

# Am I A God 561

## Chapter 561: Mutilation Addiction

Nanako rolled her eyes and said, “How can the Meteorite Fragments be with me? Even though they said they were my bridal gift, that was just for show. Do you think they would actually give them to me?”

She shook her head and said, “Don’t even talk about gifting. The Meteorite Fragments never reached our side. They are still with the Hattori family. They said they will only give them to me at the wedding.”

As she said that, she blinked a few times before she realized that Zhao Yao had disappeared.

“This guy...”

Of course, Zhao Yao had rushed over to the Hattori family’s home. He had a mission to accomplish. The Meteorite Fragments were related to Kaede Hattori.

Kaede Hattori was like a huge treasure chest that Zhao Yao found. First, because of the 3000\*2 experience points to be gained from the Criminal Diao Bao mission. Second, because he still had a burning exclamation mark on his head which carried an unknown mission.

Coupled with the Meteorite Fragments, this was good stuff. Zhao Yao’s current collection of meteorite fragments was at 5%. With every 10% he collected, he would receive 1 extra skill point. This was very tempting for Zhao Yao. He felt torn every time he had to choose between upgrading his supercats or his book level.

Two missions coupled with a rock made Kaede Hattori appear more alluring than ever to Zhao Yao.

However, the Hattori family currently had great power and influence. It surely had its fair share of supercats and apostles. Before he headed over to the Hattori family, Zhao Yao decided to use up all his experience points to upgrade Elizabeth’s powers.

Before doing so, he took a look at his own panel.

Book: Level 6 (40 002/20,000)

Matcha: Level 8 (2 210/50 000)

Elizabeth: Level 7 (2 200/20 000)

Dust Ball: Level 8 (23 055/50 000)

Ares: Level 7 (2 200/20 000)

Lucifer: Level 6 (5 100/10 000)

Sphinx Cat: Level 6 (2 500/10 000)

Satisfied, Zhao Yao used all his experience points to upgrade Elizabeth, giving her 17 800 points.

At once, his and Elizabeth's panel showed: Book: Level 6 (22 202/20 000); Elizabeth: Level 8 (0/50 000)

Zhao Yao tapped on Elizabeth's ability tree and was shocked to see two new abilities:

**Extended Power of Illusion:** After casting the power of illusion, its effects will linger for another 10 minutes even after it has ended. The user can actively deactivate this effect.

**Power of Illusion Reversal:** Reverse the power of illusion cast by the opponent.

When he saw the two skills, Zhao Yao was disappointed, "Why wasn't the Sixth Sense illusion upgraded?" He sighed. Due to his difficulty controlling the Sixth Sense illusion, Zhao Yao had upgraded Elizabeth first so that he could upgrade this ability.

Alas, there was no such option in Elizabeth's Level 8 abilities. Although these two new abilities were pretty good, they were not what Zhao Yao was expecting.

Zhao Yao believed that as long as he continued upgrading, he would eventually receive an upgrade for the Sixth Sense illusion.

Looking at the two new abilities, Zhao Yao started to think more about them.

There was no doubt about the power of the Extended Power of Illusion. If one wave of illusion was released at the start of the battle, he could switch to another ability, which meant that he could use two abilities at once to fight.

As for the Power of Illusion Reversal, though it was not of much use now since Zhao Yao had rarely met an opponent who could cast the Power of Illusion on him, it would become a priceless skill if he did meet such an opponent in future.

Zhao Yao thought for a while before choosing the Extended Power of Illusion. After all, this ability could greatly increase his fighting power, while the Power of Illusion Reversal was only limited to illusions, which was too narrow a range for it to be put to use. He already had the power to deflect illusions with the deflective shield.

After adding the ability, Zhao Yao activated the supercat armor system and shouted at each of his supercats to come out.

For this trip to the Hattori family, Zhao Yao was fully prepared. Not only did he call out all the supercats in the supercat armor, but he also activated the dragoon combat system. Mango, Rice Cake, Fish Ball and Lightning floated around him, constituting the perfect attack-defense system.

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The moment he arrived at the Hattori family's home, Zhao Yao heard a gut-wrenching scream which gave him goosebumps all over his body.

