

Little Sweet 1441

Chapter 1441: When have we ever been scared?

Ye Wanwan turned to Seven Star and Big Dipper and said, "Go and pick out the 98 most elite members of Fearless Alliance."

Big Dipper was taken back and asked, bewildered, "Sis Feng... shouldn't I pick out 100 people...? Why are we only picking 98?"

Ye Wanwan glanced at Big Dipper. "Aren't you a person?"

Before Big Dipper could respond, Seven Star said, "You and I count as two people."

Big Dipper thought about it and nodded. "I see..."

"Meeting adjourned!"

Ye Wanwan stood up from the chief seat and strolled out of the conference room without a backward glance.

Big Dipper and Seven Star followed after Ye Wanwan.

"Sis Feng... are we really going to attack Asura's subordinate faction power?" Seven Star asked with a slight frown as he caught up to Ye Wanwan with large strides.

This decision was a bit too brazen in Seven Star's point of view.

She wanted to seek revenge successfully with a mere hundred people. It wasn't realistic at all.

There was an extremely high possibility that this decision would lead to the utter demise of the 100 members she led there.

"I have my own plans," Ye Wanwan replied.

"Seven Star, are you becoming timider?" Big Dipper glanced at Seven Star. "When has the Fearless Alliance ever been scared?!"

"This has nothing to do with being scared," Seven Star said.

Before Big Dipper could say anything, Ye Wanwan interrupted them, "Go and choose the people first."

Since Ye Wanwan made her decision already, Seven Star wasn't going to say anything more. He went with Big Dipper to choose the elite members.

In the evening, the 98 people were all chosen. Each person was an elite member of the Fearless Alliance.

After they learned they were about to go to the northern district and seek revenge on Asura's subordinate faction, they were all somewhat unwilling. They felt like they were marching to their deaths.

However, this was the president's orders, so they had no choice but to obey.

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Evening. Fearless Alliance's headquarters, inside Ye Wanwan's office:

Virus yawned and propped its head on Ye Wanwan's legs, looking at Ye Wanwan with its breathtaking eyes.

Ye Wanwan ascertained that no one else was around before taking out her phone and checking her QQ messages.

Gong Xu: Brother Ye, where did you travel to? Space? Why aren't you back yet?

Luo Chen: Are you online, Brother Ye?

Han Xianyu: Ye Bai, where did you go lately? I haven't gotten any news from you at all and can't reach you by phone. Please call me back if you see this message.

After reading through the messages, she flicked her finger and erased every message.

The consequences were inconceivable if someone else saw these messages.

Ye Wanwan rarely messaged even her mother, Liang Wanjun. She only occasionally reported her safety and asked about her mother's wellbeing along with Ye Mufan's and her father's recent situation.

After deleting the messages, Ye Wanwan called Nameless Nie.

"Hello..." Nameless Nie's voice resounded from the phone.

"Meet up with me. I need you for something." Ye Wanwan got straight to the topic.

"Sister Famous Ye... Meeting up isn't a problem, but you need to pay the hiring fee for the Star Destroyer mercenary team first..." Nameless Nie said urgently.

"I sent you the address already. We can settle the bill then." Ye Wanwan hung up after saying that.

Then she stood up and gave Virus and Great White a round of scratching and petting before leaving the Fearless Alliance.

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A teahouse in Yun City:

Ye Wanwan waited for more than an hour before Nameless Nie entered with the dust of a long journey.

"Here," Ye Wanwan called at him.

Nameless Nie looked around for a moment and saw Ye Wanwan. He strode toward her.

Chapter 1442: Please give a five-star rating, Boss

"Sister Famous Ye, why did you call me here so urgently? Also, Curly from the Star Destroyer mercenary team said you ran away without paying the hiring fee... It's his hard-earned money... Sister Famous Ye, you can't duck out of paying..."

Ye Wanwan rolled her eyes. "Do I look like someone who doesn't pay? Something happened last time, so I didn't have time to pay."

"That's true. I trust Boss Famous' financial abilities." Nameless Nie took a sip of his tea and leaned close to Ye Wanwan. "Boss Famous, say... do you want to pay by card or cash? A check also works..."

"Why are you in such a hurry? I have another business deal for you; do you want it?" Ye Wanwan smiled faintly.

"Business deal?" Nameless Nie was startled. "What business deal?"

"A mercenary business deal of course. Why else would I call you?" Ye Wanwan said.

"I thought you came to repay your debt, Boss Famous..."

