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Chapter 91: The Ancient Champsosaurus

"Come this way."

Liu Yan pointed in another direction, and the Ice and Fire Two-Headed Wolf followed him immediately, continuing to move forward.

In actual fact, Liu Yan could undoubtedly finish off the Awakened that started coming quite close to him. However, he did not take any action, but pretended to continue running.

Soon, Liu Yan and his group arrived by the Yang Lake. The Awakened that were behind them also arrived one after another.

The Awakened saw that Liu Yan and his group were controlling a fierce beast. Moreover, judging from the tall and menacing appearance of the fierce beast, it seemed to be extremely powerful. They were somewhat surprised.

"This is the first group of the Awakened that have come here from the Yin Region. They must be quite strong."

"Haha, so what if they are strong? There are so many of us. If we attack together, won't we be able to kill them easily?"

"Given their strength, I think they should have quite a number of yin cards on them. It should be enough for us to share."

"When we attack, let's divide and conquer according to strength, so we don't accidentally attack each other."

"That's right. I only need one yin card to pass the trial of the third level of the tower. I don't need any more."

"I just need one yin card too."

"..."

Right now, that group of Awakened were treating the trio like prey that they already captured, and were discussing how to distribute their spoils.

Murong Xue and Chu Long glanced at Liu Yan and prepared to come down from the Ice and Fire Two-Headed Wolf to fight.

However, Liu Yan waved his hand, indicating that they didn't need to.

Following that, Liu Yan took out the myriad beast bow from his backpack and nocked an arrow.

The Awakened on the opposite side were quite surprised when they saw Liu Yan actually take the initiative to pick up his weapon and prepare to attack. He dared to take action against so many of them. Did Liu Yan not care whether he lived or died?

After all, there were many more Awakened on the opposite side, so they basically disregarded Liu Yan.

“Kid, I know that you’re pretty strong. If not, you wouldn’t be the first batch here in the Yang Region, but so what if you’re strong?”

“That’s right. If you hurry up and hand over all your yin cards, and we’ll spare your life. If you dare to do anything else, we’ll kill you!”

“How dare you take action? Don’t you recognise the word death?”

“How interesting. This kid is too arrogant.”

“...”

The Awakened from the Yang Region saw that Liu Yan was still not letting up and about to take action, so they prepared to fight.

Just then, however, Liu Yan turned the bow and arrow to face the Yang Lake.

Liu Yan activated an A-Grade skill, Flame Control, and attached a powerful flame element to his bow and arrow.

At the same time, he activated another A-Grade skill, Split.

An arrow was shot out and it split into five, each with a powerful flame element attached to it.

When the arrows landed on the lake, they immediately produced an explosive effect, causing a huge commotion.

The Awakened behind them were baffled. They did not understand what Liu Yan meant by shooting an arrow at the lake.

Amidst their surprise, Liu Yan had already ordered the Ice and Fire Twin-Headed Wolf to flee, and he followed closely behind.

Right when Liu Yan and the others left, the lake’s surface turned upside down. A huge crocodile-like fierce beast appeared.

It looked like a crocodile, but had a much larger body. It was as big as a small hill, and it looked extremely fierce.

There were two dragon horns on its head. It seemed to be a powerful ancient champsosaurus.

After being awakened, the ancient champsosaurus seemed quite dissatisfied, but it didn’t notice the trio, who looked unremarkable. Instead, it stared at the group of Awakened from the Yang Region.

A loud roar resounded through the heaven and earth, conveying the dissatisfaction of the ancient champsosaurus.

The Awakened from the Yang Region had never seen such a huge fierce beast before. They were all scared silly.

The clever ones fled immediately, but the foolish ones were so shocked they could not move.

The ancient champsosaurus charged forward. In a short while, countless people were killed or injured.

On the other hand, the instigator, Liu Yan, had already escaped with Murong Xue, Chu Long, and the Ice and Fire Two-Headed Wolf.

After leaving Yang Lake, the trio took a short rest.

During the day, fierce beasts ran rampant in the Yang Region. This was similar to the Yin Region at night, and it was extremely dangerous.

The trio found a place to hide and rest. They waited until nighttime, when many fierce beasts were gone, before they came out.

Liu Yan, Murong Xue and Chu Long decided to find the exit of the third level of the tower first. After they found the exit, they would think of a way to get more yang cards.

Currently, the three of them had a total of 72 yin card and six yang cards. They had already met the criteria for passing the trial of the third level of the tower.

They planned to find the exit, then come back and think of a way to get more yang cards. This would help them transition to a better class.

Murong Xue observed her surroundings as she said, "I heard that the exit of the third level of the tower is at the intersection of the yin and yang zones. I think it's at the centre."

Liu Yan nodded. He had heard of this before.

There was a rumor that the layout of the third level of the tower was octagonal. The exit was right at the center, and one could reach it from both the Yin and Yang Regions.

The three of them followed a rough map they drew up based on their explorations, and headed toward the center to find the exit.

Under the night sky, there weren't many fierce beasts, so it was relatively safe.

While there were fewer fierce beasts, the Awakened that were chasing after Liu Yan in the day were still looking for the trio.

Thinking carefully, Liu Yan understood.

The Awakened who survived in the Yang Region had already left and headed toward the Yin Region.

Those who remained in the Yang Region weren't strong, and were rather timid.

They stayed in the Yang Region because they wanted to snatch yin cards from the Awakened who came from the Yin Region. By doing this, they could collect both yin and yang cards, pass the trial on the third level of the tower, and enter the fourth level.

By doing this, they did not need to face or battle with any fierce beasts.

After all, fighting with the Awakened was definitely much safer than fighting with fierce beasts.

Even though the passage was now open, only a small portion of the Awakened chose to go through the passage to the Yin Region to obtain yin cards.

Many of the Awakened didn't want to go to the Yin Region and face fierce beasts or unknown risks. They chose to stay in the Yang Region, and steal from the Awakened that arrived from the Yin Region.

Taking advantage of the darkness of night, Liu Yan and the other two quietly bypassed the Awakened and continued to search for the exit of the tower.

When they passed by Yang Lake, they also saw the site where the battle took place that day. There were many Awakened killed and injured there, and there were more than a dozen corpses.

Liu Yan went forward to check. The resources and yang cards that they once carried were long stolen by others, leaving nothing behind.

"They have nothing on them. Let's continue," Liu Yan said in a low voice.

Murong Xue and Chu Long weren't surprised. They nodded and continued their journey.

The awakened corpses were useless to others, but to Liu Yan, they were a treasure.

Liu Yan quickly used his SSS-Grade talent, Divine Extraction, on the corpses one by one.

Chapter 92: Finding the Exit, but Getting Ambushed Again

The corpses of the Awakened were enveloped by a milky white light.

A notification appeared in front of Liu Yan.

[Divine Extraction of the Awakened (C-Grade Talent, Level 6) has been successful. Congratulations on obtaining: Strength Enhancement (C-Grade). This has been automatically merged with the Power of Desolation (A-Grade). Power of Desolation has increased by 5% in strength!]

[Divine Extraction of the Awakened (B-Grade Talent, Level 7) has been successful. Congratulations on obtaining: Theft (B-Grade). This has been automatically merged with Emptyhanded (D-Grade) to form Robbery (B-Grade)!]

[Divine Extraction of the Awakened (D-Grade Talent, Level 9) has been successful. Congratulations on obtaining: Increased Defense (D-Grade). This has been automatically merged with Absolute Defense (A-Grade). Absolute Defense has increased by 1% in strength!]

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Liu Yan completed divine extraction on more than ten corpses of the Awakened, strengthening many of his skills.

A newly acquired skill and a skill Liu Yan already had, Emptyhanded (D-Grade), had been merged to form a new B-Grade skill, Robbery.

Emptyhanded left a deep impression on Liu Yan.

Although the skill wasn't at a very high level, it was useful, and proved to be a great help for Liu Yan.

When Liu Yan was fighting the Silverback Blue Apes and the Golden-Armored Blue Ape, he used Emptyhanded to obtain feathers with some of their genetic material. After extraction from the feathers, Liu Yan was then able to achieve his first powerful S-Grade skill, Sixteen Times the Speed of Sound. Only after obtaining this skill was Liu Yan able to catch up with the Golden-Armored Blue Ape.

Liu Yan quickly checked the effects of the new skill.

[Robbery]

Grade: B

Effect: Once in use, the skill can be designated to steal an item within a three-meter radius. There is a defined success rate when stealing an opponent's weapon or other equipment.

After learning about its effects, Liu Yan's face filled with happiness.

Previously, with Emptyhanded, Liu Yan could only steal items within a very close range. Moreover, Emptyhanded's success rate was random and could not be defined.

But now, Robbery allowed Liu Yan to steal from a much larger range, and he could even specify the items to be taken!

