

Towers 401

Chapter 401: Trust

In the fire attribute territory.

After hearing Liu Yan's plan, Xu Han and the others felt it was bold and risky. However, they were extremely confident in their strength. They thought that they could give it a try.

Following that, they came to a consensus and boldly tried this risky plan!

After that, Xu Han and the others made simple preparations and prepared to head out of the fire attribute territory to fight the elite monsters.

Meanwhile, Liu Yan first came to the sky above the ordinary members of the Land of Origin team.

Before leaving the fire attribute territory to fight the fourth wave of elite monsters outside, Liu Yan had to order the team members to defend their territory. The territory was vital to them. He must ensure nothing would happen to it.

At this moment, the ordinary members were still fighting fiercely against the third wave of monsters.

Although the strength of the third wave of monsters was much stronger, the ordinary members were eager to fight. They were fighting fiercely.

Even though there were many monsters in the third wave, the ordinary members could still suppress the monsters. Their combat strength was shockingly strong.

When the ordinary members saw Liu Yan appear, they started to fight even harder. It was as if they were motivated by Liu Yan and wanted to become stronger. At the same time, they also wanted to perform even better in front of Liu Yan.

When Liu Yan saw this scene, he nodded.

The team spirit of the Land of Origin team had been established. Cohesion between the team member had been formed. They had also stabilized their morale.

These team members were the cream of the crop among the current batch of students. They had passed through layers of tests before being able to come here. None of them were weak.

However, they did not know each other. They were elite students from the two different academies. Previously, they were not familiar with each other and even had some conflicts.

But things were different now. They had been through the trial on the fifth level of the Tower. They experienced all kinds of dangers, gains, nervousness, and joy together. After all the battles, their relationship became more harmonious. They had become even more united.

Liu Yan could rely on his powerful ability to help the Land of Origin team break out of their predicament and avoid the risk of being eliminated. He could become one of the three forces in one fell swoop and lead them to the sixth level of the Tower.

Liu Yan used his powerful decision-making ability to lead the members to reap huge rewards. They also obtained a large number of high-grade cultivation resources. All the members could quickly raise their level and strength. They now possessed extraordinary combat strength.

However, Liu Yan could only lead the team members for a short period. He could not lead them for a lifetime. He was even unable to help them to become stronger all the time.

After all, the higher levels of the Tower would become more difficult. The competition would also be greater. At that time, Liu Yan could only take care of himself. He had no time to help the others.

The one who could make these ordinary members grow stronger was themselves.

Only when they had the motivation to grow stronger, had strong team cohesion, and used the advantages of the team, could they grow stronger together and go further.

And now, Liu Yan could see the growth in the ordinary members.

Their transformation was their best reward on the fifth level of the Tower.

Initially, these members had only come together because of the rules.

In the future, they would be a team that relied on each other.

Liu Yan was satisfied. It was one of the results of his hard work during this period. As a team captain, he was happy to see his team have such a cohesive force.

At this moment, Liu Yan looked at the ordinary members. He said, "Next, I will lead the guardian beast and a few top-tier members to leave our territory. We battle the fourth wave of elite monsters. We will kill those elite monsters. You guys must quickly and smoothly finish the third wave of monsters and rest well. After that, we will regroup to deal with the fifth wave's boss. How about it?"

When the team members heard Liu Yan's words, they were stunned. They did not expect Liu Yan and his team members to be so bold. They wanted to deal with all the elite monsters in the fourth wave.

The team members felt that it was too ridiculous.

However, Liu Yan had always been a brave and bold captain.

Previously, they had also felt that Liu Yan's decision was absurd.

But in the end?

Without exception, Liu Yan succeeded. He had also achieved great success. It was the reason they had become stronger and had a good result.

Immediately, many team members chose to believe in Liu Yan.

Even though they felt that it was impossible, they still chose to believe it. It was because this man was their team captain. It was that man, Liu Yan!

"Don't worry, Captain. We will quickly and smoothly finish off the third wave of monsters and regroup with you."

“We believe in you, Captain.”

“Yeah, we will regroup with you guys.”

“Don’t worry, Captain. Leave the third wave of monsters to us.”

“That’s right. We are here. Please rest assured!”

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Members of the Land of Origin team took advantage of the gap in the battle to respond to Liu Yan. They all chose to believe in Liu Yan. At the same time, they expressed their determination to Liu Yan. They would defeat the third wave of monsters quickly. Then, they would reunite with Liu Yan and the others.

Liu Yan was instantly satisfied when he saw this scene.

The confident team members were what he wanted.

Then, Liu Yan glanced at Luo Qingcheng, who was in charge of commanding the ordinary members. The two of them looked at each other and nodded slightly, trusting each other very much.

Liu Yan then left to look for Xu Han and the others, preparing to set off.

The battle in the fire attribute territory would be left to Luo Qingcheng and the other team members.

Liu Yan trusted Luo Qingcheng and his team members very much.

Moreover, if there were troubles in the territory, Liu Yan could detect them and rush over to support his team. Liu Yan had exceptional strength. Therefore, there was nothing to worry about.

Luo Qingcheng was commanding the battle on the ground. She then looked at Liu Yan with a smile. She also trusted Liu Yan very much.

Liu Yan didn’t tell Luo Qingcheng his specific plan. He only informed her at the last minute.

However, Luo Qingcheng had absolute trust in Liu Yan’s strength and decision-making ability.

Even if she didn’t know Liu Yan’s specific plan and how risky it was, Luo Qingcheng still trusted Liu Yan unconditionally.

It was because this person was Liu Yan.

Chapter 402: Use Their Advantages

After giving orders to the ordinary members of the Land of Origin team, Liu Yan returned to find Xu Han and the others.

Xu Han and the others were prepared, ready to set out for battle at any time.

Seeing that the few of them were ready, Liu Yan called for the soaring Undying Fire Phoenix to land. He had them board the Undying Fire Phoenix and go out to battle together.

Liu Yan had the SS grade equipment, Gale Boots. Hence, he could fly.

However, his flying speed was still relatively slow without God's Effect. Naturally, it could not compare to the flying speed of the Phoenix.

Therefore, Liu Yan climbed onto Undying Fire Phoenix.

In any case, the giant Undying Fire Phoenix was enough to carry Liu Yan and the others.

After Liu Yan and the others climbed on Undying Phoenix, Liu Yan had Undying Phoenix take off and fly out of the fire attribute territory.

The monsters on the ground were not attracted by the Undying Fire Phoenix. They were still charging at the Land of Origin team. They were attracted by the substitute puppet in the middle of the team.

In the eyes of these monsters, the substitute puppet in the middle was the Undying Fire Phoenix.

They ignored the real Undying Fire Phoenix in the sky.

Xu Han observed the situation on the ground on the Undying Fire Phoenix. He confirmed that the aggro of the monsters did not change with the departure of the Undying Fire Phoenix. The monsters were still heading toward the substitute puppet. He immediately felt relieved.

Xu Han turned his head. He smiled with relief and said, "This substitute puppet is useful. It freed Undying Fire Phoenix. Otherwise, Undying Fire Phoenix would not be able to come out to fight. We would not be able to leave with Undying Fire Phoenix either."

Liu Yan nodded when he heard this. He felt the same way.

If it weren't for the substitute puppet, Undying Fire Phoenix and the others needed to kill the ordinary monsters before they could fight the elite monsters.

Although these ordinary monsters were not strong, they had many of them. Liu Yan and the others needed to spend a long time wiping them out.

Liu Yan could use his SS-grade equipment, Gale Boots, to come out. Xu Han and the others could only fly for a short period. They would not be able to fly at all. They could not leave their territory without dealing with ordinary monsters.

"It's indeed very convenient. We can finally fight." Murong Xue said happily.

