly, "Boss, he's Tom. He's from our class. Tonight is..."

Before he could finish his sentence, he was interrupted and the woman said coldly, "It's green. Go."

Kai had a helpless look on his face, but he didn't dare to disobey. It was indeed a green light now. He had to quickly say to Tom, "Tom, remember my number. 138 \*\*\*\*\*, remember to call me."

After that, he stepped on the accelerator and drove away.

Tom had a good memory. He remembered it after hearing it.

The sound from the car just now also made him feel a little familiar, as if he had heard it somewhere before, and the voice was very pleasant, as if she was a beautiful woman.

Was she also his junior high school classmate? Tom thought about it carefully, but did not remember who it was.

On Kai's side, he was obviously in awe of the woman in the back seat and he asked carefully, "Miss Edwards, he was also our junior high school classmate, Tom. I remember you used to be his desk mate."

The woman in the back seat closed her eyes and did not answer.

Kai was used to her coldness and arrogance, but he didn't feel uncomfortable. After thinking for a while, he said tentatively, "Miss Edwards, it happens to be our class reunion tonight. Why don't we call Tom? He hasn't attended it since graduation."

## Chapter 658

Kai was close with Tom in junior high school, but it is a pity that they lost touch with each other after going to different high schools.

Kai found that Tom was plainly dressed. He even rode an electric bike. Obviously, he had a rough time.

The class reunion was going to be held tonight. It would be an opportunity for Tom to improve his life quality, if he came here, for their classmates were all successful now.

Most importantly, it would be better if Tom could get Leyla's attention.

Leyla and Tom once had a good

relationship, and there was some chemistry between them in the past. At that time, they got the best marks, shared the table with each other, and were considered as a perfect couple in the school.

Now Kai worked for Leyla as a driver. He knew Leyla was doing really great now. It would turn his life around if she was willing to offer Tom a hand.

However, Leyla did not say anything, but closed her eyes. she seemed not to want to talk. Kai sighed slightly, and kept silent. He felt pity for Tom, for he may not be invited to the class reunion.

Just as Kai thought, Leyla's voice came from behind. "Did he ride an electric bike just now?"



Kai was stunned and then said quickly, "Yes. Maybe his life is not good these years."

Leyla opened her eyes and said coldly, "He's from the Howards. How could he have a bad time?"

"Well, I don't know. Maybe he's out of luck?" Kai said cautiously. Through the driving mirror, he stole a glance at Leyla, just one glance, for he was afraid that she would notice. With all these years, he knew that Leyla was a powerful woman and condemned the man who was not as strong as her.

Leyla's expression was strange and she said, "Well, let him come tonight."

Kai was overjoyed and said

immediately, "You're so kind. Thank you."

Leyla looked out of the window, and her eyes slid out of focus, as if she thought back to the junior high school.

She had not heard the name Tom for a long time. Suddenly, the memory came back to her.

Back then, she and Tom were close. They competed in study, and often went home together after school. In the final year of junior high, Tom had a fight for her.

In fact, she had a secret that she had never told other students. She had a crush on Tom, but he didn't have feelings for her. Once, she couldn't hold

back and told him about it, but Tom refused her in a minute.

He said we should focus on studying at that time, but she knew that it was just an excuse. Tom just looked down on her. She was just a girl from an ordinary family, but he came from a prominent family.

She would never forget that, and it had become her motivation to work hard. After graduating from junior high school, she entered major high school and finally went to a famous university. In the past few years after graduation, she took every chance and made a fortune. Now she was the boss of several companies.

Tom now descended to ride an electric

bike. She wondered what would he looked like when seeing her accomplishments at the class reunion tonight.

Leyla began to look forward to it.

When Tom got home, he sent a message to Kai. After a while, Kai called him. "Hey, Tom, you finally call me. I thought you didn't remember my number!"

Tom smiled and said, "Your number is easy to remember."

Kai giggled and said, "Sure. It took me tens of thousands of dollars."

After the polite greetings, Kai said directly, "Hey, Tom, serious. There's a class reunion tonight. Many classmates

will come. How would you like to come with me?"

"Class reunion?" Tom was taken by surprise. Over the years, he had attended Phoebe's reunion, but had never attended his own. It was not that he was aloof, but that he had lost contact with them.

