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Chapter 131: Cash In

At 11.55 pm that night, Zhao Yao was beside himself. He was not playing with his cats or his computer games. He was just lying on the sofa in the living room with his eyes glued to the ceiling. He was waiting for the clock to strike 12.

“Under normal circumstances, I should be able to receive the experience points from my monthly mission at 12 am which signified the start of a new month.”

Regardless of the number of experience points received, Zhao Yao was confident that he could upgrade his cats by 1 or 2 levels.

He took out his BOOK and stared at it.

His book was lv3 at the moment. Because of the “X2 Exp Card” which he had been using, his experience points had already accumulated to lv3(1204/2000).

Matcha who was also affected by the card had reached lv4 (660/2000).

Zhao Yao only received one diamond each day for completing his daily missions. However, he had to use two diamonds every day to purchase the “X2 Exp Card” for both his BOOK and Matcha. Hence, he had used up many of his diamonds and was left with just 5.

He decided to only purchase the “X2 Exp Card” for his BOOK starting from next month. By using the diamond he earned from his daily missions on his BOOK, he could save the remaining five diamonds for any emergencies.

Other than the “X2 Exp Card” in diamond hall, there was also “Power Up Card” which could be activated at a critical juncture.

Zhao Yao then flipped to the pages on Dust Ball and Elizabeth.

Elizabeth was not given the “X2 Exp Card” and was currently lv3 (498/1000). If Zhao Yao added the points from the BOOK to Elizabeth, she could level up instantly.

Meanwhile, Dust Ball was currently lv3(330/1000). She could also level up instantly if Zhao Yao decided to pump the points from the BOOK to her. After all the time that they had spent together coupled with the power of Celestial Beats and the lure of catmint, her loyalty had increased to 95, just 5 points short of 100.

While Zhao Yao was immersed in his thoughts, the clock had unknowingly struck 12 and the new month had begun.

The words beneath the monthly mission panel also changed.

There was a tick right next to the mission which signified the completion of the task. Under the reward section, it wrote that after deducting the utility bills and the money spent on cat food and the automatic self-cleaning litter box, the profit was RMB 102,333 and he could earn 200 experience points. He could collect the points by clicking on the button which would automatically refresh the mission for the month.

Zhao Yao would earn 100 experience points for every RMB 50,000 earned. He immediately exchanged one diamond for an “X2 Exp Card” in diamond hall and used it on the BOOK before receiving the points from the monthly mission.

Instantly, 400 experience points were added to the BOOK, and it now read, Book: lv3(1604/2000)

Zhao Yao sighed as he thought, “What a pity I spent the first half of the month improving the café’s popularity. I did not earn enough money to upgrade the book by 1 level. However, these 400 points should be sufficient for me to upgrade both Dust Ball and Elizabeth to level 4.

Thankfully, I managed to cut my cost to the lowest. If I spend just a few thousand more, my profit would have dipped below RMB 100,000 and the experience points earned would reduce by half.

And there’s still the problem of rental and tax. If I had to pay them myself, the experience points earned would be zero.”

However, this was a problem which Zhao Yao could not avoid. A cat café's operating cost had always been significantly higher than typical cafes. Hence it was rare to see a cat café occupying such a central location.

Furthermore, Zhao Yao only bought and fed his cats with the most premier cat food. One month worth of cat food was equivalent to the amount of money 20 college students spent on food.

Zhao Yao started extrapolating the café's business based on its steadily climbing popularity and believed that the profit and experience points earned next month would be way more than this time. The corner of his mouth quirked up at the thought of it.

He could never resist a mission which allowed him to gain both experience points and money.

"Now, it's time to add the experience points to the cats. Let's start with Elizabeth."

Zhao Yao's entire face lit up as he thought about upgrading Elizabeth. Matcha gave him an excellent ability when he was upgraded to level 4 the previous time. Zhao Yao eagerly anticipated what Elizabeth could give him.

He transferred the experience points from the BOOK to Elizabeth, and she leveled up instantly. It now read lv4(0/2000).

The power tree sprang up again with two ability branches to choose from.

The Eternal Illusion: The caster could cast an illusion on the intended target for 24 hours. The illusion was not dependent on the proximity between the caster and the target.

The 5 Senses: This would turn the illusion into the perfect illusion where it affected all five senses simultaneously.

Zhao Yao's jaw dropped when he saw the options given to him. He thought, "Both powers are so sick, be it The Eternal Illusion or The 5 Senses."

"The good thing about The Eternal Illusion is that I could switch to the other cat's power after casting the illusion while maintaining it."

“As for The 5 Senses, it was a perfect illusion, and there was no chance an ordinary person could see through it.”

Zhao Yao was in a dilemma as he did not know which power to choose from. Both were extremely powerful in their own right.

“I guess I’m going for The 5 Senses. The perfect illusion would be beneficial for future fights and will simultaneously improve the café’s business.”

Zhao Yao finally decided on The 5 Senses after much deliberation.

He was excited to give the power a go and activated it immediately.

The objects before him disappeared instantly, and he found himself in outer space. He turned around and saw meteors streaking past him and the stars shining in pitch darkness.

“This is space.”

He waved his hand and commanded, “Let there be wind.”

A giant gust of wind blew across his face as he muttered, “This is too realistic. Is there nothing I can’t do?”

Against the darkness and the wind blowing on his face, Zhao Yao shut his eyes and reimagined a whole new setting. When he opened his eyes, he found himself along the busiest street in Jiangmen city. He spread his arms, and the ground broke into halves. Buildings started collapsing, and the public was scurrying in fear.

Zhao Yao was taken aback by his abilities. Suddenly, he was jolted by a searing pain in his head as he clutched his head and stopped the illusion. He wondered, “What’s happening? Why does my head hurt so much?”

In his head, everything was a mess, and all he wanted to do was to lie down and rest. He only recovered after resting for 10 minutes.

Zhao Yao recalled what happened just now and concluded, “The 5 Senses takes a toll on the human brain.”

When he used his illusion to manipulate the sense of smell, sight, and hearing during cat’s night, he had already reached his physical limit.

With the power of The 5 Senses, the details in the illusion were magnified ten times which exhausted even more energy.

“The scene which I tried to depict just now was too complicated, and it was too exhausting for my brain,” Zhao Yao concluded. He rubbed his eyebrows and continued, “This means that I cannot make my illusion too complicated or deviate too much from reality. The illusion should preferably be as simple as possible.”

“Is this what it means to have pros and cons?” Zhao Yao chuckled at the thought. However, The 5 Senses was still considered a perfect illusion. Perhaps with the upgrade of his BOOK, and improving his physical conditioning through “Two is better than one”, his body might be able to cope with the stress of The 5 Senses.

Zhao Yao shut his eyes and took a short break. He opened his eyes and flipped to the page on Dust Ball and transferred the points over to her.

Instantly, the experience points written in the book reflected the changes:

Book Lv3(432/2000)

Dust Ball Lv4(0/1000)

Zhao Yao excitedly flipped to the page which had information regarding her abilities. After seeing Matcha and Elizabeth’s fearsome powers, Zhao Yao was eager to see what Dust Ball had in store for him.

Chapter 132: The Perfect Fried Chicken

Suck Me In: The user can be absorbed into the extradimensional belly and would disappear from the dimension that he was in. When the user returned to the original dimension, he would reappear at the same location.

Absolute Release: The user can release all the contents of the extradimensional belly in one go.

“This is so hard!” Zhao Yao started to scratch his hair frantically and began weighing the pros and cons of each ability.

“If I have Suck Me In, I can instantly teleport into the extradimensional belly. I will vanish from this dimension, and it would be my ultimate defense move.”

“Meanwhile, if I have Absolute Release, I can accumulate an immense amount of items in it. If I store 3 tons worth of objects in a day, I would have 30 tons in 10 days. If I released everything at once, it would be an unstoppable attack.”

Zhao Yao scratched his chin as he considered his options. Both abilities were extremely potent, but Zhao Yao was leaning towards Suck Me In due to the defensive capability that it brought along. In the real world, it was more important to stay alive.

As for the ability to instantly vomit tens of tons of objects and destroy everything in its sight, it was a little over the top for Zhao Yao. Furthermore, if he used this attack in Jiangmen city, the destruction that it would cause would result in too much innocent causality.

Zhao Yao decided on Suck Me In.

