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Chapter 281: Gift from God

Beads of sweat trickled down Zhao Yao's back as he listened to Baozi's explanation. His eyes drifted towards the unconscious Gaia before mumbling, "Just bring him out first, send him here once he wakes up ... hmph ... as for the next cat ... hmph, Baozi since you are already here, just stay."

Zhao Yao made eye contact with Baozi and mustered his most amiable smile before asking, "Baozi, how do you find your life here? Are you used to it yet?"

Behind Baozi, Sausage was dragging Gaia out of the container as if he were a dead corpse. Sausage bit Gaia by the back of his neck as he struggled to drag him out. Along the way, Gaia's head even smashed against the edge of the door, leaving a giant bruise.

Zhao Yao bit his lower lip and stared earnestly into Baozi's eyes, "Do not be nervous. Don't be afraid to say anything that comes to your mind. This is a democratic place."

Baozi was a maroon Dragon Li. His entire body was spread across the floor, with his tail wagging from left to right. He cocked his head sideways and replied, "Everything's great!"

"Hmph, in that case, do you have any suggestions to improve this place. For example, you guys might need more potable water or simply just more meat. You can raise any suggestions here."

"No ... I do not have any requests." Baozi immediately shot out his response with a shook of his head. However, based on Zhao Yao's years of experience interacting with cats, he knew that Baozi was hiding something from him.

"After interacting with the two of them, none of them are willing to tell me the truth." This got on Zhao Yao's nerves. Hence, he went forward and cradled Baozi in his arms. Zhao Yao raked his finger through Baozi's fur before whispering into his ears, "You do not have to be afraid."

Baozi had spent the bulk of his life roaming the streets as a stray cat. Naturally, he was rather reluctant to be cradled in Zhao Yao's arms initially. However, the soothing sensation which

permeated through his body stemming from Celestial Beats and Zhao Yao's finger made him shut his eyes in pleasure. If this was heaven, he would never want to leave.

Zhao Yao continued with his questioning, "Relax. This place is specially created as a haven for cats. Our number one priority is for cats to enjoy their time here. If you need anything, feel free to tell it to me. We will do whatever we can to satisfy your needs."

The muscles in Baozi's face started twitching as his body gave a sudden shudder. His lips were trembling before he finally spoke, "Do you have that … that …"

"Yes?" Zhao Yao pressed his ear against Baozi's mouth, "What is it?"

Baozi's face was flushed with embarrassment as he whispered, "Those kinds ... kinds of films where male and female cats are engaged in a physical activity."

Zhao Yao instantly loosened his grip the moment he managed to lure the answer out of him. Baozi fell to the ground with a loud thud. Zhao Yao ran his finger through his hair and muttered, "Alright, alright. I will give it you tomorrow morning."

Baozi jumped to his feet and cocked his head towards Zhao Yao with a radiant smile, "I will be waiting for you!"

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After hours of interrogation, Zhao Yao has finally returned to his comfortable bed as his fingers ran across the mousepad, in search of the cat film.

Throughout the hours of interrogation and questioning, Baozi was the only one who succumbed to his probing and revealed what he actually craved for. The remaining cats' mouths were sealed shut.

However, Zhao Yao's laborious search was to no avail. All he managed to find were videos of cats acting cute. None of them were cat action films.

"Who is even interested in this?" Left with no choice, Zhao Yao instantly created a thread on the forum, "Anyone has any access to cat films? It should include love, action, and cats."

He returned to the thread after 10 minutes only to see it removed by the moderator.

"D*mn it, why did they have to remove my thread?" With his brows tightly knitted together, Zhao Yao went on Baidu to commence his treasure hunt, "I don't believe that there are no such films on the internet."

Zhao Yao struck gold instantly. After just a few minutes, he had already found a trove of cat videos.

Zhao Yao eyes widened with fear as he read the title on the cover page, "The Japanese even bothered creating films specially made for cats. They are truly one of a kind."

Zhao Yao kept to his words and snuck a thumb drive into Baozi's paw the second day. Baozi's breathing quickened and he could hardly hold in the excitement. He immediately ran towards his computer terminal.

The corner of Zhao Yao's lips curled up upon seeing another satisfied cat customer. However, the mission remained unfinished.

"What the hell is going on?" Zhao Yao stroked his chin thoughtfully and talked to himself, "Are the cats unwilling to share certain private information with me because I am a human? How about King George? Will they divulge their secrets?"

Hence, Zhao Yao brought Matcha into the belly for him to investigate and understand the situation within it.

Matcha's face crumbled the moment he heard Zhao Yao's troublesome request, "Huh? You want me to go into that stupid belly and find out how the country bumpkins are surviving inside?"

Matcha remained lying comfortably on his massage throne. He slid Zhao Yao a condescending glare and grumbled, "What's the point of investigating this bunch of fools? Having food to eat and beverages to drink should be more than enough for them."

Zhao Yao kept his cool and ran his fingers through the snow-white fur on his belly, "Alright, it's just gonna be a few hours. I'll reward you with your favorite canned food when you return. Deal?"

"You do not have to touch me when you speak to me." Matcha returned Zhao Yao's kindness with another condescending glare. He lifted Zhao Yao's palm off his belly and threw it away before lamenting, "You are trying to bribe me with a single canned food? Are you treating me like those idiotic ordinary domestic cats? I am a supercat. The strongest supercat to ever step foot on Earth. I am the savior of my kind."

Zhao Yao's temple throbbed with rage as he gritted his teeth and replied, "So what do you prefer then?"

Matcha raised his eyebrows and replied nonchalantly, "Hmph, Rice Cake seems to be having a lot of fun playing PUBG. Zhao Yao, just buy me a computer with that game installed inside."

"Stupid cat, he has really gone overboard this time around." Zhao Yao sent a tight slap across Matcha's face and roared, "You have grown rather cocky these days! I'm just asking you for a tiny help and you actually demanded such crazy requests for it?

Are you even interested in succeeding my empire?"

Zhao Yao did not bother waiting for Matcha's reply. He opened his mouth and activated Dust Ball's ability before shouting, "Get in now! I'll give you a canned food at the end of it."

Matcha could feel the vicious aura sweeping through the apartment. With his entire body shaking like a leaf, he made his way inside the belly.

"You could have just told me nicely. Why do you have to be so fierce?" Matcha muttered with his butt swinging left to right.

Matcha landed into the belly with a deafening thud. He was greeted by a scene of Caesar squatting in the litter box with his face all scrunched together. His thick and furry tail was standing on end as his body froze.

Caesar had never expected to meet Matcha under such circumstances and even shat on his legs.

However, he had no time to be bothered by this insignificant problem. He immediately dashed out of his litter box and stopped right before Matcha, "King George, why did you grace us with your presence today?"

"Do not come near me, you smell like shit." Matcha gave a dismissive wave of his paws, signaling Caesar to take a few steps back. Zhao Yao's voice rang in his head and said, "Remember to have a good attitude. Ask them about their needs. Show your care and concern for your cats."

Matcha could not be bothered by this silly request but still complied with it for fear of Zhao Yao's rage. He looked at Caesar and asked nonchalantly, "I just came here for a look. So how's life inside the Village of Dreams? Do you have any requests?"

"My entire family is having a great time here. The only thing bothering me is the bald patch at the back of my head. You do understand that long-furred cats like us take a far longer time to grow out our fur. King George, do you have any tricks to make my fur grown faster?"

Matcha pranced behind Caesar and what he saw made Matcha do a double take. Even though the fur had already started to grow, the disparity in length was simply too obvious. He had never seen a Ragdoll with such an ugly bald patch in his life.

However, Matcha pretended it was nothing serious as he assured Caesar, "It's just a tiny patch." Suddenly, his eyes gleamed with excitement as he proclaimed, "I have a solution!"

Matcha began shouting at Zhao Yao telepathically, "Zhao Yao, let me out for five minutes."

Five minutes later, Matcha had returned with a green hat dangling from his mouth.

"This is the first hat I've ever worn in my life. Now I'm entrusting it into your hands. I also suffered from a bald patch in the past. This hat was my life savior."

Chapter 282: Happiness and the Search

Caesar tried his best to hide the doubt on his face as he inspected the hideous green hat and commented, "Are you sure I'll look good by putting this on?"

"My green hate is the most fashionable accessory in the entire world." Despite Caesar's reluctance, Matcha continued putting it on his head, "Nice! You are a perfect match for this perfect hat! You look at least two times more handsome than before!" "Really?"

Matcha just shoved Caesar along before stopping in front of a full-length mirror.

Caesar stared at this new look and began nodding his head, "Actually, this looks really good."

Matcha flicked his head gleefully when he noticed how satisfied Caesar was with his new look. He thought, "I've appeased my father-in-law with a simple trick. Match, you truly are a genius!"

Meanwhile, Zhao Yao was carefully observing Matcha's behavior within the belly. He thought, "This brat. Is this solution even feasible in the long run?"

For the next hour, Zhao Yao's eyes remained glued to Matcha as he went around chatting with the cats. He was just like the presidential nominees right before the election. However, Matcha did spend an inordinate amount of time with Diana, which was cut short by Zhao Yao's timely reminder.

By sending Matcha in his place, Zhao Yao did manage to elicit more responses from the cats. However, the chain mission remained incomplete.

"What the hell is going on?" Zhao Yao slammed his palm against the table as his brain exploded with fury. He pondered, "All of them look so happy! I mean just look at their smile! Why can't they just let me complete the mission?"

