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"Congratulations, congratulations!"

After watching Severin and Sheila argue like a couple for a while, he quickly understood the situation. He laughed out loud and congratulated Severin, "Congratulations Brother Severin. Both of you match perfectly together and are meant to be together. You guys have quite a lot. in common. Severin, you're lucky fellow to have Sheila fallen for you!"

Severin nearly fainted. What the hell was that? Two minutes ago, Claude was ordering his men to kill Severin and now he was calling Severin his brother. Severin also did not understand why Claude say Severin and Sheila have a lot in common.

On the other hand, Sheila enjoyed the good wishes from Claude. Her eyes twinkled and she asked excitingly, "Do you really think so, Gang Leader Claude? Are Severin and I really at perfect match?"

"Of course. Haha. A perfect match!" Claude replied immediately with the intention to please the Ballards. Currently, he looked nothing like the supreme Gang Leader with a kind smile on his face.

"Gang Leader Claude?" Severin frowned.

Only at that moment, Claude introduced himself. "Hi. I'm the Gang Leader of the Emerald Cloud Gang. Claude Emeraldo. Nice to meet you!"

Severin sneered coldly after hearing the introduction. He said back with a mean face, "Hehe. It's not nice to meet you at all. If you're really that happy to see me, why did you ask your men to attack me just now? From the way they tried to attack me, I think they were trying to kill me!"

"What?" Sheila gasped and asked, "Gang Leader Claude, what's going on? You were trying to kill him? Why?"

Claude's mouth twitched a few times. He knew it was essential for him to deal with the situation well to avoid offending Severin furthermore.

With an awkward chuckle, he said, "Miss Sheila, let me explain it to you. There were some misunderstandings between Brother Severin and my man. Thus, they wanted to take revenge that's all."

After that, he smiled again. "But now that I know Brother Severin is your sweetheart, my men will not go after Severin anymore and let the small misunderstanding goes with the wind"

Sheila smiled pleasantly upon hearing that, "That's more like it. Listen up. If anyone dares to bully Severin in the future, those people have to come to deal with me. I'll make sure they will never hear the end of it!"

Hugh was standing at the back. When he heard that, his mouth twitched 'I lost my manhood. and they said it was a small misunderstanding?

In spite of that, he knew he was unable to have his revenge anymore. As expected, Claude turned around to face Hugo and Hugh "Hey, you two. Don't ever go make trouble for Brother Severin anymore From now on, we are starting off with a clean slate"

"Yes, sir!" Without a choice, Hugo, Brad, and the rest could only obey Claude's instructions

Hugh lowered his head and said nothing as he felt incredibly upset. After how badly Severin did to him, he could not even have the chance to avenge himself.

"Brother Severin, don't worry. My people will not be looking for your trouble anymore!" Claude turned around again and this time, he faced Severin.

"Hmph! Let's hope that is the case. If not, they are just looking for their own death!" Severin smiled sarcastically and said, "My name is Severin Feuillet. You can call me Severin."

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"I think it's better for me to call you Mister Severin. I see that's what the others call you," Claude said.

"Are you guys here to visit the Ballards?" Severin looked at Claude and his men. He frowned and was curious to see Zachariah invite both Draco Hall and Emerald Cloud Gang here today.

Claude smiled. "Yes. Mister Zachariah had invited us over to discuss something. So here we are. But we didn't expect to see you here too."

Severin smiled. "Hehe. I think Mister Zachariah is sick. Since I'm free today, so I thought of coming to give him a check-up."

"Haha. Great. Let's go in together!" Claude smiled and stretched his hand out to show a welcome gesture.

Severin looked at Claude and thought differently of him. He must admit as the Gang Leader of the Emerald Cloud Gang, Claude was a smart man. Especially when Claude knew he was close with Sheila, Claude immediately changed his attitude. Claude was an attentive and perceptive person. No wonder, the Emerald Cloud Gang was well-developed.

Severin remembered Larry used to tell him that Emerald Cloud Gang used to be the weakest among the gangs. They only used a few years to build from the bottom and not long later, they were on the same level as Draco Hall and Cedar Gang.

Without Severin's help, Draco Hall could not gobble Cedar Gang so easily. If Draco Hall did not gobble up Cedar Gang, Emerald Cloud Gang could have a chance to be the leader within these three gangs in the future.