If he hadn't happened to run into Kai today, he probably wouldn't have seen these old classmates for the rest of his life.

"Right, the reunion!" Kai invited with enthusiasm, "In fact, it was held every year but all in other cities. Leyla suggested in H City this year, or else I couldn't meet you. Luck, it was a bit of good luck. By the way, do you

remember Leyla? You used to share the table."

Leyla... The memory had come back to Tom. He remembered that they got along well before. They came home together after school every day. However, after he refused her affection in the final year, they drifted apart.

"Yes. It was she who sat in your car today?" Tom asked with a smile. Indeed, he hadn't seen Leyla for many years.

"I knew you definitely remember. Leyla was the most beautiful girl in our class back then. There were so many people going for her, but she liked to hang out with you. You didn't know how envious

we are. Even I wanted to hit you." Kai giggled and said.

Hearing this, Tom smiled. He was reminiscing about the old days.

But over the years, all of the past had become a cherished memory.

"Kai, you're doing well now. You get our most beautiful girl. Married?" Tom teased. Kai had quite a reaction to his words, and quickly said, "Hey, no! Leyla is my boss, and I call her Miss Edwards. Who am I dare to go for her?"

"Really?" Tom was a little surprised. Looking at Kai, it seemed that Leyla was successful now.

"Of course!" Kai said seriously, "Leyla seemed weak back then. She's an

established businesswoman now, owning a few companies, and has assets worth more than one billion dollars! She put a large amount of money into the reunion."

"Oh, really? That's really something." Tom said. Back then, Leyla was weak and dependent on him.

Kai heard the emotion in his voice. In his opinion, Tom must have mixed feelings now, but Kai choose not to say it, so he said, "Deal. You come over then or I pick you up. Both are okay."



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Tom did not hesitate and agreed directly. Anyway, he was very free now and said, "Okay, send me the address. I'll be there by then."

"Okay, deal. Don't stand me up!" Kai said leisurely, "Last time at the class reunion, we mentioned you. We said we haven't seen you for a long time. You always had the best grades back then. Our classmates will be very happy to see you!"

Tom smiled. He was also looking forward to seeing them. After all, he had not seen these classmates for more than ten years. He believed their reunion would be very interesting!

After hanging up the phone, Phoebe came back soon. Tom told her about the reunion and asked if she wanted to go to the reunion together.

Phoebe refused guiltily because she had to deal with a lot of things in the company of the Scotts. Besides, there was an important dinner tonight which she must go.

"Tom, I'm sorry. I have a dinner party tonight, too. I'm afraid I can't accompany you." Phoebe threw herself into Tom's arms and said apologetically.

Tom was a little disappointed, but he also understood Phoebe. He smiled and said, "It's not a problem. Go and do your work. Take care of yourself. Don't work too hard, okay?"

"Yes! I know. Don't forget that I'm also a master of Innate Realm now. I'm physically strong." Phoebe draw up and said proudly. She was so sexy that Tom was attracted and put his arms around her waist, saying evilly, "Now that mom and dad are not back, why don't we go..."

Phoebe knew what Tom meant. She blushed and quickly pushed Tom away. She said angrily, "No, we just had sex last night! I'm still tired."

Tom was a little disappointed and said, "Let's do it. It'll be over soon."

"No, no, no. Every time you're going to tear me apart!" Phoebe said. Suddenly, she said, "Go have sex with Amelia."

Leave me alone."

Last time, Tom told Phoebe about Amelia. He thought that Phoebe would be very angry and hurt and was ready to be scolded by her. But in the end, Phoebe cheered, looking happy and relieved that someone finally liked to be with Tom. But Tom was in a daze.

Later, Tom knew that Phoebe was really not angry about his relationship with Amelia, which made him relieved.

After lunch, Phoebe took a nap and then went to the company. She was now the backbone of the Scotts, and many things needed her to deal with.

Fortunately, Tom was mentally prepared, so he was not too

disappointed.

In the evening, Tom rode his moped to the place Kai told him.

Originally, he wanted to drive there, but it was just the rush hour. It was also a long way from Dragon Bay to that place, so Tom decided to ride there.

