

Chapter 2891 – Upgrade to Legendary

The moment Shi Feng chose to have the Light of Two Worlds absorb the Scorching Eye, the latter transformed into a bundle of flames and merged with the Fragmented Legendary Weapon.

The crimson flames made the sword spontaneously ignite, and the cracked divine runes engraved on it began mending. Several seconds later, crimson divine runes lit up all over the sword, followed by a significant increase in the Light of Two Worlds's aura.

What a powerful aura!

Shi Feng was astonished as he looked at the weapon in his hand.

The aura the Light of Two Worlds now exuded was more than enough to deter ordinary Tier 4 players from approaching it. A Tier 4 player would need to break through the 100% threshold of their Mana Body to withstand the devastating power overflowing from the sword.

However, compared to the Light of Two Worlds's external changes, the changes to its statistics were much more remarkable.

The upgrade had boosted the Basic Attributes that the weapon provided by 15%. With the weapon, Shi Feng's Strength finally exceeded the 70,000 threshold. Now, he was only slightly inferior to Level 150, Tier 5 Legendary monsters in the Strength Attribute.

In addition, the Light of Two Worlds's three Additional Skills had been upgraded to Tier 5. World Breaker, in particular, could now increase an attack's power up to the Tier 6 Basic rank. The Skill's Cooldown had also decreased from one hour to just half an hour.

After Shi Feng got over his joy of upgrading the Light of Two Worlds, he shifted his attention to his Nightwalker's Cape.

Now that I've upgraded the Light of Two Worlds, there's no hurry to improve my weapons anymore. However, as a Tier 5, the Lifesaving Skills I have are far too few. I wonder how much the Nightwalker's Cape will improve if I upgrade it?

Shi Feng took out three more God Crystals from his bag as he looked at the Nightwalker's Cape, completing the seven God Crystals required to repair the Fragmented Legendary Equipment. Initially, he had planned to upgrade the Abyssal Blade to Tier 5 once he had saved up enough God Crystals, so he never bothered using the seven leftover God Crystals from the Dragon Trial. However, now that he had upgraded the Light of Two Worlds, he wasn't in as much of a rush to upgrade the Abyssal Blade. This meant there was no need for him to reserve those remaining God Crystals. Instead, he could use them to raise his survivability. After all, Tier 5 players might be powerful, but they weren't invincible. It might be fine if he died in a Dungeon, but if he died in the outside world, he would suffer immense losses.

After players reached Tier 5, they wouldn't just lose a level when they died. Their Mana Bodies would also suffer damage, and a full recovery would take at least three or four days. Either that or players could spend Seven Luminaries Crystals to speed up the recovery process. Because of this significant death penalty, all players would try to raise their survivability as much as possible after reaching Tier 5.

System: Sufficient God Crystals detected. Do you wish to let the Nightwalker's Cape absorb them?

"Absorb!"

Shi Feng agreed to the prompt without hesitation.

The seven God Crystals in Shi Feng's hands gradually disintegrated into seven streams of light that lingered around the Nightwalker's Cape, then merged with the cape's tattered divine runes, repairing them.

When the seven God Crystals were gone, the Nightwalker's Cape's divine runes suddenly lit up. A layer of black fog then appeared around the ordinary-looking cape, reducing Shi Feng's presence significantly and preventing others from inspecting his information. Now, Shi Feng could even erase his presence completely if he wanted to.

Apart from the cape's hidden effects, its statistics had also undergone earth-shattering changes.

(Nightwalker's Cape] (Legendary Rank, Cape)

Equipment Requirement: Strength 8,000, Agility, 5,000 When equipped:

All Resistances increased by 300%;

All damage received reduced by 60%; Strength increased by 150%; Agility increased by 120%; Endurance increased by 120%;

Ignore Levels +80;

Movement Speed increased by 100%; Attack Speed increased by 100%;

Reaction speed increased by 100%.

Additional Passive Skill 1

Nightwalker: When the cape is equipped, no information about the player can be examined. Physique improved by 60%.

Additional Passive Skill 2

Divine Speed: Player's starting Movement Speed increased to 100% of player's maximum Movement Speed.

Additional Passive Skill 3

Void Walk: Players can freely enter the void and traverse it. Void Walk significantly weakens the oppression exerted by the void.

Additional Active Skill 1

Divine Steps: Summons 36 doppelgangers before a maximum of 36 targets for five seconds. Doppelgangers do not possess any attack capabilities and are invulnerable to attacks. Player can switch positions with any doppelganger freely. Maximum cast range of 2,000 yards.

Cooldown: 5 minutes

Additional Active Skill 2

Void Shield: Forms a shield with an HP ten times the player's maximum HP for ten minutes. As long as the shield exists, the player's HP recovery speed increased by 500% and Movement Speed increased by 300%. Damage from Tier 5 sources or below is reduced by 90%, and damage from Tier 6 sources is reduced by 60%.

Cooldown: 15 minutes

The Blacksmith God Bayer crafted this cape for the Tyrant of Destruction. It possesses the power to traverse the void.

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No wonder they say Legendary Weapons and Equipment grant players the power to transcend tiers! This Nightwalker's Cape is simply preposterous!

Shi Feng was thunderstruck when he read the Nightwalker's Cape's information displayed before him.

Although the Nightwalker's Cape still couldn't let Tier 5 players stand toe-to-toe with Tier 6 players, it at least provided Tier 5 players with a certain degree of survivability against Tier 6 players. The Skill Void Walk was especially excellent for escapes. If Shi Feng escaped into the void, even a Tier 6 player would have difficulty searching for him. After all, even Tier 6 players would be subject to a powerful oppression when traversing the void.

If a Tier 4 player were to equip the Nightwalker's Cape, their strength would approach that of Tier 5 players. Unless a Tier 5 player could counter the Nightwalker's Cape's abilities, or the Tier 4 player in question did something stupid, it would be impossible for a Tier 5 player to kill a Tier 4 player equipped with the Nightwalker's Cape. Meanwhile, after upgrading the Nightwalker's Cape, Shi Feng's Strength Attribute skyrocketed once more, hitting the 90,000 mark. Now, he had 10,000 more Strength than the average Level 180, Tier 5 NPC. In terms of Basic Attributes, he already stood at the peak of Tier 5 existences, inferior only to Tier 5 NPCs wielding Legendary Weapons.

I thought I would have to wait a little longer before I could challenge the Evil God's Secret Land, but now it seems that won't be necessary. Fighting spirit flared in Shi Feng's eyes as he thought about the God Mode Secret Land.

An ordinary Tier 5 player would not have the ability to challenge the Evil God's Secret Land. However, with the Nightwalker's Cape, combined with his above-average Basic Attributes, he was more than qualified to enter the God Mode Secret Land. Moreover, he had to raid the secret land, no matter what. After all, the wealth it contained surpassed the treasuries of several kingdoms combined.

But I'll need to make preparations first before challenging it.

Other people in God's Domain might be ignorant of the situation inside God Mode Secret Lands, but not Shi Feng. Although he had never entered a God Mode Secret Land in his previous life, he had heard many stories of Tier 5 players rashly entering a God Mode Secret Land and meeting an untimely death.

A God Mode Secret Land had an excellent environment rivaling that of ancient times, and the concomitant dangers of ancient times. The poison fogs and extreme weather found inside God Mode Secret Lands were more than enough to claim a Tier 5 player's life.

Hence, before entering a God Mode Secret Land, the various superpowers would always gather many Master and Grandmaster Alchemists to craft Magic Resistance Potions and potions that strengthened

the user's physique. These potions were essential for Tier 4 players seeking to enter the secret land. Without these potions, they could die at any given moment.

After thinking up to this point, Shi Feng contacted Melancholic Smile and had her prepare the necessary potions, particularly Grandmaster Potions. The more Grandmaster Potions they had, the better. Acquiring Grandmaster Potions wasn't difficult for Zero Wing now, as Silent Wonder had recently become a Grandmaster Alchemist.

Time passed quickly. Two days after Zero Wing began preparing to raid the Evil God's Secret Land, shock and fear suddenly swept the eastern continent's various forces.

Just a while ago, the eastern continent's various forces received news that a large number of players had emerged from the World Passage. Their numbers were unprecedented, with many Tier 4 players among them.

According to the reports of scouts and insider information from Outerworld players, more than 20 superpowers had entered God's Domain from the Outerworld. The Outerworld's NPC conquest army had also finished gathering its forces, and this army consisted of NPCs from over 30 kingdoms and six empires. One could say that the Outerworld's NPC forces were adamant in conquering the eastern continent this time.

This conquest army had already gathered on the other end of the World Passage and was steadily making its way to the eastern continent.

The advent of the second War of Worlds was here.

In response, the eastern continent's native forces began frantically raising their defenses, recruiting experts, and increasing their levels. They also banded together, forming a coalition to defend against the Outerworld forces.

At this time, though, an equally jaw-dropping incident took place in God's Domain.

Mythology's First Vice Guild Leader, Cold Shadow, left Mythology and joined Zero Wing with a large number of experts and resources, becoming one of Zero Wing's Vice Guild Leaders!

Chapter 2892 – All Sides Shaken

Dark Night Empire, Dark Night City:

Starlink's Residence had once been brightly lit and crowded with people. However, after Zero Wing's rise, the number of players visiting Starlink's Residence had steadily decreased. Now, apart from Guild members, almost nobody visited Starlink's Residence.

Starlink was now the least prosperous of the Dark Night Empire's top four Guilds, not even comparable with first-rate Guilds.

However, many people had gathered in the Residence's top-floor meeting room, including representatives from the various superpowers and executives of many Dark Guilds. These people were here to discuss how to oppose the increasingly powerful Zero Wing in secret and the Outerworld's invasion.

Only, after everyone present read the report they just received, their complexions turned indescribably ashen.

“Has Cold Shadow lost her mind?! She left Mythology for Zero Wing?! Is she not afraid of Mythology’s retaliation?!”

“Hasn’t Cold Shadow always been at loggerheads with Zero Wing? What’s up with this situation?”

“It seems Mythology is also stunned by this development. According to the reports I received, Cold Shadow seems to have planned this betrayal with her subordinates long ago. Not only did they annex hundreds of Shops simultaneously, but they also exchanged all their GCPs for resources. She took Mythology completely by surprise.”

Although the importance of Cold Shadow’s betrayal was insignificant compared to the Outerworld’s invasion, the various superpowers present were still shocked and confused by this situation.

Mythology was one of the Five Great Super Guilds. Cold Shadow herself also possessed extraordinary strength and status within the Guild. She had a high chance of becoming Mythology’s Guild Leader. With such a bright future ahead of her, there should be no reason for her to leave Mythology.

Moreover, Zero Wing was currently in a terrible situation. The Guild’s ability to facilitate teleportation between the two main continents had made it an eyesore for the native superpowers and also a priority target for the Outerworld forces. Now that the second War of Worlds had begun, everyone was steering clear of Zero Wing.

Despite that, Cold Shadow had taken the initiative to join Zero Wing. The various representatives present simply couldn’t wrap their heads around this situation. Some of them even suspected Cold Shadow of having a secret relationship with Shi Feng. Otherwise, why would Cold Shadow, a woman with a promising future, join Zero Wing, a Guild in a precarious situation?

“All of you, be quiet!” Lu Tiandi shouted as the babel in the room reached unbearable levels. Standing up, he said, “Although Cold Shadow’s betrayal has increased Zero Wing’s strength substantially, our plans remain unchanged. According to the information I obtained, over ten Outerworld superpowers will lead a portion of the NPC conquest army to the Twin Towers Kingdom and Star-Moon Kingdom.

“To ensure the swift destruction of these two kingdoms, we must get the experts there to leave as quickly as possible. We must also get the players of the neighboring kingdoms and empires to distance themselves from these two kingdoms. Without the help of expert players, the two kingdoms will fall with only their NPCs and Zero Wing to defend them!”

The various superpowers’ representatives and the various Dark Guilds’ executives nodded in agreement with Lu Tiandi’s words.

“Guild Leader Lu, rest assured, we will mobilize all available personnel to lure the independent experts of those kingdoms and empires away! We won’t let them assist Zero Wing!”

“That’s right! We can also commission those experts to join the armies of other kingdoms and empires! I believe those independent experts will be more than happy to do so for an appropriate price! The Twin Towers Kingdom and Star-Moon Kingdom will have nobody to help them!”

In the current era where Zero Wing dominated the eastern continent, the superpowers and Dark Guilds hostile to Zero Wing were having an incredibly bad time. Moreover, with Shi Feng defending Zero Wing, even the Five Great Super Guilds could do nothing against Zero Wing.

Nevertheless, Zero Wing couldn’t stop them from secretly carrying out small schemes. Players played a significant role in the War of Worlds. This remained true even for Tier 3 players because players could resurrect continuously even after falling in battle. While NPCs could also be resurrected, the process was much more complicated. Moreover, the battlefield spanned far and wide. Even if an individual possessed heaven-defying combat power, they could affect the outcome of only a limited area. Winning the war still required the cooperation of a large number of expert players.