The moment Claude did not discriminate against Severin and even made the gesture had said. everything. Claude was the reason for Emerald Cloud Gang's success.

Severin, Claude, and Sheila walked together while the others followed behind them. They entered a large living room. Zachariah had set up the chair and table as he waited for them.

The other people Zachariah had invited were those from Emerald Cloud Gang and Draco Hall. He frowned when he saw Severing entering together with Claude. "Severin, why are you here?" It was true that he admired Severin due to Severin's ability to fight and his medical skill. However, he only wished for Severin to join the Ballards to work for him. Never would he consider having Severin marry his daughter.

Yet, Sheila was very fond of Severin and that had caused a headache for him.

Before Severin answered, Zachariah continued, "So you're a member of the Emerald Cloud Gang? No wonder you can fight so well. I didn't know you are one of the elite fighters from the Emerald Cloud Gang I even thought about hiring you to be the captain of my bodyguard team. I guess that's out of the question now."

Severin smiled awkwardly. "Mister Zachariah, I'm not a member of the Emerald Cloud Gang Actually, I'm here to examine your body today."

"Examine my body?" Zachariah's face became sullen.

The reason he had invited Draco Hall and Emerald Cloud Gang here today was to discuss the

future relationship between the Brookbourn Mansion, Draco Hall, and Emerald Cloud Gang. It sounded so wrong now to hear Severin came here with the intention to examine his body now.

Besides, he did not think there was anything wrong with his body other than experiencing occasional numbness in his limbs. In fact, he even went for a body check just a few days ago. The doctor said he was fine so why was Severin here to examine his body?

He thought for a while and sneered coldly. "Hehe. Severin, I really thought you were a miracle doctor. You have a good pretty impressive medical skill but you're not such an ethical doctor."

Severin frowned. "Not an ethical doctor? What do you mean by that? Honestly speaking, I seldom treat patients and only treated just a few patients. But every one of them was very satisfied with me and they were all cured. So why are you saying I'm not an ethical doctor?"

When he said that, anger spread through him. As a doctor, it was a big deal when someone said he was an ethical doctor. It was more serious than saying his medical skill was not up to par.

Most importantly, he was never a scammer. His goal was to save people when he decided to learn to be a doctor. Not because he wanted to hurt people!

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Zachariah chuckled. "You've earned a lot when you treated the head of the Longhorns. Then I also heard you earn a lot when you treated Madam Jodie of the Zelankos. Yes, it does say that your medical skill is exceptional."

He paused for a while before continuing to talk, "But isn't it very unethical for you to come to fool me just because you want to take some benefit for me?"

"I'm fooling you? Hehe. How funny. I'm not the sort of person who would make a joke when it's a life or death matter!" Severin scoffed and was even more unhappy.

On the sideline, Hugh was secretly gloating when Severin and Zachariah were about to enter a fight. The only reason Claude disallowed them to take revenge was only because Severin and Sheila were close with each other. If Severin had a fallout with the Ballards or even infuriated Zachariah, Claude would not have to be wary of Severin anymore. By that time, it was time for Severin to go to hell.

"Life or death matter? I know my body very well. There's nothing wrong with my body. And I went for a check-up just two days ago. The doctor said I'm fine. So how can I be sick?" Zachariah chuckled.

In order to stop his daughter from having an affection for Severin, he turned around to face Sheila. "Sheila, look at him. He's a scammer. You need to stay away from this kind of people."

"Dad! What are you talking about? He's not a scammer!" Sheila was so angry. She said with her gritted teeth, "Dad, just let him examine your body. What if you have some sort of illness that the hospital could not discover?"

However, Zachariah was not persuaded. "How is that possible? I went to the best hospital in the city. Do you seriously think the hospital could not discover if I'm sick or not?"

At that moment, Severin suddenly noticed a chair made out of mahogany in the middle of the living room. The chair looked extremely superior. There were two dragon head statues on both. sides of the chair handle. The dragons were biting on a dragon ball in their mouth. Taking a closer look, those dragon balls were luminous pearls.

