

RE-BIRTH OF A GENIUS. CREATOR/DESTROYER

Chapter 241: Headache for Duke

In the southern star city, the Duke is having a great headache, the next day after the funeral of the General Spark, he got two important news. One is the Blaze city fields were destroyed and, in that place, there is a formation which would let the magma flow out like a river if destroyed.

The next thing is the news brought by the Deputy General or now the new General of the military from the Violet Dew family.

The news is about how Sam threatened them that if Kelly is harmed then he would massacre the whole Violet Dew family irrespective of the age, gender and their innocence.

From what he understood; Sam never did anything to the innocent people no matter how much he craved revenge. He didn't kill the soldiers when he was going against the whole battalion by himself.

Even now, he destroyed to large fields and a mine, but there are no casualties at all.

The Duke has to agree that he wouldn't be able to do so even with his power, there would definitely be some casualties but Sam is playing carefully in order not to cause that.

But now, if Sam gets pissed off about his method, by holding his friends hostage, then this streak of careful planning might end and he might go on a rampage.

But it was too late. Now that the news was already spread there is nothing much we can do.

They have to wait and see how Sam would react. But there is one more thing that grabbed their attention.

Sam's, travelling speed. He was at Herb Village one day and in the Blaze city two days later.

This is something out of their expectations. They didn't expect that Sam would have a transportation means of this level.

They felt that it is almost impossible and there is also another possibility and that is a group of people are helping Sam do these things. But they don't know which to consider and only has one choice left and that is to consider both possibilities. From the first one they have to think of Sam's next attack plan and for the second one, they have to increase the investigation and also consider the possibilities that there are more groups out there.

But the amount of skill and the methods of planning these attacks are very high end that a person who is not as skilled as Sam wouldn't be able to execute it. He felt as if the emperor had opened a Pandora's box.

He doesn't know how to react and he has yet to report to the emperor about the fields and how Sam is going on a rampage all over the southern star.

"General Mercury. Alert all the people who are in charge of guarding all the government properties and mostly herbs, do not let them slack off, increase the manpower and make sure that they stay on the spot around the clock.

We need to make sure that Sam doesn't get to attack the third time.

Also, make the word spread that using his friends as a hostage is just a rumour and the Duke himself rejected it directly.

Stop the word of Herb Village and Blaze city spreading, I don't want the word to reach the Emperor before we catch Sam."

"General Fischer." The Deputy General who just got promoted stood up.

"You will be investigating the Blaze city and Herb village. See what method he used to destroy the fields and also see if there are any clues and traces left

and see if it was a single operation or a group one and how many members if it was a group one. Tighten the leash on the transport routes.

Check the forests deeper in every city and villages surroundings. Publish his friends who are with him on the run and also increase the bounties. I want the whole Dukedom to be skimmed and searched. I want Sam alive or dead in a week.

In fifteen days, the time he gave us will be over. We have to think and find a way to stop him before that, otherwise, there would be hell to pay.

From what he said, he would definitely start targeting the officials from that day. We should definitely find a way to catch him from that. Use all the means necessary."

But before he could finish giving his orders, his face changed, he immediately stood up and went towards a small room in the mansion. There a screen was blinking wildly and the platform was in front of it. He placed his hand on that platform and the screen stopped blinking revealing an image of Emperor.

"Duke Carton, it seems like you have something important to say to me, but you didn't say it yet. What is the matter?"

Duke's face turned pale and he bowed down his head as he sweated profusely. He doesn't know what to say and he certainly didn't expect that Emperor would know this sooner than he expected.

"I heard that wimp gave you guys one month and it is almost over, so what is your plan?"

"Your Majesty, I will definitely catch him in a week. Dead or Alive. Please give me another chance."

The emperor stayed silent for a second and said.

"How did the General Die?"

Duke suddenly gulped in fear as he remembered the death of the general, he explained what happened step by step and how much the General has to suffer as his body was rotten gradually. He shivered at every sentence.

Emperor frowned and said.

"Publish that Sam is a traitor to the core and killed the General because he was in cahoots with the enemy empire, he is a terrorist who entered the empire discreetly so that he could cause chaos. Anyone who can kill him will receive an amount of 100 million spirit stones.

I will give the same order all around the empire.

Since he wants to be my enemy, then let him see how it feels to be hunted by every citizen in the empire. Make sure that he doesn't do more damage."

The Emperor cut the communication off and Duke was feeling a great headache regarding his order.

He doesn't know how Sam would react. He has yet to see his reaction on using his friends as a hostage and now they are attacking Sam's character again. If that guy goes crazy and takes it out on every citizen who is tempted by the bounty, the empire will see a greater loss of lives than war.

He is worried, but he cannot just ignore the emperor's orders, so he wanted to downplay it a bit. Nobody likes it when their character is attacked and Sam wouldn't be an exception.

Sam even trained an excellent battalion and occupied a strategic war location near the Red rock canyon. And now he is being labelled as a terrorist just because of a personal grudge.

If it was himself, he would be pissed off too but since he was loyal to the empire, he would try to prove his innocence but Sam is not like that, he can

stay where ever he wants and do whatever he wants and he is extremely vengeful. So, much that it is more troublesome than poking a hornet's nest.

He will haunt them like ghosts and they don't even know how they got killed at all.

He knew that the emperor is angry but this is just adding fuel to the fire.

But there is nothing in his hands but to obey orders and do some damage control.

He walked back to the meeting room and gave out the new orders gloomily.

Meanwhile, Sam is travelling towards the northernmost forests of the southern star to catch the chinchilla.

When he visited the count city of that area which is also called the Brass county, he was thinking about something. What if his action implicated the guards and all the people who are in charge of the places he started damaging?

Although, he wouldn't be bothered with some lives that would be lost in the struggle the problem is that he is a man of his word and he wouldn't take any lives until this month is over.

So, he started thinking of a plan to see how he can not implicate these people and he found a plausible one.

He stayed for three days in the Brass county and did some research on the underground forces and finally found the Blackwater Head Quarters.

There is a secret point where one can give a mission, he disguised himself and entered the place.

"What do you want?"

The agent asked.

"You wouldn't be able to accept the mission of this scale."

"Oh, really?" The agent was amused. "How much do you think the mission would cost, that I wouldn't be able to process it?"

"This would be a long-lasting mission and for starters how about a billion?"

The agent was stumped. He didn't know if Sam was joking or he is for real.

"You can ask your boss to show up, and he can deal with this. If I don't make a real deal, I would die anyway, don't you think so?"

The agent nodded and said after a brief silence.

"GO to this place, he is the supervisor of all of us. He would be able to deal with that mission and if he cannot do that, I don't know who can."

He gave Sam an address, which Sam actually knew. He only paid a visit to this place to avoid suspicions.

Sam visited the address in the evening, it is a house in the slums, and in the whole house, there is only one table and two chairs on either side of it.

Sam walked in and sat on the chair and soon a middle-aged man came out.

"I heard that you have a very big mission, May I know what is it that you want to pay that much? How many do you want to hire for this?"

"I want to hire the whole Blackwater in the Orion for a while, with a billion per month."

The middle-aged man was shocked and then a faint killing intent started emitting from his body.

"Don't even think about killing me. If I don't go back in half-an-hour, there would be the news of Blackwater delivered to the doorstep of the Count and then in two days to the Marquis and so on."

"Who are you?" the middle-aged man controlled his emotions and asked.

"I am someone who you probably heard off; I want to talk to your boss. I have a big mission and all the Blackwater has to do is do some publicity for me and you will get paid a Billion per month. It would be in spirit stones, herbs and minerals.

I don't think you are fit enough to make the decision, let us go and meet your boss."

RE-BIRTH OF A GENIUS. CREATOR/DESTROYER

Chapter 242: Miners town

That night, Sam came out of an old house with a smile on his face. He just made a huge deal which will also give him some advantages.

Although, Black water is something he would destroy sooner or later, that doesn't mean he cannot use it for his own reasons.

The next day, the whole empire has rumours starting about something. Sam has destroyed the fields under the imperial authority due to his conflict with the emperor and because the officials are incompetent that they cannot catch Sam, they started taking their anger on Sam's friends and the people low level guards who are responsible for guarding the fields.

They are even planning on executing them. This rumour was fresh out of over and the people who have nothing better than gossip started spreading out like wild fire. Even the authorities started hearing the news soon enough and they started to panic.

They wanted to quell the rumours but the source is nowhere to be found.

Sam is using the Blackwater to do this. In a war particularly an internal war, the one with most information will have a higher chance to win. And one with the control over the information will have even higher possibilities.

Sam knew how deep the Blackwater penetrated into the empire and he has enough money to use them.

Now, the whole Black water will not only be providing intel to him, they will also be manipulating the information according to his wishes.

This will make things very much easier for him and after that, there was another news that spread that Sam is in the Indigo city.

The officials of the Indigo city got alerted and didn't know how to react. General Fischer though started his journey towards the Indigo city.

Meanwhile, Sam is far away from the Indigo city and is now catching the Long-tailed chinchilla.

This chinchilla is unlike other rodent species. Generally, the rodents will be a bane to all types of vegetation but this chinchilla is a boon for them.

This chinchilla is a natural fertiliser machine and that fertiliser is something that works wonders.

