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Chapter 751: Baiting!

Before Ling Lan could open her mouth, Meng Shaoran replied lazily, "I'm not going back. Don't you think this place is very exciting?" He pointed at Li Lanfeng who was answering the question given by his juniors patiently. "I will ask him some things later. Brother Shaoyun, are you not interested in Li Lanfeng?"

Ling Lan shook her head immediately. "I want to get into the Mecha Designing Academy..." Her path was different from Li Lanfeng's path. Why would she be interested in him?

"In that case, you should go back alone, our dear future mecha designer." Meng Shaoran knocked on Ling Lan's forehead lightly.

After living together for half a month, they knew what Ling Lan's dream was.

Suddenly, the three of them tensed up. However, very quickly, they relaxed. They looked around curiously. Just now, they felt two killing intents concentrating on them, but it lasted only for a second. Were they discovered?

Only Ling Lan looked as though she didn't sense anything. She pulled Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong who were puzzled before bidding farewell to Meng Shaoran. Then, she left the high-class cafeteria.

"Interesting! Li Lanfeng, who did you come back for?" The only person who stayed back, Meng Shaoran, smiled and placed his hand on his chin. He looked at Li Lanfeng as he muttered to himself.

On the way back, Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong said their goodbyes to Ling Lan. Ling Lan hugged Little White while returning to her room.

"Little Four, where are they?" If she was right, the destination of these people was the forest area. It used to be the territory of the upper graders but now, it was forbidden ground. This was an obvious target. Even if the other party knew that it was a trap, they had to take the risk. If not, they would not be able to feel at ease.

Little Four immediately showed her the location of these two people in her mindscape. Ling Lan saw them walking to the training ground. Leng Hanfeng entered a secret room with an instructor and Gu Zhengrong sneaked into the ladies' dormitory. It seemed like he was really going to meet his girlfriend.

After some time, a gentle-looking instructor walked out of the training ground, and at the ladies' dormitory, a cold and arrogant lady with long hair walked out. After strolling around for a while, they sneaked into the forest.

Their appearance and aura were entirely different but Ling Lan could still tell from their behavioral habits that they were Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong.

"Looks like they used all kinds of methods to disguise themselves." Ling Lan touched her chin. It seems like she was not the only one who could act as her roommates were on par with her.

“Boss, one of them must be from the Flying Dragon Special Forces,” Little Four said excitedly.

“Maybe not.” Ling Lan didn’t agree with him.

“Why not?” Little Four asked curiously.

“Look at what other three people are doing and you will know.” Ling Lan didn’t believe that Su Pei, Xiao Yiqiu, and Meng Shaoran would let go of this opportunity.

As expected, Little Four told her that these three people left the high-class canteen one after another. The only difference was, Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu left voluntarily. Meng Shaoran seemed to have noticed their weird actions and followed them out of curiosity.

They were not the only ones who were walking to the forest. All kinds of people in disguises were on the way there. No one wanted to let go of this opportunity so all of them acted together.

“What a perfect baiting plan,” Ling Lan said.

“Boss, do you think that the other party did this on purpose?” Little Four asked nervously. If that was the case, do they still have to visit the forest?

“Yes, the other party wanted to use this opportunity to remove all the spies in the school,” Ling Lan analyzed the situation calmly.

“This is bad. Don’t they know that it is a trap?” Little Four couldn’t help but worry for Leng Hanfeng, Gu Zhengrong, and Meng Shaoran. After interacting with them for half a month, he couldn’t treat them like strangers anymore.

“They probably know it but they still have to go.” Ling Lan took out her toolkit under her bed. There were many tools and metal objects inside. It looked messy but the parts inside could be assembled into a long-range beam gun, which was newly invented by Chang Xinyuan. Once it is dismantled and is mixed with other metal objects, no one would be able to discern it.

Ling Lan moved quickly. Soon, her hands couldn’t even be seen. Her hand speed reached its fastest speed where the naked eyes couldn’t follow it.

Soon, a beam gun appeared in her hands. She took off her scout uniform and wore a normal black windbreaker. In the next second, she disappeared from her room.

Just like what Ling Lan said, even though she knew that this was a trap, she still needed to take the risk.

It had been five years since the forest turned into a forbidden ground. Without the tampering of the cadets, the forest became a playground for the wild animals. This was their home now. Yet, today, this quiet forest was barraged with a bunch of uninvited guests. Many birds saw them and started chirping, alerting the residents of the forest of their presence.

Leng Hanfeng entered the forest carefully as the forest was filled with ferocious beasts. For a forest that’s within a Scout Academy’s compound, this was weird. There must be something amiss with the academy.

After walking for a distance, Leng Hanfeng took out a simple map from his clothes. It was drawn by the people who came before him. A few underground bases were drawn on the map. His current mission was to investigate these suspicious locations.

At another corner of the dense forest, Su Pei took out a map too. He compared it with his surroundings. "Is this the place?"

Xiao Yiqiu had a map in his hands as well. He glanced around him and smiled faintly. Then, he walked towards one of the targets.

Meng Shaoran stealthily followed behind Su Pei. He stood on a branch and watched as Su Pei took out a map. He seemed to be looking for something. Meng Shaoran was confused. He didn't understand why Su Pei had such a map. Su Pei found his destination and started to walk towards it. Meng Shaoran hesitated for a moment before deciding to follow him.

"He has something I don't even have... interesting." Meng Shaoran always did things based on his interest, just like now.

Leng Hanfeng cautiously walked deeper into the forest. He took out his map again to ascertain his position. Suddenly, he leaped up and rolled towards a tree.

Grass and dirt flew up at the spot he was standing at just now. Leng Hanfeng could feel the cold sweat on his forehead. He sensed that a sniper rifle was aiming at him just now. Luckily, the other party used a not-so-powerful ejection gun as it didn't create too much noise. If he had used a beam gun, this thick tree might have not been able to block the attack.

"I didn't expect the enemies' defenses to be so strong. The moment I got near them, I got discovered." Leng Hanfeng knew that this sniper was a powerful person. He could only feel his killing intent in the instant he fired that shot.

"Since the enemies put in much effort to stop me, I hope that everyone else would have a smoother journey." Leng Hanfeng frowned. He hated fighting with snipers as it was a troublesome task. Fortunately, there was only one sniper so he was still able to handle it.

Leng Hanfeng calmed down and started sensing his surroundings. He confirmed that there was only one enemy.

The sniper afar stared coldly at the tree. He didn't even blink. He was confident that as long as the person peeked out for even a second, he could shoot him accurately. This was the confidence of an outstanding sniper.

There! The sniper saw his opponent rushing out from behind the tree at a fast speed. He then pulled down the trigger.

The bullet seemed to have hit his opponent. However, it just phased through the target and landed on the ground without any bloodstain.

This is bad! The sniper knew that he made a wrong prediction. However, he didn't get agitated. Instead, he aimed his sniper rifle in the other direction and hold down the trigger, waiting for his opponent to show an opening.

“Too late.” A cold voice appeared behind him. In the next moment, he felt a sting in his neck. Then, he became unconscious.

Leng Hanfeng gently put down the sniper’s body. The force of presence on him was no longer that of the peak of refinement. Instead, it was the peak of Qi-Jin. This was the reason why the sniper made the wrong decision and lost the battle in the end.

While he was closing the eyes of the sniper, Leng Hanfeng felt something targeting him. His expression changed. He immediately disappeared from the spot and tried his best to escape from the danger. The sniper was just a bait. His body had a device that could sense whether he was alive or not. Once they were pronounced dead, a formidable character would rush to their position and kill the intruder.

Leng Hanfeng ran quickly. Suddenly, he slowed down and then stopped. He looked at a certain direction with vigilance.

“Not bad!” A middle-aged man walked out from behind a tree. He smiled at Leng Hanfeng.

“Thank you,” Leng Hanfeng replied coldly. However, he looked at the other party intently, not missing any movements he made.

“Our boss likes people who are talented. Are you interested in joining us?” The man asked amiably. He seemed to really like Leng Hanfeng. There was no sense of danger coming from him.

“I’m sorry, I’m not interested.” They took such a long time to plan this trap. Hence, Leng Hanfeng didn’t believe that they did it just for fun. There must be some huge scheme behind it. There was a high possibility that they wanted to harm Planet Azure as well as the entire Federation. If that was the case, how could he join them?

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“Then, that’s too bad.” The man’s expression showed a hint of sympathy. It was as though he was unwilling to end the career of this genius, Leng Hanfeng.

“Bam!” Right as the man finished speaking, he had already arrived in front of Leng Hanfeng. He used a strong punch and went straight for Leng Hanfeng’s abdomen.

Leng Hanfeng knew the instant he refused, his opponent would attack him. Thus, he had already prepared himself. Even before seeing that extremely fast punch from his opponent, he had blocked his abdomen with both of his hands. He managed to stop the brutal punch.

The force of the punch made Leng Hanfeng slide a few meters backwards, creating two large skid marks on the ground with his feet as the anchors to the ground.

“Focus, reaction speed and timing aren’t bad. You really do have immense potential.” The man spoke words of approval, yet his fists still mercilessly attacked Leng Hanfeng.

Leng Hanfeng calmly fought against the man, retreating as he fought. His opponent showed the capabilities of an individual at Qi-Jin stage of optimal peak Great Perfection, greater than Leng Hanfeng by one stage. This was why he was being pressured by his opponent. However, even though he was at a

disadvantage, Leng Hanfeng was determined to not lose. He endured the pressure and didn't show any fatal openings.

"You are not 16 years old. Which faction sent you here? Is it one of the family's factions in this sector? Or perhaps the Federation's military?" Even genius cadets at this age wouldn't behave as calm as this person when faced with such great pressure. Leng Hanfeng was definitely a very experienced fighter.

Facing spies from different factions, they had already gotten used to it. The sudden rise in ranks of Planet Azure's Central Scout Academy affected the interests of many elite families in the sector. Their enemies definitely didn't want them to continue to benefit off them like parasites. As for the Federation, they had meddled with everything continuously for the past years. It was just that it was difficult to break through the Federation's probing methods.

Faced with the opponent's questioning, Leng Hanfeng didn't make a sound. He glared at his opponent coldly and raised his guard up to defend against any sudden attacks by him. Leng Hanfeng also knew that it would be difficult for him to run away. His opponent clearly still had more up his sleeves in case he did something unexpected or perhaps his opponent wanted to get more information out of him. These could be the reason why his opponent hadn't killed him yet.

Seeing Leng Hanfeng not giving up any information, the man gave up on trying to coerce information out of him. He smiled helplessly and started to attack again. This time however were not the same as they were before, when he still held back. Now, each hit was targeted towards a possible opening, making each hit dangerous and a possible killing blow.

Just like that, Leng Hanfeng, who was still able to somewhat defend against the attacks, no longer could stand on equal ground.

"Bam!" After just seven or eight rounds of exchanges, Leng Hanfeng was hit and was sent flying. In the air, he spat out a mouthful of blood. The man got one hit in, and wasn't about to stop. He moved in closer and sent his fist straight towards Leng Hanfeng's head. Just from visible shockwaves behind this punch, it was possible that Leng Hanfeng's head would be smashed to pieces if he does not dodge the punch.