Just when Zhao Yao was about to rip his hair off of his scalp, his eyes had somehow gravitated to a corner of the belly. His eyes gleamed with excitement when he saw the Sphynx Cat held within the iron cage.

At this moment, Matcha had appeared next to Zhao Yao's calf, with his tail wagging excitedly. Matcha's eyes squinted into a line as a broad smile appeared on his face. He reached his paws towards Zhao Yao and asked, "Zhao Yao! Zhao Yao! I have done it! Where is my canned food?"

"Kitchen. Take it yourself."

With a spring in his steps, Matcha bounced into the kitchen only to be disappointed y the sight of a half-eaten canned food resting against the wall.

Anger roared through Matcha as he stomped his way towards Zhao Yao, "Zhao Yao! Is this the leftover from Elizabeth?"

However, Zhao Yao was indifferent to Matcha's complaint. He was busy contemplating the situation in the belly. He simply pacified him by saying, "Ya, but it has only been opened for one hour. Elizabeth doesn't want the rest of it. Don't waste the food and just finish it."

"This old brat! I knew that he had always favored Elizabeth but this is stupid! As a female cat, she can never succeed his café empire! I will be the one sitting on his throne while she watches from beneath!" However, hunger prevented Matcha from complaining further. The smell of the fish and prawn lured him to the food. He took one bite and could not stop. He thought, "This is pretty good."

Zhao Yao stared at the pesky Sphynx Cat and reflected, "Don't tell me he is also included in my mission?"

Zhao Yao found this hypothesis rather possible. Since he had to win his heart one day, Zhao Yao decided to make today the day. He absorbed himself into the belly and came face to face to the Sphynx Cat.

Sphynx Cat was behaving like usual. He curled his body into a ball with his eyes shut together. He only lifted his eyelids when he noticed Zhao Yao's presence before slamming them shut again.

A beaming smile appeared on Zhao Yao's face as he reached his hand towards the back of Sphynx Cat's head before asking, "How's your stay here?"

"Are you used to the food I have prepared?"

"Do you have any requests? King George and I are very humane individuals. Do not be afraid to raise any requests. We will do our best to satisfy your needs."

A lopsided smile crept up the cat's face as he sniggered, "How about you let me out of here?"

Zhao Yao's finger continued running down the Sphynx Cat's spine. The furless cat's spine exuded a unique sensation. It felt just like a small stove, radiating warmth into Zhao Yao's fingertips.

"You are currently too dangerous. You know that I cannot just let you out without supervision."

Sphynx Cat simply shut his eyes when he heard Zhao Yao's patronizing remarks. Evidently, he was not interested in continuing the conversation.

Sphynx Cat's response had put Zhao Yao in an extremely difficult spot. Actually, Zhao Yao had placed extra effort these days to talk to him and better understand him. However, his response was exactly the same as the stone in a shitpit, smelly and unresponsive. There were no signs of him giving in anytime soon.

After these days of observation, Zhao Yao had also failed to pick up any of his interests.

His behavior was exactly like a criminal in his cell. He would be stuck in the same spot every day, except when he went to shit or eat. For the rest of the day, he would just shut his eyes and sleep. However, Zhao Yao had a feeling that he was not actually sleeping. In reality, he was willing his bones and muscles to move, continuing his ceaseless training.

Zhao Yao propped his chin on his hand and asked, "Is there anything that you would like to eat? Or maybe play?"

It would be impossible for Zhao Yao to brighten his mood if he chose to keep his mouth sealed.

However, the Sphynx Cat's eyelids suddenly trembled as he looked towards Ares's direction.

In reality, Sphynx Cat had turned into a gay the moment he awakened his power, but this was the first time he had ever felt such an intense desire for another male cat.

After all, supercats remained a minority amongst the entire cat population. The probability of finding a suitable male supercat candidate amongst the sea of cats was virtually impossible.

Hence, the Sphynx Cat had focused all his energies on spreading his influence and training himself in an attempt to drown his loneliness.

When he heard the amazing news that Ares was a gay last night, he felt a large jolt of electricity rushing into his heart, breathing life into his otherwise dormant love life. This euphoria was something he had never experienced.

Under Zhao Yao's ceaseless questioning, he finally gave in to the pestering and opened his eyes and mouth, "Bring that cat, Ares, into my cage. I would like to chat with him."

"Ares?" Worry snaked through him when Zhao Yao heard Ares name being mentioned. However, he had a sudden epiphany and concluded, "Oh yes, Sphynx Cat's ability would cause his sexual orientation to change. This means that he has also turned gay!"

"However, why is he interested in Ares?" Zhao Yao's eyes naturally gravitated towards Ares who was busy chatting and laughing alongside the pair of Ragdolls. He shook his head and said to himself, "Never mind, given Sphynx Cat's current condition, he will not be able to use violence against Ares. I'll just let him talk to Ares."

One minute later, Ares found himself sitting inside the imposing iron cage with all sorts of questions flooding his head.

Subconsciously, he began licking his paws as he made eye contact with the Sphynx Cat before asking, "I heard that you had something to talk to me about."

The Sphynx Cat gave Ares a seductive smile as his paws ran provocatively across his fur, "I heard what you said to Caesar last night."

Terror overtook Ares's face as his jaws dropped to the ground, "I have no idea what you are talking about." In his head, he was thinking, "This guy ... don't tell me that he has already seen through my lies?" Ares had never been confident in his incredulous lie and knew that he cannot fool everyone. How could a male cat possibly be gay?

An unknown pleasure swarmed through his body when the Sphynx Cat noticed how flustered Ares got. A devilish smile appeared on his face as he whispered, "You don't have to be scared. Actually, we are both the same kind. We share similar interests."

"Same kind?" Ares stared suspiciously at this dubious cat and thought, "Don't tell me this cat is also going for Catherine?"

His brief thoughts were interrupted by the Sphynx Cat, "I know this feeling very well. We can't control ourselves even though we know that this is immoral, that this is wrong. We are filled with regret and hate for ourselves but we just can't control this urge. I understand you."

Ares's eyebrows knitted together as he had difficulty comprehending his words. Ares then spoke in an undertone, "What do you want?" His eyes drifted across the beams or iron pole and sneered, "As compared to you, I have a far better chance."

"Nothing, I just wanted to talk to you." The Sphynx Cat let out a long sigh, "I understand that both of us cannot afford to do anything with so many eyes staring at us. However, can you lick my fur?"

"You don't even have fur!"

At the same time, Zhao Yao's voice had already rung in his head, "If you help him lick his fur, I will satisfy any wish you have as long as it is not a morally corrupt thing to do."

Moments later, Ares had buried his head beneath his muscular chest and began licking his nonexistent fur. He thought, "Why do I feel so strange doing this?"

Finally, Zhao Yao's mission was completed the moment a satisfied smile appeared on the Sphynx Cat's face.

Meanwhile, an imposing muscular bloke had just set foot in Jiangmen University. He stared at the college students walking past him and thought, "Is the apostle who took away Sphynx Cat from this university?"

Chapter 283: The Search and the Upgrade

The muscular bloke was none other than the 'Champion' of Muscle Society. He was one of the three strongest members, including Butcher. His job was to find any trail of evidence which might lead to the Sphynx Cat's disappearance.

"I have already spoken to the cat kings of Xiang Yang district, but there was nothing suspicious in their replies." Champion continued sauntering down the streets of Jiangmen University. His eyes would constantly dart from one student to another.

"This Jiangmen University was the last area Ah Qiang checked out before that incident occurred. I believe the cat king would definitely know a thing or two about it. Or maybe, the apostle who kidnapped Sphynx Cat is inside this place right now."

The Champion's eyes suddenly gravitated towards the basketball court as his eyes were glued to the group of college boys hustling in a game of basketball. A smile danced on his lips as he watched this outburst of testosterone.

"They are really a bunch of energetic young men!"

Champion's original plan was to collect some intel in the school by surveying the students, asking them if anything weird had happened in the past week.

This was based on his experience as an apostle. There were bound to be anomalies and weird happenings wherever a supercat or an apostle roamed.

At this moment, his ears gave a quick shudder as a gentle roar grabbed his attention. He swept his ahead across and saw a group of girls playing in the corner of the court. One girl stood out in particular. She was extremely lanky and had just viciously dunked a basketball into the rim.

The girl who did that was Zhao Xue.

Champion could not help but slowed down his pace as he stared at the girl in awe. She was able to slide past a series of defenders with ease. Champion could easily tell that this girl was on a whole different level compared to the rest in terms of her physical gift and techniques. Actually, her skills had far surpassed any college student.

"Woah, this girl is really quite sick." Champion's eyes squinted into a hard line as he continued observing her. As an apostle who had previously received the gift of training from Sphynx Cat, he also had a body which others could only dream of. Naturally, he also had superior eyesight.

However, from his judgment, Zhao Xue's ability had not surpassed what was considered natural. Her reaction and physical gifts were great but they were just talents, not superpower. Hence, he turned his body around and continued collecting more intel regarding any unusual happenings in the school.

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Meanwhile, Zhao Yao had just completed his second chain mission after baiting Ares to lick the Sphynx Cat's fur. As a result, he had earned 200*2 experience points from it, elevating his BOOK to lv5(5228/10000).

These points were sufficient for him to upgrade a supercat.

However, Zhao Yao decided to put that on pause as he took a glimpse at the new chain mission.

Chain Mission No.3: Cats require ample space.

Objective: Increase the land space occupied by cat nation until each cat has at least 50 square meters of space to themselves.

