

# Fiction

Group 7



# The 6 Masters: Battle of the Mogao Grottoes

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## Chapter 1

### Story of the Mogao Grottoes

In March 1945, there was a Gorgeous Mountain Range called the Mogao Grottoes. It was built by Emperor Leung and Empress Lei. The Grotto was a place of Buddhist Meditation and Worship. The both of them cared for their people and all who lived in the village called Mountain Village. Emperor Leung and Empress Wei had 2 siblings Baozhai and Chou. Both of them were twins but Baozhai was only one minute older. Thirty years later, Baozhai was chosen to be on the throne of the Grotto, which made Chou very jealous. So one night, he tried to kill Baozhai, but his parents eventually caught him one day and they were extremely shocked of what Chou was capable of. He was banished from the Grotto forever but Chou swore to get revenge against his sister and parents. And once he's done with that, he will make sure all of China will bow at his feet to show that he is the most powerful man in all of China. 5 years later, in 1980 he lived in a huge fort near a volcano where his henchmen worked all day and night creating weapons such as guns, cannons, crossbows, chariots, catapults and swords. The leader of the Chou's henchmen was named, Gen. He jumped up and said, "Everything's done Master Chou, but we ran out of supplies. "Search for more villages and find more supplies. Soon, everyone will see what being an Emperor really is." said Emperor Chou.

## Chapter 2

### Meet the 6 Masters

Inside a temple called the "Palace of Wang", located in Fo Shan, lived 6 masters of Martial Arts. They each had their own Martial Arts fighting style.

Master Li, the master of the Northern Praying Mantis,

Master Shaolin, the master of the Fujian White Crane,

Master Wei, the master of Eagle Claw,

Master Chi Hua, the master of Tai Chi,

Master Cheng, the master of Baguazhang,

And Master Zhang, the master of Wing Chun – the strongest master of them all.

These 6 Masters would do so much to help people in China or any other country. Every one of their parents died when the Japanese invaded China and their parents sacrificed themselves to save them. So now each of them lives alone with Master Yang, who helps to discipline them.

## Chapter 3

### Master Yang's message

One day, when they were fighting for fun with each other, Master Yang, their teacher, came along. "I'm sending you all on a new mission", spoke Yang.

"What is it this time?" Master Zhang said angrily.

"There is a new threat to Foshan and the whole country of China. You might know the curse of the Mogao Grottoes, but this time, the curse is for real."

"Wait what?!" gasped Wei.

"Unless he is stopped, he could kill Baozhai and invade the rest of China." Said Yang firmly.

"Yes, Master!", everyone shouted.

So they traveled by vehicles and set off for an epic cross-country adventure. They traveled through snowy mountains, the Gobi Desert and the Silk Road. Traveling for many days and nights. As they continued on, they stopped in various towns to gather food and water to survive. Their journey lasted 8 days.

## Chapter 4

### Baozhai vs Emperor Chou

At the Grotto, Baozhai was waiting for Chou to arrive and take the throne.

As she walked to the entrance, Baozhai dodged the upcoming shuriken that was about to hit her. “Hmm... You’ve grown quite strong,” Said Baozhai. “Ha-ha! What have we here? I didn’t know you were gonna fight me yourself. I’d thought a hero would send his henchmen instead.” said Chou. “Fool. Words have consequences.” spoke Baozhai firmly. “Oh man... I was really going to kill the soldiers first. Whatever, I’ll just kill you, bones and all!” shouted Chou. Baozhai took her double-bladed sword while Chou took his spear and chain whip out. Their battle began. Baozhai attacked Chou repeatedly but eventually she missed. Chou took his sword and tried to stab her in the back but Baozhai dodged it. Their battle continued for 1 hour until Chou made Baozhai tangled in his chain whip. He swung her around, threw her up in the air, and punched her face and stomach multiple times until her heart was stabbed when Chou landed and used his sword. Chou laughed sinisterly and said “Now I shall be ruler of the Mogao Grottoes!” Gen and army arrived just in time. “Every soldier is defeated!” yelled Gen. “Baozhai is defeated at last! Now we shall claim her secrets as our own! Spread out! Search whatever precious thing you find and bring it to me!” ordered Chou “Yes Master!” the soldiers yelled.