He immediately activated his new ability. He felt as if his body had fallen down a vortex and into emptiness. He had disappeared from the surface of Earth.

There seemed to be a faint light beyond the darkness in front of Zhao Yao. However, Zhao Yao could not see the source of the light.

In this dimension, there were all sorts of furniture, rubbish, tires, plastic bags, cement and even bricks floating around aimlessly. These were the objects which Dust Ball had absorbed previously.

Zhao Yao took a deep breath and pondered, “The pressure and air in this dimension are the same as what I’m used to. Is it because Dust Ball had absorbed air in when she activated her power? Or was the dimension naturally like this?”

Zhao Yao raised his head and saw emptiness. He lowered his head and saw the same emptiness. He did not know the how big this space was. It was difficult to move around in it because gravity was absent and everything was just floating around. He tried to reposition himself by swimming in the air. However, it proved to be far too inefficient, and he gave up on his attempt to measure the size of this dimension.

“However, this would be a good place to hide when escaping from an enemy,” Zhao Yao scratched his head and considered, “I guess it’s time to start cleaning up this place and maybe even bring a torch and some food along.”

“Hmm, I might run out of oxygen in here. I guess I need to absorb more air into this dimension.”

The battle between superpower had the potential to become savage. Even with the ability to freeze time and revived with time distortion, it would not make you invincible.

But now with the power of Suck Me In, even if Zhao Yao was backstabbed, he could revive and escaped into his extradimensional belly. With sufficient food and air, he could survive in it for months.

No matter how strong his enemy apostles were, it would be close to impossible to kill Zhao Yao.

Zhao Yao’s mouth curved into a smile as he believed that he had chosen the right ability.

“It’s such a pity that there isn’t gravity here.” Zhao Yao had already started fantasizing the steps he would take to transform this into his haven.

The past month he spent in the café had not gone to waste. His combat power had increased drastically with the upgrade of both Elizabeth and Dust Ball.

Now, he had to inform both Elizabeth and Dust Ball about their newly acquired abilities.

Zhao Yao could not be at his supercats' side at all times. Hence, he had to inform them about their new powers such that they could use it when the situation called for it.

Roly Poly stared with envy at the two cats who just received a power boost. His eyes flickered with excitement, and he came running towards Zhao Yao and asked, "Zhao Yao, can you upgrade my power as well?"

"As for you," Zhao Yao was at a loss and did not know how to reply him. After awakening The 5 Senses, Zhao Yao's dependence on Roly Poly's invisibility had plummeted. He might not even consider recruiting Roly Poly when he upgraded his BOOK.

Zhao Yao squatted beside Roly Poly and massaged his chin. Roly Poly shut his eyes and immersed himself at this moment. Zhao Yao said, "Roly Poly, you don't need to have such strong abilities."

"Why?" Sadness clouded Roly Poly's feature.

"I thought you didn't like to fight? You just have to hide behind all of us until all the fights in this world have ended." Zhao Yao patted him on his head and continued, "We will always protect you until that day comes."

"Really?"

Zhao Yao heaved a sigh of relief when Dust Ball's entire face lit up. Zhao Yao thought, "Thank goodness this silly cat believed what I said."

Under Roly Poly's innocent expression, he was actually fuming in anger. He shouted in his head, "Do you take me to be a gullible one-month-old kitten? It seems like I must still find an opportunity to escape. I heard that Team Saviors was recruiting, maybe I can try my luck there."

Zhao Yao glanced at Roly Poly and was afraid that he might be feeling down and decided to use his new power on him. Zhao Yao chuckled and announced, "Don't be sad! Let me reward you with something delicious for your excellent performance!"

Roly Poly nodded his head excitedly. However, he did not expect anything good from Zhao Yao.

“It’s just going to be the usual stuff. It would either be some lame tidbit or cat rice.” Dust Ball lay flat on the floor and shut his eyes. He tried to recall all the delicacies which he had had in life.

“I want to have fried chicken which is crispy on the outside yet soft on the inside. When you take a bite, the juice will explode in your mouth, and the well-marinated meat would leave behind a wonderful aftertaste on the tongue. Oh yes, and that fragrant smell of freshly fried chicken!”

Roly Poly jolted out of his imagination as he smelled fried chicken in his vicinity.

Roly Poly opened his eyes to the sight of Zhao Yao walking towards him with a bucket full of chicken. Each chicken was fried to perfection. The fragrance entered Roly Poly’s body and infected every single cell in his body.

“Fried chicken?” Roly Poly’s body started to tremble not out of fear but excitement. He could not believe Zhao Yao would treat him to something as good as fried chicken.

“Is this for me?”

Zhao Yao replied with a simple nod and said, “This is a reward for your performance in the café.”

Roly Poly opened his mouth and carefully positioned the chicken on his tongue where his taste buds were the most sensitive. He took a bite, and the juices exploded in his mouth. His eyes welled up, and he thought he was in heaven.

“This is too delicious!”

“I have never had such a perfect fried chicken in my life!”

“Why did you give me such a perfect fried chicken? I’m going to spend the rest of my life searching for its replacement.”

Zhao Yao nodded his head smugly as he saw Roly Poly devouring the cat food in front of him like never before. He thought, “The perfect illusion is indeed strong. By altering all his senses, I can make Roly Poly think that he’s eating fried chicken even when he is eating shit. This is incredible!”

Roly Poly was truly grateful for Zhao Yao's kind gesture. He exclaimed, "Zhao Yao, you are too good to me!"

"If you behave obediently, I'll treat you to fried chicken once every week!"

Chapter 133: The Experiment

While Roly Poly was happily polishing off every ounce of meat from the bones, spirit cat's nose twitched, and he floated behind Roly Poly.

"What is this? I searched the entire fridge last night, and I'm sure I didn't see this." Spirit cat could not stop his nose from twitching as he hovered around Roly Poly. He wanted so badly to have the chicken to himself. He thought, "Zhao Yao was not holding on to any fried chicken when he got back today. How is this happening?"

Suddenly, spirit cat realized that something was amiss, "How can this be happening? When I'm in spirit form, I should have lost my sense of smell. Why can I still smell the chicken though?"

His brows tightened together, and he concluded, "There must be something fishy in this food. I must find out what it is!"

However, the answer lay in how Elizabeth's power worked. Elizabeth's illusion utilized soundwaves of an inaudible frequency which interfered with our sense. These waves were propagated whenever Elizabeth screamed or when Zhao Yao spoke.

Even though spirit cat had lost his sense of smell and taste in his spirit form, he still retained his sense of hearing which made him susceptible to Elizabeth's illusion. This was how Zhao Yao conjured the fried chicken fragrance in spirit cat's mind.

Spirit cat was not the only one who had been tricked by the illusion. Elizabeth, Matcha, Dust Ball also followed the trace of the smell and walked right to Roly Poly. They were also under the influence of Zhao Yao's illusion.

There seemed to be a red glimmer in Elizabeth's eye as she wiped the drool off of her lips. She asked, "Roly Poly, what are you having?"

Matcha walked behind Roly Poly and placed his paw right on top of Roly Poly's neck. He asked, "Roly Poly, do you have something nice to share with the rest of us?"

Dust Ball did not even bother seeking permission as she reached her paws into the bucket and went straight for the chicken. Stray cats had the habit of snatching whatever they liked without asking.

However, Roly Poly's paws intercepted Dust Ball's paws and prevented her from stealing his chicken. Roly Poly, who used to be the timidest cat among them puffed up his fur and arched his back to assert his dominance. He was willing to lay his life for the chicken.

He started hissing at the other cats and his pupils constricted into thin slits. He retorted, "Don't think that you can bully just because I'm so nice to you. Whoever dares to take away the chicken would face my wrath!"

Bam!

Matcha licked his paws as Roly Poly fell to the floor. Within the time freeze, Matcha had slapped Roly Poly a total of 28 times. Matcha instructed, "Elizabeth and Dust Ball, both of you will take one piece each."

Matcha took one piece of chicken out from the bucket and started his feast. Roly Poly and Elizabeth followed Matcha's instructions and took one each. They stared at it before taking a bite.

Roly Poly was struggling to get on his feet and was in despair when he witnessed the scene which unfolded.

Dust Ball took a bite and spat it out instantly. She had gotten used to raw meat when she was out surviving in the wilderness and loathed the taste of fried chicken.

Dust Ball licked her lips and left.

"No!" Roly Poly made a beeline for the chicken and caught it in his mouth just before it hit the ground.