Right when Leng Hanfeng was about to die at the hands of his opponent, a silver flash suddenly flew past his eyes, and the target was the man.

If the man was to continue his attack at Leng Hanfeng, he would definitely be hit by the silver light... With a hidden weapon that had just suddenly appeared and was coming towards him at breakneck speed, the man decisively chose to give up on killing Leng Hanfeng. He opened his fist instantly and caught the silver light in his hands. It was a silver needle.

Leng Hanfeng barely managed to slip away from death. After he landed on the ground, he stumbled back four or five steps. His forehead was brimming with cold sweat. It seemed that he was quite afraid of the fact that he almost died at the hands of the opponent.

"Who's there?" The man's sharp glare looked towards the direction of the silver needle as he shouted angrily. He realized that there was actually someone else other than them.

Unfortunately, the only answer he got was the sound of leaves and branches whistling in the wind. The man narrowed his eyes and went silent for a moment. Then, he suddenly screamed and shot towards a direction like a cannonball. He clenched his fist and ruthlessly struck on large tree within that direction, "Come out!"

"Bam!" The large tree exploded. The force that was created instantly bisected the large tree in half. Within the cloud of wood chips and dust, a silhouette jumped out. The direction he jumped towards was where Leng Hanfeng was standing.

"Quick, run!" A strong hand pulled on Leng Hanfeng. Leng Hanfeng react quickly as he endured the extreme pain in his chest and followed the other person.

"You're not getting away that easily." The man laughed coldly and instantly caught up to them. In a few seconds, he had already gotten behind Leng Hanfeng and the other person, and then he sent an attack towards them.

Right as the fist was about hit Leng Hanfeng, the other person turned around instantly, crossed his arms and defended the strong fist attack of the man.

"Bam!" The two forces resisted each other. The large force that was created caused Leng Hanfeng to lose control of his body and was instantly blown away.

"Run!" The person who came to help him was a stranger who wore a scout uniform. It seems that he was probably a member of the scouts. It was just that something about that scout uniform made Leng Hanfeng feel odd.

After the stranger said that, he began to fight with the man. The stranger's capabilities was capable of fending the man for a few rounds even with his physical skills just being at peak stage Qi-Jin. However, he wouldn't be able to fend him for too long as the man's physical skills was a stage higher than him. Leng Hanfeng bit his lip, and choose to not run away. Instead, he clenched his fists tightly and went to fight alongside the stranger.

The teachings he had received from his childhood and his own dignity wouldn't let him run away and abandon his companions.

The stranger who was starting to lose his ground, started to be able to take a breather and endured the attacks of the man, with the help of Leng Hanfeng.

"Bam, bam, bam!" The two of them cooperated and blocked many hits from the man. When the two of them were sent flying backwards by the man, the man also stopped attacking with an annoyed expression on his face. The man discovered that with the two of them fighting together, it was now difficult for him to beat them. It was possible that a slight mistake from him would give them a chance to escape.

Since he took this assassination mission, he would lose his reputation if he was to let his prey get away. This was something he could not allow to happen. The man seemed to be rash and conceited, but in reality, he was very cautious. It should be known that most Qi-Jin experts who have lived up until now needed to be able to think with their brains.

On the other side, the person who saved Leng Hanfeng's life asked softly, "I told you to run, why didn't you?"

Leng Hanfeng replied coldly, "I haven't reached the point in my life of being shameless enough to abandon my savior and run for my own life."

The stranger smiled slightly, "Although I think your choice was stupid, I still admire it." As expected, he didn't save the wrong person.

Leng Hanfeng snorted coldly and didn't answer. His focus was on the man in front of him. The sudden cooperation of the two of them made the opponent unable to take them out temporarily. However, this didn't mean that the two of them could actually fight against the man on equal grounds. Two peak stage Qi-Jin users was not necessarily good enough opponents for a person at the level of Qi-Jin of optimal peak Great Perfection. The battle that would ensue was going to be their actual test of skill.

"Be careful." The stranger seemed to also have this realization and softly warned Leng Hanfeng.

This made Leng Hanfeng become less worried. If the two of them both had this realization then they had somewhat of a chance.

"Bang!" Right as Leng Hanfeng was thinking of ways of how he and his savior could be able to get away safely, their opponent attack them fiercely.

"Bang, bang, bang..." Intense sounds of punches and kicks striking against one another instantly echoed through the silent forest.

At that moment, Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu also had people who were hot on their trail. They were panicking as they ran. The direction the two of them ran towards the same trajectory. Not long after, they two of them actually met up.

"You!" The two of them screamed and at the time shouted, "Move!"

After rooming and training together for half a month, the two of them behaved with unexpected tact. They held each other's arms and kicked upwards onto the ground at the same time. They were sent flying upwards by each other's kicks in unplanned unison and flew up into mid-air. It was also this jump that made both of them dodge their opponent's ruthless attack.

"Bam! Bam!" The fists of their opponents struck the ground they were standing on and instantly sent dust and leaves flying into the air.

The two of them were sent tumbling to the side by the Qi-Jin of these two fists. After they landed, they were still mentally and physically gathering themselves. The graduation test their master had prepared for them was actually this dangerous. They couldn't help but think whether their most respected master, who trained them for four years, was lying to them all this time.

"Seeing the way you two move, it seems that the two of you are students who came for your test." After knowing the situation of these two people, the killing intent from the beginning became a smile. The people who attacked them were two 40 to 50 year-old middle-aged men. One was slim and the other was chubby. It was an amusing sight when they stood beside each other. However to Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu, it wasn't funny at all. They were still at the beginning stages of Qi-Jin, while their opponents gave

them a feeling of limitless power. It was as though with one move, their opponents could easily squash them to the ground.

“Unfortunately, you guys haven’t reach our standards yet.” The skinny man showed a slight hint of dissatisfaction in his expression. Five years of extensive training and nurturing only to yield such results? If that was the case, how could they get into the Flying Dragon Special Forces, who only took in monstrous individuals?

Only when they gain control of the Flying Dragon Special Forces, would they be able to take control of the future of the Huaxia Federation. Their organization’s goal wasn’t only to just have some control within the military.

“You shouldn’t demand too much from them. If these people were acknowledged by the higher-ups to let them participate in this test, then that means they have the potential to become stronger.” The chubby one smiled like a Buddha. He looked like he had good intentions, but Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu could see the hidden and vile intentions behind the man’s smile.

From the ruthless attacks at the beginning, the two of them already knew that their respected master, their so-called legendary faction, wasn’t so nice.

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“Should we send them?” The skinny man frowned. Although people like them would send higher authorities new materials every year, not all of them could succeed. Until now, there was only one successful case. Those that failed took up much of the organization’s wealth and manpower. If he was not satisfied with the performance of the material, he didn’t want to let them join. The two people in front of him didn’t meet his standards.

“You are thinking about it too much. We are just in charge of sending materials in. As for whether they will become a success or a failure, that is the job of those lunatics.” The chubby man continued smiling. However, the words he said did not fit his image at all. He even looked at Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu coldly with an icy gaze while still having that smile on his face. It was like they were looking at a poisonous snake.

Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu were outstanding talents in their families. With them being able to reach the peak stage of Qi-Jin at 16 years old, they, of course, were not stupid. When they heard what the other party was openly saying, they knew that nothing good was going to happen to them in the near future. They exchanged glances with each other, and without even saying anything, they simultaneously escaped in separate directions. They hoped that their opponents would hesitate for a moment.

This short gap in time might not allow them to escape safely.

The moment Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu ran off, the chubby and skinny man gave a sarcastic look before each of them choosing a target and chasing after their own targets.

The surprise escape allowed them to distance themselves from their pursuers, but this distance was getting shorter and shorter. It could be said that the two men purposely allow them to have the chance

to run away. They wanted to see how these two young men would react when hopelessness engulfed them.

Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu were frightened but they were calm and collected. Thus, they immediately understood their opponents' intentions. Su Pei made a decision and Xiao Yiqiu showed a wild look in his eyes. The two of them immediately stopped in their tracks and charged at their opponent.

Since they couldn't escape, they might as well fight to their deaths!

"Haha, not bad. Courageous! I like it!" The firm look on the two young men's faces made their pursuers excited. They were not satisfied with their capabilities but their temperament might allow them to survive the secret arts and become a successful experiment.

The chubby and skinny men were prepared to take their attacks. Unexpectedly, their attacks were a feint, and as of this result, Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu flew past them safely.

This was out of their expectations. Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu had succeeded in buying them more time. The two men got slightly furious. They stopped holding back their speed and they instantly appeared behind Xiao Yiqiu and Su Pei.

However, Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu already managed to group together. Xiao Yiqiu pulled Su Pei behind him. His face turned red. He opened his mouth wide and roared loudly.

The loud roar echoed through the entire forest.

"Domain!" The chubby man reacted quickly. He immediately released his domain realm power to forcefully contain the sound within the barrier he created.

The skinny man's expression changed. "That is the Conqueror Wave from the Xiao family."

Xiao Yiqiu realized that his family's Conqueror Wave was not able to break through his opponent's technique. He now knew his opponent was not at any stage of Qi-Jin. No one on the same stage as him should be able to contain his Conqueror Wave. It meant that his opponent couldn't contain it even if he was at the optimal peak Great Perfection of Qi-Jin.

"Su Pei, you only have ten seconds." Xiao Yiqiu's eyes were turning red. His handsome face started becoming hideous.

"Xiao Yiqiu..." Emotions started appearing in Su Pei's eyes, which was unexpected as he always seemed nonchalant about everything.

"Remember the thousand years long alliance between the Su family and the Xiao family.. hurry up and leave!" Xiao Yiqiu pushed Su Pei forcefully. Su Pei made use of this force and moved at the speed of light towards the edge of the forest.

Xiao Yiqiu, if we both manage to live, you will be my most important friend. You will be my only confidant too.

"I will take care of the young man from the Xiao family. You can go and chase after the other one." The skinny man knew that the chubby man used up too much energy to contain the Conqueror Wave so he volunteered to take care of this troublesome fellow in front of them.

The Xiao family. Based on their ability and their bloodline, they should be able to become a second-rate elite family. Unfortunately, just like the Xie family, they had too little people in their family. Thus, they were only able to become a wealthy family on a third-rate planet.

However, it was wrong to think that they were just a low-class family. They didn't have many family members but everyone in the Xiao family was a human-beast. It was said that this ability inherited from their ancestors. Once they release the power of their bloodline, they would become a ferocious and strong beast. Of course, this was just a rumor among the upper echelons. No one had really seen the members of the Xiao family transforming before.

The skinny man knew of this trait so he knew that the weak-looking Xiao Yiqiu was not easy to deal with.

The chubby man moved. Xiao Yiqiu wanted to stop him. He was prepared to use his life to exchange for ten seconds of time for Su Pei to escape.

"Your opponent is me!" The skinny man moved and blocked Xiao Yiqiu. However, at that moment, Xiao Yiqiu's face turned hideous. It seemed as though his entire face was splitting apart. He opened his mouth larger than normal. He roared.