The Long-tailed chinchilla generally feeds on all kinds of plants whether they are spiritual herbs or not. And the excrement of this chinchilla has a sixty percent chance of producing a seed of the herb it consumed or the excrement will be a highly valuable fertiliser for the same kind of plant.

But the problem is if they eat spiritual herbs, they would be dying soon due to spiritual energy poisoning and their carcasses are something that the beasts would go crazy about. But the problem is the plants that grew off of these excrements will not be too pure and they would be like a mass-produced knockoff compared to a handmade antique.

So, nobody would use these for cultivating herbs and when they are in the forests, they would increase the vegetation a lot which would attract all types of herbivore beasts and which would in turn attract the carnivores. This small rodent can start a food chain in a place.

But the main ability of these chinchillas that attracted Sam here, is that their digestion. They are almost incapable of diarrhoea. Yes, they actually don't take the nutrient content of any plant rather they would take the vitality of the plant that too not completely. This is the main reason for their excrements to have this type of quality.

And why does Sam need these and not just one? That is for the next operation, he is going to use these small harmless chinchillas and these would be one of the major players too.

They are going to execute the operation and Sam doesn't even have to do much work.

After four days, he went to the place where he planned to meet with Watt and Jack. They are already waiting for him there and what is Philip doing, he is in the library.

He is in the library browsing through all the Artisan data.

Even though, he is already a Great realm cultivator, he is still fixated on being an Artisan, Sam doesn't have many objections. Even though, the information is valuable, Sam doesn't have a problem sharing it with a friend.

And now he doesn't have much to do anyway.

The Place Sam met with Watt is the north-eastern corner of the southern Star Dukedom and last main source of the Dukedom.

That is right, this is Sam's last target in the southern star.

Authorities are having a misconception that Sam is destroying all their resources one by one, but no. Sam is destroying only the main resources of the Southern Star. The main income and the supply sources right under the imperial authority.

He doesn't have time or energy to mess with the minor resources of the southern star. And the presence of these minor resources is going to be one of the players in his big plan, so he is not going to deal with them.

Now he is in a town named the Miner's town. The name of the town is self-explanatory. Near this town, there are many metal mines and this place is where the miners and their families stay.

The majority of the weapons, armors and all kinds of war supplies that uses metals get their source of metal from this town.

The elemental metals are not that common and most of them use the neutral metals. The elemental metal mines are completely under the Artisan tower control as they leased them from the empire that is for almost a century.

How does Sam know? That is one of the perks of being an Artisan that too a high-level one. Chaya gave him this information.

Now, these mines are going to utter waste at least the people of the empire.

Because, Sam is going to use a plant and the Chinchilla in combination.

Yes, the Plant that Watt and Jack went to get.

This is looks just like a type of grass and it grows where the mineral content is high, particularly a metallic one and an abundance of rocky terrain. This plant has another function and that is releasing some kind of gas.

This gas is invisible and it causes extreme nausea.

The main advantage is that this grass doesn't even grow that long.

It will grow very short and in very small creeks. It doesn't even take that long. Even though, due to its size the gas expulsion is not that effective and only works in the smaller range, the mines are places where the space is compact and dark.

This place is an extremely great place to use this.

In this place it is extremely great to use this, since getting rid of it is also difficult. As for just burning the whole thing, it is actually a worst thing to do, because if it burn in a large quantity, there would be some serious diarrheal affects for the inhaler and the entire Miner's town wouldn't be able to escape from the effects.

If inhaled in high amounts, even the Nascent stage cultivators will have bear the suffering.

But before he does that, Sam has to train these chinchillas.

Even though, he doesn't like doing this, he has to and at least these chinchillas wouldn't be seriously harmed.

Right now, Sam is using the negative reinforcement training.

He placed all kinds of plants that these chinchillas eat along with the Nausea grass. If these chinchillas eat any other plant than the Nausea grass, they would receive a splash of water from Sam.

This went on for two days and after that, Sam had the shadow mice over and explained them how things work and what to eat what not to eat.

Why didn't he tell them earlier? The chinchillas don't have as high intelligence as other beasts, they only act on their instincts.

After two days of explanation. Sam left these chinchillas discreetly in the mines.

But he didn't leave them by themselves, he stayed in the mice for the next week along with these chinchillas. So, that they won't die in the hands of the miners, but his worries are unfounded, the miners didn't care much about the rodents because they are actually looking exactly like a type of mouse species that live in mines.

And since the miner got used to them, they didn't care much about chinchillas.

After a week in the mines, Sam caught all chinchillas back and went away.

He visited one of the abandoned mines and made a mark on it.

"SAM WAS HERE."

His friends all sat there and had a barbeque in the open.

As they drank some fresh fruit juice along with the beasts.

Sam laid down and was thinking how far he has come since the start of his journey in this world.

It has been three years and now he is starting a fight with the whole empire. The Emperor who can kill him in a wink is now his enemy and not only did he piss him off, he is playing with the whole empire and making him even more mad and now he is have barbeque out in the open with his friends.

"What is our next plan?" Philip asked.

"You are asking as if you are doing something. You are going to hole up in that library again."

Before Sam could reply, Jack already fired back.

"I am trying to increase my arsenal of knowledge so that I can work better in the future, what the hell do you know?" Philip said in mock anger.

"Okay, stop it. We have to see the results of the work before going anywhere. So, we will wait for a while and see how the Empire will react."

"Then, we are on leave till then. Hurray."

Philip started cheering.

"Tssk. Like you care. You are on holiday from the start." This time it is Watt.

"Watt, you are also going against me? Don't think I would beat you up."

"Like, hell you can beat me up. I am not afraid of you."

Just like that, the four youngsters who are in a war with the empire are having barbeque while cheering and bickering.

RE-BIRTH OF A GENIUS. CREATOR/DESTROYER

Chapter 243: Label as Terrorist

Sam moved to the nearby forests with his friends and this time, he arranged his stay deep inside a lake.

He is waiting for the aftermath of the things he had done. He is waiting for the imperial authority to realize that he is not messing around and their threats and smearing his name is a form of Childs play.

From his calculations and predictions, the day his deadline would be over is the day the results of his actions would be famous around the empire.

The first thing is when Sam is messing around in the miner's town, the investigators found the message he left near the Indigo Sea City. The message he left with the stone arrangement.

Then they knew that trouble is brewing and the newly found large traffic of people who are mining the aqua crystal is not helping.

They don't know what Sam even did. But one day, they learned what he did in a hard way and that came after the first attack of the Grey Fin porpoises.

A shoal of Porpoises directly entered the region and went straight ahead towards the Under Water mine.

They attacked without even caring about the defensive formation and the worst part is that the leader of that Shoal is a Level 5 Beast and the underlings are Level 4 Beasts. They didn't expect a single shoal would be this powerful and the attack is only a starting point.

They finally managed to defeat the shoal with great difficulty, but the main problem came after that.

The whole Porpoise family seemed to have gotten angry because of their attack and all of them attacked as a whole and then only the guarding team felt a huge pressure.

The huge pressure of tens of Level 6 Beasts and an aura that is even beyond that. A level seven beast is actually a very high level and it is on par with the Marshall. But if the fight is in the water then even the emperor would have some trouble dealing with them and they can feel more than one presence of such caliber.

"There seemed to be several Pre-transcendent beasts and that only means, there would be a transcendent beast leading them. What is happening? How did we ignore this level of threat all these years?"

The level of cultivation of the Beasts and humans is almost same. Level 6 equals a Nascent cultivator. The next one would be Level 7 beasts which would equal a Pre-transcendent cultivator, which is the next stage of cultivation after Nascent.

And the next one Level 8 beasts, include the Transcendent Mortal Cultivators.

Because after the Nascent stage, a cultivator will not be a normal human but he is still mortal. These names are given based on their unnatural lifespan which would increase drastically after their breakthrough to these stages.

Sam is still far from this anyway, but he did have his info and when the news got to him, he was stunned. The Transcendent Porpoise wouldn't even be attracted to the Spiritual stone mines, but their community is so close-knit and this would make things completely different.

The first shoal which strayed into the area of the mines, only charged at the mine as they are attracted to the spiritual energy, but the humans attacked

them. Although they fled in the defeat, the rest of the porpoises wouldn't be so lenient.

The next attack was accompanied by hundreds of Level 4 and Level 5 followed by tens of Level 6.

They didn't even have to attack, because as soon as they entered the area, the humans in charge of mining in the two areas left the place.

Just like that the underwater mines are gone and the mines at the shore are the only things left but within ten days, they are also gone.

Now, the seashore became a restricted zone.

Even Sam didn't expect that things would be like this. He didn't expect the scale of the threat these porpoises would cause. He obviously didn't expect that the Porpoise community have a Level 8 as their leader.

He also wondered no matter how big the beast is and how strong it is, they are still irritated by the small aqua crystal which causes irritation to them and they are averse to it.

He was stunned about this because, from what he understood, the Level 8 can just ignore all of these, heck, it can ignore the attack from a lightning strike while it was still in the water at that level. But now it is still showing an aversion to aqua crystal, and it is still sticking to its basic instincts.

Anyway, simply put, the whole coastline was a lost cause for the Empire.

They lost all the resources, including the mines, the seafood, coral materials for auxiliary purposes, everything.