Reward: 400 experience points

Punishment: Nil

"D*mn it, the experience points really doubled again!" Zhao Yao's eyes gleamed with excitement as his heart thumped rapidly. The first mission gave him 100 experience points while the second mission gave him 200. He already had a hunch that the points would grow in an exponential fashion. This only confirmed his hypothesis which sent him brimming with excitement.

"I have no idea if the fourth mission would follow this exponential relationship as well! However, this is not the time to worry about that!"

Zhao Yao's eyebrow knitted together when he read the objective of the mission, "Increase the space? I could definitely increase the space inside Dust Ball's extradimensional belly if I continue upgrading her. However, I have no idea how many levels it will take to reach the stipulated size.

Currently, I already have more than 10 cats. This means I need more than 500 square meters of space!"

Zhao Yao knew that it was not wise to solely depend on upgrading Dust Ball's ability. He began eyeballing this place as a smart idea sprang into his head, "If the mission is referring only to the horizontal land space, I can definitely work upwards! Even though the extradimensional belly was only around 100 square meters, but its height was a staggering three meters!

This incredible ceiling height was a total waste on cats. If I can separate this space into different floors, I will be able to utilize the empty space on top! This should be able to increase the land space each cat could possibly enjoy."

Zhao Yao thought long and hard about it and was confident about his method.

Since completing his second cat chain mission, his BOOK had turned into lv5 (5228/10000).

The cats' experience points were as follows:

Matcha lv5(240/5000)

Elizabeth lv5(240/5000)

Dust Ball: lv5(460/5000)

Ares lv4(310/2000)

Lucifer: lv4(170/2000)

With his current experience points, it was more than sufficient to either upgrade Matcha, Elizabeth or Dust Ball to lv6. On the other hand, he could also upgrade both Ares and Lucifer to lv5. This was a difficult decision which required Zhao Yao to consider their current situation.

"If I intend to improve my combat prowess, there will not be an obvious difference even if I upgrade all my cats. I might be weaker than when I am equipped with the supercat armor. Hence, I do not have to worry about my combat powers as of now."

"Currently, Ares and Lucifer's power were more than sufficient. There is no urgent need for me to upgrade Elizabeth's power of control or illusion. I can consider upgrading them at the end of the month."

"On the other hand, Matcha's power of timefreeze is a late game carry skill. This also applies to Dust Ball's extradimensional belly. Both of them have such great potential! Since I'm not in an urgent need to increase my combat prowess, I can definitely consider upgrading Matcha or Dust Ball."

Zhao Yao's eyes swept across the extradimensional belly as he talked to himself, "On the surface, it might seem as if the extradimensional belly will not directly increase my power. However, if I continue to improve the conditions here and make it more convenient to send the cats out, I can dispatch more cats to my aid. In the long run, this will be far more powerful than strengthening a single supercat's power."

Zhao Yao had set his mind to it and tapped on the upgrade button next to Dust Ball. He would reserve Matcha's upgrade for the end of the month.

"Enlarge ... enlarge ... please make the extradimensional belly bigger!"

Zhao Yao began chanting feverishly as he spammed all his points into Dust Ball at one go.

Immediately, the BOOK had plummeted to lv5(688/10000), while Dust Ball had upgraded to lv6(0/10000).

The long-awaited ability branches had reappeared. They were:

The water of vitality: This water had been infused with a large dosage of vitality. A single drop of it could cure anyone of fatigue.

Light of Creation: Magnificent light rays would rain down on the extradimensional belly, enhancing the fruits and vegetable within it. Any supercat which consumed these enhanced vegetables would receive a boost in strength. These effects were permanent.

"No skill to enlarge the space?" Zhao Yao's face crumbled in disappointment. He glanced at the two powers' details and thought, "This power to alleviate fatigue is rather handy, however, I don't even stay up late. On the other hand, this light of Creation can replace the night lamp inside the belly currently. As compared to controlling the temperate using the artificial sun, this seems way stronger ... ability to boost supercats' strength?"

"Hmph, this is a farming skill! From the looks of it, the extradimensional belly is really morphing into a tiny world of its own!"

"Maybe this ability can even upgrade my cat rice to a new level!"

Filled with the endless possibilities, Zhao Yao had immediately pressed on the Light of Creation.

The next moment, the entire extradimensional belly was lit up. The light did not come from a single source, but rather the 'sky' in the belly was illuminated by a mysterious source. The gentle yet warm light rays rained across the place, spreading warmth to every single cat.

Chapter 284: The Secret of Cat Grass

It immediately attracted the supercats' attention as the first ray of light from the Light of Creation saturated their world and illuminated the place.

The ceiling was shrouded in this warm, pale yellow glow. It felt exactly like the real sky outside.

Zhao Yao spread his arms and tried to soak in this supposedly wonderful light with his eyes shut together, but there was nothing special about it.

"This is supposed to increase a plant's vitality. Let's test it ..."

Zhao Yao instantly teleported into his apartment and brought in a pot of cat grass into the extradimensional belly.

This pot of cat grass originated as a pack of seeds given by TaoBao for Zhao Yao's inordinate spending. Currently, it had already started budding as a pair of tiny green leaves grew from the stem.

These weren't the ordinary catmint that could get cats all excited. Instead, it was a stimulant that would allow better contraction and movements of the intestines. It would allow cats to vomit out balls of furs stuck in the depth of their intestines. This would improve their overall digestive health and also provided much need vitamins and minerals.

Zhao Yao stared at the pot of cat grass basking in this wonderful light but failed to notice any visible changes.

"Hmph, maybe I need to leave the plant here for a longer time," Zhao Yao bent down and placed the pot in a secluded corner of the belly. He intended to check on its growth in a few days' time.

Strangely, Zhao Yao woke up even before his alarm rang the second morning. He instantly reached his arms out for his phone and thought, "Hmph, the mission to protect Hanako should be completed by now!"

It had already been a month since Zhao Yao first met Hanako. Since the previous surprise visit, no one had bothered sending people out for her anymore. Hence, Zhao Yao was able to complete the mission without breaking a sweat.

10 experience points were earned for each day Hanako was kept save. A bonus 100 points were even awarded if Zhao Yao managed to keep her away from harm's way for the entire month.

With the mission completed, Zhao Yao had bagged a total of 400*2 experience points.

"I guess it's time to talk to Hanako and understand her plans from now on," Deep down, Zhao Yao knew perfectly that he could not protect her for the rest of her life.

With that, Zhao Yao decided to break this news during breakfast. With his finger tapping on her shoulders, he asked, "How is it, are there any updates on the Japanese side?"

Hanako's body froze. Immediately, tears welled up in her eyes as she collapsed to her knees and begged Zhao Yao for help, "Boss, do not chase me away! I have no relatives or friends in China! You are the only one I can trust and depend on!"

"Erm, you still have your supercat."

Hanako slid a condescending glare at Lightning, which was resting along the corridor. Suddenly, Lightning dashed out of his spot and came charging towards Mango. With an outburst of static, he had turned himself into a giant furball, scaring the living daylights out of Mango to a chorus of cats' laughter.

Hanako gave an exasperating sigh and muttered, "My cat is a trash. If you really chase me away, the Japanese side could easily capture me with any of their apostles."

Hanako clasped her palms firmly together and stared earnestly into Zhao Yao's eyes, "Zhao Yao, please let me stay here a little while longer. I can help you do some household chores, provide manpower at the café and even take care of the cats. All these for free!"

Hanako only resorted to this out of desperation. Since getting betrayed by her friend previously, there was no one she could trust in Japan. She had no idea what was going on there and could only wait patiently in China for updates.

Coincidentally, Zhao Yao happened to be the strongest and most reliable apostle that she knew. Even though Zhao Yao was so miserly and refused to pay her even an allowance, she did receive free lodging and food from him. Celestial Beats was also so comfortable!

Zhao Yao listened to her when his right brow suddenly shot up, "You said that yourself. I expect good and hard work from you. With me around, no apostle will dare lay a finger on you. One more thing, I'm not giving you an allowance."

"No, no, it's perfectly fine." Hanako lowered her head and shot Zhao Yao a menacing glare, "This Zhao Yao is truly the stingiest and perverted individual I have ever met. Why did God give him such a magnificent power? Wouldn't it be so much better if I was the apostle instead?"

Zhao Yao reported to the café after settling Hanako's concern and managed to find time to pay a visit to the belly.

He was taken aback by the extraordinary growth of the cat grass. It had already grown to approximately 10 centimeters, with fresh green leaves sprouting all over it. Not only that, the leaves

had a unique tint to it. It was a jade-like green. Zhao Yao knew that this was something special instantly.

He stood next to the pot and bent right next to it and began observing this plant carefully.

"This height coupled with the rate it has grown at, does this mean that it has already fully matured? However, it takes at least a week or two for a cat grass to fully develop. I never expected it to grow so fast by illuminating it with the Light of Creation." Zhao Yao stroked his chin thoughtfully and muttered, "But I have no idea how effective this plant is."

He immediately plucked out a few leaves to put them to the test.

Coincidentally, Airplane, Sausage, Baozi and Lion Head were just beside him as Zhao Yao placed his freshly plucked cat grass next to them and said, "Hey, have a taste of this new breed of cat grass!"

The four cats started encircling these pile of leaves warily. They would even take a step forward to take a few sniffs at it. Their eyes were filled with curiosity and fear.