That final attribute was what made Liu Yan absolutely elated.

This meant that when Liu Yan fought with others in the future, he could basically take the weapons they were fighting with, right?

Now, if he stole the weapons that his opponents were using right in front of them, Liu Yan wasn't sure if this was robbery or plunder.

However, there was no doubt that Robbery was much stronger. It could be of great help to Liu Yan in battle.

After taking stock of his gains, Liu Yan continued to follow Murong Xue and Chu Long.

Through Omniscient Insight, Liu Yan could clearly sense that the ancient champosaurus in the Yang Lake was resting.

The ancient champosaurus was undoubtedly very strong. When he escaped today, Liu Yan cast a backward glance. He noticed that the fierce beast killed more than ten Awakened almost instantly..

The other Awakened ran quickly. The ancient champosaurus didn't seem to chase after them, and only then did they manage their escape.

If it insisted on chasing after them, the Awakened would probably all be wiped out today.

Liu Yan knew that he could reap huge benefits if he could deal with such a powerful fierce beast.

Moreover, Liu Yan had heard that in the Tower, the powerful fierce beasts that were suppressed in this area were generally guarding some precious treasures.

Killing this ancient champosaurus would allow Liu Yan to obtain extremely rare treasures.

Additionally, Liu Yan could also obtain large amounts of attributes and other incredibly powerful skills through divine extraction of the ancient champosaurus' corpse.

Liu Yan guessed that if he killed the ancient champosaurus and conducted divine extraction on its corpse, he would probably double his attributes and strength due to the strength of the ancient champosaurus.

However, Liu Yan's did not have enough strength to deal with the ancient champosaurus right now.

From its aura, the ancient champosaurus seemed to be about as strong as the Golden-Armored Blue Ape.

At minimum, Liu Yan had to use all of his strength to deal with this ancient champosaurus. Even so, they might end up in a draw or Liu Yan could just not be able to defeat it.

Moreover, there were other Awakened in the surrounding Yang Region. If Liu Yan and the ancient champosaurus fought, the huge commotion would definitely attract the others. At that time, the situation would be even more disadvantageous for Liu Yan and the others.

While Murong Xue and Chu Long had decent strength and were far ahead of other Awakened, they would not be of much help to Liu Yan in a battle of this level.

At the moment, Liu Yan was still helpless against the ancient champosaurus.

However, Liu Yan was not in a rush. After all, there were still a few days left before he left the third level of the tower. If Liu Yan could improve his strength during these few days, especially if he could successfully complete the class transition, his strength would increase greatly.

When he had enough strength, Liu Yan would definitely come and deal with this ancient champosaurus.

Liu Yan and the others arrived at the center, but the exit was easily seen.

The exit was halfway up the mountain. It was a huge teleportation array, and they could see it clearly from afar.

However, the exit had not opened, so it was not time yet.

"That is the exit, but it doesn't seem like it has opened yet. We are early," Chu Long said while pointing into the distance.

Liu Yan nodded slightly. "It's fine. We just need to confirm the location. Since we've already confirmed the location of the exit, let's go back and rest for a while. Then, we can continue to think of ways to obtain the yang cards."

"The Awakened that we met today wanted to steal our yin cards. If we deal with them, we can take their yang cards." Murong Xue suggested.

Liu Yan couldn't help but feel tempted when he heard this.

However, attacking together would create a huge ruckus and attract the fierce beasts nearby because there were so many of them.

But now that the group was scattered to look for them, Liu Yan and the others could split up and attack them one by one.

It would be more troublesome if they were together, but as long as they split up, with Liu Yan and Murong Xue's terrifying strength, it would be easy to deal with the Awakened.

Just when he was conducting divine extraction on the Awakened's corpse next to Yang Lake, Liu Yan noticed that the Awakened were currently around levels five to eight.

Within the trio, Murong Xue was already at Level 10. She has S-Grade talent, and had been training her physical abilities since she was young. Murong Xue could defeat them decisively.

Chu Long had also reached Level 9. Although she did not have much combat strength, she could provide very strong support and healing abilities.

As Liu Yan had divine extraction, he could obtain one extra EXP after divine extraction from the fierce beast. His level rose even faster, reaching Level 12.

In addition, Liu Yan had the SSS-Grade skill, divine extraction, and many powerful A-Grade skills. Liu Yan even had an S-Grade battle skill, and the number of attributes he had was quite incredible given the constant divine extraction he conducted.

Liu Yan guessed that at his current strength, he could probably deal with most of the Awakened that were of average talent. He could probably finish off those at Level 30, let alone Level 10.

Just as Liu Yan was planning, he used his A-Grade perception skill, Omniscient Insight. He managed to sense that there was an Awakened approaching stealthily nearby.

Looking at the direction of the Awakened's movements, it was clear that he was heading towards Liu Yan and the others.

To Liu Yan's surprise, this Awakened was clearly not from the group earlier. His aura was quite strong, and he seemed to be at a very high level.

Chapter 93: An Awakened from Higher up

"There's an ambush nearby," Liu Yan reminded the others in a low voice.

Murong Xue and Chu Long immediately became alert when they heard this.

At this moment, Liu Yan looked at a patch of grass not far away. He was clearly not moving, but Liu Yan knew that the other party was already hiding there, preparing to ambush him. How sly.

Liu Yan said faintly, "Sir, if you want to make a move, then just do it."

Hearing Liu Yan's words, the figure in the grass was obviously surprised. He had hidden himself so well, but was still discovered by Liu Yan.

The other party revealed himself. His clothes were sloppy and tattered, and there were flowers and grass on his body, seemingly on purpose. He wanted to hide himself, and even made the scent of his body similar to the flowers and grass in the forest.

Only Liu Yan had Omniscient Insight, and could detect him by listening to his heartbeat.

Other Awakened or fierce beasts would not be able to detect him even if they walked right by him.

This person had hidden himself so well that even those with low-level perception skills could not detect him.

The trio was quite surprised when they saw the other party. Judging from his clothes, it was obvious that he was not one of the Awakened like Liu Yan.

Murong Xue frowned slightly and said, "You're not from this batch of the Awakened. You came from the higher levels of the Tower!"

"Girl, you're quite smart, aren't you? Looks like you know my identity. Why don't you stop asking for trouble and just obey."

The man said with some surprise, while his wretched gaze kept wandering around Murong Xue and Chu Long.

He was not from this batch of the Awakened, but was an Awakened from the higher levels of the tower.

It was just that the higher levels of the tower were too dangerous and terrifying. All his teammates had died in battle and he suffered heavy losses.

Afterwards, this Awakened managed to find a way to get himself from the higher level to the third level of the tower.

Thus, he decided to stay here and live on the lower levels.

It was just as well that there would be a continued stream of new Awakened arriving at the lower levels. This person would kill them, steal their resources, and continue living on just like this.

To put it bluntly, this was equivalent to a high-level player entering an area with many amateurs, and staying to kill them off.

The Awakened who entered the Tower might have high talent grades, but they were not matured yet. They were not strong and naturally were not his opponent.

Anyway, the Awakened thought that food and drink on the lower levels were decent.

After all, he had come down from the higher levels of the tower. The ordinary fierce beast from the lower levels of the tower were nothing to him. It was easy to kill and eat these fierce beasts.

One thing that he felt that was lacking the most was undoubtedly women.

Living here without any entertainment was far too boring.

It was rare to see beautiful ladies like Murong Xue and Chu Long. The Awakened had his eyes wide open. The appearance of an obedient and sexy girl satisfied all the man's fantasies about women.

If he could enslave these two beauties, the man thought that he would lead a happy, god-like life in the future.

At this moment, Liu Yan and Chu Long were also slightly surprised.

“The Awakened from the upper levels can enter the lower level?” Chu Long asked with some doubt.

Murong Xue nodded with a fearful expression. She explained, “Before entering the Tower, I’ve heard from my family members that some people from the Tower can create a hack to enter the lower levels from a higher one. Although they cannot pass the trials in the higher levels, the Awakened and fierce beasts on the lower levels are nothing to them. They completely dominate here, Thus, they just stay on the lower levels and continue to bully the newcomers.”

Hearing this, Liu Yan understood the situation vaguely. If this was the case, the other party’s strength should be very strong. No wonder when he used his Omniscient Insight, it was obvious that this person was on a completely different level from the average Awakened.

At this moment, a cold smile appeared on the man’s face, revealing his terrible teeth.

Due to the fact that the man often ate fierce beasts and didn’t pay much attention to cleaning his teeth, they were quite dirty, making him look quite terrifying.

“Since you know my identity and my strength, you should submit to me and stay here to serve me!” The man stared at Murong Xue and Chu Long with a lecherous gaze.

“Get lost!” Murong Xue’s hot temper could not bear such comments, and so she scolded him.

