

The Golden Turtle King of Magong Suogang Arctic Temple returns home early before the Mid-Autumn Festival to welcome him back to the temple for worship.



Magong locked 270 taels of gold turtle king in Hong Kong and returned to his hometown in advance on the eve of the Mid-Autumn Festival. (Photo by reporter Liu Yuqing)

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[Reporter Liu Yuqing/Penghu Report] Penghu West Beggar Turtle Series Celebration, the most "attractive" Golden Turtle King, Magong Suogang Arctic Hall 270 taels of Golden Turtle King, this year was won by Lian Hongying from Tainan with 5 Holy Grails, ahead of schedule On the eve of the Mid-Autumn Festival, the temple was "returned". Today (14th), more than 400 people formed a large parade and took a boat back to Penghu. The county magistrate Chen

Guangfu lit the horse cannon and returned to the North Pole Hall under the escort of a sacred car team.

The Penghu West Beggar Turtle, one of the four major Lantern Festival activities in the country, has become more diversified in recent years, from the early fat-shelled turtles to various special turtles, among which the most "attractive" one is the golden turtle. It also originated from the Shanshui God Temple. Later, it sprang up near the Suogang Arctic Temple, and formed a competition with the Shanshui God Temple for the Golden Turtle King. As the turtle body became larger and larger, its value also increased with the tide. Now it is known as the Shanshui God Temple 425 Liang Golden Spirit. The turtle dominates.

Magong Suogang Arctic Temple 270-tael Golden Turtle King. This year, Lian Hongying, who is from Xinying, Tainan and runs an energy company, threw 5 holy cups on the first day and led the way until the end of the event. The temple announced that Lian Hongying was the winner. She expressed her wish to return at least 10 taels more. Since Lian is not a local, according to regulations, he must submit a property of equal value or a time deposit certificate. Lian Hongying said that he would provide a guarantee of more than 20 million yuan in time deposit certificates.

Since the Lantern Festival falls in winter when the northeast monsoon starts, and the sea is very windy, Lian decided to send the Golden Turtle King back to his hometown Penghu in advance on the eve of the Mid-Autumn Festival, before the northeast monsoon started.

Xu Jinyong, the chairman of the North Pole Hall, said that in addition to returning the Golden Turtle King, the winner would also add 10 taels of wishes, and at the same time bear the follow-up costs of the temple's custody. In order to welcome the Golden Turtle King's return home, the temple also opened hundreds of tables at Ziwei Palace for a banquet. Escort the team and reward the team members.



Penghu County Magistrate Chen Guangfu lit up horse cannons and escorted the Golden Turtle King back to the Arctic Palace. (Photo by reporter Liu Yuqing)