The leaves emanated a fresh and unique smell which instantly bought them over. Just the smell of it relieved their body of all the stress and discomfort.

Lion Head was the first to succumb to the temptation. She reached out her paw for a handful of cat grass and forced it into her mouth. A peculiar sound was produced every time she took a bite of it.

"This is so delicious! It has this faint, fresh scent of nature coupled with the warmth of the sun dancing along my tongue! What kind of cat grass is this?"

The other cats could no longer resist when they heard Cat Head's approval. They rushed over and forced a handful into their mouths as well. They immediately broke into laughter and cheers.

"This is so delicious!"

"This cat grass is really the best!"

"So ..." Just when Lion Head was in the middle of her sentence, she suddenly began retching.

Her arms were clutched tightly to her stomach as she muttered, "Who placed position in this cat grass ... Blargh"

Airplane raised his head and struggled to speak, "Lion Head, you ... Blargh"

"Boss, are you okay ..." Baozi turned his head around before he himself began retching.

Lion Head's initial retch was like a switch which triggered the remaining supercats to start retching.

Zhao Yao's eyebrows were tightly knitted together as he evaluated the situation, "This cat grass is meant to force the furball out of their bodies. Maybe this plant's power has also been strengthened as well?"

While Zhao Yao was still pondering over the situation, the retching had already evolved into vomiting as the cats began producing an avalanche of cat ball onto the ground.

The feline species depended on their tongue to get rid of foul smell or dirt from the fur. Hence, it was common for them to have fur stuck in their intestines. It was important for them to cleanse the intestines of the fur periodically.

The avalanche of fur produced by the four of them turned the floor into a mess.

Dust Ball, who was outside the belly, recognized what was happening and screamed angrily, "Zhao Yao! What the hell are you doing! Why are they vomiting all over the place!"

Zhao Yao put on a confused look and replied, "I have no idea! They just suddenly began to vomit! This is really weird!"

Dust Ball could only grit her teeth as she made her way to the cat toilet. With her mouth stretched open, she began vomiting the fur out from her mouth.

"Blargh!"

"Blargh!"

"Blargh!"

"Blargh!"

"Blargh! Blargh! Blargh!"

With the pot of cat grass in his hands, Zhao Yao had returned to the café. He placed it on his table and stared at it curiously, "Is this plant's power so strong because of its extraordinary growth? However, the description clearly stated that it would enhance the cat's power, why did it just catalyze the vomiting process?"

While Zhao Yao was still deep in thought, a nose had detected the faint fragrance emanating from the plant. Matcha's eyes beamed with happiness when he saw the pot of beautiful cat grass and took a bite.

Zhao Yao jumped to his feet and roared, "No!"

However, Zhao Yao was still using Dust Ball's power when Matcha had already activated timefreeze. He stared at the pot in front of him and muttered, "How can Zhao Yao hide the good stuff from me?"

"Hmph, this plant tastes really good."

When time resumed, the pot of cat grass was already bald after withstanding the ravages of Matcha's paw.

Zhao Yao rolled his eyes and was bent on punishing Matcha. However, he was alerted to a 10 experience point gained on Matcha's page.

Chapter 285: The Search

"Oh, don't tell me the power that would enhance a supercat's strength is actually referring to more experience points?" Zhao Yao whispered to himself with a glint in his eyes.

The thing which he craved for the most was none other than experience points.

The demand for it only grew with the upgrading of the BOOKs and the supercats.

However, it was somewhat sick that Zhao Yao was grinning from ear to ear as he saw Matcha vomiting non-stop. He squatted next to Matcha and gave him a gentle rub on the back of his head, "Matcha, great news! From now on, you will have plenty of good food!"

Initially, Matcha's torrent of vomit comprised mainly of fur before it turned into undigested food. Matcha's body locked with rage as he raised his head and gave Zhao Yao a death glare, "Zhao Yao! How dare you put position in it? Are you trying to kill your crown prince? Bargh …"

Halfway through his speech, Matcha's body began shaking violently as another wave of vomit was expelled from his body.

Zhao Yao let out a soft snigger before folding his arms across his chest, "I already told you not to eat it. You were the one who used timefreeze and ate it. This is an enhanced cat grass which would induce instantaneous vomiting." However, the bonus experience point that came along still managed to leave a smile on Zhao Yao's face. After some experimenting, Zhao Yao concluded that this could only be done once a day.

After several rounds of vomiting, Matcha had finally come to a stop. Zhao Yao heaved a sigh of relief as Matcha struggled to his feet. Zhao Yao thought, "I guess I cannot continue using cat grass. This vomiting is really uncontrollable. Maybe I should grow some other plants instead. Hmph ... maybe I can start with catmint. Later, I'll experiment with all sorts of vegetables. Maybe, they can all give me experience points!"

With his imagination running wild again, Zhao Yao dashed to the storage room and retrieved a bag of catmint seeds previously given by TaoBao. He whispered to himself, "I have kept them for quite some time. I have no idea whether they still work or not."

He tore open bags of fertilizer and soil before emptying them into a pot.

Next, he scattered the catmint seeds into cups of water for them to germinate. It would take approximately one day for the water to infuse into the seeds and supply them with sufficient hydration.

He was still set on experimenting with all sorts of vegetables as he made his way out of the café.

When he returned, he was carrying bags of fertilizers coupled with pots of all various sizes. Even Zhao Yao struggled to bring all these back. He intended to grow all these vegetables which included leek, cauliflower, and broccoli in his extradimensional belly.

Seeing all the pots lying neatly in front of him, an unknown excitement was bursting out of Zhao Yao. He whispered, "I have no idea how this is going to pan out."

Over the next two days, Zhao Yao woke up brimming with energy as he stared excitedly at the situation within the belly. He could not wait to check on the plants' growth. However, their growth speed was far slower than the cat grass which only took one day to grow completely.

Other than cat grass, the remaining plants only began budding from the second day onwards. It would take at least a week or two before they were fully mature.

Obviously, Zhao Yao could not force feed his supercats with the cat grass which he had previously grown. One bite of the cat grass would be followed by an outburst of vomit. His cats would simply die if they were to actually eat it on a daily basis. Zhao Yao dared not imagine the astronomical hospital bills if he were to persist feeding them with cat grass. Hence, he had placed all his expectations on the remaining plants.

While Zhao Yao was busy tending to his vegetables, Champion was sauntering along the track in Jiangmen University, with his eyes staring at a group of girls running around.

His eyes naturally gravitated to the girl running at the front. She had a pair of long and slender legs which produced so much force that propelled her to the front, extending the distance between her and the rest.

At the finishing line, the remaining girls huddled around her and broke out in cries of admiration and awe.

"Zhao Xue, you are so fast!"

"Senior, I'm sure you can win the sports meet with this speed."

"Senior, you look so cool when you were running down the track just now!"

Champion was observing Zhao Xue from afar as a glint flashed across his eyes.

Initially, Champion did not find anything strange regarding Zhao Xue. However, he discovered a problem after his past two days observing her on the basketball court and the track.

Nothing special would pop out if you observed her skills individually, be it her flexibility, agility, explosive strength or stamina. It was good but it was achievable.

However, things started getting weird if you combined all these things into a single body, especially with things such as long distance running and short distance sprinting. The emphasis in their training was vastly different and relied upon different muscle groups. One required slow-twitch muscles while the other depended on fast-twitch muscles.

However, this girl standing down there seemed to be indifferent to these constraints. She had reached such amazing levels in terms of her stamina, endurance, explosiveness and burst strength.

From his past few days of observation, Champion had learned that Zhao Xue had always been remarkable, but not to this extent.

"This woman ... her body had grown so much over such a short time ..."

Champion could not help but start suspecting Zhao Xue with all these unexplainable happenings.

With all evidence pointing to a dead end, Champion decided to stalk this woman in hopes that she would lead him directly to the Sphynx Cat.

With his amazing reconnaissance and hiding skills, Champion had been lurking in the shadows as he continued following her. He observed the people she interacted with and the things which she did, but it was to no avail.

Champion thought that it was a wasted run when Zhao Xue was about to return to her dormitory. Suddenly, he noticed Zhao Xue leaving her room as she was about to leave the school compound.

"Hmph, leaving the school compound at this hour?" Champion's forehead creased together as he suspected something fishy, "Is she meeting her boyfriend? Or is she ..."

With his amazing body, Champion managed to leap from the rooftop of one building to another. When he had reached the boundary of the school, he vaulted into the bushes and disappeared amongst the trees. He was a predator which had locked on his prey as he followed tightly behind Zhao Xue who boarded a bus.

Champion decided to leave a message in the Muscle Society group when Zhao Xue entered a small district. He was afraid that something might happen to him.

After sending his message, he leaped on top of another building and continued his pursuit of Zhao Xue. He noticed her walking aimlessly around the park before a man came up to her.

Beside this man was a black cat.

The event which unfurled the next moment shocked Champion. The black cat stretched open its mouth as a furless cat's paw reached out of it and pressed against Zhao Xue's forehead.

Evidently, this was achieved by the combined effort of Dust Ball, Zhao Yao, and Elizabeth. By controlling the Sphynx Cat, Elizabeth had forced him to lend his power out to Zhao Xue through the extradimensional belly's opening.

Because of the distance between Zhao Xue and Champion, the illusion failed to reach him which explained why he saw the true image.

After receiving the power, Zhao Xue began training relentlessly in the park as a lopsided smile appeared on Champion's face.

"I've finally found you."

However, he was a cautious individual. Instead of confronting her straight up, he sent a message to the group. "I've found the Sphynx Cat."