Zachariah noticed Severin was being quiet and discovered Severin was looking at his mahogany chair. He chuckled. "Hoho. What do you think? This chair is called Double Dragon Throne Chair. My brother shipped it back to me from overseas. He said it belonged to a king in the old times. Haha. I think no one else could have a similar chair in this city!"

He paused and corrected himself. "No! I don't think you can find another one in the entire country!"

Immediately, Claude stepped forward. "This Double Dragon Throne Chair looks so good. The dragon head statues looked so surreal. I don't think anyone could easily be worthy of possessing such a chair. Only a big shot like Mister Zachariah was worthy to own such a chair."

"Haha. You think so?" Zachariah smiled even brighter as he felt happy upon hearing that.

However, he did not expect Severin to pour a bucket of cold water over his excitement in just a second

"Hoho. I'm afraid you don't even know how you end up in hell if you continue to sit on that

chair!" Severin said sarcastically.

Zachariah's smile froze. He gave Severin an angry glare. "You damn kid! What crap are you talking about? Are you cursing me?"

Severin smiled. "I'm not cursing you. I thought you were sick when your face did not look. good earlier on. Now that I know, you're not sick. You're poisoned. But I'm really surprised to find out your brother is the one who poison you."

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"B*Ilshit!" That was the first word that came out of Zachariah's mouth. He was infuriated." Hey kid, I think you have gone crazy thinking about how to earn more money. Just because

you

earned a lot after you treated Mister Henry and Madam Jodie, now you're aiming at me to try to get some money out of my pocket, is it? Hmph! My body is fine. How can I possibly be poisoned? If I'm poisoned, do you think I can stand here and argue with you?"

Hugh stepped right up and agreed. "That's right! Mister Zachariah, I believe he's up to no good and will resort to anything just to earn some money. Don't believe in him. You've just gone for a body check-up in the hospital. How can you be poisoned now?"

"But..." Sheila panicked and did not know what to do. When Severin told her that her father was ill, she was hoping Severin could come to look at her father. If her father was really ill, Severin could help to treat him. In return, it was a chance for her to perform herself and probably impressed her father too.

Yet, having them argue was never part of her plan. If this continued, she doubted her father would agree to let her be with Severin.

"My brother and I always contacted each other and we have a very good relationship. Stop with the nonsense. Do you seriously think I'm going to believe he gave the chair to me because he wants to kill me?" Zachariah said coldly.

After that, he said to a middle-aged man standing at the side, "Kavari, please send this man out!"

"Dad, how could you do that? I'm the one who invited Severin here. He's my friend. Can't your guys talk nicely?" Sheila stomped her feet angrily.

However, Zachariah could not be bothered to deal with his daughter and had a stone-cold expression on his face.

Kavari Yoshi. He had a strong and tall body. Although he looked like he was in his mid forty, he looked very energetic and spirited. He was one of the few guardians of the Ballards.

Most importantly, he was not a grandmaster. His level was higher and stronger than a grandmaster's. As a matter of fact, he was a profound master.

From the ranking of the fighter, you could call yourself a fighter if you could defeat more than ten commoners. The grandmaster was stronger than a fighter. For example, the captain of the bodyguard and personal bodyguard for Sheila, Wallace was a level seven grandmaster.

However, there was an existence that had surpassed the grandmaster in the Ballards. That was why the Ballards could become Brookbourn Mansion. The kingmaker was the profound master.

The profound master was such a strong existence that even three or four level nine grandmasters could not defeat him.

Kavari is a level two profound master. His ability could easily blow your mind away

"Come on, kid!" Kavari took a step forward and said coldly, "I would have broken your leg if you were not Miss Sheila's guest."

Severin's face was looking bad when Zachariah accused him. He acted out of kindness to come to give Zachariah's body a look and never had he mentioned he was going to ask for money

Yet, Zachariah thought he was here to scam money. It was normal for Severin to feel angry.

At first, he thought he should just leave as he was told. Yet, Kavarin actually threatened to break his leg. He found it very insulting.

As he squinted his eyes, he asked, "Who the hell do you think you are? Talking to me like this? believe I'll be the one who breaks your leg?"

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"Hoho. You're asking who I am. I'm the guardian of the Ballards!" Kavari sneered coldly.

His eyes were sharp like the tip of a knife as he gave Severin a deadly glare. "Do you remember Wallace? He's my son so tell me who do you think I am?"