"Eh? What's happening?" He immediately sneaked into the Hattori household and followed the sound. He entered smoothly using Roly Poly's power of invisibility and Elizabeth's power of illusion until he reached another courtyard.

He saw countless servants and butlers walking in and out anxiously. When Zhao Yao walked in, he saw that the person screaming in agony was Kappei Hattori. He was sweating profusely. His face was distorted in pain as he continued to scream in agony. The bottom half of his body was drenched in blood.

“Why!” Kappei Hattori screamed out in agony, “I didn’t feel pain before this, why... Why is it like this?”

When he saw what had happened, Zhao Yao was shocked. “S\*it, I forgot to ask Lucifer to retract his powers yesterday. Don’t tell me this guy...”

Zhao Yao looked up to scan the surroundings and saw that the tables, floor, walls and the television were all covered in fresh blood. The amount of blood was definitely more than that of an adult man.

Zhao Yao took a deep breath, “This guy... So he was playing the whole night?” From this point on, Zhao Yao resolved to use Lucifer’s power as his last resort. The power was too devilish.

Since the night before, when Kappei Hattori found out that he had the power of super-regeneration and a fetish for pain, he had become hopelessly obsessed with it. The toxic effect of super-regeneration increased the pleasure he felt with the pain, far exceeding that of sex or even drugs.

It seemed like after a few tries, Kappei Hattori got high from the sensation and decided to have fun the whole night. After each time he mutilated himself, he lay on the floor, quietly enjoying the pleasure he felt from the pain, staining the whole room as a result.

If this had happened to Kaede Hattori, he would have used his strong willpower to resist the addictive nature of such pleasure. Kappei Hattori obviously could not do this, hence his current state.

Staring at the scene before him, Zhao Yao had no choice but to call Lucifer out again to lend the other party his power while maintaining his own invisibility.

Looking at Kappei Hattori, who was now writhing and rolling his eyes in pleasure at the feeling of regeneration, Zhao Yao wiped off the cold sweat on his forehead and thought to himself, “D\*mn it, what now? Am I supposed to tell Nanako: ‘Sorry, I accidentally made your fiancé addicted to mutilation’?”

That should definitely not be said.

Looking at Kappei Hattori who was still deep in his pleasure, Zhao Yao thought, “There’s no other choice. This marriage can’t happen, not until Kappei Hattori is cured of his addiction.”

Zhao Yao saw that a new mission had appeared on his mission panel.

Mission: Premature Death by Mutilation

Mission Objective: Prevent the marriage between Kappei Hattori and Nanako Kujyo from happening or treat Kappei Hattori’s mutilation addiction.

Reward: Achieve one of the objectives to get 1000 experience points.

Punishment: Become addicted to mutilation for a day.

Chapter 562: The Treatment and the Mission

When he saw the reward for the mission, Zhao Yao was actually quite happy. When he saw the punishment, however, he became enraged immediately.

It had been a long time since the missions in the Book had given Zhao Yao a punishment. After all, given Zhao Yao’s speculation that the Book was based on him, all the missions and systems it designed should have been based on his experience, character, consciousness, and so on.

Under normal circumstances, the Book should not give any punishment to Zhao Yao.

But the punishment given here...

“D\*mn it, does this mean I feel really guilty subconsciously?” Zhao Yao stroked his chin. “Fine, I do feel a tiny bit of guilt, but isn’t this punishment too harsh?”

Looking around the blood-stained house, Zhao Yao swore to himself that he never wanted to experience mutilation addiction. He glared menacingly at Kappei Hattori who was on the floor and thought of killing him right there and then.

“Hmph!” Zhao Yao exhaled heavily, suppressing the rashness in his heart. “Let’s try to see if I can treat him first.”

At the same time, the supercats around Zhao Yao were dumbstruck by the sight of the house before them.

Ares: “Humans are really scary. This is too depraved. What if Lucifer turns out like this next time?”

Footsteps could be heard from afar. They belonged to Aoyama Hattori, Kappei Hattori’s father, who rushed over after being informed by a servant.

Zhao Yao walked out to take a look. His eyes gleamed as he thought, “I can’t let them ruin my plans.” Hence, with the lift of a finger, the whole house became clean. Kappei Hattori sat peacefully behind the table and playing computer games.”

