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Harren was hesitating a bit. Although he already had some first-hand knowledge of Lin Yun's abilities, the matter was too incredible this time. Solidifying a Planar Path was at least over a hundred times more troublesome than opening a temporary path.

That gap was comparable to the gap between an ordinary Master Alchemist and a formidable Artisan. It could even be said that the difficulty couldn't be represented in terms of rank... It was completely incomparable.

As for Sky City's alchemists, they were currently led by an Artisan and had four Master Alchemists and a dozen Great Alchemists. Yet after such a long time, they had yet to even open the Planar Path, let alone solidifying a Planar Path.

This was a huge gap, something impossible. If they had been able to solidify a Planar Path in the past, human forces wouldn't have had to wait every time for the Raging Flame Battlefield to open before being able to enter.

Harren clenched his teeth and gave up on the bargaining with Dylas, because 50% of the loot was the same as not having any loot when considering the danger.

He might as well give up now, and if the Planar Path was solidified, he wouldn't have to worry about the 50%.

Even if it didn't work, at worst he wouldn't go to the Raging Flame Battlefield, where the risk would far outweigh the profits...

Most of Andlusa's people weren't convinced that Lin Yun's subordinate, that seemingly ordinary hairless Grey Beastman, could solidify a Planar Path.

But they didn't say anything. It was their Andlusa Kingdom, after all, and if it succeeded, they would end up getting more benefits.

As for the five forces of the Odin Kingdom, doubt could be seen in their eyes as none of them believed that it was possible. But no one stood out.

Compared to 10% of the loot, what if the solidification was successful?

As long as the Planar Path was solidified, that path would always exist. Not only would they be able to safely enter the Raging Flame Battlefield this time, but the next time the Raging Flame Battlefield opened, the human forces wouldn't need to waste any time. They would definitely have an advantage over the Beastmen.

Only Dylas laughed heartily, laughing so much that his waist was bent forward and tears could be seen at the corners of his eyes.

"Hahaha... You are killing me, Mafa Merlin, I haven't had such a good laugh for a long time! Solidifying the Planar Path? Damned fool, do you know what solidifying the Planar Path means? Do you know what that represents?"

“At your age, I’m afraid that you have been too focused on increasing your rank. You are a 7th Rank Archmage, but do you have any alchemy knowledge? Do you not know common sense?”

“Your joke put me in a good mood, so I’ll teach you some common sense for free. I won’t even take a single mana crystal!”

“My words might be too esoteric, and I’m afraid you won’t be able to understand. Let’s say there is an abyss between two planes. What Sky City’s people are doing right now is setting up a rope so that we can pass over.

“Solidifying a Planar Path would be equivalent to building a bridge made through a Magic Tool. It would be spacious, stable, and safe. Even a Pig Beastman would be able to safely pass through.

“Although the alchemists that Sky City brought out this time might not be the best Artisans of the Odin Kingdom, they are still peak alchemists, and they can only open the Planar Path. The Odin Kingdom’s best Artisan is unable to solidify a Planar Path here.

“And you think you can do it? Don’t joke about it, everyone clearly knows what kind of level your Andlusa Kingdom has reached. Don’t embarrass yourself if you have no abilities. Still pretending when you have no ability is shameless. As a proverb says, this is burying your head in a pile of cow dung.

“Haha, Mafa Merlin, you must have been very lucky to be able to live until today with that kind of intelligence ...”

Jouyi and Harren had terrible expressions. When Dylas mocked Lin Yun, he took jabs at the entire Andlusa Kingdom. They wanted to say something, but they didn’t know what to say.

They would still have some confidence if Lin Yun personally acted, even if that matter seemed impossible.

But it was a different matter if that unremarkable subordinate was taking care of it...

The expression of the representative of the Andlusa’s royal family had also become dark. He had originally gotten angry because of the demand of 50%, but now Lin Yun had come out with that hand and was embarrassing the Andlusa Kingdom.

A member of the royal family had already walked out, ready to berate Lin Yun.

But at that time, a slight trace of spatial fluctuations appeared, just like a drop of water falling onto a calm lake.

A small ripple spread out and instantly made everyone react.

Dylas’ mocking words came to an abrupt halt as he turned to look towards the Planar Path.

And it wasn’t just Dylas. Those silently mocking forces of the Odin Kingdom looked as if they had just seen a God, staring at the busy Crowits.

After that faint spatial fluctuations appeared, they seemed to give rise to a chain reaction, and a silvery light floated in midair.

That slight spatial fluctuation seemed to burst like a volcano, just like a tsunami sharply rising up, spreading waves around.

Gales whistled as the calm elemental power of the surroundings flared up. The surrounding hills were instantly razed by those spatial fluctuations, and the sand all around was sent flowing out.

In the air, that silver light converged and formed a fist-sized silver vortex. That vortex then slowly expanded, far more slowly than a Planar Path opening.

After three seconds, that fist-sized silver vortex doubled in size.

Seeing this scene, all the alchemists of Sky City paled, their eyes opening wide. The crystal pen in the hand of that Artisan also fell onto the fine sand as he foolishly looked at that silver vortex.

“Heavens, sol... Solidified Planar Path...”

Dylas looked at that slowly growing silver vortex, stock-still as if he had been frozen by a Medusa’s Petrification Spell. He was staring with his mouth wide open and his mind blank, having completely forgotten what he had just been saying.

“This... he really started solidifying it...”

After that silver vortex converged, not only did it become a lot stabler, but there wasn’t a single bit of distortion. The fierce spatial fluctuations showed that this Planar Path was already opened.

The vortex was growing very gradually, which was characteristic of a Planar Path being solidified for the first time. This meant that once the Planar Path was opened, it would remain solidified.

These tsunami-like mana fluctuations seemed to be fiercely tearing through the space.

Anyone with the slightest bit of common sense and understanding towards Planar Paths could understand the situation from these characteristics.

The Planar Path was truly solidifying, and it was a success.

And it had been so fast...

That person from the Andlusa Kingdom’s royal family had his mouth wide open, staring at the scene in shock. He had already forgotten what he had planned on telling Lin Yun as he wondered to himself since when the Andlusa Kingdom had such a powerful alchemist.

Jouyi and Harren glanced at each other. Even if they had some expectations and had guessed that this might end up in a success, they hadn’t been 100% certain.

Both saw the shock in each other’s eyes.

Discovering a new plane and solidifying a Planar Path... This was the power mastered by every formidable force.

But the current situation was special. The Raging Flame Battlefield was a special plane that had no fixed planar coordinates. Without fixed planar coordinates, solidifying a Planar Path should be impossible.

Every time they cracked the Planar Path, they had to calculate the new coordinates and position, as well as the method to open the Planar Path, it required a lot of effort.

Every time, they had to go through the trouble of opening a new Planar Path.

Now, this Planar Path was in front of everyone, and it wouldn't take long before it was successfully solidified. Everyone felt their common sense collapse, and their general knowledge crumble.

'Is this real...?'

Whether it was the Andlusa Kingdom's side or the Odin Kingdom's side, everyone was foolishly looking at that silver-colored vortex as it slowly revolved.

No one moved for the next three minutes, as none of them were able to take their eyes off the silver vortex.

The silver vortex was only considered stable when it grew to be ten meters wide and a deep hole appeared.

The surging spatial fluctuations also dissipated, replaced by the slow-moving spatial fluctuations specific to a Planar Path.

It was like a calmly flowing stream peacefully spread into the surroundings.

Looking through the black hole in the center, they didn't see darkness, but a deep passage that looked like a starry sky.

The materials used to solidify the Planar Path were completely submerged in the void, and they disappeared. The solidification of the Planar Path was complete, and from now on, that Planar Path would always exist.

"It truly solidified," Dylas mumbled as he stared awkwardly at the Planar Path, completely stunned.

"Alright, the Planar Path has been solidified. Every force wanting to pass through the Planar Path should pay ten Level 35 spirit mana crystals.

"Naturally, you can choose to not pay and just open another Planar Path yourself."

At this time, everyone recovered from the shock as Lin Yun's gentle voice echoed in their ears.

"Ten Level 35 spirit mana crystals?" Dedale exclaimed in disbelief before smiling.

He unhesitantly took out an egg-sized Bloodstone.

"Here, this is our burning Tower's fee. This egg-sized Bloodstone is worth at least twenty Level 35 spirit mana crystals. Are there any other requirements?"

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Lin Yun picked up the Bloodstone and said with a calm expression, "No requirement, only some materials were needed to solidify that Planar Path. But my subordinate did spend some time on it, so ten Level 35 spirit mana crystals are enough as a reward."

Dedale smiled.

Ten Level 35 spirit mana crystals? That's considered a reward?

Level 35 spirit mana crystals were relatively precious things, with each one being worth over a dozen Level 30 spirit mana crystals, and that was in the cheapest circumstances. Normally, a dozen Level 30 spirit mana crystals would at most be traded for a Level 33 or 34 spirit mana crystal.

But after entering the Raging Flame Battlefield, encountering Level 39 magic beasts would be a normal occurrence. Any magic beasts under Level 30 would have to be an advanced type that gathered in huge numbers. Low-level magic beasts that had smaller populations had already been extinguished from the Raging Flame Battlefield.

Casually killing a Level 39 magic beast would net more than ten Level 35 spirit mana crystals.

But magic beasts' mana crystals could only be considered the most ordinary treasures. Anything they would choose would far surpass the value of mana crystals. This was the same as being free of charge compared to Dylas' 10%.

After the Burning Tower handed over their fee, the other forces of the Odin Kingdom also unhesitatingly handed over some spirit mana crystals.

Moreover, none of the forces handed over anything worth less than ten Level 35 spirit mana crystals. Although they had a lot of mana crystals, they might not necessarily carry ten Level 35 spirit mana crystals at all time, so they could only use other things instead.

The value of these things could be considered on the high side, just like the Bloodstone that Dedale had taken out. Although its purity wasn't very high, it was worth over twenty Level 35 spirit mana crystals.

Even if the Odin forces were looking down on the Andlusa Kingdom, they had a whole new Level of respect for Lin Yun after seeing the Planar Path being solidified, especially at such a speed.

No one minded the almost free fee, and they handed it straight over.

The Andlusa's side was even more straightforward as they paid their fees without a second thought. If they didn't have enough mana crystals, they would give treasures surpassing the worth of the mana crystals.