After that, Kavari turned around to face Zachariah. "Mister Zachariah, I don't think I can put up with this. My son is still lying in the hospital. I won't kill him but I need to break one of his legs. I hope you can allow me to do it!"

Hugh was extremely happy to hear that. With a weird tone, he added fuel to the fire. "What? Mister Kavari's son is in the hospital? Tsk, tsk. Severin, you're really very amazing."

Zachariah looked at Severin and Kavari. Pretending to feel trouble, he said, "Mister Kavari, I don't think that's suitable. Even though I'm not the one who invited Severin over here, my daughter was the one who invited him. No matter what, he's still our guest!"

Upon listening to that, Sheila was relieved as she nodded her head vehemently. "That's right! He's our guest. How can you break our guest's leg?"

Just when Sheila was gloating on her father's righteous mind and taking her side, Zachariah continued, "It's going to make us look bad if you break his leg and the others find out about it. No one will dare to come to our house anymore. But when he's out of our compound, he's no longer the guest of the Ballards. I won't meddle with your personal matters!"

Kavari was thrilled to hear that. From that, he was allowed to fight Severin as soon as Severin left the Ballard's compound.

"Kid, I'm going to let you go today for the sake of the head of the Ballards!" Kavari looked at Severin with a proud and arrogant face.

Severin smiled faintly. "That's not necessary. If you want to fight me, then just do it. If you have the ability to break my leg, I will not say anything about it. Mister Zachariah is right. This is between you and me, our personal matter!"

After that, he looked at Zachariah. "Mister Zachariah, like you said, this is between me and him. If I break his leg, I take it you won't look for my trouble. And you won't think that I've offended you, right?"

"Haha! So arrogant. If you have the ability, please do so. I won't blame you for anything!" Zachariah scoffed contemptuously.

In his mind, he reckoned Severin was utmost a level eight or level nine grandmaster. There was no way Severin could defeat Kayari.

"Severin. Why are you doing this? Mister Kavari is very strong. What am I going to do if he really breaks your leg?" It scared the hell out of Sheila as she quickly approached Severin and

said with a frown.

Severin felt warm when he saw how worried Sheila was. He could tell Sheila really worried about him and treated him as a friend. He smiled. "Don't worry. He's nothing I can take him down within minutes.

"Haha! So funny. Take him down within minutes! Go and try it, kid!"

An old man was standing at the side with his arms folded in front of his chest. He was also a guardian of the Ballards and much stronger than Kavari. He found what Severin said very amusing.

"You're the one asking this. Don't blame me. I'll be nice and let you keep one leg!" Kavari sneered coldly and wasted no time.

He raised his leg and kicked at Severin.

"Hmph!" Severin snorted coldly. He stepped once and easily avoided Kavari's attack. Instantly, he leaped back several feet away.

"So fast!"

Claude saw it and thought Severin was not as weak as he looked. Especially when Kavari was a level two profound master. Kavari's speed was very quick too. If they were not high-level fighters, they probably could not even see how Kavari attacked.

Nevertheless, Severin managed to avoid the attack. It just said Severin was not an easy opponent.

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"Stop hiding if you dare!" Kavari stepped and dashed to the front when Severin avoided his attack. He was infuriated!

"I see an opportunity!"

Severin also moved when Kavari was dashing at him. When Kavari ran over, his speed was too fast as he wanted to attack Severin with a punch. Severin was able to spot Kavari's right leg up in the air. He flashed and appeared on the right side of Kavari. With a powerful kick, he kicked at Kavari's right calf.

"Ka-chang!" A bone-cracking sound appeared. Although it was not very loud, Severin heard it.

"Ahh!" Again, Kavari failed to land his punch on Severin. He turned around and wanted to attack Severin again. However, a painful feeling came from his right leg and had him fall to the ground. He was in so much pain that the blue veins on his forehead became visible. Sweats were falling off his face.

"Ahh! My leg!"

Kavari held his right leg painfully. The tremendous pain was so severe that it nearly made him pass out.

"What ... "

The elite fighters presented at the scene were dumbstruck even though they had seen many fights before. Especially the guardians of the Ballards. They knew how scary Kavari could be. Yet, it took just a mere two seconds for Severin to break Kavari's leg. It was a loss for Kavari that they never anticipated.