"..."? *You just can't help but mention money every three sentences...*

"I have a need for manpower right now. If you accept this order, I'll pay for everything then and won't leave out a single cent... If you perform well, I might even pay more. How about it?" Ye Wanwan asked with a smile.

"Boss Famous... What are you planning to do with the hired mercenaries?" Nameless Nie inquired.

"A clan offended me, so I'm planning to teach them a lesson..." Ye Wanwan replied.

"Sure!" Nameless Nie nodded frantically and looked at Ye Wanwan. "Boss Famous, you've found the right person by seeking me out for this type of thing. We're professionals. However, who do you plan to hire, Boss Famous? I have many mercenary teams under me."

Nameless Nie took out a pen and a piece of paper and handed it to Ye Wanwan. "Boss Famous, were you satisfied with the Star Destroyer mercenary team's services last time... If you're satisfied, please give four stars. If you're very satisfied, please give five stars. If you're unsatisfied, please give one star... We're all corporation style and need to have performance reports and evaluations."

Ye Wanwan: "..."

The longer I live, the more I see. Vicious mercenaries actually need their customers to give them star ratings...

Ye Wanwan had no choice but to helplessly draw five stars on the paper and give the pen and paper back to Nameless Nie.

"Can we talk official business now?" Ye Wanwan sighed.

"Sure, sure..." Nameless Nie nodded. "What kind of mercenary team are you looking for this time, Boss Famous? Both T1 and T2 level are good. T1 is a bit more expensive while T2 is more economical and cost-effective. How about you use the Star Destroyer mercenary team again this time since you're so familiar with them now?"

However, Ye Wanwan shook her head after listening to Nameless Nie's nonstop prattling. She stared at Nameless Nie and smiled. "This time, I want to hire you."

Nameless Nie was taken back. *Hire me?*

After he regained his senses, he shook his head frantically. "Boss Famous, what are you saying? I'm a boss myself. The boss doesn't get hired!"

Ye Wanwan was rendered speechless. He was nothing like how he was when he didn't have money to eat back in China. He had grown a tough pair of wings after coming back to the Independent State! He wouldn't even accept being employed anymore.

"You can hire Spray of Flowers, Taoist Devotee, Brick-moving Foreigner, and Dead Man. How about that? They're super T1-level mercenaries. They might be a bit expensive, but don't worry! They're expensive for a good reason! Every cent you spend will be worth it!" Nameless Nie advertised.

Chapter 1443: Eat it yourself!

Ye Wanwan rested her chin on her hand and thought about it.

Ye Wanwan said, "Then... I'll hire Spray of Flowers."

"Oh... Boss Famous, it's like this... Spray of Flowers went out on a mission and isn't free in these next few days," Nameless Nie answered honestly.

Ye Wanwan: "..."

"Then I'll hire Dead Man," Ye Wanwan said.

"Dead Man and Spray of Flowers went out on a mission together." Nameless Nie smiled faintly.

Ye Wanwan's lips twitched as she looked at Nameless Nie's infuriating face. Was he playing with her?

He was advertising them so enthusiastically moments ago and now he went back on his words and said they went on a mission?

"But Brick-moving Foreigner and Taoist Devotee are both available. You can't underestimate those two people, Boss Famous. They're my most beloved employees. If we weren't so close, I definitely wouldn't recommend them to you," Nameless Nie said.

True, those two people were fine too...

Ye Wanwan nodded and agreed in the end, hiring both Taoist Devotee and Brick-moving Foreigner.

Ye Wanwan naturally trusted their strength. Unfortunately, Spray of Flowers and Dead Man were on a mission already, or else she would've hired all four of them.

"I'll take both Taoist Devotee and Brick-moving Foreigner," Ye Wanwan said.

"Hehe, Boss Famous... how about you pay a down payment first..." Nameless Nie said with a laugh while staring at Ye Wanwan.

"I'll pay it all after the mission finishes. What, are you afraid I'll run away?" Ye Wanwan said instead.

Nameless Nie had no choice but to relent in the end. He couldn't do anything if Ye Wanwan didn't want to pay right now.

Ye Wanwan stood up and left the teahouse after her discussion with Nameless Nie.

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At that moment, Big Dipper and Seven Star had already led the chosen elite members and departed for the northern district ahead of Ye Wanwan.

As people said, the cover of the night was perfect for killing. They took advantage of the darkness and led 100 people toward the northern district to attack the subordinate Asura faction while they were unprepared.

A little while later, Brick-moving Foreigner and Taoist Devotee met up with Ye Wanwan near the tea house.