Compared to 50% of the loot from the Raging Flame Battlefield, a fee of ten spirit mana crystals was nothing. Could this even be considered a fee?

It was just a small gesture.

As people saw it, Lin Yun was just doing a good deed, and those few mana crystals were just in order to not let his subordinate work for nothing.

Of the people present, who would care about ten spirit mana crystals?

Everyone happily paid the fee, and only Dylas had a dark expression. His big show had been ruined in a short time.

'Damn b*stard, that guy definitely did it on purpose! He already knew how to solidify that Planar Path... No, it's that Grey Beastman subordinate of his. He definitely knew that he could solidify the Planar Path here, but he waited for me to coerce the others and offend them before he enticed them...

'Not only did I offend everyone in vain, but I also lost a lot of profit.'

Dylas looked furious, but he still took out ten Level 35 spirit mana crystals. Why would he open a new Planar Path now that this one had already been opened?

The solidified Planar Path before his eyes was already safe, and they would be able to enter the Raging Flame Battlefield very quickly. This would cut the gap between them and the Raging Flame Beastmen to a negligible Level.

And the price was only ten spirit mana crystals.

But if he used a Magic Tool to force open a Planar Path, the price would be over a hundred times worse. This was a simple matter of calculations, because he would need to use a very valuable magic gem in order to activate the Magic Tool.

Ordinarily, even a thousand spirit mana crystals couldn't even be traded for this kind of magic gem, because people simply wouldn't trade it away.

Dylas' face was dark. He had a subordinate hand over ten Level 35 spirit mana crystals to Lin Yun. Ten, not one less, not one more, and their Level was exactly at 35. It perfectly matched Lin Yun's requirement and didn't exceed it at all.

It was worse than all the other forces.

"Dylas, I'm sorry... When I said ten Level 35 spirit mana crystals, it was for everyone else except you. If you want to go, you have to pay a hundred, not one less."

Dylas' expression greatly changed as he heard that.

"Damnit, Mafa Merlin, you are trying to rip off our Shadow Tower? Ten times? Why do the others only have to pay ten while we need to pay a hundred? No way, you are delusional!"

Dylas straightforwardly rejected Lin Yun's requirement.

Lin Yun didn't seem bothered at all by Dylas lashing out. "Don't want to pay? Sure, I don't care. In that case, you can take your Shadow Tower into the Raging Flame Battlefield with your Magic Tool. Can't you blow open a Planar Path? I'm not ripping you off, and I'm not making things difficult for you. You can make your own decisions.

"As for why the others only have to pay ten while you have to pay a hundred, I learnt from you. You can choose not to pay, but unless you pay up, you can't use this Planar Path," Lin Yun said with an indifferent attitude.

The sound of Dylas' teeth grinding echoed, but no fierce words came out.

A sum of one hundred Level 35 spirit mana crystals was no longer a small amount. Not many 9th Rank Archmages carried a hundred Level 35 spirit mana crystals.

Apart from some powerful alchemists, very few people had so many mana crystals, as they would have already traded them for all kinds of materials.

Dylas remained silent, his expression continuously fluctuating. A hundred Level 35 spirit mana crystals wasn't an unacceptable price, because the cost of opening the Planar Path himself and using a Magic Tool to protect themselves was already several dozen times higher.

If he was unlucky in that unstable Planar Path and encountered a Void Storm or a Spatial Storm, or the even more terrifying Spacetime Storm, the price he would have to pay would be a hundred times higher than a hundred spirit mana crystals.

The Andlusans didn't speak and only watched with amusement, not worried that they wouldn't enter the Planar Path.

Not a single one of the Odin Kingdom's five forces were thinking of standing up for Dylas after his tentative of extortion. Dedale even howled in laughter, not hiding his ridicule and enjoyment.

"Dylas, if your Shadow Tower is too poor to take out a hundred spirit mana crystal, then you shouldn't stay there, this place is too dangerous. You should hurry up and return to play with mud.

"Here, here, one spirit mana crystal, consider it my gift to help poor souls like you..."

After saying so, Dedale did take out a Level 30 spirit mana crystal and threw it to Dylas, as if he was helping a beggar out.

Dylas had a dark expression as he used a Mana Hand to take back those mana crystals and throw several kinds of magic gems at Lin Yun.

Lin Yun held the magic gems and conscientiously inspected them while Dylas looked at the scene, almost puking blood.

"There is no problem, those six magic gems are genuine and are worth more or less 102 spirit mana crystals, you can enter the Planar Path."

Dylas clenched his fists from anger, but he endured the urge to say anything. He had already been humiliated and had offended everyone.

Seeing Dylas' humiliation and the fact that he admitted defeat, everyone tacitly agreed to walk towards the Planar path.

Dedale was laughing even louder, "Alright, the joke is over, it's time to sort out those brainless two-legged beasts."

The group walked into the Planar Path one by one, but Lin Yun wasn't in a hurry and stood behind, calmly waiting.

Eight forces had already gone in, and Dylas was about to enter when glared at Lin Yun like a viper, his gaze holding hardly concealed malice.

"Mafa Merlin, you'd best pray you don't meet me in the Raging Flame Battlefield, or you'll understand how cruel fate can be. Be careful!"

Lin Yun hardly cared about Dylas' threat and indifferently chuckled.

"You should understand this well, fate loves to play jokes."

Dylas snorted and then turned to enter the Planar Path, disappearing like the others.

"Merlin, why have you let these people go in, while accepting so little mana crystals! You let them off too lightly..." Enderfa asked as he watched Dylas disappearing while hovering next to Lin Yun.

Lin Yun shook his head and didn't say anything. He looked at Dylas disappearing within the Planar Path with an indescribable expression.

It would have been possible to only make the Andlusan forces enter, or just his own force.

Unfortunately, the Raging Flame Battlefield had its own share of aboriginal magic beasts as well as a large number of Raging Flame Beastmen powerhouses.

The magic beasts were a bit better to handle, the powerful magic beasts didn't live in large groups so they would at most encounter two, and that could be handled.

But those Raging Flame Beastmen wasn't something one or two forces could handle.

Apart from dealing with the original dangers of the Raging Flame Battlefield, they still had to deal with the threat of the Raging Flame Beastmen.

Just by relying on themselves, or the Andlusa Kingdom, they wouldn't have enough power.

The Laws within the Raging Flame Battlefield were very special. Heaven Rank powerhouses with Extraordinary power couldn't enter. The Laws containing Extraordinary Power were different from this plane, they might cause that Raging Flame Battlefield's plane to collapse, or separate from the Raging Flame Plane.

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The most important thing was that Heaven Rank powerhouses simply couldn't pass through the Planar Path. If a Heaven Rank powerhouse tried to do so, the Planar Path would collapse, and the connection between the two planes would be severed. This would make the Heaven Rank powerhouse fall in the endless void, dying without leaving a corpse behind.

And there was a limit to the quantity of people. If there was nothing unexpected, the Raging Flame Beastmen's side was filled with powerhouses and their numbers were roughly similar to the human side, while their strength wouldn't differ too much.

The Odin Kingdom and the Andlusa Kingdom's powerhouses more or less matched the Raging Flame Beastmen's powerhouses when added up. Even if they could suppress the Raging Flame Beastmen, their advantage wasn't that big.

Moreover, the Odin Kingdom surpassed the Andlusa Kingdom in both number and strength. Under such circumstances, most of the power restricting the Raging Flame Beastmen came from those six forces.

If the Andlusa Kingdom entered on their own, they would only end up being destroyed, let alone profiting...

And Lin Yun wasn't just letting Dylas off when he allowed him to enter the Planar Path after paying such a paltry sum.

Lin Yun had been thinking with a pondering smile.

When he saw Dylas, he suddenly discovered something interesting and crafted a plan. But he needed Dylas for the plan... His blood, to be more precise.

"Let's go, Sir Crowits, did you think about it? Do you want to accompany me?" Lin Yun turned his head to look at Crowits.

When they came, Lin Yun had specially asked Crowits some things about the Raging Flame Battlefield and wanted to enter together with him.

Crowits, as an old Beastmen, knew some things about the eight tribes, and he even knew many secrets. He knew more than the clan elders of the Grey Beastman Tribe.

It would be a lot more convenient if such a person entered the Raging Flame Battlefield with him.

But unfortunately, Crowits didn't like fighting. He was enthralled by puppeteering and simply didn't want to go to the Raging Flame Battlefield. After his strength reached the Archmage realm, he became a formidable Artisan, and the Grey Beastman Tribe simply couldn't let him go to such a dangerous place.

He came up here only because he suddenly had some insights regarding arrays and Planar Paths.

He knew that it was impossible to solidify a Planar Path to the Raging Flame Battlefield, so he only came to experiment.

"Sir Merlin, I won't go. I've already stopped fighting for a long time, and I've never been to the Raging Field. Our Grey Beastmen knew very little regarding that place. The Grey Beastmen stopped entering the Raging Flame Battlefield since the humans came to the Raging Flame Plane. I'm not even sure what the place might look like now..."

Lin Yun nodded and didn't force him. He let Crowits return to the Grey Beastmen's fort before taking his subordinates and entering the Planar Path.

As they stepped into the Planar Path, the surroundings transformed into an endless void. Light was twisted around them, only leaving a central circular passage leading to some unknown location.

Here, they could clearly feel the terrifying energy fluctuations coming from outside. They would be instantly killed if those fluctuations erupted, and even Heaven Rank powerhouses wouldn't have it easy.

Outside of the passage, they could faintly see some distorted scenes. Some of them showed events of the previous eras, and some even flowed backward.

This was spacetime chaos. If developed, it could turn into a Spacetime Storm and would easily destroy a plane.

Lin Yun silently sensed the aura here. The chaos contained the auras of all Laws, with the spatial aura being the densest. He cautiously used his Magic Array to catch that wisp of pure spatial aura.

After a second, the surrounding distorted light dissipated as a vortex appeared, swallowing everyone into it.

The light before his eyes suddenly darkened, and he had yet to clearly see his environment when the smell of sulfur assaulted everyone's noses.

They then felt the temperature become extraordinarily high as they appeared in a barren land. Rivers of lava were flowing everywhere, and chunks of black rock were floating atop the lava.

A loud roar echoed, and it was followed by a terrifying wave of mana fluctuations. The lava of the kilometer-wide lava lake in front of them churned as huge plumes of black smoke covered the sky.

An enormous head emerged from the lava lake.