The old man who had looked down on Severin was dumbstruck with his arms still folded in front of his chest. He knew it was going to take him some time to defeat Kavari if he fought. Kavari. It was near impossible to have found an opportunity to strike and defeat Kavari in such a short time.

"Someone!" Zachariah's face did not look good.

Before this, he was assured Severin was not Kavari's match. He was waiting for Kavari to break. Severin's leg so his daughter would no longer like Severin the poor kid anymore. No girl was willing to marry a man with a broken leg. Yet, the outcome was just disappointing when the one who lost the fight was his guardian. Did he just embarrass himself?

"Wow! Severin, you're so amazing! No wonder I'm into you!"

Sheila's hanging heart finally rested when Severin won the fight so quickly. She approached him and used admiring eyes to gaze at him. Soon, many bodyguards ran inside and did not know what happened.

Severin looked at Kavari and said, "Don't worry. I didn't use all my power. You only suffered from a fractured bone. You'll recover after a few months if you go to the hospital now!"

At this point, he paused and used a calm tone to speak "I didn't break your leg entirely and make you a disabled person so treat this as a lesson. Don't be an arrogant person. You're just a level two profound master. It's not enough for you to be acting so superior and mighty!"

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Everyone presented in the living room had a terrible look on their faces except for Severin and Sheila after hearing what Severin said, especially the people from Emerald Cloud Gang. Some of their rankings were so much lower than Kavari's. If Severin despised Kavari, could they think Severin was despising them too?

"Bring Mister Kavari to the hospital!"

With a sullen face, Zachariah ordered the bodyguards who ran in just now. The bodyguards quickly carried Kavari out and brought him to the hospital.

"Severin! You're too amazing and fantastic!" Sheila was still using excitingly eyes to gaze at Severin.

Zachariah glared at her and said, "Come over here, Sheila! He just defeated our guardian and yet, you're praising him? Aren't you ashamed of yourself?"

Reluctantly, Sheila went back and stood beside her father. She mumbled, "Hmph! Mister Kavari was the one who wanted to fight Severin in the first place. Besides, Severin was just defending himself!"

"I..." Zachariah was speechless.

Severin sneered coldly. "Mister Zachariah if you don't believe me and insist that I'm here to trick you to get some benefits, I'll just leave now. Based on my assumption, you have quite an amount of poison in your body now. Predictably, the poison is going to take effect within three days. When it does, you're going to vomit blood!"

After that, he bid goodbye. "Take care!"

"Within three days? Vomit blood?" Nevertheless, Zachariah still did not believe. "What a tonne of b*Ilshit! Do you think I'm going to believe in you just because you are saying those to scare me? Please leave. I didn't invite you here today! I know my body very well!"

Probably, Zachariah would believe in Severin if Severin did not say Zachariah's brother was the one who tried to hurt him. When Severin said the chair was poisoned, Zachariah could not find a reason to believe Severin. Mainly because he was always good with his brothers since. they were small.

He was proud of the chair his brother gave him. Ever since the chair arrived, he had been sitting on it for many months now. Every time there was a guest in the house, he would surely introduce them to his chair because he was really proud to own the chair.

Thus, he was assured Severin was a scammer when Severin said his brother was trying to kill him.

"Goodbye! I have said everything there is to say!" Severin could not be bothered to waste his time and just left.

"Hey. Don't go! Let's go shopping together!" Sheila was going to go after Severin when Severin was leaving

"Sheila! Come back here now!" Zachariah yelled out loud and had Sheila stop where she was.

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Sheila watched as Severin left. She turned around and looked at Zachariah angrily. "Dad! How can you do that? Indeed, you didn't invite him here today. But I was the one who invited him! He's still our guest. How can you talk to our guests in that manner? Besides I don't think Severin is someone who likes to talk nonsense!"

Zachariah sneered coldly. "Then are you saying your uncle is going to kill me? Killing me with that chair? What a joke! I have been sitting on that chair for many months and nothing happened. Then he came here and said your uncle is trying to kill me with this chair. How do you want me to believe in that?"

Sheila was speechless after hearing that. She knew very well what kind of person her uncle was. Her uncle had been working overseas for many years and had been quite successful. Theoretically speaking, he did not have a reason to kill her father.