In the first War of Worlds, the only reason the eastern continent's forces managed to stop the Outerworld NPC army's advance was the large number of expert players who had participated in the war. Otherwise, the eastern continent would've long since fallen.

Hence, the various superpowers and Dark Guilds present were confident of destroying the two kingdoms serving as Zero Wing's backbone in the upcoming war.

While the various superpowers and Dark Guilds were secretly colluding against Zero Wing, a large number of Tier 4 experts had gathered in the distant Orc Empire's Ancient Rock City. Looking at the pedestrians coming and going on the main street, the female Guardian Knight White Feather exclaimed, "Vice Guild Leader, this city is absurd. Not only does it have stronger defenses than a royal capital, but the number of Tier 4 NPCs here also surpasses even that of certain imperial capitals."

White Feather had been living and developing in the Fire Dragon Empire all this time, so she was accustomed to the prosperous and powerful Flame Dragon City. Hence, no Guild City had ever managed to catch her eye.

However, after arriving at Ancient Rock City, White Feather had to acknowledge the city's magnificence.

The number of Tier 4 NPCs visiting Ancient Rock City was especially amazing, practically comparable to Flame Dragon City's!

Meanwhile, the presence of Tier 4 NPCs would greatly impact a Guild City's defensive standard and the fortuitous opportunities available within it.

“It is indeed well-developed. Even Mythology’s main headquarters can’t compare,” Cold Shadow said, nodding in agreement.

Originally, she still had some misgivings about her decision to join Zero Wing. However, seeing Ancient Rock City had considerably alleviated her worries.

With Ancient Rock City’s advantages, the city could repulse the various superpowers’ attacks even if Shi Feng were absent. It also wouldn’t have any problems fending off Mythology’s retaliation.

Moreover, given enough time, Ancient Rock City would not only attract a large number of players from the surrounding kingdoms and empires but also acquire increasingly better resources from the Orc Capital City. Afterward, so long as the eastern continent succeeded in fending off the Outerworld’s army, it wouldn’t be difficult for Zero Wing to become God’s Domain’s strongest Guild.

Her only concern was that fending off the Outerworld’s conquest army wouldn’t be an easy task. If the defense were mishandled, Zero Wing might even perish in the upcoming war.

After thinking up to this point, Cold Shadow couldn’t help frowning.

She couldn’t understand why Shi Feng had suddenly called for Tier 4 members like herself to gather in Ancient Rock City. Now that the second War of Worlds was imminent, there was a lot of work to be done. It was especially important for them to recruit expert players from the neighboring kingdoms and empires. If they acted slowly, the other superpowers would definitely interfere with their plans.

When Cold Shadow and her team of nearly ten Tier 4 experts entered the City Lord’s Mansion, they were instantly stunned by the environment inside the building.

“Why are the operating principles of Mana so clear here? The clarity inside Mythology’s special secret land doesn’t even come close,” White Feather exclaimed.

The special secret land Mythology had found and secured after paying a great price had an excellent environment that provided players with greater insight into the operating principles of Mana. However, only a limited number of people could enter the secret land at a time, resulting in fierce competition among the Guild’s many Tier 4 experts and the Tier 3 experts seeking to get promoted to Tier 4.

Moreover, even after one clinched a slot, they still needed to fork out a lot of resources to enter the secret land. One had to pay for these resources out of one’s own pockets, the total cost of which was enough to make even Tier 4 experts wince.

Yet, not only did Ancient Rock City’s City Lord’s Mansion’s environment surpass that of Mythology’s special secret land, but there was hardly an entry limit. With the size of the City Lord’s Mansion, thousands of players could enjoy this wonderful environment simultaneously. If Mythology’s many Tier 4 experts found out about this, they would probably die of envy.

While Cold Shadow and the others were in a daze, Shi Feng, who had been waiting in the City Lord’s Mansion for some time now, suddenly said, “Alright! Now that everyone’s here, let’s enter the Evil God’s Secret Land!”

Chapter 2893 – Natural Holy Land

“Entering the secret land at this time?”

Cold Shadow was stunned when she saw Shi Feng instructing Zero Wing's executives to enter the Evil God's Secret Land's entrance located on the second floor. She couldn't understand what was going through Shi Feng's mind.

It wouldn't be long before the Outerworld's NPC conquest army launched its invasion of the eastern continent. Meanwhile, even ten Zero Wings wouldn't be enough to stop the advance of these armies.

Zero Wing's top priority should be the recruitment of a large number of expert players to fend off the Outerworld's players and NPCs. Otherwise, only annihilation awaited the Guild.

Even without conducting any investigations, Cold Shadow was certain that the eastern continent's various superpowers had already begun recruiting expert players themselves. If Zero Wing did not hurry, it would fall behind them.

Hence, this was no time for Zero Wing's Tier 4 members to be raiding a secret land.

However, when Cold Shadow saw Zero Wing's members entering the secret land one after another, she had no choice but to enter the secret land together with White Feather and the others. After all, not only was this the Guild Leader's arrangement, but the other Zero Wing executives did not voice any objections, either. It wouldn't be appropriate for a newcomer like herself to express her views in such a situation.

What Cold Shadow didn't know was that Fire Dance and the others had previously reminded Shi Feng of Zero Wing's situation. However, Shi Feng still insisted on carrying out this raid.

His insistence on this raid was because he was certain that apex combatants would play the main role in deciding the upcoming war's outcome.

While low-tier expert players could indeed play an important role in wars involving kingdoms, empires, and even entire worlds, they were still significantly weaker than higher-tier players. Several thousand Tier 3 players were no match for one Tier 4 player in a large-scale battle. Similarly, several hundred Tier 4 players couldn't compare with one Tier 5 player.

In a situation where the NPC combatants of both worlds were roughly equal, the players' apex combatants would play a vital role. If the eastern continent's player forces lacked sufficiently powerful apex combatants to influence the battlefield, no amount of Tier 3 players could change the war's outcome. There was no way a bunch of Tier 3 players could defend against Tier 4 and Tier 5 players in the long run.

Hence, at this critical moment, Zero Wing needed to increase its apex combatants. Otherwise, Shi Feng wouldn't have decided to enter the Evil God's Secret Land after preparing potions for just two days.

After Cold Shadow and the others entered the Evil God's Secret Land, Shi Feng took the other entrance, leaving behind only four Tier 4 NPCs to guard the control room.

Upon entering the Evil God's Secret Land, a wave of nausea assaulted everyone's brain, and everything around them appeared pitch-black. After this situation lasted for ten seconds, they gradually recovered, and they found themselves standing in a primitive forest.

"What's with this situation?!"

White Feather gaped in shock when she saw the forest around her.

She had visited many secret lands before, so she had long since become familiar with them. Even if it was a secret land she had never visited before, she was confident she could cope with whatever situation she came across. However, the sight before her was a first for her.

A dark sky enveloped the entire secret land, and only a blood moon served as a faint light source.

The trees in the forest were hundreds of meters tall, with some even towering over a thousand meters. Compared to the trees here, the trees in the outside world were saplings. Players like themselves were practically ants when standing beside these gigantic trees.

However, the blood moon and gigantic trees still weren't the most astonishing part about this secret land. Instead, the greatest shock was the monsters here. At a glance, White Feather spotted over a hundred Level 150-plus Mythic monsters in the vicinity, outnumbering the entire team. These monsters stood in groups of ten to twenty, and a Level 160-plus Superior Mythic monster led each of these groups. The aura these Superior Mythic monsters radiated was also significantly more powerful than that of Superior Mythic monsters in the outside world.

(Evil Blood Soldier] (Evil Creature, Mythic) Level 153 35,000,000,000

(Evil Blood Stalker] (Evil Creature, Superior Mythic) Level 160 80,000,000,000

To White Feather's horror, all of these Mythic and Superior Mythic monsters had already noticed the team's presence. However, instead of charging at the team like wild beasts, these monsters stood still and appeared to be observing the team. They would also grunt occasionally. Evidently, these monsters were communicating with each other and were in no hurry to take action.

However, amid her horror, White Feather also sensed the Evil God's Secret Land's incredible environment.

Even without deliberately focusing her senses, White Feather could tell that the secret land's Mana density was incredible. She felt as if she was drinking a mouthful of water with every breath she took.

The clarity of the Mana's operating principles was also unprecedented, surpassing even that of the City Lord's Mansion by a large margin.

She even felt that if she could stay here, she could improve her Mana Body before long. Perhaps she could even try to reach the 115% Completion Rate, a threshold very few people had reached in Mythology.

"The space here is unique. The suppression it imposes on our bodies is significant," Cold Shadow said, frowning slightly after she tried moving her body. "I'm afraid it'll be difficult for us to fight these monsters under these conditions."

The number of Mythic monsters was already more than what their team could handle. With their mobility restricted on top of that, there was no way they could survive, let alone enjoy the Mana environment here and improve themselves.

Upon hearing Cold Shadow's deduction, Fire Dance tried moving her body as well. She instantly created three afterimages around her, her speed so fast that the Tier 4 players could barely keep her in sight. She then nodded and said, "It will indeed be slightly difficult, but it is still within an acceptable range."

Still within an acceptable range?

White Feather gaped in shock when she saw Fire Dance's ghost-like movements.

White Feather had already developed her Mana Body to the 105% Completion Rate. However, when she tried moving in this secret land, she felt as if someone had replaced her blood with lead. She couldn't move her body freely, let alone create afterimages like Fire Dance.

However, Fire Dance wasn't a unique case. When the other Zero Wing members tried moving, the effects the suppression from the surrounding space had on their mobility and combat power were limited and almost negligible.

White Feather and the other Tier 4 experts from Mythology were dumbfounded. Even Cold Shadow was astonished.

Are they all monsters?

It was understandable for Fire Dance to negate the secret land's suppression, as she was the commander of Zero Wing's main force. However, what was up with the others?

Cold Shadow herself faced a significant reduction in combat power in this secret land. Yet, Zero Wing's 60-plus Tier 4 members fared better than her. In particular, Violet Cloud, Gentle Snow, and Aqua Rose appeared utterly unaffected by the secret land's suppression.

Meanwhile, after Shi Feng arrived in the secret land and tried moving his body, he smiled and thought to himself, This Evil God's Secret Land truly is paradise. The air is filled to the brim with powerful Mana. Someone without sufficient control over the elements will face suppression from the space here. But if they stay here for a while, they'll receive great help in developing and creating Mana Bodies.

Originally, Shi Feng had planned to rely on the ancient God's Domain's environment to improve Zero Wing's members. However, he didn't need to do so anymore. The Evil God's Secret Land was the perfect replacement.

Moreover, players wouldn't have to waste time on training. Fighting the monsters in this secret land would more than suffice to let players familiarize themselves with Mana's operating principles. This was

because players could even sense the operating principles of Mana's various elements in the secret land with their bodies. Hence, players simply had to fight and experience the ambient Mana's operating principles repeatedly to improve their control over Mana's various elements. However, when Shi Feng arrived, the surrounding Mythic monsters immediately grew alert.

Shortly afterward, a 40-meter-tall Evil Blood Stalker clad in exquisite armor and holding a spear let loose a roar, inciting all of the monsters to charge at Zero Wing's members.

"Dammit! Why are they charging at us all of a sudden?" Cold Shadow frowned when she saw the oncoming monsters.

Because of the secret land's suppression, they might not even be a match for these monsters in a one-on-one situation. Over a hundred of these monsters charging at them en masse was an absolute nightmare. Among those present, only Shi Feng could cope with the attacks of multiple Mythic and Superior Mythic monsters simultaneously. However, Shi Feng wasn't an MT but a damage dealer. In front of high-intellect monsters, dealing high damage wouldn't be enough to attract their aggro. Only the Mock Skills of MTs could forcibly secure the aggro of these monsters; Shi Feng couldn't aggro all of these monsters to himself.

So, they've decided to get rid of everyone else before targeting me? How smart of them. Shi Feng smiled when he saw the Evil Blood Soldiers and Stalkers splitting up and targeting different players. "Unfortunately, group tactics are useless against me!"

He immediately unleashed his Mana Domain and caught the Evil Blood Soldiers and Stalkers within it.

The instant he did so, Cold Shadow and the others were dumbfounded.

This was because Shi Feng was practically a God descending onto the mortal world at this time. Despite the Mana Domain holding no hostility to them, they still had their breath stifled.

As for the oncoming Evil Blood Soldiers and Stalkers, Shi Feng's Mana Domain reduced their mobility by at least 50%. Some Evil Blood Soldiers even had difficulty taking a step. Compared to the time Shi Feng unleashed his Mana Domain against Saint's Hand's Tier 4 experts, his current Mana Domain was significantly more powerful.

Chapter 2894 – Rapid Improvement

“This is a real Tier 5?”.