"Damn it!" The chubby man had no choice but to stop. He released his domain and stopped the Conqueror Wave from hitting him again. Because of this, Su Pei got closer to the edge of the forest.

"Don't care about him. Leave him to me." The skinny man stopped holding back. He took over the chubby man's position and released his domain. He sealed Xiao Yiqiu within his domain.

A few shiny metal wires appeared on the ground. These metal wires slithered up Xiao Yiqiu's body and bonded him up like a dumpling. The metal wires coiled around his body turning into metal rings, which restricted Xiao Yiqiu. The element of the skinny man was metal.

"Okay!" The chubby man saw that the skinny man had subdued Xiao Yiqiu so he disappeared to chase after Su Pei.

Xiao Yiqiu tried his best to escape from the metal rings. However, the strength of a domain realm master was too powerful. Even if he aroused the power of his bloodline which allowed him to get near the optimal peak Great Perfection of Qi-Jin, he would still be unable to break free.

Xiao Yiqiu never expected the skinny man to be a domain realm master too. That was why he could only stop the chubby man for a mere three seconds, much shorter than the ten seconds he predicted. The only good thing was, Xiao Yiqiu thought that he would be dead by now. Yet, he was still alive and could continue fighting with the skinny man.

Meng Shaoran saw Su Pei and Xiao Yiqiu splitting up. He was indecisive. Which one should he help?

Based on his ability, he could only fight with one of the two domain realm masters. If the two of them attacked him together, he would surely die. It meant that he must give up one person in exchange for the life of another.

"I'm curious about the Xiao family but I'm more curious about the Su family..." Meng Shaoran made a decision. He moved and followed behind the chubby man.

Compared to Xiao Yiqiu, Su Pei was calmer and more decisive. In the face of a life-or-death situation, he wouldn't show any emotions in his eyes. Even when Xiao Yiqiu decided to sacrifice himself to save him, he still made the right decision, even though he was touched.

He has potential! Meng Shaoran had a good impression of Su Pei.

"Ah!" Xiao Yiqiu sounded like a beast roaring. His body started to turn into a beast. This meant that the power of his bloodline was fully released. As the power of his bloodline was released, the metal ring that the skinny man created started to crack.

"Troublesome." The skinny man frowned. He stomped his feet and his force of presence started exuding out. The metal ring on Xiao Yiqiu's body lit up, and the cracks disappeared.

There were not many metal elements found in the forest. This was why the skinny man couldn't make a metal coffin to encase him. The skinny man didn't expect the young man's bloodline to be so strong. It pushed him further than the optimal peak of Qi-Jin. It almost broke his metal ring.

When he saw that Xiao Yiqiu had no more energy to resist, he walked up and wanted to take Xiao Yiqiu back to his secret base.

Just as he was about to grab Xiao Yiqiu, he felt a killing intent targeting him. He moved to the side instinctively.

Boom! Blood spurted out of his right shoulder. The skinny man shuddered and moved a few meters back. He hid behind a thick tree trunk.

He looked at the direction where the shot came from. He hadn't recovered from the shock. The person who shot him was an exceptional sniper as he used a normal bullet to hurt him. The man looked at his wound. A bullet slowly floated out of it. At his stage, bullets shot into his body could be forced out using his hidden energy.

The bullet dropped to the ground silently. The skinny man waved his hand and the bullet landed on his palm. He looked at it. It was a familiar model. This bullet should be from the sniper rifle their own sniper used. Seems like the other party killed the sniper attacking him and took his gun.

"I never expected such a powerful sniper to exist in the world. He could hide from the senses of a domain realm master." The skinny man gave a malicious look. As long as he found where the person was, there was nothing his opponent could do. So what if he was a powerful sniper? In front of a domain realm master, he was nothing.

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The skinny man didn't think that the sniper was that much of a threat to him. However, he still respected the sniper's ability to retract his presence and killing intent. A domain realm master like him was not able to detect him at all.

The struggling Xiao Yiqiu realized that there was a change in the situation, and it was slowly favouring his situation, so he calmed down instantly to heighten his awareness. He slowly congregated his energy. If the rings restricting him showed any signs of loosening up, he would try to break through it again.

The forest regained its peaceful state, only Xiao Yiqiu's haggard panting could be heard within the tense atmosphere. The skinny man knew that a top tier sniper like his opponent would be very patient. It might take a long time before his opponent reveals a weakness, but he couldn't be as patient as his opponent. If the chubby man knew that he was forced behind a tree by a sniper, he would be teased to the ends of his time. Hence, he decided to attack proactively.

The skinny man made this bold decision because he was confident that with his domain realm defense capability, normal ejection guns would not be able to harm him. The skinny man walked out from behind the tree. He looked like he was walking casually but he was already searching for his opponent using his domain. If any bullets get near him, they would be stopped by his domain.

He focused all his attention in the direction where he predicted the sniper was so the rings restricting Xiao Yiqiu started to loosen up. Xiao Yiqiu had been waiting for this chance. The moment he felt the rings getting looser, he explosively released his energy to break free from the metal rings.

"Clang, clang, clang..." The metal rings broke. Xiao Yiqiu executed his plan the moment the opportunity came so he managed to succeed in breaking free from the rings.

The skinny man got a shock. He turned around and looked at Xiao Yiqiu. Just as he wanted to form new metal rings to restrict Xiao Yiqiu again, a killing intent slowly got near him.

"Bang!" The sniper who was hiding finally found an opportunity and shot his second bullet.

When the bullet was around half a meter away from the skinny man's head, it suddenly bounced off in mid-air. The skinny man gave a malicious look. I finally caught you. The skinny man moved and disappeared from Xiao Yiqiu's vision.

Xiao Yiqiu instantly realized that he fell under a scheme by the skinny man. He was trying to get the sniper's position. He got a shock. He was worried about the sniper who helped him so he immediately shouted, "Be careful!"

The skinny man had already calculated the sniper's position. He saw a shadow lying on a tree branch. It was not moving at all. If he didn't actually see that there was someone there, he would miss the sniper again.

The skinny man smiled coldly. He attacked the sniper without mercy.

When his palm touched the back of his opponent, the body instantly turned into a ball of meat.

Something is wrong! The feeling he received from touching the body told him that the person he attacked was already dead. He stopped and took a look at the physical characteristics of the body. He was one of the snipers they had stationed in the forest. The sniper who hurt him was nowhere in sight.

This is impossible! How can someone escape without a trace under my eyes? The skinny man was dumbfounded. Before he could understand what had happened, he felt a stinging pain on his back. He lost control of his body and fell down from the tree branch.

In mid-air, the skinny man used the last of his strength to turn his body around so that he could face the night sky. He saw a man dressed in black standing at his position a while ago, and there was a beam gun

in his hand. He couldn't see the sniper's face but he could feel the coldness within the sniper's eyes. It was so cold that he could feel a chill in his bones.

He saw his opponent raising a gun. A colorful beam appeared from the nozzle and engulfed him.

He was using a beam gun, not an ejection gun! The skinny man thought about this when he breathed his final breath.

After Xiao Yiqiu shouted, he realized that this was his best chance to escape. However, after he ran for a few meters, he gritted his teeth and changed his direction. He started to sneak towards the direction where the skinny man went.

It couldn't be helped. The people from the Xiao family would never abandon their life savior. Xiao Yiqiu knew that if he really did escape, he would never be able to achieve a higher realm anymore as this experience would haunt him for life.

It could be said that the people from the Xiao family were born with this character trait. This caused most of them to die before they turned into adults. This was why the Xiao family had so few members. However, it was not easy for a member of the Xiao family to let themselves be indebted to a person. They knew the flaw of their character so they rarely accepted the help of someone, especially those that required the sacrifice of a life.

Xiao Yiqiu carefully walked for a distance. There was no sound around him and there was no trace of the skinny man. He was worried about his life savior but he wouldn't recklessly charge forward. Suddenly, his nose grew larger and he started to sniff around.

"The smell of blood and another weird smell..." The Conqueror Wave was not Xiao family's only ability. Of course, when compared to the Conqueror Wave, their other abilities seemed very negligible.

Xiao Yiqiu was agitated when he smelled blood. Is his life savior killed? If that was the case, why didn't the skinny man come back and catch him?

Xiao Yiqiu slowly moved towards the smell of blood. He was curious and hopeful at the same time.

The smell of blood got stronger. When Xiao Yiqiu reached a thick tree trunk, the smell of blood got extremely strong. He didn't even need his special ability to smell it. He knew that he had reached his destination. He leaned close to the tree and slowly inched his head out.

Something dripped on his face. Xiao Yiqiu wiped it away. He realized what it was and looked up. On a branch more than ten meters away, two arms could be seen just hanging down. Fresh blood was dripping down the arms. The droplet that dripped on him just now was blood.

Is that his life savior? Xiao Yiqiu flew up and landed on the branch. He saw a body wearing the same uniform as the skinny man. There was a huge hole at the back of his body. He had already died for quite a while now. If not, with the hole at his back, there would be more blood gushing out.

Xiao Yiqiu didn't know who the body belonged to so he looked at the other tree, the other location with an intense stench of blood. Another corpse laid under the other tree. Only the lower half of the body was left. Xiao Yiqiu recognized the shoes and pants. They belonged to the skinny man who captured him not long ago.

Xiao Yiqiu jumped down and inspected the skinny man's corpse.

"There are signs of burns due to high temperature at the cut. He was probably shot by a beam gun. His upper body was melted off and his lower body was left lying on the forest floor." Xiao Yiqiu was puzzled. The energy of a beam gun was powerful but the skinny man was a domain realm master. How could he be killed so easily by a beam gun?

Anyone below the domain realm is nobodies. Domain realm and Qi-Jin were two entirely different concepts. Not only that, domain realm masters and above were able to block attacks by firearms. They were also able to fight against mechas single-handedly. Anyone below the domain realm would be more susceptible to firearms.

"The only possibility was, the other party broke through the domain realm defense capabilities of the skinny man. However, such a battle shouldn't have been so quiet." Xiao Yiqiu found an answer but another query popped up.

"Did the Federation invent a beam gun that could immediately break through the domain realm defense capabilities?" Xiao Yiqiu laughed at his own idea. This was impossible. A powerful beam gun needed a strong power source, a power source strong enough to kill a domain realm master was impossible to create as it would be too unstable to contain it.

As Xiao Yiqiu mocked himself, he saw the smooth cut on the corpse. "No, this can't be the work of a normal Federation's beam gun..." He touched the surface of the corpse and felt a chill down his spine.

"It's cold light. No, it's a power source many times colder than the normal cold light. I almost got frostbite from the residual energy..." Xiao Yiqiu was frightened. He felt frustrated at himself. How could he make such a dumb decision? If the energy didn't disperse due to the passage of time, his finger might have dropped off by now.

He was sure that the person who killed the skinny man was his life savior.

An advanced beam gun with cold light as its power source. Is he a sniper? Xiao Yiqiu remembered these two points. One day, he would find his life savior and return this favor.