Just when Severin was at the door, he met Larry and Blade from Draco Hall. They brought several elite fighters with them.

"Haha, Mister Severin, you're so early. Here you are, waiting for us at the door already!" Blade laughed out loud when he saw Severin at the door.

Since Severin did not want to reveal his identity, Blade had no choice but to call him Mister Severin. Severin's mouth twitched a few times. He was going to tell them he was leaving and he did not just arrive.

Looking at Larry and Blade, he frowned and decided to tell them what happened. "At first,

Sheila invited me here to give her father a body check. Who knew her father refused and did not believe there was something wrong with his body? So that's it. I'm going to leave now. You guys go ahead and I'm not going in anymore."

Instantly, Blade got all worked up and said angrily, "F*ck him! He should be happy that a miracle doctor is willing to give him a body check! Why don't we leave too and let him f*ck himself?"

Larry frowned. "But we don't know why he invited us here. Brookbourn Mansion is the strongest force in the city now. I'm afraid they are not going to be happy if we just leave now!"

Severin thought about it and was curious about one question. "I don't know what are they thinking of. They didn't just invite you guys but also the people from Emerald Cloud Gang too!

"What?" Blade gasped. "Emerald Cloud Gang is inside too? What the hell is Zachariah Ballard trying to do? Do you think he is pulling the same trick as Cedar Gang did with us and spiked the alcohol to poison us?"

The elite fighters' faces looked terrible when they heard that. The previous incident had actually traumatized them and they were scared that it was going to happen again today. That was why they could understand why Larry and Blade treated Severin so nicely. Severin was the one who saved them when Larry and Blade went to Cedar Gang. Severin was their savior. Thus, it was normal to see Larry and Blade treat Severin with respect.

An old man bit his lip and walked forward. "Mister Severin, I hope you can go in with us. You are a miracle doctor and you can tell if they did put poison in the food or beverage with just a

look. It will be safer for us."

Larry looked at Severin and nodded his head. "That's right. We can't tell for sure if Zachariah is trying to destroy us and Emerald Cloud Gang together in one go by inviting us here. Although our business is mainly bars, internet cafes, and massage parlors, we never deal with any illegal stuff!"

Blade also nodded with affirmation. "That must be it! He's trying to destroy us in one go and Brookbourn Mansion is going to be the only force left in this city. No one dares to cross them in the future!"

Severin smiled bitterly. "Alright. I'm also curious why he invited you guys and Emerald Cloud Gang here today. I'll go in with you. If he asks about me, just say I'm a member of Draco Hall. You don't have to explain too much!"

"Yes! With you together with us, we feel much more safe!" Blade said with a smile.

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"After you, Mister Severin."

Larry and Blade walked in the front and made a welcoming gesture. For those with sharp eyes and an attentive personality, it was easy to discover Severin was in the middle. Whereas Larry and Blade were walking beside him.

After a while, Severin noticed his placement was not right. He immediately invited Larry and Blade to the front. "Take the lead please!"

Larry and Blade exchanged looks with each other and smiled awkwardly before they walked to the front. Deep down in their heart, they had acknowledged Severin as their leader. Thus, they had acted intuitively.

"Hello, Mister Larry. Please come in, please come in!" Zachariah welcomed Larry as he saw Larry and the others walking in.

"Hello, Mister Larry." Claude also greeted.

However, they quickly noticed Severin was behind Larry and Balde. The smile on their faces. became frozen immediately.

"Hoho. Hello, Mister Zachariah and Mister Claude!" Larry smiled and also greeted them. Zachariah looked at Severin and said, "Hey Severin, why are you here? Didn't I ask you to leave just now? I already told you I'm not sick and I don't need you to treat me!"

"Dad. Stop it! I'm sure he's not here to treat you. I think he misses me and comes back to find me!" Sheila said shyly.

Zachariah was speechless. He wondered if someone could help him to wake up his daughter. He really did not want his daughter to be together with Severin. Yes, Severin could fight well and knew medical skills. However, he reckoned his daughter should be with someone from at first-tier upper--class family or maybe the son of Riverson Mansion. That would be the best.

turnout.

He had once met the young master of the Riverson Mansion. The young master was a handsome and talented young guy. And Riverson was at least three times bigger than Brookbourn.