Cold Shadow and her subordinates were all deeply shocked by the strength Shi Feng displayed.

The Evil Beast Soldiers' Basic Attributes far surpassed those of the average Tier 4 player. Even Tier 4 players wielding Fragmented Legendary Weapons and had Mana Bodies developed to the 110% Completion Rate would have difficulty going up against these Mythic monsters.

Yet, Shi Feng had immobilized the 100-plus Evil Blood Soldiers after deploying his Mana Domain. If this Mana Domain were used against players, the results would be unimaginable.

Cold Shadow and the others had already gotten a solid understanding of how powerful Tier 5 existences were from watching Shi Feng's fight against Beast Emperor and Saint's Hand. But it was only after experiencing Shi Feng's power in person that they understood the terror of Tier 5 existences.

When subject to Shi Feng's Mana Domain, they would be fortunate if they could even move their bodies to launch an attack at him, let alone trade blows with him.

Truthfully, this outcome gave even Shi Feng himself a bit of a surprise.

He never thought that his Mana Domain would improve so much after equipping one Legendary Equipment. If it were before he had upgraded the Nightwalker's Cape, his Mana Domain would reduce the mobility of monsters like the Evil Blood Soldiers by 60%, at most. It couldn't have lowered these monsters' combat power by over 70%.

"I'll keep those four Stalkers busy! You guys deal with those Soldiers!" Shi Feng commanded after seeing that the Evil Blood monsters didn't halt their charge. He then activated Blade Domain, created four magic swords, and launched them at the four Evil Blood Stalkers.

Although Blade Domain was only a Tier 4 Legacy Skill, in Shi Feng's hands, every magic sword carried power close to the Tier 5 Advanced standard. Even Superior Mythic monsters couldn't take such powerful attacks.

When the four magic swords collided with the Evil Blood Stalkers, they pierced through the monsters' armor like a hot knife through butter. The four Stalkers let loose agonized cries on the spot, and a damage value nearing 300 million appeared above each of their heads. Their HP bars also fell by a visible chunk.

Apart from dealing significant damage, Shi Feng's attacks had also inflicted serious injuries to the four Stalkers, further reducing the Superior Mythic monsters' combat power.

Upon seeing this, the nearby Evil Blood Soldiers shuddered involuntarily. If this weren't a secret land but a forest in the outside world, they would've most likely turned tail and fled already.

This scene stunned Cold Shadow and the others.

Given this ability to inflict such frightening damage, Shi Feng could easily kill all of the Evil Blood monsters present by himself.

After Shi Feng pinned down the four Evil Blood Stalkers, he shouted, "It's your turn now!"

Fire Dance and the others immediately split up and charged at the slowly advancing Evil Blood Soldiers. The members of Cold Shadow's group also snapped out of their daze and went into action. However, instead of tackling the Evil Blood Soldiers in groups, everyone found a specific Evil Blood Soldier to take on alone.

Everyone knew that Shi Feng had created an opportunity for them to familiarize themselves with the Evil God's Secret Land's environment. If they didn't maximize this opportunity, they were unlikely to receive another one later on. After all, they were currently at the secret land's entrance, which was typically the safest place in a secret land. Once they moved deeper into the secret land, they would face more challenging situations and wouldn't necessarily have the leeway to familiarize themselves with the environment then.

While Shi Feng could still take control of the situation, they naturally had to make the most of these Evil Blood monsters.

For a time, Zero Wing's members fought separate battles in the forest. All of them took on at least one Evil Blood Soldier, while Fire Dance, Gentle Snow, Aqua Rose, Violet Cloud, Yan Tianxing, Yi Luofei, and Cold Shadow, among others, took on two or more Evil Blood Soldiers simultaneously. Everyone placed themselves at the edge of danger to familiarize themselves with the operating principles of Mana.

Time passed quickly, four hours going by in the blink of an eye.

Yet, even after four hours had elapsed, the Evil Blood Soldiers' HPs remained above 99%. They were practically intact. Even the four Evil Blood Stalkers Shi Feng fought had hardly lost any HP, all four of them retaining more than 80% of their HPs.

However, while the Evil Blood monsters might've sustained barely any damage, all the Tier 4 players had made significant improvements.

Initially, everyone's movements when fighting the Evil Blood Soldiers had been awkward. Now, their movements were as smooth as flowing water, evidence that they had acclimatized to the ambient Mana. However, they still would occasionally feel a sense of disharmony or blockage when using Skills, Spells, or combat techniques.

So, this is how the various elements of Mana work?

While evading and blocking the attacks of four Evil Blood Soldiers, White Feather had an epiphany. Her aura immediately skyrocketed in intensity, and she started having a much easier time dodging the Mythic monsters' attacks. Her Mana Body's Completion Rate had finally reached the 110% threshold.

At this moment, White Feather felt as if all the questions she had accumulated before had received answers in one fell swoop, and a burst of power flooded her body.

White Feather wasn't the only one to achieve a breakthrough. Many others did so as well.

Cold Shadow had successfully pushed her Mana Body to the 115% Completion Rate roughly an hour ago. Gentle Snow and Aqua Rose achieved even more astonishing results. Before entering the Evil God's Secret Land, the two had already developed their Mana Bodies to the 115% Completion Rate. Now, they had reached the legendary 120% threshold. They were truly monsters.

At this time, Shi Feng even suspected that Gentle Snow and Aqua Rose could get promoted to Tier 5 should they wish. After all, the two of them were having too easy a time against the Evil Blood Soldiers. Their grasp of the operating principles of Mana had reached perfection. They were entirely capable of creating their Tier 5 Mana Bodies.

After Gentle Snow and Aqua Rose was Violet Cloud. While she hadn't reached the 120% Completion Rate yet, she was very close. And after Violet Cloud were Fire Dance, Yan Tianxing, and Yi Luofei.

While Zero Wing's Tier 4 members were frenziedly sparring with the Evil Blood Soldiers, large batches of NPCs came through the World Passage one after another. Their arrival terrified the scouts the various superpowers had sent to monitor the World Passage.

"It's over! It's over!"

"Why are there so many Tier 4 NPCs?!"

When the Tier 4 Assassins saw the NPC army emerging from the World Passage, despair filled their hearts.

This was because Tier 4 NPCs composed roughly 1% of the NPC army. In other words, there was one Tier 4 NPC in every 100 NPCs in the army. At this time, the portion of the NPC army that had crossed over to the eastern continent already exceeded ten million. This meant that more than 100,000 Tier 4 NPCs had crossed over to the eastern continent. And more NPCs were yet to come.

Moreover, the average kingdom had only a little over a thousand Tier 4 NPCs operating within its borders. Even if hidden Tier 4 NPCs were included, this number would only hover around two or three thousand. Tier 4 NPCs were not cabbages that one could find anywhere.

Nevertheless, the Outerworld forces had dispatched three times more NPCs than they had previously.

During the first War of Worlds, the eastern continent had lost nearly 20 kingdoms to the Outerworld forces. In this upcoming war, even empires wouldn't be safe.

After the eastern continent's various forces received this piece of news, they all fell silent.

The Outerworld's NPC latest army thoroughly exceeded the various forces' expectations. If they factored in the Outerworld's player forces, it wouldn't be impossible for the Outerworld forces to conquer the entire eastern continent.

Meanwhile, the threat posed by the Outerworld NPC army had the eastern continent's various player forces frantically recruiting helpers. Many superpowers even contacted the western continent's player forces. And upon receiving the request for help, the western continent's player forces agreed without hesitation. After all, once the Outerworld forces took over the eastern continent, their next target would be the sea and the western continent.

For a time, anxiety enveloped both players and NPCs native to the eastern continent.

However, Shi Feng and the others inside the Evil God's Secret Land were wholly unaware of the situation outside. They were still sparring with the Evil Beast Stalkers and Soldiers.

After everyone had sparred for over a dozen hours and resolved most of their problems, Shi Feng gave the command to start culling the Evil Blood Soldiers.

The Mythic monsters of a God Mode Secret Land were unquestionably powerful. Even when working together in groups of 20, Fire Dance and the others took over a dozen minutes to kill just one Evil Blood Soldier; if not for Shi Feng's Mana Domain, they might've taken more than an hour.

Shi Feng fared much better. In the time Fire Dance and the others took to kill one Evil Blood Soldier, he had already killed all four Evil Blood Stalkers.

Due to the four Evil Blood Stalkers' deaths, everyone in the team leveled up twice. Even Shi Feng had reached Level 157.

And after he landed the killing blow that finished off all four Evil Blood Stalkers simultaneously, the loot that appeared made Cold Shadow and the others rub their eyes in doubt.

Chapter 2895 – Treasure Trove-like Secret Land

The loot of the four Evil Blood Stalkers rained down from the sky.

At a rough glance, the four Superior Mythics had dropped a combined total of over 300 items, including at least 30 Epic items and two Fragmented Legendary items. The Evil Blood Stalkers' loot was significantly better than that of the outside world's Superior Mythics.

Even Shi Feng was slightly surprised by this situation. Although he had already expected the God Mode Secret Land's monsters to drop significantly better loot, he was still shocked when he actually saw the loot.

Past Level 150, Epic Weapons and Equipment would have significantly reduced drop rates. One would be fortunate to get even two or three pieces of Epic Equipment from a Level 150-plus Superior Mythic.

Nevertheless, the four Evil Blood Stalkers had dropped more than 30. Moreover, these were all Level 150-plus Epic items! However, Shi Feng did not rush to collect the loot. Instead, he joined the others to clear out the Evil Blood Soldiers. Only after fighting for close to an hour did the team finish off the 100-plus Evil Blood Soldiers.

Although the deaths of the Evil Blood Soldiers did not raise anyone's level, everyone still saw their experience bar increase by a sizable chunk. Moreover, the total number of Epic items the Evil Blood Soldiers dropped was not the slightest bit lower than that of the Evil Blood Stalkers.

"Guild Leader, I found some Epic Weapons and Equipment! They can all be used up to Level 180! Moreover, one of them is even part of Level 180 Epic Set Equipment!" Cola said excitedly as he ran up to Shi Feng while waving a plate-armor glove in his hand.

Shi Feng was slightly surprised when he saw the glove Cola held. "The eight-piece Level 180 Saint's Heart Set?"

Level 180 Epic Sets were rare in God's Domain, and eight-piece sets were even rarer, rivaling Fragmented Legendary items. Typically, even the Guild Leaders of large Guilds would have difficulty getting themselves an eight-piece set. However, so long as one completed a set, the Basic Attributes they received from the set would be only slightly inferior to equipping eight discrete pieces of Fragmented Legendary Equipment. The set could be used up to Level 200 without any problems.

It wasn't an exaggeration to call an eight-piece Level 180 Epic Set Equipment a graduation set in God's Domain.

In his previous life, Shi Feng had owned only a six-piece set of Level 180 Epic Set Equipment; an eight-piece set had been something he could only dream of owning. Rather than trying to get an eight-piece set, it had been more realistic to try to obtain one or two Fragmented Legendary items.

He never thought that these Evil Blood monsters would drop eight-piece Level 180 Epic Sets. This was definitely a pleasant surprise.

A complete set would be the best set equipment available in the current God's Domain. It could let an ordinary Tier 4 player gain Tier 5 combat power. Unless a real Tier 5 player appeared, this Tier 4 player would be invincible!

Shortly afterward, Yan Tianxing also picked up a part for an eight-piece set of Level 180 Set Equipment. However, this wasn't for the Saint's Heart Set but for the Spirit Abyss Set, a cloth-armor set. Moreover, this wasn't the only piece their team got for that set; Violet Cloud also found one.

When all of the loot had been tallied, everyone couldn't help their excitement.

They had obtained 71 Level 180 Epic Weapons and Equipment, including five pieces for eight-piece Level 180 Sets: one for the Saint's Heart Set, two for the Spirit Abyss Set, and two for the Magic Dragon Set of leather armor.

They also had two Fragmented Legendary items. One of them was a shield called Wind's Protection, and the other was a ring called the Spectral Ring. Most importantly, there was also one God Crystal among the loot.

Upon seeing the Evil Blood monsters' loot, Cold Shadow and the others were exhilarated.

Although current superpowers had already acquired a substantial number of Fragmented Legendary items, with some powerful Super Guilds having up to 30, these were still far from enough to sate demand. With how many experts there were in a superpower, even core executives would be fortunate to obtain one Fragmented Legendary item. Moreover, the drop rate of Fragmented Legendary items did not increase along with the level of players. Players had only so many sources of Fragmented Legendary items.

The God Crystal, on the other hand, was crucial for the upgrade of many Fragmented Legendary items, and practically all superpowers sought to obtain a God Crystal. Unfortunately, nobody knew of any reliable sources of God Crystals.

After Shi Feng took a look at the two Fragmented Legendary items, he said, "White Feather will take the Wind's Protection. The Spectral Ring is suitable for Assassins, so Fire Dance will take it. The GCPs for these two items will be gradually deducted from you two afterward. Does anyone have a problem with that?"

