

## The Strongest

### Chapter 801 - Mount Taming

After the female receptionist accepted the Stable Design, she tapped on the magic crystal ball before her.

Immediately, a miniature, half-transparent building appeared before Shi Feng. This was the construction model for the Stable. It allowed players to select and modify the building.

Unlike other buildings, which were categorized by ranks such as Ordinary, and Luxury, Stables were only differentiated by size.

There were many Wild and Demonic Beasts in the world of God's Domain, and all of these monsters came in different sizes. The larger a monster was, the larger the Stable it required.

Obviously, the larger the Stable was, the more it would cost to construct it.

A small-sized Stable could cost anywhere from 2,000 to 3,000 Gold.

A medium-sized Stable cost anywhere from 4,000 Gold to 5,000 Gold.

A large-sized Stable could cost anywhere from 8,000 Gold to 10,000 Gold.

A super-large-sized Stable could cost anywhere from 40,000 Gold to 50,000 Gold.

For a high-ranking rare Mount like the Thunder Wolf, Shi Feng needed at least a medium-sized Stable.

Of course, the benefit of a larger-sized Stable wasn't limited to additional space. A Larger Stable would allow a Guild to tame Mounts faster. Guild players would also have an easier time growing their Mounts. Most importantly, one could invite a powerful tamer with a larger Stable.

In God's Domain, Mount taming was considered a field of knowledge. Tamers played an important role in harnessing the power of a Mount. Half of a Guild Mount's growth depended on the tamer. Hence, hiring a powerful tamer was essential to a Guild.

"I want this large-sized Stable." Shi Feng chose a Stable with style and clicked "Confirm."

"Sir, you have chosen Stable Number 059. The total cost will be 9,450 Gold. In addition, you also have to provide the core materials required to construct the Stable." The female receptionist smiled as she produced a bill of materials. The list stated all the necessary expenditures to construct the Stable.

"Here are the materials and money." Shi Feng paid everything off without hesitation.

He had made a huge fortune in the Dark Arena.

Aside from the profits he had made from his bet with the Glorious Lions Battle Team, as the winning battle team of the competition, the Asura Battle Team also earned a small portion from the audience's winning bets. Moreover, due to the audience underestimating the strength of the Asura Battle Team, many people had gambled on the Glorious Lions. As a result, even after splitting half of the profits with Phoenix Rain, he still walked away with a hefty income.

The battle team's shares in the Dark Arena were different from the organizer's. Only the winning battle team would get a share of the audience bets. The loser received nothing. Moreover, the winning battle team would earn 3% of the shares, 2% higher than the organizer. Only, as Shi Feng did not own the Asura Battle Team's participation rights, he needed to split the 3% with Phoenix Rain.

Among the 1.5% of winnings that Shi Feng had obtained, he had sold the materials and equipment that he did not need.

Although Shi Feng had only received 1.5%, his earnings had not been meager. Every member of the Dark Arena's audience was a wealthy big-shot.

Their bets made involved several hundred Gold of materials at the very least. Since so many people had placed generous wagers on the Glorious Lions, Shi Feng's earnings had naturally been impressive.

From this single competition, he had earned over 7,000 Gold.

He had also obtained the Stable materials from the Glorious Lions. After obtaining what he had needed, he sold excess materials to Phoenix Rain, selling each Primal Emerald Wood for 75 Gold and each Soul Cultivating Stone for 60 Gold. Overall, he sold 20 logs of Primal Emerald Wood and 12 Soul Cultivating Stones, earning him another 2,220 Gold.

Including the money he had on hand before the competition, he now had over 11,000 Gold on him. He could easily afford the large-sized Stable.

After Shi Feng finished paying the bill, the female receptionist passed him a Stable Certificate. In the future, if he wanted to modify the Stable, upgrading it to a super-large-sized Stable, he could simply present this certificate to make the necessary modifications. He would not need to obtain another Stable Design.

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After Shi Feng confirmed the Stable's construction, a group of NPC Architects entered Zero Wing's Guild Residence in White River City and began building the Stable.

Suddenly, a large space within Zero Wing's Residence, which had been vacant, transformed into a construction site. Players were barred from the area.

"What's going on?"

"We're constructing a new building?"

"What is it going to be?"

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Zero Wing's members grew curious upon seeing groups of NPC Architects enter the construction site.

They had been ecstatic when the Guild had constructed a Smithy. Not only could they save money on repair fees, but they could also maintain their weapons with the Weapon Maintenance function,

extending the amount of time they could spend out in the fields. Players from other Guilds were particularly envious of this benefit.

Now that their Guild had begun constructing a new building, how could they contain their excitement?

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Elsewhere, Shi Feng hailed an advanced horse carriage in front of the Adventurer's Association and headed towards the Commoner's District.

Based on Shi Feng's knowledge, there were a total of three Master Tamers in White River City.

If he relied on a Basic Tamer or Advanced Tamer, it would take a very long time to finish taming a 5-star Mount. As to how much time was needed, even Shi Feng had no idea. However, he did know how long it would take to tame a 3-star Mount.

A Basic Tamer required a month to finish taming a 3-star Mount, while an Advanced Tamer needed 20 days. Master Tamers only needed ten days to complete the job.

A Master Tamer was three times as efficient as a Basic Tamer.

Moreover, Basic Tamers could not tame 5-star Mounts. Only Advanced Tamers and above could do so.

If even a Master Tamer needed ten days to tame a 3-star Mount, Shi Feng could not imagine how long it would take to tame a 5-star Mount. He would be surprised if it only took double the time a 3-star Mount required. If he left the task to an Advanced Tamer, the required wait time would be even more frightening. Hence, he needed to hire a Master Tamer to tame the Thunder Wolf.

An hour later, Shi Feng arrived before a large courtyard in the Commoner's District. Many beasts lounged on the courtyard's lawn. The lowest level beasts were at Level 100, with the more powerful ones being Level 150. Shi Feng could also see a Level 150 High Lord. This beast was even stronger than an ordinary Level 150 Tier 2 class.

"This is the residence of Master Owen. Master Owen does not wish to meet with outsiders, so please leave."

As soon as Shi Feng arrived before the courtyard's entrance, two Level 150 Tier 1 guards in silver heavy armor immediately blocked his path, barring him from the residence.

Although tamers were not as reputable as forgers and alchemists, after becoming a Master, their statuses were slightly higher than ordinary nobles. Hence, although Owen was only a commoner, he still had two Level 150 Tier 1 guards protecting his home. Ordinary people did not qualify for his attention.

"Don't tell me that even I am refused entry?" Shi Feng flashed his identity as White River City's Count.

Immediately, the two Tier 1 guards fell to one knee, kneeling before Shi Feng with respectful expressions. This scene dumbfounded passing players.

"Just who is that?"

"Amazing! He can actually force Tier 1 NPCs to kneel before him!"

Normally, these Tier 1 guards thought very little of players, yet now, they knelt before one. How could they not be shocked?

"Huh? Ye Feng? Why are you here?"

Immediately after Shi Feng revealed his true appearance, a crisp voice sounded from beside him.

Turning towards the voice, Shi Feng noticed a beautiful girl in deep-purple mage robes approaching him. This girl was accompanied by a white-haired, old man.

## Chapter 802 - Silver Legend

Upon seeing the old man, one of the two Level 150 guards hurriedly stood to greet the old man, while the other quickly opened the large metal gates.

"Master Owen, welcome back!" the guard said respectfully.

Shi Feng was slightly surprised by this sudden development.

Of course, his surprise was not due to the old man's identity. After all, this was not the first time he had met Owen. The true source of his surprise stemmed from Thoughtful Rain, the purple-robed beauty beside the old tamer.

Although Owen was not a noble, he had a higher status in White River City than ordinary nobles. He was an Advanced NPC that current players could not meet easily. Only a major noble like himself might be able to arrange a meeting with Owen. Thoughtful Rain, on the other hand, had yet to become a major noble in White River City, yet she had obviously become acquainted with the old man. It seemed that the girl was more capable than he had initially thought.

"I've come to make a request of Master Owen," Shi Feng explained as he watched Thoughtful Rain approach.

The last time he had met Thoughtful Rain was when she had introduced him to Everlasting War.

Back then, Thoughtful Rain had only had the level and equipment of an elite player. However, after this short time had passed, not only had the girl reached Level 35, but she also wore equipment that elites would envy.

She was almost fully geared in Level 30 Fine-Gold Equipment. The deep-red staff she held was known as the Elemental Requiem, and it was a Level 30 Dark-Gold ranked staff. In addition, she had a slightly more daring temperament than before.

Moreover, as she walked towards him, her footwork was both light and natural. Her actions lacked any excess movement.

Even if Thoughtful Rain had not yet reached the Half-step Refinement Realm, she was not too far, either.



Shi Feng found it truly hard to imagine that the girl had grown this much in God's Domain in such a short period.

"A request for Master Owen? Did you receive the quest as well?!" Hearing Shi Feng saying so, Thoughtful Rain could not help her joy as she said, "I've had a headache trying to figure out how to complete it. If we do it together, we should be able to complete the quest very quickly."

"Quest?" A realization struck Shi Feng. "Are you talking about the Silver Legend quest in the Crystal Forest?"

"Mhm. Isn't that your quest as well?" Thoughtful Rain nodded.

"No. I have not accepted that quest. I'm looking for Master Owen for something else." When Shi Feng saw Thoughtful Rain nod, although he appeared quite calm on the outside, he admired the girl's great luck.

The Silver Legend quest was one of the few super-rare special quests in White River City. It was not easy to obtain. One needed to encounter a certain NPC to obtain this quest. However, this NPC appeared at random locations within White River City. Players needed luck to find this NPC.

As Shi Feng understood it, this quest had caused quite a commotion in White River City in the past.

After this quest had been completed, players received a Mount as a reward. However, the quality of the Mount depended on the player's quest completion rate. The higher their completion rate was, the higher the Mount's quality would be.

To players, even obtaining a Common Mount was a massive expenditure, not to mention a high-quality Mount.

Back then, this quest's discovery had led White River City's players to a frantic search for that NPC. Unfortunately, very few players had found that NPC, not to mention those who achieved a high question completion rate.

"What a pity." Thoughtful Rain sighed lightly when she heard Shi Feng's words.

She had been working on this quest for a long time now. The next part of the quest was even more difficult than the previous parts. With her strength alone, this quest was difficult to complete. If she had an expert like Shi Feng helping her, she would have a far easier time with it.

However, she had only met Shi Feng a handful of times before. They could hardly be considered friends. They were acquaintances at best. Naturally, she could not trouble an expert like Shi Feng to help her complete a quest.

Suddenly, Blue Bamboo, who wore a pure-white dress over a delicate, but curvaceous, body, appeared behind Thoughtful Rain.

"Rain, what's taking you so long? Everyone's starting to grow anxious," Blue Bamboo urged. However, her gaze quickly fell on Shi Feng, and she began to evaluate him. Narrowing her eyes as if trying to recall something, she turned to Thoughtful Rain, revealing an expression that seemed to say, "Ah, I see."

"It's not what you think! We just met by coincidence!" Thoughtful Rain explained hurriedly.

"Doesn't our party just so happen to be missing a member?" Blue Bamboo grinned at her friend. She then turned to Shi Feng, smiling sweetly as she asked, "Big Brother Ye Feng, won't you please help us? After we complete the quest, I'll have Rain treat you to a meal at Morning Dew Restaurant! I heard the food there is even better than the food of a 7-star hotel's!"

"Blue!" Thoughtful Rain could not help her embarrassment, miffed that Blue Bamboo was always trying to poke fun at her.

"If you two can wait two hours, I can go with you," Shi Feng offered after giving it some thought.

Currently, Thoughtful Rain was already an elite member in Zero Wing. Since they were allies, he would naturally lend a helping hand if he could. Moreover, the Silver Legend quest was very special. If the quest completion rate was high enough, Thoughtful Rain might become a powerful force in Zero Wing in the future.

"It's only two hours. Since this quest isn't particularly urgent, we'll meet up at the Flame Bar later," Blue Bamboo answered before Thoughtful Rain could react.

Following which, Thoughtful Rain and Blue Bamboo departed from Owen's mansion, while Shi Feng entered the courtyard alone.

Led by the Tier 1 guards, Shi Feng reached the courtyard's central garden. Owen already sat comfortably inside a gazebo, waiting for him.

A Count ranked at the top of White River City's social pyramid.

Owen was merely a Master Tamer. His status was not as high as a Master Forger's. Hence, he still showed Shi Feng some respect. If any other player stood before him, he'd only show them a cold shoulder.

Seeing Shi Feng approach, Owen took the initiative to greet the Swordsman, bowing slightly as he said, "Lord Count, how may I be of service today?"

"Hello, Master Owen. I'm here to invite you to become Zero Wing's tamer consultant. I wonder if you can agree to this request?" Shi Feng asked.

In God's Domain, Guilds with Stables generally sought to hire a tamer, having the tamer work in the Guild at all times. However, hiring a Master Tamer was very difficult. It was impossible to tie a Master Tamer to a single Guild. Hence, one could only hire a Master Tamer as a consultant. Moreover, there was still no guarantee that the Master Tamer would agree.

"This..." Owen hesitated for a long moment, unsure of how to respond.

"Take a look at this." Shi Feng took out the Stable Certificate and handed it over to the old man.

To hire a Master Tamer, a Guild must first possess a large-sized Stable. Otherwise, the effort would be futile. Even with Shi Feng's status, a Master Tamer would refuse. This was the main reason why he had opted to construct a large-sized Stable.

Only after Owen saw the Stable Certificate did he agree to Shi Feng's request, saying, "It would be my honor to accept Lord Count's invitation. We can see to the formalities immediately."

Following which, Shi Feng signed a contract with Owen. In return for Owen becoming Zero Wing's tamer consultant, Zero Wing would pay Owen a monthly retainer of 200 Gold.

After the contract was official, Shi Feng led Owen to Zero Wing's Guild Residence.

Meanwhile, a huge commotion tore through the Guild Residence.

#### Chapter 803 - New Expansion Pack

After the Stable appeared within Zero Wing's Residence, news of it spread at the speed of light.

"Even first-rate Guilds have yet to construct a Stable, yet Zero Wing has theirs already! This is insane!"

"Zero Wing's members are so lucky. They can purchase a unique Mount as soon as they reach Level 40. On the other hand, we have to ride horses..."

"I've heard that Guild Mounts only cost 25 Gold. That's 15 Gold cheaper than Common Mounts!"

"This won't do! I need to join Zero Wing! I want to buy a Guild Mount, too!"

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For a time, the official forums exploded with threads about Zero Wing's latest development. Many Guild players drooled over the image of Zero Wing's Stable.

Field battles in God's Domain were growing more difficult. Not only had the monsters become far more of a challenge, but the burden these monsters placed on Durability also added a hefty expenditure to their daily budgets. If they could purchase a Guild Mount, not only would they save 15 Gold, but they could also obtain a growing Mount. Once they managed to nurture their Mounts to Bronze rank, their Mounts could assist them in battle. Field battles would become easier to take down. The consumption of equipment Durability could also be decreased significantly.

At the same time, the various large Guilds throughout Star-Moon Kingdom also felt an immense weight drop onto their shoulders.

To obtain the Stable Design and the necessary materials to construct the Stable, they had spared no effort. Yet, not only had they failed to obtain the Stable Design thus far, but they had also only collected a small stock of the materials. On the other hand, Zero Wing had already finished its own Stable.

"How did Zero Wing construct a Stable so quickly?!" When Feng Xuanyang heard the news, jealousy overwhelmed him. At the same time, he was somewhat relieved.

Now that Zero Wing had revealed this trump card, no other Guild would have a chance of dominating White River City.

This incident also confirmed for Feng Xuanyang that a Super Guild did indeed back Zero Wing. Otherwise, how could the Guild have possibly constructed a Stable so quickly?

Shortly after Zero Wing's Stable was complete, a system announcement reached every player in God's Domain.

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The system announcement repeated three times, echoing in everyone's minds.

Immediately, players began to search for information on the new expansion pack. They were shocked by what they found.

After they read about the new expansion pack, every player, ordinary and Guild players both, were ecstatic.

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Meanwhile, Shi Feng, who had hurriedly led Owen to Zero Wing's Residence, was also stunned when he heard the system announcement.

Why has the Abyss Battlefield appeared so soon? Shi Feng could not help his frown. Is it because of the Stable?

The more Shi Feng thought about it, the more he agreed with the possibility.

In the past, the Abyss Battlefield expansion had released when mainstream players neared Level 40. At that time, Super Guilds had almost finished constructing their Stables.

Although the Abyss Battlefield was called an expansion pack, in reality, it was just the introduction to another way for players to experience the game.

Ordinary players had almost no opportunities to experience a true battlefield. Guilds also tried to avoid massive wars involving hundreds of thousands of players. Hence, to give ordinary players the experience of a true battlefield, the system had introduced the Abyss Battlefield.

Through the War God's Temple in the various cities, players had one chance to enter the Abyss Battlefield each day. If they died, they would be returned to their respective cities.

The Abyss Battlefield was a massive map. Players transferring in from different cities would appear in different towns within the Abyss Battlefield. Players were required to defend their respective towns, preventing the Abyssal races' invasion.



The system awarded players depending on their contributions. EXP and Honor Points were the usual rewards. These Honor Points could be exchanged for various rare potions and Magic Scrolls. Players could also trade the points for the Double EXP buff.

In the Abyss Battlefield, players received EXP from the monsters they killed. These monsters' drops were also relatively good. Moreover, even if players died in the Abyss Battlefield, they would not suffer the usual penalties. On the contrary, they would be rewarded depending on their performances. Hence, when the Abyss Battlefield had been introduced during Shi Feng's previous life, players had flooded the area.

Shi Feng could only manage a bitter smile.