Now, if they want to have some seawater they have to think twice.

The Porpoises took a hold of all the coastline.

At this moment, General Fischer was shocked by the sudden development and he has a feeling that this situation is somehow related to Sam.

But he doesn't know, how and at this moment, a letter was dropped at the doorstep of his temporary house.

"How are the Porpoises? By the way, if you want to blame someone, blame the people who plundered the Aqua crystal. The crystal is the one keeping the Porpoises at bay, and now that they took them out you all have new neighbors to share the sea.

_Sam."

General Fischer, collapsed into his chair and he didn't know how to react. Sam really did up his game. Since the Duke kidnapped his friends, he made the people themselves ruin the whole coastline. A sea which is a treasure trove is now a danger zone where they can only go but never to return.

If the people knew that their greed was the one which made this, how would they feel? If they knew that their emperor pissed off someone and their Duke pissed off that person even more by holding his friends hostage and that person just went on took their anger out on them. How would they feel?

Now, the people of the empire are also getting involved. He has a feeling that if things haven't escalated Sam would have just taken care of the mines and left the place.

At this moment, another shocking news came to his notice and that is Sam's signature was left in one of the abandoned mines near Miner's town.

This made his heart turn cold. He can guess what Sam would have done to the mine.

So, he asked.

"What is the situation?"

When he understood the situation, he doesn't even know what to do anymore. Everyone is Nauseated in the mines? When they tried to burn out any form of gases, they are having diarrhea?

He didn't even know to react or report the situation so he left the job to the person in charge. After calming down a bit, he went over all the situations and he found out one thing in common. And that is Sam didn't harm the people directly and he didn't do any drastic.

He made his moves, discreetly and he didn't even damage the core of any resource with an irreversible attack.

Of course, the fields and mines cannot be remedied and not anytime soon and they didn't have any methods, but that doesn't mean, Sam doesn't know about them. As far he was concerned if Sam wanted to damage them permanently he can just blast them off as he did with the Van family.

But there is no such thing.

He immediately called Duke from the nearby Marquis mansion and reported his observation.

Then only they came to the conclusion that Sam is going easy on them and when the Duke recalled the Emperor's new orders, he suddenly became fearful.

All this while, they only smeared Sam as a thief and he acted mildly, if the order of the Emperor reaches and that makes all the people hate Sam. This might make him act like a terrorist.

After all, no matter how much a person avoids the opinion of all the other people's opinions, it is still too much for a prideful youngster to bear millions of people calling him a terrorist, cursing him.

Emperor wants to use public opinion to make it hard for Sam. He wants Sam to lose his cool and go crazy in which situation a person is very highly prone to make mistakes.

Better, if Sam's breaks down completely mentally, that would be great for them.

But is Sam really a normal person?

All this time, they just saw Sam doing damage, but they didn't gauge the scale of the damage he did and certainly didn't analyze his actions. Now, if they consider their new observation, things might not be good for them.

It would be better if those things don't happen, he took a deep breath and gave an order to manipulate the rumors and made his subordinates not publicize Sam as a terrorist. But the worst part is that he is very late.

Right now, Sam is looking at a letter passed to him by the Blackwater agent about the news of him and his friends being terrorists. He has an extremely evil smile on his face.

RE-BIRTH OF A GENIUS. CREATOR/DESTROYER

Chapter 244: The Guardian

Sam held the letter in his hands and closed his eyes. Right now, he is back in the lake in which the divine dimension was held.

Philip looked at the letter and the contents in it surprised him too.

He didn't expect that they would be labeled as a terrorist. He was thinking if Sam is sad, or angry or depressed, but he wasn't able to guess his emotion.

After some time, he braced himself and asked.

"How are you? What should we do next?"

Sam opened his eyes and an evil smile appeared on his face.

He stood up and said.

"I have had many titles in my life and I earned every one of them and to be honest I don't like anything that comes free without my efforts and qualifications. So, now that I am awarded a title I never possessed or worked hard for, how about I make it real?"

They have seen me as an artisan, they have seen me being a fighter, they have seen me being a formation expert, they have seen me being a military trainer and they have seen me being a businessman. They have seen me in all these forms, so they gave me those titles.

Now, they haven't seen me being a terrorist, but now they are giving this to me.

So, I will let them see me being a terrorist."

He looked at Philip who was surprised by Sam's words and said in a cold voice.

"And what does a terrorist do? Create terror.

Emperor was too long in that place that he felt, the vanity, greed, luxury, respect, reverence. He felt them for too long that they went into his head and made him think he can do whatever he wants, but now, I will make him feel terror.

Everything I have been, I was always unique and now I will become a terrorist who is one of a kind and will show how the terror feels.

The whole world shall tremble and think once, twice, thrice... tens of times and hundreds of times, before labeling me with something.

I will make the Emperor, quiver in his boots. I will make him regret being born. By the time I am done with him, he should feel like asking my permission to breathe."

Sam yelled at the end of the sentence as he looked upwards.

He looked at Watt and said.

"Get ready, we are going to be really busy."

After that, he came out and took out the Harbinger as he moved towards his next location.

He is traveling towards the South-western star Dukedom.

The next target of his plans.

But this time, he is not going to use the same methods as before.

Everything comes with a price. Even though he doesn't care what other people think, he doesn't care how people curse at him. The Emperor still doesn't have enough right to label him a terrorist.

His pride and arrogance are not allowing that to happen, at least not without paying a certain price and for every title he earned, Sam paid a price. And for being the terrorist they called him; they have to pay the price.

All this while, he didn't cause much harm to the natural resources because he didn't think that nature is the one that has to suffer due to man's mistakes and every natural resource is a gift.

And after this empire is dissolved, the neighboring empire will take the lead to merge this one.

At that time, the people will not have any problems as the places he had messed with can be repaired back to normal, but now, since he is a terrorist and people chose to believe so, they have to suffer a bit.

Since the Emperor wants to use people against him, two can play this game.

At the city which is the border of the south-western star Dukedom and the southern star. Sam stopped a bit and visited the local Blackwater branch.

He has a token in his hand which will give access to all branches in the empire and he can collect info and give tasks from any black water branch.

But how does he know that Blackwater won't betray him? Because, in most cases, shady organizations have more integrity than the government.

That is true in both of his lives.

The government due to its dominance and their face of 'righteousness' always feels superior and conceited. They slowly forget the fact that they are in a symbiotic relationship with the people, but the shady organization who do organized crimes stays in the dark enjoying the little freedom they have to know that their existence depends on their payers who are essentially people.

And a big client like Sam is not something they want to lose. So, they finished their tasks sincerely.

Right now, Sam is here to look for information and to pass on some information.

"Pass on the info that I entered the Southern Star and add a statement, Any man who has balls can try and catch me and give them info on which places I am going to attack. And this time, I wouldn't care about any person that is on guard. I am not responsible for their lives.

Tell the citizens that Sam who is now a terrorist is going to be one for real since authorities painted him to be. Tell them that their lives are just now sold away that since the empire doesn't care about him, he doesn't care about the citizens of the empire if they want to live, tell them to stay away from me.

Then do some publicity in Southern Star..."

Sam gave all the information left and right and moved away.

He went into the divine dimension in the woods and said to Philip and Jack.

"I think this is the last chance you will get if you want to leave. This time, the shit is real. It wouldn't be as smooth sailing and this time a lot of other people other than authorities will also become our enemies, the history will write me down as the villain who tore down the empire into pieces and if you don't want to bear the guilt or weight on your shoulder, it is better to leave now.

I will drop you at the border of the empire, and you would be able to leave and escape, you can even join the thunder god temple."

All he got in reply was silence. If you want to prepare, then go and train yourself. We are having tough days ahead and go train for sneaking and assassinations and escaping techniques."

For these words though, both of them ran towards the second floor of the tower. Sam looked at Watt and said.

"Go and train. I have to go hardware mode."

Meanwhile, in the imperial capital and the imperial palace.

A man whom Sam is familiar with just walked in. He is the person that Sam was warier the most in this life and a man who Sam didn't understand at all.

He entered the imperial palace as if it was his own home. He entered the imperial court and yelled.

"Emperor Orion, come out here."

Emperor came out and looked at the man angrily.

"Vickers, how many times did I tell you? Don't call me like I am your servant. I am the emperor."

Yes, this man is Vickers who is also the person who Sam met before.

The creepy middle-aged man who deduced that Sam has two elements with a glance. This man is the one whom Sam couldn't deduce.

"You can blabber about your fragile ego later. I am here to take about something else." Vickers was pretty serious, unlike the time when he talked to Sam.

"What is it?"

"What is my promise for the empire?"

"Why are you asking that now?"

Vickers just stayed silent and the emperor continued.

"You will guard and save the empire in case of invasion to save the empire."

"What is my role then?"

"Guardian of the Empire."

"You do remember that I won't bother about the internal conflicts that your government and you create right?"

Emperor frowned at this and said.

"What do you mean by this?"

"Sam."

"You know that guy?"

"Better than you think? Do you know what kind of person he is? Are you tired of your authority?"

"Do you think a little wimp can threaten my authority?"

"Authority? Your head will roll in a few months. Do you think he is some kind of little kid that you can throw your weight around? Now branding him as a terrorist? Are you out of your mind? If he really does defect to the enemy empire, the armies of yours wouldn't be much use at all.