## Chapter 5

### Trouble in Mountain Village

Meanwhile, the 6 masters just arrived in Mountain Village. They parked their car somewhere hidden near the village, and hid somewhere on the rooftops. “The Grotto is on the other side of the village.” whispered Shaolin. “Alright, let’s do it!” shouted Li. But Cheng stopped him by pulling his foot back. “What are you doing? This place is crawling with Chou’s soldiers!” whispered Cheng. And she was right. Soldiers and the villagers were being bullied and their money and other valuable items had been stolen. “We need to sneak in and pass through the town without being caught.” whispered Chi Hua.

So they placed on various disguises and secretly walked through the village.

Somehow, Zhang dressed up kind of weird. He eventually wore a dress which made him look girly. “So that’s stealth mode, huh?” whispered Li.

“Let’s just be honest, okay? It’s not one of my best moves.” Said Zhang

But as they continued walking, the soldiers caught them wearing their disguises. “Stop those 6 people!” shouted Gen. Now every one of them took off their disguises and fought side by side. Despite the soldiers’ effort at fighting, the 6 masters were too powerful. Eventually, Gen and his army surrendered, ran away and told Chou the news.

Meanwhile, Chou was sitting on his throne ordering everyone to do whatever satisfied him. “Emperor Chou! I saw 6 Kung Fu masters! They each had their own fighting style. And also Master, uh...” said Gen. “Out with it. Speak.” said Chou softly. “Among the more powerful entrants was a mysterious Kung Fu master who managed to completely kill most of our army. It seems it was Zhang, sir.” spoke Gen. “What was that?” said Emperor Chou suspiciously. “Master, we are planning to capture Zhang and the other 5. I will notify you the instant that we know for sure.” said Gen. “Whether this is true or not, this information cannot leave this room.” said Emperor Chou. “Yes, Master.” yelled Gen. Then he ran out of the throne room, getting prepared to capture the 6 masters. The army stormed out carrying guns and swords.

## Chapter 6

### Captured by Gen’s Army

Meanwhile, the 6 masters were on their way to the Grotto, until they noticed the soldiers guarding the entrance to the Mogao Grottoes. “We need a plan to sneak in and not get caught by those soldiers.” whispered Wei.

“I suggest we create a diversion so that we can all sneak inside the Grotto. But as they’re about to take action, Gen’s soldiers attacked them, and tied them up with ropes.” “We got you now! Let’s take them inside the Grotto. Emperor Chou will be impressed to see them.” said Gen. Now the 6 masters were being taken inside the Mogao Grottoes.

“You got a plan or two?” whispered Wei. “Well we need to stay close and look for a miracle. That’s all we can do.” whispered Zhang. But as the 6 masters were about to walk into the Grotto, they noticed Baozhai’s double-bladed sword was standing upright. As it turns out, this was the spot where Baozhai died. “Keep moving.” cackled Gen. At last, the 6 masters walked inside the Grotto only to discover that the Master Chou was waiting for them. “Well, well, well. What do we have here? It feels like these guys have the guts to stop me, huh?” said Chou. Gen and his army began laughing. “Look, just because you murdered Baozhai doesn’t mean you have to do this. Everyone in the Mountain Village is suffering from your stubbornness and pride!” shouted Lei. “And I heard that you kidnapped villagers who dared try to defy you!” shouted Cheng “Ha ha! That’s right. I kidnapped the villagers who dared to try

to take down one of my army. There's a dungeon underneath the Grotto. That's where I captured the villagers. Now, kill them all!" shouted Chou. Luckily, Zhang broke the handcuffs and attacked Gen's army. They tried shooting Zhang with their guns but Zhang was too fast. Zhang broke every handcuff the rest of the masters had. Eventually, they escaped and ran out the Grotto. Chou growled and punched one of the soldier's face in anger. "Find those idiots! We can't let them escape. Not even one!" shouted Chou. So now Gen's soldiers took action and began the search for the 6 masters.