Although constructing the Guild Stable had provided massive advantages, it had also hastened God's Domain's evolution.

Following which, Shi Feng led Owen to the underground Warehouse of Zero Wing's Residence.

"Heavens! Are my eyes playing a trick on me?!" Owen's face lit up when he saw the Thunder Wolf inside the massive Cage. "I never thought I would actually meet a 5-star beast in my lifetime!"

"Master Owen, may I know how long it will take for you to tame it?" Shi Feng asked.

"This is my first time encountering a 5-star beast. However, based on my calculations, I will need roughly 25 days." Owen caressed his white beard before offering his answer.

"I'll leave the task to you, then," Shi Feng said. When he heard how long the Thunder Beast's taming would require, he was shocked.

Even a Master Tamer required 25 days to tame the Thunder Beast. If he had hired a weaker tamer to do the job, even ordinary players would have their Mounts before the Thunder Beast was ready.

"Please leave it to me! I will nurture the Thunder Beast into the best Mount you've ever seen!" Owen said, his eyes glowing with excitement.

After Shi Feng finished dealing with the Guild Mount issue, he took a horse carriage to the Flame Bar.

On his way, Shi Feng could clearly hear the fevered discussions regarding the Abyss Battlefield.

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Meanwhile, in the Flame Bar, many players who had come to relax could not pull their eyes from the establishment's corner and the three great beauties sitting there. The girl in long, purple robes, in particular, moved the male players' hearts with every movement.

However, as soon as these players saw the six-winged emblem on two of these beauties, they immediately discarded any thoughts of approaching the women.

Zero Wing's Guild Emblem was a taboo in White River City.

No player dared to provoke Zero Wing's members inside White River City. Even the domineering members of Overwhelming Smile proceeded with caution.

"Blue, is this person really that strong?" a female Berserker in deep-blue heavy armor could not help but ask. This female Berserker had a graceful body and pearly white teeth.

"Of course! He is one of our Guild's experts!" Blue Bamboo said pridefully.

"An expert?" The female Berserker smiled.

Even the two men beside her smiled.

Ordinary layers might think of Guild players as experts, but to them, Guild experts were a joke. They had killed well over a hundred Guild experts in the fields by now.

"Look! He's here!" Blue Bamboo said as she pointed towards Shi Feng after he entered the building.

Chapter 804 - Wind God's Spear

"Is he the person you were talking about?"

The female Berserker and her two male companions shifted their gazes towards Shi Feng.

The young man wore a Black Cloak and silver armor. From his waist hung two exquisite longswords, one white and one black. Every one of his movements felt natural and graceful. His actions lacked any awkwardness, so much so that, if they did not focus on this young man, their minds might ignore him altogether. Moreover, the young man did not give off the familiar pressure they usually felt from experts. On the contrary, he felt safe and relatable.

As Shi Feng made his way through the bar, players seemed to move out of his way as if trying to avoid him intentionally. It was as if they couldn't sense Shi Feng's existence.

It did not take long for Shi Feng to move through the crowd and reach the party.

"Big Brother Ye Feng, you've finally arrived! We were just talking about you!" Blue Bamboo said, giggling. "Let me introduce you.

"This great beauty is Autumn Goose, this gentleman with the beard is called Death Wind, and this handsome man is Gunfire. They are members of Wind God's Spear."

"Hello," Shi Feng said, smiling as he looked at the three people. Inwardly, however, he was surprised.

He was familiar with the name "Wind God's Spear."

The name belonged to an independent organization similar to the famous Midnight Tea Party, and it based its operations in the Dark Night Empire. Independent players that disliked the restriction of Guilds and preferred adventure would usually form independent organizations to conquer certain quests that could not be completed alone.

Among the independent organizations in the past, Wind God's Spear had been relatively famous. This organization had once completed several Legendary Quests.

Legendary Quests were difficult enough to give even Super Guilds pause, not accepting one unless they were extremely confident in succeeding. However, the Wind God's Spear contained countless players who would not hesitate to take up the challenge. To put it simply, they were a bunch of lunatics with no fear of death.

When everyone had believed that the organization would fail, the Wind God's Spear shattered these naysayers' beliefs, completing one Legendary Quest after another.

Aside from those who loved to challenge deadly quests, the Wind God's Spear also contained players with a furious love of battle.

Every member within the organization was a battle-maniac. They had often challenged God's Domain's experts in the past. These players would even hunt down the older monsters from Super Guilds for a duel. Unfortunately, Shi Feng was not privy to the outcome of those fights. However, seeing as the Wind God's Spear had still been around after a decade and had even become a legend in the eyes of many independent players...

As for the three people before him right now, Shi Feng had heard of two of them before: the Shield Warrior Death Wind and the Berserker Gunfire. Both of them had taken part in a Legendary Quest in the past.

Even an apex expert of God's Domain would not have more than a 20% success rate against a Legendary Quest. Meanwhile, these two had completed a Legendary Quest before. Their abilities were unquestionable. They were extremely powerful.

Shi Feng had thought that Thoughtful Rain would, at most, have a few ordinary elite players accompanying her. He had never imagined she knew such experts.

If an elite party tried to complete the Silver Legend quest, even if they succeeded, their completion rate would not be high. However, with this group, achieving a high completion rate would be a piece of cake.

Just who is this girl? Curiosity overwhelmed Shi Feng as he shifted his gaze towards the quiet Thoughtful Rain.

The first time they met, Shi Feng felt as if he had seen Thoughtful Rain before, but he couldn't recall meeting her elsewhere. She felt both familiar and unfamiliar to him, yet he couldn't remember an expert named Thoughtful Rain in God's Domain during his previous life.

Meanwhile, now that he met Thoughtful Rain again, both her aura and strength had undergone a heaven-defying change. If she continued to develop at this pace, she would definitely become more than an ordinary expert. Moreover, with the fact that she knew members of the Wind God's Spear, it was even less possible that she had been an unknown entity in God's Domain in the past.

"Hello," Autumn Goose and the others returned Shi Feng's greeting. "It seems that Blue hadn't been exaggerating. If we can have an expert like you with us, we should be able to complete this quest with ease."

They had not expected that Zero Wing also had someone like this in its ranks.

To ordinary players, Shi Feng was an ordinary young man. However, they were neither ordinary players nor ordinary experts.

After hundreds of life-and-death battles and overcoming their limits, again and again, not only had they cultivated a beast-like intuition, but they had also gained the ability to distinguish the strong.

True experts would only reveal their domineering auras when displaying their strength. Normally, their auras would remain hidden. Their auras would appear to be as calm as the great ocean, unperturbed regardless of what was thrown at them. Others would find it hard to generate hostility against someone with such an aura.

Without a doubt, they noticed this about Shi Feng.

Shi Feng was a true expert. He was far beyond the ordinary experts they usually encountered.

"Big Brother Wind, who is this guy? Why haven't I heard of someone named Ye Feng in Zero Wing before?" Autumn Goose could not help but ask the Shield Warrior through a private chat as she evaluated Shi Feng.

"I'm not sure, but based on our information on Zero Wing, aside from Black Flame, the Guild's experts are subpar at best. However, I expect no less from the upstart Guild that defeated the Star Alliance. The Guild has even constructed a Stable. Zero Wing's strength is truly unfathomable," Death Wind laughed. "It is good that Rain has joined such a Guild."

"Indeed. While we still have a headache over our Mounts, both Rain and Blue can obtain a Guild Mount of their own as soon as they reach Level 40," Autumn Goose responded enviously.

"What's so great about Guilds?" the Berserker Gunfire snorted. "How can they compare to the freedom we enjoy? We can move about God's Domain unrestricted. We also don't have to work under anyone. Weapons, equipment, rare Skills, or Mounts, whatever these large Guilds can get their hands on, we can, too!"

After they had joined God's Domain, Guild players had often sought them out to cause trouble. The various large Guilds occupied all of the valuable leveling areas. Hence, they had formed the Wind God's Spear. Not only had they fought the various large Guilds in the Dark Night Empire, but they had also made these Guilds suffer abundant losses. Pampered Guild players could not compare to the hardships they faced.

Neither Death Wind nor Autumn Goose refuted Gunfire's words.

Their hatred of Guilds had been precisely the reason they had joined Wind God's Spear. Now, they would never bother with joining a Guild.

"Since everyone's here, let's head over to the Crystal Forest," Thoughtful Rain said as she invited Shi Feng to their party. Moreover, she had even passed the party's leadership to Shi Feng.

Gunfire was not pleased.

No matter how he looked at it, Death Wind should be the party leader as he was the most qualified for the role. Death Wind possessed a wealth of leadership experience. He even had completed many advanced quests before. He was the best choice.

However, since Thoughtful Rain had invited them, it was up to her to choose the party's leader. Arguing against it would be inappropriate.



Following which, Shi Feng and the others headed to the Teleportation Hall and teleported to the Crystal Forest.

The Crystal Forest was a small Level 40 to Level 50 map. However, the terrain was complex. The monsters here also had high Defense and HP. As a result, very few players were willing to level up here.

Taking a look at the quest details Thoughtful Rain had sent him, Shi Feng looked towards the distant cave and said, "That should be the place."

Close to the cave entrance, over a dozen Level 43 Special Elite Crystal Giants roamed the area. Meanwhile, a massive Icefire Cheetah slept a short distance from the cave. This Icefire Cheetah was a Level 44 Lord. It would slaughter an ordinary party easily.

Heh, let's watch you make a fool of yourself. Gunfire inwardly sneered as he watched Shi Feng.

The Silver Legend quest was extremely difficult. Even with Death Wind leading them, their party would be hard-pressed to complete the quest. Hence, it was impossible for a pampered young master like Shi Feng, who had only completed a few high-difficulty quests, to succeed here.

## Chapter 805 - Insane Suggestion

"This is bad."

Autumn Goose muttered as she glanced at the cave's surroundings. Aside from the Crystal Giants and Icefire Cheetah guarding the cave, she also spotted a group of Crystal Wolves patrolling the area.

As long as they fought within the cave's vicinity, they would attract the attention of the Crystal Wolves. The monsters would inadvertently catch them in a pincer attack.

The Crystal Wolves were roughly two meters long, and their bodies were made of light-blue crystal. Unfortunately, several hundred Crystal Wolves patrolled the forest.

[Crystal Giant] (Elemental Being, Special Elite)

Level 43

HP 510,000/510,000

[Icefire Cheetah] (Elemental Being, Lord)

Level 44

HP 4,000,000/4,000,000

[Crystal Wolf] (Elemental Being, Common)

Level 41

HP 48,000/48,000

If they took on so many monsters at once, it would be extremely difficult for them to make it to the cave. Furthermore, there were large level gaps between them and the cave's guardians. They were only Level 35, yet they had to face a Level 44 Lord and over a dozen Level 43 Special Elites simultaneously. This would not be an easy endeavor.

As a monster's Level increased, not only would its HP increase, but its Attributes also increased.

A Level 44 Lord dealt no less damage than a Level 30 High Lord. The Level 44 Lord might even be slightly stronger.

Facing down a Level 30 Field High Lord would be suicide. Not to mention, they would also have to fight so many Crystal Giants and Crystal Wolves. Every one of these monsters had high HP and Defense.

Without a team of at least fifty Level 40 elite players, defeating these monsters would be incredibly difficult.

Thoughtful Rain frowned at this situation.

"Why don't we clear away those Crystal Wolves first?" Thoughtful Rain suggested after a moment of thought.

"Mhm. I think it would be wiser to clear take out the Crystal Wolves first as well. If we trigger a battle while trying to enter the cave, with a speed-type Boss like the Icefire Cheetah chasing us, we won't be able to avoid a pincer attack." Death Wind nodded in agreement. "After we get rid of those Crystal Wolves, I'll hold back the Boss while you guys enter the cave. With the Icefire Cheetah's size, it should not be able to get in."

Even if he were strong, with only one healer in the party, he could not tank a Level 44 Lord for very long. After all, there was a vast difference between his Attributes and the Boss's. Moreover, the Icefire Cheetah was a speed-type Boss, the bane of MTs. It was extremely difficult to avoid the attacks of a speed-type Boss. The level gap only made the situation worse.

"Leader, what do you suggest?" Gunfire asked as he turned to the silent Shi Feng, grinning.

The members of the various large Guilds were accustomed to using zerg tactics to solve their problems. Regardless of what kind of problems they faced during a quest, they just needed to send a large group of players to deal with it. Now, however, they only had the strength of a party. Moreover, this quest was located in such a high-level map. Unlike Death Wind, who had long since grown accustomed to high-level monsters and could remain cool-headed in such a situation, Shi Feng would have no idea what to do here.

However, their quest was quite difficult. Normally, they would challenge monsters that were, at most, five Levels higher than them. Even then, the fight would be risky. Now, they had to face a Level 44 Lord. The slightest mistake could cause a party-wipe.

"Me?" Shi Feng glanced at the Crystal Wolves before shifting his gaze back towards the Icefire Cheetah. "I suggest that we charge for the cave. There is no need to waste time on the Crystal Wolves. Once we enter the cave, the Icefire Cheetah won't be able to follow us. Afterward, we just need to deal with the Crystal Giants and Crystal Wolves. Moreover, the cave is cramped inside, so the Crystal Wolves won't be able to use their wolf pack tactics. It should be fairly easy to annihilate them."

In truth, Shi Feng wasn't overly worried about the Icefire Cheetah or the Crystal Giants; his biggest worry was the Crystal Wolves.

Thoughtful Rain and the others had no idea just how scary those Crystal Wolves were.

Wolves loved to hunt in groups. Naturally, this was the case for the Crystal Wolves in the Crystal Forest. Although they could only see a few hundred in the area, once the battle began, these Crystal Wolves would call for reinforcements. If they could not finish the Crystal Wolves off quickly enough and allowed the monsters to use their Summon Skill...

They would have to fight far more than just a few hundred Crystal Wolves.

If the Crystal Wolves summoned the Crystal Wolf King, tragedy would befall them.

The Crystal Wolf King was the Crystal Forest's ruler. It was also a Level 50 Great Lord. In Shi Feng's previous life, countless players, who had ventured to the Crystal Forest in search of ores, had died under the Wolf King's paws. Hence, after the general populace learned of this beast, many players had tried to avoid provoking the Crystal Wolves. If their party attacked the Crystal Wolves, they would find death waiting for them.

"Charge for the cave?" Autumn Goose was dumbstruck. "How are we supposed to shake off the Crystal Giants and enter the cave?"

Although Death Wind could pin down the Icefire Cheetah for a short time, if the others wanted to enter the cave, they had to deal with the Crystal Giants. The Crystal Giants were Level 43 Special Elites, not Common monsters that even noobs could defeat. They were not easy opponents. The Crystal Giants would flatten them under their fists if they made the slightest mistake.

Meanwhile, the Crystal Wolves would have enough time to join the fray while they had their hands full with the Special Elites. In the end, they would be caught a pincer attack with no path of retreat.

"Leave the Icefire Cheetah to me. Death Wind will attract those Crystal Giants. Blue, you just need to focus on healing Death Wind. Rain, you'll assist Death Wind by restricting the Crystal Giants from afar. Everyone else, head straight towards the cave," Shi Feng explained slowly.

Death Wind was a Shield Warrior and had the Crowd Mock Skill. He would have the easiest time holding the Giants' aggro.

Without the Crystal Giants in their way, the Crystal Wolves wouldn't have time to launch a pincer attack. Once they entered the cave, without the Lord's interference, it would be easier to deal with the Special Elites and Common monsters.

Even if the Crystal Wolves summoned the Crystal Wolf King, with how little space the cave provided, all the Crystal Wolf King could do was wait outside with the Icefire Cheetah.

"You'll tank it?" Thoughtful Rain and the others turned to Shi Feng as one.

Shi Feng was only a Swordsman. Although he had hidden his Level with the Black Cloak, even if he were the same level as the Level 44 Icefire Cheetah, its claws would rend him to death with two or three attacks. Furthermore, he wouldn't have a healer on him. At most, he could hold off the Lord for a brief moment. That certainly wasn't enough time for them to make it into the cave.

"Rain, are you sure that there won't be any issues?" Autumn Goose quietly asked Thoughtful Rain.

It was not that she did not believe in Shi Feng. However, this plan was simply too dangerous. The slightest mistake could compromise their lives. If they lost a Level, it would become far more difficult to complete the quest.

"I trust him," Thoughtful Rain said with confidence as she looked at the calm, composed Swordsman.

Although she, too, had her doubts, when she looked at Shi Feng's composure and confidence, she wanted to believe in the young man. She did not know why, but whenever she looked at Shi Feng's figure, she thought of Zero Wing's Guild Leader, Black Flame, whom she had met only a few times before. Black Flame always tried something that everyone else thought was impossible. In the end, however, he always proved everyone wrong.

Black Flame had become a legend in Zero Wing. Many members in the Guild admired him.

"Hah... whatever. It's just one death," Autumn Goose sighed as she prepared herself to take a leap of faith. Even if the plan failed, she had a backup plan to help Thoughtful Rain and the others escape.

As for Death Wind and Gunfire, they also prepared to die.

After Shi Feng arranged the party's positioning, he activated Windwalk and dashed towards the Icefire Cheetah.

When Shi Feng was within 80 yards, the Icefire Cheetah woke, discovering the Swordsman immediately. It released a vicious growl.

"Grrawr!"

With its growl, the Icefire Cheetah, which stood over eight meters tall, spat scorching flames.

Immediately, over a dozen massive Fireballs bombarded Shi Feng.

"It's over..."

When Thoughtful Rain and the others saw the dozen or so Fireballs, their hearts sank. Shi Feng could never dodge all of those attacks.

However, before they could sigh, they saw a streak of blue light cut across the space before Shi Feng, slicing the massive Fireballs in half.

Chapter 806: Difference in Weapons

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"This..."