"Boss Famous, have you eaten sh*t yet?" Brick-moving Foreigner walked toward Ye Wanwan with a bright grin that revealed his pearly teeth.

Ye Wanwan's lips twitched. "No... Have you eaten yet...?"

"I've eaten sh*t." Brick-moving Foreigner nodded cheerfully.

Ye Wanwan: "..."

She really didn't want to continue this disgusting topic. Could it be that this idiot still didn't know the meaning of sh*t? Wasn't this too illogical?

However, on the other hand, Ye Wanwan could understand it.

For a mercenary at Brick-moving Foreigner's level, even if he interacted with other people and asked if they ate sh*t yet, other people probably didn't dare to respond or explain the true meaning of eating sh*t...

"Boss Famous, I didn't expect you to also come to the Independent State. I'll definitely need to treat Boss Famous to a good meal of sh*t after this mission ends!"

"..."? *Eat it yourself...*

"Thanks, you're too polite. I'll treat you to a meal later..." Ye Wanwan squeezed out reluctantly.

Ye Wanwan didn't dare to tell Brick-moving Foreigner the true meaning of eating sh*t though. If he learned he'd been deceived by Taoist Devotee and Spray of Flowers to this extent, it was very possible that he'd turn on them immediately and beat them to death. He definitely would!

"Boss Famous, Captain said it's a patrician family in the northern district?" Taoist Devotee asked.

Ye Wanwan nodded and told them the whole story.

"Boss Famous, you're actually pretending to be the leader of the Fearless Alliance..." Brick-moving Foreigner looked at Ye Wanwan with astonishment.

Chapter 1444: Is there really something like that?

“So what? Boss Famous has even led us to pretend to be the Rose of Death,” Taoist Devotee interjected.

Carefully thinking about it, that was true.

They didn’t expect Boss Famous to have this kind of special ability and have the guts to masquerade as anyone!

After some casual conversation, Ye Wanwan drove them toward the northern district.

It wasn’t until nightfall that they reached the northern district of the Independent State.

Different from Yun City, the northern district was considered the countryside and it wasn’t an overstatement to say this place was nearly devoid of humans.

Big Dipper and Seven Star were waiting for Ye Wanwan already. When they saw Ye Wanwan getting out of the car, they walked toward her.

Taoist Devotee chuckled awkwardly and said, “Boss... Um, President Bai, it’s not good to come here on a quest for revenge with just this handful of people, right...”

Ye Wanwan glanced at Taoist Devotee. “If I brought enough people, why would I need you here?”

Taoist Devotee was startled. *That’s... true.*

“Sis Feng, who are these two?” Seven Star asked with a furrow of his brows while examining Taoist Devotee and Brick-Moving Foreigner.

“Friends,” Ye Wanwan replied.

The mercenaries under Nameless Nie rarely appeared in the Independent State unless they were on a mission. Plus, they were usually very secretive, so most people didn’t know their identities.

The first rule of a mercenary was to conceal their own identity well. If they couldn’t even conceal their identity, how were they qualified to be a mercenary and accept any missions?

Taoist Devotee and Brick-moving Foreigner were particularly unknown.

“What’s the situation?” Ye Wanwan asked Seven Star and Big Dipper.

“Sis Feng, it doesn’t look good...” Big Dipper looked very solemn as he walked toward Ye Wanwan and explained the current situation to her. “The subordinate faction under Asura is the Yuan family... The Yuan family’s headquarters is a dozen or so kilometers from our current location... But they seem to have detected us ahead of time and nearly 20 brothers are seriously injured...”

Several members of the Fearless Alliance collapsed onto the ground just as Big Dipper finished speaking, and waves of laments and moaning left their mouths, as though they were suffering from intense pain.

As Ye Wanwan looked at the fallen people, she looked calm on the surface, but she was incredibly shaken on the inside.

Before Ye Wanwan could say anything, blood started pouring out of these people's eyes, nose, ears, and mouths. She could even see long, snow-white worms wiggling.

"Gu?poison?!" Big Dipper shouted, his expression changing drastically.

"Gu poison?" Ye Wanwan's lips twitched slightly. *Gu poison? Why don't you say you're ambushed by Iron Man, Spiderman, or Batman?!*

"It's gu-poison indeed."

Taoist Devotee and Brick-moving Foreigner turned to each other in astonishment. The Yuan family also knew about gu-poison?!

On their team, the only one with a mastery in gu-poison was Dead Man...

But Dead Man wasn't there right now.

"If it's truly gu-poison, it's a bit tricky..." Taoist Devotee said.