When the man heard this, his face turned cold and he said, “Then don’t blame me for teaching all of you a lesson. You people asked for it.”

As he said this, the man raised his dagger and rushed towards Liu Yan and the others.

Murong Xue knew that the man was a powerful Awakened from the higher levels of the tower. She did not dare to let her guard down and immediately activated the third layer of the tyrant body as she rushed towards him.

Chu Long was also on standby, ready to heal the others at any time.

Liu Yan was not very worried when he saw this.

Although he did not know the exact strength of the other party, Liu Yan could sense the man’s aura and gauge his strength through Omniscient Insight.

Liu Yan could sense that the other party’s strength was clearly much stronger than the other Awakened from the third level of the tower. He estimated that the other party’s should be above Level 20.

However, this man was still much weaker compared to the Golden-Armored Blue Ape and the ancient champosaurus.

Liu Yan could force a draw with the Golden-Armored Blue Ape, so there was naturally no need for him to be afraid.

At this moment, Murong Xue activated her full strength and rushed over. The two of them met.

However, in almost an instant, Murong Xue realized that she had already lost.

Murong Xue's attack was dodged by the opponent at a ridiculous speed. Then, he suddenly appeared behind Murong Xue and activated Backstab.

The dagger used in the attack was not weak. In addition to the power from the man's attack, Murong Xue was severely injured.

Chu Long's healing skill arrived at once.

However, Murong Xue's injuries were too serious. Chu Long's healing only provided temporary relief, and Murong Xue remained injured, losing her combat abilities.

Seeing this, Liu Yan attacked immediately.

Since the man was an Awakened that relied heavily on speed, Liu Yan thought to use his own speed skill, too.

Liu Yan activated his S-Grade skill, Sixteen Times the Speed of Sound!

Liu Yan appeared beside the man instantly, and he placed a hand on the man's shoulder.

When the man saw this, his eyes were filled with fear.

He had come down from the higher levels of the tower, and he was also an Awakened who specialized in speed. Yet, Liu Yan was completely superior when it came to speed.

Instantly, the man looked at Liu Yan as if he was looking at a monster.

However, Liu Yan had already made his move. He activated his A-Grade skill, Blazing Tyrant Fist, and struck the man's chest with a single punch.

Under the tremendous force, the man was heavily injured.

Meanwhile, Liu Yan's continuous attacks arrived one after another.

After a few punches, the man fell to the ground, as dead as a doornail.

Murong Xue, who was at the side, saw what happened. She had a shocked expression on her face. Just now, the man's speed had already made her feel terrified. However, she had not expected that Liu Yan's speed was actually scarier.

Murong Xue did not even see what exactly happened. She only felt a gust of wind pass by her.

When she looked up again, Liu Yan, who was clearly behind her, had already appeared in front of her. He had even finished off this enemy. His speed was truly terrifying.

Chapter 94: A Windfall, A Class Transition!

After finishing the enemy odd, Liu Yan looked at Murong Xue who was sitting on the ground, injured.

"How are you?" Liu Yan asked, concerned.

"I'm fine. With Chu Long around, this little injury shouldn't be a problem." Murong Xue said indifferently.

Murong Xue was still quite shocked, She felt that Liu Yan's abilities were improving very rapidly over the past few days.

However, they had been together for almost the entire time. How did he manage to increase his strength so quickly? Murong Xue was a little confused. Was Liu Yan a genius?

Initially, Murong Xue was determined to surpass Liu Yan. However, she now felt a deep sense of helplessness.

Liu Yan was like a huge obstacle in front of her. There was no way for Murong Xue to surpass him.

At this moment, Chu Long walked forward and used her S-Grade skill, Holy Healing, a few times in a row. Streaks of milky white light descended, and Murong Xue's injuries were healing at a speed visible to the naked eye.

Not long after, Murong Xue had almost fully recovered from her injuries.

Murong Xue would probably be completely well after another round of healing from Chu Long.

Liu Yan squatted down in front of the man and started to take stock of the loot.

First, he carried out divine extraction on the man's corpse.

Then, under the glow of bright white light, a notification appeared in front of Liu Yan.

[Divine Extraction of the Awakened (C-Grade Talent, Level 22) has been successful. Congratulations on obtaining: Backstab (C-Grade)!]

[Backstab]

Grade: C

Effect: Flash behind the enemy with ghostly speed and deal them a fatal blow!

A C-Grade skill was neither weak nor strong. It was quite mediocre compared to Liu Yan's A or S-Grade skills, but it was better than nothing.

After his past experiences, Liu Yan realized that although some skills were lower in grade and strength, they had their own special uses.

Liu Yan also guessed that if the Awakened had a very high talent grade, he would be able to survive on the higher levels and wouldn't need to come down to the lower levels of the tower.

He knew that he would not be able to obtain anything good from an Awakened with low talent grades.

Following that, Liu Yan started to search the man's body again.

There weren't many supplies on the man's body, and Liu Yan didn't fancy them, so he threw them away.

There were some daily necessities on the man's body, but they were quite useless and smelled disgusting.

It was obvious this man had been living on the third level of the tower for a long time.

After another round of searching, Liu Yan's expression changed.

A large number of yin and yang cards appeared before Liu Yan's eyes.

"Come and take a look!" Liu Yan called Murong Xue and Chu Long over.

The two women walked over, their expressions filled with surprise as they noticed the scene in front of them.

"Damn, there must be more than a hundred yin and yang cards, right?" Chu Long exclaimed.

Murong Xue guessed why immediately. "It must be because this guy kept bullying newcomers, ambushing and killing them in large numbers. Over time, he would naturally obtain a large number of yin and yang cards. However, he has already completed his class transition and could not leave the third level of the tower. While these yin and yang cards may be priceless to most of the Awakened, they're useless to him, so he just kept them."

Liu Yan nodded slightly. This fellow could only collect yin and yang cards, but there was no other use for them.

After all, apart from being the key to the third level of the tower, yin and yang cards could only be used for class transition.

However, this man had already passed the trial on the third level of the tower and completed his class transition. Naturally, these yin and yang cards were of no use to him, so he just collected and kept them with him.

However, he did not expect that in the end, these cards would actually benefit Liu Yan and the others.

Liu Yan and the others finished counting the cards, and their faces were instantly filled with joy.

In addition to the yin and yang cards they had originally, obtaining such a huge number of cards now made them fabulously wealthy.

In total, there were 112 yang and 152 yin cards. These cards made the trio incomparably rich!

"These yin cards yang cards are definitely enough for us to have a very good class transition, and we even have some surplus. Looks like we'll have more free time later on, and we won't need to hunt fierce beasts to obtain yang cards anymore." Murong Xue smiled and said.

Liu Yan nodded and replied, "We have to find a secluded and safe place to designate as our residence. Then, we have to carry out class transition one by one before we can do anything else."

Originally, the trio had quite a number of yin cards, and enough yang cards to pass the trial on the third floor. However, if they wanted to transition to a stronger class, they would definitely need to obtain more yang cards.

Now, with this unexpected windfall, it was much simpler. They didn't need to do anything else. They just needed to find a safe place and use this large number of yin and yang cards to proceed with class transition.

The three of them began to look for a suitable place nearby. They were near the exit, and so there were fewer fierce beasts nearby. Additionally, night had fallen, so there were fewer active fierce beasts in the Yang Region.

Very quickly, the three of them found a cave halfway up the mountain. The terrain was higher, and the concealment was decent. There was very good visibility too, so it was quite suitable to act as a residence for the trio.

“The Yang Region is more dangerous during the day, so it’s better for us to carry out the class transition at night. We’ll take turns. I’ll carry out the class transition first. The two of you will be responsible for guarding. After that, the two of you will carry out the class transition, and I can guard alone.” Liu Yan decided after some analysis.

After all, Liu Yan was quite strong, and he could stand guard alone.

The two girls nodded in agreement.

Liu Yan picked up a large number of yin and yang cards and activated them according to the recorded method. Then, he began the class transition.

Power poured into the yin and yang cards respectively.

The power of Yin and Yang appeared separately before converging, forming an obscure octagonal formation of class transition.

Liu Yan closed his eyes, calmed his mind, and began to choose a class.

Currently, Liu Yan belonged to a class, the hunter class. It was a rare and hidden class, and was extremely power.

However, that was only the first transition, and Liu Yan could now proceed to the second transition.

Liu Yan chose among a few classes.

Each class had their own characteristics, as well their own strengths and weaknesses.

Liu Yan was very clear about this, so choosing a class that suited his current situation the best would be most important.

The hunter class had already given Liu Yan various things like Trap, Beast Taming, and a bow and arrow.

Currently, in terms of long-range combat, Liu Yan had the bow and arrow and a variety of attributes, which was sufficient. He needed more close-combat skills now.

Very soon, Liu Yan’s gaze stopped on the assassin class.