The chubby man moved at an extremely fast speed. Within ten seconds, he managed to catch up to Su Pei. As Su Pei desperately trying to run away, he could feel fatigue trying to wash over him. With the help of Xiao Yiqiu just now, he was already on the outskirts of the forest. Just a few more seconds and he would be able to escape.

Suddenly, something pulled him back. He stopped. Despair flashed passed Su Pei's eyes. The time Xiao Yiqiu bought for him was not enough for him to escape.

"I wonder what your parents are thinking. You came happily for the test but now, you want to escape halfway through..." The chubby man appeared in front of Su Pei with the same smiley face.

"That's because we were tricked by you all," Su Pei screamed angrily. At his moment, he could no longer maintain his calm attitude.

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Su Pei remembered the respect and expectation he had for his sect. He wanted to laugh at himself for his naivety...

“That is because of your own desires. If not, would you have fallen for the trick?” The chubby man ignored Su Pei’s anger and continued smiling.

This was the truth. If the Su family didn’t have the desire to return to a first-rank planet and regain the honor they had thousands of years ago, they wouldn’t be attracted by the domain realm masters’ proposals to let their descendants recognize them as their masters. They did all these because they hoped that one day, a domain realm master would appear in their family.

The Su family started going downhill when no more domain realm masters appeared in their family. If they wanted to regain their status, they needed to groom a domain realm master. They knew that the Su family couldn’t resist the allure of a domain realm master so they used it to successfully gain the trust of the Su family head.

Su Pei knew that the Xiao family was in the same situation as them. This was why he didn’t feel surprised when he saw Xiao Yiqiu in the Central Scout Academy. He had never seen Xiao Yiqiu before but as the descendant with the greatest potential in the Xiao family, his name was often mentioned by the Su family head.

Hence, on the first day of school when he heard his self-introduction, he instantly knew who he was. The Su family and the Xiao family always had a strong alliance between them. Even when they both lost their status as elite families, they never betrayed each other. He believed that Xiao Yiqiu knew who he was when he heard his name too.

Su Pei felt bitter. The Su family and the Xiao family probably didn’t know that they had sent their greatest hope to hell personally. The other party didn’t mention anything but from the words like ‘material’ and ‘lunatics’, Su Pei guessed that none of them would have a good ending if they were caught.

“Looks like you have calmed down, come back with me then. Actually, the situation is not as bad as you imagined.” The chubby man didn’t want to continue fighting so he tried to appease Su Pei.

Su Pei scoffed. “What if I say no?”

The chubby man smiled and shrugged. “Then, I have to use some effort and drag you back.”

The chubby man felt that Su Pei had no chance of resisting against him at all. As someone at the primary stage of Qi-Jin, it was impossible for him to escape from his grasp.

Su Pei looked gentle and easy-going but he was as stubborn as Xiao Yiqiu, and since Xiao Yiqiu chose to fight, Su Pei made the same decision. They would never bow down to their opponents without a fight.

The chubby man saw Su Pei preparing for a fight. He shook his head in pity. “You bunch of children won’t give up until you see a dead end.”

The moment he finished speaking, he formed a claw with his fingers. Su Pei felt himself flying uncontrollably towards the chubby man.

“Is this the capabilities of a domain realm master?” Su Pei was hopeless. He was still too weak. He couldn’t resist at all.

When Su Pei was about to suck into the chubby man’s hand, a shadow suddenly dropped down from the sky. A fist carrying a huge force came towards him too.

The chubby man let go of Su Pei decisively and faced the attack.

“Boom!” Two fists collided in mid-air. Two strong energy clashed. The objects around them got blown away. Su Pei was thrown into the air too.

Su Pei slammed heavily onto a huge tree. He bounced off the tree and fell to the ground. The collision caused him to vomit blood. He was seriously injured but he felt relieved. He didn’t know who helped him but his dangerous situation was halted temporarily.

Su Pei endured the excruciating pain in his body and jumped up from the ground. He started to run for his life. The chubby man frowned when he saw Su Pei running away. He wanted to stop Su Pei but another figure blocked him.

“Hey, your opponent is me.” A lazy voice echoed through the forest. Su Pei stopped in surprised and turned back. He recognized this voice. He was too familiar with it.

As expected, a familiar face appeared in front of him. It was the sinister-looking Meng Shaoran.

Su Pei wanted to shout at him and tell him to run away. However, he remembered the clash just now. The strength of the two fists was on par with each other! It meant that Meng Shaoran was as strong as the chubby man.

Su Pei was shocked. What is his real identity? Why is he so powerful at such a young age?

The chubby man looked at Meng Shaoran’s young face and recalled his powerful fist. His expression changed. “Are you the spy from the Flying Dragon Special Forces?”

The Flying Dragon Special Forces! Su Pei’s eyes widened. The special force that held all the outstanding talents of the Federation. Did it really exist?

“What do you think?” Meng Shaoran didn’t reply. Instead, he questioned him back.

The chubby man took it as silent consent. He was elated. He never expected to find the spy from the Flying Dragon Special Forces so quickly. He was definitely going to make a huge contribution to the organization.

The chubby man was in a hurry to gain merits for himself so he stopped talking and released his domain realm. He wanted to end this battle quickly.

The moment the chubby man released his domain power, Meng Shaoran’s retracted his indifferent attitude and turned serious. He quickly struck with his palm. There was no mercy in his attack. He released all his power too. A heatwave emitted from his body.

“A domain?! That’s impossible.” The chubby man looked at Meng Shaoran stunned. He felt a strong force blocking his domain power. When did the Federation have such a young domain realm master?

“Why is it impossible?” Meng Shaoran gave an evil smile. The records of the Federation were used to trick outsiders. If it wasn’t recorded, it didn’t mean that it didn’t exist. Every country had information that was not recorded. If they wrote everything down, it was the same as revealing all their secrets to their enemies. The firewall of the mainframe was strong but it was not impenetrable. All the leaders of the country would have some hidden cards behind their backs.

The chubby man suddenly remembered the newest information he had received about domain realm masters. It was about the record for the youngest domain realm master being broken.

“You are the person that broke the record for being the youngest domain realm master, right? 25 years old. As expected of a rare talent groomed by the Federation.” The chubby man felt enlightened. They only knew the age of this youngest domain realm master but didn’t about anything else about his identity. Now that he looked at it, only someone from the Flying Dragon Special Forces would be able to achieve this.

Meng Shaoran smiled knowingly. He didn’t expect his opponent to think this way. However, he didn’t care.

“Even if you reached domain realm, you’ve only been in the domain realm for less than two months. How much could you have learned?” The chubby man sneered. An experienced domain realm master might give him some fear. As for a newly advanced domain realm master, he was confident that he could win against him easily.

“Try it then.” Meng Shaoran smiled got brighter.

“Explode!” The chubby man suddenly shouted. The air around Meng Shaoran suddenly exploded.

Meng Shaoran’s domain almost got broken by the sudden explosion. Luckily, he was not an inexperienced domain realm master. He had been at this stage for one year. This was enough for him to gain some understanding of the domain realm. He was able to control his domain powers quite well. If he only had less than two months to understand the domain realm, he might have been defeated by his opponent now.

The chubby man’s expression changed when he saw his most powerful attack had failed. He immediately shouted, “Explode, explode, explode!”

Another series of explosions occurred. Meng Shaoran felt a sense of danger and instantly retracted his domain for it to be closer to him. The smaller the domain space, the easier it was to control it and the stronger the domain would be.

Meng Shaoran managed to protect himself but he was still injured by the explosions. Blood dripped down his mouth corner.

As the attacker, the chubby man was not in a good condition too. He stretched himself too much and used up most of his energy. The explosions harmed his own body too. A trail of blood appeared at the corner of his mouth.

“Looks like both sides have suffered.” Su Pei was watching them. He confirmed that Meng Shaoran was a domain realm master too. He looked at Meng Shaoran intently. If he followed Meng Shaoran, would he become a domain realm master too?

“You have been attacking for a while. It’s my turn now.” Meng Shaoran was not easily bullied. He could have attacked the chubby man. However, he remembered the teachings he received when he was young. Before he knew the capabilities of his opponent, he must not act rashly.

Now, he knew how powerful his opponent was. It was time for him to act.

The heat emitting from Meng Shaoran’s body got hotter. The heat turned bright red and slowly congregated to form a solid object.

The chubby man was astounded to see his opponent’s domain element turning solid. He breathed deeply and a powerful shield formed in front of him. He started retreating quickly.

“Too late!” Meng Shaoran said coldly. The solidified fire element turned into a flaming dragon and rushed towards his opponent.

The fire element was violent and unstable. Moreover, it was the most powerful element out of the five basic elements. The fire dragon easily broke through the shield and engulfed the chubby figure behind it.

“Ah!” The chubby man screamed in agony. After that, he was swallowed by the flaming dragon, leaving behind just a pile of ash.

Meng Shaoran was stunned for a moment when he saw this. He got puzzled. “Weird, why was his domain’s defense power so weak?” When the chubby man attacked him just now, Meng Shaoran knew that his element was air. But, the defense of an air element domain shouldn’t be that weak. It was like nothing was blocking his flaming dragon.

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After thinking for a while, Meng Shaoran couldn’t find an answer as to why the chubby man died so easily. In order to defeat the chubby man, he had used his most powerful attack, which he intended to use to just injure the chubby man and to follow it up with more attacks of his own but instead, he died with just one attack, leaving no traces behind except for a pile of ashes.

While they were fighting, Su Pei used the opportunity and moved far away from them. He hated the domain realm master who taught him for five years but he still felt grateful for his teachings. He taught him that he must retreat as far away as possible when two domain realm masters were fighting.

When Su Pei saw Meng Shaoran defeating the chubby man, his respect for Meng Shaoran skyrocketed. This young man who was the same age as him might be even more powerful than his ‘master’. After the fight ended, he inched closer to Meng Shaoran as he felt safer as he got closer to him.

“Thank...” Su Pei didn’t know how to address Meng Shaoran.

“No need. If you want to repay me, just tell me what you are doing here.” Meng Shaoran was asking about it because it was his mission.

Su Pei wanted to repay his favour to Meng Shaoran. However, he was worried about Xiao Yiqiu’s safety, so he said, “No problem, but my friend, Xiao Yiqiu, is chased by that guy’s accomplice.”

Meng Shaoran smiled nonchalantly. "If he was beaten to death on the spot, you would only find his corpse by now. If he was caught, do you think I would enter their base and save him?"

Su Pei felt his heart dropped. He knew that this young man didn't have the responsibility to save Xiao Yiqiu but he still tried asking. The people guarding outside the base were already domain realm masters. It meant that those people inside the base were even stronger. Meng Shaoran would not take this risk for a stranger.

"As long as he is still alive, we will have a chance of saving him." Meng Shaoran continued, "If you really want to help him, tell me everything you know. With enough information, we can plan our actions."

Su Pei knew what Meng Shaoran said would lead them to the highest chance of them saving Xiao Yiqiu, so he quickly calmed down and organized his thoughts. He told Meng Shaoran how his family met a domain realm master five years ago and why he came to Planet Azure.