Ye Wanwan was startled when she saw Taoist Devotee's reaction. Could it be that gu-poison really existed in this world?

Ye Wanwan originally wanted to help the Fearless Alliance members up but was pulled back by Taoist Devotee. He shook his head at her.

Soon, the sound of howling disappeared and the Fearless Alliance members turned ghastly pale and reached the end of their lives.

This scene caused Ye Wanwan's mind to turn into an utter mess.

She'd never seen such an incredulous scene in her whole life!

Ye Wanwan was about to speak when she felt a weird itching on her neck, as though ants were crawling over her skin.

Chapter 1445: Retreat for now

Ye Wanwan reflexively wanted to scratch her neck, but Taoist Devotee's expression shifted and he shouted, "Don't move!"

As fast as lightning, Taoist Devotee flicked his finger and flung away the tiny scorpion-like insect that was tightly latching onto Ye Wanwan's neck.

"This is a gu insect..." Brick-moving Foreigner looked astonished.

There were people who were well-versed in the gu-poison practice in the Independent State, but practitioners who had such mastery...

"Gu insect..." Ye Wanwan was shocked and incredulous.

Could it be that gu really existed in this world?

Ye Wanwan sent Taoist Devotee a look with her eyes and led Taoist Devotee into her car.

“What is it, Boss Famous?” Taoist Devotee looked perplexed.

“What’s the deal with gu poison? Don’t tell me it really exists!” Ye Wanwan was brimming with curiosity.

Taoist Devotee nodded confidently. “Boss Famous, it exists of course, but you might not know about it.”

The color drained out of Ye Wanwan’s face with a swish. Something so mystical really existed? She was a young person living in the 21st century who believed in the philosophy of materialism!

“Boss Famous should know about the Miao tribe, right?” Taoist Devotee asked.

Ye Wanwan nodded. “Who doesn’t know about them? But didn’t the Miao tribe open up to the public? We can even travel there and sightsee now! There isn’t anything about the gu technique there!”

“Boss Famous, you only know part of it. You don’t know the rest.” Taoist Devotee looked at Ye Wanwan and solemnly said, “The Miao tribe is divided into Red Miao, White Miao, Cyan Miao, Flower Miao, and Blue Miao branches. Those branches are open to the public nowadays. There’s still one branch of the Miao tribe that’s the most mysterious branch; they’re the gu Miao...”

“The gu Miao?” Ye Wanwan was taken back.

“That’s right.” Taoist Devotee nodded and said, “The gu Miao is the most mysterious and they’re experts in the gu technique. The only ones who know the gu technique in the entire Miao tribe are the members of the gu Miao branch.”

“Is there a scientific basis for this...?” Ye Wanwan didn’t believe in the supernatural so easily.

“Em... It’s hard to say. The gu Miao branch isn’t open to the public and lives completely secluded from the world; you couldn’t research them even if you wanted to,” Taoist Devotee explained.

“You’re joking, right... How about nurturing imps...? Are they real too?” Ye Wanwan had a deep frown.

“Now that’s an exaggeration. Those kinds of gu are legends and unrealistic. Gu really exists, but nurturing imps are all rubbish.” Taoist Devotee shook his head.

Ye Wanwan heard about the gu Miao while she was in China. People said the gu Miao lived a life that was completely secluded from the world, not participating in the outside world at all, and they were masters of the gu technique.

Ye Wanwan never took them seriously when she read about this, but she didn’t expect something like gu to really exist in this world.

She was stunned especially since she witnessed it for herself today.

Based on what Taoist Devotee said, gu wasn’t a supernatural far-fetched tale; it truly existed. However, the world was too large and the gu Miao branch was secluded from the world, so many people never came into contact with it. Plus, it sounded extremely mystical, so who would believe it? However, this kind of thing really existed.

For example, the medical practices of Miao medicine and Zang medicine were extremely unique and most people couldn't understand it, but they were oddly effective.

"Is there a way to ward off gu insects?" Ye Wanwan asked.

Taoist Devotee thought about it before promptly shaking his head. He only had surface knowledge about the gu poison and didn't have a thorough understanding of it.

It was Dead Man who was more familiar with this subject...

Soon, Ye Wanwan exited the car and turned to the members of the Fearless Alliance, ordering, "There are gu insects here. Let's retreat for now."

Chapter 1446: Let's fight if we must!

Everyone relaxed when they heard Ye Wanwan's words. Gu had always been mysterious to people, and anyone would fear the unknown.