## Chapter 7 The Plan

Meanwhile, the 6 masters were hiding in the village trying not to be found by the soldiers. "What do we do now? We can't hide from them forever!" Said Wei. "Well we need to come up with another plan. Not only to stop the Emperor, but we need to save the villagers as well." shouted Shaolin. "I say we devise another plan to sneak inside or take out every soldier first and then we bring Emperor Chou to justice," said Chi Hua. "Sounds good. We're the 6 Masters. And we're undefeatable. "We just need to dig into the caves of the Mogao Grottoes and trap the soldiers so that we can defeat the Emperor Chou." whispered Shaolin. "We just need to get some tools from the villagers." said Li. So they split up and gathered some tools for their next fight. One hour later, the 6 Masters finally gathered every tool they needed. "Alright, does everyone know the plan?" said Zhang. "YES!" everyone yelled.

## Chapter 8 Sneaking into the Grotto

"Where is your search party? And did you find the 6 Masters?" Emperor Chou asked furiously. "We can't find them, sir." Emperor Chou sighed in disappointment. "I cannot overstate my supreme disappointment." Meanwhile, Wei and Chi Hua, dressed up in beautiful Chinese clothing, were walking towards the entrance to the Grotto. "Who the heck are you two?" asked a soldier. "We are two beautiful ladies who are going to perform at the Grotto!" said Chi Hua. "Yeah!" said Wei. But as they walked inside, one of the soldiers was confused "Hey, wait a second. Is this some kind of mistake? I didn't hear about hiring girls." said a Soldier. "The only mistake is you two not knowing when to shut up!" said Chi Hua and Wei. And they kicked the soldiers' face. "Ready for a little extra credit?" Chi Hua asked. "Yeah!" yelled Wei. Meanwhile, Shaolin, Li, Cheng and Zhang snuck in the Grotto to rescue the villagers. "Shaolin, Li, Cheng, you guys will rescue the villagers while I go fight Emperor Chou." said Chang. "Good luck." said Li. Meanwhile, Wei and Chi Hua were fighting the soldiers. Nearly every one of them has been defeated. At the dungeon, Gen was waiting for the 6 Masters to come down and fight him. "You guys go on ahead. I'll fight whoever dares try to stop me." said Gen. A few minutes later, Chang, Li and Shaolin finally found him and prepared to fight him. "Give it up, Gen! It's three against one!" shouted Shaolin. Gen laughed and prepared to fight. "It's on!!" shouted Li. Everyone attacked Gen but Gen was way too fast for Shaolin, Li and Cheng to fight or punch. "This guy's way too fast! And he has such high stamina!" yelled Chang. "We can't beat Gen, but we can be smarter than him." whispered Li.

Back with Zhang, he walked into the throne room, ready to fight Emperor Chou who was sitting on the throne with his sword.

## Chapter 9 The Final Battle

"It seems that you have arrived, Zhang. Prepared to fight your worst enemy yet?" said Emperor Chou. He then took out his sword and tried to slice him but Zhang dodged it. Back with Cheng, Shaolin and Lei, they eventually managed to defeat Gen by beating him up. Just then, Wei and Chi Hua ran down and managed to find them. "Guys, where's Zhang?" Chi Hua asked. "He's fighting Emperor Chou, but we don't know whether he's okay or not." said