A moped was not only convenient but also much faster than a car to travel through the city.

The reunion was held in a five-star hotel tonight, and they directly booked an entire floor.

According to Kai, the reunion lasted for two days. After dinner at the hotel, they would stay at the resort for a night to chat.

Tom was just going to have dinner together tonight.

Half an hour later, Tom arrived at the hotel. In front of the hotel parked all the luxurious cars that his classmates drove, while he felt embarrassed to ride a moped.

So when he appeared, he attracted a lot of attention. Coupled with his plain clothes, people thought that he was delivering takeout.

"Hey, hey, this is a five-star hotel. You can't park here."

As soon as he stopped to park, two security guards came over and said with disdain.

Tom was used to that, saying, "I'm here to have dinner. Why can't I stop here?"

"What, you're here to have dinner? Are you kidding me? You must work as a delivery boy wearing this outfit. You earn three or four thousand dollars a month. Do you have money to have dinner here?"

Another security guard said impatiently, "Don't explain so much to this poor man. Get him out of here."

"Did you hear that? Hurry up and leave. This is a five-star hotel. You will tarnish our reputation, you know?" The security guard spoke in a disdainful way.

Tom looked at him and was not

humiliated or angry at all. Instead, he felt that he was very familiar with the feeling. He recalled those days when he was a useless live-in son-in-law in the Scotts.

But now no one had dared to talk to him like this for a long time since he became number one in G State.

However, when the two security guards saw that Tom was still smiling, they became even angrier and thought that Tom was mocking them. "Hey! You poor man, don't be shameless. Get out of here. Otherwise, don't blame us for being rude!"

As they spoke, they took out their electric batons, looking fierce.



Tom said, "I'm here to attend the class reunion. You've stopped the wrong person."

"Class reunion?" The two security guards hesitated when they heard Tom say that. It was common that there were always rich and poor students in a class. However, they were really confused to see that Tom was still dressed so poorly when coming to a five-star hotel to attend the class reunion. Moreover, he rode a moped. It was known people would be dressed well attending a class reunion.

"Are you sure you're here to attend the reunion?" One of the security guard looked at Tom unkindly.

Just as Tom was about to speak, he saw

a Porsche coming from the opposite side. It was the one Kai was driving today. He pointed at the car and said, "My classmate is here. You can ask him directly."

The two security guards turned around to see that black Cayenne. Their expressions immediately changed. They trotted over and showed the way to park the car for Kai.

Tom rolled his eyes when he saw this. They were really snobbish.

After Kai parked the car, he saw Tom and said in surprise, "Tom, you're here. That's great!"

Tom smiled and said, "I just arrived, too."

Kai nodded. He got out of the car and quickly opened the back door. Soon, a graceful figure came out of the car. She was very beautiful, wearing famous brands. It was Leyla, noble and proud.

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Tom's mood also changed when he saw Leyla.

It wasn't because Leyla was beautiful, but because her familiar face reminded him of the period when he was in junior high school. He was emotional for a moment.

And Kai was right. Leyla indeed changed a lot. She was much more beautiful and noble than she was in junior high school. Everyone could tell at a glance that she was an able woman with a lot of wealth. The confidence and arrogance on her face could not be faked.

Tom was also happy for Leyla. He knew

that Leyla's family background was actually quite ordinary. Her parents were farmers. Leyla started from scratch and made such a great achievement, which was amazing.

After opening the door for Leyla, Kai bent down and called her "Miss Edwards" respectfully!

Moreover, four sturdy men in suits came out from another Toyota, strode towards Leyla, and respectfully called out Miss Edwards. They were obviously Leyla's bodyguards.

This appearance was very imposing.

However, Tom frowned slightly. Leyla made him feel very strange in this way. She was no longer the weak and shy

girl he remembered.

As for the two security guards, when they saw Leyla, they bent even lower like slaves.

When he looked at Leyla, Leyla also looked at him, but there was no emotion on her face, only her eyes blinked. She looked away in less than a second.

It was as if she didn't know him.

Leyla's reaction surprised Tom. Did Leyla not remember him?

It shouldn't be like this. Kai was Leyla's driver now. Didn't Kai talk about him with her? Or was it because they hadn't seen each other for so long that Leyla had already forgotten about him?