"They have already infiltrated the powerful families of this planet." Meng Shaoran was serious. His superiors were right to worry.

After getting the information he wanted, Meng Shaoran prepared to leave. The people protecting the outskirts of the base were domain realm masters. Although there seemed to be something weird about them, it was undeniable that they had domain power and knew how to control it. The people at the base should be more powerful than the chubby man. Him as a sole domain realm master couldn't win against so many domain realm masters even if there was something weird about them. Meng Shaoran was here to complete his mission, not to look for death.

Su Pei got agitated when he saw Meng Shaoran preparing to leave. He immediately shouted, "Are you really from Flying Dragon Special Forces? If so, can you tell me your name?"

Meng Shaoran stopped. He raised his eyebrows and smiled at Su Pei. "Is that important?"

Su Pei clenched his fist. "If you are from Flying Dragon Special Forces, then... I want to enter your force." This might be the only chance to realize his dream.

Meng Shaoran looked at Su Pei intently. He smiled. "You have to work hard then. With your current strength, you might not even be able to have the right to take the entrance test." If Su Pei became as strong as him before he turned 25 years old, they might be able to meet again. Meng Shaoran finally was a little interest in Su Pei. However, it was just a little.

Meng Shaoran left after he finished speaking. Su Pei tried to chase after him. Yet, no matter how fast he ran, he was not able to catch up with Meng Shaoran. Meng Shaoran looked as though he was just casually walking but his speed was very fast.

Just as Meng Shaoran was about to disappear from his sight, Su Pei shouted, "I will definitely get into the Flying Dragon Special Forces. Will you tell me who you are then?"

Meng Shaoran didn't look back. He raised his right hand and waved. Let's talk when you really get in! That was what he seemed to be saying.

In a blink of an eye, Meng Shaoran disappeared. Su Pei was disappointed. But, he quickly pushed his disappointment to the back of his head. He needed to get out of the forest quickly and find someone to

rescue Xiao Yiqiu. Meng Shaoran said that he would help him but Su Pei wasn't going to place all his hopes on just one person.

He didn't trust any instructor in the school. Hence, he wanted to find Li Lanfeng. Li Lanfeng didn't look very trustworthy but as someone from the 23rd division, Su Pei was willing to believe him.

Ling Xiao had been Su Pei's idol ever since he was a child. Instinctively, he had been duplicating Ling Xiao's actions and words. He believed that they were no spies in his idol's division.

While Su Pei went to look for Li Lanfeng, Meng Shaoran hid behind a tree and sent the information he got. Then, he returned to the forest. He had to get in touch with someone sent by the military. This was part of his mission too. If he guessed correctly, it should be one of his roommates. He didn't know which one it was but now was the time for the person to be revealed.

Leng Hanfeng and the person who saved him managed to resist against their opponent's attack. However, he was using everything he had to fight against his opponent so he was starting to feel the fatigue coming to him. He panted heavily.

The person who helped him was no better than him. The two of them took another blow by the middle-aged man, forcing them to retreat ten meters back. Leng Hanfeng vomited another mouthful of blood. He was already heavily injured.

"You run away first. I can distract him for ten seconds. After that, I will run," the person who helped him whispered to Leng Hanfeng.

Leng Hanfeng looked up in surprise. The person nodded. Leng Hanfeng remained silent for a moment before nodding.

"When I say attack, you will run." The person formed a stance as he spoke. He looked as though he was going to give it his all in a final strike.

Leng Hanfeng slowly nodded. He started to pretend that he was going to give a final strike too, but secretly he placed most of his weight on his legs. The moment he heard the person shout, he would release all his energy and run away. The person was looking at the middle-aged man but when he saw Leng Hanfeng's actions from the corner of his eye, he gave a look of approval.

The middle-aged man saw their stance and turned vigilant. He was much stronger than them but if they attacked him without care, the outcome would be hard to tell. He prepared himself for their attack. His eyes turned sharp. The moment they attack, he would find their weakness and kill them with a single strike.

"Attack!" The person shouted. The middle-aged man prepared to defend himself. However, he saw one of them suddenly retreating.

I got tricked! The middle-aged man was furious. He wanted to chase after him but the other person blocked him. The Qi-Jin power on the person's body increased exponentially and broke the Qi-Jin boundary.

A half step to domain! The middle-aged man was shocked. No one below the domain stage would be able to defeat a person at this stage. He released all his Qi-Jin and attacked his opponent.

“Boom!” The sound rang through the entire forest. Leng Hanfeng slowed down a little. He turned his head back and looked at the direction of the battle. “Domain? No...” He muttered to himself.

He had a complicated look in his eyes. He hesitated for a moment before gritting his teeth and continuing his way out of the forest. About ten seconds later, he stopped and leaned weakly against a tree. He used his last ounce of energy to punch the tree. Then, he turned and went back.

He only left for less than 20 seconds but the place had already turned into a pile of ruins. Leng Hanfeng looked around him. He didn’t see any corpses so he relaxed. The person who saved him was not killed, but he didn’t know where the person went. Is the middle-aged man chasing him?

Leng Hanfeng didn’t know what to do now. Suddenly, a pile of soil was pushed up and a person crawled out. The person looked haggard but the uniform of the Central Scout Academy could still be seen.

This was the person who saved him. Leng Hanfeng was elated. Before he could speak, the person scolded him in a soft tone, “Idiot! Didn’t I ask you to run? Why did you come back? Are you looking for death?”

Leng Hanfeng opened his mouth but no words would come out. The person was right. His decision was the same as looking for death. However, if he didn’t come back, he wouldn’t be able to forgive himself for his entire life.

The person’s expression softened. He had already guessed Leng Hanfeng’s intentions of coming back. “Fortunately, I used a secret method and managed to fool that man. If not, you would be dead.”

“Thank you!” Leng Hanfeng only said these two words.

“Why are you thanking me? We are roommates, right?” The person suddenly smiled. He rubbed his face forcefully and soon, the disguise on his face was rubbed off, and Gu Zhengrong’s handsome face was revealed.

“Gu Zhengrong! It’s you?!” Leng Hanfeng exclaimed in surprise.

“Of course it’s me. Who do you think I was? If I didn’t recognize you, I wouldn’t have taken the risk to save you.” Gu Zhengrong looked at his torn and tattered school uniform, then decided to take it off, revealing his muscular body.

Leng Hanfeng looked closely at the tattered school uniform. He finally understood why it looked so familiar. It was a female school uniform. He suddenly remembered that Gu Zhengrong went to the female’s dormitory to disguise himself as a female.

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“Shouldn’t you take off your mask as well?” Gu Zhengrong saw that he was discovered and immediately exposed Leng Hanfeng’s fake facade as well.

Leng Hanfeng took what he said without being flustered. He didn’t say anything and immediately took off his disguise, showing a cold and calm face.

“Your face looks much better now,” laughed Gu Zhengrong. He rather liked to speak to a familiar face.

Leng Hanfeng had a confused expression on his face and asked, “Who really are you?”

“Me? I just took a mission to find out things about this academy.” Smiled Gu Zhengrong. “You’re the same right?”

Leng Hanfeng didn’t answer and only stared at Gu Zhengrong. Gu Zhengrong didn’t care and put out his hand, “Let me introduce myself, I’m...”

Right at that moment, Gu Zhengrong’s expression instantly changed. He pulled Leng Hanfeng away and quickly backed up a short distance...

However, he was already too late. A man appeared before Gu Zhengrong and ruthlessly hit him with his fist. Gu Zhengrong cried out in pain and spat out a mouthful of blood into the air.

Gu Zhengrong fell roughly on the ground, his back hurt so much that he couldn’t stand up on his own. Luckily, he had Leng Hanfeng beside him to hold him up.

“Are you alright?!” Leng Hanfeng asked worriedly.

“I’m not dead yet!” Gu Zhengrong wiped away the blood from the corner of his mouth and looked at the space in front of them. The middle-aged man who he thought he had lured away was actually hiding around in the vicinity and hadn’t left.

“You really think I’m only at the optimal peak Great Perfection stage of Qi-Jin? Someone who just temporarily reached the domain stage for a few seconds wanted to fool me?” Sneered the middle-aged man.

“Brother Leng, looks like we really have to put our lives on the line this time.” Gu Zhengrong smiled bitterly towards Leng Hanfeng.

“I had this realization long ago,” Leng Hanfeng said without fear.

“Alright, I will put life in your hands,” Gu Zhengrong smiled as he replied and executed a stance. This time, it was a real stance where he would put his life on the line.

Although Leng Hanfeng didn’t answer, he used his actions to tell Gu Zhengrong that he will fight with him to the bitter end.

“You two are really naive.” The middle-aged man smiled in a belittling manner. Then, his force of presence exploded outwards and it began to rush towards Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong. The strong force of presence pressured Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong to the point where their faces turned pale. They bit their lips and used all of the Qi-Jin in their bodies to resist the pressure coming from the middle-aged man’s force of presence.

Suddenly, they felt their bodies seemed to have been transported to a swamp, every action they made was met with a lot of resistance. They looked below them and discovered a transparent line had wrapped around them.

“A domain expert!” Gu Zhengrong was very experienced so he knew what was happening to them. It was no wonder that middle-aged man looked down on them. Anyone below the domain stage were considered ants to domain expert. Even a half-step domain expert was just considered a larger ant when compared to the overpowering existence of a domain expert.

Leng Hanfeng had a hint of despair in his eyes. A domain expert... they had no hope of escaping.

“Leng Hanfeng, will you trust me?” Gu Zhengrong suddenly asked Leng Hanfeng.

“I’m part of the Huaxia Federation and would never betray the Huaxia Federation.” Leng Hanfeng said without any hesitation.

Gu Zhengrong had a complicated look on his face, then became determined in an instant. “Alright, I have a life-saving technique that could make me temporarily enter the domain stage for 10 seconds. Once the time is up, I would pass out. As I activate it, you need to hold onto me for your dear life. I will try and run as fast as possible...”

“Of course, if we can’t run away in time, you must leave me here and run away yourself... the mission is more important,” Gu Zhengrong continued.

“But...” Leng Hanfeng seemed to not agree with Gu Zhengrong’s decision.

“Remember, we are soldiers! Nothing goes above our mission,” Gu Zhengrong shouted softly.

Leng Hanfeng stared into Gu Zhengrong’s eyes and then nodded. “Understood.”

After hearing Leng Hanfeng’s answer, Gu Zhengrong’s expression changed. He shouted loudly and his entire aura began to grow exponentially.

“Domain!” Gu Zhengrong screamed. Leng Hanfeng quickly held onto Gu Zhengrong’s body as he quickly ran towards the edge of the forest.

The ground suddenly rose around middle-aged man, sealing him inside a something like a coffin. Seeing this, the middle-aged man shouted angrily, and countless of water streams appeared behind him and pierced through the sand coffin. However, inside the deep forest, other than the abundance of the wood element, the earth element was also in abundance, and the water element was comparatively weaker and lesser than both of them. Thus, the middle-aged man couldn’t break through the sand coffin instantly and could only watch as Leng Hanfeng escaped with Gu Zhengrong.