Ye Wanwan soon led everyone to retreat dozen or so kilometers back—the location of the branch that was destroyed by the Yuan family.

The branch here was the Wu family, a family that had pledged allegiance to the Fearless Alliance for seven or eight years already and had decent power in the northern district. However, they had a conflict of interest with the Yuan family, and the Yuan family relied on the fact that they had Asura's backing, thus destroying the Wu family.

The place ahead of them was a ruined courtyard.

The patriarch of the Wu family was about 50 or so years old. The current state of the estate was no match for its previous splendor.

Hundreds of members of the Wu family were either dead or injured, and Patriarch Wu's eldest son died in battle.

Currently, Patriarch Wu was sitting in the main hall, his hair grizzled and his eyes brimming with sorrow.

"Patriarch, let's go... Otherwise, when the Yuan family launches the second round of attacks..." a young man standing next to Patriarch Wu persuaded.

"I've lived here for decades. I won't abandon it," Patriarch Wu said.

The young man sighed softly. He was originally hoping for the Fearless Alliance to stick up for the Wu family, but it looked impossible now.

The Fearless Alliance's headquarters was rather far from here, and the Yuan family had Asura's backing, so why would the Fearless Alliance stick up for the mere Wu family?

"Patriarch... Could it be that you're still hoping for the Fearless Alliance to come...?" The young man sighed again.

Before Patriarch Wu could reply, mocking shouts and curses were heard outside the door.

The young man's face shifted drastically, and he hastily looked outside.

"Patriarch, an elder from the Yuan family is here with people!" The young man looked panicked.

The Wu family was nearly exhausted of all fighting power and had more than 200 people gravely injured who were being treated right now... This time...

Patriarch Wu snorted and drew a long saber before striding outside.

Outside, Elder Yuan was standing at the head of a group of elites from the Yuan family. When he saw Patriarch Wu coming out of the room by himself, he broke into loud guffaws. "Old thing, you actually didn't run... What a backbone you have; you're really facing death head-on."

Patriarch Wu's expression chilled. "Let's fight if we must! Why must we waste our words here?!"

"Hahaha, old thing, you can't possibly still be wishfully dreaming of the Fearless Alliance to come and save you, right? It's time for you to wake up." Elder Yuan snorted and sent his subordinates a look. "Kill! Don't spare a single person!"

Dozens of elites from the Yuan family immediately charged toward Patriarch Wu.

Patriarch Wu merely raised his sword and went on the offensive instead of retreating. There wasn't a trace of fear in his eyes.

Every place the long saber reached, a fresh life from the Yuan family was sliced away.

However, since the beginning of time, two fists couldn't defeat four hands, especially since Patriarch Wu was old in years already.

Moments later, Patriarch Wu was a bit exhausted already and had obtained a few wounds on his body.

BANG!

Elder Yuan sent Patriarch Wu crashing to the ground with a kick.

"Hahaha, old thing, give up already! There's no way the Fearless Alliance would care about ants like you!" Elder Yuan was vibrating with arrogance and darkly proclaimed, "Even if the Fearless Alliance came here, they'd merely die in our hands!"

Just as Elder Yuan finished speaking, a bone-chilling chuckle was heard from behind him. "Your Yuan family is rather gutsy. We'd die in your hands, huh?"

Dozens of Fearless Alliance members rushed into the courtyard.

Chapter 1447: Attack already

Elder Yuan was startled when he saw the leading Seven Star and Big Dipper while disbelief surfaced in Patriarch Wu's eyes.

"Lord Seven... Lord Big!" Patriarch Wu was astonished. The Fearless Alliance really came...?!

He knew the Fearless Alliance absolutely wouldn't abandon the Wu family!

“Big Dipper?! Seven Star?!” Elder Yuan stared at Big Dipper and Seven Star with his brows knitted close together. These two people weren’t easy to handle...

Elder Yuan never expected the Fearless Alliance to really come to the northern district and stick up for the Wu family.

Seven Star and Big Dipper didn’t speak and merely receded to the side. A woman in tight-fitting black clothes stood behind them.

The woman was stunningly beautiful and wore a faint, nonchalant smile on her lips.

Elder Yuan was further mystified when he saw the woman in black. Judging from Seven Star and Big Dipper’s expressions, could it be that this woman had a higher position than them in the Fearless Alliance?

Patriarch Wu was also puzzled. The fact that Seven Star and Big Dipper would come to the Wu estate and back up the Wu family was incredulous already, but did this woman have a higher position than Big Dipper and Seven Star in the Fearless Alliance? How could that be possible...