Allen Smith, who had not spoken much all this while, suddenly reminded her, "As far as I know, those elite monsters are not weak, right?"

Hearing this, they also came back to their senses.

According to Liu Yan's plan, these few top members had to successfully take care of the fourth wave of elite monsters before they could carry on with the plans.

This step was the most basic and crucial. Their plan would be ruined if Liu Yan and the others could not defeat all the elite monsters.

This first step was challenging.

Liu Yan and the others were powerful, but so did the elite monsters. They were far from being comparable to the ordinary monsters from before.

The most crucial point was that the number of these elite monsters was large. If they wanted to defeat all the elite monsters, it would not be so easy.

Murong Xue said indifferently, "What's there to be afraid of? We only have to fight them. They're elite monsters, not bosses. There's no need to be so afraid, right?"

"It's different." Xu Han shook his head and said, "This is a wave of elite monsters. Originally, it would be difficult for the team to face a wave of elite monsters. Now, we have to fight them. It means our burden was equivalent to the task of a team. It won't be so easy."

Hearing this, Murong Xue finally understood the difficulty. She could not help but say helplessly, "Then what should we do? We can't just go back, right? That would be too frustrating."

At this moment, Liu Yan thought for a while and said, "Our advantage is our individual strength. In a one-on-one fight against those elite monsters, we will perform better. Our disadvantage is that we have fewer people. We are far inferior to that wave of elite monsters in terms of number. We will try our best to use our advantage and cover up our weakness."

When Murong Xue heard this, she could not help but be confused. She did not understand what Liu Yan meant. So, she said helplessly, "Why are your words so complicated? Just tell me what I should do!"

Xu Han and Allen Smith understood what Liu Yan meant. They thought Liu Yan was right but did not know how to implement it. They looked at Liu Yan with some doubt and anticipation.

Liu Yan slowly explained, "In general, it means we cannot attack together and deal with that wave of elite monsters together. In a team battle like this, we are at a disadvantage in numbers. We have to split up and fight freely. We have to achieve one-on-one combat and bring out the advantage of our combat strength."

Liu Yan looked at Undying Fire Phoenix beneath him. He continued, "Don't forget that we are not the only ones participating in this battle. The Undying Fire Phoenix is a powerful fire-type guardian beast that can fly in the sky. As far as I know, most elite monsters are ground monsters. There aren't many aerial monsters. We can help Undying Fire Phoenix deal with the aerial elite monsters first. After that, the rest of the monsters cannot fly. Although some might know long-range attacks, we will kill them so they will not pose a threat to Undying Fire Phoenix."

When Xu Han and the others heard this, their eyes lit up. They had forgotten about this matter just now. Undying Fire Phoenix was also a powerful combat force.

Not only was Undying Fire Phoenix powerful, but it was also a guardian beast of the flying element. It could restrain the monsters on the ground.

Previously, Undying Fire Phoenix fought Golden Tiger. No matter how strong Golden Tiger was, it was only a guardian beast on the ground. It was helpless against the Undying Fire Phoenix in the air. Golden Tiger was aggrieved for not being able to attack Undying Fire Phoenix.

It was the same for this battle.

As long as they dealt with the aerial elite monsters that could fly, Undying Fire Phoenix would crush the remaining elite monsters on the ground.

Liu Yan continued, "After we deal with the aerial elite monsters, we will split up and fight. We will use our advantages to fight one-on-one. During the process, we can harass the elite monsters. We will stop them from launching long-range attacks on Undying Fire Phoenix in the air. We can also deal with the elite monsters one-on-one. This way, we can defeat the elite monsters one by one. Our speed won't be slow!"

Murong Xue, Xu Han, and the others heard this and immediately felt it made sense.

Xu Han raised another question and said, "Then we have to fight separately. However, we cannot be surrounded by elite monsters. Otherwise, we would be in trouble?"

Hearing this, Murong Xue hurriedly followed up, "That's right. Your agility is not bad. My agility is average, and my mobility is not strong. If I were surrounded by the monsters, wouldn't that be the end for me?"

Chapter 403: Prepare for Action

When Xu Han heard Murong Xue's statement, he felt it made sense. He could not help but look at Liu Yan with some doubt.

There were conditions for them to fight the elite monsters separately. Their individual strength must be strong enough to fight the monsters one-on-one.

Other than that, they must also have high agility and speed. Otherwise, if they were surrounded by many elite monsters and could not escape, it would be troublesome.

Among the four people, there was no doubt that Liu Yan and Allen Smith's agility was agile. They should be fine when facing the elite monsters.

Xu Han had a certain level of confidence in himself. Although his agility was not as good as Liu Yan's and Allen Smith's, it was still not bad.

In addition, Xu Han mainly used long-range attacks. He did not need to engage in close combat at all.

With Liu Yan and a few other close-combat members fighting at the front, Xu Han would not be in too much danger, so he did not have to worry.

As for the last person left, Murong Xue was undoubtedly in a more awkward position.

Murong Xue was a rock pugilist, so she was a close-combat expert. She had to engage in close combat.

Unfortunately, Murong Xue's agility was not very high. She was relatively average, so she could be surrounded by elite monsters.

At this moment, Liu Yan said calmly, "Murong Xue's agility is rather average, but her defense is better. Even if she is surrounded by elite monsters and attacked by them, she will not be seriously injured. She

can hold on for some time. After that, Undying Fire Phoenix could carry her away. Then, she could continue to land on the ground to resume the battle.”

When Murong Xue heard Liu Yan’s words, her eyes immediately lit up.

Murong Xue could not leave Undying Fire Phoenix and went to fight on the ground. She could still rely on Undying Fire Phoenix to escape if she was in danger. She would be fine as long as Undying Fire Phoenix came to pick her up in time.

As for being surrounded and attacked by those elite monsters on the ground, Murong Xue was not very afraid. She still had a lot of confidence in her defense.

Xu Han also nodded and said, “This is good. As long as we can ensure that Undying Fire Phoenix can come to pick up Murong Xue in time, it will be fine.”

“That’s right.” Liu Yan continued, “But that’s up to you. Xu Han, you’re a long-range attacker anyway. When the time comes, you can attack from above Undying Fire Phoenix. When you see Murong Xue or the rest of us are in danger, you can send Undying Fire Phoenix to pick us up. Murong Xue, Allen Smith, and I will fight on the ground. I will send out some enchanted puppets to pin down those elite monsters. I believe that you and Undying Fire Phoenix in the air will not be in any danger.”

When Xu Han heard this, she immediately felt that it made sense.

In any case, he was a long-range attacker. Rather than being afraid on the ground, he might as well stay on Undying Fire Phoenix and launch long-range attacks.

Staying on Undying Fire Phoenix and staying high up in the sky would make it more convenient for Xu Han to launch long-range attacks and spells.

In addition, with Xu Han on Undying Fire Phoenix’s back, he could also pay more attention to Murong Xue and the others below. If anyone was in danger, he could ask Undying Fire Phoenix to go down and help them out.

Xu Han and Undying Fire Phoenix would launch long-range attacks in the air. Although the elite monsters on the ground could not fly, it did not mean they did not have long-range attack skills. They could also attack Xu Han and Undying Fire Phoenix.

However, because of Liu Yan, Allen Smith, Murong Xue, and some enchanted puppets, the elite monsters on the ground could not spend too much energy attacking Undying Fire Phoenix and Xu Han in the air with long-range attacks.

Even if there were occasional sporadic long-range attacks on Xu Han and Undying Fire Phoenix, they would not threaten Undying Fire Phoenix and Xu Han.

As a result, they decided to follow Liu Yan’s plan.

Soon, Liu Yan and the others arrived at the high altitude, not far away from the fourth wave of elite monsters.

These elite monsters had already spawned and were all gathered here. They had not started to attack the fire attribute territory yet.