The assassin class’ characteristics included agility, physical abilities, and strong explosive power. Undoubtedly, Liu Yan was suitable for this class, and he needed the class too.

As for weaknesses, it would just be that Liu Yan couldn’t improve on his physical constitution and defense. However, Liu Yan did have divine extraction, so his attributes were already incredibly strong, and he did not lack defensive skills at all.

Moreover, the best offense was defense. With the powerful techniques and explosive power of an assassin, coupled with Liu Yan's various abilities, Liu Yan could basically kill any opponent instantly. What defense did he need?

Chapter 95: Class Fusion, the Night Ranger!

Liu Yan was decisive, and chose the assassin class as he began his class transition.

The yin and yang cards were used up quickly, and Liu Yan's body underwent earth-shattering changes.

After a long time, some notifications appeared in front of Liu Yan.

[Class transition has been successful!]

[The assassin and hunter classes have merged to form a single class: Night Ranger!]

When Liu Yan heard this, he was rather surprised. The two classes could merge to form one single class, Night Ranger.

The hunter class was a rare and extremely powerful class.

The assassin class was quite ordinary, but Liu Yan had provided a large number of yin and yang cards, so he was powerful.

After combining the two classes, how terrifying would the night ranger be?

Out of curiosity, Liu Yan hurriedly opened his new class panel.

Class: Night Ranger

Rarity: One of a kind

[Archery]

Steady Shot – Precise Shot – Rapid Shot – Long-range shot (To be unlocked)

[Traps]

Create Traps – Remove Traps – Upgrade Traps – Multiple Traps (To be unlocked)

[Familiars]

Familiar Identification – Taming – Absolute Order – Synchronization (To be unlocked)

[Bodily Movement]

Flicker – Ghostly Shadow (To be unlocked)

[Assassinate]

Initial Attack – Familiar Attack (To be unlocked)

The first two sections of the last two effects were unlocked, namely Flicker and Initial Attack.

Liu Yan hurriedly checked these sections out. Flicker allowed him to control every part of his body nimbly within a small area.

He already had a very strong agility attribute, and was very fast. Under the strong S-Grade skill, Sixteen Times the Speed of Sound, Liu Yan was like a freak of nature. He moved so fast, one could not even see him.

However, having agility within a small area was extremely rare. Having such nimbleness and agility in battle could help Liu Yan create some unexpected outcomes.

After trying the effect out, Liu Yan felt extremely agile and nimble. He was able to get into strange postures to dodge attacks, and could launch attacks from odd angles.

This was just the first unlocked section of the Bodily Movement effect. Liu Yan was sure that once he unlocked the next section, he would definitely become even more powerful.

On the other hand, Initial Attack allowed any attack from Liu Yan to have a one in ten chance of triggering a Critical Attack, causing thrice the damage.

Although the chances of triggering the Attack were low, having thrice the damage once activated was very scary.

Liu Yan imagined that if he used his full strength to attack, and if a Critical Attack were to be triggered, most of his opponents would be instantly killed.

In the previous battle with the Golden-Armored Blue Ape, Liu Yan used his full strength but could only manage a draw.

However, if he had used the Initial Attack, Liu Yan would probably be able to inflict triple the damage with just one hit.

Even if Liu Yan couldn't kill the Golden-Armored Blue Ape right away, he could injure it heavily at the very least.

The battle would be much simpler if the Golden-Armored Blue Ape suffered from injury.

As for the ancient champsosaurus in Yang Lake, Liu Yan did have a way to deal with it, but with the Initial Attack effects, he managed to come up with a concert plan. When the time came, he was going to place Murong Xue and Chu Long as guards to prevent other Awakened from interfering. Liu Yan knew that he could deal with the ancient champsosaurus.

The effects of the Initial Attack were incomparably powerful.

Against an opponent of the same strength, Liu Yan had the opportunity to trigger a critical hit. One attack could decide the outcome of the battle.

Even if Liu Yan was facing a stronger opponent, he could utilise the attacks and have a chance to turn the tables and win.

Due to divine extraction, Liu Yan had already obtained a large number of attributes and powerful skills, allowing him to have the ability to fight against opponents of a higher level.

Now that he had the Initial Attack, Liu Yan could even fight above his level. It was truly incredible.

This was just the first section of the Assassinate effect, yet it already had such a terrifying effect.

In the future, when Liu Yan unlocked the next segment, regardless of whether it was the probability or the multiplier after the critical hit, his power would definitely increase.

By then, after mastering the critical hit effect, Liu Yan's combat strength would receive a qualitative increase!

Liu Yan was extremely satisfied with his new class transition.

When Liu Yan refocused, he checked his yin and yang cards, knowing that many had been used up.

He had used up a total of thirty yin and thirty yang cards.

Fortunately, the trio were very wealthy. They had a substantial number of yin and yang cards left even after using up so many.

Liu Yan turned to look at Chu Long and Murong Xue. "I've completed my class transition. You guys take the remaining yin and yang cards and carry out the class transition. I'll stand guard for you."

Murong Xue and Chu Long, who were on guard, walked over curiously.

"Brother Liu Yan, what class transition did you get? How strong are you?" Chu Long asked curiously.

Murong Xue sized Liu Yan up and said with a puzzled look, "Your class transition was successful? Nothing changed with you."

Liu Yan couldn't help but be speechless, he said, "Well, you can't tell now, you'll definitely be able to tell when we're fighting. I've changed my class to be an assassin. It's just a normal class. However, I've used up all my yin and yang cards, so my strength is quite good."

"An assassin?"

Chu Long and Murong Xue were both surprised when they heard this. Liu Yan was clearly very strong in close combat and was also good at archery. Why did he transition to the assassin class, a class that had nothing to do with his current strengths?

Although they were puzzled, this was Liu Yan's business. Moreover, Liu Yan was so strong that even they didn't know what was going on with him, so they naturally didn't ask any more questions.

The two women took the yin and yang cards and carried out the class transition at the side with expectant faces.

Meanwhile, Liu Yan stood at the side, guarding the two women.

While guarding, Liu Yan was also thinking about what to do next.

Now that the exit had been found, they definitely had enough yin and yang cards.

However, there were still three days before the Yin-Yang Reversal and the opening of the celestial sect. Liu Yan had to make good use of these three days.

Through the old man who came down from the upper levels of the tower, Liu Yan also learned that the higher the floor, the more dangerous it would be.

Liu Yan knew that he would face more difficulties the further he went.

Therefore, even though Liu Yan was already very strong, and he could do whatever he wanted on the third floor of the tower, he still needed to continue improving his strength.

Naturally, the simplest way would be to conduct divine extraction on corpses of fierce beasts and the Awakened.

If the Awakened did not have high talent grades, Liu Yan would not benefit much.

After all, Liu Yan already had many A-Grade skills. There were very few living Awakened who also had A-Grade skills, so obviously Liu Yan would have a tough time trying to improve.

Conducting divine extraction on the corpses of fierce beasts was a good idea. Killing the fierce beasts helped Liu Yan gain EXP, and divine extraction helped him obtain more EXP and a large number of attributes. He would improve rapidly.

Immediately, Liu Yan thought of the ancient champsosaurus in Yang Lake.

Previously, Liu Yan and the ancient champsosaurus were on equal footing, so he couldn't do anything to it.

But now that he had the critical strike ability, Liu Yan had a way to deal with it.

With three times the damage in one attack, Liu Yan just needed to attack once. With his current ability, Liu Yan would definitely be able to heavily injure the ancient champsosaurus. He could finish it off afterwards with his own strength.

Thinking of this, Liu Yan immediately looked forward to the battle with the ancient champsosaurus.

This battle would definitely be more intense than the battle with the Golden-Armored Blue Ape. That was just a sparring session. This time, it was a battle of life and death!

At the same time, Liu Yan was also extremely curious. The ancient champsosaurus that was suppressed here was certainly very powerful. What kind of huge harvest would this fierce beast bring Liu Yan after killing it?

Chapter 96: The First S-grade Weapon, Blade of the Night!

Liu Yan was guarding the two women. He saw a flash of light not far away when he glanced over.

He walked forward doubtfully. It was the dagger that Old Yin Bi had used earlier. It reflected the moonlight that shone on it.

At that time, several punches of Liu Yan's Blazing Tyrant Fist directly sent the dagger flying, causing Liu Yan to forget about this matter.

Liu Yan immediately walked forward with some anticipation, picking up the dagger and examining it.

[Blade of The Night]

Level: A-grade

Effects: Attack +3,000. Critical Strike Chance increased by 5%. Critical Strike Damage increased by 50%!

When Liu Yan looked at the introduction panel of the dagger on the smart wristband, his eyes instantly lit up. It was actually an A-grade weapon!