“May I ask what your identity and level are in the Fearless Alliance, esteemed miss...? Patriarch Wu asked Ye Wanwan with caution on his face.

Big Dipper pursed his lips and turned to Patriarch Wu. “She’s special level.”

Special level?!

Patriarch Wu and the people from the Yuan family were all taken back.

Special level in the Fearless Alliance... Special level was mightier than the heavens... The only one who could be considered as special level in the entire Fearless Alliance was...

The president of the Fearless Alliance—Bro Flattop?!

Patriarch Wu and the young man next to him both shuddered and stared at Ye Wanwan with disbelief.

“P-pre-president... Fearless!!!”

The youth next to Patriarch Wu was overwhelmed with shock.

“How could this be... You’re P-president Bai?!” Patriarch Wu couldn’t be any more shocked.

“It’s improper to shout like this in front of the president!” Big Dipper rebuked.

When Patriarch Wu heard Big Dipper personally reveal the woman in black before him was Bro Flattop, he was stunned in place.

Elder Yuan and the elites from the Yuan family were also incredulous. How could this be possible?! Bro Flattop, the president of the Fearless Alliance, appeared in person for the mere Wu family?!

“President... The Yuan family... is bullying our Wu family because we don’t have anyone!” Patriarch Wu accused as he knelt in front of Ye Wanwan and pointed at Elder Yuan and his group.

Ye Wanwan’s eyes swept over the Yuan family, and she coldly said, “A blood debt will be paid by blood.”

As Ye Wanwan's last word dropped, Seven Star and Big Dipper lunged toward Elder Yuan while the remaining elite members of the Fearless Alliance all charged toward the people from the Yuan family.

Although Elder Yuan was strong, he was no match for Seven Star and Big Dipper on their own, let alone a team-up between Big Dipper and Seven Star.

A few breaths later, the estate erupted into chaos, the endless sounds of fighting and shouting traveling to any listener's ears. Patriarch Wu also picked up his long saber again and joined the fight.

"Attack already!" Ye Wanwan turned to Taoist Devotee and Brick-Moving Foreigner, who were standing next to her like an emperor's father. She was dumbfounded. What were these two idiots doing?

Chapter 1448: Eating from both sides?

"We can't! We have to protect you and can't stray a single step from your side! That's our responsibility!" Taoist Devotee hastily said.

"Right, right, right! He's right!" Brick-moving Foreigner nodded vehemently.

Ye Wanwan: "..."

Just admit you're lazy! Do you have to use such an eccentric excuse?! Did I hire two masters instead?!

However, this fight began quickly and ended quickly. Brick-moving Foreigner and Taoist Devotee didn't need to join the fight. Elder Yuan was beaten to death by Big Dipper and Seven Star. The remaining members of the Yuan family also suffered serious mortalities and injuries. A handful of them were kneeling on the ground with their hands clutching their heads, not daring to resist at all.

They were facing elite experts of the Fearless Alliance...

"Lock these little b*stards up!" Big Dipper directed as he pointed at the young martial artist next to Patriarch Wu.

"Okay!" The youth became energized immediately and gave the surrendered martial artists from the Yuan family a round of fierce kicking before locking them up in the Wu family's dungeon.

"Thank you, President!" Patriarch Wu knelt on the ground and shouted toward Ye Wanwan.

Ye Wanwan smiled aloofly and said, "Since the Wu family is the subordinate power of the Fearless Alliance, how could we allow other people to bully you?"

Patriarch Wu looked extremely emotional, overwhelmed by the honor of the towering president of the Fearless Alliance, Bro Flattop, speaking to him so amiably... More than that, she even stuck up for the Wu family personally!

"Patriarch Wu, the only way to the Yuan residence has been poisoned by Gu. Are there any other paths nearby?" Ye Wanwan asked Patriarch Wu.

Patriarch Wu nodded. "Don't worry, President. We have a waterway that can directly reach the Yuan residence, and I have several boats! However, since the Yuan family poisoned the land route, they must've installed some kind of defense there too..."

"Don't worry about it. Just lead us there," Ye Wanwan said.

"Yes!" Patriarch Wu nodded frantically and stood up.

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Taking advantage of the night, Ye Wanwan and her company separated into groups and each group boarded a boat and arrived near the Yuan residence.

However, the Yuan residence was currently under tight security.

Ye Wanwan furrowed her brows. As people said, destroy the leader and the gang will collapse. However, it wasn't realistic for so many of them to sneak into the Yuan residence without notice.