Meanwhile, Zhao Yao felt something amiss as he looked towards the buildings in the district. His instincts from "Four is better than three" had alerted him to something wrong.

"Why do I feel that something is constantly staring at me?"

Chapter 286: Those Who See Shall Die!

Just half an hour after Champion posted that message on the group, two of his partners had also arrived at the scene. Their physique was similar to Champion, bulging muscles adorned their bodies with veins popping up all over them.

These were two of the strongest apostles of Muscle Society, Black Robes and Tank Top.

Black Robes was the one who appeared alongside Sphynx Cat previously during their attempt to ambush Zhao Yao. He wielded the power of teleportation.

However, Champion grew rather uneasy despite their arrival. A frown crawled up his face as he commented, "Why isn't the boss here yet?"

Black Robes whipped out his phone and dialed Butcher's phone number. However, Butcher did not pick up despite their relentless calling.

Tank Top protruded his lower lip in a sulky pout and commented, "I'm quite sure he's off to somewhere having some fun. The three of us can just go on without him."

Champion replied with a slight nod of his head. Individually, the three of them had already surpassed the Sphynx Cat in terms of their physical attributes. Coupled with the superpower which they wielded, their combat strength had far surpassed that of the Sphynx Cat.

However, Champion still cocked his head towards Black Robes before asking, "What do you say? You are the only one who had actually exchanged blows with him. With the combined strength of the three of us, are you confident that we can take him down?"

Black Robes closed his eyes shut as his brain processed a deluge of information, comparing the disparity in strength between them and Zhao Yao.

The three of them had physical attributes stronger than the Sphynx Cat and that was only natural since they were humans who had a far stronger foundation and potential in terms of muscle growth. Naturally, their training had produced far more efficient results than Sphynx Cat's.

Furthermore, all of them had the power of teleportation in their hands. This had instantly turned them into a cold-blooded assassin. Even if they failed to bring Zhao Yao down, they could easily escape if they wished to.

A moment of silence ensued before Black Robes slammed his eyes open. He spoke calmly but softly, "If the three of us act together, even the strongest government apostle, Yue Shan, will not be able to stop us. I believe Butcher is the only one who stands a chance against us. This man ..." Black Robes shook his head, "No chance."

Memories of how Sphynx Cat managed to break past Zhao Yao's defense flooded his mind as he nodded his head to it, "The success rate will be higher than 90% if the three of us struck at the same time."

"I would have been happy with just 80%, let alone 90%." Tank Top let out a menacing laugh, "So let's do it?"

"Do it." Champion instructed.

Black Robes cautioned them calmly, "Remember to seal your ears. This guy has a combined power of invisibility, force field, and teleportation. Just break his limbs the moment you grab hold of him. Do not give him any chance of retaliation."

Zhao Yao's forehead creased together as he could feel the palpable animosity floating in the air as if daggers were dangling above his neck.

He ran his fingers through his hair and whispered to himself, "Who is cursing me?"

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His ears quivered slightly but he failed to pick up any suspicious sounds in the surroundings. His eyes drifted towards Zhao Xue but everything seemed perfectly normal.

"What the hell is happening"

Currently, Zhao Yao had only just awakened his power of "Four is better than three", hence he had not fully grasped the full capability of his power. Other than his heightened five senses, he had also acquired the ability to detect animosity in the air. However, Zhao Yao did not know that.

Within the next second, the three muscular blokes had simultaneously teleported in his face with three pairs of monstrous arms slamming across his limbs, scaring the living hell out of him.

The explosive force produced by the three blokes simultaneously was equivalent to the explosion of three bombs. The three pairs of thick arms slashed through the air particles, producing a monstrous wave sweeping towards Zhao Yao. It seemed like it was about to tear his clothes to pieces.

However, just when their arms were millimeters away from making contact with Zhao Yao, everything in the air including the air molecules, the leaves, the moonlight and even the cloud slowly came to a standstill.

Zhao Yao had activated timefreeze!

With the world at the standstill, Zhao Yao finally had a clear view and realized that he was already surrounded by this trio of muscular men.

He looked in Dust Ball's direction and noticed that half her body had already disappeared as per Zhao Yao's instruction. She had been ordered to absorb herself into the belly if a crisis like this occurred.

"Who is trying to ambush me?" Zhao Yao pinched the bridge of his nose as he took a step back from their attack. His mind began processing the available information at warp speed. Currently, one second had already passed, leaving 11 seconds before time resumed.

"Sudden appearance, muscular bloke ..."Zhao Yao's eyes squinted into a line. This ambush had reminded him of Sphynx Cat's previous attack on him.

"They are members of Muscle Society? All three of them wielded teleportation and their enhanced bodies?" Zhao Yao's eyes swept towards Zhao Xue as he pondered, "Did they follow her from Jiangmen University?"

"This means that I must take care of them right here and now. If not, Zhao Xue will be in danger."

9 seconds till time resumed.

"If I resorted to the use of illusion, I'm sure the three of them would be able to expose it like Sphynx Cat. I would be able to delay by at most three seconds."

"If I solely depended on timefreeze and deflective field, I will not be able to annihilate the three of them as well."

"Should I use my supercat armor?" Zhao Yao's eyes did a visual calculation of the distance between Zhan Xue and the trio, "If I used the remaining time to bring Zhao Xue into hiding before absorbing myself into the belly, I will need at least three or four seconds to put on the armor."

"With their physically enhanced bodies and teleportation, they will be able to locate and kill Zhao Xue within the short time."

"If I choose to use the supercat armor, I'll have to leave Zhao Xue here, leaving her exposed to the dangers of their attacks ..."

Zhao Yao deliberated and gave up the thought of it. He still had seven seconds before time resumed.

"Can I just bring Zhao Xue along and escape?"

"No, I will definitely lose to them in a battle of speed."

"Should I absorb Zhao Xue into the extradimensional belly instead? That won't work. I still have to explain to her and convince her to enter willingly. By then, they would have landed a barrage of attacks on my face already!"

"How about using the 'Power Up Card" and deflective field to shield Zhao Xue and me? That will also fail. If the three of them had a body comparable to Sphynx Cat, the deflective field alone will not hold up for more than a few seconds."

Ideas zoomed past Zhao Yao head before getting shot down again and again. His brain's processing speed had reached an insane speed but he just couldn't come up with a solution to protect both Zhao Xue and himself, unless ...

It was 5 seconds till time resumed.

A tinge of hesitation flashed across Zhao Yao's eyes. Despite how much he tried, the safest plan was the one he was most reluctant to use.

"Do I really have to do it?"

"Do I really have to stoop to this level?"

Time would resume in three seconds.

Zhao Yao roared with anger pouring through him, "D*mn it! The three of you are dead!"

When time resumed, the trio and Zhao Xue felt a sudden gust of wind coated in golden beams exploding around them.

The next moment, the golden field had already encapsulated Zhao Yao and Zhao Xue within it.

Zhao Xue shielded her face using her left palm against the blast of golden wind. From the gaps between her fingers, Zhao Xue could make out a huge female figure donning a cute little dress, standing in front of her.

The woman spoke with an extremely hoarse voice, "Do you guys see it."

Zhao Xue pried her eyes open and saw the three blokes trembling in fear as they stared in the woman's direction.

The woman let out a deafening roar and shouted, "Those who have seen it shall die!"

Chapter 287: Trounce

The trio stared at Zhao Yao wide-eyed as their mouths fell open.

They had never expected an enemy to respond to their ambush in this manner. Not only did he manage to dodge the attack, he even changed into a set of female's clothing.

However, the most perplexing question was why Zhao Yao chose to change his clothes instead of escaping or retaliating.

The three stared at each other with a hint of fear crossing their eyes. With a quick shudder, they had already teleported and surrounded Zhao Yao and Zhao Xue in a triangle formation.

Just when Zhao Xue was about to take a step forward, the woman in the cute dress had already swung her arms which stopped centimeters from Zhao Xue's chest. She whispered, "Do not move. These three gays are really strong."

Zhao Yao had never wanted to reveal his identity to Zhao Xue. Now that he was donning this queer attire, he would resort to anything just to keep his identity a secret.

By straining his voice and willing the golden beams and waves to encircle him, Zhao Yao did his best to conceal his identity.

Zhao Yao stared at this woman's back view which was shrouded in golden waves darting around. Somehow, her raspy voice coupled with her mysterious appearance made her feel at ease and confident.

Zhao Xue continued by asking, "Who are they?"

Zhao Yao replied coolly, "These are members of Muscle Society. They are just a bunch of gays." Meanwhile, he was still counting down to the cooldown for timefreeze. He still had nine more seconds to go.

Tank Top's temples throbbed with rage when he heard Zhao Yao's derogatory remarks. He balled his palms into fists and roared, "Pervert! Are you tired of living?"

His body had teleported one meter away from Zhao Yao with a thunderous woosh. He cocked his arm back before exerting an earth-shattering punch flying towards Zhao Yao's direction. A blast of airwave erupted from his fist which sent a ferocious wind into Zhao Yao, shredding his clothes to pieces.

Following the devastating blast produced by the punch, Zhao Yao just looked at him with an expressionless face before uttering, "Get lost."

The next moment, Zhao Yao had already activated Elizabeth's power of control. Tank Top's right arm shot skyward before being intercepted by his left arm. Meanwhile, his right foot drilled into the concrete ground which caused him to lose his balance as he rolled into a tiny garden not far away. A mass of dust flew into the sky before raining over him.