Meanwhile, the elite monsters were still spawning. Once they were all spawned, they would begin to attack Undying Fire Phoenix in the fire attribute territory. It did not matter if the third wave of ordinary monsters had not finished their attack.

For the other territories, they finished the previous wave slower. They only started to battle the third wave of monsters. However, the fourth wave of elite monsters had already spawned and started to attack.

The third wave of ordinary monsters and the fourth wave of elite monsters would attack together. It put tons of pressure on the representative team and the guardian monsters.

It once again proved the correctness of Liu Yan's plan for the Land of Origin team to take the initiative to attack when they had sufficient strength.

This way, they were able to deal with a large number of ordinary monsters in front of them faster. Not only could they gain some breathing and rest time to adjust their condition, but they could also reduce the pressure later on. They would not face two waves of monsters at the same time.

Liu Yan had Undying Fire Phoenix stop not far away from the fourth wave of elite monsters. He first checked the strength of these elite monsters through the smart wristband.

At this time, these elite monsters had no aggro, so they were all waiting on the spot.

If Liu Yan and the others attacked them, they would attract aggro and immediately attack Liu Yan and the others.

Once they attacked, they could not stop. Therefore, they had to be prepared before starting.

After checking, Liu Yan found that the potential of this fourth wave of elite monsters was generally A-grade. Some of them might reach S-grade. Their level was not low either. They were generally over level 40.

The combat strength of the fourth wave of elite monsters was at least five levels higher than the ordinary monsters. Their combat strength was pretty good.

In terms of species, most of them were ground-type monsters. A small number of them were monsters that could fly.

The total number of the fourth wave of elite monsters was around 50, which was already a lot.

Fifty level 50 and above elite monsters were strong. Moreover, they were constantly spawning, and their numbers were constantly increasing.

Liu Yan could not find out how strong these elite monsters were. He immediately said, "We'll start moving once we are ready. Once we start, we won't be able to stop. Even if we can't defeat them and escape, these elite monsters will still chase us into the territory. In addition, these elite monsters are still spawning continuously, and their numbers are constantly increasing. We need to act early, or the pressure will be even greater."

Now that Liu Yan and the others were acting, it was still the four of them and a guardian beast, Undying Fire Phoenix, against about 50 elite monsters.

If they continued to wait, the number of elite monsters would only continue to increase, and no one knew how many they would reach.

If there were more than a hundred powerful elite monsters, it would bring tremendous pressure on Liu Yan and the others. At that time, they might not be able to act.

Chapter 404: Terrifying Crowd Control Ability

Outside of the fire attribute territory.

Undying Fire Phoenix soared high into the sky, and Liu Yan was on its back. He had already finished his preparations.

The first step of the battle was naturally to attract the aggro of monsters first and then deal with the flying-type elite monsters of the fourth wave.

Liu Yan had Undying Fire Phoenix fly above the fourth wave of elite monsters, preparing to begin this battle.

Undying Fire Phoenix let out a long cry. It seemed to be very eager to fight. It flew above the fourth wave of elite monsters.

At this time, Xu Han also took out the S-grade weapon, the Phantom Blue Staff. He said confidently, "This is a good opportunity to test the power of Phantom Blue Staff. Later, leave the task of suppressing the other elite monsters on the ground to me. You and Undying Fire Phoenix will deal with the flying-type elite monsters."

"Okay." Liu Yan nodded and replied.

Although the lethality of frost attribute spells was not particularly outstanding, they were best at suppressing and restraining.

Liu Yan also knew frost skills. With the A-grade skill, Frost Control, Liu Yan's control of the frost element was good.

However, compared to an awakened one who specialized in the frost attribute like Xu Han, Liu Yan was definitely weaker. Liu Yan would leave the job to Xu Han. Then, he and Undying Fire Phoenix would be responsible for dealing with the elite monsters that could fly.

As for Allen Smith and Murong Xue, they were not good at long-range attacks. They would stay on the Undying Fire Phoenix and wait. After Liu Yan, Xu Han, and Undying Fire Phoenix finished killing the flying-type elite monsters, they would go to the ground to fight separately.

After Undying Fire Phoenix arrived above the fourth wave of elite monsters, Xu Han looked at everyone and asked again, "Are you ready? I'm going to start attracting the monsters' aggro."

Liu Yan and the others nodded slightly.

Seeing this, Xu Han also attacked directly. With a wave of his Phantom Blue Staff, a blizzard suddenly appeared, landing accurately and densely on the elite monsters on the ground.

The damage from the blizzard was not high, but it had a nice deceleration effect. It could achieve a good crowd-control effect.

Xu Han used this skill as an opening to ask for stability. From the beginning, he wanted to use crowd control skills to prevent the elite monsters from suddenly counterattacking. Liu Yan and the others would not be able to withstand it.

At the same time, the elite monsters on the ground were attracted by the aggro immediately. They let out all sorts of strange cries.

Immediately after, the elite monsters began their attacks.

Some elite monsters that could fly directly soared into the air and attacked Undying Fire Phoenix, Liu Yan, Xu Han, and the others on Undying Fire Phoenix's back.

Meanwhile, the other elite monsters on the ground had long-range attack skills. They began to use long-range attack skills and attacked Undying Fire Phoenix.

Xu Han ignored the group of elite monsters that were flying over. Those were the missions of Liu Yan and Undying Fire Phoenix. They had nothing to do with him.

Xu Han also trusted Liu Yan and Undying Phoenix very much. He ignored the elite monsters that were flying over. Instead, he focused her gaze on the group of elite monsters on the ground.

Seeing that they had launched long-range attacks, Xu Han had long been prepared. He once again waved his Phantom Blue Staff. Instantly, a huge semi-circular ice barrier appeared. It surrounded all the elite monsters on the ground.

It was a defensive skill but could also be used as a crowd control skill.

It could cover up one's units and defend against the opponent's attacks.

It could also cover up the enemy, preventing the opponent's attacks from breaking through, achieving the effect of crowd control.

In the current situation, what Xu Han needed to do the most was to control the crowd. This way, the elite monsters on the ground could not use long-range attacks to disrupt the battle between Liu Yan, Undying Phoenix, and the flying-type elite monsters.

Naturally, Xu Han could not withstand the long-range attacks of many elite monsters on the ground alone. Hence, he could only delay the attacks of these elite monsters. He needed to stall for time so that Liu Yan and Undying Fire Phoenix could successfully deal with the elite monsters in the air. Then, the battle would become less stressful for Xu Han.

The ice barrier blocked all the long-range attacks of the elite monsters on the ground. At the same time, some cracks appeared on the ice barrier. It could not withstand the second round of long-range attacks from elite monsters.

When Xu Han saw this scene, he was a little surprised.

Initially, Xu Han expected that the ice barrier could barely block the first round of long-range attacks. The ice barrier would immediately shatter after that.

However, he did not expect the ice barrier to have only some cracks and not shatter.

With that, the ice barrier could continue to block the second round of attacks from the elite monsters. Although it could not block all attacks, it could still block half of them.

The power of the ice barrier had increased by almost half. Xu Han knew that all of this was due to the increase in his strength during this period. However, the more important reason was his S-grade weapon, the Phantom Blue Staff.

The Phantom Blue Staff was not only powerful, but it also had buffs on frost attribute skills and AOE skills.

With the double buffs, the power of Xu Han's AOE frost skill had been greatly enhanced.

Xu Han looked at Phantom Blue Staff. He thought that it was even handier. This S-grade weapon was not only powerful but also compatible with him, which was why it had such a good effect.

Xu Han was even more at ease.

With the double buffs of Phantom Blue Staff, he could easily delay the elite monsters for a period to complete his mission.

As for the rest, he naturally left it to Liu Yan.