Elizabeth took a few bites and began shaking her head, “This is not that good, it’s too salty!”

Cats were not supposed to have too much salt intake. The salt present in their natural food more than provided for what their body required. If they ingest excessive salt, it might result in having kidney stones or even incontinence. Elizabeth was already used to the taste of cat food and cat rice. Hence she found the fried chicken too salty.

On the other hand, Matcha had eaten lots of cat tidbits and was used to it. Cat tidbits had higher contents of salt than cat rice. Hence, Matcha fell in love with the chicken and finished it in an instant. He took a huge bite of the piece of chicken that Elizabeth had thrown away.

Roly Poly bit his lower lips but could not offer any resistance against Matcha’s atrocity. He only went forward after Matcha took his leave. Roly Poly reached out his tiny pink tongue and started licking the leftovers. He tried to salvage every last bit of chicken goodness left in it.

Zhao Yao could not help but to break into laughter as he witnessed this scene, “Roly Poly is such a fool! He is obviously twice the weight of Matcha, and he does not even dare to retaliate!”

However, Zhao Yao also understood that weight was not the determining factor in a fight between supercats.

“But this is good! You would not be able to understand your owner’s kindness without experiencing the harsh reality of life!” Zhao Yao then proceeded to the kitchen, “There are still some leftovers from this morning, I’m sure Roly Poly would be more than willing to help me finish it!”

A vein popped out in Zhao Yao’s neck when he recalled how much food his cats had wasted. Domestic cats had developed the habit of leaving leftover as food was always readily available. To them, a plate full of leftovers was as good as an empty plate.

Other than Dust Ball, all the other cats had the same habit. However, Zhao Yao was about to change this.

He served the leftovers from this morning on a silver platter and brought it to the demoralized Roly Poly.

Under the illusion, Roly Poly only saw the same fried chicken and tears shone in his eyes. He exclaimed, “Zhao Yao! You are so good to me!”

Zhao Yao patted Roly Poly on his head before Roly Poly started gobbling down the chicken. Zhao Yao chuckled and whispered, “No more leftover.”

After feeding Roly Poly, Zhao Yao decided to come up with new applications for his power.

He had effectively used the power of illusion in his café. However, he had only treated extradimensional belly as a storage space.

Zhao Yao switched to Dust Ball’s power and focused all his energy on his extradimensional belly.

After the month of training, Zhao Yao could accurately detect the position of the items in his belly.

However, with the additional power of Suck Me In, Zhao Yao could accurately picture the entire situation within his extradimensional belly when he concentrated.

He could focus his attention and transported his body to a specific location within his extradimensional belly.

By comparing the object’s size in his stomach and their actual size in his extradimensional belly, Zhao Yao finally understood how big this dimension was.

“It is 10 meters in length, 10 meters in width and 3 meters in height.” Zhao Yao shut his eyes and started his mental calculation, “This translates to a room of about one hundred square meters.”

“Hmm, I’ll dispose of all the rubbish in this space. Then I’ll get a giant container to store all the food and necessities inside them. This means I won’t have to worry about them floating away!

I can even put small boxes or shelves in the container and fix them in a specific place.

This creates a partition where I can put different kind of food and drinks. This is an ideal haven!”

Zhao Yao opened his mouth and swirls of vortex appeared out of it. Suddenly, a shadow made its way out of his mouth.

Zhao Yao looked at the shadow which crawled out of his mouth, and his eyes widened.

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Dust Ball came crawling out of his mouth and started looking around in a daze.

Zhao Yao instantly reacted to this strange scene and stammered, “Dust ... Dust Ball? Did you come out from my mouth after you used Suck Me In?”

Dust Ball replied with a nod. She continued, “It seemed like I can choose to come out from your side when I’m inside the extradimensional belly.”

Zhao Yao’s eyes glimmered as he mumbled, “I’ve thought about this before. This means it’s possible for us to establish a stable connection between the both of us. Regardless who absorbed the object, the other person could also expel the same item because we share the same extradimensional belly.

With the power of Suck Me In, we could instantly teleport to each other’s position.

This is great!”

Zhao Yao knew that this meant that extradimensional belly had become the most potent escaping tool. Not only could he hide inside, but he could also escape to where Dust Ball was.

He instructed Dust Ball to try again, and it succeeded. However, he realized that Dust Ball could only escape from his side when Zhao Yao was using Dust Ball’s power. If Zhao Yao was using Elizabeth or Matcha’s power, Dust Ball could not flee from Zhao Yao’s mouth.

Zhao Yao scratched his chin and considered, “This is because I cannot activate the cats’ power simultaneously. This is inevitable. However, this ability is already strong enough in its current state.”

Next, Zhao Yao immediately went online to get some canned food, biscuits, mineral water, and energy bar for his haven. He also ordered shelves and some machinery to fasten the shelves in place. The last item he got was the container which would house everything that he had bought.

He planned to absorb everything in tomorrow night and organized his temporary home.

After ordering everything he needed, something flashed into Zhao Yao's mind.

"Since I've already completed the monthly mission for last month, this means that I can spend the money on whatever I want." Zhao Yao immediately opened his WeChat app and sent a RMB 2,000 red packet to Shi Yu.

Next, he sent another RMB 500 red packet to Matcha, aka The Strongest Luban.

Even though Zhao Yao did not promise Shi Yu any sorts of monetary reward beforehand, he still felt indebted to her for all that she did the previous month.

"Oh, I've almost forgotten about the commission for the cats. Let me calculate ..."

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"Hey, is this Shi Yu? How's everything? Are you free this Saturday for a team bonding meal?"

"Hi Inspector Ho, I'm so sorry, but I am busy throughout the entire day and won't be able to make it." Shi Yu replied coolly; she continued, "Could you kindly stop calling my Shi Yu because I don't think we're that close."

"We'll be closer if you join us for our gatherings," Inspector Ho chuckled. Suddenly, his tone grew serious, and he said, "Is there anything weird going on at Zhao Yao's side?"

"Hmm, the cat café is doing very well, and he seems happy these few days," Shi Yu replied. She recalled something important and continued, "As for the extraordinary thing which happened in the café last week, I have already reported to you in the email."

"Hmm, the power of transfiguration and illusion? That's a vital piece of information." Inspector Ho's impression of Zhao Yao changed slightly as he thought, "Illusion? Maybe his combat power was not as strong as we previously imagined."

Suddenly, Shi Yu interrupted Inspector Ho's train of thought and said, "Inspector Ho, how about my wages for the last month?"

"Oh, there are some budgetary constraints in our department. I have applied to the higher-ups, and you should receive it soon. Don't worry my dear Shi Yu, just be patient."

Shi Yu instantly ended the call and saw the notifications on her WeChat. However, she chose to ignore them all. Perhaps it was due to the effect of Celestial Beats, her skin had improved, and she looked prettier than ever. Many male customers in the café tried to woo her, and she was sick of all their incessant pestering.

Suddenly, her phone vibrated, and there was a new notification on WeChat. She took a glance and saw a red packet from Zhao Yao.

"Oh, Zhao Yao gave me a red packet? Did the sun rise from the west?" Shi Yu tapped on the red packet and realized that it contained RMB 2,000. She was shocked by the sum and replied instantly, "Who is this?"

"I'm Zhao Yao."

"Who am I, then?"

"You're Xiao Shi Yu. What's wrong, what happened?"

"And what's our relationship?"

"We used to be classmates, and now we are colleagues. What the hell happened to you?"

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Zhao Yao lips curled with disgust as he exited the chat with Shi Yu. He mumbled, "What's wrong with this woman?" He had just finished giving out the commission to his supercats since he had promised them a commission of RMB 1 for each customer they entertained.

Instantly, he heard the cheers from Matcha which erupted from the balcony.

“Long live Zhao Yao! Long live Zhao Yao!” Matcha opened the red packet and ascended his massage throne. His paws darted around the phone screen as he exclaimed, “I finally got the skin that I have always been waiting for!”

When Matcha pressed the button to purchase the skin, shivers went down his spine. He thought, “Finally the skin belongs to me after the past month of hard work at the café.” Naturally, the first thing he did was to brag on WeChat and ...

Matcha searched for Chubby Luban Assassin contact on WeChat and sent a screenshot of his newly bought skin.

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Fish Ball, the American Shorthair with black stripes and grey fur, sat on top of the toilet bowl. He had carefully placed his phone on a stool in front of him.