Do you know, how he can train a battalion and won a city that your big ass armies couldn't even get?

If he trains their armies, what do you think happens?

And he killed a General a Nascent stage cultivator like a dog which died of rabies. Just because you are stronger than a Nascent, you think you can escape fate?

You might be stronger than a Nascent, for him, a Nascent or a Transcendent doesn't differ much since the power difference is too vast.

He can think of a way to kill a Nascent, he can think of a way to kill a transcendent. It doesn't matter. If you don't try to make a truce with him, you don't come running towards me. I wouldn't care and by the way. The indigo sea and all the coastline is compromised.

There is a transcendent level Porpoise along with more than ten Pre-transcendent level Porpoises occupying the whole coastline. Good luck dealing with that."

RE-BIRTH OF A GENIUS. CREATOR/DESTROYER

Chapter 245: Attack and Escape

After saying what he has to say, Vickers left the place. His promise to the empire was only guarding external threats, not internal threats and issues, and certainly not an issue that involves the fragile ego of the emperor.

He has to keep an eye on a lot of things himself. He came here so that he can show how serious he is about this whole thing and advise the emperor to not push Sam's buttons.

And most of it is because of some selfish reason. That is, he is not confident that he could handle Sam if he defected to the enemy empire.

That is right, he has followed Sam's actions and the most important observation he made was about his talent in military training. He can fight with the enemy emperor of his level, but he cannot attack the lower-level soldiers which would be unethical.

But if Sam is on the other side, he has absolutely zero confidence that the Orion could win.

It is crazy that one young man could make this much difference, but that is the sad truth, which he cannot deny.

But his efforts are wasted, not because the emperor didn't heed his words. But rather it is already useless that Sam is already pissed off plenty and he lost all kinds of thoughts on a truce.

Right now, he is moving towards a metal elemental spirit stone mine in the Southwestern star Dukedom.

The word about his challenge to the emperor and his declaration that he would be the terrorist they labeled out to be stunned the citizens, now they started questioning the authenticity of the emperor's notice.

But the next information diverted their attention. It is news about how Sam killed a General by careful planning.

This news coupled with the first news that Sam would be behaving like a terrorist, they suddenly have a fear of being attacked.

Particularly, the workers in the mines and fields.

They don't know how to deal with this. They felt as if there was an invisible sword hanging over their necks.

And they are seriously considering leaving the mines. But at this moment, an interesting announcement came from the son of the Duke of South Western Star. He is not of the same age group as Sam.

He is a Grand Realm cultivator and he is the same age as the crown prince.

"Nobody has to worry about this person named Sam. He is just a toddler who doesn't know what he is playing with. I don't believe he can kill the General nor does he have the probability to.

All the people from mines and fields work properly. And if this bastard wants to deal with you guys, he has to go through me."

When Sam heard this word to word notice, he smirked and said to his friends.

"I think we need to take a detour."

After that, they went straight to the Dukedom capital and since it is not that far away, he reached in a day. They are inside the South-western star city and Sam is already planning to deal with this guy. After all, he did say the b-word and he has to pay the price for that.

And three days later. In the night, there was a projectile that was shot over towards the son of the Duke and a huge blast occurred. Completely tearing down the whole manor along with the son of the Duke.

This is due to the impact cannon. But what Sam shot wasn't an impact crystal shell, rather is an energy cell.

He just destabilized the cell and shot it fast enough for it to hit that person.

Although, the blast couldn't harm a Nascent a Grand realm cultivator is still within the reach. After the death of the Person, Sam shouted on top of his lungs in the south-western star city, his voice reaching almost half of the city.

"If you want to live, you better keep your mouth shut and mind your own business. Because, if I want you dead, then you are dead. There is no safety guaranteed for your life and even your imperial family cannot guard you, from me."

He left the city as fast he got in here.

This almost made all the Nascent stage cultivators and Grand realm cultivators look like fools. Sam turned out to be a real pain in the ass.

And the worst part is they cannot request any assistance from the Imperial capital because Sam is only a Great realm cultivator and a Dukedom has multiple Nascents, this is embarrassing to even ask.

But what can they do? Sam has a pretty versatile and useful object. The Divine dimension. In the higher realms, the Divine dimension is something very valuable and precious. Even Ling Tian who gave Sam this Divine Dimension wouldn't have thought that Sam would use this like an escaping device.

This can be considered as borderline shamelessness. Because Sam is using the ignorance of the people at themselves to come and go into their houses as they please.

But this time, the attack didn't come without any repercussions. Every official was afraid of him now, but one person is enraged by him and that is the Duke himself.

This time, the reaction is not that mild as in the southern star. This Duke threw caution to the wind and sent the whole city guard command and the soldiers in the base after Sam.

They just swarmed all the surrounding woods and Sam who is getting ready for his journey towards his original destination was stunned by this.

He can move as fast as a Peak Level 5 beast that is when is only concentrating on traveling.

And now that the whole forest is swarmed and disrupted, things wouldn't be so smooth.

He didn't expect that the reaction would be this strong. Sam is actually impressed by the decisiveness of the Duke.

And although his decision might seem to be in a fit of anger, it is actually the right thing to do.

Because they knew that Sam is using the woods to travel and since they don't know his destination or location it is hard to locate him as the area of the search will be large.

But now they knew where Sam is due to the latter's dominant declaration. Although it struck fear in people which as Sam desired, it also gave away his location, and judging from the place he is, one can easily imagine his next location.

The metal mines of the south-western star.

There is only one proper route and if they can swarm the forest surrounding this area, they have a possibility of catching Sam.

Yes, of course, there would be some lives that would be lost in the process. But considering the amount of threat Sam could pose towards the empire, it would be the best choice. This choice is something that the Duke of the southern star couldn't make and Sam went away scot-free.

Now, Sam is in the middle of the forest standing below a tree.

He has two options and one of them is travel with shadow mice and be careful that the beasts wouldn't disturb, which almost impossible because shadow mice are great nutrients for snake type beasts.

One of the reasons they wouldn't be able to survive in the wild.

The second option is for him to just enter the divine dimension and wait it out. Slowly move with the Drunkard underground.

But the problem is that there is a chance that these guys might try to search underground and the last thing he wants is getting his divine dimension crystal in the hands of these guys.

They wouldn't be able to store it in their storage rings, but they might just put it in close monitoring. Of course, he can still escape but that would expose his secret.

He chose the third option and that is getting rid of these guys forcefully. He wouldn't change his plan, he has to go and destroy those metal mines, but before that, he has to force these guys to stop following his trail.

From what he estimated, there is a Nascent and more than ten Grand realm cultivators along with many Great realm cultivators.

They are advancing very cautiously and Sam might have another five minutes before they reach him.

Sam took out an energy crystal and destabilized it. But he didn't throw it towards them, he threw it towards the deeper sides of the forest.

And with that, he made his move. After the explosion occurred, the beasts suddenly became restless and Sam moved towards the explosion. The troops who are after him followed him towards the explosion area.

But this didn't stop. Sam took a smaller sized energy crystal which is as big as his fist and threw it deeper and deeper inside the forest.

By now, the chaos in the forest grew too much and suddenly there is a huge aura that came from deep inside the forest. Sam smirked at this, he took out another smaller energy crystal and threw it from the place where the aura is coming from and this time, he suddenly changed directions and moved towards the troops.

A large elephant type beast followed him. And behind that elephant even more, elephant type beasts started coming.

These are the lords of this territory and the forest is their home, since their home was being destroyed of course they would come out.

At this moment, the Nascent who just entered the forest due to the explosions was stunned to feel the aura of the elephants charging towards him.

His mind went blank and his attention was successfully drawn away from Sam.

And this all Sam needed.

After luring the beasts towards them, he took out harbinger and suddenly hovered in the sky.

He disappeared in a flash as if he was never there.

The Nascent who is in charge of the pursuit couldn't even decide what to do.

Because he knew about these elephant beasts. The ones that came out are only Level 4 and Level 5 but the elephants live in communities and their leader is Level 6.

If he doesn't handle the situation properly, there will definitely be a problem awaiting them.

The elephants might damage the city.

So, he started ordering the soldiers to retreat slowly.

Sam escaped the situation smoothly. Even though, it seemed like the situation was easy for him. He is on tenterhooks. The energy cells are a pain in the ass, as it can mutually destruct him along with the enemy.

The shadow mice are not very suitable in the wild. Because their presence is not insignificant but it is not strong enough for the beasts to avoid it.

The drunkard can only fool the vision, not other senses.

He can still escape by using the divine dimension. But this would bring some speculations. Sam might consider himself superior but he would never think that all the people in the empire are stupid.

He knew better than anyone else, that speculations based on logic tend to be right most of the time and Sam disappearing from a place instantly will draw some speculations and if this report went to the higher-ups and someone who knows about the divine dimension might give him a hard time. After all, there is no guarantee that the divine dimension is invincible.

Now, with his actions, he can stop some of the speculations and the people will think that he always used the forest as the only cover.

As for his sneaking into the city, they can employ it to the disguise techniques and his skills.