It had red skin, three scarlet eyes, and four crisscrossing thick black fangs that showed a sinister expression.

"Sirius!? Heavens, how could that kind of monster appear here? That thing should have become extinct during the God Wars!"

Enderfa clearly was shocked by that monster.

Even Lin Yun only faintly remembered that such a monster existed.

"Merlin, raise everyone's vigilance, that monster is a terrifying magic beast that went extinct in the God Era. They have incredibly low intelligence and are pure wild beasts. They live in places filled with lava, and their food is lava. Moreover, whenever they start living in a place, the environment slowly starts changing.

"The lava spreads further and further, and aside from lava, they destroy everything in their territory. Whether there was a living creature or an ordinary tree, they would all be the targets of destruction.

"Be especially careful of their 3rd eye..."

Enderfa's three faces were filled with amazement, but they also looked as if they had seen something delicious...

Lin Yun floated in the air, slightly frowning.

Just after entering the Raging Flame Battlefield, he had already encountered a monster that had gone extinct since the era of Gods. And it was a Peak Level 39 Sirius that was even emitting a wisp of Extraordinary Power. It looked as if it would soon advance to the Heaven Rank.

In fact, it might already have started the advancement process when it suddenly sensed the appearance of lifeforms, angering it.

The Sirius' body slowly came out of the lava.

It towered over a hundred meters in height, with arms that were almost eighty meters long. In comparison, its torso was very small. It relied on its huge arms to walk.

Those arms were covered in vein-like cracks, which lava was flowing out of before combining into strange ancient magic patterns.

“Roar...”

The Sirius suddenly set off a massive tidal wave of lava that flowed towards everyone.

Lin Yun floated up, not joining in the fight, letting his subordinates take care of things.

A Peak Level 39 beast with Extraordinary Power was the best test to take a look at his subordinates' recent increases in strength. They definitely wouldn't be able to handle a Heaven Rank, but this magic beast would suit their needs perfectly.

When faced with that tidal wave of lava, Reina instantly turned into her Frost Dragon Shape and took to the sky.

Ice aura instantly spread from her, and the temperature started dropping precipitously as ice fragments fluttered in the air. Many ice elements were forcibly condensed in this hot area.

Reina's body had gone through some huge transformations. She had become slimmer, with the oversized Draconic build disappearing, and her Dragon Scales had become thinner. The decorative patterns on the scales had also become more profound.

Reina's dependence on her wings had greatly reduced. She was faster, more agile, and she could fly longer.

She lightly flickered and avoided that hundred-meter-tall wave.

The patched puppet and Enderfa didn't even try to dodge as they directly started casting.

The two thick spellwaves entangled and turned into a distorted spellstorm. This surge of power clashed with that tidal wave of lava, blasting a large hole in the tidal wave.

Xiuban ran on top of the solidified chunks of lava and charged towards the lava wave. When he swung Carnage, it sent air billowing away with its terrifying power, making Xiuban look like a big air blast.

A loud explosion echoed as Xiuban shattered a rock when he kicked off of it and turned into a shadow rushing through the lava wave.

The white blast of air fiercely impacted the wave of lava as Carnage ruthlessly smashed towards it.

In an instant, a thick ripple spread across the entire lava wave from Xiuban as a shockwave swept through everything. An explosion echoed from the tsunami of lava as Xiuban's body didn't stop in the slightest. He pierced straight through it and continued his charge towards the Sirius.

They didn't even think of moving away or roaming around the battlefield. They all just rushed forward to directly confront the opponent.

The Sirius suddenly got angry in the face of that provocation. Two of its arms supported its body while the remaining four inserted themselves into the rivers of lava and pulled out four huge spheres of lava.

Those massive spheres suddenly shrank and darkened while a bursting aura spread from them.

Then, those sturdy arms compressed the lava spheres and threw them at everyone.

After throwing the four compressed lava spheres, the Sirius didn't show the slightest sign of pausing as it continued grabbing more of them.

Under the monstrous power of the Sirius, the compressed lava spheres kept emitting sharp whistles as they travelled several hundred meters in an instant.

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The compressed lava sphere smashed into the lava river and instantly caused waves that reached up to several dozen meters in height. One of the lava spheres crashed into a thirty-meter-tall rock, which shattered in a huge explosion.

Moreover, the Sirius' attack frequency was terrifyingly high. Its four arms kept crisscrossing, throwing seven to eight compressed lava spheres every second.

Reina was like an extremely nimble large bird in the air, easily dodging all the spheres. The ice aura she emitted became more and more powerful as she kept flying towards the Sirius.

And on the ground, Xiuban was fiercely charging forward straight through the lava. As he walked on the lava river, his monstrous strength made the lava sink four to five meters, as he just plowed through.

As for the patched puppet and Enderfa, they relied on their spellwaves to open a path, forcibly pressuring their way forward at a decent speed.

As Lin Yun summoned his mage army from his Demiplane, they instantly used Flame Elemental Incarnation and transformed into an advancing cloud of fire.

Seeing that its attack had no effect, the Sirius flew into a rage and stabbed its six arms into the lava river.

Countless magic patterns started moving around one of its scarlet eyes, and fierce mana fluctuations were roused. After three seconds, thick red radiance instantly flew toward the mage army.

At that time, fifty shields appeared in front of the cloud and started forming into a single large shield. On the front of the shield, a sinister flaming spirit skull with a large mouth bit down on the beam of light.

Shockwaves spread out from the point of impact. The lava river underneath was forcibly blasted apart by that shockwave, and the ground within a hundred meters was shattered by the impact.

After three seconds, the light beam dissipated and the mage army remained unscathed.

Seeing its most powerful flaming attack have no effect, the Sirius felt afraid. It turned and tried to flee back to the lava lake.

And at that time, Reina finally found an opportunity to dive down. An icy blue radiance appeared in her mouth before a flood of light engulfed the Sirius.

"Crack..."

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Ice surged, and in an instant, a layer of ice condensed on the body of the Sirius. The cracks that the lava had been flowing out of were completely frozen.

As the Sirius was frozen, the patched puppet released its new weapon. A huge cannon barrel extended out of its thighs, and blinding rays of light converged at the mouth of the barrel before firing. The ray went straight through the Sirius' back, piercing its body and continuing for over a kilometer without fading.

Xiuban's skin became very red, and a faint draconic roar came out of his throat as his arms as thick as Lin Yun's waist became even thicker. He turned into a shadow covered in air blasts as he swung Carnage towards the Sirius' chin.

His terrifying explosive power caused the back of the Sirius' head to explode, leaving a huge, bloody hole there. That strength really was frightening, to the point where the Sirius' body was unable to react to the impact.

That 100-meter-tall body was knocked over by Xiuban's hammer.

At that time, Enderfa's Elemental Storm appeared, and the boundless elements crashed into the Sirius' face, smashing its head into the ground.

And in the sky, a huge array appeared around the mage army as a vortex appeared under them. An enormous spear flew out of the vortex, emitting a powerful pressure and leaving a long trail of blasted air behind it. It pierced into the Sirius' neck so hard that it almost beheaded the Sirius.

The ice of the Frost Breath dissipated...

Only a scream could be heard, and in less than three seconds, the six arms fell down, lying on the lava rivers in silence.

"You could forget about killing that Sirius if it escaped into the lava lake. This lava lake is most likely linked to an underground lava river. Only Heaven Rank powerhouses or those with insights in the Law of Lava would be able to kill it underground. Merlin, give that guy's 3rd eye to me..."

Enderfa was attentively watching the Sirius' corpse and couldn't help saying those words.

Lin Yun had his subordinates break down that giant creature while he asked, "What do you want its eye for?"

That rare monster was already extinct in the God Era. No record of that era could be found, and nothing about that creature was written down in the decaying library. It was clear that this monster wasn't particularly powerful.

Enderfa awkwardly laughed as he explained, "That guy's 3rd eye is very beneficial to Magic Tool Incarnations as it can increase the growth."

Lin Yun didn't mind, so he nodded.

Enderfa had suffered some injury during the first encounter with Dubois. Although he had already recovered, this had delayed his growth and slightly decreased his level of power.

Seeing that Lin Yun agreed, Enderfa flew out, burning with anxiety, and had everyone cut up that giant creature's corpse.

Soon, that Sirius had finished being cut apart. Its skin had been peeled and cut into chunks, and after being tanned, it could be made into a thin layer of flexible leather. It was an exceptionally good material for fire-attributed robes.

Not only could it spontaneously attract fire elements, but it also had very high fire resistance. Elemental Flames that tried to burn the Sirius' skin would instead basically be supplying it with power.

It still had some innate magic patterns under its skin, and these magic patterns could reinforce the power of fire spells.

Although that Sirius' body couldn't be used to make many leather robes, it was large enough to outfit the mage army with leather robes. The mage army's strength would inevitably rise once again.

Moreover, that huge Sirius had seven mana crystals: one in the head, and one in each arm. The seven mana crystals were almost all comparable to Heaven Rank mana crystals. And although they were level 39, the wisp of Extraordinary Power contained within was worth far more than a level 39 mana crystal.

Its blood was also an exceptionally good material for alchemy ink. Using this beast blood ink for some fire arrays would provide some especially good effects.

The flesh could be used to nurture warriors and raise their constitution. By devouring enough, they could obtain some of the Sirius' abilities. Just a wisp was enough to greatly raise the power of a swordsman.

Its organs could be used as raw materials for potions. That Sirius was eating lava so its internal organs were all like burning iron. They would be suitable for making Lava Potions, Magic Fire Potions, and other such potions. The effect would be better when compared to plant materials.

As for the bones, they were like red metal. This was due to the Sirius swallowing lava all year long. The metallic materials within congealed on the bones and made them a lot harder than Iron Essence. If used as raw metal, it would be equivalent to digging up a small ore vein.

And the most precious thing was naturally the Sirius' 3rd eye. The substance within could promote the growth of a Magic Tool Incarnation while also fixing any injury it suffered. If this kind of thing appeared in Noscent, everyone would want to buy it, yet no one would be willing to sell it.

The growth of a True Spirit Magic Tool Incarnation was very slow, especially for Enderfa and Shawn, who possessed very high wisdom. That kind of Incarnation was very rare. Ordinary Magic Tool Incarnations would need at least a millennium from their birth until they matured to that stage, and that was if everything went smoothly.

Things that could speed the growth of a Magic Tool Incarnation were very valuable in Noscent. In fact, such a thing had never been sold before. Even if someone wanted to auction it, the auctioneer would spare no effort to buy it and simply wouldn't sell it.