After donning on the cat princess's cute little dress, Zhao Yao had earned the power to wield two abilities simultaneously. With timefreeze on cooldown, he had chosen Elizabeth and Ares's abilities.

After seeing Tank Top getting dispatched by Zhao Yao so easily, Champion and Black Ropes had already teleported towards Zhao Yao and Zhao Xue, surrounding them in a pincer formation.

They had recognized that Zhao Xue was the weaker link amongst them and decided to use her to their advantage.

Zhao Yao only slid Champion a condescending glare when he realized what they were up to. Immediately, Champion lost control of his body as he instantaneously teleported to Black Robe's position before his body slammed into his. The impact was similar to a collision between two army tanks. The grass patch which they stepped on had been desecrated by the impact.

At this moment, Tank Top had just recovered from the initial trauma as he teleported behind Zhao Yao, only to be stopped by infinite golden beams blocking his way.

"Get lost!" Tank Top's barrage of punches flew across the air. They were like countless meteorites pelting at the deflective field blocking his way.

Layers and layers of golden beams were shattered by these monstrous blows. Tank Top was literally a dragon on a rampage as he forced his way through Zhao Yao's defense by punching and clawing. Nothing stood in the way of Tank Top's relentless onslaught.

However, just two meters into his destruction, his body had frozen again as he lost control over it.

On the other hand, Champion and Black Robes had just recovered from the previous exchange. Their eyes gravitated towards Zhao Yao in unison, as they bolted towards him for the next round of attack.

Zhao Xue who stood behind Zhao Yao could only stare wide-eyed at this intense battle unfurl.

Ferocious would be an understatement if used to describe the three monsters from Muscle Society. A single stomp or punch from them could tear the Earth apart. The gust of wind produced by their teleportation was easily as strong as a hurricane.

If these three monsters had managed to scare Zhao Xue, this woman in the cute dress had scared the daylight out of her. She did not even move a single inch but was able to keep up with the trio's onslaught.

"However, things are not looking good for her. The three of them are so strong that they are simply not humans ..." Zhao Xue could only watch as the trio tore down layers and layers of golden beams, closing the distance between them and her. Zhao Xue could feel the cold sweat trickling down her spine and her breathing turned faster and faster.

However, a mysterious force swept out from Zhao Yao and into their surroundings the next movement. This was the illusion which would rob individuals of their five senses.

The attack pelted all over their bodies, leaving the three of them standing there dumbfounded with their mouths wide open.

Zhao Yao understood that they were only temporarily affected by it. Like Sphynx Cat, they would seal their sense of hearing and would instantly be free from the illusion.

That was the reason why he decided to keep this power until this very moment because this power was only effective against them once. However, this split second was more than enough for Zhao Yao to switch to Matcha's power.

"Matcha."

With this whisper, he had already swapped to Matcha and Ares's power.

As expected, the trio had managed to identify the power's weakness and had sealed their ears from the sound waves, rendering the illusion futile.

Zhao Yao watched as the three men slowly regained their consciousness before he opened his mouth and whispered, "It's over."

Time had come to a standstill once again. With the 'Power Up Card', Zhao Yao had a total of 30 seconds in this mode.

With everything frozen in space, Zhao Yao took a step forward, towards the trio as the golden deflective field behind him morphed into dozens of sword auras.

Due to the ability of the costume, he could simultaneously use both the deflective field and timefreeze.

One by one, the golden sword auras sliced through the air before jabbing into Champion's body. This process repeated again and again, at an incredible speed.

The reflective field incorporated with the 'Power Up Card' was far stronger than the ordinary ones. Currently, the sword auras spanned across the entire horizon as it swept across his body like a tsunami.

When time resumed, the three of them felt a searing pain blasting through their bodies as blood spurted out of their wounds before they collapsed to the ground.

Zhao Yao walked over their quivering body and stared at them with his brows knitted together. During the timefreeze, Zhao Yao had devoted 10 seconds to each of them, giving them a taste of the golden sword auras. An ordinary person would have been turned into minced meat by this insane attack. However, this attack only managed to tear their skins and bones apart.

"This is really such a strong body, no wonder they could produce such a monstrous force just now. I believe their bones are already as tough as steel, maybe even stronger."

Zhao Xue was barely able to breathe as she cupped her mouth in shock, "Are they dead?"

"They won't die so easily," Zhao Yao assured her. He was right. Champion's body had already started recovering on its own. The muscles wriggled together to seal the wound, putting an end to the bleeding.

Even though they were still unable to move, this would at least prevent them from dying of excessive bleeding.

Champion struggled to raise his head as he slid Zhao Yao a death glare, "What was that power just now? How can you control so many abilities at one time?"

Zhao Yao let out a menacing laugh before he hooked his index finger which caused the trio to levitate in the air as they were enveloped by the deflective field. Zhao Yao then brought them right next to him.

Zhao Yao bent over and whispered into their ears, "I believe you enjoy quite a respectable position in the organization. Tell me where are the rest of your men."

Tank Top immediately interrupted him, "Are you dreaming? We will never betray our brothers."

Zhao Yao burst out laughing before pressing his palms against their ears.

"Porn Tsunami!"

Chapter 288: The Interrogation

Zhao Yao used the same images meant to treat Baiquan's condition on Tank Top. Because his body was under Zhao Yao's control, he could not resist this influx of information flooding into his head. Instantly, his head had been filled with these all sorts of graphic images.

However, Tank Top let out a chilling shriek which was something Zhao Yao had never expected. This scream was so scary and infectious that it instantly sent jitters down Zhao Yao's spine. It was as if Tank Top had just lost his entire family to an accident. "What the hell is happening to him?" Zhao Yao stared wide-eyed at Tank Top. He could not comprehend the agony he was experiencing.

Initially, he planned to use the Porn Tsunami to wash away the side effects of Sphynx Cat's power. He would then use this a bargaining chip to elicit more information regarding their organization.

However, from the looks of it, the results were far from what he had expected.

Tank Top was shuddering from head to toe as his eyes shot skywards with his veins popping up all over his body, "Stop this! Get rid of all these disgusting images from my head!" Suddenly, the shouting stopped as he took a deep breath before vomiting.

Zhao Yao was astounded by his body's response and put an end to the Porn Tsunami. He stared at him with his forehead creased together and thought, "Have their sexual orientation changed for such a long time that the Porn Tsunami has turned futile against them? Watching these normal footages would simply aggravate the pain they experienced and the disgust they felt?"

While Zhao Yao was still busy considering the situation, Zhao Xue, who was behind him, had walked forward and interrupted, "May I ..."

Zhao Xue could no longer suppress her urge to steal a glance at the 'woman' as she carefully craned her neck forward. Throughout the entire battle, the 'woman' simply stood rooted to the ground, without moving a single inch. All Zhao Xue could see was the same back view shrouded with the golden beams.

However, Zhao Yao reacted to her movement and tilted his body leftward by 30 degrees. With the use of the golden beams, Zhao Xue was once again staring at the same back view.

"How do I address you? Why are the three of them attacking me?" Zhao Xue asked this 'woman' with her back continually facing her. This only further piqued her curiosity to see the 'woman's' face.

Zhao Yao facepalmed himself in response. He never wanted to reveal his true identity to Zhao Xue. By mustering his most feminine voice, he replied, "You can just call me Guang Yu. I am also an apostle working under King George. These gays from Muscle Society have found their way here by stalking you." Zhao Yao continued, "You must be careful when you come to meet King George." Actually, Zhao Yao had originally planned to lend Zhao Xue the power of invisibility at the end of the training such that she would not be traced to this place.

After hearing his explanation, Zhao Xue continued taking a few steps forward, adamant on getting a clear view of her benefactor's face. Her eyes gleamed with admiration as she asked, "Sister Guang Yu, I didn't know that you are also an apostle of King George. Can I add you on WeChat?"

The previous battle had left Zhao Xue in awe of Guang Yu. Despite her soft-spoken nature, she was able to take on the three of them without breaking a single sweat. In her eyes, Guang Yu had instantly become her perfect role model. She had this uncontrollable urge to remain in contact with her.

Champion's jaw went slack when he heard Zhao Xue's comment and muttered, "Aren't you a man ..."

Before he could even complete his statement, Zhao Yao had sent another wave of Porn Tsunami flooding into his ears. His reaction was just like a zombie who had been exposed to daylight, screaming at the top of his lungs.

A weight settled on his heart when Zhao Yao heard Zhao Xue's words, "What's happening? What is she trying to do? Isn't Sphynx Cat's power supposed to fix her sexual orientation already?"

Zhao Yao's hands squeezed into fists as he replied even more coolly, "I don't use WeChat."

"In that case, can I have your phone number then?"

However, Zhao Yao did not shoot down her request immediately. Instead, silence ensured. That was because Zhao Yao had noticed the golden exclamation mark in the corner of his eyes.

A new mission was reflected on his mission panel.

Mission: Someone is hitting on you!

Objective: Leave your contact information with your suitor.

Reward: 10 experience points

Punishment: Nil

"This is too much!" Zhao Yao's eyes continually swept towards this bothersome exclamation mark and found it so irritating and annoying. He screamed in his head, "Just how horny can you get? It became a mission instantly!"

After a moment of deliberation, Zhao Yao did something he had never done – turn down a mission. Zhao Yao shut his eyes and bit against his lips as he rejected the mission. He could feel the blood dripping from his heart.