At this moment, Liu Yan was also a little surprised. Xu Han's crowd-control skill blocked the long-range attacks from elite monsters on the ground. It was indeed powerful.

Xu Han's crowd-control skills exceeded Liu Yan's expectations. It was also the first time Liu Yan witnessed the powerful effects of the pinnacle of frost attribute.

Liu Yan's strength was powerful, especially his offensive ability, explosive ability, and concealment ability. But in terms of crowd control skills, he could not compare to Xu Han, who was specialized and proficient in the frost attribute.

"You're so powerful. Leave the rest to Undying Fire Phoenix and me." Liu Yan said with some praise as he took out Flying Cloud Mystic Bow from his spatial ring.

Then, Liu Yan activated his A-grade skill, Electrification, and A-grade skill, Track. Undying Fire Phoenix used the fire attribute attack, while Liu Yan used the lightning attribute to attack. When their attacks combined, the attack effect would be even better.

An attack with multiple attributes would always be better than an attack with a single attribute.

Furthermore, it was an arrow shot from the sky, so Liu Yan decided to use his A-grade skill, Track, to ensure accuracy.

If Liu Yan used his B-grade skill, Ultimate Aim, it would not be difficult for Liu Yan to hit the target with his archery skills. However, accidents were inevitable.

At this moment, time was tight. Xu Han tried his best to stall every minute and second. He could not waste the opportunity and make a mistake.

When Liu Yan activated his two skills, he had already drawn his bow and nocked his arrows. Then, several arrows condensed from lightning elements.

Chapter 405: The First Step of the Battle Plan was Completed

The few lightning element arrows in Liu Yan's hands had just formed when they suddenly flew out.

Under the terrifying power, the speed of the arrows was blazing fast. In the blink of an eye, they appeared in the distance. They were heading toward the flying-type elite monsters that were charging toward them.

Liu Yan combined his terrifying strength with Flying Cloud Mystic Bow's fast arrow speed. In addition, the lightning attribute had a boost to speed. Hence, the speed of the lightning attribute arrow was terrifying.

The speed of the arrow was too fast. These flying-type elite monsters had no time to dodge.

A few agile flying-type elite monsters managed to dodge in time. However, they soon discovered in despair that the fast lightning attribute arrow had changed its direction.

Under the high speed, the slight change in direction caused the trajectory of the arrows to change quite a bit.

After adjusting their direction, the arrows accurately flew toward these flight-type elite monsters. These lightning attribute arrows that were extremely fast had a tracking effect!

Instantly, a few lightning attribute arrows suddenly hit the flight-type elite monsters.

The huge force and the terrifying lightning attribute power exploded. These flying-type elite monsters were heavily injured. One of them was even killed on the spot.

At the same time, Undying Fire Phoenix's flames came at them. It covered these flying-type elite monsters.

The terrifying fire attribute power exploded.

The few flying-type elite monsters were injured by Liu Yan's lightning attribute arrows. Now, they were also attacked by the Undying Fire Phoenix's powerful flames. In the end, they were killed.

In just one exchange, Liu Yan and the Undying Fire Phoenix used their powerful explosive strength to kill half of the flying-type elite monsters.

Murong Xue, who was watching the battle, was a little surprised when she saw this scene.

She knew Liu Yan and the Undying Fire Phoenix were both extremely powerful. It shouldn't be a problem for them to deal with these seven or eight flying-type elite monsters.

However, Murong Xue didn't expect that they would be able to crush them effortlessly. They could kill half of the flying-type elite monsters in a single move.

Murong Xue immediately realized that the already powerful Liu Yan seemed to have received a significant increase in strength after entering the fifth level of the Tower.

At the same time, Murong Xue felt a lot more at ease. This battle against the fourth wave of elite monsters might be dangerous. But with Liu Yan on their side, Murong Xue believed there wouldn't be any problems.

At the same time, Xu Han was also a little surprised.

If Xu Han remembered correctly, he had seen Liu Yan use fire, frost, and wood attribute skills. Now, he saw Liu Yan had powerful lightning attribute skills too.

Xu Han also specialized in the lightning attribute, so he knew how difficult it was to learn multiple spells. It required an unimaginable amount of effort.

The awakened ones who could learn two different attributes were powerful, but Liu Yan had already mastered four attribute skills.

Xu Han found it hard to imagine. Liu Yan was ridiculously strong in every aspect.

However, Xu Han did not have time to overthink. He realized the elite monsters on the ground were about to attack again. He waved his S-grade weapon, Phantom Blue Staff, and another ice barrier appeared, superimposing the earlier ice barrier.

At this time, the second round of long-range attacks from the elite monsters on the ground had also arrived. The first layer of the ice barrier blocked some attacks.

However, the first layer of the ice barrier was shattered. Still, it blocked half of the attacks.

The remaining half of the attacks landed on the second layer of the ice barrier.

The second layer of ice barrier was slightly cracked but could still block another round of attacks.

Xu Han could not help but shout worriedly, "I can only use this ice barrier three times in a row. You guys better hurry up."

Hearing this, Liu Yan turned around to take a look. The second layer of ice barrier was still enough to block the attacks.

The third layer of ice barrier was also enough to block one round of attacks. There was still a certain amount of time.

"It's alright. We can still make it." Liu Yan once again raised his S-grade weapon, Flying Cloud Mystic Bow, and continued to attack.

The lightning attribute arrows condensed once again and shot out.

It was a battle of strength against weakness, so Liu Yan had some advantages. The arrows shot out from the Flying Cloud Mystic Bow were extremely powerful. They had a terrifying lightning attribute.

With many buffs, the arrow speed was incredibly fast. When the arrow was shot out, another few flying-type elite monsters were heavily injured.

Undying Fire Phoenix also coordinated with Liu Yan to attack.

Not long after, under the powerful attacks of Liu Yan and Undying Fire Phoenix, the seven or eight flying-type elite monsters were killed by them.

At this point, the fourth wave of elite monsters were all monsters on the ground.

Although there was a possibility that flying-type elite monsters would respawn later, the spawning speed was slow.

Two or three flying-type elite monsters were not enough to threaten Undying Fire Phoenix and Xu Han.

The first step of the battle plan was completed. Liu Yan immediately had Undying Fire Phoenix fly to the ground, preparing to let Alan Smith and Murong Xue land.

At this time, Xu Han's second layer of ice barrier was broken, leaving only the last layer of ice barrier. They had to hurry.

They had to reach the ground before the last layer of ice barrier was broken. Then, they had to split up and attack. They had to pin down these elite monsters from multiple directions. They could not let the monsters attack Undying Phoenix and Xu Han in the sky.

Otherwise, Undying Phoenix and Xu Han could not withstand all the long-range attacks from the monsters.

Liu Yan left Undying Fire Phoenix in the sky. He used his SS-grade equipment, Gale Boots, to quickly rushed toward the ground. He had to hurry to attack those elite monsters.

Soon, Murong Xue and Alan Smith also arrived on the ground.

At this time, the third layer of the ice barrier had just suffered another round of attacks. Cracks appeared, but it was not broken.

Liu Yan and the others finally rushed to the ground.

Liu Yan and the other two split up and attacked the elite monsters on the ground from three different directions.

These elite monsters were about to attack Undying Fire Phoenix and Xu Han in the sky. One more round of attacks could completely break the ice barrier. Then, they could successfully attack the Undying Phoenix and Xu Han.

However, Liu Yan and the others had already reached the ground. They engaged in close combat immediately, posing a sufficient threat.

These elite monsters had no choice but to stop their attacks in the air. They turned to attack Liu Yan and the others on the ground.

However, how could Liu Yan and the others face the numerous elite monsters head-on?

Liu Yan immediately used Sonic Speed and dodged a few attacks. At the same time, he appeared beside an elite monster.