A Magic Tool Incarnation that could assist a mage in battle like Enderfa was pretty rare. He had awakened wisdom and possessed some special abilities.

Shawn also had special abilities that pertained to souls, allowing him to forcibly tear a soul apart. If not for his intelligence and that ability, Shawn wouldn't have been able to leave his name behind among the countless True Spirit Magic Tools.

While the ability of a Magic Tool Incarnation could be powerful, sometimes it could far surpass the Magic Tool itself. Thus, a Magic Tool Incarnation taking damage was a very serious matter.

Because apart from slumbering within their own Magic Tools, they could only rely on time to slowly recover from the damage. They had no other method to rapidly recover.

Last time Enderfa had been injured, the injury had been to his Origin Power. If the damage had been too severe, Enderfa might have even transformed into a Magic Tool Incarnation with only a bit of spirituality, his wisdom dissipating.

Now that there was an item that could promote the growth of Magic Tool Incarnations and cure any damage dealt, how could Enderfa not care about it?

Lin Yun inwardly sighed. Even if Enderfa hadn't said it, he could already guess why that magic beast had gone extinct, and in the God Era too.

Looking at the collected materials, the Sirius was completely made of useful raw materials from head to toe. It could be said that nothing was wasted.

Other magic beasts couldn't compare.

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At most, one could collect fur, teeth, claws, the heart, and some special bones from ordinary magic beasts.

After collecting these, most of the body of the magic beast was worthless. At best, the meat could be used for food, but many magic beasts had meat with extremely strange properties. It either couldn't be eaten, or the taste was very bad.

Lin Yun sighed with emotion. They had only just entered the Raging Flame Battlefield, and they had already gotten a huge harvest. Even if they couldn't get anything valuable afterward, this Sirius with a wisp of Extraordinary Power was already enough to make up for it.

After finishing plundering the corpse, Lin Yun took everyone to keep raking in money, and soon, they arrived near a monster habitat. There, they dug out a large number of fire crystals as well as some fire-attributed magic metal.

They chose a direction and kept pushing forward, and their surroundings gradually started to be covered by vegetation, with some relatively precious plants among them.

The mage army kept harvesting large amounts of valuable medicinal ingredients. These were precious raw materials for potioneering, and many of them would be very difficult to buy in Noscent.

They didn't meet any powerful magic beasts like the Sirius for the next three days. The strongest they encountered was only an ordinary Level 39 magic beast.

However, they even encountered a rock beast with such shocking defenses that even when Xiuban slammed it with Carnage, its outer shell suffered no damage. However, its internal organs were still shattered by that blow.

But although they hadn't encountered anything too powerful, the weakest magic beast they encountered alone was level 35. The weaker Level 30 magic beasts were all in groups of a few dozen at the very least.

They even encountered a pack of over two hundred Forest Wind Wolves, with the weakest being at level 30 and their alpha being level 35.

Apart from magic beasts, the other dangers of the Raging Flame Battlefield also started appearing. Spatial cracks could suddenly appear in places with unstable space, and if one was careless, they would instantly be turned into a corpse.

There were even some places where detection spells couldn't detect anything, but when they stepped in, they would immediately sink into a quagmire that continuously drained their mana.

Some other places were rich in mana to the point that they couldn't tell if the whole area was an illusion. The illusion seemed to be filled with terrible plants that absorbed mana and blood. When burnt, these plants could even hide underground.

The successive battles and dangers didn't create too many problems, but the harvest was huge.

This place's magic beasts were the same. All of their body parts could be used as materials, whether it was the fur, bones, flesh, or organs, everything was valuable.

Even the flesh of those Level 30 Forest Wind Wolves could be stored to be eaten after their return, allowing the mages with weaker bodies to reinforce their strength while also making them more nimble.

The most important part was that this still wouldn't affect their casting; it would even greatly benefit it.

Lin Yun was prepared to bring back the flesh and give it to the Grey Beastmen. After mixing it with some medicinal ingredients, the flesh would greatly reinforce their physical strength.

Although the flesh of these magic beasts had no effect on a freak like Xiuban, when it came to those frail Grey Beastmen, as long as they kept eating it for a few days, their bodies would at least double in terms of physical ability. This was like a hidden way of increasing their survival odds.

Apart from the materials on the magic beasts' bodies, there was also a lot of magic metal.

Lin Yun felt disinclined to mine those and only sent puppets to mine some very valuable ore veins. He even found Stardust Magic Rock and excavated some thick ore that he could cut into over thirty pieces.

Stardust Magic Rock had been almost completely excavated in Noscent, so the only pieces of it that still showed up came from the Endless Sea or some other planes.

Stardust Magic Rock had two effects. The first was to filter a mage's mana like a sieve, getting rid of the impurities within the mage's mana, some of which the mages themselves didn't know about.

As the mana became purer, the mana cost of spells would reduce, and the casting power would strengthen. This was a benefit that no mage could refuse.

The most important part was that this thing, if only used to purify mana, wouldn't wear down. On the contrary, the impurities would be absorbed, making the Stardust Magic Rock even bigger and stronger.

The bigger the Stardust Magic Rock, the better the purification effect. If it was the size of a human head, even the mana of a Heaven Rank powerhouse could be purified.

The other benefit was that it could be used in order to set up arrays. If the Stardust Magic Rock was added to the center of an array, it would increase the array's power.

If the Stardust Magic Rock was purely used as the foundation of the array, it would raise the grade of the array!

Almost all the large-scale defensive arrays of the major forces included some Stardust Magic Rock. Some hidden forces like the Merlin Family's Holy Land or the Black Tower's Holy Land had arrays set up with Stardust Magic Rock as the key. Thus, besides the members of their own family, almost no one could discover them.

Now, he discovered over thirty pieces, and the biggest one was almost the size of a head. Lin Yun couldn't help smiling.

With these, the strength of his subordinates would inevitably rise up again, and he could also use it himself. Moreover, if he established a secret base later, he could use these Stardust Magic Rocks.

The good luck disappeared on the 4th day, apparently all used up.

They had just bypassed a peak filled with spatial cracks and chaotic space when Extraordinary Power suddenly burst out in front of them.

In the distance was a 60-meter-tall Firefox with three enormous, pillar-like tails continuously swaying. Pure flames were burning all over the Firefox's body, and as it opened its mouth, a large sphere kept expanding in front of it.

The sphere was orange at first and then quickly turned blue. It was soon a huge blue and black sphere of energy.

"Rumble..."

Air blasts were created as the four elements condensed into a halo in front of the Firefox's mouth.

That showed that the power of the energy sphere was too great. The air was exploding from being suppressed too tightly, and the elemental power within several dozen meters was compressed in an instant, creating that four-colored halo.

The blue and black energy sphere swept over with terrifying power, spinning towards Lin Yun's group as an endless tornado was curled behind the energy sphere.

The nearby terrain was swept up and broken apart by these whirlwinds, leaving behind a huge ravine spreading over seven hundred meters.

“Damn it, a Heaven Rank Crimson Firefox! That’s the magic attack of a Heaven Rank magic beast! Hurry up and dodge!” Enderfa’s three faces shouted at the same time, as if he had seen something very horrifying.

Everyone used their own methods, either flying up to dodging to the side, and within a second, everyone managed to dodge several dozen meters away. This was already enough to dodge the energy sphere, but no one stopped trying to get even further away.

The energy sphere seemed slow, but it only took one second to move seven hundred meters and hit the peak covered in spatial cracks that Lin Yun’s group had just circumvented.

That ten-meter-wide energy sphere impacted the center of the mountain. A spatial crack that had appeared at that spot was forcibly crushed by the energy sphere, and space kept shuddering from the impact.

With the pressure emitted by the energy sphere, the precarious peak became even more unstable and the originally two-meter-long spatial crack had now become almost five times as long!

It was like a pitch-black mouth had appeared out of nowhere, silent, but emitting a terrifying aura.

There wasn’t even a plane behind that crack because it led to the endless void. After falling in, even a Heaven Rank powerhouse would be out of luck, as this was a dead end.

But after being pressured by the energy sphere, those terrifying spatial cracks looked as if they were alive. They were forcibly flattened and folded by the sphere. The space distorted, and from a distance, everything on the mountain peak turned strange.

“Rumble...”

At that time, everyone heard the sound of the energy sphere’s impact as it pierced through the middle of the mountain.

In no less than two seconds, everyone had fled two to three hundred meters away, and they were able to see the huge, jet-black mushroom cloud spreading out of the mountain.

Lightning and fire kept flickering within the black cloud as the blue and black kept crisscrossing, spreading several hundred meters into the sky.

Then, a visible ripple spread through the space, just like a tsunami.

As the shockwave spread, everything in its way was ground into pieces, shattering the mountain and everything on it. Ten layers of the ground were gouged out.

Everyone had solemn and shocked expressions. They barely managed to dodge over two hundred meters away, but the shockwave had already caught up to them.

It was like a transparent barrier continuously expanding, and anything touched by it would disintegrate.

The fifty mages gathered together and formed an array to use their huge Fire Shield to protect themselves.

Lin Yun frowned, his expression not very good. He directly used his Runic Shield and waved his Draconic Staff to add a layer of four Elemental Shields, while still moving back to reduce the force of the impact ever so slightly.

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While Xiuban lifted Carnage to block, Reina sealed herself in a coffin of ice. Enderfa and the puppet frantically cast all kinds of elemental shields, showing no intentions to stop casting.

Lin Yun's elemental shields were like fine sand in front of that seemingly calm shockwave, shattering with one touch. He kept retreating backward, continuously casting more such shields to slowly reduce the force of the impact before resisting the last bit of the impact with a stronger Elemental Shield.

Even though Xiuban was blocking with Carnage, he was sent flying and instantly travelled four hundred meters, bursting through the air like a cannonball.

Reina, still in her ice coffin, was also sent flying several hundred meters away.

Enderfa glanced at Lin Yun and started using shield spells to slowly weaken the impact of the shockwave alongside the puppet. After being forced back over a hundred meters, they finally resisted the shockwave.

Everyone barely managed to resist the surprise attack. They looked back at the mountain piercing through the clouds and watched as it fell sideways.

The earth shook as the wall-like mountain obstructed everyone's path. This also increased the frequency at which the spatial cracks atop the mountain were formed, and each one was at least ten meters long. Navigating through them was impossible, and so was flying over. They could only be circumvented.