Surprise flashed in everyone's eyes as they watched Shi Feng.

The Lord ranked monster's Fireballs were extraordinary. Even from this distance, they could feel the power contained within those massive Fireballs. If they encountered one of those Fireballs, the blast from the impact would definitely send them flying.

Yet, in front of Shi Feng, these massive Fireballs were as fragile as glass.

With one hit, Shi Feng sliced apart every Fireball sent at him. The Icefire Cheetah's attack hadn't slowed Shi Feng in the slightest. In the blink of an eye, Shi Feng was only 30 yards away from the Icefire Cheetah.

"Grrr!"

Seeing the impudent human approach, the Icefire Cheetah released an angry, deafening roar. Rather than attacking with its fire, its paws pushed off the ground. Instantly, the Level 44 Lord transformed into an afterimage as it pounced on Shi Feng.

A Lord ranked monster's Attributes were frightening enough. To add to the terror, the Icefire Cheetah was a speed-type Boss. It would only take the Icefire Cheetah an instant to cross the 30 yards.

The Icefire Cheetah loomed like a three-story building as it appeared before Shi Feng. It swiped its razor-sharp claws at Shi Feng's head.

Boom!

The hard, rocky ground beneath the Swordsman shattered and exploded, sending dust everywhere. Even Thoughtful Rain and the others, who stood roughly 100 yards away from Shi Feng, could feel the ground tremble.

"Such high Strength!" Autumn Goose was shocked when she saw the flying rocks.

"Is that a Level 44 Lord ranked monster?" Death Wind's expression grew serious. Previously, he thought he could, more or less, cope with the Icefire Cheetah's attack. Now, however, even with a healer, he would only last a few hits.

Moreover, not only was the Icefire Cheetah's Strength absurd, but its speed also astonishing. He would have an extremely difficult time trying to dodge the Lord's attacks.

"Death Wind, hurry and attract the Crystal Giants' attention! Everyone else, head for the cave as quickly as possible!" Shi Feng's voice suddenly burst into the team chat.

The team was shocked to hear it.

They had not expected Shi Feng to still be alive after taking the Icefire Cheetah's attack.

"How did he evade that attack?!" When the dust settled, Gunfire's eyes nearly fell out of their sockets.

Shi Feng actually stood beside the Icefire Cheetah's claws, completely unharmed. The Lord's attack had only created a massive crater beneath its feet.

The Icefire Cheetah was incredibly quick. Even Gunfire had failed to catch a clear look before the Lord's claws landed. If even his eyes had trouble keeping up with the monster, he would have no hope of evading its attacks.

Yet, without a doubt, Shi Feng had done just that.

At this moment, however, everyone shoved away their shock as they charged towards the cave. Death Wind immediately cast Crowd Mock on the Crystal Giants, attracting the dozen or so Special Elites' aggro.

The Crystal Giants were not speed-type monsters. Rather, they relied on their Strength. Their movements were relatively slow. Although ordinary players would still find it difficult to evade the Crystal Giants' attacks, an expert like Death Wind could easily evade simultaneous the attacks of two or three Crystal Giants.

Even if he could not dodge, he could block them with his shield.

Meanwhile, Thoughtful Rain cast Ice Walls and Ice Spheres to limit the Giants' movement, allowing the others to shake off the Special Elites and head into the cave.

"Such immense power!"

There were too many Crystal Giants. For a time, even Death Wind struggled to cope with the attacks he was receiving, and he was forced to defend with his shield. However, the instant a Crystal Giant's fist struck his shield, the impact forced Death Wind to retreat by four steps before he steadied himself, a damage of over -800 points appearing above his head.

"Why are these Crystal Giants so strong?" Autumn Goose wore a solemn expression when she saw the damage above Death Wind's head.

Death Wind was a Level 35 Shield Warrior with over 14,000 HP. He was also fully geared with Level 30 top-tier equipment. Even his shield was a Level 30 Dark-Gold ranked shield. The Shield Warrior had also learned plenty of Passive Skills that increased his Defense.

Death Wind would lose around 200 HP when he blocked an attack from a Level 35 Special Elite with his shield. Now, the Level 43 Crystal Giant dealt over -800 damage with one punch. Its Strength could rival a Level 35 Chieftain. If Death Wind failed to block or dodge the attack, the Shield Warrior would only last three or four hits.

Autumn Goose's gaze shifted towards the distant Shi Feng once more.

Currently, Shi Feng was tanking a Level 44 Lord. If even a Level 43 Special Elite was so strong, just how horrific was the Lord?

However, even now, the Icefire Cheetah had yet to land a single hit on Shi Feng.

If she or anyone else tried to tank the Lord, the Icefire Cheetah would have long since claimed their lives.

She never thought that there was such a massive gap between them...

Autumn Goose and the others did not realize that Shi Feng was actually struggling. One could say that he was on thin ice with every move.

Shi Feng's Attributes were very high. However, he was only Level 39. The Icefire Cheetah, on the other hand, was Level 44. Moreover, it was a Lord ranked monster. Previously, when Shi Feng had faced the Level 50 Special Elite Blood Warrior, he only managed to defeat it after using all of his strength.

The Icefire Cheetah was much stronger than the Blood Warrior. Not only did it possess higher Strength, but it was also significantly faster.

If not for his reaching the Void Realm and accurately predicting the Cheetah's attack trajectories, the Level 44 Lord would have already shredded Shi Feng to pieces.

Of course, Shi Feng had the ability to suppress the Icefire Cheetah. He just needed to activate his Berserk Skill.

Unfortunately, Berserk Skills' Cooldowns were too long. On the off chance that they encountered danger later on, without the trump card of a Berserk Skill, they would be easy prey.

Aside from Berserk Skills, he could also summon a Tier 2 Demon with the Bible of Darkness. With a Tier 2 Demon acting as a meat shield, killing the Icefire Cheetah would not be a problem. However, doing so would reveal the Bible of Darkness to outsiders. He could not use it casually.

Moreover, as a veteran gamer who had adventured in God's Domain for over a decade, he knew how important it was to maintain his peak state.

Currently, his job was to hold the Icefire Cheetah back, not to kill it. He had no reason to go all-out.

This should be enough. While dodging, Shi Feng glanced towards the other party members, noticing that they had almost reached the cave. He then began to move towards the cave as well.

After everyone entered the cave, and Shi Feng shook off the Icefire Cheetah...

Death Wind blocked the Crystal Giants and the quickly approaching Crystal Wolves. The rest of the party members then launched their own attacks.

The cave was cramped, so only three Crystal Giants could attack the Shield Warrior at a time. Even if Death Wind blocked the attacks with his shield, the Cleric Blue Bamboo could heal him in time and keep his HP full.

"So hard!" Autumn Goose felt her hands numb as she hacked her greatsword at a Crystal Giant. Meanwhile, the Crystal Giant she attacked only received around -1,300 damage. "This Defense could rival a Lord ranked monster's."

As for Gunfire, his damage was around the same as Autumn Goose's. His normal attacks only dealt around -1,200 damage. Only with his Skills could he deal over -2,000 damage.

Among the party members, Thoughtful Rain was the most awkward. As these monsters were Elemental Beings, their Magic Resistance was quite high. Despite her top-tier equipment, her Spells dealt less than -1,000 damage. Only Tier 1 Skills were slightly more effective.

Peng!

The crack of crystal echoed throughout the cave, and the players shifted their gazes towards the sound's origin.

A damage of -5,458 points appeared above the head of a Crystal Giant. A deep groove had appeared on the Special Elite's hard crystal exterior...

Chapter 807: War Spirit Possession

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Chapter 807 - War Spirit Possession

"How can his Attack Power be so high?"

Autumn Goose and the others were momentarily stunned.

Despite wearing top-tier equipment, their attacks barely scratched the Crystal Giants. These monsters' Defense was so high that their weapons couldn't injure the Special Elites.

Yet, not only had Shi Feng's attack dealt a frightening amount of damage, but it had also wounded the monster, decreasing its combat power.

However, before Autumn Goose and the others could recover from their surprise, Shi Feng executed Chop on the Crystal Giant.

Three arcs of blue sword light converged to a single point and flew towards the Crystal Giant. The attack even sliced apart space, a black seam appearing along the sword light's trail.

When the black seam encountered the Crystal Giant, the Special Elite's crystal exterior shattered. Shi Feng's sword passed through the Crystal Giant's body as if it were air. Without any resistance whatsoever, the weapon cleaved through one side of the monster's body.

-9,462!

This damage hadn't been the result of a critical hit. This damage was simply from Shi Feng's Skill. Immediately, a large chunk of the Crystal Giant's HP vanished. Moreover, due to the injury from the attack, the Crystal Giant's movements became somewhat sluggish.

After a brief fight, the Crystal Giant, which had 510,000 HP, fell to the ground, dropping a piece of equipment and several materials. Everyone in the party also received a bounty of EXP. Meanwhile, the Crystal Giant that Death Wind and the other party members fought still had over half of its HP. The difference between Shi Feng's damage and theirs was obvious with a glance.

"Is he even human?! How is his damage so high?!" Autumn Goose exclaimed when she glanced at Crystal Giant.

Shi Feng's damage was several times higher than theirs combined. Moreover, he easily defeated the Crystal Giant without receiving any help at all.



Even in the Wind God's Spear, they would be hard-pressed to find such a strong player.

"I told you that Big Brother Ye Feng is very strong, yet none of you believed me! You get it now, right?" Blue Bamboo said proudly as she puffed her chest, acting as Shi Feng's achievement were her own.

Seeing her friend's behavior, Thoughtful Rain shook her head and smiled bitterly.

However, Shi Feng's performance had been satisfying.

Previously, Autumn Goose and the others had continuously advised her to leave Zero Wing. Moreover, they had insisted that she would improve slower in the Guild than if she joined the Wind God's Spear and that their organization's experts were far stronger.

However, Shi Feng's performance proved them wrong.

With this, Autumn Goose and the others would most likely stop trying to persuade her to leave Zero Wing.

"Is this the strength of a Zero Wing expert?" Gunfire was stunned after watching Shi Feng's performance.

He was considered one of the top ranking experts in the organization. He had even killed many Guild experts during his time in the Dark Night Empire. However, if he compared himself to Shi Feng, the difference between them was practically the difference between heaven and earth.

He could not bring himself to believe that a player could be so powerful.

First, Shi Feng had tanked a Level 44 Lord. Now, Shi Feng swiftly defeated a Level 43 Special Elite by himself. Both the Swordsman's combat techniques and his Basic Attributes were far more powerful than his own.

With such a powerful DPS player like Shi Feng in the party, they could clear out the Crystal Giants and Crystal Wolves far faster.

In less than half an hour, the Giants and Wolves inside the cave had died, leaving behind all sorts of weapons, equipment, and materials.

"We're leveling so fast. I will usually need to grind for two or three hours to earn this much EXP. If we continue grinding at this pace, I'll reach Level 36 within a day." Autumn Goose's excitement grew as she looked at her own EXP bar.

Players could use Mounts once they reached Level 40. At that time, she would not have to waste so much time running about. She could also explore new places, reducing her competition over resources.

The other party members also received a huge boost to their EXP bars. Their leveling speed here was at least two or three times faster than their usual leveling speed.

To Shi Feng, however, the EXP he obtained from killing the Crystal Giants and Crystal Wolves was not nearly enough.

He was Level 39 already. Moreover, he required double the normal EXP to level up. The EXP these Special Elites and Common monsters provided barely moved his EXP bar.

"Huh? There's a Skill Book here!" Death Wind stated when he noticed a thick, glowing golden book on the ground. Picking it up, he exclaimed, "A Berserk Skill Book! We've hit the jackpot!"

The main method to learn Skills in God's Domain was by visiting NPC instructors; players also learned Skills by purchasing them with Legacy Skill Points or obtaining Skill Books.

The Skills that instructors offered were general. Their strength was also subpar at best. However, one could learn a large variety of Skills with this method.

Meanwhile, although the Skills one purchased with Legacy Points were very powerful, it was extremely difficult to obtain Legacy Points. Normally, players only obtained them by leveling up.

As for Skills learned from Skill Books, they were generally quite powerful. Some were even stronger than Legacy Skills.

In the current God's Domain, a player's strength did not only depend on weapons and equipment. Skills were very important as well. It was especially true for Berserk Skills.

If an elite player learned a Berserk Skill, they could contend with expert players; they might even be able to defeat them.

If an expert player learned a Berserk Skill, they could defeat top-tier experts who lacked their own Berserk Skill. They could also hold off a Lord ranked monster of the same Level for a short time. Hence, Berserk Skills were incredibly valuable in God's Domain.

Unfortunately, Berserk Skills were even rarer than top-tier Dark-Gold Equipment.

On the market, a single Berserk Skill Book could cost several hundred Gold. This fascinated countless players. If they could obtain an extremely powerful Berserk Skill, they could easily sell it for hundreds of Gold to a large Guild.

However, players were rarely willing to sell their Berserk Skills.

Even now, the powerful Wind God's Spear only had two players with Berserk Skills.

"Big Brother Wind, what kind of Berserk Skill is it?" Blue Bamboo asked, her eyes practically glowing. "Is it for magical classes?"

When the others heard this, they glanced at the golden Skill Book as well. They were all curious about the Skill Book.

"It's a melee class Berserk Skill called War Spirit Possession," Death Wind said. He then displayed the Skill's introduction to the party chat.

[War Spirit Possession]

Allows a heroic spirit to possess a melee class for a short period. When activated, decreases all Skill Cooldowns by 30%, increases damage by 20%, Strength by 90%, Agility by 50%, and Endurance by 50% for 60 seconds.

Cooldown: 8 hours

(Cannot be stacked with other Attribute-increasing Skills.)

"Such a powerful Berserk Skill!" Many in the party fell speechless after reading the Skill's details.

Generally, a Berserk Skill only increased one Attribute. Berserk Skills that covered multiple Attributes were extremely rare.

This Skill Book excited Autumn Goose, Death Wind, and Gunfire, who were all melee classes. On the other hand, Blue Bamboo and Thoughtful Rain were slightly disappointed.

With this Berserk Skill, questing by themselves or fighting other players would become much easier.

"Don't just focus on the Skill Book. There's still a Fine-Gold Treasure Chest here," Shi Feng informed the others as he pointed towards the large, golden Treasure Chest that sat deep inside the cave.

Chapter 808: Ye Feng's Invitation

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"A Fine-Gold Treasure Chest?!"

Hearing Shi Feng's words, everyone spun towards the distant, glowing altar.

Five crystal pillars stood around the altar, glowing a faint blue. A golden Treasure Chest sat above the altar.

Next to the Treasure Chest sat a massive, pitch-black egg.

Runes decorated the egg's surface, and a faint, white mist flowed into it.

"Rain, that should be the item you're looking for," Autumn Goose said as she pointed towards the egg.

Due to the quest's introduction, the team knew that the quest would award a Mount. That giant, sealed egg was the reason for their visit to the Crystal Forest.

"That should be the one." Thoughtful Rain nodded. However, when she looked at the altar, her expression darkened slightly.

A faint, blue barrier enveloped the altar. An NPC also stood next to the altar with his eyes closed. If one used an Identification Skill on this NPC, they would discover that he was actually a Level 100, Tier 3 Illusionist.

[Gerard] (Illusionist)

Level 100

HP 8,000,000/8,000,000

The indicator above this Illusionist was red, informing players that this Tier 3 NPC was an enemy.

A Tier 3 class was the equivalent of a Great Lord of the same Level. Although NPCs had far less HP than Great Lords of the same Level, players would rather deal with a Great Lord than a Tier 3 NPC.

Furthermore, the Illusionist before them was a Level 100, Tier 3 NPC.

The instant everyone noticed Gerard's presence, they felt a weight land on their shoulders. A gloomy atmosphere descended on them, sabotaging their earlier joy of finding the Berserk Skill.

"Are we supposed to defeat him?" Blue Bamboo asked softly as she pointed at Gerard, worried that her voice would attract the NPC's attention.

Nobody in the party had an answer to the Cleric's question.

If they had to defeat Gerard to complete this quest, then this trip had been in vain.

Even a Level 100, Tier 1 NPC could beat them black and blue, much less a Level 100, Tier 3 NPC. The difference in Levels and Attributes was simply too massive. None of the equipment currently available in God's Domain could make up for this gap.

Just as everyone considered giving up...

"No. There should be a way to complete this quest," Shi Feng suddenly said through the party chat.

"You have a plan?" Everyone turned to Shi Feng in surprise.

Surviving Gerard's attacks would be a miracle, not to mention stealing the giant egg he guarded. How could they possibly walk away with that egg?

As far as they were concerned, this task was impossible.

That was a level 100, Tier 3 NPC, not a Common monster.

"Yes. That NPC is clearly maintaining the Defensive Magic Array and injecting most of his Mana into that giant egg. There are two possible outcomes if we approach him. In the first scenario, Gerard gives up maintaining the magic array and attacks us, while in the second scenario, he continues to maintain the magic array, but summons a beast to deal with us. If that is the case, Gerard himself will be unable to move. If we interrupt his casting, the Defensive Magic Array will fail.



"In either scenario, we have a chance to steal the egg as long as we interrupt the magic array. The only problem is delaying Gerald and creating an opportunity for one of us to steal the egg."

Everyone nodded, agreeing with Shi Feng's logic.

"But which one of us will delay the NPC?" Autumn Goose asked. "Even if Big Brother Wind is a Shield Warrior, against a Level 100, Tier 3 NPC, he will die instantly. And which one of us will be responsible for stealing the egg?"

Putting it bluntly, they did not even qualify as cannon fodder. How could they successfully steal the egg?

"I can delay him for a short time. However, the person stealing the egg must be quick. If they're not fast enough, this operation will fail," Shi Feng said after giving it some thought.

With his current strength, he had no hope of defeating a Tier 3 Illusionist. Delaying one, however, was possible.