When Aoyama Hattori walked in and saw this, he glared viciously at the servant beside him.

The servant was astonished, “But... but it wasn’t like this just now, it really wasn’t...”

With a wave of his hand, the bodyguards beside Aoyama Hattori had already dragged the servant away.

He walked over to Kappei Hattori and asked in a kind voice, “Kappei, are you alright?” Aoyama Hattori knew how much his son suffered, and was very worried that the accident had traumatised him. Ever since Kappei Hattori was discharged from the hospital, he became very concerned about his son.

Pretending to be Kappei Hattori, Zhao Yao quickly pacified Aoyama Hattori and chased him away.

He stared at Kappei Hattori lying on the floor and decided to treat him.

“Hmm, let’s try using the power of illusion first.” Zhao Yao thought for a bit then decided to cast the Sixth Sense illusion, making the body lie still.

He watched as Kappei Hattori lay quietly on the floor after completing his super-regeneration, and did not do anything else.

“Next...” Zhao Yao removed the illusion. Kappei Hattori raised his hand and pointed the knife downwards, about to do something scary.

Zhao Yao’s eyes immediately flashed red and controlled him, as he sighed to himself, “If a superpower like the power of illusion can’t treat him despite having an extended time effect, even if Old Cat brainwashed him, it would only last for a day.”

Though he knew that he could not completely treat him, Zhao Yao still got Old Cat to help him translate, “Kappei Hattori, you can’t continue with this depravity.”

Kappei Hattori was confused for a moment, “Who are you? Are you controlling me?”

Zhao Yao said, “I am your conscience. You can’t continue on like this, or you will end up killing yourself and bring shame to the Hattori family.”

“I...” a hint of confusion flashed across Kappei Hattori’s eyes, turning into agony in the next moment, “But I can’t help it, I really can’t. That feeling is too alluring, too tempting. There’s no use. Ever since last night when I first mutilated myself, there’s no turning back for me.”

Zhao Yao said encouragingly, “You have to overcome that feeling. You can definitely quit this addiction!”

“No, if I don’t mutilate myself, I will feel as though thousands of ants are crawling all over my body. It would be unbearable.”

Hearing his words, Dust Ball looked as if she understood him and suddenly jumped onto Kappei Hattori’s shoulder, putting a big bag of catmint in front of him and said, “You can try eating this bag of catmint.”

Zhao Yao rolled his eyes and grabbed Dust Ball over, “Is this the time to promote your catmint? Stop moving around.”

After scolding Dust Ball, Zhao Yao continued talking to Kappei Hattori through Old Cat and planted the notion of avoiding self-harm in his head in no time.

However, even with Old Cat’s brainwashing ability, the effects would only last for a day.

Hence, Zhao Yao continued to stroke his chin and thought of other solutions. He stared at Kappei Hattori, who was no longer trying to hurt himself even though he was no longer under Zhao Yao’s control.

“Maybe we can replace this addiction with a different one?” Zhao Yao thought as he continued stroking his chin, “What is the hottest trending game in Japan right now?”

“I think it’s fatego?”

Zhao Yao thought for a moment and made Old Cat plant another instruction in the man’s mind. For the next day, Kappei Hattori was to finish watching the whole Fate anime and proceed to play fatego afterward.

Looking at Kappei Hattori who began to focus on watching anime, Zhao Yao heaved a sigh of relief, “Let it be like this for now. There’s still one week before the wedding, if I can’t treat you by then, I will have no choice but to stop the wedding from happening.”

Right at this moment, Zhao Yao’s ears twitched. He heard footsteps coming from afar. It was Kaede Hattori, Kappei Hattori’s brother rushing over.

“He came just in time.”

The power of illusion was activated.

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Kaede Hattori knocked on the door and walked in to see Kappei Hattori playing computer games, while Mr. Yamada was sitting at the side.

He frowned a little and said, "Yamada, what brings you here? Have you found out anything about the criminal?"

Kappei Hattori immediately said, "Brother, recently Officer Yamada has been helping me to investigate the case of my attacker and did not sleep for many nights because of this."