RE-BIRTH OF A GENIUS. CREATOR/DESTROYER

Chapter 246: Metal Mines

The Metal mines are quite close to the Southwestern star and it is quite risky for Sam to make any flashy moves.

If it was like previous mines in the southern star, it is still alright because all his methods are discreet and complicated.

But now that he needs to teach the emperor a lesson for painting him as a terrorist. Sam has to do something flashy. He has to create terror in the citizens, workers, and officials.

The best way to do that would be killing people left and right, but Sam doesn't like that much, so he is going to choose the second-best option.

He will do the damage in a fearful way. He doesn't need to kill the people directly, but it is necessary to make sure that they know that he can kill them.

And the fear of an unknown person holding their life in their hands and a motive behind him to act. This is something hard to overcome.

Sam moved towards the Metal mines at his full speed.

Unknowingly, he made a good decision by luring the beasts towards the forces from the south-western star.

Because, of that, he realized that the metal mines, wouldn't be able to get reinforcements that easily and with this, he got a new idea and discovered a new way of attacking the cities and Dukedoms.

That is using the beasts and he can do the same to the Metal mines.

These metal mines of this dukedom have three mines. One of them is the metal elemental stones and the other two are the mines of two different metals.

If the three spots that he destroyed in the Southern Star are the three major resources of the southern star. Then this place is only one major resource of the Southwestern Star.

Of course, there are some minor mines and herb fields but they can hardly satisfy the needs inside the Dukedom much less exporting.

But this mine is major source of trade of this Dukedom. Not only does it satisfy the needs of the Dukedom's metal elemental stone supply.

The southern star and the southeastern star get their metal elemental stone supply from here.

Now, Sam is staring at this place from a nearby mountain and was planning on how to deal with this.

He can use the Chinchillas again, but the required effect couldn't be achieved at all.

He has to make some big scenes leave a seriously big and bright symbol that terrifies the people around it.

And all of it is a metallic place.

The problem at the southwestern star city will take at least a week to be over and that is judging by the fact that they can intimidate the elephants and send them back. If it becomes a battle, it will take more.

And two days are gone in the journey. So, Sam has five days to deal with this place and move on.

Since this Dukedom doesn't have any other major resources, he can just move away from here.

When he saw the metallic zone like this, he is tempted to do something with electricity. But he doesn't have a lightning element which would make it easier for him to create electricity and it is hard to create a trap like the one he created in the Blaze city.

He has to make sure that the resource wouldn't be lost and the people wouldn't be able to access it while delivering a serious blow that would cause fear in people.

He is thinking hard and after a day of thinking a single Idea popped up.

But for this, he needs the help of all his friends.

The first part of the plan is to create disorder and chaos in the area. He has to make the miners and the officials go into a state of unrest.

And for that, he has a perfect option.

The Methane Grenades which he used in the Imperial capital to deal with the trouble makers.

These grenades are great to cause some flashy damage.

The next day, four of them hovered in the sky on their beasts. They started dropping the grenades on the formation of the Metal element spiritual stone mine.

"What is happening?"

"Someone is attacking."

"Oh, shit look at that. Someone from the sky is dropping something on the formation."

The workers are in extreme unrest and Sam and the gang left the places as fast as they came.

There is no real damage at all.

"Shit. Jack, Philip formation is stronger than I thought, let us leave this place." Sam yelled on top of his lungs and four of them left the place in a hurry on their beasts. They disappeared into the nearby forest.

The formation protected all the workers, but the main thing is that the workers saw the effect of the grenade, and Sam's attack was like a probing attack, it is as if he doesn't know that the formation is there in the first place and since his attack failed, he left the place to escape.

This made people afraid. Now, that Sam knew that mine wouldn't work, what if he attacks them next. What happens to them when they are in their residence. They already heard that Sam wouldn't care about their lives now and is a full-fledged terrorist.

Even though they didn't know that the attacker was Sam, they could guess that much from the rumors, the rumors the Blackwater guys created.

The Nascent who is the guardian of the place is the one who is most frustrated.

He has kept a lookout on the surroundings of the place and is checking, the ground and sky, all the same, to see if Sam would attack.

But Sam easily sneaked past the perimeter he setup and attacked the mine. And the worst part is before he could go back to the mine, he escaped.

Sam is like a slippery loach. It is hard enough to spot him and even he was spotted he can escape swiftly. The worst part is now his friends are also attacking.

The Nascent read the report before. There was very little activity of Sam's friends, in southern star. But as soon as they are labeled as terrorists, they are also attacking.

One genius is already troublesome enough.

The guardian is cursing the emperor left and right in his heart.

The miners slowly started feeling fear and fear is extremely infectious. One by one everyone is afraid to stay near the mines and this way, the Nascent was forced to give a holiday to all the miners in three mines.

The whole mining activity was stopped and special formation has been activated which would activate on the presence of an intruder in a certain range.

But what they don't know is even before the mine was closed, a shadow mouse entered the mine completely.

Yes, Sam and his teammates are inside the mine. As soon as they escaped, the miners are in a frenzy and this is the best time to come in.

After the mine was closed, they came out. The mines are equipped with the best concealment formations that they could possibly afford. Because the leakage of the spiritual energy will attract beasts and if a powerful beast comes here, there would be some serious damage.

Right now, Sam and his friends are inside the minefield. In this minefield, there are a total of three mines. Two metals and one metal elemental spirit stone mine.

Sam has a lot of spirit stones with him and his wealth almost equals the annual output of the mine.

Generally, the spiritual stone mine wouldn't run out of supply for centuries.

They are formed by a spiritual meridian as a core which is a naturally formed concentrated spiritual energy substance and the energy that is being dissipated from it, and deposited to the surroundings causes the formation of spirit stones.

So, they stay there for centuries and Sam can only destroy them temporarily. That is why he set up a trap in the Blaze city and now also he is planning the same.

But before that, he has one more thing to do and that would be the duty of his friends and his beasts.

That is the extraction of the spirit stones.

Right now, the whole mine is surrounded by soldiers and they are all completely concentrated on protecting the perimeter.

So, now Sam and his friends have a great opportunity to mine the spirit stones.

The metal element spirit stone will fetch at least four normal spirit stones.

So, while Sam is getting ready to set up his plan, his three friends along with the beasts are on their way towards getting the spirit stones out.

Of course, they cannot take them out all at once, they can at most get a hundred thousand or two. But the spirit stone is not major goal and they are just doing it to get a quick profit.

Meanwhile, Sam is making his preparations.

After four days, Sam and his friends are done. They are ready to leave and at the same time, the people outside are having a hard time. They are feeling that Sam is only bluffing and their patience is running thin.

So, it is about time they leave.

But before they left, they entered a special place in the minefield and that place is the Inventory.

The mined items are handled in a certain manner, they are absolutely not going into any person's personal storage. The miners have to strip completely and wear the provided uniform and their storage rings should be handed over.

They will be given a temporary storage ring in which they would store the mined things.

These items would be stored in a special room, where only the guardian could enter. He will deliver these storage rings every month to the Dukedom.

Right now, there is a fully stored store room inside.

Sam took all the storage rings and tweaked with the place a bit to leave some gifts.

After that, they silently sneaked out of the place and this time Sam was surprised because the alarm formation actually detected the shadow mouse when it passed through it, then only he felt relieved that he sneaked in before the formation was set up. The formation might have a feature of detecting life force.

But now he didn't care. After leaving the formation, they sneaked into the woods and before the people could come, they are gone.

The Guardian immediately went into the room and only found it empty with a letter stuck on the wall. He was stunned by the scene and after a brief silence,

he pulled the letter with shaky hands. He was surprised that the letter was attached to a wooden stick that was pierced into the wall. He pulled the stick out of curiosity and...

BOOM

More than twenty methane grenades blasted the surroundings of the room.

There is no damage inside the room because it would be a pipe dream to damage a Nascent with that level of methane.

The guardian read the letter which has one familiar message.

"SAM WAS HERE."

At this moment, a worker came running.

"What happened?"

"The... The Mines."

The guardian came running towards the mines and was stunned by the scene.

The mines are completely filled with green colored translucent crystal structures. All the walls are almost as if they are carved out a green crystal.

This is the impact crystal. Yes, Sam used the impact crystal on the walls and floors of the mines.

Now, if they want to mine, they have to go through the impact crystal first.

While the guardian was in distress, the workers are having already quivering in their boots. The twenty blasts that occurred when the guardian pulled the stick achieved their purpose because they are placed near the miners changing areas. The room was empty but that is still not okay for them.

RE-BIRTH OF A GENIUS. CREATOR/DESTROYER

The news went all over the empire. The miners immediately quit the job and, in many places the same things kept happening.

The miners are not happy with the situation and slowly the butterfly effect happened.

This news actually intrigued someone who is far away from Sam.

The Arian empire.

The enemy empire of the Orion.

In the imperial capital, two days after Sam was done with the Metal mines, the emperor of the Arian empire got the news and was surprised at first and was then delighted.

He has heard of Sam. Not only because of the Red rock canyon issue but also because his son also visited the thunder god temple and saw Sam's deeds.

When he heard of how Sam even sold the techniques in the Palace to the remaining candidates, he couldn't help but feel extremely surprised. Because it is not every day that a character as unique as Sam pops up.

His spies in Orion reported back on how Sam was declared as a wanted criminal, how he killed a General, and how he made short work of the major resources of the Dukedom.