Although Shi Feng had spoken softly, his words had dumbfounded his companions.

They had a rough understanding of this Swordsman after witnessing Shi Feng's actions and hearing what he had to say.

He lived up to his words and was extremely trustworthy.

Since Shi Feng had made the claim, it meant that he was confident that he could accomplish it. Otherwise, he would not have said anything at all.

"But there are no speed-type classes among us. We won't make it in time," Thoughtful Rain said, shaking her head.

Setting aside magical classes and Shi Feng, who had to pin down the NPC, everyone else was a Warrior. They would be able to steal the egg fast enough.

"Don't we have the War Spirit Possession?" Shi Feng asked, chuckling.

The War Spirit Possession Skill increased a player's Agility. Naturally, the player's speed would also increase. Moreover, he had Speed Scrolls in his bag. With these, they should be able to reach the egg in time.

"But this Skill Book is too valuable. Moreover, we have only come this far thanks to you, Ye Feng. Would you really be alright with letting outsiders learn the War Spirit Possession?" Autumn Goose asked awkwardly.

The Berserk Skill was more valuable than top-tier equipment or weapons.

"It's just a Skill Book. If you feel so bad about it, why don't you join Zero Wing? If experts like you join Zero Wing, you will be given a set of Dark-Gold Equipment. Receiving a Berserk Skill is also normal. Moreover, Zero Wing's management is not strict. There aren't many restrictions on our members. If you want to go out on an adventure or do a quest, the Guild will even provide with all sorts of assistance," Shi Feng offered, grinning.

All three of these players, Autumn Goose, Death Wind, and Gunfire, exhibited remarkable combat standards. They only lacked some formal guidance. Otherwise, they could become a force to be reckoned with.

Zero Wing had grown a lot stronger. However, it still had very few experts.

If Autumn Goose and the others joined Zero Wing, it would undoubtedly make the Guild even stronger.

Not to mention a mere Berserk Skill Book, Shi Feng was even willing to give each of them a Tier 1 Set Equipment if they joined the Guild.

To other expert players, the War Spirit Possession might be precious, but to Zero Wing's experts, it was nothing. Shi Feng could simply give them the Power of Darkness. Although the Power of Darkness did not provide as much of a boost as the War Spirit Possession did, its duration was far longer. Overall, the Power of Darkness was stronger than the War Spirit Possession by a large margin.

Moreover, compared to several Berserk Skill Books, Shi Feng was more interested in the Fine-Gold Treasure Chest. That Treasure Chest was even rarer than a Berserk Skill.

After Shi Feng's blatant attempt to recruit them, Autumn Goose and the others pondered their options for some time.

Previously, they had felt nothing more than disdain for Guilds. However, after seeing Thoughtful Rain and Blue Bamboo's daily lifestyle in the game, in addition to the fact that Zero Wing was home to an expert like Shi Feng, their impressions of Zero Wing had changed significantly.

Even an expert like Shi Feng was willing to help Thoughtful Rain with her quest. It was simply unthinkable in other Guilds. Moreover, Thoughtful Rain adventured with their group often. She had never been restricted. On the contrary, every time Thoughtful Rain joined them on a quest, she offered an abundance of useful information that she had obtained from her Guild.

The information was usually out of their reach and had been incredibly convenient when they quested.

In the end, after a serious discussion between the three, Autumn Goose walked up to Shi Feng with a solemn expression.

#### Chapter 809 - Power of a Tier 3

"Although we don't think that joining Zero Wing would be a mistake, we have many friends in the Wind God's Spear. Various Guilds are also targeting the Wind God's Spear in the Dark Night Empire. It is not in a favorable position right now. We won't abandon the Wind God's Spear during such a crucial time, so please forgive us for rejecting your good will."

Autumn Goose spoke with determination. Shi Feng could tell that the Berserker loved and was devoted to the organization.

After all, they were all companions who had experienced life and death with each other. How could they abandon that for personal gain? If he were in their shoes, he wouldn't do such a thing, either.

Moreover, Autumn Goose understood that should they join Zero Wing, if they were seen fighting with the members of the Wind God's Spear, those Guilds would turn to Zero Wing and cause trouble. Zero Wing would be dragged into the Wind God's Spear's mess.

"I understand. If you wish to join a Guild in the future, please consider Zero Wing." Shi Feng nodded. "However, you cannot refuse the War Spirit Possession Skill Book. We cannot complete this quest without it."

Shi Feng had understood that it would be very difficult to poach members from the Wind God's Spear. After all, it was an organization of players that detested Guilds, to begin with.

However, he had still wanted to try.

He would take any opportunity he was given. After all, on the off chance he succeeded, he would make a huge profit.

Meanwhile, Thoughtful Rain and Blue Bamboo, who had watched this from the side, were somewhat disappointed. If Autumn Goose and the others had joined Zero Wing, they would have a much easier time questing and adventuring together.

Following which, after a brief discussion, it was decided that Autumn Goose would learn the War Spirit Possession.

"Ah, right, take these," Shi Feng said. He retrieved five silver Magic Scrolls from his bag, handing them to his five party members.

"Is this a Tier 1 Instantaneous Movement Magic Scroll?" Death Wind could not help his shock after examining the Scroll.

There were all kinds of Magic Scrolls in God's Domain. Among them, the most precious were the Summoning Scrolls, although the Instantaneous Movement Magic Scrolls followed closely behind.

Instantaneous Movement Magic Scrolls allowed players to teleport from one location to another, although it was limited.

Players could travel 300 yards in the blink of an eye with a Tier 0 Instantaneous Movement Magic Scroll, 1,000 yards with a Tier 1 scroll, and 4,000 yards with a Tier 2 scroll. It was one of the best tools for retreat.

However, these scrolls were extremely rare. Even Dungeon and Field Bosses rarely dropped them. Death Wind had only ever heard about such scrolls.

On the market, one Tier 0 Instantaneous Movement Magic Scroll sold for more than 1 Gold, not to mention a Tier 1 Instantaneous Movement Magic Scroll.

Now that they had these scrolls, they could immediately escape the area once they obtained the egg. They could even avoid the Icefire Cheetah that still guarded the cave's entrance.

Autumn Goose and Gunfire were similarly speechless.

"Big Brother Ye Feng, you're rich! Can I mooch off of you in the future?" Blue Bamboo joked as she smiled at the Tier 1 Magic Scroll in her hands.

"Blue!" Thoughtful Rain immediately flicked her friend's forehead. To think that the girl was still in the mood to fool around at such a crucial time.

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"Begin the operation!" Upon seeing Autumn Goose in position, he charged towards Gerard the Illusionist.

When he was 80 yards from the NPC, Gerard discovered Shi Feng's presence.

"Foolish fellows. You rush to your deaths. I'll send all of you to hell!" Gerard smiled disdainfully as he swung his staff.

Immediately, a black magic array appeared beside Gerard.

A two-headed Hellhound launched itself from the magic array.

"Are you kidding me?! A Level 100 Lord ranked monster?! Isn't this cheating?!" Blue Bamboo's jaw dropped when she saw the crimson Hellhound.

A Tier 3 NPC was already enough trouble. Now, said NPC had summoned a Level 100 Lord. This was absurd.

Everyone else's expressions similarly darkened.

"Heh."

Shi Feng, however, only revealed a faint smile. The Hellhound hadn't surprised him in the least. An Illusionist was a Tier 3 class. It was not unusual for one to summon a Tier 2 Lord. Powerful Illusionists were even capable of summoning Tier 3 Lords. A Tier 3 Illusionist was even more effective in battle than a Tier 3 Great Mage.

Of course, while Illusionists were capable of summoning powerful monsters, they were very weak.

After emerging from the magic array, the Hellhound opened its two mouths and spewed crimson flames. The fire engulfed over half of the cave, and any rock that these flames touched instantly turned into molten magma.

At this time, Shi Feng activated Thunder God's Descent, increasing his Movement Speed and Attack Speed by 150%. He then transformed into a shadowy streak as he dodged the oncoming fire before continuing towards Gerard.

By the time the Hellhound ceased its fiery attack, Shi Feng was less than 40 yards away from the Illusionist.

Following which, Shi Feng activated Absolute Time, silencing Gerard and canceling his spell-casting.

"Despicable ant! You dare to ruin my work!" Gerard grew enraged.



However, under a Silenced state, even Gerard could not cast any Spells without leaving Absolute Time's effective area.

Suddenly, Shi Feng threw the Blazing Meteor in his hand.

Flame God's Fury!

A streak of crimson light appeared before Gerard.

Peng!

"What?!" The party members exclaimed when they saw what had happened.

Gerard had actually caught Shi Feng's Blazing Meteor between his fingers...

Sure enough, the difference between our Attributes is simply too massive. Shi Feng smiled bitterly.

However, he had already achieved his initial goal. Gerard focused solely on him.

In the next moment, both Gerard and the Hellhound charged at Shi Feng.

Both the Tier 3 Illusionist and the Hellhound's Attributes were far higher than Shi Feng's. Like a powerful gale, the two enemies closed the distance between themselves and Shi Feng.

Not daring to be careless, Shi Feng immediately swapped the Aura of Time for the Aura of Wind and activated Wind Rider. His speed soaring once more, he made a mad dash for the cave's exit.

Autumn Goose had also activated War Spirit Possession and dashed for the giant egg.

However, Shi Feng's situation was precarious. To avoid receiving the brunt of Gerard's full strength, he had to remain inside Absolute Time's field.

Unfortunately, Shi Feng was slightly slower than the Hellhound. However, by relying on his understanding of the terrain, dodging the Lord's direct attacks was still relatively easy. Only, the Hellhound's attack range was quite long. In addition to the limited amount of space he had to dodge to, he received some splash damage from the Lord's attacks.

The flying rubble alone devoured nearly 2,000 of Shi Feng's HP. He could only survive a few hits.

Autumn Goose was extremely anxious. Upon arriving before the giant egg, she began to collect it.

"Why is there a collection time?!" Autumn Goose's anxiety jumped as she glanced at Shi Feng.

While she had approached the giant egg, Shi Feng had lost one-quarter of his HP. If she delayed any longer, they would all be in extreme danger.

Time seemed to crawl by.

Autumn Goose had spent a total of three seconds collecting the giant, black egg. As for the locked Fine-Gold Treasure Chest, she simply chucked the thing into her bag. Meanwhile, Shi Feng had less than one-third of his HP remaining.

"Damnable thieves! Don't even think of leaving this place alive!" Discovering that the giant, black egg had been stolen, Gerard was furious. Waving his staff, he shattered the restriction Absolute Time placed on his magic power. Over a dozen silver-colored Elemental Balls appeared around his body before flying towards Autumn Goose and Shi Feng.

"Go!"

Shi Feng shouted sternly. He then unfurled his own Instantaneous Movement Magic Scroll and vanished from the cave.

## Chapter 810 - Zero Wing's Horror

In a secluded, primitive forest, several figures suddenly appeared.

As these figures appeared, a distant cave crumbled as a pillar of light shot into the sky. The frightening power that radiated from the pillar of light caused the air to stagnate. A long, terrifying roar echoed throughout the forest.

These players finally realized just how truly terrifying a Level 100, Tier 3 NPC was.

Astonishingly, Shi Feng had actually survived against the NPC for so long and escaped relatively unharmed. He was a monster.

Autumn Goose, Death Wind, and Gunfire sighed.

They had been given an opportunity to deepen their relationship with an expert as powerful as Shi Feng. If they had accepted his offer to join Zero Wing, the Swordsman might have even offered to tutor them. However, they had rejected his offer.

"Quickly, use your Return Scrolls!" Shi Feng urged once he accounted for the whole team.

Although the Tier 1 Instantaneous Movement Magic Scroll was a powerful escape tool, their pursuer was a Level 100, Tier 3 NPC. Gerard would not let them get away easily.

Hearing Shi Feng's reminder, everyone quickly took out their Return Scrolls and began to activate them.

The seconds ticked by. They were all on edge. If Gerard caught up to them, they wouldn't have another chance to escape.

Fortunately, the Tier 1 Instantaneous Movement Magic Scroll had put quite a bit of distance between themselves and Gerard. Even if the Illusionist managed to escape the cave, he wouldn't discover their exact location immediately. Sure enough, Gerard had not found them as they finished activating their Return Scrolls.

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White River City's Teleportation Hall:

"That was close. I thought we were dead for sure," Blue Bamboo said as she patted her chest. Even though she had returned to the city, some fear still lingered in her heart.

A Level 100, Tier 3 NPC was practically invincible to current players.

This had also been the first time she had ever seen a monster shatter a player's attack. One could imagine just how vast the gap was between either side's Attributes.

Fortunately, they had completed their quest.

As soon as Blue Bamboo finished speaking, a sound of a system notification reached their ears.

System: You have been targeted by Gerard. If you cannot incubate and hatch the giant egg in three days, Gerard will discover your presence in any field map you venture to. If Gerard kills you, you will suffer a doubled death penalty and three days of a Weakened state.

"Why is there another quest?" Thoughtful Rain frowned as she looked at the system notification.

Her initial quest had been to retrieve the giant egg. Now, after so much trouble to accomplish that, she received another one. Moreover, the penalty for failure was considerably severe.

If she failed this quest, a Level 100, Tier 3 NPC would hunt them down. Unfortunately, players at this stage of the game had no hope of killing this NPC. In other words, they would no longer be able to explore or level up if she failed.

Autumn Goose and the others wore similarly horrified expressions. Although they had helped Thoughtful Rain, they had never expected to be held accountable for the quest as well.

This was the first time they had encountered such a quest.

They had experienced Gerard's power personally. If they encountered Gerard in the fields, they would only find death.

"Does the egg's description include any incubation methods?" Shi Feng asked Autumn Goose. He had long since grown accustomed to such sudden developments.

"Let me see..." Autumn Goose hurriedly called up the giant egg's information. "It says that we'll need a large amount of Life Force to incubate this egg, which can only be obtained by killing Great Lords that are Level 40 or above."

"How many do we need to kill?" Shi Feng asked.

"Twenty!" Autumn Goose said helplessly.

"Twenty?! This is a joke, right? We're talking about Great Lords!" Blue Bamboo could not help but despair.

Death Wind and Gunfire frowned as well.

A Level 40 Great Lord was no laughing matter. Generally, each of these monsters required a raid team of 100 Level 40 players geared with top-tier equipment. Even then, any mistake could get them all killed.

Even if they gathered such a team, raiding a single Great Lord would most likely require an entire day. The sacrifices they'd have to make were also staggering.

No matter how one thought about it, it was impossible to raid twenty Level 40 Great Lords in three short days.

First of all, Level 40 Great Lords were not that easy to find. Normally, these monsters only lurked in 100-man Team Dungeons. Even finding 20 Great Lords in the fields would take more than three days.

How difficult was raiding a Level 40, 100-man Team Dungeon? Even now, the various large Guilds were still attempting to challenge the Hard Mode version of these Dungeons, not to mention Hell Mode.

Even if they mobilized all of Wind God's Spear, they could not complete this quest.

While everyone struggled with their frustration and despair...

"It isn't exactly impossible to complete this quest," Shi Feng said after giving it some thought. "However, I'll need to prepare first. You guys should wait here for a while."

Of course, it was impossible to kill a Level 40 Great Lord with the power of a 6-man party. However, a 20-man team might have a chance.

"What? He even has a plan for this?" Gunfire watched Shi Feng's departing back with doubtful eyes.

Even Thoughtful Rain and Blue Bamboo, who were in the same Guild as Shi Feng, were shocked.

They had been talking about Level 40 Great Lords, yet Shi Feng spoke of them as if they were only Common monsters.

After waiting for some time, they heard excitement spread throughout the Teleportation Hall.

"Wah! Isn't that Fire Dance from Zero Wing?!"

"Look! That's Zero Wing's Vice-Leader, Aqua Rose!"

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The players inside the Teleportation Hall were stupefied when Fire Dance and the dozen or so Zero Wing core members entered the building.



To ordinary players, these experts were basically legends. They lived in a completely different world. After the war in the Stoneclaw Mountains, players finally understood the power of a true expert.

Zero Wing's core members had long since become idols in White River City. How could these players contain their excitement as they finally saw these stars?

"What?!" Blue Bamboo was dumbfounded when she saw Fire Dance and the others approach their party.

These players were Zero Wing's upper echelons. Every one of them was a top-tier expert in Star-Moon Kingdom, yet after a single call, they had hurried over.

Even Violet Cloud, whom she admired greatly, was here.

She could not believe this was happening.

"Just who is Ye Feng?" Autumn Goose could not help but turn to look at Shi Feng.

Death Wind and Gunfire were similarly shocked.

They had still felt disdain and disinterest towards Guild experts. However, after seeing these experts from Zero Wing, they suddenly realized how little they knew. They could feel an intense pressure from each of these experts.

Fire Dance, in particular, felt as if they stood before a humanoid Lord ranked monster. With a single glance from the Assassin, they trembled with fear. Their instincts screamed for them to run as far as they could from the Assassin.

When these experts stood together, the combined pressure was overwhelming.

The air in the Teleportation Hall was stifling. Even moving was a struggle.

Moreover, they were not in combat. If they attempted to fight these Zero Wing experts...

They were certain that they would never escape these people's grasp.

"Alright, now that everyone has arrived, let's begin the quest," Shi Feng said, chuckling.

## Chapter 811 - Giant Beast

White River City, War God's Temple:

For a long time, players had seldom visited this place. However, due to the appearance of the Abyss Battlefield, it had become a popular hub for players.

"Independent team recruiting members! Those who want the Double EXP buff, come on over!"

"Town reclamation team recruiting! Minimum requirement of Level 30! Equipment must be at least Mysterious-Iron rank! Must have reached the Trial Tower's second floor! Noobs, do not disturb!"