Finally, not knowing whether it was because of the water streams or because 10 seconds was up, the sand coffin created by Gu Zhengrong’s temporary domain instantly crumbled. It became bits and pieces and fell to the ground.

The middle-aged man escaped from the sand coffin. Right as he wanted to give chase, the communicator on his wrist suddenly began to vibrate. He looked over at it and had a change in expression. “Not good, someone actually invaded the headquarters.” He ruthlessly looked over at the direction Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong had escaped towards and spat. “It’s your lucky day!” Then, he quickly headed back to the headquarters. Although capturing these hidden spies were important, the headquarters was more important.

After running for some time, Leng Hanfeng discovered that the middle-aged man wasn't chasing them. He then looked at Gu Zhengrong, who had already fainted. Leng Hanfeng had a complicated look on his face, then he sighed. "Elder Brother Gu, I'm sorry. Just as you said, the responsibility of a soldier is to put the mission first." Leng Hanfeng looked towards the headquarters in the central area of the forest and continued, "I won't leave until I find out what's inside their headquarters."

Leng Hanfeng carefully set Gu Zhengrong down on top of a thick branch on one of the large trees. He was afraid that Gu Zhengrong would fall down, so he used a belt to tie him to that branch. Then, he disguised himself. As long as no one looked at him closely, he probably wouldn't be found out.

After finishing everything, Leng Hanfeng left the scene and moved towards the center of the forest.

Not long after Leng Hanfeng had left, Gu Zhengrong, who had been unconscious, began to move his fingers...

Ling Lan, who was hidden around the main gate of the enemies' headquarters, finally acquired the information about the intersecting sight lines of all the members in the patrol team, along with the blink frequency of the two guards by the gate.

It couldn't be helped, this was the way this headquarters chose to guard their gate. They didn't use high-tech surveillance equipment that had no blind spots to guard their gates. Instead, they used people to guard it. If she wanted to silently enter the headquarters and not be seen by the 10 or more pairs of eyes intently staring at the gate, it would be almost impossible, especially the two guards at the door which seemed to have been ordered to look at the direction opposite of the door.

Luckily, it was only almost impossible and not completely impossible. Of course, if it wasn't Ling Lan it would be completely impossible for anyone else.

After calculating and planning for a short while, Ling Lan finally calculated the timing between the blinking speed of the two guards. Of course, this timing had already eliminated the sight lines of the patrol team. Ling Lan finally confirmed when she needed to make a move.

Finally, after waiting for that small window of time, Ling Lan flew out as light as a feather and silently moved towards the direction of the gate. Suddenly, the gate opened slightly revealing a small opening which Ling Lan instantly slid through.

As expected, the Li family's inner mansion was the one with the problems, who told them to not have any high-tech equipment! After the traumatizing experience, Little Four began to judge places that had made him lose his dignity in front of his Boss.

It turns out, it was all Little Four's work that made the gate open.

The place Ling Lan was hiding at was not too far from the gate. This distance was enough for Little Four to use Ling Lan's spiritual power to reach to the scanner on the gate. This high-tech and difficult to crack equipment was similar to a naked Little Blossom that he could bully however he wanted...

Little Four felt that comparison was weird, but he always saw others describe it in that way. Some people really liked to say that, but bullying is bullying, but why do they not wear any clothes? Does that them easier to bully? In reality, Little Four believed that a naked Little Blossom would go on a rampage and wouldn't be so easily bullied... but he didn't have anyone else to bully other than Little Blossom.

He really couldn't understand how the people in his Boss's world thought. Little Four sighed sadly. He had just recently discovered that he was really smart in some ways. It was no wonder that he was a one of a kind intelligent entity.

The equipment and machines in the headquarters were undoubtedly technologically advanced. However, when faced with this overpowering force called Little Four, they were all useless. If it wasn't for the fact that his Boss Ling Lan told him not to alarm those in the base, Little Four would have already taken over the base and let his Boss go anywhere she wanted.

However, Little Four couldn't help but respect the person who designed the headquarters. If it wasn't Ling Lan who had entered the base, it would be impossible for hackers to use other methods to get through the headquarters' defenses.

That was because this headquarters was not connected to any satellite. All of its wiring did not connect to anything outside. The water and electricity it used was created within the base. The mainframe of the headquarters also only integrated into this headquarters and had never connected with anything outside of virtual worlds. It could be said that this base was an enigma. They couldn't acquire any information from the outside world, unless they sent people outside of the headquarters and go to the academy at the edge of the forest...

In other words, even if someone was to successfully enter the base, before they leave, they wouldn't be able to transfer anything they had come to know. Those people who had disappeared after taking on the mission of infiltrating the headquarters perhaps hadn't actually died. They may still be trapped inside of the base, unable to get out.

However, when Ling Lan entered into the base, all of this was no longer a problem... If Little Four wanted to, he could let the mainframe connect to any satellite and to any network, making this headquarters be known to everyone

Chapter 758: Fake Domain!

Little Four managed to enter and leave the headquarters easily but Ling Lan on the other hand, who was lying in a corner of the gate where the guard couldn't see, was met with some difficulty.

Ling Lan knew that the security at the headquarters was tight but she didn't know that it would be this tight. There was a guard with every three steps in the underground passageway leading deep into the headquarters. It would not be easy to get past these people.

"Troublesome." Ling Lan knew that the longer she waited, the greater the chances of her being found so she needed to act now.

Ling Lan's body started melting into a liquid form, disappearing from the guards' sight. She couldn't evade all these pairs of eyes so she had no choice but to enter her domain mode, allowing her body to merge with her domain element.

Ling Lan's domain element was ice, and ice was a form of water. A year ago, Ling Lan was already able to control the three states of water, but Ling Lan knew that she must have some hidden cards so she didn't tell anyone about this, even when she fought with other people, she only used her ice attacks. She had

never revealed the two other states besides the time when she merged with the rainwater during the princess escorting mission in order to fight with the domain realm master.

In that fight, the domain realm master died so her secret didn't leak out.

That meant that this was her second time using another state of water. This time, she used both the liquid form and the gaseous form of the water element.

The water flowed down the walls. Before the water went into the vision lines of the guards, it changed into a gaseous form. Ling Lan was afraid that a mist would form if she evaporated too fast so she controlled the speed of her evaporating. A minute later, the water disappeared from the wall.

"Ah Lian, don't you think that the air in the headquarters is fresher today?" One of the guards sniffed the air and said to the guard near him. They had been working together at this job for quite a while now so they were familiar with the environment of the headquarters.

"Isn't it the same?" But not everyone was sensitive to the change in the quality of air. The man called Ah Lian didn't sense any changes

"It isn't dry anymore." The person who spoke first expressed his thoughts. Underground places were normally cold and humid. High humidity would affect the integrity of the headquarters so the mainframe kept the environment dry.

"Maybe the mainframe adjusted the humidity of this place," Ah Lian replied indifferently. To him, this was nothing strange.

"That makes sense. I hope that the mainframe would continue to maintain this level of humidity," The guard couldn't help but comment. He preferred a more humid environment.

"That might be possible. The researchers probably needed to conduct their experiments in a humid environment. Let's hope that they will prolong their experiments." Ah Lian consoled the other guard.

While they were talking to each other, Ling Lan sneaked passed the two guards nervously. She didn't expect there to be a guard who was so sensitive to the quantity of water particles in the air. She was fortunate that they didn't think otherwise. If not, she might have been exposed.

Ling Lan passed the guards safely and finally entered the inside of the headquarters. She looked at the bird's-eye view of the headquarters Little Four showed her. She commended the faction which built this extravagant headquarters, to build such a huge headquarters secretly without alerting the government, this faction must be powerful. No wonder the Federation placed such high importance on this mission and sent a talent from the Flying Dragon Special Forces.

With the help of Little Four, Ling Lan didn't waste any time finding her way around the headquarters. She went directly to the places with the highest security and surveyed every one of them. As she continued on her stroll around the headquarters, she got more and more furious the more she saw.

"We must destroy this headquarters, the foundation of this faction," Ling Lan told Little Four as she walked out of a human experiment laboratory.

Little Four was shocked by what he saw too. Those cruel human experiments that appeared in history books was actually conducted in this headquarters. The experiments carried out in this headquarters

might be even more vicious than what was written in the books. They actually used underage youths for their experiments.

“Now I know where all those domain realm masters come from...” At first, Ling Lan was afraid of the people in this headquarters. It was because all the guards in the inner parts of the headquarters appeared to be domain realm masters, shocking her greatly. When did the domain realm masters become so common? With those cruel experiments in mind, she finally got her answer. These domain realm masters were created through countless of those experiments.

She remembered the domain realm master who chased after Xiao Yiqiu. She hid her force of presence purposely so when she attacked him, she didn't use much of her power, as she just wanted to injure the skinny man and continue attacking from there. Yet, what had happened was out of her expectation. She managed to destroy the skinny man's domain easily, striking him square in his chest.

At that time, she could already feel that something was amiss with those domain realm masters, but time was tight then so she couldn't think deeply about it. Thinking back, these domain realm masters who were created do have their domains but there was major flaw about them, and the major flaw was their defense. Of course, the skinny man she met might just be an outlier of their successful line of domain realm masters. To affirm her thoughts, she needed to look for more domain realm masters created using this experiment.

For some reason, she thought of Qiao Ting. At Soldier City, her forceful attacks forced Qiao Ting to release all his energy and achieved a breakthrough to the domain. However, that domain was later proven to be just a pseudo domain. It was not stable. To stabilize a pseudo domain, the person had to achieve the domain stage which required many years of hard work and experience. The person needed to understand how a domain worked and how to use it properly.

This kind of domain was not as stable and powerful as the true domain as there were no weaknesses in a true domain. When compared to true domain realm masters, their domain realm masters were a joke. Their domains are fake!

Fake!

“Little Four, have you collected all the evidence?” Ling Lan had already searched through most of the places, but she felt a sense of danger at some locations so she didn't go close to those locations.

“Don't worry, Boss. I have recorded all of them. There are pictures and videos.” If this place had surveillance cameras, his Boss would not have to come here personally. It seems like the people who built this headquarter were afraid that their experiments would leak out so they didn't leave any form of pictorial evidence behind. They didn't even dare to install surveillance cameras.

The paper documents they found were weird too. It was written using strange characters that didn't exist in the world. It was probably a language invented by the people in the headquarters. That way, only their own people knew what was written on it, even if it was stolen, no one would know about their doings.

Little Four recorded all of these documents too. He looked at a few pages and couldn't understand anything, none at all. But, this was not an unsolvable problem for him. With his powerful calculating ability, he would be able to find a pattern in the words and decipher its content.

Ling Lan quickly retreated from the headquarters. She found a safe spot in the forest and sent the evidence she found to the number that gave her the mission.

Somewhere far away, a major who had been taking note of this number finally saw a message sent to it. He got excited. "There's news."

His colleague, who was a major too, reminded him. "Take a look at its content first. It might be some normal information."