Kaede Hattori's gaze softened slightly and said, "Mr. Yamada, did you manage to find anything about the case?"

Zhao Yao stood up immediately and reported everything he knew to Kaede Hattori, especially regarding Cannon's abilities, Bai Quan's identity and the consequent meeting that day. Zhao Yao decided to complete the mission first to see if he could take on a new mission. If that did not work out, he would just have to erase his memories.

Kaede Hattori narrowed his eyes, "There's actually such a power? Send the report to me later, I want to analyze it carefully."

Although Kaede Hattori needed further confirmation, Zhao Yao had already completed the Criminal Diao Bao mission, earning him 3000\*2 experience points directly. His panel became: Book: Level 6 (28202/20000).

At this moment, Kappei Hattori said again, "What was the reason behind Kappei's speedy recovery? Have you found anything about that?"

Kappei Hattori's injuries were so severe that even the best doctors in Japan could not cure him, yet he miraculously recovered overnight. It was impossible for Kaede Hattori and his family not to suspect anything.

Zhao Yao was only heard saying, "I haven't found much about this yet."

"Continue to investigate this, I'm very sure it has something to do with superpowers."

Zhao Yao asked again, "Inspector, do you have any other instructions?"

Kaede Hattori glanced at Zhao Yao and said to him, "Come with me."

Zhao Yao's eyes brightened and he thought to himself, "Interesting, does this mean I can finally take on the mission from the burning exclamation mark?"

## Chapter 563: Badmouthing

Expecting to receive a new mission, Zhao Yao followed Kaede Hattori out of the courtyard into his car and left the Hattori family.

"Eh? Where is he bringing me?" Zhao Yao's eyes flashed. He became more curious about where Kaede Hattori was headed to.

After the two of them were seated in the back of a small sedan, Kaede Hattori started talking to him, "Mr. Yamada, where do you think the future of our country lies?"

When he heard this, Zhao Yao paused for a moment and thought to himself, "The heck, I just wanted to complete a mission and earn some experience points. You're asking me where the future of the country lies? How would an insignificant Chinese man like me know?"

Zhao Yao frowned deeply for a moment before saying seriously, "Anime and games?"

Of course, the conversation between the two relied on Old Cat's translation. He translated what he heard to Zhao Yao in his mind, while Zhao Yao also communicated his reply to Old Cat in his mind. Old Cat then translated it to Kaede Hattori. With Zhao Yao's power of illusion and Roly Poly's invisibility as a cover, Kaede Hattori did not have the slightest suspicion.

Kaede Hattori shook his head and was slightly disappointed, "Anime and games may have huge influence and production value, but to say that these two alone will bring about the renaissance of our country is too far-fetched. The Chinese had a great leader who said that political power comes from the barrel of a gun. To truly bring about the renaissance of Japan, we need to first develop a strong skill set."

"Gun barrel?" Zhao Yao nodded and replied thoughtfully, "So, it's the AV?"

“I’m not talking about that gun barrel!” Kaede Hattori’s face turned black. To prevent him from making anymore blind guesses Kaede Hattori replied immediately, “Currently, our greatest hope for renaissance lies in the potential of supercats.”

This was an unprecedented opportunity. Superpowers were game-changing. They could make a very weak person strong enough to beat an opponent they never thought they were even capable of fighting.

Even a weaker country could overcome the power inequality in between itself and stronger countries.

Seeing the excitement on Kaede Hattori’s face, Zhao Yao was exasperated, but nodded his head fervently, saying “Kaede Hattori, what you said was so true. Only a person with great insight like you can lead the Empire of Japan to punch America, kick aside China and spit on Britain, France, and Russia.”

Kaede Hattori was slightly taken aback by his words. Though Zhao Yao was a bit crude, this was indeed what Kaede Hattori wished for. In the current Japanese government, not everyone agreed with his use of supercats.

Kaede Hattori nodded his head in satisfaction, “Mr. Yamada, I see I trusted the right person. We are of the same kind with similar aspirations.”

Zhao Yao immediately replied in a flattering tone, “How can I compare to you, Inspector Hattori? I am merely a small screw in the tank of the great Empire. You are the true leader who can lead us towards a bright and promising future. Without you, no matter how many people like me there are in this world, they are of no use.”