Upon hearing Shi Feng's decision, White Feather hurriedly tried to reject his offer, saying, "Guild Leader Black Flame, I'm just a newcomer. Isn't it inappropriate to let me have this shield?"

She would be lying if she said she didn't want the Wind's Protection. However, Fragmented Legendary items served as a Guild's foundation. They would normally be passed to the most trustworthy members of the Guild. Meanwhile, she had joined Zero Wing just recently. If she were to receive a Fragmented Legendary Shield out of the blue, many people within the Guild would surely have opinions about it.

When White Feather tried to refuse the shield, Fire Dance said, "Little Sister White, you should take it. The Guild Leader naturally has his reasons for assigning the shield to you. Moreover, it's just a Fragmented Legendary Shield. The other Tier 4 MTs in our team already have one. If you don't use this one, it'll just end up in the Warehouse. Rather than let it collect dust, we would be better off increasing our team's combat power." Cola, Ye Wumian, and Turtledove nodded in agreement. Only four MTs were participating in this raid, and White Feather was one of them. If she didn't have a Fragmented Legendary Shield, she would be in for a tough time later. Seeing that none of the three other MTs objected to Shi Feng's and Fire Dance's words, White Feather decided to accept the shield. Although she didn't voice her feelings, the sense of belonging she felt for Zero Wing increased significantly. She also secretly admired Zero Wing's generosity. Following this, Zero Wing's members continued exploring the Evil God's Secret Land after an hour's rest.

The team encountered many ambushes throughout the expedition, with some ambush parties having more than 200 Evil Blood Soldiers. The combat tactics these Evil Blood monsters employed also became increasingly subtle.

Initially, they only blindly charged at Zero Wing's members. Afterward, they began launching sneak attacks and relying on healers in combat. At one point, they even set traps for Shi Feng, incapacitating him for short periods.

Fortunately, thanks to Shi Feng's presence, Zero Wing's team never suffered a catastrophic loss. After every battle, the dead were resurrected, and the team's combat power returned to peak condition.

The team fought in the Evil God's Secret Land for four consecutive days. Apart from logging off to rest and receive updates on the outside world's situation, everyone spent the rest of their time exploring the secret land until they reached the inner region.

By the time the team arrived in the inner region, everyone was at least Level 165 already. Shi Feng had even reached Level 167. Their leveling speed was astonishing even for Tier 4 and Tier 5 players.

Past Level 150, every level-up required an astronomical amount of EXP. Tier 4 players would be fortunate if they could gain a level a day.

Yet, Zero Wing's members had gained over ten levels in the past four days.

However, compared to their levels, what excited everyone more were the weapons and equipment they got.

At this point, everyone in the team had already replaced their old items with Level 180 Epic Weapons and Equipment. The team had also obtained a total of 45 Fragmented Legendary items.

Even Shi Feng was astonished by this harvest. He never thought that a Level 150-plus God Mode Secret Land would be such an amazing place. It was no wonder the various superpowers in the past had been so desperate to enter these secret lands.

In addition to this harvest, the team had also completed six eight-piece Level 180 Epic Sets: one Saint's Heart Set, three Spirit Abyss Sets, and two Magic Dragon Sets. The sight of these sets rendered Cold Shadow and her subordinates utterly speechless.

In the current God's Domain, Level 150 Epic Sets obtained by players numbered less than a handful, let alone Level 180 Epic Sets.

After some deliberation, Shi Feng had decided to give the Saint's Heart Set to Gentle Snow, the Spirit Abyss Sets to Aqua Rose, Violet Cloud, and Yi Luofei, and the Magic Dragon Sets to Fire Dance and Yan Tianxing. Upon equipping these sets, the six players saw their combat power skyrocket. Now, their Basic Attributes were only second to Shi Feng's. Gentle Snow, in particular, had her Strength Attribute near the 70,000 mark, surpassing even ordinary Level 150, Tier 5 NPCs.

Lastly, Shi Feng had given the 24 God Crystals they acquired during these past four days to Gentle Snow, Aqua Rose, and Fire Dance to upgrade their Fragmented Legendary Equipment to Legendary rank. Even Cold Shadow's eyes had grown bloodshot at this sight, envy filling her heart. At this time, Fire Dance, who was scouting ahead of the team, suddenly reported through the team chat, "Guild Leader, I found a primordial ruin!"

Chapter 2896 – Primordial Ruin

A primordial ruin? Shi Feng's interest was piqued when he heard the words "primordial ruin."

Ruins were commonly found in secret lands, and they could be differentiated into ancient ruins and primordial ruins, depending on their era of creation. Of the two, primordial ruins were much rarer because they predated ancient ruins and the ancient era's residents had already explored and dismantled many of them. Primordial ruins that managed to last until the modern era were as rare as Legendary items.

Meanwhile, the primordial era was a time when Gods flourished and Ancient Gods still wandered the land. With luck, one might even come across an item left behind by an Ancient God inside a primordial ruin. "Where are you?" Shi Feng asked through the team chat.

"A canyon stream in the south. There are many Evil Blood Soldiers wandering here, probably more than 3,000. They seem to be guarding that primordial ruin," Fire Dance reported quietly as she observed the patrolling Evil Blood Soldiers around her. "I also saw quite a few Level 160-plus Superior Mythic ranked Evil Blood Priests walk into the ruin just now. I suspect they'll conduct some kind of ritual inside. However, the place is heavily guarded, so it'll be difficult for us to sneak into the ruin. The only way we can enter is by breaking through from the front." "Over 3,000 Evil Blood Soldiers?" Shi Feng frowned.

If their opponents consisted of only several hundred Evil Blood Soldiers, their team could still secure victory under his leadership. However, 3,000 Evil Blood Soldiers was a number even he couldn't stop. Not to mention, there were bound to be many Superior Mythics as well. Even if he could withstand their assault, the others on his team couldn't. After all, these Evil Blood monsters weren't idiots.

If all 3,000 Evil Blood Soldiers used their Tier 4 Skills simultaneously, even Shi Feng wouldn't dare take them head-on. He would have to evade their attacks and kite them. After all, a Tier 5 player would still take significant damage if a Tier 4 Mythic monster's attack struck him.

Naturally, it would be even more impossible for Tier 4 players to dodge and block so many Tier 4 Skills. It wouldn't matter even if a Tier 4 player were at the World Creation standard. This was because Mythic monsters could keep up with the speed of Tier 4 players, and thus could precisely aim and time their attacks. Let alone hundreds or thousands, just a few dozen Evil Blood Soldiers working together would be more than enough to take down a Tier 4 MT at the World Creation standard.

A team would need at least three or four Tier 5 players to take on 3,000 Mythic ranked Evil Blood Soldiers adequately. Relying only on one Tier 5 player and several dozen Tier 4 players was simply impossible. Such a team would have to expend all its efforts just dodging and blocking the Tier 4 Skills and Spells of the Mythic monsters.

In other words, while Zero Wing's team could defend itself against the army of Evil Blood monsters, it had no chance of defeating the army.

"Guild Leader, how about we take them on in batches?" Cold Shadow suggested. "Those Soldiers might be numerous, but they aren't grouped up closely. It'll take some time for all of them to gather at a single point. We can use this time to kill some of them and retreat once their combatants have gathered. With sufficient repetition, those Soldiers are bound to fall."

After listening to Cold Shadow's suggestion, Shi Feng shook his head and said, "That is one way to do it. However, that assumes that the other side doesn't have any healers. Those Evil Blood Priests are all capable of healing. Moreover, as Superior Mythics, their healing range should be massive. If I'm not

mistaken, the Soldiers are patrolling within the healing range of the Priests. Once we attack the Soldiers, the Priests will heal the injured Soldiers immediately.

“Unless we can one-shot those Soldiers, there is no way we can out-damage a Superior Mythic’s healing.”

Cold Shadow fell silent at Shi Feng’s words.

Choosing to kill the Evil Blood Soldiers or the Evil Blood Priests first didn’t matter. Neither was a viable option. The Evil Blood Priests’ healing capabilities were simply too powerful. If the team didn’t have the strength to kill several Evil Blood Priests instantaneously and simultaneously, they couldn’t deal with so many Evil Blood monsters.

“Are we going to give up, just like that?” White Feather grew anxious. “That’s a primordial ruin we’re talking about!”

Even Mythology had never found a primordial ruin. It had only ever explored ancient ruins. Even so, the Guild had still reaped significant harvests from those ruins, particularly regarding the improvement of the Mana Body. Those harvests were the reason Mythology’s old monsters managed to develop their Mana Bodies so quickly.

Meanwhile, a primordial ruin was far more precious than an ancient ruin. It wouldn’t be strange if it contained treasures that could help players reach Tier 5 more easily. After all, primordial ruins dated from the era of the Ancient Gods. The Legacies left behind in these ruins would be far superior to the Legacies created during ancient and modern times.

“We’re not completely out of options.” After giving the matter some thought, Shi Feng said, “However, this will be very risky. We might even suffer a team-wipe.”

All secret lands had entrance limits. Depending on a secret land's rank, the entrance limit imposed on players would also differ. In the case of God Mode Secret Lands, players could enter only once every ten days. If a player team suffered annihilation, they would be resurrected outside the secret land and would have to wait ten days to re-challenge it.

Meanwhile, the team's significant harvest in the Evil God's Secret Land meant they didn't have to risk their lives for a primordial ruin. They could just continue hunting in safer parts of the secret land and raising their strength.

Upon hearing Shi Feng's statement, Cold Shadow asked curiously, "Guild Leader, how confident are you?"

"Roughly 30 percent," Shi Feng said. "Of course, that's assuming nothing unexpected happens inside the ruin."

"Thirty?" Cold Shadow did a double take at Shi Feng. This was already a very high success rate considering their opponents consisted of 3,000-plus Evil Blood Soldiers and Priests. She then said, "I think we can give it a try. While it would indeed be unfortunate if we failed, in our current state, achieving further qualitative improvements in the Evil God's Secret Land would be difficult unless we venture deeper into the inner region. However, there should be plenty of Tier 5 Legendary monsters roaming there, and we don't know if we can defeat such a monster. Rather than take our chances against a Legendary monster, we might as well risk our lives for a primordial ruin. It'll be a huge jackpot for us if we succeed."

Tier 5 Legendary monsters weren't easy opponents to defeat even if they had a Tier 5 player on their team, just like how Tier 4 players had great difficulty soloing a Tier 4 Mythic monster.

Moreover, a fight with a Legendary monster inside the Evil God's Secret Land would easily attract more Legendary monsters. If two Legendary monsters appeared, a team-wipe was all but guaranteed. Only Shi Feng might escape alive.

When Blackie, Cola, and the others heard Cold Shadow's reasoning, they, too, nodded in agreement.

Their team's equipment standard had improved by leaps and bounds already, and further significant improvements would be difficult within a short time. Only eight-piece Level 180 Epic Sets and Fragmented Legendary items could provide them with such improvements. Upgrading Fragmented Legendary items into Legendary items was also highly dependent on luck, as not every Fragmented Legendary item needed only God Crystals for their upgrade. Not to mention, the drop rate of God Crystals was completely random. These weren't items that could be obtained on demand.

"Since you all see no problem with it, let's give it a try, then," Shi Feng said when he saw everyone's willingness to risk their lives. "Entering the primordial ruin is actually a very straightforward process. I just need someone to attract the Evil Blood monsters' attention. So long as a sufficient number of them get lured away, I will be able to enter the ruin. However, you must also make sure to pin down those lured monsters. Otherwise, if they flood into the ruin after me, I won't be able to do anything."

"Leave it to us, Guild Leader!" Cola said, confidently patting his chest. "If we four MTS take turns using our Mock Skills and Lifesaving Skills, we can keep them busy for five minutes without any problem."

"We magical classes can also use our magic barriers to trap those monsters for some time," Zhao Yueru said, nodding.

After hearing everyone's suggestions, Shi Feng nodded and said, "Alright, I'll leave it to you. I'll try to explore the ruin as quickly as possible."

When Shi Feng finished speaking, Fire Dance, Cold Shadow, and Yan Tianxing split up, moving in different directions. The three Assassins attracted the Evil Blood Soldiers' attention and lured them toward the appointed location.

However, after attracting the attention of a certain number of Evil Blood Soldiers, the three Assassins had to activate their Berserk Skills and all sorts of Lifesaving Skills to stay alive. Fortunately, they eventually succeeded in luring over 70% of the Evil Blood Soldiers to the appointed location.

There, Cola, Ye Wumian, Turtledove, and White Feather used their Mock Skills on the lured Evil Blood Soldiers, forcefully shifting the monsters' aggro to themselves. The four MTs then activated their Lifesaving Skills and began kiting and dodging the monsters' attacks. The healers standing in the distance also showered Healing Spells on the four MTs, repeatedly dragging them back from the jaws of death.