But at this moment, there was a Heaven Rank Crimson Firefox in front of them, so they could only fight...

Lin Yun floated in the air, his expression somewhat unsightly.

Earlier, they were unaware of what was behind the mountain when they went around it because the spatial distortions were blocking their detection spells.

No one expected an ambush from a Heaven Rank Magic Beast behind that mountain. It seemed to have been waiting to sneak attack them, considering that they got hit by an Energy Sphere just as they circumvented the mountain.

This was an ability unique to Heaven Rank Magic Beasts, with their Extraordinary Power, mana, innate attributes, and so on. They mixed all their abilities together and condensed them into a composite Energy Sphere.

Using pure power, they burst out with pure destructive capability. Compared to human Heaven Mages, that way of fighting was completely devoid of skill. But that simple and rough ability could sometimes burst with more destructive power than a human Heaven Rank powerhouse.

Unless a Heaven Rank was pressured until they had no other choice, they definitely wouldn't choose to block the Energy Sphere of a Heaven Rank Magic Beast.

The broken peak was over a kilometer long, and the mountain overall was definitely two to three kilometers tall, but that Crimson Firefox' Energy Sphere had snapped it in two.

This kind of simple, yet cruel, 9th Tier Extraordinary Spell rarely had this kind of berserk power.

Moreover, Extraordinary Spells consumed too much mana. When fighting, Heaven Rank powerhouses wouldn't release too many Extraordinary Spells. Most of the time, they would use ordinary spells mixed with Extraordinary Power.

That fighting style was most suited to human mages because mana was finite, and even if they had established their own Demiplane, it would only double their mana, perhaps tripling it at best.

Human mages couldn't bear the consumption that came from purely using Extraordinary Spells.

But magic beasts were different...

Magic Beasts cast their spells purely by instinct. As long as they matured, they would be able to innately use some spells. Moreover, their mana reserves were a lot deeper than those of humans at the same rank.

And the bigger their bodies, the more outrageous their mana reserves. Although there could be some exceptions, it was like this in most cases.

Before advancing to the Heaven Rank, the Crimson Firefox was at most two to three meters tall and was considered a small-sized magic beast. But the limbs of the one before their eyes were fifty to sixty meters tall, taller than the trees of this forest.

If purely compared in terms of mana, that fox's mana was thirty to forty times that of Dubois. And this was the lowest estimate.

A Heaven Mage would need to release at least half of their mana to be able to cause such destruction. Then, he would have to borrow mana from his Demiplane.

Yet, it seemed like a casual move to that Crimson Firefox.

Although the power of that destructive Energy Sphere was formidable, it clearly took too much time and needed three to four seconds to be released. If it was released before that, its power would be greatly reduced.

The fighting style of magic beasts couldn't be compared with humans', but when it came to the Heaven Rank, a great killing ability with huge flaws like that Energy Sphere wasn't easy to handle. To a certain degree, it was far more troublesome than human Heaven Rank powerhouses.

Lin Yun still remembered that eight millennia later, there would be a 9th Rank Heaven Mage fighting with a Level 49 sea beast on the eastern coastline.

That battle sank a few hundred kilometers of the eastern mainland into the sea. All the islands within a thousand kilometers had sunk, and an archipelago several kilometers away was hit by a tsunami that submerged more than half of the islands..

Ultimately, four top-notch Heaven Rank powerhouses were able to kill that crazy sea beast.

The damage caused by that kind of destruction was the work of the sea beast. That sea beast's body was over a kilometer long. It had been alive for countless years, and its mana reserves were almost a hundred times bigger than a Heaven Mage of the same rank.

Before the dying blow, the struggling sea beast released an extremely destructive Energy Sphere more than a kilometer in size. That Energy Sphere grievously injured the four Heaven Mages and thoroughly destroyed the archipelago off the east coast, raising a tsunami that spread over a thousand kilometers. The losses it brought simply couldn't be calculated.

No Heaven Rank Magic Beast could be found on Noscent's mainland, and not many of them appeared on the shoreline around Noscent. Most of the Heaven Rank Magic beasts were in the Endless Sea. This was also why the Endless Sea was full of dangers.

When Red Beard led the Intrepid through the Endless Sea, he had encountered too many near-shipwrecks.

Lin Yun frowned. A lot of information about Heaven Rank Magic Beasts flashed in his mind, but he was still surprised by that Crimson Firefox.

The Laws of the Raging Flame Battlefield were somewhat different from the outside world. Heaven Ranks from the outside world couldn't come in, and they couldn't even cross through a Planar Path. However, the magic beasts born there could break through the Heaven Rank without a problem.

What was strange was that Crimson Firefox before his eyes.

'How could it be a Crimson Firefox? Crimson Firefoxes are inferior magic beasts...'

In Noscent, Crimson Firefoxes were the most precious thing adventurers could find. They posed low danger with high rewards, as their fur was very valuable, especially when it was intact and without any blemishes. It was worth far more than the fur of all magic beasts at the same level.

The strongest Crimson Firefox Ruler was only level 15, yet, this one was a genuine Heaven Rank Magic Beast...

Lin Yun had never heard of a Crimson Firefox that could reach the Heaven Rank. Even if it bathed every day in God Blood, the possibility wasn't very high. That was due to bloodline limits. It wouldn't be called Crimson Firefox if it could break through those limits.

The one before him had three thick tails and the distinctive features of a Crimson Firefox. Three tails meant that it was the ruler of the Crimson Firefoxes.

"Damn, how could that thing have advanced to the Heaven Rank? And it's so powerful..."

Enderfa flew over with horrified expressions visible on his faces.

When he had encountered the Sirius before, he could still understand... It was a magic beast from a previous era with a powerful bloodline. But this... He couldn't understand it, not at all.

Just as everyone was vigilant and in doubt, that Crimson Firefox faced upward and started howling. The surface of its body was covered in a layer of orange raging flames, and those three huge tails turned into three blazing whips that made the air crack as they gently swayed.

Lin Yun furrowed his brows, but he couldn't think too much about it. No matter how weird that Crimson Firefox was, he couldn't deny the fact that it was a genuine Heaven Rank Magic Beast.

As flames roared, Lin Yun used Lava Incarnation in midair and boundless lava spurted out, covering Lin Yun in an instant and turning him into a Lava Giant.

At the same time, a huge wheel shadow appeared behind Lin Yun, and the endless runes it contained were roaming about.

From a distance, that wheel shadow seemed like a miniature starry sky with a frightening depth, and the endless runes were like the countless stars.

It looked like there was lava moving about in the center of the wheel, and when carefully examined, one would discover that it was actually composed of countless lava runes.

And now, that faint wheel shadow kept becoming bigger and clearer, as if another world existed there and was already descending onto this world.

Lin Yun held onto his Draconic Staff, and a purple light flickered as an ancient and venerable Dragon's roar echoed. A peculiar Purple Dragon's shadow had now appeared behind Lin Yun.

The Purple Dragon faintly turned its head, and its cold, crystalline eyes attentively looked at that Crimson Firefox baring its teeth, as if it was looking at a mad pet.

An ancient book appeared in Lin Yun's left hand. The Book of Death was now shackled with chains corroded from the passage of time.

It was as if the book existed outside of time itself. It was seemingly brand new, yet seemed to have gone through countless lifetimes.

This was the new shape of the Book of Death. As Lin Yun's strength increased, the appearance of the Book of Death also changed.

As more and more Augments were attached to it, the power of the Book of Death also kept increasing.

Lin Yun opened his mouth, and a strange rune came out, instantly loosening up the shackles binding the ancient book. As the ancient book slowly opened, a dazzling radiance bloomed from within.

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The ancient book automatically flipped itself to a page lit with four colored radiances. Of those four radiances, the red and yellow ones flew out and transformed into a light barrier that covered Lin Yun's body.

The pages then flipped on their own until they reached a page that was flipping extremely slowly, as if it was weighing 500kg.

Lin Yun rapidly spat out an ancient rune into the Book of Death and that page completely flipped, exposing a new page.

That page was mostly blank, with three strange runes, but Lin Yun recognized them with a glance, this was the All-Encompassing Chapter.

It was only three characters, but it emitted the charm of the world, as if a world was being birthed there. The endless changes made it seemed like that world was containing anything and everything.

Under the four runes, there were two more strange runes, combined in such a way that it formed the rune for lava!

As Lin Yun spat out a few runes, the rune forming the word lava blossomed with dark red light, but it gave out the feeling of a scorching sun.

Lin Yun's Lava Incarnation fell to the ground. It was as if a comet had fallen, a wave of flames swept over a hundred meters and ignited the several-dozen-meter-tall and two-meter-thick trees in the surroundings, turning them to ashes in less than a second.

Lin Yun slowly got up, his seven-meter-tall body once again bulged up and reached eighteen meters in an instant. Lava roamed on the surface of his body as countless lava runes were emitting wisps of Law.

The earth shook within three hundred meters, as if an Earth Dragon was flipping under, and countless cobweb-like cracks appeared. And from those cracks, berserk lava flowed out.

Boundless lava and extremely thick smoke surged from the three hundred meters around Lin Yun. All those centuries old trees were cremated within one or two seconds and grey ashes spread all over the sky.

Everything within three hundred meters turned into a world of lava. Lin Yun stood in the center of that berserk lake of lava, just like a God's descendant crawling out of a world of lava.

The surging momentum blew powerful gusts of wind and distorted the air in the surroundings like a mirage, making Lin Yun's location turn somewhat illusory.

The berserk lava transformed into a large wave that rapidly dragged Lin Yun's body towards the Crimson Firefox. The lava lake followed Lin Yun's movement and turned into an extremely fierce tidal wave.

Everything the lava pond encountered ended up devoured.

Facing Lin Yun's attack, the Crimson Firefox let out an enraged howl and one of its three hundred-meter-long tails changed direction and started aiming at Lin Yun.

Blazing orange flames condensed on that tail, lengthening it and forming a thick spear that spanned across several hundred meters, before arriving in front of Lin Yun.

Lin Yun's body turned back into lava and instantly dissipated as the flaming tail pierced the lava pond and unexpectedly set the lava on fire.

The bewitching orange flames ignited the spurts of lava that separated from the lake of lava and instantly burnt them into nothingness.

As for the flames that fell into the lava pond, they were like crazy flame spirits. They ignited a meter of lava and wanted to frantically spread, but they were submerged and suppressed by the lava in a second.