He replied coolly, "I do not have a phone." In his head, he thought, "This rejection should be obvious enough."

However, Zhao Xue's reaction was beyond Zhao Yao's imagination. Instead of collapsing with disappointment, a red flush crept up her face. In Zhao Xue's eyes, Guang Yu had suddenly turned even more mysterious and captivating.

Given her unique sexual orientation, Zhao Xue had already grown numb to these rejections. A lot of them were even more heartless and crude. Zhao Yao's nonchalant replies only enhanced this mysterious aura shrouding Guang Yu's image, "This woman is so cool!"

Black Robes's mouth started curling into a smile after witnessing this exchange. Somehow, he had managed to understand what was happening as he uttered, "The two of you ..."

Zhao Yao instantly shut his mouth with a simultaneous attack comprising of Porn Tsunami and Shit Wave. Black Robes could only utter that four words before he broke into tears while he vomited non-stop, "Please ... please stop this!"

Zhao Xue was alarmed by the man's sudden pleas and stared curiously at him and asked, "What happened to him?"

Zhao Yao gave a roll of his eyes and answered, "He must have felt ashamed for what he had done." With a wave of his hand, Zhao Yao instructed, "I will settle everything here. Your training will resume as per usual, bye."

As Zhao Yao's last word echoed in Zhao Xue's head, he had already brought the three of them away with the help of his deflective field.

Zhao Xue tried to catch up to them but was simply too slow. She exclaimed, "Wait a moment. How am I supposed to contact you?"

Zhao Yao remained silent and started flying away at an even faster speed.

Zhao Xue's eyes were beaming with admiration and infatuation. She whispered to herself, "That's so cool! Of course, a girl will always be the prettiest."

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Zhao Yao finally stopped at a secluded rooftop with the three of them in his arms. Currently, all of them had snapped out of the illusions.

However, they could still feel the vivid scars left behind by Zhao Yao's previous illusions.

Champion's eye gravitated towards Zhao Yao as he pleaded with him, "My ... brother, do not be rash. Actually, we are both the same."

"Yes! Yes!" Black Robes who had only just recovered from the onslaught of Porn Tsunami and Shit Wave nodded his head violently. He stared at this queer man in the cute little dress and exclaimed, "We are actually the same type of people!" He even winked at Zhao Yao after saying that.

"Same your ass!" Rage poisoned his veins when he heard such baseless accusations thrown at him. Immediately, he showered the three of them with another influx of Porn Tsunami and Shit Wave. The three of them immediately collapsed to the floor and vomited ceaselessly. Zhao Yao slid them a condescending glare and muttered, "We are not the same, okay?"

His index finger then pointed at his uniform as he explained, "I'm wearing this so that I can grow stronger. This has nothing to do with my interests or hobbies. Do you understand?"

The three blokes stared at Zhao Yao as if he were a r*tard. However, they immediately nodded their hands as they saw Zhao Yao raising his hands in the air.

Champion instantly exclaimed, "Yes! Yes! Yes! We are very different!" In his head, he was saying, "This guy had definitely been affected by Sphynx Cat's ability. However, he is just not used to it at the start and is either too shy or uncomfortable acknowledging it. However, we should not infuriate him. We should just act along before we expose him to his true self."

Zhao Yao noticed the sneaky smile on Champion's face and knew exactly what thoughts were running through his mind. Just the thought of it caused Zhao Yao to boil with anger. However, he decided to be a greater man and not pursue the matter.

Zhao Yao then began his interrogation, "Speak. Where are the rest of the members of Muscle Society? How many people know about me?"

Zhao Yao soon gathered all the information he needed because the trio regarded him as their own kind and was intimidated by the threat of the hideous Porn Tsunami.

Chapter 289: Supercat Armor! Assemble!

Zhao Yao had started piecing together a picture of Muscle Society from the myriad information shared by the three of them.

This organization had come a long way from its humble beginnings with Sphynx Cat and Butcher at the helms. For the past half a year since he had awakened his power, he began searching for potential apostles to recruit before baiting them into the organization with the promise of limitless strength.

These apostles hid under the cloaks of their usual identities. However, they began searching for new supercats and apostles to recruit into the organization secretly. Those who resisted were handed over to Butcher to handle.

Those under Butcher were used as vessels for Sphynx Cat to lend out his power and thus strengthened its potency.

"Isn't that just kidnapping? Zhao Yao's eyebrows snapped together as he questioned them.

Champion pinched the bridge of his nose and muttered, "This is worth it. As long as we have Sphynx Cat's power, we will be able to train day and night. We would achieve strength, agility, and nimbleness that ordinary people can only dream of. We will usher in a new era where we rule. Those who were kept under control by Butcher would one day come to their senses and join us."

Zhao Yao could not believe his ears and threw his hands into the air, "If that happens, mankind will be on the verge of extinction."

Originally, the organization had planned to grow its power while lurking in the shadows. They were under the impression that time was on their side.

However, Zhao Yao's sudden appearance had dealt a blow to their perfect plan. Now, the government had started poking their noses into their affairs.

The government began to exert immense pressure on them. They began their relentless search for any intel that might potentially lead to hem. Left with no options, Muscle Society had to lay low and put a pause to their grand plan. Most of the apostles had returned to the headquarters, a gym in a suburban area.

Even with their combined strength, they were still no match for a direct confrontation against the government.

However, Zhao Yao's biggest worry was whether information concerning him had been leaked to the government.

Based on Champion's words, Zhao Yao's information had been sent directly to Butcher.

Zhao Yao's eyes squinted into a line as he thought, "Is that the case?" Since Butcher had already learned of his existence, Zhao Yao's only shot at survival was to make the first move before Butcher made his.

With the uncertainties concerning Muscle Scoeity all cleared, Zhao Yao's BOOK had naturally reflected the changes to his mission panel.

Mission: Destroy Muscle Society

Objective: Release all the supercats and apostles held against their will and capture the organization's ringleader. You have to totally annihilate this organization.

Reward: 1000 experience points

Punishment: Nil

After collecting the necessary information, the first thing Zhao Yao did was to knock the trio unconscious before absorbing himself into the extradimensional belly.

However, there was something even more pressing which he had to attend to. He had to get rid of the Cat Princess's dress. With a click, the dress had turned into stardust, scattered across the sky, revealing Zhao Yao's original clothes.

This dress could only last for 10 minutes. Hence, it would either be destroyed at the end of the time or when the user actively deactivated it.

Zhao Yao's purpose for returning here was to get rid of the dress and also assemble his supercat armor.

Since his next step was to infiltrate into the heart of Muscle Society, he required all the weapons that he could possibly get his hands on.

"Supercat armor! Activate!"

Following Zhao Yao's thunderous bellow, the sea of supercats simply turned around and laid flat against their bellies. None of them even let out a single sound.

Zhao Yao rolled his eyes before letting out another thunderous roar, "Supercat armor! Activate!"

Uncle Egg swung his paw dismissively in the air and struggled to open his eyes into a thin slit. He retorted, "What the hell are you screaming for? Can't you see that we are sleeping? Young man, can you grow to be slightly more sensitive?"

Zhao Yao was left speechless by their apathetic response, "Haven't we agreed on this already? I have already told you that when I enter this place and shout the following words, all of you will come towards me and activate your power"

Uncle Egg soon grew impatient with Zhao Yao's verbiage, "You didn't say that you were intending to do this in the middle of the night! Does that mean we have to run towards you with our tails stuck between our legs when we hear your stupid command even when we are shitting, sleeping or even eating?"

Zhao Yao let out another sigh of despair and replied, "We have agreed on this. I'll give it to you if you are really shitting, but I'm sure you can take a break from your food and sleep." He was relieved that he did not escape into the belly and activate this stupid power when first confronted with the three blokes.

Zhao Xue would have already died by the time he managed to convince these stubborn cats.

"These supercats are simply not dependable." The supercats only decided to open their eyes following Zhao Yao's relentless roars.

A look of annoyance was plastered on Uncle Egg's face as he pounced onto Zhao Yao's shoulder and muttered, "How long are we gonna play for this time?"

"This is not a game! We are not playing around!" Zhao Yao retorted with anger bursting through him, "This is a battle mechanism!"

"Alright, alright. So how long are we playing for?"

Zhao Yao slammed his palm across his face and instructed, "Uncle Egg, stay on my left hand. Fūjin, hug onto my right arm."

Fūjin even bargained with Zhao Yao, "What's the difference. I'm so tired, can I just rest on top of your head?"

"No!" Rage swept over Zhao Yao as he trembled with fury, "Ares, activate your deflective field and encapsulate all of us within it. Everyone, be in position!"

"Where the hell is Dust Ball? Stop sniffing your stupid catmint and get in here! Now!"

Zhao Yao finally managed to get Uncle Egg, Fūjin and Ares to cooperate with him before he left his extradimensional belly and ran back home. There, he got Roly Poly, Mango and Elizabeth to complete their complex supercat armor.

After all these efforts, Zhao Yao had seven supercats hanging on, crawling along and lying on his body.

If not for Ares's deflective field encapsulating all of them into a single entity, the cats would already have slipped off of Zhao Yao's body.

"Activate invisibility!" Zhao Yao demanded.

Roly Poly's forehead creased together as he lamented, "Isn't it supposed to be invisibility mechanism activate?"

Zhao Yao stared at Roly Poly with anger pouring out of his eyes, "Just turn us invisible when I instructed you to do so."

With a soft whoosh, Zhao Yao and the seven supercats had vanished into thin air.