Once the four MTs had the Evil Blood Soldiers pinned down, Shi Feng, who was hiding near the primordial ruin, entered the void and dashed toward the ruin.

With the Nightwalker's Cape's ability, Shi Feng could cross several hundred yards with just one step.

As if he had activated Instantaneous Movement several times consecutively, he crossed a distance of several thousand yards in just two seconds and arrived at the primordial ruin's entrance. And before the Evil Blood monsters standing guard there could react to his arrival, he had already dashed inside.

The instant Shi Feng entered the primordial ruin, the Evil Blood monsters in the vicinity went into a frenzy and swarmed toward him. The several Evil Blood Priests kneeling inside the ruin's main hall also began chanting incantations and bombarded Shi Feng with Tier 4 Curses, one after another.

However, now that Shi Feng possessed a piece of Legendary Equipment, this degree of offensive was nothing to him. He easily evaded the oncoming attacks.

In the blink of an eye, he disappeared from the main hall and entered the tunnel leading underground. Although he came across various Magic Traps along the way, they were practically nonexistent to him, as he was a Grandmaster Magician.

In less than a minute, Shi Feng arrived in the primordial ruin's deepest section.

The deepest part of the ruin was like an empty void. A majestic, ancient temple stood in this void. Despite the corrosion of countless years, the temple still radiated an unbelievably powerful Divine Might. If Shi Feng had come here before reaching Tier 5, he wouldn't have been able to withstand this Divine Might.

What a powerful temple! If I hadn't upgraded the Nightwalker's Cape to Legendary rank, its Divine Might would've had a significant effect on me. Shi Feng was astonished as he looked at the temple before him.

The Nightwalker's Cape didn't just hide his aura. It also functioned to resist the auras of others. It acted as an isolation barrier that prevented the user's aura from interacting with other auras.

However, despite the Nightwalker's Cape's isolation effect, the temple's Divine Might still reduced Shi Feng's mobility by 30%.

Even a true Tier 6 God's Divine Might couldn't compete with this ancient temple's Divine Might.

Apart from Ancient Gods, there should be no other existence capable of creating such a powerful construct.

When Shi Feng arrived in front of the temple, the several hundred Evil Blood monsters that had been frenziedly chasing him suddenly stopped. They simply stood at a distance and worshipped the temple, none of them showing any intention of approaching it.

Shi Feng sighed in relief at this sight. Now, all he needed to do was figure out how to enter the ancient temple.

However, when Shi Feng entered the temple, what greeted him inside the brightly illuminated hall was the sight of a cloaked, scholarly young man. The youth was piecing together several golden tablets using magic arrays so complex that they gave Shi Feng a headache. The instant Shi Feng laid eyes on this youth, his soul shuddered. "It's you?!"

Shi Feng's eyes filled with disbelief as he looked at the scholarly youth. This was because this youth was none other than the mysterious youth who had caused a huge commotion in Blackwing City and bound his soul using soul chains during the early stages of the game. "Oh? It's you?" The mysterious youth was slightly surprised when he saw Shi Feng behind him. "You actually survived until now, even after getting hit by my soul chains? What a surprise."

"Should I be honored that you remember me?" Shi Feng eyed the mysterious youth cautiously.

Back when he encountered the mysterious youth in Blackwing City, he had already thought the NPC was extraordinary, definitely not your average Tier 5 NPC. Otherwise, this mysterious youth couldn't have escaped Blackwing City after causing such a huge scene.

In fact, Shi Feng still couldn't glean much information from the mysterious youth despite being Tier 5 himself. The only thing he found out from inspecting the mysterious youth was that the latter was also at Tier 5. Moreover, the mysterious youth gave off a weird vibe; Shi Feng felt an inexplicable fear when standing in the youth's presence.

“Not bad. Not only are you blessed by this world, but you also managed to get promoted to Tier 5 so quickly. You just barely qualify to become my puppet,” the mysterious youth said, a delighted smile appearing on his face as he looked at Shi Feng, like a child who had just found a new toy. “Since you took the initiative to come find me, let me liberate you from your suffering!”

After saying so, the mysterious youth raised his arm and pointed a finger at Shi Feng.

A black ball of Mana shot toward Shi Feng. In mid-flight, the ball of Mana shattered and enveloped the surrounding space in darkness.

Tier 5 Curse, Dark Wonderland!

Chapter 2897 – Terrifying Scholar

Shi Feng tensed when he saw the mysterious youth’s Tier 5 Curse activate. He immediately unsheathed the Light of Two Worlds and counterattacked.

World Breaker!

Suddenly, a blinding beam struck at the endless darkness. The two powers entangled for a moment, neither side gaining an advantage over the other until a second later.

Boom!

Accompanied by an explosion, an intense shockwave sent Shi Feng stumbling two steps back. His HP also instantly fell by over nine million.

Besides reducing Shi Feng's HP by more than 20%, the shockwave also left his entire body trembling. The hand he used to wield the Light of Two Worlds was numb.

In contrast, the mysterious youth came out unscathed from the clash. He still stood quietly in his original position. He also maintained the incomparably complex fourfold magic array he was using to manipulate the several golden tablets with his other hand throughout the attack.

As expected of an existence daring enough to cause a scene in Blackwing City. He not only cast a Tier 5 Curse without chanting but even maintained such a complex magic array while doing so. Shi Feng frowned when he looked at his trembling right arm.

This was undoubtedly the most dangerous situation he had ever come across since entering God's Domain.

Shi Feng had long since known that the mysterious youth was incredibly powerful and that the youth could cast Tier 5 Curses without chanting. However, only after facing the youth's Tier 5 Curse did he understand just how frightening the mysterious youth

was.

If Shi Feng hadn't upgraded the Light of Two Worlds, the Tier 5 Curse would've killed him just now.

Meanwhile, the powerful shockwave from their clash also shattered the space some distance behind the youth, revealing a woman with eight black wings. Numerous chains bound this woman's body, and her HP was below 10%.

However, despite being practically at death's door, she radiated an aura that sent shivers down Shi Feng's spine. How is this possible?! Shi Feng was dumbfounded when he saw the eight-winged woman.

A Fallen Angel!

Moreover, a Fallen Archangel! A Fallen Angel of the highest order!

Fallen Angels possessed Life Ratings close to those of Dragons. Meanwhile, Fallen Archangels' Life Rating surpassed even that of ordinary Dragons. They almost rivaled Divine Dragons.

Yet, the mysterious youth had incapacitated a Level 180, Tier 5 Fallen Archangel with one hand. The Fallen Archangel was even losing HP and gradually approaching death's door.

While Shi Feng was in a daze, the mysterious youth also looked with surprise at the Light of Two Worlds Shi Feng wielded.

"It seems you are incredibly lucky. You actually got your hands on a weapon lost during the ancient era." Looking at the Light of Two Worlds, the youth evaluated calmly, "It's a pity that this Light of Two Worlds is damaged. Otherwise, you might've been able to injure me with its power."

Although the mysterious youth's words sounded arrogant, Shi Feng did not think so at all. On the contrary, his mood grew even heavier after hearing the mysterious youth's statement. The mysterious youth could strangle even a Tier 5 Fallen Archangel to death. Even if the Light of Two Worlds were at its peak, Shi Feng doubted he could injure the mysterious youth. After all, a weapon's performance depended heavily on its user.

Shi Feng had only recently reached Tier 5. He didn't even know how to go about getting promoted to Tier 6. Even if he wielded the undamaged Light of Two Worlds, he could, at most, exchange one move against a Tier 6 God-ranked player who didn't possess any Legendary Weapons and Equipment.

Moreover, just like the mysterious youth had said, Shi Feng was indeed very lucky. If the mysterious youth weren't focusing a significant portion of his strength on dealing with the Fallen Archangel guarding the temple's entrance, Shi Feng would've long since died already.

"However, our little game ends here. I'm busy. I don't have much time to waste on you, so can you please die?"

The mysterious youth waved his hand in annoyance once more. This time, though, he also chanted an incantation.

Shi Feng sensed the Mana around the temple vanishing. Moreover, it wasn't limited to just the Mana in this plane of existence. Even the Mana in the void was disappearing, making Shi Feng feel stifled.

In the meantime, silver magic arrays appeared, one after another, before the mysterious youth's hand, layering to create a fourfold magic array.

The Tier 5 Curse Space-time Disintegrator?

Shi Feng's complexion darkened like never before when he saw the gradually forming fourfold magic array.

There were significant differences even among Tier 5 Curses. Dark Wonderland was a Tier 5 Intermediate Curse, but the Space-time Disintegrator was a Tier 5 Peak Curse. This attack could heavily injure even a Tier 6 God if it landed.

“Die!”

The mysterious youth gently pushed the fourfold magic array with his free hand.

Suddenly, the space in front of Shi Feng began distorting and disintegrating. With the Tier 5 Curse's speed and AOE, Shi Feng had no way to dodge or escape it in time. Moreover, even a Tier 5 Defensive Curse wouldn't have the power to stop this attack.

Don't even think of killing me so easily! Looking at the oncoming attack, Shi Feng gritted his teeth and took out the greatest trump card in his bag—the Dragon Summoning Flute. He then injected the 3,000 Advanced Magic Cores he had prepared into the flute.

Immediately, space around Shi Feng began distorting as well. Five gigantic figures flew out of the warp and instantly occupied a significant portion of the space around the ancient temple.

Boom!

Accompanied by the sound of an explosion, the sight of five Level 180, Tier 5 Dragons entered Shi Feng's eyes. The brief invulnerability Shi Feng received from using the Dragon Summoning Flute had helped him resist the Space-time Disintegration, allowing him to survive the ordeal.

However, Shi Feng's situation did not change for the better even after the five Dragons appeared.

When the mysterious youth looked at the five Tier 5 Dragons, his expression remained completely unfazed, as if only five harmless lizards had appeared in front of him. He placed no importance whatsoever on their existence.

"The Scholar?"

"This summoner has found a troublesome opponent for us."

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"If I knew this would happen, I would never have agreed to the Dragon Summoning Flute's contract! This is a massive loss!"

The five Dragons with bodies measuring several hundred meters in length revealed traces of frustration and helplessness in their eyes when they saw the mysterious youth. Their voices also carried hints of dissatisfaction directed at Shi Feng.

Meanwhile, after briefly scanning the five Dragons, the mysterious youth asked calmly, "Are you five going to become my enemies?"

“Scholar, how about we talk this out? If you help us fulfill our contract by letting this heaven-blessed individual go, then we won’t have to clash,” the leading Bronze Dragon said.

The Bronze Dragon’s suggestion completely ignored Shi Feng’s will. However, Shi Feng didn’t have any opinions on it, either. He simply observed the mysterious youth and awaited the latter’s decision.

Is he one of the three existences Phoenix Rain warned me to avoid? As Shi Feng scrutinized the mysterious youth, he faintly understood why Phoenix Rain had given him such a warning

The mysterious youth’s strength was simply unbelievable. Shi Feng couldn’t even inspect his level.

Moreover, even Tier 6 Gods would have a headache when facing five Tier 5 Dragons. Nevertheless, the mysterious youth showed no reaction whatsoever.

When the Bronze Dragon made its suggestion, the mysterious youth remained unchanged. In a calm tone, he asked, “Do you think that’s possible? You are merely a bunch of ghosts from the past, yet you dare speak conditions with me?”

After saying so, the mysterious youth took action. A golden staff appeared in his hands, and Shi Feng’s pupils shrank at the sight of this weapon.

This was because Shi Feng was incredibly familiar with the golden staff.

The World Staff!

One of God's Domain's Ten Great Legendary Weapons!

"It seems a battle is inevitable," the Bronze Dragon sighed helplessly. It then looked at Shi Feng and said, "Once the fight begins, find an opportunity to escape. The five of us can't stop him for long. Outside this secret land, he cannot act without restraint. So long as you get out, he'll have a much more difficult time dealing with you."

After the Bronze Dragon finished speaking, the four other Dragons unleashed their auras. All five Dragons were prepared to duke it out with the mysterious youth.

Act without restraint?

The Bronze Dragon's words clued Shi Feng in on the mysterious youth's weakness.

The mysterious youth most likely couldn't act freely in the outside world due to certain restrictions. This would also explain why he had fled Blackwing City previously instead of clashing with Sharlyn.

Logically, with the mysterious youth's strength, he shouldn't fear Sharlyn. After all, the mysterious youth remained fearless and still insisted on killing Shi Feng despite facing off against five Tier 5 Dragons. Yet, he had fled Blackwing City back then.

However, before Shi Feng could properly process the information, the five Dragons began clashing with the mysterious youth. The Dragons did not hold anything back, utilizing their breath attacks right off the bat. Meanwhile, the mysterious youth waved his staff. A barrier appeared before him, stopping the breath attacks completely. As a result, the two sides entered a stalemate.

“You damnable things! If I wasn’t occupied with something important here, do you think you five little bastards can stand up against me?” The mysterious youth grew dissatisfied when he saw the stalemate.