Ye Wanwan turned to Brick-Moving Foreigner and Taoist Devotee.

These two idiots were finally useful...

"The three of us will sneak inside," Ye Wanwan told the two of them.

"President, us two should keep watch instead..." Taoist Devotee said.

However, Ye Wanwan grabbed Taoist Devotee by his ear as soon as he finished speaking. "Keep watch your a**! Did I spend so much money to hire you to have you keep watch?!"

Taoist Devotee and Brick-Moving Foreigner had no choice but to follow Ye Wanwan and sneak inside the Yuan residence.

With their martial art skills, they were able to stay completely under the radar and didn't alert any of the tight security around them.

Ye Wanwan inwardly snorted. With help from Brick-Moving Foreigner and Taoist Devotee, it shouldn't be any problem to capture the patriarch of the Yuan family. Their strength was super S level, and not many people in the Independent State were a match for them.

The interior of the Yuan residence was encased in darkness, and only the study was lit.

The trio silently walked to the door of the study and shifted their ears to the door. There were people speaking.

Not only that, but this voice sounded familiar to Ye Wanwan.

Ye Wanwan didn't think too much about it though. She heard someone call Patriarch Yuan inside the study, and Patriarch Yuan replied...

In other words, Patriarch Yuan was inside this study!

Ye Wanwan straightened her body and kicked the door to the study open.

“Freaking Dead Man, what kind of d*mn Gu did you use?! You even said nothing would go wrong, but they’re on our doorsteps now!” A flowery-dressed man inside the room reprimanded an iceberg-like man who carried a coffin on his back.

Iceberg Man merely glanced at the other man and didn’t say anything.

At this time, Ye Wanwan, Taoist Devotee, and Little Sweetie had charged inside the room and the two parties entered fighting stances.

When the two parties saw each other a second later, they were taken back...

Ye Wanwan was also stupefied.

*Sh*t! Spray of Flowers and Dead Man AKA Iceberg Man?*

Why are these two at the Yuan residence?

Chapter 1449: The cursed Nameless Nie

Inside the Yuan study, the five people stared at each other, bewildered. It was as though time had stopped, the study under a blanket of silence.

Ye Wanwan first glanced at the ostentatious Spray of Flowers then examined Iceberg Man behind him.

She was dumbfounded, her lips twitching slightly. No wonder Nameless Nie said Spray of Flowers and Dead Man weren’t available because they went out on a mission when she wanted to hire them! They did go on a mission indeed! They accepted the Yuan family’s mission and feasted on the wage from both sides!

Ye Wanwan finally understood where the gu poison on the necessary road to the Yuan residence came from...

Taoist Devotee previously said that only Dead Man was a master of the gu technique out of their group. Who would have known that the gu insects on this road were planted by Dead Man... Moreover, because of the gu technique, she lost many brothers from the Fearless Alliance...

An elderly man around 40 or 50 years old and luxuriously dressed stood next to Spray of Flowers and Iceberg Man. He had to be the patriarch of the Yuan family.

Patriarch Yuan wore a deep frown as he looked at Ye Wanwan and her group.

He had received news that there was a high possibility the Fearless Alliance would come and exact revenge, so he hired two top mercenary experts, and one of the mercenaries planted gu insects on the mandatory road to the Yuan residence. How... did these people pass that road and arrive at the Yuan residence...?

“Experts, hurry and protect me!” Patriarch Yuan looked at Spray of Flowers and Iceberg Man instantly and hastily shouted, “Kill them all!”

However, Spray of Flowers and Iceberg Man didn't reply. They couldn't figure out why Little Sweetie and Taoist Devotee were here...

"Well!" Taoist Devotee pointed at Spray of Flowers and Iceberg Man and reproached coldly, "The two of you actually accepted private work behind Little Sweetie and my back!"

Spray of Flowers: "..."

Iceberg man: "?"

"Hmph!" Spray of Flowers, who recovered his wits, snorted and glanced at Taoist Devotee and Brick-moving Foreigner. "How dare you admonish us?! Didn't you do also accepted private work behind my husband and my back..."

Spray of Flowers wrapped his arm around Iceberg Man's shoulder. "Am I right, husband?"

However, Iceberg Man coolly glanced at Spray of Flowers, seemingly unwanting to speak.

"Husband said that it's you two shameless people who accepted private work yourself, so you have no right to say anything to us! Pah!" Spray of Flowers shouted at Taoist Devotee and Little Sweetie.