Liu Yan currently owned three weapons: the Soft Blade Boxing Gloves, the Myriad Beast Bow, and the Federation Special Dagger.

Among them, the Soft Blade Boxing Gloves had reached A-grade, the Myriad Beast Bow was a C-grade, and the Federation Special Dagger was a D-grade.

Only the Soft Blade Boxing Gloves could keep up with Liu Yan's strength and were barely enough for Liu Yan to use.

The other two weapons could no longer keep up with Liu Yan's strength as Liu Yan's strength increased.

The Myriad Beast Bow was still okay. Although Liu Yan could not display his full strength, it was still barely passable.

As for the Federation Special Dagger, it was utterly insufficient. Liu Yan no longer used it. He only used it as a cooking tool when cutting and barbecuing fierce beast's meat.

However, he did not expect to obtain an A-grade dagger from the awakened Old Yin Bi, who came from a higher level.

Liu Yan was a little surprised, but after thinking about it, he felt relieved.

Although A-grade weapons were scarce, that was only relative to Liu Yan and the others, relative to the first three levels of the Tower.

The higher the Tower, the higher the level of the various weapons and defensive equipment would naturally become. Their levels would also become higher and higher.

A-grade weapons could not be seen on the first three levels of the Tower. Even the only A-grade weapon in Liu Yan's hand, the Soft Blade Boxing Gloves, was originally a B-grade. Liu Yan obtained it through his SSS-grade talent, Divine Extraction.

Liu Yan played with the Blade of The Night in his hand, unable to put it down.

The attribute of 'Attack +3,000' was basically the peak attack power of Liu Yan's normal dagger. The Blade of The Night could instantly double Liu Yan's attack power.

And other than that, its other two effects were also highly compatible with Liu Yan.

Increasing the Critical Strike Chance and Critical Strike Damage was undoubtedly a massive increase for Liu Yan.

Liu Yan originally only had a 10% Critical Strike Chance and 300% Critical Strike Damage.

Now that he had the Blade of The Night, his Critical Strike Chance had increased by half, reaching 15%. His Critical Strike Damage had also increased moderately, reaching three and a half times the damage.

Liu Yan knew well that this was only the current Blade of The Night. He could still use Divine Extraction to increase its power.

It was already so powerful without using Divine Extraction to increase its power. It far surpassed all the other weapons in Liu Yan's hands. If it was upgraded, wouldn't it be even more heaven-defying?

Liu Yan was filled with anticipation as he hurriedly used Divine Extraction on the Blade of The Night.

As the green light descended, the Blade of The Night underwent an earth-shattering transformation.

A notification appeared before Liu Yan's eyes.

[Divine Extraction of Blade of The Night (A-grade) successful. Congratulations, you've obtained Blade of The Night (S-grade)!]

Blade of The Night, S-grade weapon!

Liu Yan was pleasantly surprised as he hurriedly checked the Blade of The Night's attribute(s).

[Blade of The Night]

Level: S-grade

Effect: Attack +8,000. Critical Strike Chance increased by 20%. Critical Strike Damage increased by 200%!

God's Effect: Fatal Strike Chance increased by 1% (kill any opponent with one hit when triggered).

The brief introduction revealed a heaven-defying strength. Liu Yan was pleasantly surprised.

After all, it was an S-grade weapon. Compared to the low-grade weapons from before, it was an earth-shattering change.

The attack instantly increased by 8,000, surpassing Liu Yan's attack. Liu Yan's Melee Attack Power suddenly increased by nearly three times!

The increase in Critical Strike Chance and Critical Strike Damage was even more significant.

Now that Liu Yan used the Blade of The Night, his Critical Strike Chance had reached 30%, while his Critical Strike Damage had reached five times!

Before this, it might have been difficult to trigger with a 10% chance. But now that it was 30%, it was much easier to trigger. Basically, a maximum of four or five attacks would be enough to trigger once.

The Critical Hit Damage had also reached five times. Coupled with Liu Yan's already terrifying attack power, the sudden explosive damage of the Critical Hit Damage was a bit exaggerated.

In addition, there was a God's Effect, which surprised Liu Yan even more.

After all, according to the knowledge provided by the Federation, only Divine Weapons or weapons that were related to Divine Weapons would have a God's effect.

Any divine effect was potent.

However, generally speaking, only an SSS-grade weapon would have a divine effect.

The Blade of The Night in Liu Yan's hand was clearly only S-grade and was far from SSS-grade, but it already had a divine effect.

Liu Yan didn't understand. He guessed that it might be related to his SSS-grade talent skill, Divine Extraction. After Divine Extraction, weapons and equipment would be even more powerful than those of the same level. Liu Yan had long discovered this.

The effect of this Fatal Strike Chance was even more heaven-defying. Although the probability was very low, only 1%, as long as it was triggered, it would instantly kill the opponent.

That meant that no matter how strong the opponent Liu Yan faced, as long as he had the opportunity to continuously launch attacks, as long as he triggered a Fatal Strike Chance, he would be able to instantly kill the opponent that was higher than him by several levels!

Liu Yan was instantly overjoyed. The Blade of The Night had undoubtedly increased his close combat strength by a considerable amount.

Based on a conservative estimate, Liu Yan's close-combat strength had increased by five times.

Liu Yan laughed inwardly. The awakened Old Yin Bi, who had come from the higher level to the lower level of the Tower to torture novices, had probably never expected that he would end up helping Liu Yan instead.

It allowed Liu Yan to obtain a high-grade weapon that shouldn't be found on level three of the Tower. That allowed Liu Yan's strength to increase by a huge margin.

Originally, Liu Yan was still highly fearful of the Ancient Draconic Croc and felt it was extremely troublesome. He might have to take a risk if he wanted to deal with it.

But now that he had the Blade of The Night, Liu Yan's close combat strength had significantly increased. Liu Yan now had absolute confidence in dealing with the Ancient Draconic Croc.

In any case, there were still three days before the opening of the Yin-Yang Reversal Mysterious Door. Liu Yan planned to wait for Murong Xue and Chu Long to complete their class transitions before going to look for the Ancient Draconic Croc.

That Ancient Draconic Crocodile would be the most powerful fierce beast that Liu Yan had ever dealt with. Without a doubt, it would also bring Liu Yan a huge harvest.

While Liu Yan was planning, Murong Xue and Chu Long's bodies were undergoing some changes simultaneously on the other side.

Around Chu Long, there was white light flickering, making it look extremely holy.

And around Murong Xue's body, there was red light flickering.

In the pitch-black night, this area was incomparably dazzling with those strange movements.

Seeing that, Liu Yan's face was filled with joy.

For such a strange phenomenon to appear, it seemed that Murong Xue and Chu Long's class transitions were very unusual.

Chapter 97: Rock Pugilist and Holy Priest

Looking at the strange phenomenon caused by the two women's class transitions, Liu Yan put away his Blade of The Night and continued to be on alert.

Although this place was close to the exit, it was relatively remote.

Moreover, it was nighttime, so there weren't many fierce beasts in the Yang region.

However, it was better to be careful in case they attracted any Awakened and fierce beasts.

However, Liu Yan did not discover any movements after using his A-grade perception skill, Omniscient Insight, to observe the surroundings.

Liu Yan continued to be on guard while waiting.

The two women's class transitions were probably not weak, judging from how they continuously caused abnormal phenomena.

After all, with so many Yang cards and Yin cards, plus they were both very rare S-grade talents, it would naturally be easy for them to transit to powerful classes.

Back then, Liu Yan could also choose some hidden classes, but Liu Yan still felt that the most powerful class would be the one that suited him most, so he chose the Assassin class, which looked more ordinary.

Fortunately, the Assassin and Hunter classes were relatively compatible, and they actually merged.

When Liu Yan's class transition happened, it didn't cause any unusual phenomenon, but his class transition to the Dark Ranger class wasn't weak at all.

After waiting for a while, Murong Xue and Chu Long completed their class transitions. When they woke up, joy filled their faces.

Seeing this, Liu Yan knew their class transitions should be pretty smooth. He smiled and said, "Looks like the gains aren't small? Let's talk about our respective gains."

Murong Xue and Chu Long looked at each other, their eyes filled with joy.

Murong Xue walked forward first and introduced, "I've used up twenty Yin cards and twenty Yang cards and transited to the rare class of Rock Pugilist! My attack power has increased quite a bit, and my defense also increased by an exaggerated amount. My combat power has greatly increased after fusing with the rock attribute. In the future, you guys can stay behind me and attack without worry. It will be very safe!"

Liu Yan nodded slightly when he heard that.

Liu Yan had seen the Rock Pugilist class in his smart wristband before. Even when Liu Yan was in his class transition, he had also considered this class. However, in the end, some aspects were not suitable for him, so Liu Yan gave up on it.