At the same time, Liu Yan had already taken out his S-grade weapon, Blade of the Night.

Chapter 406: Joint Attack

Outside the fire attribute territory.

In the fourth wave of elite monsters, Liu Yan and the others had already started their attacks.

On the ground, Liu Yan, Murong Xue, and Allen Smith were attacking separately. Relying on their powerful individual abilities, they could break through the monster horde.

In the air, the Undying Fire Phoenix and Xu Han were attacking from the air and controlling the battlefield.

At this moment, Liu Yan's figure appeared beside an elite monster.

Liu Yan did not dare to lower his guard when facing the elite monsters. Hence, he immediately used his S-grade skill, Sonic Speed.

While dodging the attack, Liu Yan was already holding his S-grade weapon, Blade of the Night. He came to an elite monster and started to attack.

After all, it was an elite monster. Its reaction was fast. The moment Liu Yan appeared, it attacked Liu Yan.

Facing the attack of this elite monster, Liu Yan was naturally not afraid. He would be fine even if the elite monster hit him.

However, there were many elite monsters around him. Liu Yan knew if he was hit, the attacks of the surrounding elite monsters would follow.

Naturally, Liu Yan would not take it head-on. He immediately used the B-grade skill, Backstab. With a flash, Liu Yan dodged the attack of this elite monster. At the same time, he had already arrived behind it and stabbed it.

With the buffs from the dark ranger class, the S-grade weapon, Blade of the Night, and A-grade equipment, Turin's Assassination Set, Liu Yan's critical hit rate had already reached 50%.

This time, he triggered a critical hit, causing triple damage to the elite monster.

Liu Yan's attack was already powerful. With the critical hit triggered, he instantly killed the elite monster with triple damage.

At the same time, a notification appeared in front of Liu Yan.

[You have killed an A-grade monster, Demon Man (potential A-grade, level 50). Obtained 3,000 EXP!]

Seeing the notification, Liu Yan was not surprised.

These elite monsters were not weak at all. On the contrary, they were strong. Only Liu Yan and a few other top-tier experts could defeat them.

They had gained so much EXP just by killing one elite monster.

If Liu Yan used Divine Extraction, it would bring him many benefits.

Unfortunately, the situation was urgent. There was no time to use Divine Extraction. Liu Yan could only use it after the battle ended.

This elite monster should only be heavily injured by Liu Yan's terrifying attack. However, it ran out of luck. Liu Yan had just triggered a critical hit. With triple damage, the elite monster was instantly killed.

At this time, the other elite monsters also rushed toward Liu Yan.

Liu Yan relied on the terrifying speed of his S-grade skill, Sonic Speed. His body flashed, and he easily dodged.

In reality, Liu Yan used his A-grade skill, Shadow Cloak, and B-grade skill, Traceless Silence. He had turned invisible. He dodged the attacks of these elite monsters and then continued to ambush and kill them.

However, that would take too much time. In addition, Liu Yan would not achieve the goal of restraining these elite monsters.

After all, Liu Yan and the other two had come to the ground to separate their attacks. They did not just want to deal with these elite monsters alone. The main goal was to pin them down so that Undying Fire Phoenix and Xu Han in the sky could attack safely. This way, they would not face too much danger.

Liu Yan had just dodged the attack when he launched another attack.

On the other side, Allen Smith was somewhat similar to Liu Yan. His speed was also terrifying. He nimbly dodged the attacks while continuously attacking.

Allen Smith kept brandishing the S-grade Blood Flame Sword. Liu Yan's fiery red-light shadows caused wounds on the bodies of the surrounding elite monsters.

However, Allen Smith was not as terrifying as Liu Yan. With a casual attack, he could instantly kill an elite monster or heavily injure an elite monster.

Allen Smith's attack damage was not that strong, but he was fast. He wandered among the group of elite monsters, constantly dodging attacks while continuously inflicting damage.

These elite monsters could not do anything to the graceful Allen Smith.

On the other hand, Murong Xue was not as comfortable as Liu Yan and Allen Smith.

Allen Smith was too quick. Although the group of elite monsters could see Allen Smith, they could not touch him at all.

As for Liu Yan, they could not see him at all.

Other than when Liu Yan attacked, these elite monsters did not have any chance to get close to him.

Helplessly, these elite monsters all rushed toward Murong Xue, who was relatively slower in agility.

Murong Xue was also unlucky, attracting many elite monsters at once.

Murong Xue used Rock Shield to constantly defend while retreating to avoid being surrounded by these elite monsters.

Fortunately, Murong Xue's defense was powerful. Several monsters attacked Murong Xue at the same time. Murong Xue managed to block all of their attacks with her S-grade weapon, Rock Shield.

Although Murong Xue could not attack, she continued to defend and adjust her position. However, she managed to attract quite many elite monsters.

At the same time, Undying Fire Phoenix in the air continued to shoot out flames.

Each time the flames shot out, it would cause quite a bit of damage to these elite monsters. Undying Fire Phoenix killed those elite monsters that were already heavily injured by Liu Yan.

Xu Han also used his frost attribute skill.

However, Xu Han understood that his strength was limited.

Therefore, Xu Han chose to use his frost attribute control skill to help Liu Yan and the others on the ground to restrict or slow down the movements of the elite monsters. It reduced the pressure on Liu Yan and the others.

While Xu Han used AOE skills, he also observed the ground.

Murong Xue was almost surrounded by these elite monsters. Fortunately, Murong Xue retreated in time and rushed out of the encirclement.

Many elite monsters chased after Murong Xue, which made Murong Xue a little nervous. Still, she was not in any danger for the time being.

On the contrary, Murong Xue could restrain many elite monsters, which caused Liu Yan and Allen Smith to have a lot of opportunities to attack.

Liu Yan and Allen Smith seized the opportunity to attack.

Although these elite monsters were powerful and had many of them, they were helpless against Liu Yan and Allen Smith in a one-on-one fight. In addition, they were occasionally burned by the Undying Phoenix in the air. Hence, there were already many wounds on their bodies. These injured elite monsters were quickly killed by Liu Yan and Allen Smith.

Not long after, Liu Yan and the others had killed forty to fifty elite monsters.

Including the defeated flying-type elite monsters, twenty elite monsters were crushed by Liu Yan and the others.

Although new elite monsters were spawning, there were only a few of them. The spawning speed was far slower than the killing speed of Liu Yan and the others.

Chapter 407: Mastery of Multiple Offensive Methods

Xu Han kept using crowd-control skills while sitting on Undying Fire Phoenix.

Xu Han, who specialized in frost attributes, was best at frost spells.

And frost crowd-control spells were the best.

Crowd control skills were better than attacks in the current situation.

Xu Han's frost spell had slowed the movement of many elite monsters on the ground.

These elite monsters were instantly attracted to Xu Han and wanted to attack him.

However, these elite monsters were once again attracted to Liu Yan and the others on the ground.

After all, Liu Yan and the others were already attacking at close range, so they posed a greater threat to the elite monsters.

For the time being, these elite monsters could only ignore the Undying Fire Phoenix and Xu Han in the air.

While Xu Han used crowd control skills, he also used the advantage of his high-altitude vision to observe the battle situation on the ground.

The general situation was similar to what they had expected. With Liu Yan and the others holding the elite monsters back, these elite monsters had to focus their attention on the ground. They had no time to care about them in the air.

Even if two or three elite monsters occasionally ignored the situation on the ground and attacked Undying Phoenix and Xu Han in the air, it would be useless.

After all, it was only a sporadic long-range attack from the ground to the sky. It was difficult for the elite monsters to hit the fast-moving Undying Fire Phoenix. Besides, they had to face Xu Han's skills. As a result, it was impossible to strike Undying Fire Phoenix.

While Xu Han was observing, he also discovered Liu Yan was the most effective among the combat members on the ground.