Ignoring the mysterious youth’s words, the leading Bronze Dragon shouted at Shi Feng, “Run now!”

Although the five Dragons had pinned down the mysterious youth with their breath attacks, the mysterious youth’s barrier was also steadily advancing toward the Dragons. He held a clear advantage over the Dragons.

Do I leave?

Shi Feng hesitated as he looked at the mysterious youth and the golden tablets beside him. He had a hunch that if he let the mysterious youth achieve his goal, something very troublesome would happen in the near future. He might even get swept up in this big problem. Despite facing the all-out attacks of five Tier 5 Dragons, the mysterious youth still split a significant portion of his attention into manipulating the golden tablets to unravel the divine runes wrapped around the Fallen Archangel. Shi Feng was certain that the Fallen Archangel had a big secret hidden on her body. Screw it!

Gritting his teeth, Shi Feng chose to spend his Legacy Skill Points to learn the Tier 5 Legacy Skill Returning Blade—the sole Tier 5 Berserk Skill available to him.

Even after players reached Tier 5 in God’s Domain, the Legacy Skill Points they earned through leveling up wouldn’t be enough to learn even one Tier 5 Legacy Skill. Typically, they would still need to accumulate more points through quests. Fortunately, Shi Feng had acquired a lot of Legacy Skill Points from handing Beast Emperor over to the War God’s Temple. Those, combined with his leftover points, were just enough to learn one Tier 5 Legacy Skill.

Shi Feng had previously chosen not to learn a Tier 5 Legacy Skill first to have more options in future predicaments. However, he no longer had the luxury of waiting.

Immediately after learning Returning Blade, Shi Feng activated the Berserk Skill, causing the Light of Two Worlds he wielded to vibrate and let out a low hum. Simultaneously, incomparable power flowed into Shi Feng's body, elevating his Basic Attributes and Life Rating to a whole other level.

The next moment, Shi Feng's Strength Attribute broke through the 200,000 threshold. His HP also exceeded 100 million. Now, even if he didn't rival Tier 6 God-ranked experts, he was very close already.

Thirty seconds! I need to foil his plans in 30 seconds! If I fail to do so, I must leave immediately! After taking a look at Returning Blade's description, Shi Feng found that the Skill had a 45-second duration and a Cooldown of one natural day. He estimated that escaping the Evil God's Secret Land within 15 seconds shouldn't be difficult with his current Basic Attributes.

After thinking up to this point, Shi Feng charged straight toward the restricted Fallen Archangel. Shi Feng didn't have the slightest thought of dealing with the mysterious youth. If even five Level 180, Tier 5 Dragons were helpless against the mysterious youth, then his chances were even less. The only thing he could do in this situation was kill the Fallen Archangel and foil the mysterious youth's plans. After all, he had long since formed an irreconcilable grudge with the mysterious youth. If he didn't kill the mysterious youth, or the mysterious youth did not take the initiative to dissolve the soul chains binding his soul, he would still perish sooner or later, despite being a Tier 5 player. In that case, he might as well use this opportunity to weaken the mysterious youth. For all he knew, he might even get to live longer.

"You bastard!"

The mysterious youth's complexion sank when he saw what Shi Feng was trying to do. Immediately, he began chanting an incantation.

Tier 5 Curse, Dark Space!

Numerous pitch-black chains emerged from the space above the temple and shot toward Shi Feng, preventing him from approaching the Fallen Archangel. Upon seeing the several hundred chains raining down toward him, Shi Feng immediately activated Divine Steps.

Suddenly, 36 doppelgangers emerged from Shi Feng's body and dashed toward the Fallen Archangel from different directions. As these doppelgangers were invulnerable to attacks and Shi Feng could swap positions with any of them at any time, the mysterious youth had a headache dealing with Shi Feng.

Catching Shi Feng alone using several hundred chains might be easy, but catching 37 individuals of Shi Feng's caliber was not.

In less than two seconds, one of Shi Feng's doppelgangers reached the Fallen Archangel and executed an attack. However, before the doppelganger's attack could connect, several dozen chains immediately bound its body.

Afterward, six more doppelgangers arrived before the Fallen Archangel, and the several dozen chains in the vicinity were insufficient to stop all of them. In the end, one of the doppelgangers successfully evaded the chains and executed a ruthless attack on the Fallen Archangel.

The moment the doppelganger's sword was about to connect, Shi Feng, who had been preparing for an attack in the distance, swapped positions with this doppelganger.

Second Sword, Holy Devour! Now that Shi Feng had a Life Rating and Basic Attributes close to rivaling Tier 6 God-ranked players, he could perfectly execute Holy Devour.

The next moment, scorching flames capable of devouring even space itself enveloped the defenseless Fallen Archangel.

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A damage value exceeding 5.4 billion appeared above the Fallen Archangel's head as she lost more than 2% of her HP. This development ignited some hope in Shi Feng.

"You little bastard! You've angered me now!"

A cold gleam flashed in the mysterious youth's eyes as he shook his staff. The barrier he summoned shoved back the five Dragons' Dragon Breath completely, and the golden staff he wielded released a blinding radiance. Then, the space around the Fallen Archangel shattered. Countless beams of light shot out of the shattered space and pierced every one of Shi Feng's doppelgangers, leaving an irrecoverable wound on them.

If Shi Feng hadn't swapped positions with his distant doppelganger immediately, he would've most likely lost his life to this attack.

However, Shi Feng did not stop despite this situation. Without hesitation, he used the Light of Two Worlds's Spatial Slash.

Shi Feng swung his blade, his attack instantly cutting through the Fallen Archangel. The attack was so fast that the mysterious youth, whom the five Dragons pinned down, failed to stop it. Meanwhile, this attack had reaped nearly 3% of the Fallen Archangel's HP.

"That's enough from you!"

The mysterious youth began chanting another incantation for a Defensive Curse when he saw the Fallen Archangel's dwindling HP.

"Die!"

Knowing that once the mysterious youth completed his incantation, all hope of success would be lost, Shi Feng immediately executed the strongest move his Mana Technique had to offer.

Third Sword, Holy Annihilation!

Holy Annihilation was an unostentatious technique. There was no giant blade of light or a scorching sea of flames. All that could be seen was Shi Feng executing a simple downward slash.

However, when this modest slash connected, it plundered all of the Fallen Archangel's remaining HP.

Following the Fallen Archangel's death, Shi Feng's level skyrocketed, and several hundred items appeared around her corpse. The mysterious youth's eyes turned bloodshot, and he went into a frenzy.

Shi Feng immediately grabbed a few of the strongest items he saw, swapped positions with his doppelganger again, entered the void, and dashed for the temple's exit.

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The instant Shi Feng made for the temple's exit, the mysterious youth took action.

Now that the mysterious youth no longer had most of his strength and attention tied up with the Fallen Archangel, he had recovered to his peak condition. With a wave of his staff, he summoned three fourfold magic arrays around him.

Tier 5 Curse, World Severance!

Tier 5 Curse, Space-time Seal!

Tier 5 Curse, Holy Spirit Collapse!

Triple silent-casting?! Shi Feng was thunderstruck when he saw the three magic arrays.

In God's Domain, the difficulty of silent-casting a Spell increased along with the tier of the Spell. Even Tier 5 Divine Mages would have difficulty silent-casting one Tier 5 Spell, while double silent-casting Tier 5 Spells was something only the best among Tier 5 magical classes could accomplish. Moreover, this applied only to Tier 5 Spells, not Tier 5 Curses.

Only Tier 6 Gods could double silent-cast Tier 5 Curses. As for triple silent-casting Tier 5 Curses, Shi Feng had no recollection of anyone ever accomplishing this feat in his previous life.

Nevertheless, the mysterious youth had accomplished this feat.

Before Shi Feng could reach the exit, he suddenly found himself immobilized inside the void. In the end, not only was he forced to exit the void, but his mobility was also severely restricted by the surrounding space. A distorted barrier enveloped the entire temple hall. Six pillars of light then appeared around Shi Feng, forming an intricate magic array that caged him. Afterward, the ground lit up with a divine glow, causing the Mana within the affected space to disintegrate rapidly.

Just as the mysterious youth was about to obliterate Shi Feng, the five Dragons simultaneously chanted an incantation in the language of Dragons. A five-colored disk of light formed around Shi Feng, isolating him from the outside world.

Boom!

When the divine light dissipated, Shi Feng remained perfectly intact. However, the brightness of the disk of light protecting him had dimmed significantly as a result. Evidently, it could withstand only a limited number of attacks from the mysterious youth's Holy Spirit Collapse; it wasn't an invincible Defensive Spell.

The mysterious youth glared at the five Dragons hatefully and said coldly, "A futile struggle! All of you will die here today!"

After saying so, the mysterious youth waved his staff, and the space within the temple darkened. Countless dark-purple chains emerged from the void and instantly bound three of the five Dragons, thoroughly immobilizing them. Only the leading Bronze Dragon and a Fire Dragon had managed to evade the chains' initial assault by relying on their skills.

Shi Feng had also managed to evade the chains, thanks to his 36 doppelgangers. However, now that chains surrounded the entire hall, he was in a tight spot.

With World Severance and Space-time Seal acting on the hall, even a Tier 6 God-ranked player would have trouble breaking out, let alone a Tier 5 player like Shi Feng.

It's all or nothing!

Looking at the nearby distorted barrier, Shi Feng gritted his teeth and used the Light of Two Worlds's second Skill, Golden Soul. After he had reached Tier 5, the Skill had also undergone a qualitative transformation. Instead of providing a boost to his perception and control of Mana, it now upgraded the quality of his soul. Activating the Skill would grant him a soul bordering that of Tier 6 Gods.

However, activating this Skill came with risks.

When activated at Tier 5, Golden Soul would leave his soul in a weakened state for a short period once the Skill's duration ended. A side effect like this would significantly impact a player's performance. This made Golden Soul a Skill reserved for last-ditch stands. After Shi Feng activated Golden Soul, his perception of the world around him changed completely.

As if he was a three-dimensional being looking at a two-dimensional world, he could see everything around him with incredible clarity. The ambient Mana also became an extension of his body, and he could freely manipulate it at will. It was much better than when he manipulated it using his Mana Domain.

He had finally reached the level of actually manipulating Mana!

Immediately, Shi Feng brandished the Light of Two Worlds at the distorted barrier before him.

Third Sword, Holy Annihilation!

Compared to the Holy Annihilation Shi Feng executed before, the one he executed now had undergone a heaven-defying transformation. Now, even the space around him had become one with his sword. He felt as if he was swinging space itself at the distorted barrier.

Boom!

The distorted barrier shook violently from Shi Feng's Holy Annihilation. A small crack also appeared on the barrier, although the barrier quickly repaired this damage.

Now, this is the true Holy Annihilation! I was mistaken when I tried to guide ambient Mana using my own Mana. Instead, I should've converted the ambient Mana into my own Mana! Only by doing so can I maximize my attack's power! Shi Feng didn't despair when he saw the distorted barrier repairing itself. On the contrary, excitement burned within him.

He finally understood how to progress to the next step of Mana manipulation.

Initially, he had used his own Mana to force ambient Mana into doing his bidding, an incredibly crude method of manipulating Mana.

Afterward, he had learned to guide ambient Mana into doing his bidding. While this method had indeed significantly increased the power he could exert, it still wasn't the best method of utilizing ambient Mana.

Instead, the optimal way of utilizing Mana was to convert ambient Mana into his own Mana.

However, accomplishing this feat was easier said than done. Firstly, players needed to have an in-depth understanding of Mana's operating principles. Secondly, players' Concentration needed to be close to the Tier 6 standard. Only by having a near-solid mental will could players perfectly integrate their Mana with the ambient Mana. Players needed to have such a powerful Concentration that they could project their will beyond their physical bodies and exert it over the Mana surrounding them.

Thirdly, players needed the ability to multitask to the extreme. The more Mana players tried to influence, the more multitasking they had to do. If players wished to improve their ability to integrate and manipulate ambient Mana, they had to keep refining their understanding of Mana to reduce the mental burden from controlling Mana.

Meanwhile, after finding a clear path of advancement, Shi Feng began frenziedly executing Holy Annihilation against the distorted barrier.

Every time he executed Holy Annihilation, his control over Mana also became increasingly smoother. Simultaneously, admiration for the Heavenly Blue Saint Eliadi filled his heart.

Holy Annihilation's use of Mana far exceeded the basic standard.

The basic use of Mana only allowed one to create inanimate objects like the Mana bridge. However, Eliadi's usage allowed her to create living objects. Her technique, Holy Annihilation, basically modified ambient Mana into a true extension of the body.

If Shi Feng hadn't reached the Grandmaster Magician standard, he would've never understood this concept.

After he gained this understanding, every subsequent Holy Annihilation he executed was more powerful than the previous one. By the time he had executed two dozen attacks, the colorful disk of light was close to dissipating. Fortunately, he had finally achieved a breakthrough.