"Looking for players to carry me through the Abyss Battlefield! Five Silver for 100 Honor Points! Limited spots available! First come, first served!"

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Shortly after the new expansion pack launched, everyone had adapted to the new changes. Many players had already gained some experience of the playstyle in the Abyss Battlefield.

Shi Feng was very surprised when he arrived.

He had not expected everyone to adapt to the Abyss Battlefield so quickly.

The Abyss Battlefield was a paradise for experts, particularly solo experts. Due to the Abyss Battlefield's appearance, many solo experts had been able to shine brilliantly in the past, creating countless legends in God's Domain. The Abyss Battlefield back then had also shortened the gap between independent players and Guild players.

One of the main reasons for this was the EXP gain.

Guild members could accumulate the Double EXP buff in their Guild Residences. Although the accumulated Double EXP buff did not seem like much, ordinary players could not fight for long periods. All players needed a break at some point, whether it was to repair their weapons and equipment or to

recover their Concentration and Stamina. Overall, a large part of a player's time in the game was spent resting. Hence, the difference the Double EXP buff created became significant.

However, it was extremely difficult for independent players to accumulate the Double EXP buff.

Aside from purchasing a house of their own in NPC cities, the only other option was to rest in a player-built city.

This further highlighted the importance of the Abyss Battlefield.

Players would earn Honor Points corresponding to their performance on the battlefield. They could trade those Honor Points for the Double EXP buff or potions. Powerful solo experts could easily earn a large number of Honor Points, and the Double EXP buff they could purchase was far more than Guild players. In addition, these solo experts were strong enough to kill monsters of a higher Level. Overall, solo experts were able to level only slightly slower than Guild experts.

Aside from the EXP buff, Honor Points could also be traded for top-tier equipment. Although the equipment's Attributes leaned more towards PvP, it was still valuable.

The various large Guilds also took advantage of the Abyss Battlefield to grind for top-tier equipment.

There were many Bosses in the Abyss Battlefield. Every town that monsters conquered would contain multiple Bosses. The weakest among these Bosses were Lords, while most were Great Lords. Some towns were even protected by High Lords or Mythic monsters. Guilds didn't need to look far to find Field Bosses.

However, although there were many advantages to the Abyss Battlefield, it had its downsides as well. Every player who entered the Battlefield was allotted one life each day. In addition, the monsters dropped neither materials nor money; they only dropped weapons and equipment. If one's goal was purely to obtain top-tier equipment, the Abyss Battlefield was the perfect place for them.

Shi Feng led his team into the Abyss Battlefield.

After entering the Abyss Battlefield, players were transported to the human race's campsite.

As soon as Shi Feng and the others arrived, they were greeted by a sea of players. White River City's players weren't the only ones who had gathered at this campsite. Players had arrived from every city in Star-Moon Kingdom. They were all gearing up and preparing to set out.

However, as this was a battlefield, one could see wandering Abyssal monsters in every direction. Players generally formed 100-man groups in the Abyss Battlefield. That way, they had a higher chance of survival. After all, the longer they remained alive, the more opportunities they would have to earn Honor Points.

"This run has been the best! I earned 500 points during this run! I can afford a Basic Double EXP Potion! I'll get 10% of the Double EXP buff with that. I might be able to reach Level 32 by the end of the day!"

"That's nothing. I heard that the players in Heaven's Burial's main army have conquered a town. With the Honor Points they earned, they can purchase three Basic Double EXP Potions! For those that perform well, they might even earn enough points to buy a Basic Body Strengthening Potion!"

"Wow! That much?! One of those potions could improve my Attributes by 10% and reduce my Stamina consumption by 15% for two hours. The Basic Body Strengthening Potion costs five times as much as the Basic Double EXP potion!"

"What did you think? They cleared out the Abyssal monsters of an entire town! Naturally, they received a ton of Honor Points. The various Guilds are dispatching their armies to clear out these monster towns. With enough Basic Body Strengthening Potions, raiding Dungeons will be a breeze. It's a pity that my Guild is so small. We are nowhere near strong enough to clear out a town."

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The players around the campsite chatted as they stood in line to repair their weapons and equipment. They envied the players who had joined large Guilds. Unlike those players, they had to accumulate Honor Points slowly by killing wandering Abyssal monsters in the Abyss Battlefield's outermost regions.

"Let's go."

Shi Feng opened the Battlefield's map. After examining it for a moment, he headed towards the nearest small, ruined city.

"Wow, those guys got guts. They are leaving the campsite with just a 20-man team. Are they tired of living?"

"I think they're experts."

"So what if they're experts? Once they start fighting, they'll learn that even experts are useless here. Moreover, didn't you see which direction they went? They are heading towards South Lake City. None of the players who have gone there have returned alive."

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The players resting at the campsite fell into a heated discussion when they saw Shi Feng's group of cloaked figures.

The Abyss Battlefield was comprised of various regions. Different regions had different threat levels.

The outermost region was the safest. However, there were far fewer monsters here. Players could not earn many Honor Points with so few targets.

More monsters wandered around the outer region of towns, most being Elites with a few Chieftains thrown in the mix. Ordinary players who ventured into these areas quickly lost their lives. However, one could earn quite a sum of Honor Points if they survived.

Monsters were abundant inside a town. There were also plenty of Lord ranked monsters present. Sometimes, even Great Lords would appear in towns. A party of players would find it very difficult to survive.

As for small cities, these were considered monster nests. When players entered the city, their Attributes were suppressed immediately. Generally, Great Lords guarded these small cities. Sometimes, one even encountered a Mythic monster. Even a 100-man elite team would find it very difficult to survive here.

Grand Lords generally ruled over medium cities, and players had a very high possibility of encountering a Mythic monster.

In large-sized cities, players were guaranteed to find a Mythic monster waiting for them. Even a Guild-organized 1,000-man army risked a one-way trip by attempting to challenge these locations.

Naturally, Shi Feng understood the Battlefield's layout. He was far more familiar with the Battlefield's rules than any other player.

To grind for Great Lords, towns were the safest choice. However, Shi Feng had a time limit. Hence, he had no choice but to pick a small city.

After traveling for over two hours, Shi Feng and the others finally arrived at South Lake City.

The entire city had become a nest for Abyssal monsters. One could smell the rich scent of blood from the city's edge.

"Is that a Grand Lord?" Autumn Goose's heart pounded when she saw the giant monster, which was over 100 meters long, hovering above the city.

## Chapter 812 - Siege

"How can a monster be so massive?!"

Every member of the party was flabbergasted as they watched the massive figure in the sky.



This was a Bone Dragon with a body that stretched over a hundred meters and a wingspan that covered over two hundred meters. As its name suggested, its entire body was made of bone. Its massive skeletal head loomed like a small mountain. Smoldering green fire danced in its hollow eye sockets. The Bone Dragon created storms with every flap of its skeletal wings.

[Frost Bone Dragon] (Undead, Grand Lord)

Level 45

HP 64,000,000/64,000,000

This was the first time Autumn Goose and her companions had ever seen a Grand Lord, and they stared, struggling to breathe.

The Frost Bone Dragon had a staggering 64,000,000 HP.

However, this was not the Bone Dragon's biggest threat.

At the rank of Grand Lord, a monster could inflict a powerful mental pressure, preventing players from exerting their full strength.

"That thing can probably instant-kill me with its breath attack." Gunfire involuntarily gulped as he watched the Bone Dragon circle above the city.

"Are we really going to kill monsters here? There are too many!" Blue Bamboo asked worriedly as she glanced at the sea of Abyssal monsters within the city walls.

[Skeleton Soldier] (Undead, Elite)

Level 42

HP 140,000/140,000

These Skeleton Soldiers bore a shield and weapon in each hand. They also stood together in large groups with over a hundred other Skeleton Soldiers. If they fought one of those skeleton squads, it was highly likely that they would attract even more Skeleton Soldiers. Skeleton Captains also roamed the city.

[Skeleton Captain] (Undead, Chieftain)

Level 42

HP 1,300,000/1,300,000

If they fought here, an endless stream of monsters could easily surround them. Their chances of survival would plummet.

"Why don't we check somewhere else?" Autumn Goose suggested.

They could deal with these numbers if they were merely Common monsters. However, the weakest monster in the city was an Elite. Chieftains even called this city home. Even a 20-man team had little hope of surviving this place.

Although they knew Shi Feng and the others were quite strong, the Skeleton Captains were not isolated. From where they stood, they could spot as many as six Captains. Who knew how many more would appear once they started fighting?

It was simply too dangerous to fight here.

"Relax. You guys just need to watch from the sidelines." Shi Feng laughed, not bothering to explain.

After stabilizing their mental states, Fire Dance and the others burst into action.

Ordinary experts might struggle against this sea of monsters. To Zero Wing's core members, however, this wasn't even a challenge. This was a paradise!

Fire Dance and Flying Shadow charged into the crowd of Skeleton Soldiers, luring the Elite monsters. Meanwhile, Minor Wind and the other ranged classes launched their bombardment from a distance.

Immediately, they had attracted the attention of nearly 800 Skeleton Soldiers and three Skeleton Captains.

Autumn Goose and her friends' anxiety mounted.

The army of Skeleton Soldiers and the three-meter-tall Skeleton Captains that wore black, thorny armor, seemed to have an unstoppable momentum as they charged to meet Zero Wing's group.

Death Wind, who stood between his team and the monsters, felt a massive pressure weigh him down.

Just as the Skeleton Soldiers were about to reach the team, Cola, Ye Wumian, and Turtledove made their move.

Justice Roar!

Angry Howl!

The three MTs tore the aggro from the small team and forced the monsters to focus on them.

"Take this!" Cola raised his flaming Divine Bluefire Shield and bashed it into the approaching crowd.

Boom!

With one hit, the MT sent the leading Skeleton Soldiers into a backward tumble. Cola then used Devotion, and a golden glow blossomed over an area of 15\*15 yards, a damage of around -500 points appearing above the head of every Skeleton Soldier.

As for Turtledove and Ye Wumian, they also dominated over their opponents. With each crash, they knocked down a group of Skeleton Soldiers. When they used an AOE Skill, they devoured hundreds of HP from several dozen Soldiers.

The three MTs stood like an iron wall as they blocked the undead's advance.

The three Skeleton Captains had just as much trouble. Even against the Chieftains' attacks, Cola and the others did not retreat by a single step. They dodged the majority of the attacks sent at them, launching counterattacks and dealing over -2,000 damage to each Chieftain.

"So strong!" Gunfire could not help his shock.

Not only could these three MTs hold back the hundreds of Elite monsters and three Chieftains, but they also dodged most of the incoming attacks, barely losing any HP.

"They should've stabilized the aggro by now. Let's start attacking as well," Blackie said excitedly.

As Blackie spoke, he activated Stars of Light.

Aqua Rose also used the Tier 1 Spell, Death and Decay.

Meanwhile, Shi Feng had switched to the Aura of Fire and activated Firestorm.

At this time, Cola and the others suddenly stomped the three Skeleton Captains, causing all three to lose their balance and fall to the ground. Immediately after, the three MTs retreated.

In the next moment, the area before Cola and the others transformed into hell itself. Huge stars fell from the sky, black smoke emerged from the ground, and fire erupted into the air. The ground shook as if the end of the world had arrived.

Boom... Boom... Boom...

After several seconds, most of the 800 or so Skeleton Soldiers had been annihilated. The three Skeleton Captains had lost close to half of their HP.

Everyone's level bars exploded with EXP. Blue Bamboo even leveled up on the spot, climbing from Level 34 to Level 35.

At this time, Cola and the others slammed their shields into the three Skeleton Captains and began building their aggro once more.

Meanwhile, Shadow Sword and Rampant Blade used Charge and appeared before a Skeleton Captain. They then swung their greatswords at the Chieftain's joints, momentarily freezing the Captain's movement. Two critical damages of over -5,000 points appeared above the Chieftain's head.

As for Fire Dance, she appeared behind another Skeleton Captain and used Absolute Strike.

-28,467!

Fire Dance immediately followed up with a Backstab, her attack triggering Thousand Transformations' Critical Point effect. The Fragmented Legendary Weapon then transformed into a streak of silver light as it pierced and shattered the Skeleton Captain's sturdy armor.

A frightening damage of -19,482 points appeared above the Skeleton Captain's head.

"Is she even human?"

Fire Dance's damage shocked Autumn Goose and her team.

Thoughtful Rain and Blue Bamboo were also shocked into silence. This was their first time they had seen their Guild's upper echelons grind monsters. The difference between the way they normally grinded was like the difference between heaven and earth.

In a Party Dungeon, a Chieftain ranked monster was a Boss. In front of Fire Dance, however, it was no different than a Common monster.

Not a single one of Fire Dance's attacks dealt less than -10,000 damage...

Under the continuous bombardment of Zero Wing's core members, the three Skeleton Captains had not even had a chance to land a finger on Cola and the other two MTs. Meanwhile, Violet Cloud, one of the team's healers, had become one of the main damage dealers. Each of her numerous Mana Balls dealt over -600 damage to the Skeleton Captains. As a result, the Chieftain's HPs fell at a rate visible to the naked eye.

After just 20 seconds, the three Skeleton Captains and the remaining Skeleton Soldiers crumbled to the ground, transforming into piles of bones and dropping several pieces of equipment. They also granted every player with a significant amount of EXP.

## Chapter 813 - Frightening Leveling Speed

Seeing the scattered bones and their rapidly rising experience bars, Autumn Goose and the others were at a loss for words.

Facing hundreds of Level 42 Elites and three Level 42 Chieftains would be a challenge even for a 100-man team of Level 40 elite players. Now, however, a dozen or so players had easily defeated these monsters...

Although they had realized that there was a gap between them and Zero Wing's core members, this battle made it clear just how wide that gap was.

"This grinding and leveling speed is amazing. I wish we could level like this every day." Blue Bamboo sighed as she looked at her experience bar.

She had gained more EXP in less than a minute than she usually obtained after two hours of grinding.

They were leveling faster than a rocket.

Moreover, the speed at which they were earning money was simply ridiculous.



In less than one minute, they had gained six pieces of equipment.

Nowadays, in God's Domain, the higher a monster's level was, the lower its drop-rate for equipment would be. They had killed many Level 40 monsters before. Even when they killed Level 40 Elites, they rarely obtained any equipment. Only Level 40 Chieftains were certain to drop equipment. Even then, they usually only dropped one or two pieces.

Among the six pieces of equipment they had obtained, four were Level 40 Bronze Equipment, and two were Level 40 Mysterious-Iron Equipment. Although they were not pieces of top-tier equipment, they could sell for quite a bit of money. Even after splitting the profits among the team, they would earn more than what an ordinary player earned in a single day.

Shi Feng had intended to split the loot equally. However, Autumn Goose and the others rejected the offer. After all, they had not done anything; they also were not members of Zero Wing. They already felt uncomfortable about receiving a share of such a lucrative amount of EXP despite not contributing. As for Thoughtful Rain and Blue Bamboo, the two girls similarly rejected the offer. In the end, Shi Feng had no choice but to pass the equipment to Aqua Rose to store in the Guild Warehouse.

"Fire Dance, Flying Shadow, Minor Wind, lure the monsters. We'll clear the city's borders before we enter the city itself," Shi Feng commanded after he finished collecting the drops.

In the Abyss Battlefield, the basic strategy to capture a city was to eliminate the monsters in the outer edge. If they did not take care of the minions outside the city, once they started fighting in the city, a single roar from a Boss could very well attract every single minion. The monsters would surround them, greatly increasing their chances of wiping.

Hence, it was important to annihilate the monsters outside the city first.

Moreover, in the Abyss Battlefield, monsters in towns and cities had long respawn times. They didn't have to worry about endless respawning. They also wouldn't have to waste a lot of time getting out of the city.

Following which, Fire Dance, Flying Shadow, and Minor Wind lured wave after wave of monsters towards Cola and the others.

After the MTs had built up their aggro with the Skeleton Captains, Shi Feng would use Firestorm. Anyone else who possessed AOE Skills would join him with their own attacks, finishing off the Skeleton Soldiers quickly. Afterward, everyone would focus their attacks on the Chieftain ranked Skeleton Captains.

The team finished off a wave of monsters every five minutes, rapidly filling their experience bars.

After three hours of hard work, Autumn Goose and the others reached Level 35, whereas Blue Bamboo reached Level 36. The five felt as if they were dreaming as they watched their absurd leveling speed.

"We're leveling so fast. I'm the same level as the boss now." Gunfire was flabbergasted by his own Level.

Autumn Goose and Death Wind had similar reactions.

Even expert players needed to grind for two or three days just to reach their Level. It should be known that there were 48 hours in a single day in God's Domain. Now, however, they had only taken three hours to level up. Their leveling speed was ridiculous.

Furthermore, the monsters outside the city were no threat to Zero Wing's members at all.

Finally, after grinding for over nine hours, the team had managed to kill all the Abyssal monsters in South Lake City's outer region. Meanwhile, Thoughtful Rain and the others had reached Level 37, whereas Fire Dance, Aqua Rose, and the other members of Zero Wing had reached Level 39. As for Shi Feng, he had reached 81% of Level 39. He was only 19% away from the Level 40 threshold.

After clearing out the monsters from the city's north side, Shi Feng led everyone into the city.

South Lake City was far more dangerous inside its walls than it was outside.

Abyssal monsters had a hierarchy. The lowest monsters generally lived in the outermost regions. As players ventured deeper into a city, they would encounter higher ranked and stronger monsters.

Rather than increasing inside the city, the concentration of monsters decreased significantly. However, it was not difficult to spot the Skeleton Warriors that roamed the city streets.

[Skeleton Warrior] (Undead, Special Elite)

Level 42

HP 550,000/550,000

The city was also home to plenty of Skeleton Captains.