Zhao Yao spoke crudely, but he was shameless to begin with. His words were like music to Kaede Hattori’s ears. Throughout the whole journey, Zhao Yao and Kaede Hattori were all smiles and laughter. Kaede Hattori was beginning to see Mr. Yamada in a more favorable light.

As he had activated the supercat armor for protection before he went to the Hattori household, even as he was sitting in the car, Zhao Yao was surrounded by supercats.

Seeing how Zhao Yao was conniving with Kaede Hattori, pure-hearted Rice Cake shouted in astonishment, “Is Zhao Yao going to be a traitor? So we are all going to become Japanese cats?”

Elizabeth casually licked her paws and said, “You fool, Zhao Yao still has many things to do back home. How could he dare become a traitor? I think he’s just lying to this Japanese guy. Perhaps to get a new mission?”

Rice Cake was shocked. “Really? Zhao Yao looked very serious and was so agreeable with him.”

“Haha!” Matcha spoke like an experienced cat and said, “Rice Cake, you’re too naive. You shouldn’t believe anything a person like Zhao Yao says. He is an expert at cheating young, naive kitty cats.”

As he said that, Matcha sighed as though he had been through great hardships in life, “When I had just turned one, I was cheated into the hands of this douchebag, like an ignorant kitty cat. At that time, he told me I would be the only cat at home. In the end? There are so many cats in the house now that I bet even a round of PUBG can’t fit all of us.”

Elizabeth pouted and said, “Even so, you are still his first cat. Men will not forget their first cat, unlike us. We can’t even leave an impression on him.

Can you believe this? One time Zhao Yao woke up in the morning, stroked my back and called me Diana? He actually mistook me for Diana?!”

Rice Cake said in astonishment, “He’s actually such a douchebag. He can’t even recognize his own cats!”

“Hmph,” Dust Ball could not help but add, “That’s nothing. Remember last winter, when it was really cold during Chinese New Year?

Zhao Yao, he... he actually put me under the computer table as his leg rest! Can you believe it? He used his own cat as a leg rest? How old was I then? He did that to me? Roly Poly was less than two meters away, but he still picked me to be his leg rest.”

Roly Poly was speechless. He thought to himself, “The heck, did I eat your catmints or something?”

Seeing that the cats had all started complaining, taking turns reproaching Zhao Yao, Roly Poly had a strange gleam in his eyes as he communicated all that he heard to Zhao Yao telepathically. He told him, “Zhao Yao, Zhao Yao, these ungrateful cats only know how to badmouth you. I couldn’t stand it so I had to tell you. Please don’t tell them I was the one who exposed them.”

Zhao Yao frowned and glared viciously at Matcha, Elizabeth and the rest who were chatting excitedly. He hollered at the cats telepathically, “What nonsense are you all saying? Roly Poly said that you were all badmouthing me?”

All the cats were stunned. They turned to glare at Roly Poly, who drew a long face and thought to himself, “Please don’t blame me. From the moment the Royal Cat Police Force was established, the only choice I had was to be loyal to Zhao Yao.”

Zhao Yao said menacingly, “You bunch of useless cats, all you do is laze around all day, living without purpose, indulging in your own pleasures. You only know how to play games and surf the internet. Some of you only know how to watch live streams and dramas. If I weren’t taking care of the bunch of you, you would have all starved to death.

None of you are either smart or powerful. The only thing you know how to do is to act cute. I’ve raised over a hundred over of you cats! You only know how to leech off me without doing actual work. Even when you are constipated you come to me to ask for help! Do you think it’s been easy for me?”

His scolding shook them as if it were spoken and not thought. Matcha, Elizabeth and all the other cats trembled in fear and lay flat on the floor as their ears drooped.

## Chapter 564: A Chain Mission

As Zhao Yao said that, a string of numbers jumped appeared on the Book’s screen.

Matcha’s Loyalty +1

Elizabeth’s Loyalty +1

Ares’ Loyalty +1

Matcha's Loyalty -2

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Having frozen time, Matcha looked to his left and right. When he saw that Zhao Yao was immobilized, he started laughing madly. "Hahaha, Zhao Yao is still maintaining the power of illusion and didn't activate time freeze."