He is very interested in this unique genius.

So, the next thing, he was on a Level 7 Thunder Vulture a Pre-transcendent beast, and within one day, he is near the border of the southwestern star.

He traveled at an altitude that wouldn't let anyone see him. He traveled above the clouds and landed in the nearby woods, and slowly made his way towards the border camp.

He gave the person in charge, some instructions, and waited for the results.

Three days after dealing with the metal mines, Sam sneaked into the nearby city to know the reactions and the waves he caused by the Blackwater.

But what met him was an invitation. That is right, an invitation from the emperor of the Arian.

This quite surprised him. The agent from the Blackwater saw this and said.

"We give spy services too and they asked if we can get to you and if we can give you this message. They don't know we have this contract. You don't have to worry about that."

Of course, the invitation is not a card or something. It is just like Sam's message on how he would attack the metal mines. But this message is low-key than Sam's and the general public has no way of knowing it.

There was a location along with the message and funny thing is that the location is actually a barrack in the military base.

Sam went back to the slums where they actually made a residence and discussed it with his friends.

Sam actually has a plan to meet the emperor of Arian. But it is not now. Because meeting an emperor is not something that easy. And to make a deal he has to have more accomplishments on his side to have enough leverage.

But the emperor contacting him now is not something he expected.

As he thought about it, he decided to make a visit and see what the emperor wants from him.

So, that night, Sam started his journey towards the border of the southwestern star.

The way to cross the border was left to the Shadow mouse and after entering the territory of Arian. He came out in a desolated solution and directly walked towards the military base.

Why didn't he enter the base directly? Because there is no way he would do something right inside the territory of a Transcendent.

So, he walked in, directly. He pinned all his professional badges on his black feather coat and entered the base like a normal person.

The soldiers are not surprised by his presence and apparently, they seemed to be informed about his visit and they even guided him to the barrack he was supposed to visit.

Inside the barrack, there was only a single table with two chairs on either side. A middle-aged man sat down on the other side of the table.

The man has sharp features. His body is sturdy and his robes are simple. He didn't see any luxury that he saw on Emperor Orion's clothes.

His majesty didn't depend on the luxury, rather his aura, his presence is the one gave him the majesty an emperor should possess. He has a sharp and clear gaze and a small smile.

He stood up as soon as Sam entered the room. He extended his hand towards Sam for a handshake and greeted him.

"How do you do? Mr. Sam. Nice to meet you."

"Nice to meet you, your highness." Sam shook his hand.

The other party is polite and the politeness is what he gets back from Sam.

After some pleasantries, the emperor sat down while gesturing Sam to take a seat.

Then, an attendant came and served some food, but Sam didn't eat it immediately and looked at the emperor, and said.

"Your, Highness wanted to meet me. May I know why?"

"Well, seems like Mr. Sam is a straight forward person, then I won't waste your time. I wonder if Mr. Sam knows about the history of the feud between two empires."

"They are once a single empire?"

"Yes, and a hundred and twenty years ago the empire got separated. Even though, it might be a long time. Only two emperors changed since then. I am the third emperor and so is the current emperor of the Orion.

I want to reunite the empire again and I want your help in doing that."

Sam raised an eyebrow and asked.

"Your Highness, you are kidding, right? I am a mere Great realm cultivator who is eighteen years old. I didn't even reach the limit of the growth spurt completely. What can a person like me help a Transcendent like you."

"Well, it seems like you are the one who is joking Mr. Sam. If you were what you said, then you wouldn't be sitting in front of me right now. You would be either quivering in your boots near the entrance or you would be hysterically yelling out words of admiration for me.

You wouldn't be doing what you are doing."

"Well, that didn't answer my question, your highness. What can I possibly help you with?"

"Yes, I will answer it to you soon.

To be honest, I don't necessarily need your help, if all I have to do is occupy the empire, not only me, even my father could have done that. But the problem is, the loss of life would be too high for me to start a war of that scale.

I don't want a blood bath.

I want to reunite the empire with the least amount of bloodshed and this is where you can help me with.

I have been devising a plan for taking over the empire for two decades, which is the time when I became an emperor.

I have a big enough network in the Orion that would be on par with the Blackwater. Of course, I don't have the same amount of power they have, but I do have a similar level of the information channel.

I made many preparations to crumble the Orion from inside, but the point is, the plans can only be executed when either there are no variables or there is enough adaptability in the person who executes it to deal with the variables.

I lacked that one person and was desperately trying to cultivate one. My son, who you might not remember but surely met in the thunder god temple also the same person you just described yourself to be.

Even though I am proud of what he has achieved today, I realized that he is not the person for this.

I am almost losing my hope and then one day I woke and heard the news about you.

Believe me or not, I wanted to thank Orion in person for being stupid, because for the first time in life I was afraid of a person and that person didn't become my enemy by default. Emperor Orion gave me a chance to become a friend or at least a partner with that person."

The emperor finished and looked at Sam with a smile.

Sam looked at him quietly without any response, because he is thinking. He met a person who he thought he would never meet in this world of pride and prowess.

A man who knew he was afraid of something and a man who can admit openly that he is afraid of something.

Sam always believed in something. If a person wants to improve himself, the hardest part is finding their mistakes or shortcomings and admitting them by throwing their insecurities away.

And if a person can do so, one has to respect him because he would be a winner for sure.

An emperor openly admitting he is afraid of something. Some might think he is a joke, but Sam could see a real man.

A man who can accept his shortcomings and work on overcoming or walking around them.

"What do you want me to do?"

Sam asked directly. He doesn't want to carry out the earlier conversation of him being incapable of helping. That is just for probing.

Now, from what heard from the emperor, it is plain stupid for him to do that.

"I want six months of yours. In these six months, I want you to train nine regiments. In six months, do what you have to do and what you want to do. I only want your best effort and I would accept the results no matter what.

And the other thing is to do what you are doing inside the Orion.

Cooperate with me. I will invade from outside, while you reduce the resources inside. This will push the soldiers to the edge and they wouldn't be able to keep their will to live like usual.

In exchange for that, what do you want?"

He was straight forward and on to the point.

Sam took a deep breath and said.

"For the second point, I don't have any problem. Just invade the parts when I told you to do so. As for the training part. I am too weak to hold the whole armies in my leash and train them.

Give me ten people. The most loyal and obedient. For them, all that should matter when given order is only how and when not what and why.

In a month, I will make them trainers and I will give you a detailed training program.

I assure you they will reach your standards.

In a year, the Orion will be no more.

And for all this to be done, I need somethings in advance and another thing after the whole thing is over."

"Well, I didn't expect you to agree straight away. It sounds too good to be true."

"It surprises me too to an extent, but that is how I deal with a person who is smart and straight forward. It has been a while since I met a man like you."

"So, what do you want?"

"For starters, a Level-6 Beast, for now, preferably a wind element flying type. The second request..."

Sam said his requirements and at the end of the sentence all he met was a hand extended for a handshake to seal a deal."

RE-BIRTH OF A GENIUS. CREATOR/DESTROYER

For one month, Sam disappeared completely from the limelight. His presence was completely lost. But nobody forgot about him.

The more time he took and the more he stayed silent, the more panic they caused. The Emperor Orion was also on tenterhooks.

He was taught a lesson with what Sam had done in the southwestern star.

He didn't take him seriously before but now that he lost main resources of the two dukedoms, he is having a hard time thinking what is Sam up to.

The metal mines are the worst problem of all.

Because, the impact crystal Sam threw in is all of the impact crystal he got from the estate and even more. If they really did melt all of it with high level heat, the spiritual stone mine can be saved but the metal mines would be in deep shit. And even that they would need months before they can do so.

It is not possible to do that without any harm.

And from some instigation from Blackwater, there was a start of the economic issue. The minor fields owners recongnized the scarcity of the resources started increasing the prices which the users didn't like that much and the robberies increased at the same time.

The supply is not meeting the demand and there is a desperate situation where they have to import them from other Dukedoms, but that is not easy. The import is another way which increases the banditry.

The pressure of the south-eastern star is increasing with these exports.

Perhaps, the officials had it too good all these years, they couldn't handle the situation and definitely not in a month.

But in this month, Sam had a lot of progress and that has a lot to do with the deal he made with the Emperor Arian.

Why did Sam make that deal in the first place?

Because, he has this deal in mind from the start. From the first time he started this whole thing, he had a plan to make a deal with Arian.

After all, he cannot deal with the whole empire on his own. He can at most create some problems that could really annoy them. And make chaos, but that doesn't mean, he can completely destroy the empire and build a new authority.

That would be a pipe dream at least until he achieved the same power level as the Emperor.

But he doesn't have that much time to wait, he has to deal with this guy as soon as possible and establish an income source, so that he can explore this planet more.

For that, he is going to make use of the Arian empire.

In this month, Sam had a minor break through and so did the rest of his friends. He is a Level Great realm cultivator while the remaining three are Level 3 Great realm cultivators.

Apart from that, he took this month to teach the ten instructors to be the trainers. He took a battalion as an example and clearly explained the ten people on how to train them, why they had to train them like that, and how those training methods will affect them.

Even how to execute the punishments and how to maintain the relationship between them as instructors and the soldiers.