Even a Level 40, 100-man elite team would have to be extremely careful upon arriving here. One mistake could attract hundreds of Skeleton Warriors and seven or eight Skeleton Captains, leaving the team surrounded.

Fortunately, Zero Wing's core members would have little trouble handling such a situation. They could defeat a monster army of such size with relative ease.

However, Shi Feng's goal was not to level up, but to kill Great Lords. Hence, he prioritized scouting the city over grinding.

"I've discovered a Great Lord over here!" Flying Shadow, who used Stealth to scout the city, reported through the team chat. "I'm in the city plaza. Only, there is another team of players fighting the Great Lord right now."

"Who are they?" Shi Feng asked, surprised.

The others were surprised and curious as well.

South Lake City was many times more dangerous than monster towns in the Abyss Battlefield. Even a Level 40, 100-man elite team had to be extremely careful here. Their team had spent so much time clearing out the monsters around the city, yet someone had gotten ahead of them and had already begun killing a Great Lord...

"They're a 100-man team. These people are wearing a Guild Emblem, so they should be the main force of some Guild," Flying Shadow reported as he observed the situation. "The lowest leveled player is Level 34, while the commander is level 36. Currently, they've dropped the Great Lord's HP by a third and have yet to suffer any losses."

Field Great Lords were different from Dungeon Great Lords. They were a lot stronger. However, they did have a little less HP. The fact that the team had taken one-third of a Level 40-plus Great Lord's HP without losing a single member showed that the team was extraordinarily strong.

"Hold on; I'll send you their battle video." Flying Shadow then started recording a short video before sharing it with the team. "I've never seen their Guild Emblem before. I don't think that it's a Star-Moon Kingdom Guild. However, the fact that they can handle a Great Lord this well shows that the Guild is certainly not ordinary."

Upon receiving the video, they watched the short clip of this Guild in battle.

In the video, the corpses of Abyssal monsters filled the wide fountain plaza. Meanwhile, a group of players faced a giant skeleton. The giant skeleton stood over ten meters tall. The skeleton wore black, heavy armor and wielded two massive war axes.

[Skeleton General] (Undead, Great Lord)

Level 43

HP 18,000,000/18,000,000

The Skeleton General brandished its war axes madly, each swing causing the earth to tremble. However, the players fighting the Skeleton General were very coordinated. Their MTs guided the Skeleton General's attacks to an area void of other people. Meanwhile, the healers and ranged damage dealers responded when and how they needed to, decreasing the Great Lord's HP continuously. Overall, the players were quite organized.

This is interesting. I hadn't expected to meet them in a place like this. Shi Feng's lips curled up into a faint smile after seeing the players in the video.

## Chapter 814 - Legendary Guild

"These people have relatively good combat standards and equipment, but why haven't I heard of this Guild before?" Even after wracking her mind, Aqua Rose could not figure out which Guild these players were from.

The Skeleton General displayed frightening power.

Not only did it possess extremely high Strength, but it was also very fast.

Even for Cola, tanking this Great Lord would be a burden.

Although these players did not possess an MT like Cola, who had extremely high Defense and Strength, they made up for the lack of strength with the cooperation of four MTs. The team's damage dealers also kept the Boss in check. This made it possible to raid the Skeleton General.

Moreover, the team's damage dealers and healers were very powerful.

Almost all of them dealt over -1,000 damage with each attack, causing the Skeleton General's HP to decrease slowly but steadily. It was only a matter of time before they defeated the Great Lord.

No ordinary Guild was capable of such a feat. Generally, only the experts of famous large Guilds could raid a Level 43 Great Lord so easily.

However, Aqua Rose knew nearly every famous Guild in the virtual gaming world, but she had never seen this Guild Emblem before.

"Look, that Skeleton General seems to be summoning a companion!" Cola shouted as he watched the surrounding monsters gather towards Skeleton General, who stood in the plaza's heart with a grim expression.

The others were also shocked.

They had not expected the Boss inside the city to have a such a move. With this, killing the Skeleton General would be far more difficult.

After all, one was already required to go all-out against a Great Lord. More monsters joining the fray might become the last straw that broke the camel's back.

Everyone finally understood why Shi Feng had them clear out the surrounding monsters while on their way, rather than avoiding confrontation.

"This Boss is too overpowered! It has lured another Great Lord!" Flying Shadow, who hid in the plaza, stated as he watched the blurry figure fly straight towards the Skeleton Warrior.

[Agonizing Banshee] (Undead, Great Lord)

Level 40

HP 17,000,000/17,000,000

Although the Agonizing Banshee had less HP than the Skeleton General, it was a magical class monster. It posed more of a threat than the first undead.

The instant the Agonizing Banshee arrived, she released a piercing screech, forcing over a dozen players into a Confused state; these players lost all control over their bodies as they began behaving like raving lunatics. The sudden development was precarious for the team.

"Let's head over and take a look," Shi Feng said, laughing as he watched the Agonizing Banshee massacre the team of players.

It was not unusual that Aqua Rose had not heard of this Guild. After all, the Guild wasn't famous; it was an upstart Guild. The Guild's name was Immortal Light.

Immortal Light was based in the Twin Towers Kingdom.

The Twin Towers Kingdom and Star-Moon Kingdom were adjacent to each other. Hence, Shi Feng knew quite a bit about the Twin Towers Kingdom.



Although Immortal Light was only an upstart Guild, it had performed exceedingly well in the competition for dominance over the Twin Towers Kingdom. It had stolen over a dozen cities from the first-rate Guild, Emperor's Light, going as far as to occupy the third largest city in the Twin Towers Kingdom. In Shi Feng's previous life, Immortal Light had been one of Shadow's allies. However, Immortal Light was much stronger than Shadow had been.

In God's Domain, it was very difficult for a small Guild to survive. Hence, these Guilds needed to work together.

However, Immortal Light was different from Shadow. After ten years of development in God's Domain, it had become a first-rate Guild and had occupied over half of the Twin Towers Kingdom. It had even dominated various cities in other kingdoms. Back then, it had developed into a Guild that could rival even Ouroboros.

Meanwhile, Immortal Light's Guild Leader, Sinned Heart, was a very famous expert in God's Domain. He had been one of God's Domain's Twelve Sacred Elementalists in the past. Immortal Light also had several other Tier 5 experts. Even Ouroboros and Emperor's Light had not dared to provoke the Guild in the past.

One could say that Immortal Light had been a legend in the Twin Towers Kingdom.

In just a few years, a no-name Guild had gone from an organization without any background or backing to a huge existence in the virtual gaming world, which even first-rate Guilds feared and respected. The difficulty of such a feat was unimaginable.

Shi Feng never imagined that he would actually encounter this Guild so soon.

"Do you know them?" Fire Dance asked curiously.

She understood Shi Feng quite well. He would not attack someone unless they attacked him first. In addition, his pride as an expert would not allow him to steal a Boss from a stranger. Even if he wanted the Boss, he would simply wait for the two Great Lords to annihilate the other team. However, since Shi Feng chose to approach the battle, it was likely that he knew the Guild.

"Something like that," Shi Feng replied vaguely, not knowing how to answer this question.

In the past, he had been acquainted with this group from Immortal Light. In this life, however, they did not know him.

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Above the wide plaza, two Great Lords and dozens of Skeleton Warriors faced down the 100-man team.

"Split up the Bosses. Rangers, kite the minions," the team's leader, Sinned Heart, shouted. He would not let his confidence waver even though his team now had to fight two Great Lords simultaneously. On the contrary, he remained extraordinarily calm as he commanded the battle.

"Guild Leader, that Agonizing Banshee's AOE Spells are too powerful! We've already lost eight people!"

"Thousand Leisures, lead your group and follow me! We'll suppress the Banshee together! Everyone else, focus on the Skeleton General!"

Even Sinned Heart was helpless against the Banshee's Shadow Sweep attack. He could only lead a contingent to distract the Great Lord.

Immediately, with Sinned Heart at the lead, ten players activated a Barrier Magic Array around the Agonizing Banshee, trapping the Great Lord behind a purple barrier.

"Narrow the magic array's area!" Sinned Heart shouted as he watched the Banshee resist.

Quickly, the ten players controlling the magic array shrank the magic array, sealing the Agonizing Banshee inside a small, purple globe and preventing the Great Lord from moving.

"Guild Leader, someone's heading this way!"

"How are there other people here?!"

At this moment, even Sinned Heart grew anxious.

To surely kill the Skeleton General, they had even used their most precious Barrier Magic Array. They could not afford any more surprises.

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"This Guild is quite impressive. They have an Intermediate Magic Array as well," Aqua Rose stated when she saw the hovering, purple ball. She could estimate the barrier's strength with a single glance.

Currently, in God's Domain, being able to obtain a Basic Magic Array was quite a feat. One could probably count the number of Intermediate Magic Arrays players had found on one hand.

Yet, now, an unknown Guild employed their own. The Guild clearly had an extraordinary background.

"Friend, if you are interested in these two Great Lords, why don't we take them on together and split the loot equally?" Sinned Heart shouted.

Although the group that had just arrived only consisted of twenty players, the fact that this small group had made it this far spoke of their extraordinary strength.

Without knowing Shi Feng and his team's motives, Sinned Heart was unwilling to give up on the Great Lords. Hence, he might as well make them an offer. After all, even if Shi Feng's team were strong, they could not handle two Great Lords at once.

"Guild Leader, I think they're from Zero Wing!"

"What?! Zero Wing?! Isn't that Star-Moon Kingdom's number one Guild?!"

The players from Immortal Light were instantly on edge, wearing grim expressions.

## Chapter 815 - Zero Wing Takes Action

"Why are they here?" Sinned Heart was shocked when he saw Shi Feng and his team.

Even in the Twin Towers Kingdom, Zero Wing was resoundingly famous.

Starting out as a small Guild, Zero Wing had faced down the various large Guilds in White River City, becoming White River City's overlord. Later on, it successfully repelled the Dragon-Phoenix Pavilion, a super-first-rate Guild.

However, this was not Zero Wing's greatest achievement.

Afterward, Zero Wing had occupied Stone Forest Town and won a war against the joint forces of the Star Alliance, a first-rate Guild and their various allies, instantly becoming the most sought-after Guild in Star-Moon Kingdom.

In addition, Zero Wing was a Guild of experts. Its Guild Leader, Black Flame, even ranked 51st on the God's Domain Experts List and had been given the title of "Sword King."

A recently-established Guild like Immortal Light could not possibly compete with a Guild like Zero Wing.

"Those people are Zero Wing's upper echelons."

"Look! That's Aqua Rose! Fire Dance is here as well! Look over there! Isn't that Violet Cloud, Cola, Turtledove, Minor Wind, Shadow Sword, Blackie, and Ye Wumian?!"

"Why are so many of Zero Wing's experts here?"

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Immortal Light's members panicked for a moment.

Aqua Rose and the others were all publicly-acknowledged, top-tier experts. One of them could exterminate a 100-man elite team by themselves.

"Hahaha! I never thought our Guild would be so famous! Even a Guild from another kingdom knows us!" Blue Bamboo could not help her pride as when she saw the Immortal Light's collective anxiety. "I wonder when my name will be as famous as Big Sis Fire's and the others'?"

Fire Dance and her fellow echelons couldn't help but laugh when they heard Blue Bamboo's excitement.

In reality, even they had never imagined that they would, one day, become famous experts in God's Domain.

Before they had met Shi Feng, they had never dreamed of such a thing. Now, however, they were targets for players' admiration.

Is Zero Wing really such an amazing Guild? When Autumn Goose overheard the Immortal Light's members, she was shocked.

She and her companions were independent players from the faraway Dark Night Empire. Hence, they had only heard rumors of Zero Wing's strength through the forums. They had never witnessed the Guild in action. In their opinion, however, even the large Guilds in the Dark Night Empire were subpar at best. Hence, how strong could a Guild from a kingdom possibly be?

However, after witnessing these players' performance, they had a clearer understanding of the Guild's strength. They felt that Zero Wing was different from those large guilds in the Dark Night Empire.

Yet, it would seem that Zero Wing was far more powerful than Blue Bamboo and the official forums made it out to be.

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"Guild Leader Sinned, rest assured; we aren't here to steal your Bosses. However, we won't help you with these Bosses, either. If you can't handle them, give up. We'll take over from here," Shi Feng said, shaking his head as he responded to Sinned Heart's proposal.

Level 40-plus Great Lords were not easy to find, even in the Abyss Battlefield.

Moreover, a Great Lord dropped far better loot than a Lord. Monsters of such rank generally dropped top-tier equipment.

Even in Zero Wing, Level 40 top-tier equipment was still quite rare. Hence, he could not afford to split the drops.

Hearing Shi Feng's answer, a huge weight lifted from Sinned Heart's heart.

Zero Wing was the number one Guild in Star-Moon Kingdom. The Guild's upper echelons would not break their word easily.

"Thank you," Sinned Heart said with heartfelt gratitude.

Following which, Sinned Heart commanded his team to focus on the Skeleton General, which only had 60% of its HP remaining. The Agonizing Banshee was still trapped inside the Intermediate Magic Array, so it was possible to kill the Skeleton General.

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Time passed quickly. Finally, Immortal Light's members reduced the Skeleton General's HP to 30%.

"Be careful! The Skeleton General is about to go berserk!" Sinned Heart hurriedly reminded his team.

Immortal Light's MTs began to prepare, activating their Lifesaving Skills. The healers at the rear also readied themselves.

"Humans, I will devour you!" the Skeleton General shouted, its eyes releasing a bloody radiance.



Suddenly, the Skeleton General split into three copies of itself. All three were identical, even down to their HP bars.

"Amazing, this Skeleton General actually knows a duplication Skill!" Aqua Rose exclaimed.

Among the many Bosses they had encountered, very few could duplicate themselves. Any Bosses capable of such a feat were extremely difficult to fight.

Suddenly dealing with two additional Bosses could destroy a team's formation and rhythm. If not handled properly, it would not take long for the team to suffer annihilation.

"They're in trouble," Fire Dance stated as she glanced at the three Skeleton Generals. Each General radiated the same pressure. This meant that all three Skeleton Generals had the same combat power.

It had taken almost everything the Immortal Light members had to deal with the one Skeleton General. Now, they had to take down three such monsters simultaneously...

While Zero Wing's members discussed the situation among themselves...

Several Immortal Light MTs were thrown into the air.

Until now, the team had relied on the combined strength of three or four MTs to defend against the Skeleton General's attacks. Now that they had to fight three Great Lords at the same time, their MTs had to split up. As a result, they didn't have enough strength to tank the Bosses.

In ten short seconds, Immortal Light lost another eight members.

"Guild Leader, at this rate, we'll most likely wipe!"

"How did things come to this?!"

Sinned Heart balled his fists, frustration filling his heart.

They had already lacked enough members to deal with the Skeleton General. Furthermore, to deal with the Agonizing Banshee, they had been forced to split their team and pull ten members away from the main fight. Now that the General had split into three, they didn't have nearly enough strength to face the Boss. A single attack from one of the Great Lords could obliterate over 7,000 HP from one of their MTs. If the MTs did not block the attack with their shields, they might die instantly...

"Retreat!" Sinned Heart commanded, gnashing his teeth.

If they wasted any more time, none of them would leave this place alive. If they retreated now, at the very least, half of their numbers might survive.

"They can't hold on anymore," Blackie chuckled.

"Let's go, then," Shi Feng said.

Hearing Shi Feng's command, Zero Wing's members exploded into action. Cola and Ye Wumian charged at the fully regenerated Skeleton General, whereas Turtledove made her way towards the Agonizing Banshee.

"We're going in now?" Autumn Goose and the others were momentarily stunned, thinking that they had heard wrong.

Although Immortal Light's members had already left, there were still two Great Lords in the plaza. What could they possibly do with a team of 20 players?

"What are they trying to do?"

The members of Immortal Light, who had escaped, were even more flabbergasted.

Zero Wing's team had far too few members. Furthermore, to deal with the two Great Lords, their team of twenty had to split itself. This was insane!

Just as Autumn Goose, Thoughtful Rain, and the others struggled against their daze, the battle against the two Great Lords had begun.

Cola sent a Shield of Vengeance at the Skeleton General, taking more than 2,000 of the Great Lord's HP. He then followed up with a Hammer of Sanctions, eliminating another 3,000-plus HP and focusing the Great Lord's aggro on himself.

Facing the Skeleton General's Quick Blow, Cola raised his shield and received the attack. He was immediately forced to retreat by six steps, both his hands numbing slightly. A damage of over -3,000 points appeared above his head. However, to Cola, who had over 18,000 HP, this damage was acceptable.

"That's a lot of Strength. I can use this opportunity to test a move that I recently learned." Cola smiled. Seeing another of the Skeleton General's battle axes swiftly approach, he lifted his shield, blocking and pushing against the attack. As the attack sent Cola backward, he only lost around 1,700 HP, far less than the previous attack. Very quickly, Violet Cloud recovered his HP to full.

"Let's also begin," Aqua Rose said as she smiled at the Agonizing Banshee. She then used Bluefire Summon.

Immediately, three Bluefire Crows appeared on the battlefield and assisted Turtledove against the Agonizing Banshee.

## Chapter 816 - Bullying a Great Lord

"What a powerful Summoning Skill!!"

Autumn Goose and the others were shocked when they saw Aqua Rose's three Level 39 Elite ranked Bluefire Crows.

Generally, Summoners could only summon one Elite or a few Common monsters. Aqua Rose, however, had summoned three Elite monsters at one time. This was the equivalent of adding three powerful melee fighters to their team.

Turtledove threw her shield at the Agonizing Banshee, slamming it into the Banshee's head. Not only did this attack interrupt the Great Lord's Tier 2 Spell casting, but it also achieved a critical hit, dealing nearly -5,000 damage.

The Agonizing Banshee was enraged. She pointed a finger at Turtledove.