A loud splash was followed by a moan from Fish Ball. His entire body shook gently.

He stood up and was getting ready to leave the toilet.

Suddenly, memories of how Xiao Yu went berserk the previous time he forgot to flush the toilet bowl flooded his mind. Fish Ball shook like a leaf. He immediately turned around and flushed for a good 10 seconds.

“Hmm, actually why am I even using a toilet bowl? Cats aren’t supposed to use them!” Fish Ball grumbled until he suddenly remembered Xiao Yu’s words.

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“Hey, aren’t you a supercat with intelligence? From now onwards, you will not use the litter box and will only use the toilet bowl.”

“Why?” Fish Ball asked before continuing, “Isn’t it natural for cats to excrete into the sand and bury their feces underneath the sand?”

“However, you are no ordinary cat. You have intelligence. Don’t you feel ashamed to have someone cleaning your shit?” Xiao Yu replied with a look of disdain. “Furthermore, buying cat sand every week is significantly more expensive than the water used to flush away your shit.”

Fish Ball’s jaw dropped as he tried to argue his way out of using toilet bowl, “But I’m already used to using sand. If your parents find out that I’m using a toilet bowl, they would realize that something strange had happened.”

Fish Ball was still a cat and was extremely particular about the position of his toilet. He had already adopted a fixed toilet routine and was unwilling to budge. Now, it’s not just a change of location, but a change from sand to toilet bowl!

“You don’t have to worry about my parents’ side. I have done my online research, and there are others who have trained their cats to use the toilet bowl. I would just claim that I had successfully potty trained you and they would be delighted!”

“But ... But ... But!”

“There is no but! My parents are so busy at work, and I’m only one who can afford to clean up after your shit. Do you think that I’m happy doing this dirty job? I’m on the verge of death every time I clean up after you shit!”

Xiao Yu glanced at Fish Ball and pointed at the cat using the toilet bowl in a Youtube video, “I think the ability to use a toilet bowl is so much better than your so-called superpower.”

Fish Ball could not be bothered by Xiao Yu’s snide remarks and thought, “Next time, I’ll get the husky to pee and shit on your bed. Then you will know who the smarter animal around here is.”

Chapter 135: The Liar and A Meteor

Fish Ball shook his head as he woke up from his daydream. He slowly retreated to the bedroom.

Even though there had been many changes, which he detested, being made to his life after Xiao Yu realized that he was a supercat. The silver lining was that Xiao Yu gave him her old phone, and he did not have to use her phone secretly.

Suddenly, he received a WeChat notification. He tapped on the notification and saw the screenshot. He stared at the screen as a muscle in his mouth twitched.

“What?”

“This guy bought the coveted skin? Is this a joke? He is so rich?”

Fish Ball stared at the message with envy. To think that Matcha even bothered sending him a private message to gloat made Fish Ball furious. He grabbed the phone and dashed towards his owner, Xiao Yu.

He squatted in front of her, and a string of words appeared on the phone screen: “Xiao Yu, Xiao Yu, look! Some other cat had already bought that skin!”

Xiao Yu glanced at Fish Ball and scoffed, “I’m sure the money was earned using the cat’s superpower. Your ability cannot even earn me a single cent. But I still bother taking care of you and lending you my phone and wifi to use. You should be grateful and stop complaining.”

“Why are you like this?”

Fish Ball began howling as he failed to get his way. He continued typing, “But that nasty cat even bothered sending me a private message to gloat!” Suddenly, the phone vibrated as he was speaking and Fish Ball lowered his head to take a look.

“Are you jealous? Let me show you my bank account balance.”

Matcha blatantly sent a screenshot of his bank account balance to spite Fish Ball. Fish Ball saw the balance with more than RMB 1,000 and became extremely agitated.

Xiao Yu craned her neck forward and commented, “Hmm, this cat friend of yours is really quite an a*sshole.”

Fish Ball nodded his head and continued, "I'm sure he just got lucky which explains why he is so rich."

"D*mn it! I must also find some way to buy that skin. No, I'll buy two skins!"

With that thought in mind, Fish Ball immediately went online and started searching. Soon, he began jumping around excitedly and typed a string of message.

"Xiao Yu, Xiao Yu! Look! There's some online promotion where you get 1000 free diamonds for 500 diamonds purchased. It even comes with a free skin!"

Xiao Yu rolled her eyes when she saw how excited Fish Ball was. She replied, "Fool! This is obviously a scam! I didn't expect a supercat to fall for such a stupid trick."

Fish Ball did not believe her words as he scrolled down to the rows of comments left by previous buyers. All of them seemed satisfied with the purchase. He shoved the screen in Xiao Yu's face.

Xiao Yu gave a sharp reply, "These replies are obviously fake. Any comments which reflected the truth would have been taken down by the seller."

"So this is all a conspiracy? I didn't expect myself to fall into this trap.

Even a cat of my intelligence could have gotten tricked by this scammer which means ..." Fish Ball licked his paws as an evil plan appeared in his head. He started sending a message to Matcha, "Stupid cat! Who buys these skins from the official site?"

Matcha replied, "Are you jealous?"

Fish Ball typed, "Stupid cat! There are employees from Moonton who wants to earn some quick bucks and did a promotional gimmick. When I buy 500 diamonds, I get 1000 free diamonds and a few limited edition collectibles."

Matcha replied, "This is not possible. I don't believe your words."

Fish Ball left the chat and took a few screenshots from the internet.

The screenshot showed the promotional deal which Fish Ball mentioned and the rows of comments left behind by satisfied customers. It seemed authentic.

Matcha's mouth fell open when he saw the screenshot "Is this for real? You buy 500 diamonds, and you get 1000 diamonds for free?"

Fish Ball replied, "I told you that these people worked there. They can just manipulate the numbers by editing the codes. It's as good as stealing their company's product and selling them. Obviously, it will be cheap."

Matcha replied instantly, "How did you manage to get this deal, please tell me!"

"Why do I have to tell you? You did not seem to believe me previously." Fish Ball typed.

Matcha sent an emoji of him kneeling down and continued, "I'm sorry. You must tell me! I'll even give you a complete skin set!"

Fish Ball's lips curled into a smile and typed, "Never mind, you can transfer the money over to my account, and I'll help you buy the diamonds."

Soon, Matcha sent another message and said, "I don't think I can transfer the money over today. I have exceeded the daily cap."

Fish Ball's eyebrows tightened and thought, "I didn't know there was such a thing as a cap to the daily transfer amount."

"Can you transfer the money over tomorrow?"

"Yes, I could do that. But I have another solution."

"And what is that?"

“To increase the cap on my daily transfer amount, I need RMB 50. If you transfer the RMB 50 to me, I can increase the cap and transfer the money for the diamonds along with the RMB 50 you lent me back to you.”

Fish Ball knew that Xiao Yu just started showering and would take quite some time before she was done. He looked at her phone and replied, “Wait for me.”

“I think I remember what Xiao Yu’s password is ...”

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Zhao Yao was shocked to see Matcha jumping for joy as his paws darted on the phone screen. He thought, “I didn’t expect them to get so happy with this small money.”

Zhao Yao turned his head and found out that it was not just Matcha. Both Elizabeth and Roly Poly were grinning from ear to ear. Their tiny paws started to swipe their phone. It was evident that they were thinking of ways to earn their hard-earned money.

Elizabeth looked at Zhao Yao and asked, “Zhao Yao! Zhao Yao! Can you recommend me a good movie or drama series? I haven’t managed to find one on my own.”

There were too many movies and drama series online. After finishing *Autumn in my Heart*, Elizabeth randomly selected a few films, but they were all a disappointment.

Zhao Yao scratched his chin and asked, “A good movie or drama series. What genre do you prefer?”

Elizabeth immediately stood on her feet, and a sweet expression appeared on her face. Her eyes beamed with excitement as she said, “Obviously, it’s romance! It must have a happy ending and must not be a tragedy” She glanced at Zhao Yao with suspicion and continued, “The actress must be beautiful, and the actor must be handsome ...”

“Alright,” Zhao Yao took Elizabeth’s irrational criteria into consideration and said, “I suggest *Meteor Garden*.”

Elizabeth’s eyes widened, and she replied, “*Meteor Garden*? Is it a love story?”

“Yes!”

“It’s not a tragedy right?”

“Nope, it’s a comedy.”