The next time Shi Feng executed Holy Annihilation, a white light enveloped the world around him.

Mana, space, and even the void disappeared.

The next moment, a 30-meter-long gash appeared in the previously invincible barrier. The barrier failed to repair the damage and collapsed.

So, this is what it feels like to employ the advanced method of using Mana? Shi Feng was startled when he saw the barrier generated by World Severance crumble. The attack he just executed had undoubtedly reached the Tier 6 standard—far stronger than even an attack using the Light of Two Worlds's World Breaker.

However, after executing this attack, Shi Feng felt his mind stagnate slightly. In his current state, he definitely couldn't execute the complete Holy Annihilation. Unless he upgraded his Concentration to the Tier 6 standard, he could only keep this move as a trump card.

As the distorted barrier shattered, the mysterious youth finally restricted all five Dragons. He then sent his remaining chains after Shi Feng.

Upon seeing this, Shi Feng promptly activated Void Shield, his last trump card, increasing his Movement Speed by 300%. Even under the suppression of the mysterious youth's Space-time Seal, he still managed to escape from the temple instantly and flee the primordial ruin.

However, the mysterious youth did not give up. Several hundred dark-purple chains relentlessly tried to hinder Shi Feng's escape. Every collision with a chain inflicted over 10 million damage. If not for Void Shield's protection, he would've died after receiving a few hits.

After exiting the primordial ruin, Shi Feng contacted Zero Wing's members, who were close to dying to the Evil Blood monsters, and commanded them to leave the Evil God's Secret Land immediately. If they got caught by the mysterious youth's chains, they couldn't die even if they wanted to.

Although everyone was confused by Shi Feng's command, they still obeyed it without hesitation and were out of the Evil God's Secret Land in no time.

As for Shi Feng, because the mysterious youth's Space-time Seal stopped affecting him after he left the primordial ruin, none of the dark-purple chains could do anything to him. In less than ten seconds, he exited the secret land.

Two seconds later, the mysterious youth appeared by the secret land's exit, with an indescribably cold light in his eyes.

When the mysterious youth failed to kill Shi Feng, the restrained, leading Bronze Dragon laughed and said, "Scholar, how pitiful of you! Not only did your many years of planning come to naught, but you even let the cause of your failure escape!"

"So what if he escaped? Do you think I can't do anything to him outside?" The mysterious youth did not get angered by the Bronze Dragon's words. Sending a calm glance at the Bronze Dragon, he said, "I will settle his debt with me eventually. So long as he is inside this cage, he will not escape my hands. I will also escape this cage sooner or later!" After saying so, the mysterious youth waved his staff and turned the five Dragons into ash.

On the other side, Shi Feng finally arrived back in the City Lord's Mansion's control room. After staring at the Evil God's Secret Land's entrance for some time, he breathed out a sigh of relief, thinking to himself, Seeing as there's no reaction after all this time, I should be fine now.

Shi Feng did not wish to meet the mysterious youth a third time.

The mysterious youth's combat power exceeded common sense. If not for the five Dragons' assistance, Shi Feng would've perished just now.

"Guild Leader, what did you do inside the ruin? How are you Level 172 already?" Fire Dance asked in confusion after seeing Shi Feng exit the secret land.

Shi Feng had only been Level 167 when he entered the primordial ruin, yet he was now Level 172. He had gained five whole levels in a matter of minutes. His leveling speed was out of this world.

When Shi Feng took a look at his own level, he, too, was slightly surprised. He never thought that killing a Level 180, Tier 5 Fallen Archangel would grant so much EXP.

Not to mention, he hadn't killed the Fallen Archangel by himself. What he had done was basically kill-steal, so he hadn't received all of the EXP the Fallen Archangel granted. Yet, he still leveled up five times. Through this, he could tell just how powerful the Fallen Archangel was. If he had come across her under normal circumstances, he would've died without a doubt.

"You killed a Level 180, Tier 5 Fallen Archangel?!"

"Guild Leader, you're not lying to us, right? That's a Fallen Archangel we're talking about!"

Everyone was momentarily stunned when they heard Shi Feng's explanation. They couldn't help doubting his words.

Fallen Archangels were existences rivaling Divine Dragons. A Tier 5 Fallen Archangel was an existence standing at the apex of the current God's Domain. A Tier 5 player would be fortunate to escape a Tier 5 Fallen Archangel, let alone kill one.

"Of course not." Shi Feng chuckled when he saw the skeptical looks they all gave him. "What good would lying to you do? Moreover, I also grabbed some items that Fallen Archangel dropped." After saying so, Shi Feng took out the four items he looted from the Fallen Archangel.

As soon as he did so, the Mana in the control room froze, and everyone gasped inadvertently.

They all felt their hearts palpitating in fear in the presence of the four items, and they stumbled back despite themselves.

Meanwhile, after Shi Feng took a look at one of the items he took out of his bag, he, too, was stunned. Astonishment filled his eyes as he stared at the rainbow-colored crystal ball before him.

"An Ancient God's Eye?"

When Shi Feng brought out the Ancient God's Eye, he wasn't the only one surprised by the item's identity. Cold Shadow, who stood nearby, also widened her eyes in shock. She couldn't help looking at Shi Feng, who had acquired this item, as if he was some kind of alien.

An Ancient God!

Ancient Gods were the oldest Gods in God's Domain. They were existences that had come into being along with God's Domain. The many Gods of later generations only managed to gain their strength because of the Legacies from these Ancient Gods.

However, after God's Domain transitioned from the primordial era to the ancient era, Ancient Gods had suddenly disappeared from the world. In the modern era, barely any records mentioned Ancient Gods. However, according to those found in the modern era's libraries, a large part of the reason humans managed to rise up during ancient times was the Ancient Gods' Legacies, which allowed the human race to give birth to many Gods.

Although the rainbow crystal ball Shi Feng held was named an Ancient God's Eye, it wasn't actually an eyeball. Instead, it was an Ancient God's Legacy.

It was a Legacy that could help players reach Tier 6!

It was much stronger than the Legacies of ordinary Gods!

No wonder that mysterious youth wanted to deal with the Fallen Archangel! Let alone a Tier 5 existence, even Tier 6 Gods would covet an Ancient God's Eye. Realization dawned upon Shi Feng as he looked at the crystal ball he held.

(Ancient God's Eye) (Divine Artifact Rank, Consumable)

This is a Legacy item left behind by an Ancient God. It records the Ancient God's many Legacies. Each activation of the Ancient God's Eye requires 1,000 Seven Luminaries Crystals. It can be activated up to nine times. Once the activation limit is reached, all information recorded within the Ancient God's Eye will disappear. (Current usage count: 0)

Out of all the Legacies available in God's Domain, an Ancient God's Legacy belonged to the strongest category. If a player managed to grasp even a portion of the Legacy, becoming a Tier 6 God wouldn't be difficult. If a player managed to grasp a significant portion, becoming a God was practically inevitable.

It was no exaggeration to say that this single Ancient God's Eye was worth more than ten Legendary Weapons and the loss of the Dragon Summoning Flute.

However, Shi Feng quickly suppressed his excitement and turned his attention to the three other items he looted.

Although these three items were not as powerful as the Ancient God's Eye, they still radiated incredibly potent Divine Might. Even Fire Dance felt pressured by them, what more the other Tier 4 players present.

That mysterious youth definitely won't let me off the hook after this. Shi Feng chuckled when he saw the three other items' identities.

All three items were extraordinary. Two were Inferior Divine Artifact ranked materials, and one was an Inferior Divine Artifact ranked Consumable. One of the two materials was even a Divine Power Source.

As for the Consumable, it was the Ancient God's Blood, an item that could elevate a non-player creature's Growth Potential and Life Rating. It was undoubtedly the most powerful enhancement item Shi Feng had ever seen in God's Domain.

The total value of the four items Shi Feng got from killing the Fallen Archangel was something he couldn't get even if he killed three or four Tier 6 Gods.

Shi Feng was also certain that these were all items that mysterious youth wanted. Now that he had acquired them instead, the mysterious youth would definitely take action against him at all costs.

After a brief silence fell in the hall, Fire Dance reported to Shi Feng, "Guild Leader, according to Liang Jing, the Outerworld's NPC army has arrived on the eastern continent. Currently, it has split into six groups of over 30,000 Tier 4 NPCs and four million Tier 3 NPCs each. All of these NPCs are above Level 150. As we expected, one of these groups is marching toward the Twin Towers Kingdom and Star-Moon Kingdom. At their current speed, it'll only take them another three or four days to reach the Twin Towers Kingdom's vicinity.

"In the case of the Outerworld superpowers, their forces have already gathered outside the Twin Towers Kingdom. They have even dispatched many scouting teams to invade the kingdom, and the kingdom's forces have already clashed with these scouting teams. Although the two sides are at a stalemate now, it is only a matter of time before the kingdom's side loses. "According to Melancholic's investigations, Starlink and many other superpowers are offering excellent incentives to independent experts to have them head to the Dark Night Empire and the Black Dragon Empire. They plan to resist the Outerworld forces together with the two empires. Because of this, many independent experts have decided to abandon Twin Towers and Star-Moon."

When Fire Dance finished speaking, Cold Shadow frowned and said, "How foolish these people are! Sticking with an empire's defensive line might be a good choice, but abandoning all resistance in the various kingdoms will inflict a severe loss to the various kingdoms' armies! All they're doing is giving the Outerworld forces an advantage!"

Unlike for players, resurrection was a very troublesome process for NPCs. The Outerworld's NPC army wasn't endless, either. Hence, if players worked together to defend the various kingdoms, repelling the Outerworld forces was entirely possible. In the worst-case scenario, they could, at least, weaken the Outerworld forces. Abandoning the various kingdoms outright and choosing to fight a decisive battle at the defensive lines of empires was an absolutely foolish decision.

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However, Shi Feng wasn't too surprised by this situation. Calmly, he said, "This is normal. Although players can recover the levels they lose with a little effort, finding replacements for the weapons and equipment they lose is very difficult. Given a choice, they will naturally prefer a more stable battle. Not to mention, with Starlink and the other superpowers' interference, it's only natural for independent players to abandon resisting in kingdoms and choose to fight in empires instead."

In his previous life, the most astonishing aspect of a war between countries wasn't the number of player deaths. Instead, it was the weapons and equipment lost.

Many kingdoms and empires had suffered annihilation because the player forces in those countries had depleted their stockpile of weapons and equipment. As a result, the players of those countries became weaker and weaker as they fought. In the end, they could only watch their enemies annex their nations bit by bit until the country disappeared completely.

The current War of Worlds was a similar situation.

After realizing this fact, all Starlink and the various superpowers needed to do was put out appropriate bait, and the various independent players would automatically swarm to the bait.

“Guild Leader, how about I bring the main force to the Twin Towers Kingdom and participate in the battle there?” Cola suggested. “I refuse to believe that we can’t kill a bunch of scouting teams! So long as we secure a few victories, I believe many players will be willing to stay and fight with us!”

Although Cola didn’t understand much about battles on the scale of countries, he knew that without the support of a large number of independent players, the Twin Towers Kingdom and Star-Moon Kingdom would fall to the Outerworld forces.

The reason many independent experts were abandoning the two kingdoms was simply their belief that defending against the Outerworld forces in an empire would be easier.

Meanwhile, all Zero Wing needed to do was suppress and repel the Outerworld players plaguing the Twin Towers Kingdom. Then, the independent players who had left would see hope for successfully defending the kingdom. Once that happened, they would definitely return to help in the kingdom’s defense. After all, abandoning one’s roots and restarting development in a foreign country wasn’t easy.

“That won’t be necessary.” Shi Feng shook his head. Smiling calmly, he said, “Dealing with those scouting teams will only be a waste of time. If we’re going to do something, we should go for something bigger!” “Bigger?” Cola parroted in confusion.

“Fire, bring a team and look into the Twin Towers Kingdom’s current situation. Make sure to find the base camp of the Outerworld players invading the Twin Towers Kingdom. Once you do, notify me immediately!” Shi Feng instructed.

When Cold Shadow heard Shi Feng’s words, she turned to Shi Feng with a stunned look. “Guild Leader, are you thinking of...wiping them out?”

Nodding, Shi Feng said earnestly, "Of course. If Starlink and the other superpowers want to waste their time, let them. However, Zero Wing doesn't have that much time to waste."

The real role of high-end combatants wasn't in defending strongholds but attacking the enemy's core combatants.

In his previous life, any player force that dared to gather their troops into one big army was simply asking for death!

However, be it the eastern continent's players or the Outerworld's players, neither had a clear understanding of truly large-scale battles in God's Domain yet. They were still acting as if they were playing traditional virtual reality games, entirely ignorant of just how much power a single individual could wield!

"I'll head out right away." Fire Dance grew excited at Shi Feng's affirmation.