Allen Smith and Murong Xue were powerful.

However, they were still lacking compared to Liu Yan.

Xu Han, who was on Undying Fire Phoenix's back in the sky, could even see the situation on the ground.

Allen Smith wielded an S-grade weapon, Blood Flame Sword, which had terrifying lethality. It could also attract a lot of attention from the elite monsters.

However, Allen Smith could only cause damage to the elite monsters with each attack. Sometimes, he could only injure an elite monster severely.

It took time for Allen Smith to kill an elite monster. Before he could finish killing, the other elite monsters surrounded him. As a result, Allen Smith could only use his agile speed to leave. At the same time, he changed his position to attack.

After Allen Smith changed his position to attack, he would not be able to attack the injured elite monsters.

Hence, Allen Smith could only cause damage to these elite monsters even though he was powerful and had terrifying lethality. At most, he would only cause severe injuries to the monsters. However, he did not manage to kill them.

On the other side, Murong Xue's situation was even worse.

Murong Xue was a rock pugilist. She was better at defense, but her offensive ability was not that outstanding, and her attack speed was even slower.

Allen Smith was still able to inflict severe injuries on the elite monsters. Murong Xue could only cause light injuries.

However, Murong Xue could deal large-scale damage. Hence, she attracted the attention of many elite monsters.

Moreover, Murong Xue's defensive ability was pretty good. Although Murong Xue was surrounded by elite monsters, she could defend herself. There was no danger at all.

Murong Xue's battle did not produce any significant results. She did not heavily injure many elite monsters, nor did she kill many.

However, Murong Xu had the largest attack range among the three of them, which attracted the attention of the elite monsters the most.

As a result, these elite monsters paid more attention to Murong Xue. On the other side, Allen Smith and Liu Yan's battle environment was less intense. Their pressure was much lesser. There was more room for them to maneuver.

Lastly, Liu Yan was undoubtedly the most efficient one among the three. Under his terrifying agility, these elite monsters could not touch him at all.

Every time, Liu Yan easily dodged the attacks of the elite monsters and then launched his attacks. The entire process was smooth and fast.

Liu Yan merged his defense and offense, not wasting any time.

What caught Xu Han's attention the most was Liu Yan's terrifying explosive attack ability.

Unlike Allen Smith and Murong Xue, Liu Yan could unleash his power in that instant. He could concentrate all of his power on one elite monster. He was able to use his strength and explosive ability to kill an elite monster instantly.

It was why many elite monsters were killed. All of them had fallen to Liu Yan's hands.

Liu Yan had killed more than ten elite monsters. The number of elite monsters became lesser. Hence, the pressure on Liu Yan and the others was reduced.

Xu Han looked at Liu Yan kept attacking the elite monsters. Even Xu Han, who was high in the sky, could not accurately capture Liu Yan's figure with his vision, let alone those elite monsters.

At this moment, Xu Han was also exclaiming in her heart. Not only was Liu Yan's combat ability powerful, but he was also superb in all aspects.

Previously, when Liu Yan was on the Undying Fire Phoenix's back, Liu Yan had used archery and attribute attacks. He had an impressive long-range attack ability. Moreover, he also had impressive close-combat strength, especially his overwhelming explosive ability.

Both of Liu Yan's attack methods were extremely powerful. It was like he had perfected them.

Most importantly, Xu Han remembered that he had seen Liu Yan fight with the guardian beast of the wood attribute territory, Sturdy Back Ape. At that time, Liu Yan seemed to have displayed his full strength, and he had used his boxing gloves to fight at close range.

Now that she thought about it carefully, Xu Han was extremely surprised.

The awakened one would be able to specialize in one type of attack. Mastering one type of attribute was already an impressive achievement.

But Liu Yan had many types of attribute attacks.

He knew three types of attacks. They were ranged attacks, melee attacks, and close combat!

In terms of attributes, up until now, Xu Han knew of four types. Liu Yan's wood attribute, fire attribute, and lightning attribute skills were powerful.

Xu Han came back to her senses and looked at Liu Yan on the ground. After thinking carefully, he felt that this man was too terrifying.

Fortunately, this man was his teammate and captain. Xu Han could not imagine how terrifying it would be if Liu Yan were his enemy.

Following that, Xu Han continued to use crowd control skills and assisted in attacks.

There were still many elite monsters. Their combined strength was slightly stronger than Liu Yan's.

However, Liu Yan and the others were holding them back. They did not give the elite monsters a chance to besiege them in a one-on-one fight.

In a one-on-one fight, these elite monsters were not a match for Liu Yan and the others.

Liu Yan's squad had disadvantageous in numbers. However, they could suppress the attacks of the elite monsters. It was because of the strength of Liu Yan and the others and their perfect tactics.

Chapter 408: Intelligence-type Monster?

Outside the fire attribute territory.

Liu Yan and the others followed the strategy that they had prepared beforehand. They suppressed the fourth wave of elite monsters on the ground and from the sky.

Under the sharp attacks of Liu Yan and the others, the elite monsters fell one after another. Their numbers were decreasing.

At this moment, a green humanoid elite monster spawned in the open space not far away.

The green humanoid elite monster did not rush to attack like the other monsters after it spawned. Instead, it observed the situation around it as if it had very high intelligence.

Then, this green humanoid elite monster raised its head and roared.

A strange and ear-piercing sound sounded. Liu Yan and the others did not know what was going on.

The surrounding elite monsters seemed to have received orders. They were initially attacking Liu Yan and the other two messily, but they suddenly changed their direction.

The group of elite monsters stopped attacking Liu Yan and Allen Smith. In any case, they could not attack Liu Yan and Allen Smith. Liu Yan and Allen Smith's agility was too high. If Liu Yan and Allen Smith did not make a mistake, the group of elite monsters might never be able to touch them.

The group of elite monsters turned their heads and rushed in one direction.

Even when Liu Yan had just killed an elite monster, the surrounding elite monsters ignored Liu Yan. They did not even look at Liu Yan. It was as if they did not see him.

Liu Yan soon noticed something strange. He observed the direction in which these elite monsters were moving. He immediately understood the purpose of these elite monsters.

These elite monsters were moving in the direction of Murong Xue.

These elite monsters seemed to have received orders. They surrounded Murong Xue in an orderly manner.

Liu Yan sensed that something was wrong. He hurriedly took out his S-grade weapon, Blade of the Night, and began to pursue and attack. He wanted to help Murong Xue relieve the pressure.

Liu Yan immediately used his S-grade skill, Fire Scythe Dance. The Blade of the Night danced wildly, instantly taking away an elite monster.

However, the elite monsters next to him seemed to have ignored Liu Yan. They continued to surround Murong Xue.

Liu Yan was shocked when he saw this. What was wrong with these elite monsters? Why couldn't he pull any aggro?

When Liu Yan attacked like this, he immediately attracted the aggro of many elite monsters. It could ease the pressure on Murong Xue and Allen Smith.

Liu Yan had even killed an elite monster. However, the surrounding elite monsters still did not even look at Liu Yan.

In the blink of an eye, Liu Yan immediately understood that these elite monsters must have received a command and were surrounding Murong Xue.

Under such circumstances, Liu Yan could not help Murong Xue in time.

Unless Liu Yan could kill all the elite monsters in a short period, he could not reach Murong Xue in time.

Liu Yan looked at Undying Fire Phoenix and Xu Han in the sky. Under such circumstances, he could only hope Xu Han had noticed that something was wrong at the first moment. He hoped Xu Han would let Undying Fire Phoenix come down to rescue Murong Xue.

If Xu Han did not react in time, Liu Yan could only take the risk and use the Attribute Fusion on Flying Cloud Mystic Bow to attack these elite monsters.

Liu Yan hadn't tried the Attribute Fusion before. If he used it now, there would be a risk.