He pounced on him and reached out his paw to slap his chest. After some thought, he decided against it.

"No, if I hit him, I will definitely be found out." Matcha's eyebrows twitched. Suddenly, with his butt in Zhao Yao's face, he said, "Stupid Zhao Yao, let me tell you. I've put up with you for too long."

He stood up and shook his butt in Zhao Yao's face, "All you say, everyday, is that we can't do this or that. It's so noisy and annoying. I am already three years old. I'm not a three-month-old kitty cat anymore."

"Do you even know what respect is? We cats have our pride as well. Stop threatening me just because you have money, or else I won't let you off with just a few words next time." Matcha patted Zhao Yao's cheek in midair before he glared at him and said, "Do you understand? Hmph, seeing that you're quite obedient, I shall spare you this time."

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Thinking that his scolding worked, Zhao Yao was satisfied at first. He couldn't believe his eyes when he saw Matcha's loyalty points fluctuate.

Matcha's Loyalty -2

Matcha's Loyalty +1

Matcha's Loyalty +1

“Matcha’s loyalty points are constantly fluctuating,” Zhao Yao frowned and said to Matcha, “Matcha, are you unhappy with me about something?”

“Why would I be unhappy?” Matcha thought quickly. He immediately shook his tail and said in a pitiful voice, “Zhao Yao, what you said was so true. Only a person with great insight like you can lead our Cat Empire to kill off the dogs, eat all the rabbits, pummel those rats, and reign over the pet kingdom.”

Zhao Yao hit Matcha’s head and said, “Stop copying my words.”

Time stopped for a while then started again.

Matcha’s Loyalty -2

Matcha’s Loyalty +2333.

Zhao Yao was shocked to see this message and hit Matcha’s head again.

Time stopped for a while then started again.

Matcha’s Loyalty -2

Matcha’s Loyalty +666

“This kid,” Zhao Yao ruffled Matcha’s head and thought to himself, “Don’t tell me he’s become dumb?”

Matcha lay comfortably on the back seat of the car, glancing at Zhao Yao’s shocked face as well as the cats around him who did not sense anything. He thought to himself, “Hehe, on the surface, it looks like Zhao Yao was teaching me a lesson and had the upper hand. In fact, I was scolding him like mad, all this while, and he couldn’t even retort. Now you know how powerful I am, Zhao Yao.”

Shaking his head, Zhao Yao caressed Matcha’s head. “Don’t become stupid. I won’t hit you next time.”

During the scolding of the cats, the small sedan had rolled to a stop. Zhao Yao raised his head and realized he had reached a pier.

Beside him, Kaede Hattori opened the car door and said, "We are here. Get out of the car."

Zhao Yao followed Kaede Hattori and got out, walking up to a warehouse. He drew the curtains open and walked through rows of containers, stopping in front of a huge mirror deep in the warehouse.

Zhao Yao was puzzled by Kaede Hattori's actions. He suddenly saw the mirror in front of him change and become a normal glass door, revealing a lift behind it.

Upon entering the lift, Kaede Hattori laughed at the shocked expression on Zhao Yao's face, saying "This was originally the secret meeting place of the Public Security Police. After the supercats were awakened, this place became the research center for the Special Higher Police. At least one in five of all the supercats we collected across Japan are kept here."

The lift quickly came to a stop. When the lift doors opened, a spacious underground research center appeared. Countless workers clad in white coats walked around busily. Some supercats could occasionally be seen casting their superpowers from their cages.

Of course, there were also a large number of apostles patrolling the research center.

"Let's go, Mr. Yamada." Kaede Hattori tilted his head and walked forward. "This research center is the core of our country's most advanced and high-tech research. It is guarded by numerous apostles. If all the supercats here were released, this would definitely cause a huge commotion in society."

Zhao Yao observed the research centre curiously as he waited for Kaede Hattori to continue.

"Mr. Yamada, I brought you here today as you have passed the test I gave you," Kaede Hattori slowly said, "You are skilled, have a strong character and have the passion to bring about change in our country. I hope that you will continue to grow while working together with me to sweep away the obstacles that stand in the path of our country's progress.