Ye Wanwan stared at Spray of Flowers, rendered speechless. /Dead Man hasn't even opened his mouth once this whole time! Are you playing mind-reading?!

"Our mission was accepted by Captain!" Taoist Devotee straightened his back.

"Right, right, right! He's right!" Brick-moving Foreigner nodded vehemently.

"Tch, you d*mn quack, are trying to scare me?!" Spray of Flowers was full of disdain. "Our mission was also approved by Captain!"

This scene turned extremely embarrassing. Ye Wanwan's lips turned up with an awkward but courteous smile as she thought, "F*ck you, Nameless Nie!"

"Forget it, forget it. Since it's like that, let's go..." Taoist Devotee said to Brick-moving Foreigner.

Brick-moving Foreigner nodded frantically. It was too hot outside, and the Yuan residence didn't even have the AC turned on. He wanted to go home and eat some watermelon while enjoying the AC.

Chapter 1450: There aren't fathers and sons on the battlefield

Seeing that Taoist Devotee and Brick-moving Foreigner were about to leave, Ye Wanwan instantly blocked their paths. She spent money to hire them! But they wanted to run away without doing anything?!

"Where are you going?!" Ye Wanwan asked while staring at them.

"Going home to eat sh*t," Brick-moving Foreigner answered.

"..."? *Fine, you win...*

“Don’t forget what you came here for! You two were hired by me with hard money from that b*stard, Nameless Nie. Yet you want to run away without doing any work?! See if I’ll give you a bad one-star rating!” Ye Wanwan threatened.

Taoist Devotee and Brick-Moving Foreigner were startled, their expressions shifting instantly.

Getting a bad rating wasn’t a joke! Captain said that anyone who got a bad rating from their customers would lose a layer of skin...

Taoist Devotee looked at Ye Wanwan and clapped his chest as he said, “Boss Famous, don’t worry! Since we got gifts from you... no, I mean, since we got money from you, you should clear your troubles for you. We’re mercenaries with rigid principles! We’re professional employees!”

“Right, right, right. He’s right; we’re professionals!” Brick-Moving Foreigner clapped his hands in agreement and turned to Spray of Flowers and Iceberg Man with a ferocious expression. He shouted loudly, “I’m the one who opened this mountain and planted this forest; give me your head if you want to pass through this road!”

Iceberg man: “?”

“Huh? What?”

Even Ye Wanwan was dumbfounded. *What’s wrong with Brick-Moving Foreigner? Did he have a brain spasm?! We came to be abductors, not bandits! Heavens, I need a Bodhisattva to come and save me...*

“Um...” Taoist Devotee looked a bit embarrassed and quietly explained to Ye Wanwan, “Back in China... Brick-Moving Foreigner watched too much period dramas... and thinks it’s more imposing to speak like this... He’s talented at using his imposing aura to crush his opponents...”

Ye Wanwan’s lips twitched slightly. *Why were these people more unreliable than Curly and his group from the Star Destroyer mercenary team...? If she knew this, she would’ve just hired Curly’s team instead...*

“Hmph!” Before Ye Wanwan could speak, Patriarch Yuan snorted and stared at Ye Wanwan. “Little Miss, it appears you hired two mercenaries to target me... Which Dao are you from?”

Ye Wanwan glanced at Patriarch Yuan. “Taekwondo, Jeet Kun Do, karate, and the Dao of the Starry Sky.”

Patriarch Yuan grew enraged. “Little b*stard, you’re playing me?!”

His figure flashed, and his palm shot toward Ye Wanwan.

“Scram!” Taoist Devotee retaliated with a finger and forced Patriarch Yuan to retreat with the mere force of his finger.

“Did you ask me before you tried to attack my employer?!” Taoist Devotee snorted.

“Hey, you d*mn quack. Your employer is an employer, but my employer isn’t an employer?!” Spray of Flowers protected Patriarch Yuan behind him and promptly cursed at Taoist Devotee while pointing at him.

“Blah! You d*mn ladyboy. As they say, there’s no such thing as fathers and sons on the battlefield! Attack!” Taoist Devotee snorted.

“There aren’t fathers and sons on the battlefield?” Spray of Flowers was dumbstruck. “What do you mean?”

“Ladyboy, he’s saying he’s your father!” Brick-moving Foreigner answered.

Spray of Flowers was angered and looked at Iceberg Man. “Husband... The d*mn quack said he’s our father! Poison him to death with gu!”

However, Iceberg Man merely yawned and naturally sat down on the ground. A few breaths later, he went from sitting to lying, looking as if he became one with the floor without seeming out of place.