Compared to Ordinary Pugilists, the Rock Pugilists' attack power increased a little after fusing with the rock attribute. However, the most significant increase was naturally in their physical fitness and defense.

With the rock attribute, Murong Xue's defense would be even stronger.

Correspondingly, there were also some weaknesses. Their attack power was somewhat lacking, and they weren't flexible enough. That was also the reason why Liu Yan gave up.

However, for Murong Xue, those two weaknesses weren't a problem. With Liu Yan around, they definitely wouldn't lack in damage output. She only needed to be a good tank in front to block all the damage and protect Chu Long.

"Not bad, very strong." Liu Yan praised, then looked at Chu Long on the other side.

Chu Long's face was also full of joy. She said, "I also used twenty Yin cards and twenty Yang cards and became a Holy Priest after my class transition. Other than the basic healing ability, I can also use crowd control skills, increasing your battle strength and debuffing your opponents!"

Liu Yan nodded slightly when he heard that.

In the past, when Chu Long had the S-grade talent, Holy Healing, her healing ability was already very exaggerated.

However, other than healing, other aspects were not of much help in battle.

Now, it was completely different. Besides healing, she also had many crowd control skills that could aid them in battles.

As for how powerful those crowd control skills were, they could only test them out in future battles.

However, there was one thing that puzzled Liu Yan.

His class transition was to a relatively normal class, but both of them were rare class transitions.

Logically speaking, their class transitions were more powerful, so they should have used more Yin cards and Yang cards.

But in reality, each of them had only used twenty Yin cards and twenty Yang cards, while Liu Yan had used thirty Yin cards and thirty Yang cards.

Liu Yan was a little confused, so he could only wait until he had time to study that later.

Fortunately, Liu Yan and the other two had a large number of Yin cards and Yang cards, so they could afford to use them.

The three of them had used up seventy Yin cards and seventy Yang cards during their class transitions, but Liu Yan and the two women still had forty-two Yang cards and eighty-two Yin cards.

After removing the three Yin cards and three Yang cards needed to leave level three of the Tower, the three still had many Yin cards and Yang cards left.

Liu Yan didn't know if those Yang and Yin cards had any other uses besides leaving level three of the Tower and for class transitions. He would investigate further later.

The three had completed their class transitions, so the team's strength had increased tremendously.

According to Murong Xue and Chu Long's estimations, their current combat strength after class transitions had already increased tremendously, by around 50% instantly, not to mention in the future.

Liu Yan did not mention his situation, but he was very clear deep down. Although the Assassin class transition was relatively ordinary, the fused Dark Ranger class was very powerful.

After the class transition, Liu Yan's combat strength had at least doubled.

Not to mention that Liu Yan had just obtained his first S-grade weapon, Blade of the Night. His combat strength had instantly increased by several times.

Liu Yan's combat strength had increased by too much in one night.

The three of them were filled with joy. After eating some food, they rested and took turns to keep watch.

The following morning, Liu Yan and the other two set out.

There were still three days before the opening of the Yin-Yang Reversal Mysterious Door.

Liu Yan and the other two had completed their class transitions and gathered enough Yin and Yang cards. They even had quite a bit of extra cards.

So there was no need to think of ways to obtain Yin and Yang cards during those three days. Instead, they should think of ways to increase their combat strength.

Liu Yan brought Murong Xue and Chu Long toward the direction of the Yang Lake they had encountered yesterday.

After the previous night, Liu Yan's strength had increased tremendously. He was now completely capable of dealing with that Ancient Draconic Croc. So he naturally wanted to deal with it immediately.

This Ancient Draconic Croc was so mighty that it would definitely bring Liu Yan a huge harvest. Liu Yan could not wait any longer.

Murong Xue and Chu Long followed Liu Yan. Looking at the direction they were heading in, the two women were a little puzzled.

"Brother Liu Yan, what are we going to do? Why is the direction we're heading in the direction of yesterday's battle location?" Chu Long asked with some confusion.

Murong Xue, who was at the side, guessed, "I know. You saw that the three of us had successfully completed our class transitions, so you want to teach those Awakened from yesterday a lesson, right? It just so happens that I also want to take revenge. I want to teach them a good lesson for ganging up to kill us yesterday!"

Hearing this, Liu Yan smiled and shook his head. He said, "We can teach them a lesson and take revenge when we have time later. Teaching them a lesson won't bring us much benefit. What's the rush? You guys saw that powerful Ancient Draconic Croc too yesterday. Let's go and get rid of that Ancient Draconic Croc!"

When Chu Long and Murong Xue heard Liu Yan's words, the two women immediately stopped in their tracks, their faces filled with shock.

Chapter 98: Annihilate the Ancient Draconic Croc

"What? Find that Ancient Draconic Croc? That's too powerful!"

Chu Long's face was filled with shock. She had never thought that Liu Yan's goal would actually be that Ancient Draconic Croc.

Yesterday, they had personally witnessed the power of that Ancient Draconic Croc. It killed more than ten Awakened instantly in a single strike. They were not on the same level.

Murong Xue was also a little surprised. She looked at Liu Yan suspiciously and asked, "Liu Yan, how confident are you?"

"This Ancient Draconic Croc's strength is about the same as the Golden-armored Blue Ape's. I'm 80% confident." Liu Yan said calmly.

In reality, Liu Yan was conservative when he said he was 80% confident.

After becoming a Dark Ranger and obtaining the S-grade weapon, Blade of The Night, Liu Yan's strength had increased several times overnight.

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Initially, when Liu Yan went all out, he was probably only on par with the Ancient Draconic Croc.

After increasing his strength by so much, it would be easy to deal with the Ancient Draconic Croc. He was 100% confident.

Looking at the entire third level of the Tower, other than the Golden-armored Blue Ape, Liu Yan probably did not have any opponents he was afraid of.

After Liu Yan removed part of the magic spell, the Golden-armored Blue Ape released a portion of its strength.

According to the Golden-armored Blue Ape, even if it had only released a small portion of its strength, it was still several times stronger than before.

Liu Yan could no longer sense the Golden-armored Blue Ape's aura even if he relied on his A-grade perception skill. He could not sense its strength at all.

After releasing a portion of its strength, the Golden-armored Blue Ape was clearly no longer on the same level as Liu Yan, that was why Liu Yan could not sense it at all.

Although he wasn't a match for the Golden-armored Blue Ape, it was fortunate that the Golden-armored Blue Ape had a good relationship with Liu Yan. The Golden-armored Blue Ape, in fact, owed Liu Yan a favor and promised to help Liu Yan once, so Liu Yan naturally didn't need to worry about it.

Even though the current gap between him and the Golden-armored Blue Ape was huge, with his SSS-grade talent, Divine Extraction, Liu Yan's strength could increase exceptionally quickly.

Liu Yan believed that it was only a matter of time before he caught up to or surpassed the Golden-armored Blue Ape.

When Murong Xue heard Liu Yan's reply, her expression was slightly surprised.

Although Liu Yan didn't say it, she had already guessed that Liu Yan's strength had increased quite a bit.

And Murong Xue and Chu Long were clear that Liu Yan was not the type of person to talk big.

Since he said that he was 80% confident, then he definitely was.

"Alright then, let's go and fight the Ancient Draconic Croc together. However, though my strength has increased quite a bit, I reckon I won't be of much help. That Ancient Draconic Croc is too powerful." Murong Xue nodded slightly.

Liu Yan, on the other hand, had a relaxed expression. He smiled and said, "It's fine. Just leave the Ancient Draconic Croc to me to deal with. When the time comes, there will be a huge commotion during the battle. It will attract other fierce beasts and Awakened ones. You two will be responsible for guarding against the other fierce beasts and the Awakened ones, preventing them from causing trouble and affecting my battle with the Ancient Draconic Croc."

When the two women heard this, they agreed. At the same time, they were also a little excited. They actually had the chance to deal with the Ancient Draconic Croc.

Soon, Liu Yan and the other two arrived at the side of Yang Lake.

A few Awakened not far away immediately recognized Liu Yan and the other two and shouted.

"Look, aren't these three Awakened from the Yin region yesterday? Quickly call everyone over!"

"It's this guy. He killed two of my teammates yesterday, making me a lone ranger all of a sudden. Horrible!"

"Quick, call the guys. Let's take revenge together!"

"These three must have a lot of Yin cards on them. If we get them, we can all pass the trial on level three of the Tower."

"I was worried that I wouldn't be able to find these despicable guys, but they actually came to me. They're really courting death!"

"..."

As those Awakened shouted, the remaining Awakened gathered soon after.

They had suffered more than ten casualties yesterday, and there were still more than twenty people left.

At the same time, many of the remaining Awakened heard the commotion and began to watch from afar, but they didn't dare to approach.

The Awakened had also realized during the trial on level three of the Tower that it wasn't just the fierce beasts which were dangerous. There were also the Awakened, so they were all on guard against each other.