After saying so, Fire Dance activated a Guild Transfer Scroll and teleported to the Guild Residence at Sky Spring City. As for everyone else present, Shi Feng had them take a break and dismissed them. After all, their continuous battles in the Evil God's Secret Land had taken a huge toll on their minds and bodies.

After settling his affairs here, Shi Feng made his way to the City Lord's Mansion's secret room to rest and recuperate.

Shi Feng had exhausted his Concentration during his fight with the mysterious youth. Now, even his soul was in a weakened state. To recover quickly, he had to rest in the City Lord's Mansion's underground secret room, which held the densest Mana in Ancient Rock City.

This environment should be enough. Now, all I need to do is recover my Concentration.

After setting up a simple Mana Gathering Magic Array, Shi Feng took out a Crystal of Souls from his bag and ate it. Immediately, a wave of comfort spread across his soul.

Once his soul had fully recovered, Shi Feng fished the Ancient God's Eye from his bag. He then took out 1,000 Seven Luminaries Crystals from his dwindling stockpile and injected them into the Ancient God's Eye.

During his fight with the mysterious youth, Shi Feng had come to understand just how feeble he was.

Now that Shi Feng had the threat of the mysterious youth and the Outerworld forces looming over him, it was best if he increased his strength as quickly as possible. Hence, he did not intend to strengthen himself before receiving the Legacy Guidance in the Ancient God's Eye. Instead, he would inherit it now to maximize his current strengths.

After Shi Feng injected the 1,000 Seven Luminaries Crystals, the Ancient God's Eye suddenly released purple fumes, which gradually seeped into his body and merged with his soul.

The moment his soul came into contact with the purple fumes, Shi Feng suffered a splitting headache, and an unprecedented heat spread throughout his body. He felt as if someone was trying to cram an endless amount of knowledge into his brain, and his brain was working overtime and heating up as it tried to process all this information.

This sensation lasted for several minutes before it gradually dissipated.

When all of the purple fumes from the Ancient God's Eye had merged with Shi Feng's soul, the Legacy Guidance finally ended.

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Even after the purple fumes in the secret room disappeared, Shi Feng remained seated, unmoving like a statue. Only after more than a dozen minutes had gone by did he slowly open his eyes and take a deep breath.

How close! Shi Feng celebrated inwardly as he looked at the Ancient God's Eye. Had my Concentration not reached the Tier 5 Intermediate standard already, I would've most likely failed to absorb 100% of the Legacy Guidance.

The Ancient God's Eye conveyed a massive amount of information. If his soul hadn't recovered to peak condition, he wouldn't have been able to accept all of the information.

Meanwhile, if he missed out on even a small portion of the Legacy, he would've failed and obtained nothing at all.

But this is a surprise. I never thought that the key factor in getting promoted to Tier 6 would be Seven Luminaries Crystals. Shi Feng sighed as he recalled the information he received.

Seven Luminaries Crystals had always been a rare resource in God's Domain, and this was true even in the ancient era.

Although Shi Feng had long since known that all organizations with Tier 6 God-ranked experts would frenziedly collect Seven Luminaries Crystals, he had thought that they had done so mainly to exchange for the Green God Company's products and construct their personal virtual space in God's Domain. He never imagined Seven Luminaries Crystals had such a use as well.

Now, Shi Feng slightly regretted selling his Seven Luminaries Crystals.

According to the Ancient God's Legacy, apart from having Tier 6 Concentration and an excellent grasp of the world's laws, players seeking to get promoted to Tier 6 also needed an enormous amount of Seven Luminaries Crystals to construct a Divine Body.

Each attempt at creating a Divine Body required at least 50,000 Seven Luminaries Crystals!

Moreover, this was only for the most common Divine Body.

According to the Ancient God's Legacy, Divine Bodies had two categories: ordinary Divine Bodies and Superior Divine Bodies.

Ordinary Divine Bodies were the most common in God's Domain. Over 99% of Gods and God-ranked players had an ordinary Divine Body.

Superior Divine Bodies, on the other hand, were much rarer. The Divine Bodies of the three Goddesses rumored to have saved God's Domain, as well as those of the War God, the God Slayer, and many Ancient Gods, were at this level. Superior Divine Bodies were that rare because their creation required an individual to have ultimate mastery over a certain World Law.

This was also why individuals titled Saints possessed the strength to contend against Gods. Saints were mortals who had achieved ultimate mastery over a certain World Law but did not become Gods.

In addition to this requirement, constructing a Superior Divine Body cost 100,000 Seven Luminaries Crystals. And worse, players would lose all of the invested crystals if they failed even once.

In contrast, the construction of an ordinary Divine Body occurred in stages. Even if players failed, they would lose only the crystals they invested in that particular stage. This gradual method also allowed them to know where they went wrong.

However, that wasn't the case for the construction of a Superior Divine Body, which was an all-or-nothing attempt. Players were required to spend all 100,000 Seven Luminaries Crystals in one fell swoop to construct their Divine Bodies. If they succeeded, then good. If not, then all of the Seven Luminaries Crystals they invested would disappear.

Currently, though, Shi Feng couldn't afford even the construction of an ordinary Divine Body.

For current player forces, Seven Luminaries Crystals are merely a commodity for the construction of personal virtual spaces or the acquisition of resources from the Green God Company. It shouldn't be difficult to obtain a large amount right now. Shi Feng fell into deep thought as he recalled the information from the Ancient God's Legacy. Constructing an ordinary Divine Body shouldn't be a tough challenge, but a Superior Divine Body is still far out of my reach. Achieving ultimate mastery in one World Law is already extremely difficult. Not to mention, I also need to create the Divine Body itself.

From the information he inherited, Shi Feng already knew what a World Law was.

The so-called World Law was basically a type of advanced usage over the various Mana elements. An example would be the Heavenly Blue Saint's Mana Technique Holy Annihilation.

However, only after one could manipulate the various elements of Mana at an advanced standard would one master a World Law. Simply being able to execute Holy Annihilation didn't cut it.

Currently, apart from his inadequate Concentration standard, so long as Shi Feng collected enough Seven Luminaries Crystals, he could already get promoted to Tier 6.

The Heavenly Blue Saint's World Law was the Law of Destruction—which covered the destruction of everything, even the most basic elements of Mana. This was why Shi Feng managed to break through the mysterious youth's Space-time Seal and World Severance with Holy Annihilation. Had Holy Annihilation been based on any other World Law, he wouldn't have escaped the Evil God's Secret Land with his life.

The bottleneck many Demigods faced after mastering a World Law was in the creation process of a Superior Divine Body. This was because there were many methods to create a Superior Divine Body, with the core principle being the integration of the mastered World Law into their Divine Body.

Of course, while this problem was incredibly challenging for others, the difficulty for Shi Feng had been reduced significantly.

The Ancient God's Legacy he absorbed recorded a basic flowchart for creating a Superior Divine Body. So long as he followed this flowchart, his success rate would increase by 30 to 40 percent.

One could say that the most important information recorded in the Ancient God's Legacy was this flowchart. Roughly 90% of the recorded information was related to it. In fact, 90% out of this 90% was the Superior Divine Body's flowchart itself.

This was also the amazing aspect of the Ancient God's Legacy. It was completely different from an ordinary God's Legacy.

While I currently don't have any methods to improve my Concentration, I can focus on achieving ultimate mastery over the Law of Destruction.

Although Shi Feng wasn't yet confident of creating a Superior Divine Body, he was optimistic about his chances of gaining ultimate mastery in a World Law. After all, he could already utilize Holy Annihilation. So long as he perfected his use of the technique, he should reach ultimate mastery in the Law of Destruction.

Moreover, his World Authority had already reached Level 1. He would have a much easier time perfecting the Holy Annihilation technique than other players. After Shi Feng finished processing the information from the Ancient God's Eye, he took out the Divine Power Source he had obtained.

Shi Feng grew a little hesitant as he looked at this Divine Power Source.

According to the Ancient God's Legacy, Divine Power Sources were birthed by the world and carried the world's power. They were incredibly useful in helping one understand World Laws.

In other words, by merging the Divine Power Source with his body using a special technique, he could elevate his World Authority. This would, in turn, allow him to understand World Laws more easily. The Ancient God's Legacy also recorded this integration technique.

Now that war is imminent, I should prioritize increasing my strength above all else. Gritting his teeth, Shi Feng had the Light of Two Worlds absorb the Divine Power Source.

Shi Feng still wasn't fully confident of defending the Twin Towers Kingdom and Star-Moon Kingdom against the Outerworld forces. After all, his enemies weren't limited to just the Outerworld's players. He also had to face the Outerworld's NPCs.

While the Outerworld NPCs might not have Tier 6 Gods in their ranks, they were bound to have quite a few Tier 5 NPCs. And in the case of Tier 5 NPCs, so long as their status in society was sufficiently high, acquiring a Legendary Weapon or Equipment wouldn't be difficult. Take the Branch Temple Lord of Star-Moon Kingdom's War God's Temple, for example. Despite being a Tier 4, he owned two Legendary items.

Meanwhile, the difference between having and not having a Legendary Weapon or Equipment was massive for Tier 5 NPCs.

Once the Light of Two Worlds perfectly absorbed the icy-cold tree branch Shi Feng held, it released a dazzling, golden glow. The divine runes on the weapon's blade also lit up gradually. After several minutes, the divine runes on the sword's blade and hilt connected and became one.

Boom!

The next moment, the Light of Two Worlds released a pulse of energy that made Shi Feng stumble. The magic barrier enveloping the secret room also shuddered violently and nearly crumbled.

As expected of one of the Ten Great Legendary Weapons! It's strong! Shi Feng was stunned when he read the Light of Two Worlds's details displayed before him.

[Light of Two Worlds] (One-handed Sword, Legendary Rank)

Equipment Requirement: Strength 20,000, Tier 3

Attack Power (450% of Strength)

Attack Speed (4% of Agility) All Attributes (Increases according to the user's level)

When equipped:

Attacks gain the Mana Annihilation effect, causing a spatial collapse in an area of 4*100 yards;

Attacks have a 50% chance to deal 300% damage;

Attacks have a 20% chance to deal 500% damage; Attacks deal 300% damage to targets under Tier 6;

Attacks carry the Mana Destabilization effect;

Strength increased by 240%, Agility increased by 210%, Intelligence increased by 180%, Endurance increased by 60%, Attack Speed increased by 200%;

Ignore Levels +100;

All Sword-type Skills +2 Level (up to Tier 6 Peak);

Power of all attacks increased by two ranks (up to Tier 6 Peak);

Effect of Mana increased by 150%.

Additional Passive Skill

World Power: Increases the user's Life Rating.

Additional Active Skill 1

Spatial Slash (Tier 6): For six attacks, increases Strength by 1,500%, power by two ranks (up to Tier 6 Peak rank at maximum), and attack range to 5,000 yards.

Cooldown: 30 seconds

Additional Active Skill 2

Golden Soul (Tier 6): Upgrades the user's soul by one rank and World Authority by one level (up to Level 3) and reduces Concentration consumption by 90%.

Duration: 2 minutes

Cooldown: 1 hour

Additional Active Skill 3

World Breaker (Tier 6): Consumes 10% of the user's Concentration and Mana to enhance the Light of Two Worlds, granting the weapon the power to break worlds for one attack. Forcibly increases the power of attack by one tier (up to Tier 6 Peak rank at maximum).

Cooldown: 30 minutes

Created by the Ancient God of Light. The Light of Two Worlds possesses the power to cut all things.

Looking at the Basic Attributes the Light of Two Worlds provided, Shi Feng finally understood why people wielding Legendary Weapons could transcend tiers.

A Tier 3 player wielding this thing could probably beat up Tier 4 players.

While holding the Light of Two Worlds, Shi Feng inadvertently recalled the several heaven-defying feats that had taken place in his previous life. Back then, players who had been lucky enough to get their hands on Legendary Weapons while still at Tier 3 had actively hunted all sorts of Tier 4 players. While the Legendary Weapons those players wielded weren't as strong as the Light of Two Worlds, the Basic Attributes those weapons provided had still been more than enough for Tier 3 players to trounce Tier 4

players. Only Tier 4 players with highly developed Mana Bodies and several Fragmented Legendary items could contend against a Tier 3 player wielding a Legendary Weapon.

After Shi Feng equipped the Light of Two Worlds, his Strength Attribute instantly skyrocketed to 190,000. Now, he was only slightly inferior to the average Tier 6 God-ranked player.

Now, I can put up a fight even against Tier 6 God-ranked experts. Shi Feng's confidence rose as he looked at the weapon in his hand.

Now, even if he had to go up against the mysterious youth, he wouldn't be completely powerless to resist.

Following this, Shi Feng began familiarizing himself with the fully recovered Light of Two Worlds. After training for five hours, he received a call from Fire Dance.

"Guild Leader, I've found their base camp. They're hiding in the Shadow Forest, outside the Twin Towers Kingdom."