But if he used it successfully, the Attribute Fusion would explode with terrifying power. It could instantly kill more than half of the elite monsters on the scene. This way, it would naturally help Murong Xue relieve the pressure and save her.

Fortunately, Xu Han, who was on Undying Fire Phoenix's back, had been paying attention to the situation on the ground.

When the movements of the elite monsters changed, Xu Han sensed something was wrong.

He could see even more clearly from the air. The latest movement of these elite monsters was to surround Murong Xue.

Knowing that Murong Xue was about to encounter danger, Xu Han immediately had Undying Fire Phoenix descend to save Murong Xue. Fortunately, Xu Han discovered it in time.

The group of elite monsters had just surrounded Murong Xue. At this moment, Undying Fire Phoenix had already arrived at a lower altitude.

At the same time, Undying Phoenix opened its mouth, and it spewed out a ball of flame. The flame ball landed on the group of elite monsters, causing quite a bit of damage.

Then, Xu Han took the opportunity to cast crowd control skills. With a wave of his Phantom Blue Staff, the ground instantly froze. The elite monsters were frozen, which temporarily restricted their movements.

Xu Han's action was to prevent these elite monsters from attacking him or Undying Fire Phoenix.

At this time, the Undying Fire Phoenix had already descended to a low altitude. It grabbed Murong Xue and then dove into the sky,

Murong Xue was grabbed by Undying Fire Phoenix and flew high into the sky. Murong Xue immediately felt excited and cheered.

When Murong Xue returned to the back of Undying Fire Phoenix, she saw Murong Xue's relaxed expression.

"How are you? Are you alright?" Xu Han asked with concern.

Murong Xue smiled comfortably and said, "What could be wrong with me? I felt really good. I felt nice after beating the monsters up and retreating. It was too comfortable, hahaha!"

When Xu Han saw this scene, he felt relieved. It seemed that Murong Xue was fine.

At the same time, Xu Han was a little speechless. If he was a little late, Murong Xue would have been in danger. Moreover, being caught by Undying Fire Phoenix was also extremely dangerous. The awakened ones would have long been scared out of their wits.

However, Murong Xue was fine. Not only was she not afraid of these dangers, but she was also enjoying the battle.

Xu Han shook her head slightly. He really could not understand the thoughts of this martial arts fanatic. He once again focused his attention on the ground.

"It seems the green humanoid elite monster that has just spawned should be a monster with high intelligence. It can also command all the other elite monsters." Xu Han analyzed. His expression could not help but become a little solemn.

Murong Xue heard Xu Han's words. Then, she said with some surprise, "I didn't expect there to be an intelligence-type monster that can command these elite monsters. No wonder these elite monsters suddenly became smart. These elite monsters cooperated so well to surround me."

At this moment, Xu Han was thinking too much, and he could not help but feel worried.

These elite monster hordes were strong and numerous.

They could successfully deal with the elite monster hordes because of their tactics. Besides, it was also partly because of the strong combat strength of Liu Yan and the others.

However, all of this had a prerequisite. The intelligence of the elite monster hordes was low. It was why Liu Yan and the others could successfully pin the monsters down and break them one by one.

However, now that these elite monsters had a commander with intelligence, everything changed.

Chapter 409: Tricky Defensive Formation

On the back of Undying Fire Phoenix.

Murong Xue took a simple rest and said, "Alright, put me down. I want to continue the battle."

Hearing this, Xu Han frowned slightly and shook his head. "Let's observe the situation first. There's something wrong with these monsters. Our previous battle plan might not work, and something might even happen."

As soon as Xu Han finished speaking, the green humanoid elite monster roared again.

Immediately, the elite monsters gathered together and formed a defensive formation.

Previously, Liu Yan and the others could disperse their attacks because the elite monsters were scattered in formation. In addition, Liu Yan and the other's attacks could attract the aggro of the monsters.

However, these elite monsters gathered together to defend themselves. They did not take the bait.

As a result, the battle plan that Liu Yan and the others had previously formulated was no longer feasible.

On the ground, Liu Yan and Allen Smith suddenly felt they had no solution for the new problem.

When these elite monsters were all gathered together, there was no chance for them to fight one-on-one. As long as they charged forward, they would face the group attack of the elite monsters. They could not withstand the elite monsters' attack.

Knowing that the previous battle plan was not feasible, Liu Yan decided to stop and let Undying Fire Phoenix come down. Liu Yan and Allen Smith returned to the back of the Undying Phoenix.

After they climbed onto Undying Fire Phoenix, they were about to fly high into the sky.

However, the group of elite monsters on the ground suddenly launched a long-range attack toward Undying Fire Phoenix.

These elite monsters had formed a defensive formation. Without any worries, they could naturally launch long-range attacks together to attack Undying Fire Phoenix.

Now that they were attacking again. These long-range attacks instantly formed a powerful firepower net.

The Undying Phoenix hurriedly dodged, but the firepower net was too big. It was too late to dodge it.

At the critical moment, Xu Han waved his S-grade weapon, Phantom Blue Staff, and an ice barrier appeared again. The ice barrier blocked the attack of the elite monsters. However, cracks appeared on the ice barrier. It could not completely block the second round of attack.

Liu Yan hurriedly had Undying Fire Phoenix fly further away from these elite monsters.

Liu Yan knew that Xu Han's ice barrier skill consumed a lot of energy. There was a limit to its use, so Xu Han could not use it continuously.

Not long after, Undying Fire Phoenix flew higher into the sky and further away from the elite monsters. It increased the distance between it and the elite monsters.

After a while, the elite monsters did not continue to attack Undying Fire Phoenix. They just continued to stay on the ground and defend.

At the same time, they continued to spawn elite monsters. The number and strength of this group of elite monsters were slowly recovering and increasing.

Liu Yan looked at the elite monsters on the ground and frowned.

Initially, he thought that the battle plan just now was perfect. They had already successfully killed many elite monsters. However, now, an intelligent elite monster that could command had suddenly spawned.

With this intelligent elite monster, these elite monsters suddenly had someone to command them. Things were different now.

The strength of these elite monsters was all unified under command.

Now, even if these elite monsters could not take the initiative to attack Liu Yan and the others in the sky, Liu Yan and the others could not attack them for the time being.

Moreover, these elite monsters were constantly spawning, and their combat power kept increasing.

If this continued, Liu Yan and the others might not be able to attack the elite monsters. In the end, they could only bring all members of the Land of Origin team to fight these elite monsters.

Liu Yan was confident he could lead his team to defeat the fourth wave of elite monsters. However, he would not be able to achieve his original plan. Liu Yan could not defeat the fourth wave of elite monsters and the fifth wave of bosses in advance. Moreover, he would lose the opportunity to attack the other territories.

They began to discuss their countermeasures based on the current situation.

“The previous battle plan won’t work anymore. We have to think of another way. We will have to give up on this operation if we can’t think of a new plan.” Xu Han said first.

Liu Yan nodded slightly. He naturally understood this reasoning.

In the previous situation, the elite monsters were scattered. In addition, it was easier to attract the aggro of these monsters. The battle plan that Liu Yan and the others had formulated was impeccable.

The three people on the ground used their powerful agility and combat strength to pin down the elite monsters. They only needed to find a one-on-one opportunity to deal with them one by one.

Three people on the ground could ensure the safety of Undying Fire Phoenix and Xu Han in the air.

It also allowed Undying Fire Phoenix to attack safely, and Xu Han could continuously use crowd control skills.

They attacked the masters on the ground and from the sky simultaneously. This way, they could still suppress the elite monsters even if their numbers were far less than the elite monsters.

But now, everything changed after the intelligent-type monster spawned.

Now that these elite monsters were all gathered together to defend, it was obvious that their previous battle plan was no longer effective. They could not attack the elite monsters one-on-one.