Liu Yan and the others heard that and glanced over. However, they did not pay much attention to it.

Liu Yan said calmly, "I'll leave it to you to fend them off."

Murong Xue and Chu Long nodded confidently.

Yesterday, when they were facing them, they might have been in a rather sorry state.

However, things were different now. Both of them had completed their class transitions. Moreover, both of them had transited into powerful and rare classes.

Furthermore, the Awakened on the other side had suffered heavy losses yesterday, and nearly half of them had died.

The current Murong Xue and Chu Long were naturally confident that they could stop those Awakened.

Liu Yan did not pay attention to Murong Xue and Chu Long. On the one hand, he trusted their strength. On the other hand, when he fought with the Ancient Draconic Croc later, those Awakened would definitely not dare get close to them and would hide far away.

Liu Yan had absolute confidence in dealing with the Ancient Draconic Croc. However, to the other Awakened, it was an existence that could crush them. It was simply not an existence that they could afford to offend.

The Ancient Draconic Croc's attack yesterday had even left a big psychological scar on those Awakened.

The Awakened from the Yang region rushed forward. There were more than twenty of them.

Liu Yan didn't even look at them. Chu Long hid behind while Murong Xue stepped forward alone.

Seeing that scene, the people watching from afar were shocked and started discussing.

"What's the situation with this group of people? So many people are surrounding a small team."

"How can a small team of three send just one person to face so many Awakened while the other two stand behind?"

"This man is too B*stard. He didn't even care about this side. Why is he looking at Yang Lake? Sending a woman to defend, is he still a man?"

"I heard that this team is the first Awakened team from the Yin region to block the Awakened from the Yang region. They had conflicts with the Awakened from the Yang region yesterday, and seems like they killed more than a dozen of them."

"More than ten? So powerful. It seems like these three people aren't as simple as they look. They might be very powerful."

"Interesting, interesting. There's going to be a good show today!"

“So what if they’re powerful? Can three people be a match for more than twenty people?”

“...”

At the same time, Murong Xue looked calm as she faced more than twenty Awakened charging at her.

“Rock Guardian!” Murong Xue shouted in a low voice. A circle of earthen yellow rock elements formed a rock wall around her and it was used as a defense.

Behind her, Chu Long also activated her support skill.

“Knight Reinforcement!”

As soon as her voice fell, a ball of green and sacred light landed on Murong Xue’s body.

Murong Xue immediately felt that her physical fitness, which was already extremely strong, had become much stronger. The strength in her body had become even stronger.

Murong Xue was a little surprised. Chu Long’s skill had increased her vitality and strength by around 20%. It was ridiculous!

At that moment, more than twenty Awakened on the opposite side had already rushed forward. Their attacks all landed on Murong Xue’s rock wall.

The attacks from more than twenty people did not have much effect.

The rock wall completely blocked the attacks of more than twenty powerful Awakened. Only a few cracks appeared on it, but it was not seriously damaged.

Chapter 99: Facing It Alone

The Awakened who were watching were all shocked when they saw that scene.

The Awakened, who could survive until now, were definitely the more powerful ones on level three of the Tower.

The weak had long died at the hands of the fierce beast or the other powerful Awakened.

But now, those twenty or so powerful Awakened were blocked by one person in a round of attack?

Such a scene was truly beyond their understanding.

“What’s going on? Is this woman so powerful?”

“That seems to be a rock wall, made of Earth elements. Its defense is relatively strong.”

“No matter how strong it is, it shouldn’t be able to block more than twenty people by itself, right? That is too strong!”

“No wonder her teammate looked like he didn’t care about her. It turns out there’s no need to care and help.”

“Damn, that is too comfortable. It would be great if I could have such a teammate. She’s so good-looking, and her strength is so heaven-defying. I wouldn’t dare do this even in my dreams!”

“ ... ”

The twenty or so Awakened who had made their moves were also shocked.

They had already guessed that Liu Yan and the other two were relatively strong. Otherwise, they wouldn't have been the first group to come to the Yang region from the Yin region.

However, they had never expected that they would be so strong.

At the same time, Liu Yan did not even glance at this place the entire time.

Using his Omniscient Insight, he sensed that the Ancient Draconic Croc was still under the Yang Lake. Liu Yan used the same trick again. He took out the Myriad Beast Bow, nocked the arrow, and used the A-grade skill, Flame Control. Attached with fire elements, it formed an Explosive Arrow.

After that, he used his A-grade skill, Split, to expand the range.

Following that, an arrow was shot out, splitting into five arrows that landed on the lake's surface.

The suppressed fire elements exploded instantly, causing five rather large waves on the lake's surface.

The lake's surface calmed down for a while, and then it began to churn.

The giant Ancient Draconic Croc emerged from the water surface and appeared in front of everyone.

Its appearance was similar to that of a crocodile, but its body size was much larger and as tall as a building.

At the same time, two dragon horns were on its forehead, making it look highly terrifying.

The twenty or so Awakened ones, who were about to continue attacking Murong Xue, saw that, and their faces were instantly filled with panic.

The scene from yesterday had once again appeared in front of them, and it was like a nightmare.

How could they dare to continue attacking Murong Xue? One after another, they turned around and ran, hurriedly leaving.

The Ancient Draconic Croc killed more than ten of their companions in one strike yesterday. The terrifying scene was still vivid in their minds. They did not want to follow in their footsteps and die under this fearsome Ancient Draconic Croc.

After they ran far away, the Awakened ones were panting heavily as they scolded Liu Yan.

“What is this guy trying to do by luring this terrifying fierce beast again?”

“This fierce beast is too powerful. Even if we attack it together, we won't be a match for it.”

“Is this guy crazy? Why must he lure out this fierce beast? Is he trying to drag everyone down with him?”

“ ... ”

Just as everyone was cursing, they were surprised to find that Liu Yan and the other two didn't run away. Instead, they were facing the terrifying Ancient Draconic Croc as if they were preparing for battle.

When they thought of this, disbelief appeared on everyone's faces. They felt that it was impossible.

The Ancient Draconic Croc was so mighty that it might not even be an existence that should be on level three of the Tower. With so many instantly killed, the three of them still want to attack the Ancient Draconic Croc?

The Ancient Draconic Croc's face was filled with fury.

It was suppressed here and was responsible for guarding the treasures, but it didn't have any other mission.

Therefore, it could not be bothered with those Awakened. The Awakened were too weak, so it could not be bothered to make a move on those weak Awakened.

However, those Awakened woke it up time and time again. It had already taught them a lesson yesterday, but they still dared to disturb its sleep today.

The Ancient Draconic Croc raised its head and let out a long roar. Its voice spread throughout the world, deafening and full of power.

Murong Xue and Chu Long, who were relatively close to the Ancient Draconic Croc, could not help but feel the pain in their eardrums and took a few steps back.

Liu Yan, who was at the side, had a calm expression. With his powerful constitution and attributes, he did not feel much towards the roar of the Ancient Draconic Croc.

Liu Yan said calmly, "All of you take a step back and protect yourselves. I can handle this myself."

"Then be careful." Murong Xue nodded slightly and instructed. Then she quickly brought Chu Long away from the side of the Yang Lake.

Although Murong Xue's personality was relatively tough, she was not stupid. She could sense that her strength was still far from the Ancient Draconic Croc's strength.

Even if she stayed where she was to help Liu Yan, she would not be of much help. On the contrary, she might be in danger because she was too weak. When that time came, Liu Yan would still have to save her, causing him more trouble instead of helping him.

However, Chu Long was a little worried about Liu Yan. She said worriedly, "Why don't I stay here? I'll be more careful. I can still help you."

However, Liu Yan smiled faintly and said, "Don't worry. I can handle it. Chu Long, you just need to protect yourself."

Chu Long saw Liu Yan's confident face and could not help but feel relieved. Only then did she leave with Murong Xue.

Having reached this level, the Ancient Draconic Croc already had a certain level of intelligence. Seeing this scene, it could naturally tell that that puny human wanted to provoke it.

The Ancient Draconic Croc stared at Liu Yan, its pupils dilated and its eyes filled with anger.

Being provoked by such a puny human, it felt very humiliated.

Liu Yan tried to use the smart wristband, but he was somewhat surprised to see information about the Ancient Draconic Croc.

[Ancient Draconic Croc]

Talent: SS-grade

Level: 30

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Description: Possesses the bloodline of a dragon. Extremely powerful. Suppressed here, which restricted most of its strength.

After looking at the information panel, Liu Yan confirmed that it was similar to the Golden-armored Blue Ape. Both were mighty fierce beasts. Its strength was greatly restricted while being suppressed here.

If it were at its full strength and high level, Liu Yan would not be a match for it since he was only level 10 or so currently.