“Does the female character die?”

“I’ve already told you it’s a comedy.”

Elizabeth squinted her eyes and asked, “How about the male character?”

Zhao Yao replied patiently, “I’m not lying to you, just enjoy this drama.”

Elizabeth was both curious and skeptical when she opened the application on her phone. Spirit cat had also floated behind her. He thought, “Meteor Garden? According to Ho Hao Cang, our superpowers are related to a meteor shower, and it landed in America.

Does this mean that this drama is connected to the source of our power?”

He stared at the screen of the phone and thought, “I must watch this to find out the truth!”

Chapter 136: Sterilization

Zhao Yao suddenly recalled that he had left out one person – Baiquan.

Just when he was about to send the red packet via WeChat, he stopped and left the application.

He thought, “I remember Baiquan was busy with his streaming channel. As compared to giving him a red packet via WeChat, I’m sure he would be happy if he received a donation during his streams.”

Zhao Yao immediately translated his thoughts into actions. He downloaded a streaming app and began searching for Baiquan’s channel. However, he had no idea what was the name of the channel.

“Woah, even this type of content is allowed? I thought there would be someone monitoring and preventing people from exposing their dick?”

“Her twerking still has some work to be done.”

“Hmm, I’m quite sure this is not the same person as the one on the thumbnail.”

Zhao Yao began his search for Baiquan’s channel as he swiped from one channel to another. He finally found it after one hour of swiping.

Baiquan was in the midst of performing a magic trick. He placed a coin in a small box. However, the box was empty when he used the camera to scan its content.

“Hmm, so Baiquan is using the power of invisibility for magic. It seems like he is doing quite well.” Zhao Yao scratched his chin as he bought some credits from the streaming site. Instantly, he saw an ongoing promotion for credits.

“I need to spend RMB 5,000 to enjoy the promotion?”

“Maybe I should just get it so that I can support his streaming more frequently.”

“I also need to change my username so that Baiquan can recognize me the moment he sees it.”

He instantly changed his username to “Cat café’s Kris Zhao”, and he bought RMB 5,000 worth of credits. Zhao Yao decided to donate RMB 200 when Baiquan reached the climax of his performance.

“Hmm, I guess RMB 200 should be more than enough.”

Just when he was about to press the button, an earthquake struck again.

Zhao Yao dropped his phone because of the earthquake.

Zhao Yao shook his head helplessly as he picked up the phone after the earthquake had subsided.

Zhao Yao screamed when he saw the information on his phone's screen. He held his head as he fought back the tears which were shimmering in his eyes.

Because of the earthquake, Zhao Yao had accidentally changed the amount he donated to RMB 5,000 when he dropped his phone.

All RMB 5,000 worth of credits which he had bought went to Baiquan in an instant.

Zhao Yao buried his head in his arms, and he felt a searing pain in his heart. He thought he was going to get a heart attack.

"Stupid earthquake cat, you made me lose RMB 5,000." Zhao Yao was both furious at the cat and disappointed with his carelessness. Meanwhile, Baiquan was jumping for joy when he saw the donation which he had received.

"Thank you, Cat café's Kris Zhao for your RMB 5,000 donation."

"Erm, are you boss? Thank you for your donation, thank you for supporting my stream."

Zhao Yao's forehead furrowed as he exited the streaming application and went into WeChat. He tapped on Baiquan's contact.

"It was an honest mistake. Maybe Baiquan would understand and return the money to me after my explanation."

Just when Zhao Yao was about to send his explanation, Baiquan was already bragging on his stream and had sent a message to Zhao Yao.

"Boss, were you the one who donated RMB 5,000?"

Zhao Yao replied, "Yes ..."

Baiquan typed, "Thank you so much for your generosity, boss!"

Just when Zhao Yao was about to send the message to explain that it was all a mistake, Baiquan had already sent another message. He said, “Boss, I’m touched by your kind gesture. At first, I thought you were someone who only cared about money. I’m sorry to have mistaken you for a miser.

To tell you the truth, I felt lost the past month. However, I now understand my purpose. I’m going to devote all my energy to fight on the front line of hell.”

The corner of Zhao Yao’s lips drooped as he deleted the message that he intended to send. He replied helplessly, “As long as you are happy.”

Zhao Yao placed his phone on the table and stared at the ceiling in disbelief.

“My heart hurts so badly.”

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Zhao Yao dragged himself out of bed the second morning and gently kicked Matcha. He said, “Wake up, it’s time for work.”

Zhao Yao could not find Mango when they reached the café.

Zhao Yao had brought all his strays cats for sterilization the past month. Now, Mango was the only one left.

After his period of estrus, it was time to bring Mango for his sterilization.

The cat café was not an ideal place to quarantine the cats and allow them to recuperate. Hence, Zhao Yao had left the sterilized cats at Starry Starry Pet Hospital to recover.

Today was finally the day to sterilize Mango.

Matcha, Elizabeth, Roly Poly and Dust Ball surrounded him. He just looked at them innocently and did not know the fate that would befall him. Mango had to fast before his surgery. Hence, all he

knew at that moment was that he was famished. He could not even go to the toilet with these four cats surrounding him.

Matcha patted Mango with tears shimmering in his eyes; he said, "Brother, do not worry. You will not have any more temptations or urges after this." Matcha could not help but whispered, "He is so pitiful. He will never have his balls ever again."

Roly Poly replied matter-of-factly, "I mean Mango isn't like the 4 of us. He would be in agony during his period of estrus."

Roly Poly nodded his head and continued, "You are still too young to understand this. As a cat who had gone through it, let me explain it to you. During estrus, you would feel extremely uncomfortable. You would be restless when you fail to mate. Even if you succeed to mate, you would still feel uneasy."

"What do you know?" Matcha retorted, "Have you ever been sterilized? You don't understand the fear when you are just about to be sterilized." He slapped Roly Poly's wobbly belly and continued, "Look at you! You're so fat, and I'm sure you haven't seen your own balls in forever."

Roly Poly was stunned by Matcha's words and could not utter a single word. He looked to Dust Ball for help and said, "Sister, what do you think? Isn't sterilization beneficial for cats without superpower?"

Dust Ball raised her legs and started scratching herself. After a moment of deliberation, she replied, "It's better for Mango to be sterilized. If not, the entire place would reek of his urine."

"What do you know?" Matcha retorted again, "The testicles are the essence of a male cat. It carries the hope of a future generation." He started hugging Mango and cried hysterically. He shouted, "You will no longer have your balls from today onwards. You will neither be a male cat nor a female cat. You will be without a gender."

Suddenly, Matcha stood up and licked his paws. Then, he reached out his other paw towards Mango's testicles and exclaimed, "I cannot let you get sterilized before you learn what it means to be a male cat!"

"Fool! What are you doing?" Elizabeth was stunned by the scene which unfolded.

Matcha turned his head and revealed a devilish smile, “I’m letting Mango understand what it means to be a male cat. As an elder brother, this is the only thing I can do for him.”

“Fool!” A glimmer of red light flashed across Elizabeth’s eyes, and she had taken control of Matcha’s body. She even used his own paws to slap his head.

Matcha managed to react by freezing time. It escaped from Elizabeth’s control and started swiping across her body.

The two cats were embroiled in a heated battle. Elizabeth used her power to control Matcha while Matcha used his to retaliate against her.

Elizabeth managed to gain an advantage using her bigger size and strength. She was biting on Matcha’s neck and started educating him, “You are such a fool! Try to recall the times before you awakened your power and look at the cats around us. They do not experience the ecstasy that we do while mating. They mate because they feel uncomfortable and it is a natural biological mechanism. If they are not sterilized, they would feel lethargic and are vulnerable to various illnesses. I’ve seen too much when I was in the ragdoll cattery.”

Chapter 137: A Natural Disaster

Elizabeth released Matcha from her grips after saying her piece. Matcha slowly got to his feet as Elizabeth walked away. Matcha lifted an eyebrow and was confused by Elizabeth’s response. He looked at Roly Poly and said, “Don’t you guys every play with yourself?”

However, Roly Poly was not paying attention to Matcha. Roly Poly seemed preoccupied with his thoughts. He thought, “Was there a difference after awakening his power?”

At the same time, Zhao Yao had walked towards Mango which was surrounded by the four supercats. Zhao Yao smiled and asked, “Still bidding farewell to your friends? Don’t worry; I’ve told the doctor to use the best-imported drugs for your surgery. If everything goes according to plan, you will be back in the café in 2 or 3 days’ time.