"That makes sense." The major opened the file. When he saw the gruesome photos flashing before his eyes, his expression changed. Every consecutive photo was gorier than the last. After looking through all the photos, the major rushed to the rubbish bin and vomited in it.

"What happened?" His colleague asked out of concern.

The major took a while to control his urge to vomit. He raised his pale face with eyes full of grief and anger. He said to the major beside him, "Major Liu, inform Major General Wu. We got evidence from Planet Azure." He closed his eyes after he finished speaking to hide his tears and anger. He clenched his fist tightly. Those people should die a thousand times for what they have done!

Major Liu saw the furious expression on his colleague's face and was surprised. He glanced at his optical supercomputer. His expression changed. He quickly contacted Major General Wu and reported the situation to him.

After some time, Major General Wu came over hurriedly with some officers who looked around 60 years old. Everyone had one or more stars on their shoulders. It meant that they were either major generals or lieutenant generals.

All the majors on duty were shocked to see so many generals in the room.

Major General Wu asked the moment he came, "Where is the evidence?"

The major who received the evidence had recovered by now. He pointed to his optical supercomputer. "Over here."

Major General Wu rushed over and took control of the optical supercomputer. He flipped through the evidence. The photos were shown one by one, and all the officers looking were shocked by what they saw.

"Bastards! This bunch of bastards..." One of the lieutenant generals slammed his clenched fist on the table beside him, shattering it into pieces.

"Hurry up and inform the people on Planet Azure to control the Central Scout Academy." The major general gave his order decisively.

His deputy quickly replied, "Yes, major general." They had waited for this day for a long time. All they lacked was evidence. Hence, they waited patiently for that evidence to come.

"Wait!" One of the lieutenant generals stopped him immediately. "The other line sent us some information too. There are many domain realm masters over there. Without an overwhelming number of domain realm masters on our side, we would be unable to control the Central Scout Academy.

Furthermore, there are many scouts in the academy. If the enemy uses them as hostages, we will be at a disadvantage.”

“We must gather enough domain realm masters!” The person who seemed to be in command gave an order. “Ask all the division, ground units, starship units, special forces, and any free domain realm masters to gather at the ground headquarters on Planet Azure within 24 hours. The time of action will be...” He looked at the communicator on his wrist. It was 1.23 pm now. He continued, “ 1400 tomorrow.”

Their opponents were already in an alert state by the numerous attempts to investigate the school. They didn’t have much time left. If their opponents escaped, no matter how much preparations they tried to make, it’ll be all in vain.

As the orders were given, everyone in the room started acting. They gave out orders to the various units near Planet Azure for them to gather on Planet Azure within 24 hours.

Major General Wu asked the major who received this document, “Were these evidence sent by the lieutenant colonel from Flying Dragon Special Forces?”

The major was stunned for a moment. “No, it was from the other lieutenant colonel.” To ensure the safety of the person taking the mission, the mainframe didn’t provide detailed information about him. However, one of the requirements for this mission was to have the rank of lieutenant colonel or above. Hence, the major addressed him as a lieutenant colonel.

“He is not...” Major General Wu was surprised and curious about the lieutenant colonel who had done what they couldn’t for so long. Who was this person that managed to get this information before the person from Flying Dragon Special Forces?

Around Planet Azure, all the domain realm masters from various divisions and units received the order. Those that were free or didn’t have any important task rushed to Planet Azure. However, domain realm masters were not common, even after sending out the order, the generals were still worried. This mission affected the lives of many youths. There must be no mistakes. If not, they would be unable to answer to the people from the Federation. It might also affect the political world, as many important figures would get implicated by this.

No one could bear these consequences, especially the generals who were in charge of the mission. These 24 hours were like torture to them.

After Leng Hanfeng left Gu Zhengrong, he quickly arrived at the main gate of the headquarters. When he saw the numerous guards and the high-tech door, he immediately understood why the spies before him failed.

“Boss, look at what I found.” Ling Lan was still sending out the evidence from a tree nearby when Little Four shouted at her.

“Your roommate!” Little Four said excitedly when Ling Lan turned to look at him.

“Leng Hanfeng or Gu Zhengrong?” Ling Lan asked indifferently.

Little Four was dispirited. “Why didn’t you guess Meng Shaoran?”

“He should be on the way too but he is not free now.” When Ling Lan noticed Meng Shaoran following after Su Pei, she had already guessed his reasoning for choosing Su Pei.

It had to be said that he made a good decision. Su Pei was calm and knew when to give up certain things. He knew what he should do to gain the most leverage out of the situation. Compared to Xiao Yiqiu who was straightforward, Su Pei would give Meng Shaoran what he wanted more easily. Ling Lan agreed with his decision. If she was in the same situation, she would choose Su Pei too.

Chapter 759: Appear On Stage All Prim And Proper!

“It’s Leng Hanfeng!” Little Four was dejected as his Boss was too smart and calculative. It was hard to tease his Boss.

“It’s him!” Ling Lan looked up excitedly. “Is Gu Zhengrong not with him?” After she saved Xiao Yiqiu, she continued her way to the base. As she was walking through the forest, she saw Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong fighting against a domain realm master.

This was something Ling Lan wanted to see. With Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong helping her attracting some of the attention of the guards outside, she would have an easier time getting in their headquarters.

“Nope, he is alone.” Little Four found out that Gu Zhengrong was nowhere near Leng Hanfeng.

“Interesting!” They didn’t move together. Looks like things are getting fun. Ling Lan smiled slightly. “Little Four, you did well today so I’m going to reward you with a great show. Let’s just wait a while and, the leads of the show will appear on stage all prim and proper!”

Ling Lan silently climbed up a tree with dense leaves and branches. With the dense leaves and branches, it allowed little sunlight to hit the ground, shrouding the forest grounds with darkness. Ling Lan leaned close to a thin branch. The dense leaves and branches covered most of her figure. When the wind blew, she swayed along with the branches. From below, nothing amiss could be spotted.

Leng Hanfeng really wanted to complete his mission but he was not a rash person who would recklessly charge into his objective without thinking. When he saw the heavily guarded gate, he slowly retreated as he didn’t notice any obvious way in, so he wanted to report the situation to the military first.

When he retreated for around a hundred or so meters, his expression suddenly changed. He instantly jumped into a bush.

A figure appeared at the spot Leng Hanfeng was at a moment ago. Leng Hanfeng was already very careful but he still got noticed by the guards.

However, he reacted well to the situation. The guard didn’t seem to realize that he was hiding in the bush. The guard looked confused, seemingly to be doubting himself.

“What’s wrong?” Another guard wearing the same uniform appeared beside him. Looks like they were a team.

“Nothing. I discovered some movements here so I came here to take a look,” the other guard replied.

“Did you find anything?” His partner asked in concern.

“No. I probably am too sensitive,” the person who came first replied.

“Maybe not... after we reached the domain stage, our five senses got more sensitive. Since you felt something, it means that there must be something suspicious here.” The person who came late was more cautious than his partner. “To be careful, let’s activate our domain to scan the surroundings.”

The person who came first felt that it made sense. He was also worried that there was someone here so he nodded to his teammate’s suggestion. They immediately activated their domain.

“So this is where you are...” The moment they activated their domain, all kinds of disguise were useless. The person who came first sneered and reached out his right hand. He attacked the bush where Leng Hanfeng was hiding.

The bush exploded, and a figure jumped out. It was Leng Hanfeng.

Leng Hanfeng flew back a few hundred meters like a shadow and quickly ran towards the edge of the forest. With him being discovered by two domain realm masters, he only had one choice: run.

“Chase him!” The two domain realm masters saw Leng Hanfeng and exchanged glances with each other. Then, they chased after him.

At that moment, a young man who was leaning on a tree tiredly appeared. When this young man heard the commotion in front of him, he looked up in shock. When he saw Leng Hanfeng speeding towards him, he let out a sigh of relief and smiled.

“Erm...” He opened his mouth, but before he could say anything, Leng Hanfeng shouted, “Run!”

“Huh?” The young man was astounded. When he saw the two shadows chasing Leng Hanfeng, he understood what was happening. He hid behind a tree and shooing at Leng Hanfeng with both hands. He was asking Leng Hanfeng to ignore him.

Something flashed passed Leng Hanfeng’s eyes. He didn’t slow down but changed his direction instead, running towards the young man. He grabbed his hand and pulled him along.

“I realized that whenever I meet you, nothing good will happen.” The young man who was pulled along bore with the excruciating pain in his chest and ran with Leng Hanfeng.

“I also realize that I will meet you whenever I get unlucky,” Leng Hanfeng replied nonchalantly. He was pulling a person along but his speed didn’t decrease in the slightest.

“You offended two domain realm masters... even if you want to die, this is not the way to do it.” The young man was pulled by Leng Hanfeng so he had some time to look back. When he saw the two people chasing them clearly, his face turned black.

“Gu Zhengrong, shut up!” Leng Hanfeng warned him. They were running for their lives now. He didn’t want Gu Zhengrong to make any noise, interrupting his thought process.

Gu Zhengrong opened his mouth. In the end, he knew that this was not a good time to complain so he decided to shut up. He decided that once they are safe, he would cut all ties with Leng Hanfeng. He didn't want to get implicated by him ever again.

However, the difference between Qi-Jin and domain was just too vast. Not long after, the two domain masters blocked Leng Hanfeng from the front and back.

"I'm really going to die because of you now." Gu Zhengrong gave a bitter smile.

"Since you woke up, you should have left. Why did you come deeper into the forest?" Leng Hanfeng was unhappy about Gu Zhengrong's decision too.

"I'm afraid that some idiot would overestimate himself and get himself into trouble." Gu Zhengrong replied angrily. The two of them were seriously injured. Why didn't he go back and rest? Why did he go to look for the headquarters himself? Is the base so easy to enter? If it is, there wouldn't be so many people who had failed in the past.

"Are you saying that I have to thank you?" Leng Hanfeng scoffed.

When Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong started complaining to each other in a life or death situation, the two domain realm masters were stunned.

At that exact moment, Gu Zhengrong and Leng Hanfeng suddenly moved. They rushed towards the domain realm master who was blocking their way of retreat. If they wanted to live, they needed to subdue this person first.

Boom! Boom! The two domain masters resisted their attacks easily. Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong knew that they were so dead as the guard didn't even seem surprised by their attacks. They were too well-prepared.

"What a simple scheme. If we didn't discover it, we should quit the organization." The domain realm masters who fought with Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong gave a sarcastic smile to them.

"Brother, seems like we really have to die together," Gu Zhengrong said with a serious face. This was the first time he felt actually hopeless.

Leng Hanfeng didn't say anything. He pursed his lips tightly and stared stubbornly at the domain realm master in front of him. Gu Zhengrong smiled when he saw Leng Hanfeng's never give up attitude. "How about this. Let's fight one each and see who can last longer."

Gu Zhengrong turned and pressed his back against Leng Hanfeng's back. He said in a low voice, "Leng Hanfeng, remember, don't die too fast."

"Don't worry, I will not die before you." Leng Hanfeng could be quite irritating when he wanted to be. Gu Zhengrong felt frustrated. "Hope that you will do what you say. Don't disappoint me."