He gave the formation discs that had to be used for the soldiers.

The beast battles, the team working. The elemental control.

The battalion that was given to him was the most elite, and he noticed that these guys are even better than the guys from the thunder wolf squad.

They caught on to everything easily and the training he gave to the previous battalion in the southern star in three months was done in a single month.

They are almost ready for a war. Almost.

After that, Sam met with the emperor again.

"Train them like this for another fifteen days, they are great at teamwork and learning. The ten trainers are good they know how to prioritize and what to put first.

Start a war on the southern star and the southwestern star at the same time. They have some scarcity in resources and from my analysis they have the imports from the western star dukedom and the south eastern star dukedom.

Imports from the eastern star will be difficult.

Now, I will be leave now and enter Orion. Since, you have the information network, you would know when to attack and which border to attack.

For now, I need that Level-6 beast. And for the final plan, I need you to help me with something."

"Sure, what do you want?"

"I need feces of a Level-7 fire type beast. Collect as much as possible."

"Feces?"

The Emperor was surprised. He didn't expect what the feces are for?

"Of course, you heard me right."

Emperor was really surprised. He didn't expect that Sam would ask for feces. He stopped thinking much into it and asked something else.

"I am curious, would you be able to deal with the Level 6 beasts, do you need me to send a Nascent as an escort for you. He would be able to help you better than a beast, right?"

"I trust the beasts better than humans. They are all true to their characters. And, I don't need the beast for my protection, rather I want it for something else. But I would need your help for some time, you have to suppress it for some time, before I manage to come into consensus with it."

"Sure, shall we go now. The beast is already arranged."

Both of them moved to a beast which is proudly standing.

It is a white winged-vulture.

Sam knew this beast; it is actually a beast with a good bloodline heritage.

White-winged vulture is a descendant of silver winged vulture a beast which has a bloodline on par with the Golden fur ape.

He was actually surprised. There is another Beast on the side which is also a vulture, it is a thunder vulture a Level 7 beast which is also Emperor's ride.

It might be a Level 7 beasts, but he is not actually interested in that. The white-winged vulture can easily surpass that one. It is the one with most potential.

"You do have a great taste in birds. A vulture. Not bad." Sam said to the emperor.

"Really, I am flattered."

Sam has a particular understanding of Vulture. A vulture is a tyrant of the sky, they travel in flocks, they eat live prey to dead carcasses. One might think it is not that great, but an eagle wouldn't give a shit about a dead carcass, it would rather die with its pride, but the vulture is one of the most practical thinking beasts.

It would do anything to survive. Whatever it takes. No being in the sky will do what a vulture does for survival and Sam can relate.

He might have pride and arrogance which was built on his achievements and hard work. But there was a point where he did everything for survival. No matter what it takes.

He looked at the White winged vulture which was being suppressed by the Thunder Vulture. He walked towards it and sat down. With a wave of his hand, he took out most of his beasts, except for the shadow mice.

Emperor was surprised.

He didn't expect that Sam had these many pets.

He brought out Yanwu, Sky, Ape, Mia, the panther twins and even the termite queen.

He looked at the Vulture which is looking at the beasts in curiosity.

"I am here to make a deal with you."

Sam spoke out loud gathering its attention.

"As you can see, these guys are my friends, and you can have a talk with them about what kind of deal I want to make, if you want to make that deal by the end of the discussion, you can tell me."

Then he sat there as he examined the wings and feathers of the bird. He is looking for the number of silver coloured feathers among the white ones.

That's the indication of the purity of the bloodline.

Meanwhile, the beasts are in a discussion. They are cawing and roaring and it is very chaotic and noisy.

Sam didn't talk about the deal with the vulture himself because he doesn't want to reveal the details to the emperor. He didn't want to reveal the cards like bloodline refinement to anyone.

After an hour of roaring, the vulture turned towards him and spoke.

[You can guarantee what they are saying? You can actually improve my bloodline?]

"Yes."

[what if you cannot?]

"You can leave the next minute, you feel like I am going back on my words. I may not fulfill all of it now, but I can do it partially and you can decide whether you can trust me or not."

[Okay, you have to deal with that tonight and if you can prove me that you can do so, I would make a deal with you.]

"Sure, tonight."

Sam stood up and put all the beasts in his dimension and left the vulture with the emperor.

"You know beast tongue?"

Emperor asked in a surprised tone, but Sam didn't reply.

"I need an extremely isolated place with no disturbances whatsoever, I need extreme privacy and if I discover it was violated, we can call off the deal."

Sam said in conviction.

Emperor thought for a second, he wanted to ask why, but he didn't do so in the end and said.

"Sure."

RE-BIRTH OF A GENIUS. CREATOR/DESTROYER

Chapter 249: Start of the War

That night, a whole battalion was evacuated from their quarters so that Sam can carry on the bloodline refinement.

The deal he made with the White-winged Vulture is similar to the one he made with the shadow mice and the queen termite.

The bloodline improvement and a better environment compared to their current ones.

But the power level of him and the Vulture are too far apart, so it would be difficult to for him to completely refine the bloodline, so what he made a deal that he would do a partial refinement and he is doing so now.

The situation of the Vulture is similar to Sky. So, all need is an adequate amount of spiritual energy, but Sam cannot lay down a formation of that type that would be suitable for a Level 6 beast with his current cultivation level.

So, he made laid the best formation he could lay which is for a level 4 beast, although it wouldn't change the beast's bloodline completely, it can still have some partial improvement, which is what he promised to the beast.

The process went on for two days straight and the Vulture could feel its body changing a little bit. The feathers turned more silver and it could feel its overall bloodline more superior.

[I will give you five years, by then I want you to purify my bloodline completely.]

"Deal."

The next morning, after the refinement was over, Sam bid his farewell to the emperor and left Watt here to help them in training the regiments, and started his journey back.

This time, he didn't use the Harbinger and used the vulture. He flew above the clouds and the journey was very fast.

He soon entered the southern star Dukedom. In two days, the Arian would start a war on the southern star but for that, he has to create some chaos so

that the war would be pretty one-sided and the reinforcements wouldn't arrive that easily.

The soldiers are trained to follow orders, so what happens if the people who give orders have a handful.

So, his plan started.

The first thing is, he announced his presence through the Blackwater and the officials are once again tense, they know that Sam has planned something big if he was away for a month, so they are praying that he wouldn't do anything to the places where they are staying.

Most of their prayers were answered because, this time, Sam didn't attack any resource point, rather he made a move on the Dukedom capital itself.

He entered the woods near the southern star Dukedom and released the ape, yanwu, and Sky. Along with the vulture, the three beasts started stirring up the whole forest.

It became chaotic and the beasts which truly rule the area deep inside are getting annoyed and with the Vulture clearly throwing the challenges left and right, the beasts almost went crazy.

Soon, the vulture was able to provoke five beasts which are at Level six and all of them started moving towards the outer areas of the forest where the people generally wander.

And this situation caught the eyes of the General and the Duke.

They thought that Sam would move towards another resource point and sent general Fischer there while General Mercury is guarding the city.

They didn't expect that the beasts would rile up at this moment and from the looks of it, things are pretty serious.

They immediately arrived at the forest and sensed that beasts from Level 3 to Level 6. All of them are suddenly extremely active and the outer areas are completely occupied.

If the animals get annoyed by the human traffic now, they might consider charging at the City.

The Duke didn't expect this situation. He immediately called all the cultivators who are Novice and above so that they could guard the perimeter.

At this moment, Sam already flew into the clouds along with the Vulture and there are two people who are in the forest regions where Level 4 beasts are present.

They are Philip and Jack.

They sneaked there and suddenly launched an attack on the Level 4 beasts and started running towards the human perimeter.

The beasts who are clearly annoyed by the constant pestering and unfruitful results of their search all these days, are now completely pissed off and started following them.

When the human camp was visible completely, beasts increased their momentum at the sight of massive numbers.

At this moment, the vulture dove down and picked up both Jack and Philip with his talons and flew away.

Before the Nascent stage cultivators present or other level six beasts could react, the vulture disappeared from their sight.

Sam left the place as if it doesn't have anything to do with him.

But the Duke and the rest are having the hardest time.

The soldiers and the city guards became busy and the beasts and humans are at a small-scale war at the borders of the Southern star city.

And this is not the worst thing that could happen.

Because at this moment, Sam arrived at the military base. Since all of the big shots and more than two regiments are away from the base, Sam landed domineeringly with the vulture and went towards the food section of the base.

In that section, there would be some beasts that are farmed. Just like how Sam kept a spring fowl farm and the farm for rabbits and boars, there are some types of pigs and cow type beasts here that are reared.

These beasts are reared for the daily food consumption of the soldiers and Sam is here today to take that away.

The resources are one of the most important factors in the war and now Sam decided that he would take that away.

They can make sure that the soldiers can feed on the spiritual energy but how many days can they survive. They surely wouldn't be able to survive the whole period of the upcoming war.

Sam, then left the place and flew towards the southwestern star dukedom. The journey took a day and the same thing happened. Here the situation is even more severe because the elephant beasts that attacked them a month ago are still pretty pissed at humans and the forest is pretty volatile now.

Even the hunts are banned for the time being.

And now with Sam's intervention, there was hell all over again.