Matcha licked the top of Mango’s head and said, “Good luck, you will be Eunuch Mango from now onwards.”

Mango remained as clueless as ever. He had no idea what was going to happen next.

He only got a little worried when Zhao Yao picked him up and brought him outside the café.

Zhao Yao placed Mango in his cat bag and drove towards Starry Starry Pet Hospital in his Panamera. Today, the supercats would be under Baiquan's charge.

After Zhao Yao started driving for a few minutes, a vein popped out in his neck, and his face was scrunched up. There were even some weird noises coming from his stomach.

He touched his stomach and mumbled, "This is not good at all."

Zhao Yao suddenly felt an intense urge to shit. Before he managed to brace himself for it, the pain which came along during a stomachache overwhelmed him in an instant.

"F*ck!"

Zhao Yao's face turned pale like paper. He immediately stopped his car at the side of the road. He clutched onto his stomach; his entire forehead was already drenched in sweat.

"What the f*ck, this is too strong."

His right arm was trembling as he tried to turn down the air conditioning. This made him feel a little better.

"Control, I have to control."

Anyone who ever had to control their urge to shit would understand that the pressure was not constant. But instead, it was like a wave with ebbs and flows. Based on his twenty odd years of life experience, Zhao Yao wanted to hold it in until this peak had passed before he went straight to the hospital. He would release it when he passed Mango over to the hospital.

Just when he thought the pain had subsided to a level which was bearable, an even more frightening burst of pain exploded within his intestines.

Zhao Yao rammed his head into the steering wheel repeatedly, believing that it could somehow alleviate the pain. However, he felt like there was a volcano eruption in his stomach and he could not control any longer.

“I cannot do this. If I control any longer, I might lose control and make a mess.”

Zhao Yao raised his head and tightened his grip on the steering wheel. He mumbled, “I have to find a toilet quickly.”

He turned on his GPS and located the nearest toilet to his current position.

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“What? 10 kilometers? Are you kidding me?”

The waves in his stomach continually smashed against the side of his stomach. His face was twisted, and he was paler than ever.

“Don’t tell me I’ll have to do it in the bushes. No.” Zhao Yao started searching for the nearest KFC restaurant in his GPS.

Based on his twenty odd years of life experience, there would always be a toilet in the KFC restaurant.

“2 kilometers?”

Zhao Yao rammed his foot against the accelerator, and his Panamera went flying towards the KFC.

Five minutes later, the Panamera was stopped along the road outside KFC. Zhao Yao had already dashed out and sprinted towards the toilet.

However, he remembered Mango was left behind in the car and came back to fetch him in the cat bag. He immediately went back to KFC.

When he took a step into the toilet, an unbearable stench flooded his nostrils.

Looking at the unknown liquid on the floor coupled with the stench permeating in the air, Zhao Yao knew that this toilet was not in the best condition.

However, Zhao Yao had to shit, and there was no way out of it.

If he did not complete it now, he would never make it to Starry Starry Pet Hospital.

The weird sound erupted from his stomach again as his face turned a few shades paler.

“No, I can’t take it anymore.”

Zhao Yao could not control his body as it started bending forward on its own accord. He tried to enter the cubicle with the squatting toilet.

The toilet in KFC had two squatting toilets, but both were occupied. They were locked from the inside.

“I’m going to explode!”

Zhao Yao started punching against the wall. His eyes were popping out of their sockets. Veins started to pop up all over his body.

“I cannot control for much longer. I’m dying.”

Mango was sitting comfortably inside the cat bag and was looking around, surveying the surrounding in the toilet.

Suddenly, another strange sound erupted from his stomach. Zhao Yao stretched open his mouth, as his tensed up fingers ran along the wall. His body was scrunched up in a deep squat position.

“I almost died, it almost came out.”

“This has to stop.” Zhao Yao looked at the two doors which separated him from the toilet bowl. He apologized before he landed his kick on one of the doors. He immediately activated his power to stop time.

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Lin Chen, Inspector Ho’s subordinate, was smoking while settling his business inside one of the cubicles.

He looked at the information on his phone with his brows snapped together, “Isn’t the cat supposed to be hiding in this KFC outlet? I’ve been coming here for the past few days but have yet to spot it. Don’t tell me it has gotten away.”

At this moment, Lin Chen heard the banging from outside and chuckled. He said, “Bro, chill. I’ll be out soon.”

He felt that he had almost completed his business and stretched forward to reach for toilet paper. Before he even touched the toilet paper, a loud bang erupted from the door in front of him.

Next, there was a loud howling sound, and he felt a cold wind in his lower body. When he had reacted to it, he found himself squatting outside the cubicle.

Lin Chen was shocked beyond words.

When he realized that he was squatting outside the cubicle, his first reaction was to stand and put on his pants. However, he noticed the problem if he did that.

“No, I have yet to clean my butt. If I wear my pants now ...” Lin Chen turned around and looked at the cubicle which he formerly occupied. The door was locked. It sounded like someone had set off firecrackers inside the cubicle.

“This guy,” Lin Chen’s eyes seethed with anger, “He definitely has superpower.” He wanted to dash in so badly and teach that guy a lesson. However, he looked at the state which he was in and knew that there was something more urgent to attend to.

“Bro,” He knocked on the door while he tried his best to suppress his anger, “Can you pass me some toilet paper?”

The person inside handed him one square of toilet paper.

Lin Chen was annoyed and asked, “Why just one square of toilet paper?”

Zhao Yao retorted, “There are only five squares left, I’m afraid I don’t have enough myself, that’s why I gave you only 1.”

A vein popped out in Lin Chen’s forehead, and he said, “But one is not enough for me.”

“I watched an interview with Jackie Chan, and he said that he only used two squares of toilet paper every single time. You should learn from him.”

Lin Chen was furious and retorted, “He said that he tore off two squares each time, not two squares in total. How am I supposed to clean my butt with 1 square?”

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Zhao Yao replied, “Isn’t that enough? I remembered watching on television that someone managed to fold one square of toilet paper eight times. This means you get eight chances. Why are you so greedy?”

“I must remain calm. The number one rule for all fights is to remain calm,” Lin Chen gritted his teeth and tried his best to compose himself. He repeated, “But I’m the one who brought the paper in.”

A 1 dollar coin rolled out from below the door, “That should be enough.”

“This guy!” Lin Chen’s lips drew into a snarl as he picked up the 1 square of toilet paper and stared at it helplessly, “Wait till I finish cleaning my butt.”

Just when Lin Chen was about to finish cleaning, Mango which was hidden inside Zhao Yao's cat bag squinted his eyes and nibbled on his lower lip. Mango felt extremely uncomfortable.

The next moment, Lin Chen clutched his stomach and mumbled, "Don't tell me there's more."

Chills went down Lin Chen's spine, and he experienced goosebumps all over his body.

"No, this cannot be controlled by willpower alone," Lin Chen frantically knocked on the cubicle's door and shouted, "Get out now! Didn't I enter the toilet first? Get the hell out of my cubicle right now!"

Zhao Yao paid no attention to Lin Chen's demand and had no intention to open the door.

"Don't blame me!" Lin Chen squinted his eyes and rammed his left leg against the door.

The door swung open with a loud bang. However, something happened in an instant, and he was squatting outside the cubicle like what happened previously. He turned around to the door behind him and saw the door hanging loosely on its frame. However, the door remained firmly shut.

"What happened?" Lin Chen could not believe his eyes and thought, "I'm sure I kicked the door open just now. What exactly happened?"

Splashing sounds continued erupting from that cubicle, and Lin Chen could sense an evil presence inside it.

Lin Chen's brows knitted together as he concluded, "This guy has an extremely powerful ability."

A rumbling sound erupted from Lin Chen's belly, and his face turned instantly white. He shouted, "It's coming out now!"

In his moment of desperation, Lin Chen's vision turned blurry for a second.

During the time freeze, Zhao Yao had wiped off the sweat from his forehead and declared, "Finally done!" He looked at Lin Chen who was in so much agony that his entire face was drenched in

sweat. Zhao Yao looked at him and smirked, “Can’t you just wait for a short while? Aren’t you embarrassed to call yourself a police officer?”

Zhao Yao had recognized him as the police officer he met during the previous encounter with killer cat.