Zachariah did not dare to offend anyone from the first-tier upper-class family in Riverson, needless to say, someone from the Riverson Mansion. Thus, he could only hope If his

daughter could marry the young master from the Riverson Mansion.

"Stop it!" He glared at his daughter and had a feeling he was the one who spoilt her.

Sheila pouted and could not be bothered by her father. She continued to gaze at Severin. "Hey, handsome, why did you come back? Did you miss me? Let's go shopping together!"

Blade saw what was happening and laughed. "Haha. Miss Sheila, you have good taste. This is a very good man. ite's very handsome too. If you marry him, I'm sure you are going to live happily ever after!"

Larry touched his nose and looked pleased.

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Severin walked right up and said, "Mister Zachariah, I'm not here because of you. Since you don't like the idea of me checking your body, I won't definitely force you. I'm here because I'm a member of Draco Hall so I come together with my Hall Master."

"You're a member of Draco Hall? You already joined Draco Hall?" Claude was surprised and his mouth twitched a few times.

From the fight they witnessed just now, they could not tell what was Severin's rankings. The only thing they could be for sure was Severin was at least a level three or level four profound

master.

Severin definitely possessed a terrifying great deal of strength. If someone like him joined Draco Hall, that meant Draco Hall just got themselves one more powerful fighter.

All the time, Claude had been worried Draco Hall would destroy Emerald Cloud Gang Draco Hall was getting stronger. It worried him even more after learning Severin was a member of Draco Hall.

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Zachariah's face was looking gloomy. Just like Claude, he was worried Draco Hall was getting stronger. That was why he had invited Draco Hall and Emerald Cloud Gang to gather here today to talk about the future.

Little did he know, Severin was actually a member of Draco Hall.

"Haha. Yes. Mister Severin is part of Draco Hall. We're very honored to have him join us!" Larry laughed and admitted Severin was one of them.

"If that's the case, he is welcomed to be here as my guest too!"

Zachariah gritted his teeth and forced himself to calm down. He gave his instruction to his servant. "Bring the chairs over!"

Soon, they were sitting in two lines. Zachariah glanced around. "Mister Larry, Mister Claude. As

you all know it is getting more and more difficult nowadays. The upper-class family's earnings have reduced a lot too and yet, they are required to pay taxes to Brookbourn Mansion. All these while, you guys were not bounded by these rules. Am I right?"

Larry and Claude frowned when they heard that. It seemed like Zachariah was going to have them pay Brookbourn Mansion taxes too.

As expected, Zachariah continued, "You guys have expanded too quickly and very well too, I hope you two can probably learn a thing or two from the upper-class family and also pay us

some taxes."

An old man from Emerald Cloud Gang said angrily, "Mister Zachariah, it has always been unspoken rules that we underground force will not cross the boundary with the upper-class family. We don't look for your trouble and you don't look for our trouble. I don't think it's appropriate if you ask us to pay taxes now."

Zachariah was unhappy. "Even so that was before and we're talking about now. We have to see things from a different way, don't you think?"

A guardian of the Ballards voiced out. "Everyone, I'll get straight to the point. Some of the underground forces in other cities got too strong and destroyed their cities' mansions. Then

they made themself the owner of the city. It happened before. That's why we are worried about your existence in the city. We're just asking you to contribute a small part of your profit. This way, we could rest assured and coexist peacefully!"

Claude frowned. He knew for a fact if he agreed, Brookbourn Mansion would never look for their trouble in the future. Moreover, Brookbourn Mansion could even protect them. In that way, it was going to be hard for Draco Hall to destroy them.

Although he had to sacrifice part of their profit, it was the best choice for Emerald Cloud Gang now.

Most importantly, it just showed Draco Hall had the intention to replace Brookbourn Mansion. and became the strongest force in the city if they refused after Claude agreed to pay the taxes. If that happened, Brookbourn Mansion would surely do something to Draco Hall.

By then, all he needed to do was stand by the sideline and watched Draco Hall and Brookbourn Mansion fight it out.

With that thought in mind, he smiled and said, "I'm not an egoistic person. I don't need a lot of money, just enough to sustain the operation of Emerald Cloud Gang. If Mister Zachariah's request is not too harsh, I can agree to it!"