Two days later. The problem wasn't quelled at the city borders but the calamity struck them again at this moment.

The Arian empire declared the war against the Orion empire in the southwestern star and the southern star territory.

This made the dukes and the generals go pale with fear and red with anger at the same time.

Right now, it is the worst time for war. Their internal fights are already tough, to begin with, and now an external fight is coming.

On the second thought, everything was too coincidental, Sam's return the cities being attacked, and the war at the border.

A revelation struck them which they don't want to happen.

Literally, every high-level noble knows what kind of training Sam could provide. Sam's battalion could be ranked as the best battalion of all. But they weren't able to get the training procedure out of the battalion.

They were so resolved that they would rather die than reveal a single thing out.

Even after Sam was painted as a criminal, they still didn't give a shit about the rumors, they didn't even agree for a name change.

They are still Sam's battalion.

Sam didn't want to give up his training methods to them, no matter the money or rewards, because with Sam's wealth he can get whatever he wants, he can make billions in a month, so what is the point.

But if it was revenge, Sam might have given up the technique. After all, he is not a king or an emperor or any military personnel. He is more of a businessman than any of those before and the rewards from their government might not entice, but if the revenge towards Orion could entice him, what would happen?

Come to think of it, where did Sam go for a month? Why was there no news of him at all? Everywhere he went he proclaimed he was there, with a declaration that SAM WAS HERE.

He made it so as if he didn't give a rat's ass about the whole empire, then why would he disappear for a month without a word. Was he that passive? In a war between him and the empire, the empire was always the passive one. He made sure it is so.

The emperor is still unable to deal with the damage Sam had done and they are researching the ways to undo the damage done to all the resource points.

Now, Sam came back and there is an extremely high possibility that he is helping the Arian. This is going to be a nightmare.

The news of the war went to the Imperial capital quickly and there is also news about how Sam came back.

When he heard that Sam was missing a month ago, he felt that Sam might have escaped since the protection was increased in the rest of the Dukedoms.

Now, after a month, Sam came and was followed by wars.

What Vickers said might have become true at this rate.

He didn't think that he would be right, but it happened. He thought, that why would an emperor of Arian make a deal with Sam? Why would he lower himself to a brat's level? He wouldn't do so, that is why he presumed that the Arian Emperor wouldn't do so as well.

That is normal because people do tend to judge others based on their own standards.

RE-BIRTH OF A GENIUS. CREATOR/DESTROYER

Chapter 250: Thunder Prison and Mechanisms

Sam is on a repetitive process now. On the Level 6 beast, moving from one dukedom to another is only a day's worth of journey.

In every Dukedom, his first target is a resource point and his second target is the Dukedom capital, luring the beasts towards the city and then again the third target is the remaining resource points.

He took over fifteen days in a single Dukedom and he is making great progress.

In next month. The western star and the Northwestern star are in trouble. Emperor is fuming mad because in every border that Sam attacked there is a declaration of war from the Arian empire.

He can invade on the remaining borders if he wants to, but the main problem is the resource scarcity.

For every major resource that gets eliminated, there will be more stress on other fronts. So, he cannot take the initiative.

He is clearly regretting not sending a Marshall, a Pre-transcendent to attack Sam when he escaped at the first time.

He didn't think Sam as much, even when he dealt with the Blaze city and Herb Village, he didn't think much of him, only after he dealt with the metal mines in the Southwestern star and the Vickers' message did he understand the threat he is facing.

Never did he meet a cultivator who would use his brain to this extent.

In this world, where one's power derived his authority, politics are of little use, unless there are peers with equal strength to vie for that power.

He didn't expect Sam at his level can cause this much damage to him.

But now it was too late. Since the war started he had to make preparations and has to keep his Marshalls by his side, so he sent the six swords of Sword Marshalls to deal with Sam.

And all of them are on Level 6 beasts.

But when they reached the Northern Dukedom, which could quite possibly be Sam's next target, they didn't find any traces. Some of the patrolled the skies all day long to see Sam and the started looking near the forests of the Dukedom.

But before they could manage, there was an attack at the Eastern Star, which was completely unexpected of Sam.

Now, only three dukedoms remained. They wanted to make sure that they find Sam and emperor deployed all the possible Nascent cultivators who are under the city guard command to pursue Sam.

They didn't know that it was a lost cause for them. Because Sam didn't bother attacking the remaining three Dukedoms.

In forty- five days, he dealt with three Dukedoms and revisited two old dukedoms. In total, he damaged the natural resources and the food resource of the five Dukedoms which are more than half of the Dukedoms of the empire.

Now, it is about time, he takes a back seat and relaxes for a bit. Because, even with the resources of three dukedoms, it would be a great stretch to sustain the war. The Arian already had an upper hand and they are maintaining a slow-paced war with minimal attacks.

When the empire in this state, what is thunder god temple doing?

This is the same question Sam had for Emperor Arian.

"They don't care. All they need is the tax according to the territory we have. Based on the land and the resources we have. Whether we are a single empire of two empires, it is completely same to them. As long as we pay taxes they don't really care."

This is the answer he got from Arian.

Sam wasn't completely surprised by this. After all, by the strength of the thunder god temple's standards, the people here are really not that powerful and neither these resources are also not that great.

Simply put, the conditions in the thunder god temple are too good for producing low-level products, so they are using these vassal empires to be those providers.

This is that simple.

So, now that Sam is clear from his Duty, he can take some rest and plan for the final show-down he planned in the future.

He crossed the border sneakily and went into Arian Base camp near the western star.

This place is where Emperor Arian is currently staying, so this is the safest place for Sam for now.

While the war was going on, he started his closed-door research.

First thing in his list is the Thunder Prison.

The treasure he got from the Palace. And according to the Avatar, this is the most versatile and if used well, most useful weapon.

Sam is now inside the Divine dimension, while Watt, Philip and Jack are sitting together in the tent.

With the crystal in the centre.

He held the thunder prison in its unused condition is like a small cage meant for a single pet parrot.

But in place of the hook which is used to hang the cage, there is a groove big enough to place a person's five fingers.

Sam took out a scroll, which has some information on Thunder Prison, this is the scroll given by the Avatar Sanchez along with the list of raw materials and the raw materials themselves.

At first, Sam didn't notice this scroll, but only later when he was going through all the info did, he see this information.

It is basic notes on how to use the thunder prison works.

It is actually quite simple.

For every usage, all one has to do is, place his palm inside the groove on the top of the cage.

Then they have to infuse the spiritual sense and some spiritual energy inside through the groove.

If the prison is charged completely, then all he has to do is place the prison on the ground and activate imagining the cage enlarging and surrounding themselves.

They can manipulate the size for a particular extent. From the size of a birdcage to the size of a medium-sized house.

For charging of the prison, he has to keep the thunder prison in either in an environment of the neutral spiritual energy or lightning elemental energy.

After sufficient charge which would take more than a hundred thousand spirit stones normally. But that didn't matter.

Sam is thinking about how to manipulate and how to use this more efficiently. After all, the avatar did say that.

So, he started using observation ability on it, but what he got was an absolute shock for him.

The cage is as small as a birdcage, but what he saw in the observation ability is very large.

It is as if it was a large gigantic structure, he couldn't fathom the dimensions of it. But one thing that he could still see and feel is a glowing object.

It looked like a brain of some sorts. Sam was stunned to see that because although it looked like a brain it is definitely not made of flesh, rather it was a brain which was made of some material unknown to him.

At least with his level of observation, he couldn't identify the materials.

But one thing he can say is that this brain is like a Central processing unit of a computer.

How did he know that? Because, when he trailed his spiritual sense into the brain, he could feel himself being inside it.

It was as if there are a huge number of small rooms inside a palace with him being in the ground floor hall. In the middle of the hall, there is a huge pool of lightning type elemental energy.

There are many doors leading to different rooms and when he entered the first room, which has a specific glow, he saw an altar of some on which there was a diagrammatical structure engraved on it.

He infused some spiritual energy inside and then the whole diagram lit up.

He could feel the energy inside the pool of the hall getting excited and passed towards the first door and then spreading all over the palace.

Inside the divine dimension, Sam opened his eyes and now, he was sitting inside a large metal cage which was covered with lightning.

He could feel the power and could feel a sense of security.

At this stage, it can take a full-blown attack of a Pre-transcendent and even a moderate attack of a Transcendent.

Sam looked at the gigantic structure and started examining it.

He is looking at various joints, observing the energy flow and many other aspects. One thing he could say about this is that is a marvel of engineering.

Even though the engineering might not be aligned with the modern engineering he was familiar with, this prison or cage was built with so that it would have the most efficiency and effectiveness in the defence. He also noticed that not only does it block the outer attacks, but a person also cannot attack from the inside with only one exception.

The person who is in charge of the cage can do the damage using the cage's energy.

After two hours, the cage turned back to its initial size. Sam once again flew his conscious inside and noticed that the pool in the hall was empty and only some small fog was lingering around it and he can also observe that the fog is surely but slowly increasing in thickness.

He took out some spirit stones and placed it near the cage and he can sense the cage absorbing the energy faster and he can also see the fog thickness speed increased a bit.

So, he drew a large formation a million spirit stones in it before placing the cage at the centre.

In this way, the formation will facilitate absorption more.