Immediately, eight Black Fog Spears shot towards the Guardian Knight.

These Black Fog Spears had significantly damaged the Immortal Light members when they had faced her. As the spears were incredibly powerful, even when the Immortal Light's MTs blocked the attack with their shields, they had lost nearly 4,000 HP. Worse yet, the Banshee had launched eight of these spears. Even an MT would lose their life if they received four or five spears.

"That won't work against me!" Turtledove declared. Rather than retreating, she charged towards the Black Fog Spears.

Just before the spears reached her, Turtledove raised her shield and leaped forward, smashing into one of the Black Fog Spears. The remaining spears simply flew past Turtledove's body, missing her completely.

**Boom!**

Upon collision, Turtledove was forced back by two steps. She lost nearly 1,800 HP. In the next moment, however, a Healing Light touched the Guardian Knight, returning her HP to full status immediately.

"That is an MT from Zero Wing?" Sinned Heart was astonished as he watched Turtledove handle the Agonizing Banshee's attacks so gracefully.

When their strongest MT blocked one of the Black Fog Spears, he had lost over 3,400 HP instantly. In addition, due to the incredible speed of the spears, he hadn't been able to avoid the following attacks in time. Generally, he would receive roughly three spears, destroying more than half of his HP.

On the other hand, Turtledove had neutralized the Black Fog Spears with such ease.

The other Immortal Light members were similarly stupefied when they saw Turtledove tank a Great Lord by herself. None of them could believe their eyes.

Normally, they needed at least four or five MTs to rotate tanking a single Great Lord. Even so, there were times when they failed to hold the Boss. Turtledove was definitely stronger than they were.

However, the members of Immortal Light did not know that Turtledove currently wore a Tier 1 Set Equipment. Her plate armor was even Epic rank. Although equipping the Divine Frost Armor had caused Turtledove to lose the final set effect of the Yin-Yang Walker Set Equipment, the former not only reduced the damage she took, but one of its Passive Skills also reduced the Agonizing Banshee's Movement Speed and Attack Speed. Although the Black Fog Spears were quite fast, Turtledove could easily determine the best evasion route with the speed reduction effect. Moreover, Turtledove was a Guardian Knight. Her Magic Resistance was very high. With over 18,000 HP, she could even survive a direct hit from a Tier 2 Spell.

Very quickly, Cola and Turtledove had pinned down the two Great Lords. Now, everyone just needed to focus everything they had on two Bosses.

"Are those monsters really Great Lords?"

Blue Bamboo felt as if she were dreaming as she watched Turtledove tank the Agonizing Banshee without assistance. Even now, she alone had maintained Turtledove's HP at full. Normally, when she raided High Lords with Autumn Goose and the others, they needed at least three healers to focus on a single MT. Even so, their heals were not always sufficient. Yet, despite facing a Great Lord, only she was the only necessary healer to keep Turtledove alive...

Autumn Goose also wondered if the Agonizing Banshee seemed very weak. She even doubted that the MT needed her assistance as she focused solely on damage.

However, Autumn Goose was very aware...

The Agonizing Banshee was not weak at all. Rather, Zero Wing's members were just that strong, which resulted in such a misconception.

Only now did she understand why Shi Feng had been so confident, why all of these experts from Zero Wing were so confident.

Now that the MTs had solidified their hold on the Bosses, Zero Wing's members had no issue dealing sufficient damage.

The Assassin class relied on speed to deal massive amounts of damage over time. Fire Dance, however, played the class differently.

Standing behind the Skeleton General, Fire Dance launched streak after streak of silver light at the Great Lord. Despite the Skeleton General's incredible defense, the female Assassin's damage was mind-boggling.

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Shi Feng's damage was also impressive. None of his attacks dealt less than -6,000 damage. From time to time, his Chop achieved a critical hit, dealing over -20,000 damage with a single attack.

As for the other melee classes like Shadow Sword and Rampant Blade, they never dealt less than -3,000 damage.

With their powers combined, these several players devoured the Skeleton General's HP of 18,000,000 at a rate visible to the naked eye.

"Are they even human?"



The Immortal Light members were astonished.

The total damage Shi Feng, Fire Dance, Shadow Sword, Rampant Blade, Blackie, and a few other core members of Zero Wing dealt was higher than their 100-man team's total damage.

Previously, their attacks had only dealt over -1,000 damage to the Great Lord. Even Sinned Heart, the most powerful player on the team, had only dealt over -2,000 damage to the Skeleton General. Shi Feng and Fire Dance, however, easily managed tens of thousands of damage. From time to time, they even dealt over -30,000 damage.

Despite the Skeleton General and Agonizing Banshee being two daunting Great Lords, against Zero Wing, they were no different than helpless Common monsters. The two Bosses could only struggle against the small team of players. Even with its prided speed and Strength, the Skeleton General, in particular, rarely landed a hit on the Guardian Knight Cola due to Fire Dance and Shi Feng's coordinated attacks. Even when the Great Lord used a Tier 2 Skill, Cola easily took the hit with a Lifesaving Skill. As for the team's healers, aside from the slight pressure they felt when the Skeleton General used a powerful Skill, they needed to do so little to keep their companions alive that they had time to join the attack on the Great Lords...

In just five minutes, the Skeleton General's HP fell to 30%.

"Wumian, pin one of them down and leave the other to me! Everyone else, focus on the Skeleton General Cola is tanking!" Shi Feng shouted after seeing the Skeleton General begin to split itself into three clones.

Although this move was quite powerful, all three copies shared the same HP. As long as they had enough players to tank the three Skeleton Generals, they could cope.

As soon as the Skeleton General had completed its cloning, Ye Wumian lured one away. As for Shi Feng, he activated Heavenly Dragon's Power.

After all was said and done, a Great Lord was still a Great Lord. Unlike MTs, Shi Feng did not possess any Damage Reduction Skills or very high Defense. He didn't have a shield, either. If he wanted to withstand the Boss's attacks, he had to rely on his own Strength. Unfortunately, he could not contend with a Level 43 Great Lord with his normal Strength Attribute. Only by activating a Berserk Skill could he pin a Skeleton General down by himself.

Among the many Berserk Skills Shi Feng possessed, Heavenly Dragon's Power had the shortest Cooldown, which was three hours. The Power of Darkness had a 6-hour Cooldown, whereas Blade Liberation had a 10-hour Cooldown. The last one also had side effects he needed to worry about. Hence, Dragon's Power was Shi Feng's best option. Moreover, Heavenly Dragon's Power was his best-suited Berserk Skill for head-on confrontations. It was the best option against Bosses.

## Chapter 817 - Suffocatingly Explosive Power

"What is he trying to do?"

Sinned Heart and the others were confused as they watched Shi Feng charge towards a Skeleton General.

No Swordsman could solo a Great Lord. Even a Berserker, a class famed for its Strength, would fly through the air if they tried to block a Great Lord's attack with their weapons.

Peng!

Shi Feng used Killing Ray to block one of the Skeleton General's descending battle axes.

Sure enough, my Attributes aren't high enough to deal with this Great Lord.

The resulting impact had forced Shi Feng to retreat by three steps, his hand numbing slightly. Meanwhile, a damage of over -700 points appeared above his head.

However, to Shi Feng, who had close to 50,000 HP after activating Heavenly Dragon's Power, such a small amount of damage was nothing. His battle recovery regenerated nearly 500 HP every five seconds.

Violet Cloud waved her staff, and immediately, a faint golden film blanketed Shi Feng's body. Bluish-green Life Force flowed into the Swordsman. Suddenly, a Recovering status appeared over Shi Feng's status bar, recovering over 1,600 HP every 1.5 seconds for 15 seconds.

In the blink of an eye, Shi Feng's HP was full.

Seeing that its first attack had failed, the Skeleton General swung its other battle axe at Shi Feng violently.

Having predicted the Skeleton General's attacks, Shi Feng sidestepped abruptly, using the Abyssal Blade to receive the descending battle axe while thrusting Killing Ray towards the Skeleton General's armor.

A streak of blue light flashed.

Although Killing Ray could not compare to the Fragmented Legendary ranked Thousand Transformations, after equipping a Magic Device, its sharpness was only slightly weaker than the Thousand Transformations'. As a result, it easily pierced the Skeleton General's robust armor.

A critical damage of -15,824 points appeared above the Skeleton General's head.

The Great Lord bellowed, angry with the damage it had received. Suddenly, its battle axes released a strange, smoldering green flame as it swung the weapons at the ground.

The ground instantly shattered, flames surging into the sky and covering a radius of 15 yards.

Shi Feng had long since prepared for this moment; he jumped up and past the Skeleton General's head. He then used one of Killing Ray's Skills, Summon Lightning.

Arcs of blue lightning descended and struck the Skeleton General's battle axes.

The collision's impact was massive. Shi Feng then utilized the force of the impact to avoid the smoldering flames. He then activated Silent Steps and appeared behind the Skeleton General, the Sacred Sword in his hand releasing a dazzling, flaming glow.

Flame Burst!

Fifteen brilliant explosions discharged behind the Skeleton General, one after another.

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Fifteen damages appeared above the General's head, one after another. Killing Ray had a 50% critical rate. In the blink of an eye, the Skeleton General lost over 1,000,000 HP.

For a time, Autumn Goose, Sinned Heart, and the others were speechless.

They sucked in a breath of cold air, not believing their eyes.

Shi Feng's damage was insane.

He had dealt over 1,000,000 HP!

Even a Level 40 Chieftain only had so much HP. Shi Feng had the power to instant-kill a Level 40 Chieftain!

This power was no longer that of a player. This was the power of a humanoid Great Lord.

However, Shi Feng did not think much of his attack. After all, his Strength Attribute was almost on par with a Chieftain of the same Level. After Heavenly Dragon's Power doubled his Strength, he surpassed ordinary Lords of the same Level. He had also used his Sure-kill Skill, Flame Burst. Being capable of instant-killing a Chieftain of the same Level was expected.

Flame Burst was not called a Sure-kill Skill for no reason.

Shi Feng's Flame Burst had heavily wounded the Skeleton General. The Swordsman had destroyed nearly half of its armor. Several bones beneath the armor had even cracked.

"Focus on killing my Skeleton General!" Shi Feng shouted to his team.

Not only had the General lost some of its combat power after receiving the several injuries, but its Defense had also dropped significantly. Hence, dealing with this Skeleton General would be much easier than dealing with the other two.

Sure enough, in less than one minute, the Skeleton General's HP fell below 500,000.

Just before the General died, Shi Feng shouted once more, commanding, "Everyone, switch to the Banshee! Turtledove, tank this Skeleton General!"

"What is Big Brother Ye Feng trying to do?" Blue Bamboo asked, confused.

If they finished off the Skeleton General, it would become much easier to deal with the Agonizing Banshee, yet Shi Feng decided not to kill the Skeleton General. No matter how she looked at it, the decision was unwise.

Blue Bamboo wasn't the only one who was confused. Experts like Thoughtful Rain and Autumn Goose didn't understand, either.

However, none of Zero Wing's members doubted Shi Feng's command. Immediately, they shifted their focus towards the Agonizing Banshee. Turtledove swapped targets with Shi Feng.

However, the Agonizing Banshee couldn't care less about the sudden change as it continued to attack Turtledove with Black Fog Spears.

"I am your opponent!" Shi Feng appeared behind Turtledove, the Killing Ray transforming into numerous streaks of blue light.

Peng! Peng! Peng!

Players usually suffered heavy injuries if the Black Fog Spears struck them, yet Shi Feng easily shattered each one.

"Is this an expert of Star-Moon Kingdom's number one Guild?" Sinned Heart was astounded. He felt his chest tighten, struggling to breathe.

Zero Wing was far more frightening than the rumors make the Guild out to be.

It was no wonder why even Emperor's Light, a first-rate Guild in the Twin Towers Kingdom, feared Zero Wing, choosing to give up in Star-Moon Kingdom entirely.

After Shi Feng shattered the Black Fog Spears, he vanished, abruptly reappearing before the Agonizing Banshee. Arcs of blue electricity circled his body.

Tier 2 Taboo Skill, Instant Strike!

For three seconds, Shi Feng's Attack Speed increased by 500%, and his damage increased by 400%.

Before the Agonizing Banshee could react, over a dozen streaks of blue light wrapped around her body.

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-43,248.

-42,987.

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In the blink of an eye, the Agonizing Banshee's aggro shifted to Shi Feng.



However, even though Shi Feng now held the Great Lord's aggro, the situation had not changed. The Agonizing Banshee was a magical class monster. Even as a Great Lord, her Strength could not compare to Shi Feng's while he had a Berserk Skill active. As the Banshee began to cast another Spell, Shi Feng struck, interrupting her casting.

For three whole seconds, the Agonizing Banshee could not use a single Spell. Instead, she lost more than a million HP.

Suddenly, Fire Dance appeared behind the Agonizing Banshee, launching a Sneak Attack at the back of the Great Lord's head and forcing her into a Fainted state for two seconds. She then used the Tier 1 Skill, Five-star Burst.

-16,718.

-34,297.

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Five numbers appeared above the Agonizing Banshee's head in quick succession, only slightly lower than the damage of Shi Feng's normal attacks while in a Berserk state.

Following which, the Agonizing Banshee received a one-sided beating, her HP draining like flowing water. When her HP reached 30%, the Great Lord was thoroughly enraged. As the Agonizing Banshee released a piercing scream, a massive black magic array appeared in the sky.

Everyone immediately felt their strength leave their bodies.

"Crap! This is Spell absorbs players' Stamina!" Fire Dance immediately noticed the abnormality.

If players ran out of Stamina, even with godlike combat power, they were helpless.

At this rate, they'd run out of Stamina in 30 seconds. After that, they would be sheep for the slaughter.

"Not today!" Shi Feng, who had long since prepared for such a situation, switched to the Aura of Time and activated Absolute Time, freezing the Mana fluctuations in the surrounding area.

Although Absolute Time's duration on a Great Lord was less than ten seconds, interrupting the Agonizing Banshee's Mana channeling was enough.

After losing its supply of Mana, the gigantic magic array in the sky gradually dissipated.

Seeing this, the members of Immortal Light finally understood how presumptuous they had been, thinking that they could raid South Lake City's Great Lords.

Seconds flew by. Finally, both the Agonizing Banshee and Skeleton General's HPs were below 100,000.

Shi Feng activated Divine Providence, significantly increasing his Luck Attribute. He then used Thundering Flash to finish off the Agonizing Banshee, before following up with a Thunder Flame Explosion on the Skeleton General.

After a momentary struggle, the Agonizing Banshee and the Skeleton General fell to the ground, one after the other, dropping several items around their bodies.

Chapter 818: Abyss Set

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"It's over?" Autumn Goose wondered if she were dreaming as she stared at the two fallen Great Lords before her.

In the current God's Domain, Great Lords struck fear into every player's heart.

Even a 100-man elite team, led by an expert, would find it extremely difficult to defeat one. They might even be annihilated.

Yet, now, this team of twenty players had defeated two Great Lords simultaneously. Moreover, a few of the team members had held back. No matter how she looked at this situation, it simply could not be real.

Looking at it now, Autumn Goose found that the Wind God's Spear simply could not compare to Zero Wing in terms of strength. They lived in entirely different worlds.

If not for Thoughtful Rain, they probably would never have met Shi Feng and the other core members of Zero Wing. When she thought back to how they had tried to persuade Thoughtful Rain and Blue Bamboo to leave Zero Wing and join the Wind God's Spear, she could not help her embarrassment.

"Rain, hurry up and collect their Life Force. If you do not collect them within five minutes after the Great Lords die, you will lose your chance," Shi Feng hurriedly reminded his companion.

Thoughtful Rain finally woke from her daze as she retrieved the giant, pitch-black egg and collected the Life Force of the two Great Lords.

While Thoughtful Rain collected the dissipating Life Force...

Shi Feng gathered the loot the two Bosses had dropped. The two Great Lords had dropped a total of seven pieces of equipment. Although this did not seem much, in the Abyss Battlefield, this was a considerable harvest.

It was easier to find high-ranking monsters in the Abyss Battlefield than it was elsewhere. Hence, the drop-rate of the top-ranking monsters had been reduced. With the increase in levels, monsters' drop-rate for weapons and equipment also decreased.

The drops this time are fairly nice. Joy surfaced on Shi Feng's face after he finished appraising the items with his Omniscient Eyes.

Among the seven pieces of equipment, five were Level 40 Fine-Gold Equipment. They had even obtained a piece of Level 40 Dark-Gold Weapon.

[Ice Spirit Staff] (Staff, Dark-Gold Rank)

Level 40

Attack Power +1,045

Strength +51, Agility +47, Intelligence +92, Vitality +87, Endurance +66

Casting Speed increased by 15%.

Magic damage increased by 20%.

Casting range +5

When casting, 20% chance to obtain the Power of Frost, causing 220% frost damage and reducing target's Movement Speed by 30% for 5 seconds.

Additional Passive Skill-

Frost Blessing: Increases Ice-type Spell effects by 30%.

Additional Active Skill-

Waterfall: Causes 300% frost damage every second in a radius of 20 yards for 8 seconds, freezing everyone within range for 10 seconds. Effective radius increases by 10 yards every second.

Cooldown: 3 hours

Once Shi Feng shared the Ice Spirit Staff's information in the team chat, everyone fell speechless.

"Although the staff's Basic Attributes are average at best, it increases all of them. Moreover, its Active Skill is insane!"

"This is the first time I've seen a Skill that can cover a radius of 100 yards. Even Stars of Light can't compare to this Waterfall."

"If one uses Waterfall on a battlefield, it will devastate the enemy forces."

"It's a pity, though. It would be amazing if it were an Epic ranked staff."

Large-scale destruction Spells were priceless treasures to every Guild in God's Domain, not to mention Waterfall, a Spell with so much AOE range. On a battlefield, this Spell could easily wipe out several thousands of players.