However, as a man, Tom should be magnanimous. He took the initiative to greet Leyla and said, "Leyla, long time no see. You..."

However, before Tom could finish his sentence, Leyla directly walked away from him and ignored him without even saying hello.

Tom frowned slightly. Leyla's reaction made him a little uncomfortable.

Kai quickly walked over and explained in a low voice, "Tom, don't take it to heart. Miss Edwards behaved like this now. She's very cold. But in fact, she's a good person."

Tom took his eyes away from Leyla and sighed slightly in his heart. At this

point, he could see clearly that Leyla had changed. She was no longer the simple and weak girl in the past, but became more snobbish. Seeing him like this, she did not want to talk to him anymore.

Even though he had seen so many of these things, he was still unhappy when he saw that his old classmate also became such a person.

However, he understood it. After all, everyone's character and thoughts were different, and the environment they experienced was even more different. Not everyone could always remain true to the original aspiration like him.

"It's okay. I'm used to it." Tom smiled



and said, looking relaxed.

However, in Kai's eyes, he was just trying to disguise his sorrow. "I'm used to it" he said was full of bitterness, which indicated that Tom had been living a miserable life over the years, and was used to being ignored!

Kai patted Tom on the shoulder and said seriously, "Tom, everyone has ups and downs. I believe you can definitely succeed!"

Tom was amused by Kai's behavior. Kai thought he was down and out. "Kai, actually, my situation is not as bad as you think. You might not believe it. I have a few companies."

Tom was not lying. Moreover, his

companies had a high market value, let alone he had acquired the Cloud and Sky Pavilion and the Elixir Sect. Now, his power could no longer be simply described as a "business empire". Even if he was an ordinary person, not a master in the Major Perfection Realm, his status was far beyond that of a businessman!

Kai was stunned. He didn't expect Tom to have a company. According to this, Tom was doing well.

However, just as Kai was about to speak, the two security guards spoke again. "Boss, can you take your electric bike to the parking lot? Our outdoor parking lot is prepared for cars."

"Oh, okay, my electric bike just ran out

of electricity. Can I charge it in your parking lot?" Tom said.

The security guard said, "Yes, when you enter the parking lot, turn to the right, walk about ten meters, and there's a place to charge electric bikes specially."

"Okay." Tom nodded.

Kai's mouth twitched slightly. Just now, he believed Tom that he really had a company. However, he even came to the class reunion by an electric bike. It seemed that Tom had not only been down and out, but also learned to brag.

Tom saw his expression and immediately realized that Kai had misunderstood. He said, "I didn't lie to

you. I really..."

Kai interrupted him and said with a heavy voice, "No need to say it. I understand."

Tom rolled his eyes. Kai was misunderstood, but Tom didn't want to explain anymore. It was not his character to show off.

"Well, wait a minute. I'll park my electric bike and come up to you." Tom said.

Kai said, "Okay, the reunion is on the thirteenth floor. You can just come up from the parking lot later."

Tom nodded and rode to the parking lot by his electric bike.

Kai looked in the direction of his departure and sighed heavily. Seeing him today, Kai realized that Tom might not be doing well, but he didn't expect that he would be so poor that he even came to the class reunion by an electric bike. He didn't even have a decent suit, and he came over in casual clothes.

It seemed that he needed to help his classmate!

He trotted after Leyla and saw Leyla waiting for him in the lobby on the first floor. He was a little nervous. He walked up quickly, lowered his head, and apologized in fear, "Miss Edwards, I'm sorry. I took some time."

Leyla's expression was cold. She said calmly, "You and Tom have a good

relationship."

Kai couldn't figure out what Leyla meant, so he had to say in embarrassment, "Actually, just so-so. After all, it's been so many years since I met him. Tom, he used to be nice to me. He often treated me to eat..."

Leyla interrupted him and said directly, "What car did Tom drive just now?"

Kai stammered and didn't want to answer. Leyla glared and said in a commanding tone, "Tell me."

Kai shuddered and said quickly, "He... He came here by an electric bike..."

"Really?" The corners of Leyla's mouth rose slightly, revealing a meaningful smile.