Liu Yan was a little puzzled. When the smart wristband checked the Golden-armored Blue Ape, it could not find any information. However, when he checked the Ancient Draconic Croc, he could find out the information.

Could it be that the Golden-armored Blue Ape was even more powerful?

This Ancient Draconic Croc's talent had already reached SS-grade. Could it be that the Golden-armored Blue Ape was already powerful enough to reach SSS-grade or even higher than the legendary grade?

When he thought of this, Liu Yan was extremely shocked.

No wonder the Golden-armored Blue Ape said that if it could display 10% of its strength, it would be enough to crush Liu Yan. It seemed that it was not boasting at all. It did have that strength in the past.

However, although the Ancient Draconic Croc in front of him was also terrifying, the gap between it and the Golden-armored Blue Ape was still huge. In addition, its strength was also restricted by quite a bit. Liu Yan naturally had nothing to fear.

"What are you looking at? I'll kill you today." Liu Yan glanced at the Ancient Draconic Croc glaring at him and cursed in a bad mood.

The Ancient Draconic Croc seemed to understand Liu Yan's words and immediately roared toward the sky in anger.

Under the huge roar, the entire Yang Lake churned up huge waves.

The Awakened not far away saw that and were all trembling in fear.

Chapter 100: Disadvantages of Increasing One's Strength Too Quickly

Above the Yang Lake was an enormous Ancient Draconic Croc, incomparably terrifying.

Liu Yan, beside the lake, appeared to be extremely tiny compared to the Ancient Draconic Croc.

Liu Yan remained standing quietly in the face of the terrifying roar of the Ancient Draconic Croc. His expression was calm.

Even Chu Long and Murong Xue, standing a little further away, couldn't help but feel tremendous pressure when facing the Ancient Draconic Croc's terrifying aura, despite their extremely rare S-grade talents and not having low levels. They had even completed their class transitions, so their strength wasn't weak.

Liu Yan glanced at the Ancient Draconic Croc, then took out his Myriad Beast Bow from his spatial ring.

After drawing the bow and nocking the arrow, he activated his A-grade skill, Flame Control, and terrifying fire elements instantly covered the arrows' feathers.

He then activated his B-grade skill, Poison Control, and all sorts of potent toxins were attached to the arrow.

At the same time, he also activated his C-grade skill, Wind Control, to increase the arrow's speed.

Finally, he activated his A-grade skill, Split. The arrow shot out instantly split into five arrows.

The five arrows were all imbued with powerful fire elements and various poisons, but their power didn't decrease in the slightest.

The Ancient Draconic Croc's body was huge, and its defense was astonishing. So, it didn't take Liu Yan's attack seriously and didn't even dodge.

The five arrows directly hit it, but they could not penetrate the terrifying armor of the Ancient Draconic Croc.

The fire elements and poison exploded, but the poison couldn't enter the Ancient Draconic Croc's body and so was unable to cause much damage to it.

However, when the terrifying fire elements exploded, it caused a lot of damage to the Ancient Draconic Croc. Even its skin was a little charred.

The Ancient Draconic Croc looked at Liu Yan in surprise. It did not expect that there was actually a puny human who could harm it in this low-level place.

At that moment, the Awakened, watching from afar, saw that Liu Yan took the initiative to attack the Ancient Draconic Croc. All of them were shocked.

"What is this guy doing? Does he want to die?"

"I don't understand. Why is this guy still not running away? Is he thinking about attacking the Ancient Draconic Croc?"

"That's right. He just lured the Ancient Draconic Croc out and chased us away. He has already achieved his goal. Why isn't he running away?"

"Why do I feel like this guy is really going to attack the Ancient Draconic Croc?"

“Look, this guy is so strong. He actually caused damage to the Ancient Draconic Croc!”

“...”

The Awakened were all shocked when they saw that not only did Liu Yan attack the Ancient Draconic Croc, but it also seemed like Liu Yan’s attack had some effect, causing damage to the Ancient Draconic Croc.

Liu Yan looked at the wound on the Ancient Draconic Croc’s body and wasn’t satisfied.

That arrow was almost half the strength that Liu Yan could display with his archery. Although it caused damage to the Ancient Draconic Croc, it was minimal damage. Considering the Ancient Draconic Croc’s tough skin and thick flesh, it was not painful.

Other than the skills he had just used, the most Liu Yan could do was to use his A-grade skill, Electrification, to attach the power of the Lightning attribute to the arrow. The damage would be slightly greater, but it would not be much greater.

As for the Power of Desolation and others, the weak Myriad Beast Bow could not withstand Liu Yan’s terrifying power.

Liu Yan frowned slightly. It seemed like he would have to get a powerful bow and arrow to use later. The Myriad Beast Bow really couldn’t keep up.

It wasn’t that the Myriad Beast Bow wasn’t strong. In fact, the Myriad Beast Bow had already reached C-grade. The Awakened on level three of the Tower would be lucky to have a D-grade weapon, let alone a C-grade one.

It was just that Liu Yan’s strength had increased too quickly. The Myriad Beast Bow couldn’t match up to Liu Yan’s strength at all.

After all, since Liu Yan entered level three of the Tower, his overall combat strength had probably increased by more than ten times.

If he continued to use the Myriad Beast Bow, he would be able to deal damage to the Ancient Draconic Croc. However, the damage would be too small. Even if he could finish the Ancient Draconic Croc, he would still need to spend a lot of time. That was clearly not what Liu Yan wanted to see.

Following that, Liu Yan immediately put away the Myriad Beast Bow and prepared to deal with the Ancient Draconic Croc in close combat.

At that moment, the Ancient Draconic Croc had already launched its attack. With a roar, it opened its mouth and spat out a water pillar.

On the surface, it was just a simple water pillar, but it contained a terrifying momentum.

Seeing this, Liu Yan naturally would not face it head-on. Relying on the movement technique of his newly transited Dark Ranger class, Flicker, he moved his body slightly to the side and cleverly dodged it.

Flicker didn’t increase Liu Yan’s speed much, but the increase in his bodily movement was enormous, making Liu Yan’s bodily movement incredibly nimble.

In addition, Liu Yan's agility attribute was already wildly exaggerated. Now, Liu Yan's speed and agility were already very terrifying. He could face the Ancient Draconic Croc's attacks utterly effortlessly.

There was no need to use the S-grade skill, Sonic Speed. It could be used as a hidden trump card.

The S-grade skill, Sonic Speed, was a terrifying speed skill obtained from the Golden-armored Blue Ape. Using it could give Liu Yan a terrifying speed of sixteen times the speed of sound. Liu Yan didn't want to use it unless necessary.

Although the Ancient Draconic Croc in front of him was extremely powerful, it hadn't reached the point of using Sonic Speed.

After dodging the attacks of the Ancient Draconic Croc, Liu Yan didn't retreat. Instead, he charged straight toward the Ancient Draconic Croc.

When the Ancient Draconic Croc saw this, its eyes immediately flashed with joy.

It was originally best at close combat but not good in long-range. So, it was currently unable to do anything to that agile human from long-range. It didn't expect that human to actually be stupid enough to dare to fight it in close combat.

The Awakened, watching from afar, were even more shocked when they saw this. They had seen bold people before, but not so bold ones. Not only did he dare provoke the terrifying Ancient Draconic Croc, he even dared to take the initiative to fight it in close combat.

"Damn, why is this person so bold?"

"Fighting the Ancient Draconic Croc in close combat? Is he serious?"

"Even though we are Awakened, and our physical fitness might have greatly enhanced, we are still humans. We can't be compared to fierce beasts high in physical fitness, especially this Ancient Draconic Croc."

Even Murong Xue and Chu Long, who were in charge of guarding not far from Liu Yan, were shocked when they saw the situation. They did not expect Liu Yan to be so bold and were immediately worried.

However, the two women also understood that that was the crucial period of Liu Yan's battle. No matter how worried they were, they did not dare to make a sound to stop him. They did not want to affect Liu Yan's attention and affect Liu Yan's battle.

Just then, Liu Yan had already arrived in front of the Ancient Draconic Croc. The Ancient Draconic Croc was already prepared, and its huge mouth directly bit Liu Yan.

Liu Yan's Flicker was highly nimble. In a flash, he easily dodged and arrived beside the Ancient Draconic Croc.

When he dodged the Ancient Draconic Croc's attack, he also launched his attack simultaneously.

A-grade weapon, Soft Blade Boxing Gloves, fully activated.

A-grade skill, Flame Control, was activated, attaching a terrifying element to his body and the Soft Blade Boxing Gloves.

A-grade skill, Power of Desolation, was activated, and Liu Yan's strength received an alarming increase. Finally, his A-grade skill, Blazing Tyrant Fist, was activated. Liu Yan's gaze turned cold, and he suddenly punched the Ancient Draconic Croc with a terrifying might.