In a battle of ten or twenty thousand players, this Spell could decide the victor on its own.

The Active Skill was worth more than an Epic item.

Shi Feng chuckled as he watched everyone admire the Ice Spirit Staff's Active Skill. Among the seven pieces of equipment and weapons, the Ice Spirit Staff's Active Skill was astonishing. However, rather than the Ice Spirit Staff, what surprised Shi Feng was the dark gray breastplate. A faint, bloody glow surrounded the armor, giving the equipment a creepy feeling.

Sure enough; Divine Providence is a godly Skill. Shi Feng could not help but sigh. He then shared the statistics of this item through the team chat.

Upon seeing the breastplate's Attributes, even the excellently-gearred core members gasped.

[Abyss Armor] (Breastplate)

Level 40 - Level 60

Equipment Requirement: Strength 700

Defense +1,240 (Level 40)

Magic Resistance +10

Strength +42, Endurance +40, Agility +35

[Abyss Set Equipment]

Level 40 - Level 60

Equipment Requirement: Berserker

Set consists of eight parts: head, shoulders, chest, hands, wrists, waist, legs, and feet.

Set effect

Two-piece effect: Increases all Attributes by 10%.

Four-piece effect: All Skill damage increased by 20%, Attack Speed increased by 20%, and Movement Speed increased by 15%.

Six-piece effect: Obtain Abyss Rampage Skill: Increases all Attributes by 100% and gain immunity to all control effects for 1 minute. Cooldown: 5 hours.

Eight-piece effect: Obtain Blade of Abyss Skill: Transforms equipped weapon into the Blade of Abyss, increasing Strength Attribute by 300%, Attack Speed by 100%, and attack range by 10 yards for 15 seconds. Cooldown: 3 hours.



"What a powerful Set!" Blackie nearly drooled when he saw read the Abyss Set Equipment's information.

The breastplate's Basic Attributes were only the equivalent of a Dark-Gold item. However, as one obtained more pieces of the set, their combat power would grow exponentially. If one gathered all eight pieces, although the set's Basic Attributes might not compare to Epic items, the boost it granted would only be slightly weaker than a set of Epic Equipment.

"Of course, it is strong. This Set Equipment is purely intended to increase violence. Even the Tier 1 Set Equipment for Berserkers cannot compare to the Abyss Set. After reaching Tier 2 at Level 50, no Tier 1 Set Equipment will be able to compete with the Abyss Set," Shi Feng explained.

The Abyss Set Equipment was the Battlefield's representative equipment. Moreover, it was not exclusively for Berserkers. All classes had their own Abyss Sets, and their Attributes were all specialized for violence. These sets were extremely well-suited for PvP.

However, the Abyss Sets drop-rates were extremely low. It was practically impossible to collect all eight set pieces for a single class. If one could collect six pieces of a set, they could increase their prowess in combat far more than with a Tier 1 Set Equipment. After all, the Tier 1 Set Equipment only consisted of five pieces. If one gathered all eight pieces of an Abyss Set, they would be practically invincible in PvP fights.

"I wonder if we'll gather a complete set." Aqua Rose was eager to find out.

If they gathered all eight pieces and let either Rampant Blade or Shadow Sword equip the set, the Berserker's abilities would soar, becoming one of the Guild's top fighters. Most likely, aside from Shi Feng and Fire Dance, nobody in the Guild would be able to match them.

"Alright, rest up. We're going to look for the next Great Lord soon," Shi Feng commanded as he stored the equipment.

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Meanwhile, Immortal Light's members, who had watched from a distance, had not recovered from their shock after watching Zero Wing easily defeat the two Great Lords.

Their team of 100 had failed to defeat even one Great Lord, yet Zero Wing had taken two down at once with a team of 20. The difference between their Guilds was like the difference between heaven and earth.

Sinned Heart suddenly said, "Follow me!"

Chapter 819: City Deed

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"Huh? Why are they heading our way?" Aqua Rose asked when she saw the members of Immortal Light approach their team. Jokingly, she said, "Are they going to try to plunder our loot?"

"If they try to rob us, I won't mind giving them a final send-off," Fire Dance laughed as she unsheathed her Thousand Transformations that hung from her waist.

Although the Immortal Light players were relatively strong, she was more than enough to annihilate their team.

Moreover, she looked forward to the day someone tried to rob them.

Previously, she had found plenty of inspiration during her time in the Dark Arena. This was the perfect opportunity to test some of her ideas.

"They shouldn't be that stupid. They should be able to tell the difference between our strength and theirs." Shi Feng laughed as he watched his teammates prepare for a fight.

Sinned Heart would be one of the Twelve Sacred Elementalists of God's Domain in the future. If he lacked the necessary insight to tell the difference in strength between their teams, he would never have been able to make Immortal Light a famous, first-rate Guild in the Twin Towers Kingdom.

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"Thank you for your help. If not for you guys holding off those two Great Lords, none of us would be alive right now," Sinned Heart immediately expressed his gratitude upon arriving before Zero Wing's team, his tone containing a hint of respect.

Sinned Heart's expert companions also stared at Zero Wing's members with reverence.

The heavy pressure Fire Dance emitted, in particular, made them breathless.

If these teams fought each other, they would most likely die in an instant.

"It's nothing." Shi Feng shrugged.

"If you guys are looking for Great Lords, we can help," Sinned Heart offered. "On our way here, we encountered quite a number of Great Lords. Only, these Great Lords resided in concentrated areas. It's highly likely that you'll attract a second Great Lord while dealing with the first."

Saying so, Sinned Heart sent Shi Feng the coordinates of those several Great Lords.

"Thanks." Shi Feng rejoiced when he received the coordinates.

Sinned Heart had given him the coordinates for seven Great Lords. This would save them a lot of time searching for these Bosses.

"Glad to be of help." Sinned Heart smiled.

"I don't believe that you came over here just to give me these Great Lord's locations., What's on your mind?" Shi Feng asked. He could not help but laugh when he saw Sinned Heart's hesitation.

In the past, even he had looked up to Sinned Heart. Countless small Guilds had tried to gain Immortal Light's favor, yet now, watching this man struggle with his desire to ask for help...

Shi Feng could not help but sigh.

Hearing Shi Feng saying so, Sinned Heart released his tension with a sigh of his own and said, "In truth, aside from thanking you for the help, I wanted to ask something of Zero Wing. Although this may be sudden, I don't have any better options right now."

"Guild Leader, are you really going to ask?" one of the Guild's upper echelons asked with surprise. "If they refuse and news of this leaks, we'll be in big trouble."

"Do you think we have any other choice?" Sinned Heart grumbled, a deep sense of powerlessness touching his expression.

He did not want to do this, either.

However, he could not think of a better plan. Only after encountering Zero Wing and seeing how powerful the Guild was did he find hope. This might very well be their last opportunity to escape their dire situation.

The other upper echelons fell silent. Although they wanted to argue their Guild Leader's decision, they could not bring themselves to do so.

However, this had certainly captured Shi Feng's interest.

He could understand if Sinned Heart simply wanted to form a connection with Zero Wing. However, for a prideful person like Sinned Heart to place all his hopes in a stranger, the situation must be severe.

Moreover, Shi Feng was familiar with Sinned Heart's personality. He was not someone who would simply bow out of a challenge. Even when Immortal Light had fought a first-rate Guild, Sinned Heart had refused to lower his head. He prioritized bonds and friendship over personal benefits. Otherwise, he would not have risked Immortal Light's extinction just to help an allied Guild resist a first-rate Guild.

God's Domain was only a game. Shi Feng could not imagine what could cause someone like Sinned Heart to despair.

"I wish to sell several plots of Land in the Twin Towers Kingdom. I will sell these Lands at 90% market price. I'd like to offer them to Zero Wing in exchange for Coins or top-tier equipment of the same value," Sinned Heart finally said after a long moment of silence.

"Sell Land?" Shi Feng was curious. Since when had Sinned Heart become a Land broker? "If they're rubbish Lands, Zero Wing is not interested."

"Please rest assured; the Lands are in Snow Field City and have a lot of potential," Sinned Heart said as he took out several Snow Field City Deeds.

"These are close to the Underground Arena, the Adventurer's Association, the Auction House, and the War God's Temple! Have you lost your minds?! You're actually selling these?!" Blackie could not help his shock after seeing the Deeds.

Currently, most of the Lands in major NPC cities with potential had been purchased already. It was extremely difficult to buy these Lands even if one could afford them. With God's Domain's blazing popularity, more people would join the game in the future. The value of these Lands would soar.

In less than half a year, these Lands would be worth several times their current value. It was especially true for the Lands in Twin Towers Kingdom's third-ranking city, Snow Field City.

Yet, Immortal Light wanted to sell away these Lands, at 90% market price no less. This was simply inconceivable.

"They are indeed good plots of Land. However, why are you trying to sell them to Zero Wing?" Shi Feng asked.

The Twin Towers Kingdom and Star-Moon Kingdom shared many aspects. Both were medium-sized kingdoms. Although Snow Field City was no match for White River City in terms of status, it was its Kingdom's third-ranking city. Many organizations would offer a high price for these Lands.

"This..." Sinned Heart fell silent for a moment. Shortly after, he sighed and said, "It's not that I don't want to sell them, but nobody is willing to buy them."

"Why? The value of these Lands will only increase in the future. Why doesn't anyone want to purchase them?" Aqua Rose asked, slightly surprised.

Even the Lands in the twentieth-ranking city in the Twin Towers Kingdom would be highly sought after, much less the valuable Lands in the third-ranking city. Aqua Rose had personally ventured to other Kingdoms to purchase several plots of Land for the Candlelight Trading Firm, so she understood how popular these Lands were.

"Because none of them wish to earn the ire of the Super Guild King's Return," Sinned Heart said helplessly.

When Zero Wing's members heard Sinned Heart's words, they were dumbfounded.

King's Return was a veteran Super Guild. Even a super-first-rate Guild like the Dragon-Phoenix Pavilion was nothing in comparison. Moreover, the King's Return's headquarters was in the Glory Empire, an empire located only a short distance away from Star-Moon Kingdom and the Twin Towers Kingdom.

Shi Feng was similarly shocked by this revelation.

A small Guild like Immortal Light had actually provoked a Super Guild like King's Return. No matter how he thought about it, this shouldn't be possible. Moreover, it would be child's play for King's Return to wipe Immortal Light out of existence. Immortal Light was no threat to the Super Guild at all.

Gnashing his teeth, Sinned Heart stated, "I don't want much for these five plots of Lands. I only ask for 13,000 Gold."

## Chapter 820 - A Group of Lunatics

"Guild Leader!"

Sinned Heart's asking price shocked the several upper echelons he had with him.

These were five high-potential, golden Lands!



"I know what I'm doing!" Sinned Heart barked, having made up his mind.

Originally, he had intended to raid Great Lords for some Level 40 top-tier equipment and sell the items. However, they were not strong enough to take down Level 40-plus Great Lords.

The only option they had left to earn a large sum of Coins quickly was to sell these five plots of Land.

However, they could not sell the Land to anyone in the Twin Towers Kingdom.

King's Return had already declared their stance in the Twin Towers Kingdom, and nobody was willing to provoke the Super Guild.

However, with Zero Wing's strength, even a super-first-rate Guild like the Dragon-Phoenix Pavilion had been forced to back down. Hence, Zero Wing should not fear King's Return at all.

Moreover, only a large Guild like Zero Wing had the financial strength to spend 13,000 Gold. Zero Wing occupied a treasured land like the Stone Forest Town. The Magic Crystals and Coins the town generated could tempt even first-rate Guilds. Although there were Guilds in their kingdom that did not fear King's Return, these Guilds would need a relatively long time to gather the required money. Unfortunately, Sinned Heart could not afford to wait.

"Thirteen thousand Gold?" Shi Feng had never expected Sinned Heart to sell these Lands for so little.

Based on the current market, these Lands were roughly worth 20,000 Gold. Even at that price, many people would fight over them. Now, however, Sinned Heart wanted to sell them for 13,000 Gold. Shi Feng could profit greatly if he bought them.

Not to mention, Star-Moon Kingdom and the Twin Towers Kingdom were neighbors. These Lands could benefit Zero Wing when it expanded towards the Twin Towers Kingdom.

It seems that Sinned Heart has been backed into a corner. Shi Feng could more or less understand Sinned Heart's current predicament after seeing the man's anxiety.

In Shi Feng's previous life, however, Immortal Light had never ceased to exist. This showed that King's Return had not wiped out Immortal Light in the past. Moreover, he had never heard of King's Return attacking Immortal Light. Immortal Light had most likely relied on itself to solve this problem.

"Alright, we'll buy these five plots of Land." Shi Feng nodded. "Only, we'll need some time to prepare such a large sum. Why don't we conduct the trade in three days?"

"Three days?" Sinned Heart pondered for a moment. Quickly, his tense expression relaxed as he responded, "Thank you. I'll visit Zero Wing personally."

Following which, Sinned Heart led his Guild members away from South Lake City.

"Guild Leader, are we really going to oppose King's Return?" Aqua Rose asked Shi Feng through a private message.

The Dragon-Phoenix Pavilion could not compare to King's Return. Moreover, Glory Empire was not far from Star-Moon Kingdom. Once Mounts were available in God's Domain, the Super Guild's threat to Zero Wing would not be a laughing matter.

"Don't worry. We're just conducting business. If we stop doing business just because a Super Guild demanded it, we might as well give up competing for dominance over God's Domain," Shi Feng said, shaking his head. "Moreover, this isn't a major issue. If King's Return were truly angry, it would have annihilated Immortal Light already. If the Super Guild struck, Immortal Light would have no power to resist."

Sinned Heart had helped him in the past. Now, he was only returning the favor. Moreover, he could make a huge profit with this trade and secure Sinned Heart's gratitude.

If Sinned Heart owed him a debt, he might be able to poach Sinned Heart into Zero Wing in the future.

Why wouldn't he accept such an offer?

"Indeed. If we can obtain those five plots of Land, the Candlelight Trading Firm can start its development in the Twin Towers Kingdom." Aqua Rose agreed with Shi Feng's reason.

Zero Wing was no longer the weak, little Guild it had been. If they covered from a such a small issue, developing the Guild in the future would be a problem.

If King's Return truly wanted to deal with Zero Wing, it would have to consider its options carefully. The Super Guild was not powerful enough to annihilate Zero Wing in Star-Moon Kingdom.

Zero Wing really is amazing. They're not even afraid of King's Return? Death Wind had never imagined that Shi Feng would agree to Sinned Heart's offer so decisively. For a moment, he was at a loss for words.

The Wind God's Spear was already impressive for standing up against the first-rate Guilds in the Dark Night Empire.

However, Zero Wing was far more amazing.

The Guild was not even afraid of the titans of the virtual gaming world.

I wonder when the Wind God's Spear will conduct itself like Zero Wing? Death Wind's mind wandered.

Maybe joining a Guild like Zero Wing isn't a bad idea. At this moment, Autumn Goose envied Thoughtful Rain and Blue Bamboo.

After Immortal Light departed, Shi Feng led the team on a hunt for more Great Lords.

With the coordinates Sinned Heart had provided, the team quickly cleared a path towards these Great Lords.

The Great Lords behind city walls were no challenge for Zero Wing's core members. The only issue they encountered was their Berserk Skills' Cooldowns. Fortunately, however, not every Great Lord required their Berserk Skills.

For two days, Shi Feng and the others spent their time either killing Great Lords or clearing a path through random monsters towards Great Lords. Time passed leisurely as they learned more about each other.

Over these two days, their experience bars had risen rapidly due to the large mobs of monsters they killed. Not only had Shi Feng reached Level 40, but Aqua Rose and the others had also hit Level 40.

"This is the last one."

Thoughtful Rain looked at the fallen Great Lord as she collected her twentieth Great Lord's Life Force.

"Oh? Not bad. We actually got another Abyss Set piece," Shi Feng said after appraising the three pieces of equipment he had picked up. Smiling, he said, "Now, we only need two more to complete the Abyss Set for Berserkers."

Although he had used Divine Providence for every Great Lord they had killed during the past two days, the Abyss Set Equipment's drop-rate was simply too low. Even with his boosted Luck Attribute, a limited number of pieces had dropped.

Fortunately, the Great Lords in South Lake City only seemed to drop the Abyss Set for Berserkers. Otherwise, they would not have gathered six pieces.

"Our job is finally done here." Autumn Goose released a sigh of relief after watching Thoughtful Rain collect the final Life Force.

If not for Zero Wing's help, they would never have killed twenty Level 40 Great Lords in three days. In the end, the Level 100, Tier 3 NPC would have hunted them down until they quit God's Domain.

However, after realizing that they had completed their quest, Autumn Goose was slightly disappointed.

While grinding monsters and raiding Bosses with Shi Feng and his team, not only had they enjoyed chatting with each other, but she had also learned several techniques from Zero Wing's core members. Now that their quest was complete, they would have to go their separate ways, and she could not help her slight reluctance.

"Leader, since we have completed the quest, it's time to deal with the other issue, right?" Fire Dance asked as she turned to the gigantic Bone Dragon in the sky, a glint of excitement flashing in her eyes.

The rest of the team laughed at Fire Dance's jubilation.

It was definitely not their style to leave a Grand Lord alone. To avoid any unnecessary risks, they had avoided challenging the Frost Bone Dragon. Now that they had finished their main objective, however, they had to kill the Grand Lord.

"That's a Level 45 Grand Lord you're talking about!" Autumn Goose could not believe that these members from Zero Wing actually considered raiding the Dragon. They were insane. "How can we possibly win against that with so few people?!"

"It might have been impossible before, but it is definitely possible now," Shi Feng said, laughing. He then retrieved a dark-gold flute from his bag. Complex runes decorated the flute, and it emitted a faint pressure.