But before that, you still have to pass some tests."

Zhao Yao's eyes lit up. "The time has come."

#### Chain Mission: Kaede Hattori's Wild Ambitions

Mission Objective: Help Kaede Hattori fulfill his wild ambitions step by step. The first step is to pass the test and become Kaede Hattori's trusted aide.

Reward: Completing this mission completes 10% of the chain mission. The mission rewards are based on the completion rate of the whole chain of missions and include a vast amount of experience points, the Paralysis Ring, the Dragon Slaying Saber, activating a new ability and other great rewards.

Punishment: None

Zhao Yao's eyes glowed, "Paralysis Ring? Dragon Slaying Saber?" He felt the urge to throw the Book on the ground, "D\*mn Book, are you kidding me? What kind of rewards are these?"

But thinking of the huge amount of experience points, Zhao Yao was still very interested in this mission. This was his first chain mission aside from the cat nation mission.

Sadly, after his fifth mission of the cat nation chain mission, once the cat population had reached 50, no more missions came after that. This had greatly disappointed Zhao Yao very as he lost a great avenue for earning experience points.

This was the first time that Zhao Yao found a new chain mission that had promised new equipment as rewards.

Zhao Yao looked up at Kaede Hattori's head. The burning exclamation mark had indeed vanished.

Zhao Yao thought to himself, "At first I wanted to try to erase his memories. It's obvious that if I do that, I will not be able to complete the chain missions. If I don't erase his memories, Kaede Hattori will capture Bai Quan and Cannon and might even involve me."

Zhao Yao already formed a plan in his mind. "I'll try my best to complete the chain mission first. After completing the mission, I will defeat Kaede Hattori immediately and make the whole Hattori family lose their influence and power for good. By then, they will not have the time or power to deal with Bai Quan."

As to how he would defeat them, Zhao Yao had way too many ideas overflowing in his mind.

In Kaede Hattori's eyes, Mr. Yamada took a moment to reflect seriously before saying enthusiastically, "What test is that? I will definitely pass it."

Kaede Hattori said, "Relax, it's just some character and loyalty test. It should be very easy for you."

## Chapter 565: Ability Test

Zhao Yao was brought into a huge white room. It had a television placed in its center and an outdated Nintendo game console.

Looking at the FC game console, which was the most popular game back in the 1980s, Zhao Yao blinked and said, "Hey, the test you were talking about, don't tell me it's to play this game?"

Kaede Hattori laughed, "Why, Mr. Yamada, have you not played this game before?"

Zhao Yao frowned slightly, "Well, it's not that I haven't played it before, but what does this game test?" Deep in his heart, he knew that this test was definitely not easy and based on his understanding of his character and his real attitude toward Japan. He was 80% sure that he would not be able to pass the test.

Hence, Zhao Yao's objective was to understand the principles of the game and mask his real personality to pass the test.

But the game console in front of him slightly puzzled him.

Kaede Hattori casually walked to the game console and turned it on. It was a game that Zhao Yao had never seen before. He told Zhao Yao, “Try playing this game. If you win this game, you will be able to join us and become one of our members.”

Zhao Yao frowned. Though he was still unsure of the objectives of this game, he started playing it anyway.

As he watched Zhao Yao start a new round, Kaede Hattori smiled slightly and left the room.

Left with no choice, Zhao Yao grasped the joystick and started to play the game. He realized that this game was similar to Mario’s platform video games. As he played, he thought to himself, “Does this mean that the better I am at playing this game, the higher the rating I will get?”

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Kaede Hattori walked to another room that was full of huge screens showing Zhao Yao playing the video game from all angles. This was obviously the security footage of the scene.

A Japanese cat was sitting in front of the security footage, staring blankly at Zhao Yao as he played the game.

When he saw Kaede Hattori walk in, the Japanese cat yawned and pressed some keys while asking, “The person being tested this time is this guy here? He looks so weak.”

Mr. Yamada looked like an average man. He had the face of a normal white-collar, middle-aged office man that could easily blend into a crowd at first glance.