Zhao Yao roared, "Wait, I told you to turn the cats invisible, not me!"

"You were the one who gave unclear instructions." Roly Poly muttered as he shot Zhao Yao a look of disdain before removing the power from Zhao Yao's body.

Zhao Yao stared at the mirror as a bright smile appeared on his face. He nodded his head and whispered to himself, "I think I should still cover my face. Speaking of that, where is the Naruto mask that I bought previously?" This was the mask Zhao Yao had bought specifically to conceal his face during his battles. It was far cooler than using a surgical mask.

However, Zhao Yao found no trace of the mask after turning his entire apartment upside down. He began rummaging through the mess and shouted at Baiquan, "Baiquan! Where is my mask? Why can't I seem to find it?"

Baiquan reached his head out of the door and replied, 'Boss, didn't you bring it back to the café?"

"Oh?" Zhao Yao suddenly recalled him bringing the mask out because of how cool it looked.

"D*mn it!" Zhao Yao gave up on the idea of using the Naruto mask and started searching for the surgical masks. Similarly, it was futile. He couldn't help but cursed, "Where did my surgical masks disappear to?"

Baiquan replied, "The previous surgical masks that you bought had been kept here for so long and were simply filthy. I threw them away during the last spring cleaning."

Zhao Yao's body locked with rage as he slammed his palm into the table, "Who told you to throw away my stuff without my permission?"

Baiquan raised his shoulders in a half shrug and defended himself, "You were the one who told me to tidy your room and get rid of any rubbish inside it."

Zhao Yao was so furious yet could not find any words to express it. Meanwhile, Uncle Egg began complaining, "My back feels so sore, can we switch to another position?"

"Just hang in there, we'll be done soon." NO matter how Zhao Yao tried, he just couldn't find anything that could possibly cover his face until he noticed a stocking lying beneath his sofa.

Zhao Yao dragged the stocking out from the sofa and shouted, "Hanako, what is your stocking doing underneath the sofa?"

Hanako ran out of her room with her hair in a mess, "You found my stocking? It has gone missing since the day I washed it, I bet one of the cats took it and hid it there."

A lopsided smile appeared on Zhao Yao's face as he replied, "Lend me your stocking."

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Hanako's face scrunched together the moment she heard Zhao Yao's absurd request. With a look of disgust, she simply waved her hands in the air and said, "You can have it."

This only managed to fan Zhao Yao's anger as he retorted, "What are you even thinking about? I'm not intending to use this for any perverted reasons. I'm just using this to hide my face." Zhao Yao was powerful. With his skills, ordinary weapons stood no chance against him and his two extra lives. Neither would a sneak attack work on him.

However, the last thing he would want was for the government to start poking their noses into his affairs. He never wanted to be on their radar.

In his heart, he had never wished to be involved in any sorts of tussle against the government or country.

Hence, he would use whatever he could get his hands on to conceal his identity and keep it a secret.

Hanako mustered an amiable smile before nodding her head, "It's alright, I understand. You can take it for yourself."

Moments later, Zhao Yao had finally managed to squeeze his entire head inside the stocking. He stared in the mirror and whispered to himself, "I don't even think my mum can recognize me at this rate. However, I do look rather creepy."

After further deliberation, Zhao Yao decided to add one more layer of defense by instructing Roly Poly, "Roly Poly, can you help turn my head invisible as well?"

Zhao Yao's head had vanished into thin air with a swoosh. However, his body still remained rooted to his exact position and he had instantaneously morphed into a headless horseman.

"Hmph, not bad." A contented smile finally found its way to Zhao Yao's face before continuing, "Roly Poly, from now on, always remember to turn my head invisible regardless of what battle formation we are using. This is called the headless horseman form." Roly Poly nodded his head but secretly slid a condescending glare at Zhao Yao.

Moments later, Zhao Yao had levitated out of his windows, with him and his seven supercats encapsulated within the deflective field.

With the 'Power Up Card', the reach of the deflective field had been extended to five meters.

Hence, Zhao Yao could levitate off the ground at a height of five meters or float between buildings at a distance of five meters because of this effect.

To put it in a more descriptive term, it was like having an invisible pair of hand clawing at the wall, dragging them forward.

The reason why he couldn't fly like the sword auras could be explained using the same theory as for why we can't use our own hands to pick our bodies off the floor. Naturally, Ares could not utilize his defective field to pick himself off the ground and hence could only levitate by pushing against walls or floor.

However, Zhao Yao was already traveling at an astounding speed at this rate.

By turning himself invisible, Zhao Yao made a beeline straight to the rooftop, before picking up the three unconscious blokes and returned to ground level. With their bodies totally invisible, they made a dash for the headquarters.

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This was the headquarters – the gym in the suburban area.

Zhao Yao was perched on a rooftop not far away as he began observing this gym. He pressed his hands against the blokes' ears before awakening them with another flood of Porn Tsunami.

The three of them woke up instantly while letting out an ear-splitting shriek. They opened their eyes to see Zhao Yao pointing his finger towards a small building in the vicinity, "How is it? Is that the building?"

The three of them could only nod their heads nervously.

Based on their intel, the boss of the organization, Butcher, spent most of his time on the third level. Meanwhile, the supercats and apostles taken against their will were kept in an underground room.

Champion tried to convince Zhao Yao, "What's the point of making us your enemy? Butcher is far stronger than us in terms of physical attributes and combat prowess. He is the only one with complete knowledge of all supercats and superpowers in this world. God knows what kind of power he has hidden from us. Why do you want to take this risk?

Actually, you don't have to feel embarrassed at all. As long as you join us and be a part of Muscle Society, conquering and ruling the entire Jiangmen City would be as simple as one, two, three."

Zhao Yao's gaze remained glued to this small building as he let out a faint laughter, "You are thinking too much. If I use my true strength, I could get rid of those bunch of idiots in less than a minute."

Champion stared hesitantly at this strange man and asked, "Does this stocking make you even stronger than when you wore the cute little dress?"

"Roly Poly!" Zhao Yao burst out screaming, "Haven't I told you to conceal my head at all times? What the hell are you doing?"

Roly Poly's head sank into his chest as he stared pitifully at Zhao Yao, "I forgot. You know that cats have the worst memories."

"Then, what are you waiting for? Faster cast your power on me!"

Champion's eyes were glued to this mysterious man when his head suddenly disappeared as he transformed into a headless horseman. In his head, he was thinking, "He can increase his power by simply changing his clothes? The world of superpower is a vast and diverse one. There are many things that I have yet to learn."

The next moment, Zhao Yao had already taken a step forward as his body slowly descended to ground level. He landed at this patch of grass before turning his body invisible again.

Suddenly, the deflective field produced an earthshaking force which crashed into the ground. The impact propelled Zhao Yao towards the gym as if he were an arrow.

At the instant when the force field made contact with the ground, Butcher who remained fast asleep on the third floor had instantly opened his eyes, before jumping out of the bed.

After breaking through three layers of wall, Zhao Yao found himself in the middle of the gym. He threw Mango to the floor and shouted, "Unleash the roar of hell!"

"Everyone, hide!"

Immediately, Zhao Yao charged through another two layers of concrete wall. Meanwhile, the muscular blokes inside the gym still had no idea what was going on.

Zhao Yao tore past the last wall and literally created a tunnel through the gym. He finally stopped before turning his head around. He stared at Mango through the hole he created and roared, "Activate the roar of hell!"

With Elizabeth's soft purr, Mango who was originally still lost and clueless suddenly scrunched his face together, with his brows tightly knitted. Fury blinded him as Mango let out a shrieking meow.

Mango was struck by an immense urge to shit but could not find a single toilet. This intense sensation swept across the gym with Mango's body as the epicenter. Instantly, the entire gym had been encapsulated in Mango's pain.

Piack! Piack! Bam! It was as if someone had set off a series of firecrackers within the gym as a wave of screams and stench permeated from the gym. Within a split second, the gym had turned into a living hell.

Because of their superior body qualities, Zhao Yao waited for at least half an hour before he dared to set foot inside the place. He was greeted by bloody and vile scene.

Zhao Yao stared at the muscular blokes lying in puddles of blood. There were all sorts of red and yellow stains spattered across the walls, evidence of the previous catastrophe. Zhao Yao's brows

knitted together as he whispered, "Shit with a hint of blood? They must have experienced a nervewracking pain before they fainted."

In his head, Roly Poly was screaming, "You don't say? Stupid!" In reality, he showered Zhao Yao with compliments, "Zhao Yao, what you said makes so much sense!"

After checking on their conditions, Zhao Yao took back the roar of hell from the first level. Similar to his previous tries, Mango himself was unaffected by it and seemed to have forgotten the unimaginable pain he experienced.

Zhao Yao carefully made his way up the staircase. It was like walking through hell. Everyone had collapsed to the ground with some of their lower bodies drenched in blood. Some were in a tussle while other still had toilet paper stuck in their hands.

Some of their eyes were devoid of expression while others had drool trickling down the corner of their lips. When they saw Zhao Yao, they began running around like a lunatic and screamed, "I didn't shit!" Hahaha! They ran around with their butt naked.

Seven blokes were huddled over a tiny toilet that was in shambles. Evidently, they had done whatever they could to get a spot on this coveted toilet bowl which resulted in this destruction. In the end, none of them succeeded.

These scenes of terror simply highlighted the devastation they had experienced.

Zhao Yao pinched his nose as he made his way through the mess, all the way to Butcher's room before slowly pushing the door open.