Zhao Yao dragged Lin Chen into the cubicle and adjusted him to a squatting position, similar to just now. He carried his cat bag and disabled his power before leaving the toilet.

When time resumed, Lin Chen found himself squatting in the cubicle. He released his control, and the splashing sound returned. He finally relaxed the muscles in his body which stopped him from shitting outside the cubicle.

“Finally!” Just when he thought that all was well, he looked around and exclaimed, “Did the person use up all the toilet paper?”

Zhao Yao had a spring in his legs as he returned to his Panamera. On the way there, he saw lots of people clutching onto their stomach and were rushing to nearby toilets. This was followed by agonizing cries.

Zhao Yao turned his head and saw a man lying outside the toilet. Both his legs were close together, and he was shaking like a leaf.

This was just the beginning. It was dinner time, and there were numerous customers in the restaurant. When Zhao Yao walked past them, he realized that all their faces were ashen and were trembling from head to toe.

Soon enough, all of them dashed into the toilet like the horde of zombies from *The Walking Dead*. However, not all of them could control as well as Zhao Yao.

When Zhao Yao left KFC, there was already a queue to the toilet. Some were squatting on the floor while others lay on the floor, unconscious. Some even leaned against the wall with a look of despair.

Strange noises erupted from the toilet. An intense stench instantly enveloped the entire restaurant. There were stains on the walls and floor of the bathroom.

Inside the cubicle, Lin Chen who was busy finding some toilet paper shouted, “Get out! All of you get out!”

“I’m a police officer!”

“What’s happening?” Zhao Yao was flabbergasted by this unbelievable scene. He immediately dashed out of the restaurant.

This incident was reported on the following day’s news. Even though KFC gave a detailed explanation of the hygiene standards which they adhered to and offered an apology to all affected, their business was still affected. Lin Chen was one of the victims of this incident.

Zhao Yao knew that logical reasoning could not explain the matter. He knew that there was a supercat behind the entire saga. However, the only cat in the restaurant was Mango which meant ...

He looked at Mango which was sitting comfortably in the bag and asked, “Mango, are you responsible for this?”

Mango did not seem to understand Zhao Yao’s words as he just stared at Zhao Yao with a clueless expression.

“It cannot talk? Or is it intellectually challenged?”

A line appeared between Zhao Yao’s brows when he suddenly recalled Elizabeth’s introduction of Mango.

This British Shorthair was somewhat intellectually challenged either because of his genes or something happened during puberty.

No matter what, Zhao Yao could not bring Mango for sterilization today. He had to bring him back and observed him carefully.

Zhao Yao only managed to understand Mango’s ability after a few days of close observation.

Whenever Mango tried to control his shit, the animals surrounding him, including humans, would be affected. They would have an intense urge to shit as well, as though they could do it on Mango's behalf.

If Mango were not controlling his shit, he would not have any special power and would be similar to any other cats.

Matcha saw Zhao Yao returning with Mango in his arms and asked, "What happened? Aren't you bringing him for sterilization?"

Zhao Yao gave a lopsided grin and replied, "I think this guy has also awakened his superpower and it's an extremely troublesome power. I'll have to bring him home for further observation."

"Huh?" Matcha could not believe his ears and shouted, "This guy? He cannot even speak and even peed all over the café during estrus."

"No." Elizabeth observed the British Shorthair in front of her and commented, "It might be because of his extremely low IQ. Do you remember the incident where Mango peed into your food bowl? I have suspected that Mango still cannot remember the location of the toilet.

The reason he peed all over the café was not that of estrus but because he is too stupid."

"He is too stupid?" Matcha was left speechless by Mango. He asked, "Isn't the awakening supposed to increase our intelligence?"

"I'm afraid if the intelligence was too low to start with, the awakening would not have much visible effects on it." Elizabeth squinted her eyes and believed that was what happened to Mango.

Chapter 139: The Liar and The Containers

"Anyway, I'll be bringing Mango back home," Zhao Yao scratched his chin and continued, "Please keep an eye out for him. Stop him from peeing all over the apartment."

“I don’t mind having one more intellectually challenged cat at home,” Matcha smirked and said, “Don’t worry, we will take care of him.”

The remaining supercats nodded their heads in agreement as they could empathize with Mango’s situation. Matcha jumped and returned to his massage throne. He took out his phone and noticed the Wechat message coming from Chubby Luban Assassin.

“Are you there?”

Matcha replied, “What’s the matter?”

Fish Ball retorted, “Didn’t you promise me to return my RMB 50 after you increase your daily transactional cap? When do you intend to return me my money?”

Matcha replied nonchalantly, “Haven’t you received the money? I’ve already transferred it to you.”

Fish Ball took Matcha’s words for it and replied, “Oh, but I still haven’t received it yet.”

Matcha replied, “Alright, I’ll help you check.”

After the 5 minutes which seemed like an eternity for Fish Ball ...

Matcha typed, “Oh no! it seems like your account was suspected for money laundering. They are going to freeze it.”

Fish Ball jumped in fear, and his tiny paws flew around the screen, “What? No! This account belongs to my owner and not me. If she finds out that I’ve been using her money, she will kill me!”

Matcha replied, “I can’t help you. I suspect someone had misappropriated your owner’s account. You have to inform her about it.”

“No, no, no! If she finds out that I’ve used her Alipay secretly, I will be dead!”

“How about this, you can transfer RMB 200 as a security deposit. This would stop them from freezing your account. If they checked and realized that there’s nothing wrong with your owner’s account, they would return you the RMB 200.”

Fish Ball heaved a sigh of relief and replied, “Oh, thank God. It would be disastrous if the account got frozen.” Meanwhile, heartless Matcha had returned to a game of Mobile Legends.

Spirit cat which floated behind Matcha witnessed the entire dialogue between him and Fish Ball. He could not help but whisper, “Is Chubby Luban Assassin a r*tard?”

Spirit cat did not believe Elizabeth’s words when she claimed that it was possible for a supercat to be intellectually challenged. However, this incident had radically changed his opinion on it.

“It’s not just Mango; there are other supercats which are also intellectually challenged.”

At this moment, the entire building experienced a massive tremor. It was as if the floor which they stood on had turned into cotton. Everyone lost their balance, and the furniture started sliding around the apartment.

Zhao Yao patted his chest after the tremors had subsided. He mumbled, “What’s going on? Why is there another earthquake?”

The vein on Zhao Yao’s forehead popped out again at the thought of an earthquake. Recently, the earthquakes were gone from Jiangmen city for a period. He thought the cat behind it had been captured.

However, the frequency of earthquakes had increased the past month. The pricing houses in Jiangmen city had plummeted, and Zhao Yao’s apartment value had dropped to one-third of its original price.

Suddenly, Zhao Yao heard a ring in his head, and the contents of his mission panel had changed again.

Mission: Stop the earthquake!

Objective: Find the cat causing the earthquake and stop it from causing further earthquakes.

Reward: 300 experience points

“This mission!” 2 beams of light shot out from Zhao Yao’s eyes as he exclaimed, “This is right up my alley! With my ‘2X Exp Card’, the points earned would become 600. It’s time for me to put an end to this nonsense!”

However, Zhao Yao knew that he could not just leave his house now and start finding this cat without a plan. The cat responsible for the earthquakes had a massive bounty on it. Even without producing a magnitude 8.0 or 9.0 earthquake, it could already destroy a country by creating a few minor tremors a day. The country’s economy would be affected, and it would collapse.

Many people must have started searching for this deadly cat.

“I’m afraid even people like Ho Hao Cang and Inspector Ho had started their search.” Zhao Yao clutched his head and thought, “It’s also about time to settle my business with Ho Hao Cang. With my perfect illusion, I could easily disguise as someone else as long as I’m not caught on security cameras.”

“I also have my upgraded extradimensional belly!” Zhao Yao opened his mouth and had already absorbed a blanket into his belly.

After a few days of experimenting, he found that he could easily control where the object ended up in when they go absorbed. This meant that he could thrust the object into any corner after he had consumed them.

“If I put a tiny prison cell inside, I could even absorb the enemy and lock him inside the prison cell.”

Hence, Zhao Yao spent the subsequent days collecting information on earthquake cat. He also allocated some time for online shopping to furnish his extradimensional belly with some useful tools.

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Inside the extradimensional belly, Zhao Yao was floating around in the darkness.

There were three containers of different colors floating in front of him. All were sealed to prevent their contents from spilling out.