If Liu Yan and the rest were to sit on Undying Fire Phoenix, they would be attacked by these elite monsters. Without Xu Han’s ice barrier skill, the Undying Fire Phoenix would not be able to hold on.

Now that they were facing the elite monster defensive formation. It would be difficult to break through it. It would require a lot of effort.

At this moment, Murong Xue could not help but be distressed as she said, "These elite monsters are really too much. They huddle together to defend, but they are not attacking us. We already have a small number of people, and they are defending. How would we have the chance to attack?"

When Xu Han heard this, he helplessly said, "These elite monsters do not need to attack us. Their aggro is on the guardian beasts. Now that the time is not up yet, they cannot attack the guardian beasts."

Liu Yan thought for a while and did not think of any good ideas. After all, these elite monsters were all huddled together to defend. Any method would be useless. Only sheer strength would be useful.

Liu Yan's eyes suddenly lit up when he thought of this.

Previously, when they faced more than 50 elite monsters, Liu Yan and the others were not strong enough.

But now, after experiencing the previous battle, they first killed many flying-type elite monsters. During the fight just now, they killed many elite monsters.

Although they only killed them one by one, they accumulated quite a lot.

Even though some elite monsters had spawned, the total number of these elite monsters was only slightly over thirty.

Liu Yan and the others might be able to deal with an elite monster that was slightly over thirty.

There was no need to consider other methods. They could just attack!

Xu Han thought for a while and shook his head helplessly. "There's no other way. Do you guys have any ideas?"

Murong Xue also shook his head. Allen Smith did not say anything. Clearly, there was no other way.

However, Liu Yan said calmly, "Perhaps we don't need any complicated battle plans to deal with these elite monsters!"

Chapter 410: Confidence

When they heard Liu Yan's words, they immediately looked at Liu Yan.

"Liu Yan, do you have a solution? Tell us. I don't like these elite monsters. I want to get rid of them!" Murong Xue quickly asked.

Those elite monsters surrounded Murong Xue just now. If it wasn't for Xu Han and Undying Fire Phoenix's timely rescue, Murong Xue would have already been in trouble.

Therefore, Murong Xue held a deep grudge against these elite monsters. She really wanted to exterminate all of them.

Xu Han could not help but look at Liu Yan expectantly, "Don't tell me you have a good idea?"

Allen Smith also looked at Liu Yan. He was curious about Liu Yan's idea.

Facing their expectant gazes, Liu Yan shook his head helplessly and said, "It's not a good idea. You know that these elite monsters are all grouped in a defensive formation. It's impossible to come up with a good battle plan."

Xu Han and the others nodded. They felt the same way. Otherwise, they should come out with a new plan. There was no way to break through the elite monsters' defensive formation.

Liu Yan continued, "The idea is simple. There's no other way. We'll fight them head-on!"

When Xu Han and the others heard this, they were instantly stunned.

Even the usually carefree Murong Xue was a little surprised. She did not expect that Liu Yan would choose to face the elite monsters head-on. Although they were strong, they only had four people and a guardian beast.

The other side was a group of elite monsters. Moreover, these elite monsters were slightly weaker than Liu Yan and the others. Their strength was not bad. After all, they were elite monsters.

At this time, Xu Han seemed to have thought of something and said, "Liu Yan, do you think that the number of these elite monsters is much lower, and we have the strength to face them head-on?"

"That's right." Liu Yan nodded slightly and said, "You all know how tough it is right now. The elite monsters grouped to defend themselves. There is no way to start a new battle plan. There are only two paths in front of us. One is that we don't have any strategies. We can face them head-on. The other path is to give up on this plan. We will return to the fire attribute territory. After ordinary members of our team finish off the third wave of monsters, we will deal with the fourth wave of elite monsters together with them. However, we could only defend and lose the opportunity to attack the other territories. Our initial plan will fail."

When Xu Han heard this, she carefully considered the possibility.

Xu Han still had some understanding of himself and Allen Smith's combat strength.

Although Xu Han did not know much about Murong Xue, he could roughly judge her strength.

The only one he did not know was Liu Yan.

Liu Yan was ridiculously strong. He had not even used his full strength until now. No one knew where Liu Yan's upper limit was.

If Liu Yan's strength was sufficient, then there seemed to be a certain degree of possibility.

Xu Han looked at Liu Yan and asked, "With our strength, especially your strength, how much of a possibility do you think we have?"

Murong Xue and Allen Smith could not help but look at Liu Yan, looking forward to Liu Yan's answer.

Liu Yan thought briefly and said, "First of all, the number of elite monsters is much lesser than the initial number. There are only around thirty of them. If we hurry up and attack, we only need to face around thirty elite monsters. The difficulty is naturally much lower than before. Secondly, these 30 elite monsters are not at the peak of their combat strength. Many of them even suffered serious injuries just

now because of Allen Smith and Undying Fire Phoenix's attacks. In this situation, I still have 80% confidence!"

Eighty percent confidence!

When Xu Han heard Liu Yan's final answer, she could not help but be surprised.

Eighty percent confidence was already very high. Xu Han did not expect Liu Yan's confidence to be so high.

As for Liu Yan's analysis of the situation, Xu Han also agreed with it. Currently, there were indeed not many elite monsters.

However, the elite monsters were still slowly spawning. If they wanted to make a move, they had to confirm it earlier and attack immediately.

The later they made their move, the more elite monsters there were, and the lower their success rate would be.

Besides the fact that there were fewer elite monsters, their strength was not as good as before.

Although Allen Smith did not kill many elite monsters as Liu Yan did, he still heavily injured many elite monsters.

In addition to Undying Fire Phoenix's attacks, many elite monsters were in the blink of death.

In this way, the combat strength of these elite monsters was not that terrifying.

Since Liu Yan was so confident, he must have had enough strength.

Xu Han thought for a while but still hesitated.

Usually, Xu Han was quite decisive. But this time, the new plan was too risky, and the consequence was too great. Xu Han had to be careful.

At this moment, Allen Smith, who had been silent all this while, said, "I think that we can give it a try. However, it's best to have a backup plan."

Liu Yan nodded and said, "Xu Han, remember to reserve two times of ice barrier. With the help of Undying Fire Phoenix, we can still leave safely if we cannot defeat the elite monsters. After all, there are no more flying-type elite monsters among these elite monsters. We can leave unscathed if we block two rounds of long-range attacks."

Hearing this, Xu Han agreed.

"Then let's give it a try. I can still use the ice barrier three times in a short period. At that time, I could use it once to get close to those elite monsters. I don't need to use the remaining two times. As a last resort, if we can't defeat them, we can still rely on the ice barrier twice and Undying Fire Phoenix to leave safely." Xu Han made up his mind.

When Murong Xue heard this, she immediately looked forward to it.

Although the battle just now was also a big one, Murong Xue had been fighting until she felt a little aggrieved. After all, she had to keep attacking those elite monsters and escape. It was extremely troublesome, and she did not have a good time.

Murong Xue still preferred to fight head-on and directly fight head-on to have a good time.

And now, there was finally a chance.

“Great. When the time comes, we’ll beat these elite monsters to death. They deserve it for attacking me just now.” Murong Xue clenched her fists and said fiercely.

Liu Yan looked at the elite monsters in the distance. At this time, they were still continuously spawning elite monsters. Although the spawning was slow, the number would add up. When the time came, it would be even harder to defeat them. In addition, the injured elite monsters were also recovering at this moment, and their combat strength was continuously increasing.

Liu Yan immediately said, “Since you’ve decided to make a move, then let’s go now. We can’t delay. Are you all ready?”

Xu Han, Murong Xue, and the others nodded their heads.

Seeing this, Liu Yan had Undying Fire Phoenix fly toward the group of elite monsters and attack again!