Lin Yun frowned.

Bewitching Foxfire, extremely powerful flames full of bewitching that could ignite even lava. Moreover, the most troublesome thing was that these flames were extremely sticky and spread extremely fast. A bit of fire could ignite an entire mountain.

Lin Yun swung his arm and threw Syudos out. As an Upper Rank Flame Spirit, Syudos was innately able to devour all kinds of flames to strengthen himself. That amazing ability was extremely simple, he had to devour all kinds of flames as well as fuse the characteristics of those flames to make himself more powerful.

Now, Syudos was comparable to a level 35 magic beast. Lin Yun would usually make Syudos devour all the flames he encountered, and if he didn't encounter any new flames, he could only rely on quantity to slowly strengthen Syudos.

Seeing these strange flames, Lin Yun immediately sent out Syudos.

Within the sea of lava, the Bewitching Foxfire was being endlessly suppressed and its power kept wearing down. The speed at which the Bewitching Foxfire was igniting the lava couldn't compare to the speed at which the lava suppressed it. These circumstances were the most suitable for Syudos' feast.

Otherwise, these flames that could even ignite lava would instantly burn down a Flame Spirit like Syudos.

Syudos roamed within the lava, continuously devouring fragments of Bewitching Foxfire, his level rapidly increasing.

Bewitching Foxfire was something only a few fox-type Heaven Rank Magic Beast could grasp, it purely relied on luck, not on bloodline. With the Bewitching Foxfire, the fighting power of the magic beast would greatly increase. There would only be one outcome to any lifeform below the Heaven Rank being burnt by the Bewitching Foxfire, being burnt to death without leaving any ashes behind, as the ashes would be burnt into nothingness.

As he devoured more and more Bewitching Foxfire, Syudos feared it less and less, and was able to devour more and more every time, making him rapidly reached level 36, and he was still rapidly leveling.

With Syudos, the threat of the Bewitching Foxfire was completely gone and only the Crimson Firefox's own terrifying power remained.

Lin Yun kept flashing through the sea of lava. He could appear anywhere within three hundred meters. The attacks from the fox's tails simply couldn't restrict him. On the contrary, Lin Yun was already three hundred meters away from the Crimson Firefox.

The lava pond was already covering the ground under the Crimson Firefox.

But the Crimson Firefox emitted Bewitching Foxfire under its paws and created a sea of fire that the lava pond couldn't burn through.

At this time, the others were already in range of attack. The Crimson Firefox roared in anger, creating visible ripples that shattered trees in the surroundings.

As a Heaven Rank lifeform, it had been unable to kill its targets after using its destructive Energy Sphere. In fact, it ended up being besieged, which thoroughly infuriated him.

The three 100m long tails seemed to have lengthened to be several-hundred-meters-long, and they now were like three huge flaming whips that frantically struck at the surrounding people.

Xiuban had a blank expression on his face as he was sent flying faster than he came back after swinging Carnage at one of the tails. He even shattered a dozen forty to fifty-meter-tall trees on the way back. After falling down, Xiuban spat out a mouthful of blood, his complexion extremely red as his bones seemed to have been broken.

The Bewitching Foxfire stuck to Carnage, but couldn't burn the Ancient Poison Dragon's jawbone that made the new Carnage. That Bewitching Foxfire even aroused Carnage's intrinsic power that Xiuban was unable to display at the moment.

A stifled Dragon's roar echoed as the space surrounding Carnage shook. The Bewitching Foxfire was instantly extinguished and the fluctuations spread to Xiuban who couldn't help letting out a Dragon Roar.

In an instant, everything within the several dozen meters around Xiuban instantly transformed into the finest fragments.

A halo appeared on Carnage and enveloped it. Xiuban was excited. He didn't understand what was happening, but he knew that it was beneficial. He wiped the blood at the corner of his mouth and immediately grinned before rushing out.

On another side, Reina's Frost Dragon Shape fluttered through the sky, her body already possessing a faint wisp of Extraordinary aura. After fusing with the empty Ancient Poison Dragon's mana crystal, the speed of her progress had been terrifying...

Reina rapidly fluttered through the sky, but she couldn't get within three hundred meters of the Crimson Firefox. Those rapidly moving three huge tails almost looked like an orange-colored barrier that would frantically attack anything entering that range.

Reina could only cast ice spells from a distance, but these ice spells had little destructive power against the Bewitching Foxfire.

As they approached, they would be hit by the tails covered in sticky Bewitching Foxfire and the Bewitching Foxfire would keep spreading, but wasting mana to extinguish it wasn't too effective.

Enderfa and the patched puppet gathered together and kept flashing from treetop to treetop, coiling around the Crimson Firefox and continuously casting spell waves.

The berserk spells of the four elements kept gathering to form a purely destructive elemental storm that kept colliding with the Crimson Firefox's three flaming tails.

"Damn it, metal guy, hurry up and dodge! That damned Bewitching Foxfire can burn Uncle Enderfa to death!" Enderfa shouted.

Enderfa controlled the Ten Thousand Spell Wheel and floated to the head of the patched puppet as letting the puppet deal with the defense was for the best.

The Bewitching Foxfire could set Magic Tool Incarnations ablaze. It would be huge trouble if they were hit by a mere wisp.

Enderfa and the puppet kept dodging the attacks, but unfortunately, the distance was too far and the effects were too small. Only a very small portion of the spells could pass through the three tails' defense, and that small portion could easily be swatted away by the Crimson Firefox's paw.

In the sky, the mage army was in great trouble. They had turned into a sea of fire, but the Bewitching Foxfire was spreading. A small portion of the sea of fire had turned into Bewitching Foxfire, forcing the mage army to scatter in order to separate that portion of the elemental sea of flames.

They assembled together, but it was a waste of time as they couldn't let out any formidable attack.

On the floor, Lin Yun was continuously casting, boundless lava spells transformed into storms that exploded towards the Crimson Firefox. But with a swat of its paw, it could shatter a dozen-meter-big meteor.

Suddenly, the Crimson Firefox sneered and swatted its paw over. Its claws suddenly lengthening.

It instantly crossed over three hundred meters and transformed into a several dozen-meter-long huge flaming claw that ruthlessly swatted towards Lin Yun.

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The claw swatted the lava pond and instantly collapsed into a large amount of Bewitching Foxfire.

That Foxfire instantly ignited half of the pond, and the boiling lava couldn't extinguish those flames. Instead, the Bewitching Foxfire rapidly started spreading, trying to ignite the entire lava pond.

Lin Yun flashed twice and discarded that half of the lava pond. The outer part of the pond had been ignited, but Syudos couldn't devour such a huge amount at once even though he had already fused with a lot of its characteristics.

Syudos would take more time to devour the Bewitching Foxfire than the Foxfire would take to ignite the entire lava pond, so Lin Yun decisively cut off half of the lava pond.

Lin Yun dodged and cautiously forbade Syudos from leaving the range of his protection. And sure enough, after Lin Yun flashed away, the Bewitching Foxfire flared up and suddenly converged towards the center before loudly exploding, destroying everything within that area.

If Syudos had been devouring that Bewitching Foxfire, he would have been annihilated.

Lin Yun had a cold expression. That crafty fox had already awakened wisdom as a Heaven Rank Magic Beast, but had been using the fighting style of ordinary magic beasts to make them think it hadn't, all in order to pull such a trick.

With Syudos here, the Crimson Firefox's Bewitching Foxfire was far less dangerous, as it would instead be devoured by him.

In just a few minutes, Syudos rapidly rose to level 37, and although his levelling speed had slowed down, it was still increasing as he devoured the flames.

This showed that the Bewitching Foxfire was a high-grade flame. Moreover, it more or less contained Extraordinary Power from a magic beast. To a Flame Spirit like Syudos, that was equivalent to directly raising his level. This was like a medicine upgrading his Life Essence.

If he kept devouring it, he might even be able to advance to level 38, and it might be possible to advance to higher levels!

The Crimson Firefox had thought hard about how to get rid of Syudos, but unfortunately, Lin Yun simply didn't let Syudos leave the range of his protection.

Its first move failed, but the Crimson Firefox showed no intention of stopping its attack, as it already had two more moves prepared. As the Bewitching Foxfire exploded, the Crimson Firefox suddenly opened its mouth and glaring orange flames spurted out, targeting the mage army in the sky.

The sudden surprise attack made the mage army unable to dodge, so they could only block. In an instant, that Bewitching Foxfire reached the front of the mage army.

The mage army's defenses were completely useless in front of the Bewitching Foxfire. The flames couldn't break through their defenses, but it ignited their huge Fire Shield. The orange Foxfire was like a wave that rapidly spread towards the entire mage army.

Half of the flames surrounding the mage army was ignited in an instant, and the Fire Elemental Incarnation of one of the mages was even infected by Bewitching Foxfire.

It first suppressed Lin Yun, then prepared a trap for Syudos, and then finally casually threw Bewitching Foxfire to the vulnerable mage army. That Foxfire had been even more advanced than the one covering its body, like the flames had been condensed into a shining liquid.

After igniting the mage army's elemental sea of flames, the Crimson Firefox narrowed its eyes and exposed a cold and gloomy grin. The flames extending out of its three continuously swaying tails suddenly scattered, and it looked like three tails grew once again.

The thick flaming tails tripled in size as they turned into whirlwinds of fire that fiercely attacked Xiuban, Enderfa, Reina, and the patched puppet. At the same time, the Crimson Firefox leapt and started pressuring Lin Yun.

It sliced with the claws from both paws and flames spread out, forming two enormous fiery claws that attacked Lin Yun from both sides.

The lava pond was instantly broken down by these two flaming claws, and some lava was spent over a kilometer away due to the impact. The few remaining trees ended up being turned into ashes in an instant.

As the ashes drifted in the air, loud air blasts shot in all directions. The strong gales were like endless Wind Blades that ripped through everything within a kilometer.

After that, the Crimson Firefox smirked and opened its mouth to condense an Energy Sphere full of an aura of destruction. From initially being fist-sized, it rapidly expanded to reach seven to eight meters in diameter.

At that point, the Crimson Firefox unhesitantly shot that destructive Energy Sphere towards the center of the air blast storm, crushing all the air blasts in an instant as it hit the center.

“Boom...”

A mushroom cloud formed from raging flames rose up and destroyed everything within several hundred meters. It didn't scatter for a very long time after rising to the sky, but countless shockwaves spread everywhere.