Zhao Yao was contented with the current state of his extradimensional belly and returned to the real world. He decided to test his ability and reabsorbed himself into it. He had transported himself into one of the containers.

His mastery of the skill allowed him to do just that.

“Hmm, I will put food inside the yellow container.”

He took a few packets of instant noodle, canned food and mineral water which he had prepared beforehand and absorbed them into the yellow container. He also consumed a few torchlight and some spare batteries.

“Hmm, I should also put some cabinets inside the container to prevent things from floating around.”

Zhao Yao meticulously measured the dimension of the container and ordered a custom-made cupboard. He would separate the items according to their function and place them neatly inside the cupboard.

Extradimensional belly had turned into an ideal haven.

Zhao Yao went back to the real world before reabsorbing himself into the blue container.

He attached a sleeping bag to a rope which was bolted to the edge of the container. This allowed him to rest inside the extradimensional belly.

“I also need some forms of entertainment. What if I’m stuck inside here for a long time?”

Zhao Yao returned to the real world and prepared a stack of magazines, books and even bought a brand new phone. He had stored millions of games and movies on the phone.

“Haha, I can buy a game console and a large screen TV if I have spare cash in the future. However, I might need to have a generator in here if I have so much electronics.”

“Oh yes, I also need some weapons! I should get a few baseball bats, a kitchen knife, and even paprika. This would be ideal weapons!”

Zhao Yao immediately went on TaoBao and ordered an assortment of baseball bats and weapons used for self-defense.

Zhao Yao’s enthusiasm at furnishing his extradimensional belly resembled the enthusiasm he displayed when he built his secret fortress as a kid.

After furnishing the blue and yellow containers, he was left with the red container.

This red container would be used to capture his enemies.

“Hmm, this can definitely be reinforced. Maybe I can add a few traps in it,” Zhao Yao thought.

Chapter 140: The Quest for Earthquake Cat

Zhao Yao’s combat prowess and vitality had reached another peak after he upgraded his cats and fully equipped his extradimensional belly.

“The mission to stop the cat thief’s organization will expire in a month’s time.”

“I guess I’ll settle Ho Hao Cang first.”

With his mastery over The 5 Senses, he did not have to worry about exposing his identity.

One night, Zhao Yao decided to bring Matcha and Elizabeth along when he returned to Ho Hao Cang’s mansion.

However, he found out that he was not home when he got there. After waiting for an entire night, and receiving more than 30 mosquito bites, Hao Cang was still not back.

“D*mn it, all these fuerdais only know how to have a good time outside and doesn’t even know how to return home at night!” Zhao Yao grew impatient as he frantically scratched his body which was covered in mosquito bites. The thought of just destroying his mansion flashed across his head.

Matcha which was resting inside the cat bag grumbled, “How long more Zhao Yao? I’m about to be crushed to death by this furry fatty!”

Elizabeth immediately retaliated with a tight slap on Matcha’s face. She retorted, “How many times must I repeat! I’m fluffy, not fat!”

“Never mind, we’ll go back home first.” Zhao Yao gave up and returned home with his dark circles and giant eyebags. He came back the following night, but Ho Hao Cang was still not home.

He got tired of waiting. By using his power of illusion, Zhao Yao infiltrated his mansion. He only found out that Ho Hao Cang had not been home for two weeks when he eavesdropped on a maids’ conversation. They did not know when he was returning or where he went.

He also took the cats along with him, and nobody knew their whereabouts.

“F*ck him, what the hell is he doing! These fuerdais have so much time, and they don’t know how to use it properly by resting at home? They are out all day clubbing and splurging all their money!”

Zhao Yao’s eyes burned with anger as he returned home. He had no choice but to focus all his attention on earthquake cat.

“Maybe Ho Hao Cang also went out to find the earthquake cat? Never mind, I’ll settle earthquake cat first before I take care of Hao Cang!”

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A few days later, in the outskirts of Jiangmen city, a Panamera was speeding down the expressway under the starry sky.

Zhao Yao had brought along Elizabeth and Matcha before he headed southwards.

Based on the information which he had gathered on the internet and his conversations with Seismological Bureau, he found out that the epicenter of the earthquakes was from the southern region of Jiangmen city.

After failing to find Hao Cang, Zhao Yao had begun his search for earthquake cat. Before he went out to find it, he stopped over at Ho Hao Cang's mansion to ensure that he was not home before he started his journey southwards. Even though he had failed to locate the earthquake cat, he had identified a few individuals who seemed like apostles.

Today, Zhao Yao come to a newly reconstructed old town. He had heard rumors that an abandoned ancient house had collapsed a few days ago. Coincidentally, the house also fell within the radius of the epicenter of the earthquake. Hence, Zhao Yao decided to try his luck here.

He found a secluded corner to park his Panamera before he got off with the cat bag slung behind his back. He whispered, "Elizabeth and Matcha, come in."

Matcha jumped in immediately, but Elizabeth's brows snapped together as she commented, "This bag is too squeezey, I don't want to get in there."

Matcha scoffed, "I'm sure it's because you are too fat!"

"Alright, stop complaining and get in now." Zhao Yao squeezed Elizabeth into the bag, albeit slightly unwillingly, before absorbing his Panamera. He then walked towards the direction of the old town.

"Thankfully it's an old town; there aren't much surveillance cameras around."

When Zhao Yao made his way into the town, he did not realize that there was a spectacled middle-aged man with a teenager staring at him from within a small building.

"This town has a really strong cat scent," Zhao Yao raised his eyebrows before he took a few sniffs. He continued walking in the same direction.

Inside the small building, the middle-aged man raised his eyebrow and said, “This guy. He is the one Prince Ho asked us to find ...”

“The boss of the cat café? He should be an apostle too.” The teenager chuckled as he responded to the middle-aged man, “This guy is here too? Is he looking for the earthquake cat as well? I think he has overestimated his ability.” He stared at Zhao Yao as he licked his lips and said coolly, “Should we get rid of him?”

He shut his left eye and used his right eye and hands to mimic the action of using a telescope. He chuckled, “He just entered this town so blatantly, without any form of disguise. He even has the cat bag slung behind him. This guy is an amateur. I’m sure I can take care of him in 5 seconds.”

“Prince Ho told us not to attract too much attention to ourselves. Our priority is to capture the earthquake cat. However, we should still report this.” The spectacled man took out his phone.

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Inside another building in the old town, Ho Hao Cang answered his phone with his poker face, “What happened?”

“That Zhao Yao just entered the town. From the looks of it, he is just an amateur, do you want us to take care of him?”

“Just leave him be,” Ho Cang continued, “Continue standing guard at your position, call me if there are any anomalies.” The butler did a hand signal. Hao Cang recognized it and said, “I’ve something to settle on my side, so I’ll hang up first.”

“What happened?”

The butler replied, “Master, Lin Chen and his people seemed to have located earthquake cat.”

Hao Cang’s eyes glimmered as he commanded, “Get ready, we cannot let earthquake cat slip through our fingers.”

The butler hesitated before saying, “Master, is it too risky for us to capture earthquake cat?”

“Don’t worry, as long as I have earthquake cat under me; I will have the power to destroy the entire Jiangmen city instantly. Even the higher-ups will be forced to give in to me.” There seemed to be a fire ring blazing in Hao Cang’s eyes as he continued, “This will revolutionize the relationship between humans and cats.”

The butler could only sigh as he knew that Hao Cang was someone who could not be swayed easily.

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Meanwhile, a golden-haired girl was observing with a telescope inside a tower within the old town. She was carefully surveying the entire place for any anomalies.

She was 1.8 meters tall and wore a tank top. She had a pair of beautiful long legs.

Her name is Isabella, and she was a former agent in CIA. Her performance there was outstanding.

Her lips curled into a smile as she continued observing the old town. She whispered, “This isn’t a wasted trip. I didn’t expect so many people to be here.”

A black cat was walking around her. She glanced at Elizabeth and said, “Hey long legs, I’m hungry. When are we going to eat?”

Sadly, Isabella could not understand what the black cat was saying and simply patted its head and said, “Lucy, be a good cat. We will be rich if we manage to capture this cat. I’m sure CIA would pay us billions to have it.”

Suddenly, there was an explosion. No. It’s the sound of a building collapsing. Isabella pointed her telescope at the direction of the noise and saw a few shadows emerging from the ruins.