After he finished speaking, he looked at the other domain realm master. The domain realm masters didn't feel that these two little fish were a threat at all so they didn't initiate the fight first. As the stronger party, they felt it was beneath them to attack first.

Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong knew that this fight would decide whether they live or die. Their hearts were heavy. They secretly gathered their strengths. They hoped to adjust their body condition to its best state so that they had a chance to survive, no matter how small the chance.

“Hey, why is the atmosphere here so tense?” A playful voice sounded in the forest.

Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong were dumbfounded as they looked at the direction where the voice came from. A young man wearing a scout uniform was leaning against a tree and waving at them lazily.

“Meng Shaoran!” The two of them shouted instantly.

“Tsk, why are you two so passionate? I’m not used to it.” Meng Shaoran gave them a look of disgust.

“Brother Shaoyun is still the best. He is pure, sincere, honest, and not as fake as you two.”

Little Four, who was looking at the show, laughed when he heard this. “Haha, Boss, you are pure, sincere, and honest. This is so funny.” If their Boss was honest, there would be no liars in the world.

“Little Four, I seem to be too kind with you lately.” Ling Lan clenched her fist and cracked her knuckles. She looked at Little Four threateningly. This person needed to be beaten occasionally.

Meng Shaoran’s words angered Leng Hanfeng. He sneered. “You are dishonest too.” They were not the only ones hiding their identities.

“Yes, yes, we are all the same. Why are you so proud of yourself?” Gu Zhengrong added on. He revealed how hypocritical he was.

Leng Hanfeng glared at Gu Zhengrong coldly. Who said that there were the same?

Gu Zhengrong felt that there was something wrong with what he said so he slapped his mouth and smiled awkwardly at Leng Hanfeng.

“So, are you all done with claiming your family connections?” One of the domain realm masters saw the three of them talking among themselves and immediately scoffed at them.

“I’m not his relative.” The three men spoke simultaneously as they gave a look of contempt to the other two people.

This chemistry caused the faces of the domain realm masters to turn black. Are the three young men trying to tease them?

They exchanged glances with one another and understood each other thoughts. They attacked together. Their target was Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong. No matter how powerful a person was, they knew that they should pick the weakest off first. Meng Shaoran appeared without them noticing. This meant that he was much more powerful than the other two. The two domain realm masters decided to subdue the two weaker ones before combining their efforts to fight Meng Shaoran.

Chapter 760: From The Start!

Their plan was good but they were not the ones writing the script. Meng Shaoran moved quickly and stopped one of them.

“Looks like you want to become our enemy,” the domain realm master that was stopped said angrily.

“Tsk tsk. Look at how fake you are. From the moment I appeared, we all already know that we are not on the same side.” Meng Shaoran jeered.

The domain realm masters’ expression changed. Because Meng Shaoran stopped one of them, the other one had to fight Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong alone.

“I always know that I’m not so unlucky. Leng Hanfeng, looks like we have to work together again.” Gu Zhengrong touched his nose nonchalantly and gave a smile. If they could escape from a domain realm master once, they could do it again.

“You can use your special skill again?” Leng Hanfeng raised his eyebrows.

“Hmph. We talked with them for so long in order to drag the time and let the recovery agents show its effects. Don’t tell me you didn’t use it.” Gu Zhengrong raised his eyebrows too. He didn’t believe that Leng Hanfeng didn’t use the agents.

Leng Hanfeng shook his head stubbornly, showing that he didn’t want to talk to him. Gu Zhengrong smiled. As expected of a soldier, straightforward and bad-tempered. Well, he should just ignore him.

The two of them didn’t speak nicely with each other but they both prepared their stance for a fight.

When he saw two young men at the peak stage of Qi-Jin attempting to fight with him, a domain realm master, the domain realm master sneered in contempt. He decided to teach these two little brats a lesson. He would let them know what the phrase ‘anyone below the domain stage is a nobody’ really meant

He turned and said to his partner, “I will handle these two brats. Take care of your opponent and don’t let him interfere with my fight.”

“Don’t worry, I will not interrupt your side!” His partner shouted back.

Meng Shaoran raised his eyebrows. He felt that there was an underlying meaning behind his words. However, he didn’t have the time to think about it carefully. The domain realm master had already unleashed his domain, and it was attempting to engulf him. In response, Meng Shaoran released his domain without hesitation, creating his own domain space.

The two different elemental domain clashed with each other, forming a powerful and frightening energy. Trees swayed furiously, branches were blown hundreds of meters away. Yet, the clothes on Meng Shaoran and his opponent’s body didn’t move an inch.

At that moment, Gu Zhengrong suddenly shouted and grabbed Leng Hanfeng. He then quickly ran away from the battlefield of two domain realm masters.

If they stayed too close to the fight, they could get injured by some rogue attack. Moreover, there was a domain realm master looking hungrily at them. If they wanted to have even a chance to survive, escaping now would be ideal.

If they escaped, they wouldn’t distract Meng Shaoran too. It was the best course of action.

Leng Hanfeng almost fell when he was suddenly grabbed by Gu Zhengrong. Fortunately, his foundation skills were good so he managed to stabilize himself and followed Gu Zhengrong.

The domain realm master who was looking at Gu Zhengrong and Leng Hanfeng got distracted by the fight between his partner and Meng Shaoran. This was one of the reasons why Gu Zhengrong dared to run away. When the domain realm master came back to himself, he realized that Gu Zhengrong and Leng Hanfeng were extremely shameless. They escaped when they outwardly show that they wanted to fight. He was indignant. He glanced at his partner and only chased after the two young men when his partner glanced back at him.

Gu Zhengrong and Leng Hanfeng managed to catch the domain realm master off guard and escaped when he wasn't paying attention to them. However, domain realm masters were too strong. In about three seconds, the domain stage guard had caught up to them. They only managed to escape for a few hundred meters.

In actuality, Gu Zhengrong and Leng Hanfeng didn't plan to escape. When they saw that they had achieved their goal, they stopped.

Gu Zhengrong calculated the distance and smiled in satisfaction. "This far is good enough. We will not affect Meng Shaoran at this distance."

"Yes!" Leng Hanfeng agreed with a serious gaze.

"Now, our lives are up to us." Gu Zhengrong was serious too. He had already accepted their faith in dying in the hands of the two guards. However, Meng Shaoran's help gave them some hope of surviving.

Leng Hanfeng was not a talkative person, so he didn't say anything else. He focused on the domain realm master who was walking towards them step by step.

Gu Zhengrong and Leng Hanfeng released their full power. The former's force of presence was even stronger than the latter as he was a step away from the optimal peak Great Perfection of Qi-Jin. This was his true strength. He could only break through the bottleneck and enter a step into the domain stage when he uses his secret skill. However, the consequence of using the skill was huge. Unless it was absolutely necessary, Gu Zhengrong would not use it.

"Overconfident little kids, do you think that you two could fight against a domain realm master?" The domain realm master slowly walked forward as he mocked them.

"You talk too much!" Gu Zhengrong looked at him with disdain.

The domain realm master turned red with anger when he heard that. His mouth opened and closed a few times, but no words came out. He didn't know what to say. Leng Hanfeng looked at him pitifully. When Gu Zhengrong decided to be harsh, he could hurt someone quite badly.

"You are looking for death!" The domain realm master finally lost control of his anger. He released his domain power and charged towards Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong.

A few hundred meters away, Meng Shaoran and the domain realm master were at a standstill, with one side constantly attacking and the other side constantly defending. Both sides couldn't subdue the other person. The domain realm master was on the defending side as he could replenish his constantly

harassed earth wall with ample amounts of earth element due to them fighting in a forest which favours the earth element. Additionally, being on the defensive was an earth element domain's specialty. As Meng Shaoran's domain element was fire, he was more adept at attacking than defending, but with the lack of fire element in the forest, his weakened fire attack couldn't break through the empowered earth wall of the domain realm master, thus making both sides not gain any advantages.

Boom!

The entire forest shook as a loud shockwave was heard. Meng Shaoran and the domain realm master looked at the direction where the shockwave came from. It was where Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong escaped to.

"Looks like they started fighting," Meng Shaoran muttered.

"Your companions might be dead by now." The domain realm master gave a delighted smile. When his partner comes back, this young man would be dead.

Meng Shaoran raised his eyebrows. "Why are you so confident? I personally think that your partner might be the dead instead." If the person he was looking for was among the two of them, the domain realm master would die instead.

"If that's the case, let's make a bet. Do you think the person who appears later will be from your side or from my side?" The domain realm master gave an arrogant smile.

"Bet? Is there a need for it?" Meng Shaoran smiled evily.

"Haha, there is no need. I'll definitely win." The domain realm master laughed loudly.

"No, I just feel that there is no need to make a bet with a dead person." Meng Shaoran looked at his opponent maliciously. From the start of the fight, he had never thought of letting his opponent off alive.

"Bastard!" The domain realm master was furious. Multiple thorns formed in his domain space, and they flew towards Meng Shaoran at lightning speed.

"Fire elements are mostly used for attacking but that doesn't mean that it couldn't be used for defending." Meng Shaoran waved his hand and a fire wall appeared in front of him.

The thorns struck the fire wall. They were not blocked by it. Instead, the fire wall burnt the thorns made using the earth element and turned it into ashes. Even in a defensive position, the fire element showed signs of offense.

While the earth element and fire element were clashing on this side, another situation was happening on the other side.

Let us look back at the moment when Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong started fighting with the other domain realm master.

"You are looking for death!" The domain realm master finally lost control of his anger. He released his domain power and charged towards Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong.

Boom! Huge forces collided with one another. The ground shook. The place where Leng Hanfeng and Gu Zhengrong were standing at was covered with dust and soil.

After some time, the dust slowly settled revealing Leng Hanfeng standing still and grabbing a hand that was reaching for his heart. In his other hand, multiple lightning spears could be seen. The tips of the lightning spears were pointing at the throat of the domain realm master who attacked him.

If he could form lightning spears, it meant that he was an experienced domain realm master who understood how a domain worked.

Leng Hanfeng, who had been beaten up all the time, was actually a domain realm master!

“When did you suspect me?” Gu Zhengrong asked curiously after his lethal attack was stopped by Leng Hanfeng.

“From the start,” Leng Hanfeng replied indifferently.

“The lightning element is the most powerful in terms of attacking. You are the person from the Flying Dragon Special Forces.” Gu Zhengrong finally understood everything. “Who is Meng Shaoran then? Is he the person doing the mission?” If Meng Shaoran didn’t reveal his domain power, he would not have decided that Leng Hanfeng was the person he was finding. This mistake caused him to fail his entire plan.

Leng Hanfeng didn’t reply to him. He just stared at him coldly.

Gu Zhengrong said with pity, “Leng Hanfeng, you are damn careful.” It was too difficult to fish any information out from him.

“Since you never believed me, why did you save me?” Gu Zhengrong didn’t understand.

“I didn’t know who you are!” He was worried that Gu Zhengrong was on his side so Leng Hanfeng waited until he for sure knew Gu Zhengrong’s identity.