The Crimson Firefox was suddenly surprised. It raised its head as it noticed that the bewitching aura coming from that half-ignited fire cloud was dissipating and a Flame Spirit, whose body had already turned orange, was rapidly shuttling through the fire cloud to cleanly devour the Bewitching Foxfire.

All of the Bewitching Foxfire dissipated in three seconds.

Meanwhile, Lin Yun hadn't been killed by the destructive Energy Sphere. Instead, he was floating below the mage army.

Lin Yun sneered as he floated in the air.

He had felt something wrong at the start of the battle, so he had secretly notified everyone not to remain too close. How could a Heaven Rank Fox that awakened Bewitching Foxfire be easy to handle? It definitely had the cunning of foxes.

And unexpectedly, as a Heaven Rank Magic Beast, it fought defensively, kept to a three-hundred-meter area by everyone, until it suddenly burst out to attack.

Apart from the mage army that simply couldn't dodge, everyone unhesitantly avoided the Crimson Firefox's counterattack as it appeared. And although they cut sorry figures, they weren't injured.

Lin Yun, who had been given special attention, was swatted from both sides, forcing him to give up control of the lava pond, scattering Lava Elemental Incarnation as he drank a bottle of Void Potion he had previously crafted.

The potion transformed him into nothingness, making any attack targeting him ineffective. His body, mana, and aura completely disappeared.

After flying up, he instantly noticed that crafty fox preparing an Energy Sphere.

Although the Void Potion was extremely effective and allowed one to disappear from space and render attacks ineffective, it wouldn't be able to completely protect the user when facing a completely unreasonable mix of different types of energy like a destructive Energy Sphere.

The Energy Sphere could destroy everything in its range, and even space would collapse into fragments. No one dared to provoke some first-rate magic beasts because of that simple and cruel attack.

When Noscent developed to its peak, they discovered as many planes as there were stars, and many ended up being destroyed. Among those, a lot more were destroyed by Heaven Rank Magic Beasts than by battles between Heaven Rank powerhouses.

Lin Yun had previously read that during the days of Bane ruling Noscent, he fought with an extremely powerful Extraordinary Magic Beast, and just as he was about to kill it, that magic beast tried to take him down with it.

Its attack was a simple and powerful destructive Energy Sphere that collapsed the entire plane's spacetime.

The branch of the river of time that drove everything within that plane snapped, and the entire plane was frozen at the instant of its collapse. That nearly dead Extraordinary Magic Beast, as well as the entire plane, was rapidly frozen.

And that was also the most difficult situation Bane had ever been in, and he had almost been stuck in that plane.

Thus, Lin Yun was very afraid of Extraordinary Magic Beasts' destructive Energy Spheres. That kind of completely unreasonable ability was far more troublesome than a Heaven Mage.

Floating in the air, Lin Yun once again used Lava Incarnation, making his mana turn into smoke and spread through the sky. A large, dark cloud appeared in the sky, and then, it looked as if a lava pond was floating in the air.

The flames within the lava pond kept churning, and the terrifying mana fluctuations were tossing about like a tsunami. That pure mana could compare to a genuine Heaven Mage's if not for the fact that it lacked Extraordinary Power.

"The real battle starts now! Even if the Crimson Firefox is already at the Heaven Rank, it is nothing more than a Crimson Firefox! Apart from Bewitching Foxfire and the destructive Energy Spheres, it has nothing worth praising..."

Lin Yun sneered and waved his Draconic Staff, and dozens of huge meteors fell down from the dark cloud in the sky. The meteors fell down with extreme pressure and ruthlessly crashed down on the Crimson Firefox.

The enormous fox bared its fangs, glaring at Lin Yun and completely ignoring the others. In its eyes, everyone else wasn't worth its attention.

The others all withdrew a bit, silently moving back to the edge of the battlefield.

As those meteors kept falling, the Crimson Firefox's three tails turned into a blur as they rapidly whipped those meteorites. It continuously crushed the meteors into fragments while spitting out Bewitching Foxfire from time to time.

After spitting out the Foxfire three times, the Crimson Firefox once again threw out a destructive Energy Sphere. This one didn't fly into Lin Yun, but into the dark cloud.

A circular hole appeared in the center of the cloud in an instant and rapidly spread, shattering the dark cloud into fragments.

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But while the Crimson Firefox was focusing all its strength on Lin Yun, it didn't notice that the battlefield had slowly moved. The several-kilometer-wide forest had been cleanly destroyed, and ashes drifted everywhere in the sky.

"Now!"

Lin Yun didn't hesitate to pour out his mana, as he had been waiting for that fox that thought itself clever to destroy the dark cloud!

Seeing this scene, Enderfa's three faces were filled with worry.

"Damn, Merlin's plan didn't work? Although the Crimson Firefox's bloodline isn't that great, it's still at the Heaven Rank, and it has also awakened Bewitching Foxfire..."

In spite of his doubts, Enderfa and the patched puppet acted according to Lin Yun's instructions and started casting as the Crimson Firefox spat an Energy Sphere.

The ground on both sides of the Crimson Firefox suddenly shook, and two brown whirlpools appeared in the air, spurting endless mud in the area around the Crimson Firefox. That mud was like a powerful flood that instantly crashed against the ground. The earth shook fiercely as thick cracks appeared and rapidly spread.

The mud was directly summoned from an Earth Elemental Plane and was condensed out of earth elements. It was incomparably heavy, and every single drop weighed at least 5 kilograms. Moreover, summoning that kind of thing was very tricky.

They had to summon the earth elements present within the mud and then keep a Spatial Gate opened to allow the mud to gush out from within.

As the mud kept flowing out, the air became filled with a heavy aura, and the gravity sharply increased.

The Crimson Firefox was caught unprepared and its four feet sank into the mud, and although it wasn't injured, it was unable to adapt to the increased gravity. At that time, Lin Yun rapidly spat out a series of runes, and the Draconic Staff glowed brightly.

The mud seemed almost alive as it rapidly transformed into four huge palms that grabbed the Crimson Firefox's four limbs.

The Crimson Firefox loudly howled and emitted Bewitching Foxfire, wanting to burn down that mud, but it had very little effect. The speed at which the mud was ignited by the Bewitching Foxfire was very slow. Furthermore, the surrounding mud was rapidly hardening and condensing into one solid piece.

But as the Crimson Firefox struggled, cracks rapidly started appearing on the surface of that lump of mud. It wouldn't take long before it managed to break free as its three tails were frantically whipping the earth, causing rumbling earthquakes.

Lin Yun was coldly watching the crazy Crimson Firefox from the sky, chanting an incantation while rapidly consuming his mana.

At this time, the mage army had already formed an array. They used their Joint Chant Array to combine their mana and gather fire elements before releasing a sixty-meter-long golden red spear.

The huge spear flew with the speed of a meteor at the flank of the Crimson Firefox. The Crimson Firefox bared its teeth fiercely as it once again condensed a destructive Energy Sphere.

The two terrifying forces exploded in midair while the Crimson Firefox almost freed itself. But then, a blue light pierced through the ashes and smoke to reach the ground under the Crimson Firefox.

In an instant, boundless ice spread under the Crimson Firefox, and those hands filled with cracks, as well as the crumbling ground, were completely frozen. The ice even followed the Crimson Firefox's limbs and spread to its body.

Unfortunately, the ice barely managed to freeze half of the Crimson Firefox's body before being suppressed by the Bewitching Foxfire. The four claws slowly melted...

Reina's Frost Dragon Breath couldn't freeze the Crimson Firefox, but it was enough to freeze the four collapsing stone hands.

In five seconds, Lin Yun finished chanting his incantation and released his spell.

He used the Book of Mantras to alter the incantation and lengthen it, increasing the mana consumption by more than ten times.

He used all of his mana, as well as the mana contained within the Alchemic Mana Whirlpools, to successfully cast that spell.

Small flames appeared in the sky before rapidly increasing in size. Everyone could see that it was a huge meteorite hurtling down.

As it got closer and closer, everyone could see just how big that meteorite was... It was at least several hundred meters in diameter.

The meteorite was burning as it fell down faster and faster, and the increased gravity added to that speed accelerating it even more.

The meteorite was no longer able to handle the heavy burden as it kept falling faster and kept shrinking from the friction. It wore away, shrinking more and more until it ultimately was only ten meters in size when it was about to hit the Crimson Firefox.

But that meteor seemed to have completely pressured the air on its way down, and all the magic elements were pushed with it to the ground.

A series of spatial ripples were spreading behind the meteor. Those were created by the extreme power and extreme speed.

The Crimson Firefox howled in frustration. It wanted to once again condense an Energy Sphere, but it had released too many in a row and was unable to quickly condense another one.

Ultimately, the ten-meter-wide meteor crashed down with terrifying force and violently smashed against the Crimson Firefox's body.

The three tails went up to block with Bewitching Foxfire, but they had no effect.

"Boom..."

An oppressive sound echoed. It was like a muffled thunder that made everyone's hearts skip a beat.

The Crimson Firefox's body was directly smashed into the ground, creating a shockwave that reverberated all around, sending the patched puppet and Xiuban flying out.

That terrifying power even made the extremely heavy mud from the Earth Elemental Plane spurt out in all directions.

As the dust settled, everyone looked at the center.

The Crimson Firefox was already dead.

Its three tails had snapped, its neck was twisted at a strange angle, and its miserable white bones were piercing through its skin. Only its head still had a layer of fur remaining.

Lin Yun took a long breath. He hadn't expected that this spell from the Book of Mantras would have such a big effect.

This wasn't an ordinary Summon Meteorite spell, as that meteorite was condensed from elements.

The spell genuinely summoned a meteorite from the endless void, a true meteorite.

Lin Yun clearly understood how fast these meteorites fell. If one spent a huge amount of mana to summon a meteorite, one's target had to be fixed.

Because the meteorites were too fast, no one could alter their destination as they fell. The crash site had to be designated at the start.

Moreover, the longer the casting time, the more mana was consumed. Under the Heaven Rank, no mage had enough mana to use that spell.

Lin Yun's mana was comparable to a 1st Rank Heaven Mage in terms of quantity, and he had two extra Alchemic Mana Whirlpools, tripling his mana reserves.

Even so, that spell had consumed more than half of his total mana.

The summoned meteorite was over a thousand kilometers wide when it was first drawn over, but it burnt away as it flew down. But that terrifying speed created extreme destructive power that was comparable to an Extraordinary Spell.

