

Making his way through the plots of newly sprouting blossoms, Julian took a second to appreciate how far this place had come in only a couple of weeks. The formerly barren brown patches of earth were now full of winding green sprouts and beautiful multi-colored blossoms. Although gardening was usually so far beneath the bao that he would never even consider going *near* the dirt, the pink money bag bao couldn't help himself from smiling just a bit at the sight of his favorite part of the rejuvenated greenhouse.

As there in the far corner of the gaping glass greenhouse stood his most prized achievement. In a golden pot adorned with every kind of jewel he could find, stood the perfect pot of lilies.

When Baogonia had said she would need help in replanting the greenhouse, Julian had thought her delusional to come to him for any kind of assistance. After all, he could tell just by looking at her that she would never be able to afford to get him another outfit if he got dirty during this whole escapade. But she had persisted, nearly shoving the handful of seeds into his paws and sending him off to start on his own plots with a huff.

Well... it would be wasteful not to use the seeds and just let them sit around. So, making absolutely certain not to allow any of his outfit to drag in the dirt, Julian had made his way into the depths of the greenhouse and gotten to work. Day in and day out he had looked over those little sprouts. Gave them water when they started to wilt, and repotted them when the lilies had outgrown their small starter pot. Every new leaf and bud made him almost *giddy* to see what was in store for his little flowers next.

And then it happened. As he had made his way through the familiar greenhouse planters, dull and undecorated as they were, Julian saw them, the gentle milky white of the lilly petals as they gracefully hung from the stem. The lilies had bloomed overnight. He had done it.

The very next day he found the perfect pot for them and gave the flowers a quick replant. After that he had spent the whole day just showing off his new crowning achievement to any who dared to wander too close to him.

Just thinking back on those memories now was wonderful, and as Julian finished giving the pristine lilies their daily watering he decided he was going to show them off again!