Shaolin. "We need to find him and fast." said Li. Back with Zhang and Emperor Chou, they were still fighting against each other. "You can't win, Emperor Chou!" shouted Zhang. "This is my Grotto! MY DESTINY!!" shouted Emperor Chou. They continued fighting until the 5 Masters came and saw him fighting. "There he is!" yelled Shaolin. Meanwhile, Emperor Chou blocked Zhang's volley of punches with his sword until Zhang punched him in the face. Emperor Chou's face turned red and he purposely hit Zhang's face with his whip. Now a red mark was on his face. "Oh, Jesus." said Shaolin. Emperor Chou laughed evilly and continued to fight. "There ain't no way you can beat me." said Emperor Chou. The both of them continued fighting until Zhang grabbed Chou's whip and swung him around. Emperor Chou yelled until he became very dizzy. Zhang then punched him on the face and body until his face began to bleed. "It's over, Emperor Chou." said Zhang. "Zhang, please have mercy. I beg you. It was Gen and his army who were the real enemy. It was their fault." said Emperor Chou. But he didn't know that Gen and his army overheard them. They forced me to do all this." said Emperor Chou weakly. They were so cross they walked out of the Grotto in anger. "Why should we believe you?!" shouted Wei. "You fooled your own army including Gen!" shouted Wang. "Well what are you going to do? You can't kill me yet. Just tell me what to do." "I order you to run away to Chaoshan and never return." "Alright then, if that's what you want, you FOOL!!" shouted Zhang. He tried stabbing Zhang with his sword but Zhang caught it just in time. Then he grabbed Emperor Chou by the throat and threw him out, all the way to the front gate of the Grotto. Chou got up and realized that Gen and his army were waiting for him at the gate. "Oh, my army and Gen. I thought you were dead." sighed Emperor Chou. "Army? I thought he said we were the real enemy." said a soldier. "Yeah, that's what I heard." said another soldier. "Men, we finish this now." said Gen. The army and Gen cornered him. "No l-l-let me explain, please! I didn't mean to... No, no, no!" screamed Emperor Chou. Until every single soldier beat him to death. Cheng saw Emperor Chou get beaten at the top of the gate. "He's dead." said Cheng. "Good" said Chi Hua. "So what do we do now?" asked Shaolin. "I got an idea." said Wei.

## Chapter 10

### A Mysterious Ending...

A few months later, Gen became the Emperor of the Mountain Village and the Mogao Grottoes. "Best idea you've ever had." said Chi Hua. "Now everyone is finally happy living here with Gen being the Emperor." said Cheng. The 6 Masters then walked to the Grotto where Gen was sitting. "Thanks, guys. It's going great." said Gen. "You're welcome." said Li. But then, 2 mysterious creatures known as the Chinese Oriental Dragon and the Wyvern flew above the village. The 2 dragons roared, which made the people scream and run for their lives. "Oh, my god. It's the Wyvern and the Chinese Oriental Dragon!!!" The 6 Masters yelled, ending the story in fear. To Be Continued...

# The Mysterious Treasure

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Around 1500 years ago a monk was taking a walk in the desert and decided a massive rock should be his home. He started excavating it to make rooms and after some time some guests arrived and helped and lived there. After some more time, they started to create some art in the caves.

One day a weird person showed up and said she would like to stay overnight and if they said yes, after, she said she would give them a gift that no-one had ever seen before so they let her stay too.

The monk was very welcoming, but his helpers were not and so the monk asked her if she'd like a room of her own or would she like to share a room with one of them. She wanted to share a room with the monk, so they fixed the room up a bit more then let her in to see it. She was amazed that the room was so clean and asked where she was going to sleep.

The monk said, "If you want, you can sleep on my bed which is here, and I will just sleep over there...if you want that is."

"No, no," she said. "You can sleep here and I can sleep there. That should be fine."

"You are our guest so let me be over there. OK? Anyway, I think you might like some personal space."

"It's OK. Just come over here and sleep with me, I am a little scared of the dark anyway so you could comfort me during the night."

"OK, then I am coming over now. If you need to rest, that is easy. I will be always right next to you OK, so there is nothing to fear. Just wake me up if you need something."

"The next day she was gone and there was only (a huge pile of) gold where she had slept. The monk thought she was under the gold, but she was not.

Then he remembered that she told him that she would leave him with a gift so he said, "Thank you."

He left the caves in search of her. Legends say that he was still searching for her, even when he was no longer on earth.