If one could get around those shortcomings, which basically made that spell unusable in battle, that spell could be considered an Extraordinary Spell...

Lin Yun was very clear about this. As a genuine meteorite fell to the ground, the bigger it was, the more damage it would create.

If it was still several hundred meters wide as it hit the ground, the entire plane might have felt the fierce shaking.

After landing on the ground, Lin Yun first had Syudos absorb the remaining Bewitching Foxfire on the Crimson Firefox's body. It was very troublesome, and if not handled carefully, he wouldn't be able to process the corpse of the Crimson Firefox.

Syudos rapidly devoured the Bewitching Foxfire before the others gathered around the body. Xiuban was smiling, intending to dissect the Crimson Firefox's corpse.

Enderfa looked at the twisted neck of the Crimson Firefox with disbelief.

"Damn, a meteorite has that much power?"

The falling meteorite had almost thoroughly disintegrated, and everyone could clearly see that the essence of the meteor was common metals, Black Iron and some Gold Essence. That kind of thing would at most be used to craft low-grade sword weapons. Magic Tools of higher grades wouldn't use these kinds of materials.

Yet, these things killed a genuine Extraordinary Magic Beast.

Lin Yun didn't give them an explanation because the Extraordinary Magic Beast was too powerful. If the meteorite had directly fallen to the ground, everyone within several kilometers would have died.

He only needed to summon this large but relatively normal meteor. If he summoned a meteor containing special matter from the void, he would risk destroying this plane.

Unfortunately, the meteorite that Lin Yun could summon wasn't fast enough. The kind of meteor that could destroy this plane far surpassed the limits of what Lin Yun could summon. He would instantly exhaust his mana as he summoned it, and his vitality and soul might also be drained.

Once Syudos was done absorbing the remaining Bewitching Foxfire, everyone got ready to collect the materials of the Crimson Firefox.

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At that time, a flash appeared in the distance, instantly appearing in front of Xiuban, the closest one to the Crimson Firefox's corpse.

Xiuban instinctively blocked with Carnage as that black light exploded.

Black smoke surged and transformed into distorted fist-sized demonic heads that crowded around a thumb-sized black arrow.

A black vortex was created at the point of impact between the black arrow and Carnage, letting out sharp whistling sounds.

Xiuban clenched his teeth as his body was continuously pushed back as he was unable to stop the arrow. After a second, the demonic skulls crowding around the black arrow rushed into its tip, and black light exploded. Xiuban's body was sent flying away, and everything within ten meters seemed to have been corroded.

At this time, everyone could see a dozen Wyverns rapidly flying over. Standing atop one of the wyverns was a red-skinned Raging Flame Beastman holding a long, pitch-black greatbow.

That group of Wyverns was extremely fast and reached everyone within two seconds. The pack of Wyverns dove down, and among them, six Raging Flame Beastmen tossed out iron claws to grab the corpse of the Crimson Firefox.

The six iron claws grabbed six different parts of the Crimson Firefox before six Wyverns rapidly flew up.

Unfortunately for them, the Crimson Firefox's four limbs had been fastened to the ground. Before removing the ice and the stone hands, no one could move the corpse of the Crimson Firefox. Even when it was still alive, the Crimson Firefox hadn't managed to break free before being hit by the meteorite.

Those Raging Flame Beastmen had appeared too suddenly, and apart from Lin Yun, everyone had consumed most of their mana. The mages from the mage army were injured by the Bewitching Foxfire, and Reina had been hit by the Crimson Firefox's tails a few times. She had also consumed a lot of mana to resist the Bewitching Foxfire, and that last Frost Breath used up most of her energy.

The patched puppet and Enderfa didn't really suffer much in the battle, but they weren't very effective against those extremely mobile Wyvern Riders.

Xiuban was the only one using pure physical strength, but he couldn't handle the enemies in the sky.

Lin Yun frowned as he wondered, 'Are these Beastmen really trying to snatch the Crimson Firefox's corpse?'

They didn't have much time to think. Syudos, who had been devouring the Bewitching Foxfire on the Crimson Firefox's body, already took the lead. Orange flames ignited the six iron ropes and burnt them down in an instant while continuously proliferating towards the sky.

Those six Wyvern Riders saw this and immediately got rid of the iron ropes before flying up and away.

Below them, Lin Yun immediately took to the sky, using Lava Incarnation and transforming into the Lava Giant. A large amount of boiling lava appeared around him and formed ten large spheres of lava.

Several dark red sharp tips started emerging from the lava spheres as several dozen Lava Spears chased those six Wyvern Riders.

Fierce snapping sounds echoed. Most of the Lava Spears were dodged, while the remaining ones were blocked by the spears of the Wyvern Riders.

Lin Yun used Flight and chased after them with an extremely cold expression, but after he chased them for a few hundred meters, the remaining Wyvern Riders swooped down towards the corpse of the Crimson Firefox.

Lin Yun frowned and gave up the pursuit to start casting at the other Raging Flame Beastmen.

But just as Lin Yun turned around, those six Raging Flame Beastmen also turned towards him and threw whistling poisoned javelins at him.

A Lava Shield covered Lin Yun from all directions and blocked those poisoned javelins, but he ended up being tied down while the remaining eight Wyvern Riders dove down towards the Crimson Firefox. The wyverns grabbed onto the Crimson Firefox's corpse with their large claws and did their best to fly upward.

This time, Enderfa and the patched puppet also started casting spells of all four elements to pressure the Wyverns in the sky.

Dense black smoke suddenly spread as an Abyssal aura radiated out. The black smoke transformed into a sinister shield that blocked the attacks of Enderfa and the puppet before proceeding to tear apart the Crimson Firefox's corpse.

But it simply couldn't pull the Crimson Firefox's corpse from the ground...

Lin Yun's gaze was ice-cold. Someone was trying to snatch the loot they had gotten after an arduous battle, and it was the corpse of an Extraordinary Magic Beast at that.

The Lava Giant slowly raised both hands, and lava runes surged from them before the ground around the Crimson Firefox's corpse started shaking.

Huge cracks appeared as burning hot lava spurted out from them. This lava immediately transformed into huge hands that reached towards the Wyverns grabbing the corpse.

The Beastman fiercely resisting the attacks of Enderfa and the puppet didn't have time to dodge, and his mount's head was crushed by a large Lava Hand.

"Boom..."

A loud sound echoed. The Lava Hand dissipated, but that Wyvern's head was nowhere to be seen. The rider let out a shout as he lost the support of the Wyvern, asking the Warlock to cast Demonic Shield on him. Then, he crazily rushed towards the head of the Crimson Firefox, disregarding all the incoming attacks.

At that time, Xiuban, who was burning with rage, swung Carnage to clash with that Raging Flame Beastman.

In an instant, a deep Draconic roar echoed as Carnage seemed to shake, and the poisoned javelin in the Raging Flame Beastman warrior's hands shattered.

Carnage's immense power smashed straight into that Raging Flame Beastman's body.

"Bang!"

That Raging Flame Beastman left an afterimage behind as he was sent flying. His Battle Aura Armor suddenly collapsed in the air as numerous cracks appeared on the surface of his body. His bones started twisting, and he ended up exploding into pieces in the sky.

After one-shotting an 8th Rank Sword Saint, Xiuban glared before charging towards the Crimson Firefox. There were still three Wyverns left behind on the corpse of the Crimson Firefox.

In the sky, Lin Yun ignored the Wyvern Riders that would only flee as he chased and then bother him as he ran back.

The weakest one among the dozen Raging Flame Beastmen was an 8th Rank Sword Saint. There were two 9th Rank Sword Saints and one 9th Rank Arch-Warlock, as well as over a dozen Wyverns at or above Level 35. That force was extremely mobile, and if the other side didn't fight directly, it would be very difficult to kill them.

Lin Yun descended, with numerous runes covering his Lava Giant's body. The surrounding ground was quickly assimilated, and an area of two hundred meters transformed into a zone of lava.

Lin Yun raised his Draconic Staff while holding the Book of Death in his left hand as he spat out countless runes. In an instant, that Crimson Firefox's corpse was surrounded by the lava pond. Thick streams of lava rose up to form towering waves of lava that covered the corpse from both sides.

The three Wyvern Riders still on top of the corpse loudly howled and burst with Aura before sending Aura Slashes towards the waves bearing down on them. One of them slashed towards the Crimson Firefox's twisted neck. With one hit, that crimson Aura Slash cut half of the Crimson Firefox's neck.

The other Raging Flame Beastmen hovering in the sky rapidly swooped down and hurled a rain of poisoned javelins at Lin Yun.

The few 9th Rank Sword Saints used Aura to boost the power of their throws, giving their javelins terrifying speed. But Lin Yun didn't even dodge as the huge Lava Shield surrounding him rapidly rotated and blocked all the attacks.

As he let out a rune, a lava vortex appeared in the sky. The roiling lava turned into a whirlpool from which countless lava spells spurted out, suppressing the only 9th Rank Arch-Warlock, preventing him from helping the three Wyvern Riders that were being attacked by the waves of lava.

The large lava waves were cut down by those three Wyvern Riders, but the lava that they cut off would instantly condense into more Lava Hands that ruthlessly swatted at them.

A large amount of green smoke came out and a pungent burning smell appeared as the three Wyverns were swatted to death like bugs. Half of their bodies were burnt to ashes by the terrifying heat. As for the three Sword Saints, they were squeezed within three Lava Hands.

The Wyvern Riders in the sky dove down to assist them, and the only 9th Rank Arch-Warlock brandished both arms to release a huge Flame Spear at the corpse of the Crimson Firefox.

But a strange rune appeared on the back of the three Lava Hands holding the Sword Saints. The three Lava Hands suddenly became like red-hot chunks of iron that squeezed down and made those three Sword Saints burst.

At this time, that huge Flame Spear fell, but what surprised Lin Yun was that it wasn't even attacking him, nor was it trying to save those three Sword Saints. Instead, it aimed at the neck of the Crimson Firefox.

The Crimson Firefox's neck had been snapped by the meteorite, and its bones had completely disintegrated. Only some skin and flesh remained there. Half of it had been cut earlier, and that huge Flame Spear cut off the rest.

The six diving Wyvern Riders rushed to grab the head of the Crimson Firefox instead of trying to help their comrades.

Lin Yun sneered as the lava pond flared up before quickly dissipating.