Kaede Hattori laughed when he heard what was said, “Ah-Ri, Mr. Yamada may look like an average man, but in reality, he is a rare talent. He single-handedly investigated the truth behind Kappi’s assault and when I sent people to question Momo, the information I received was the same as what he said.

He shares our aspirations and is thus a potential ally. I have high hopes for him.”

The cat named Ah-Ri pursed his lips, “Talented or not, one look at his basic properties will tell. As long as he plays my game, I will be able to detect the level of his fighting power, intelligence,

charm, loyalty, luck, and chivalry. As for loyalty, only those that are truly loyal to the Special Higher Police will be able to pass these numerous tests.”

A hexagonal image appeared on the screen in front of Ah-Ri, it was a graph representing the six basic qualities.

This was Ah-Ri’s skill, the power of ‘Individual Basic Properties Analysis’. That Nintendo game console was a superpower item conjured from his powers. No matter who played the game, Ah-Ri would be able to detect their six basic properties: fighting power, intelligence, charm, loyalty, luck, and chivalry. Ah-Ri designed the loyalty detected here to be specific to the Special Higher Police.

The values of the six basic properties would determine whether or not the person passed the test.

However, in the radar that had appeared, the six basic properties had very low values and formed a very small hexagon.

Seeing the values on the screen, Ah-Ri pursed his lips and said, “So weak, he will most likely fail the test.”

Kaede Hattori pointed angrily at the property labels on the radar image and shouted, “What is going on here?”

Ah-Ri looked at it again and realized that what was written above was promiscuous, cuckolding, H-rate, flexibility, outdoors, swallow-

Kaede Hattori grabbed Ah-Ri’s head and said, emphasizing each word, holding back his anger, “What are you up to?”

“Ah!” Ah-Ri immediately turned off the radar image and laughed coyly, “Hahahaha, this was a new radar image I thought of yesterday when I was testing Peach. It’s a small problem. Don’t be bothered by it. I will adjust the radar for you immediately.”

“Wait!” Kaede Hattori had a cold expression on his face as he took out his phone to snap a photo of the six-dimensional image in front of him and asked again, “Is this image accurate?”

As the two were talking, they did not notice that in a corner of the room a small cat head had quietly sneaked out from the floor below, raising his cat ears to hear what was being said.

The eavesdropping cat was Gaia whose superpower was the ability to burrow into the ground. Before entering the room, Zhao Yao had called him out with the help of Roly Poly's invisibility power to let him tail Kaede Hattori and gather intel about him.

Gaia quietly tapped on his phone to send a message to Zhao Yao.

In the game room, Zhao Yao glanced at the invisible phone on the floor and thought to himself, "So this what it's about? Fighting power, intelligence, charm, loyalty, luck, and chivalry... I have no problem with everything except loyalty, which is my main worry. This seems to be a bit of a problem."

Zhao Yao thought for a bit. Suddenly, an idea came to his mind and he said to Matcha, "Matcha, come and play this game."

"Huh?" Matcha put both paws on the joysticks. He controlled the game while Zhao Yao held his paws, moving them as if he were the one playing the game. Due to Roly Poly's power of invisibility, Matcha could not be seen from the security footage. It looked as if Zhao Yao was playing the game.

In the control room, as Ah-Ri was controlling the panel of the six-dimensional basic properties, a radar image of the six basic properties appeared on the screen.

"Fighting power 1, Intelligence 30, Charm 1, Loyalty 0, Luck 1, Chivalry, 1."

Both Ah-Ri and Kaede Hattori were shocked beyond words.

"There actually exists such a lousy level of basic properties?" Kaede Hattori was shocked and gaped at the screen before he continued, "Even for a cat, shouldn't there be more than 10 points in its fighting power? How can a person's basic properties be so low? What's more, an intelligence of 30 points is considered mentally retarded. A charm of 1 point and 0 points for loyalty, how is that possible? Even a pig wouldn't have such a low score."

Ah-Ri also scratched his ears and wondered aloud, "Are my superpowers expired?"

“How can superpowers expire?!” Kaede Hattori slapped Ah-Ri’s head and said, “You better be more serious with this!” Thinking about the adult version of the six-dimensional basic properties that had previously appeared on the screen, Kaede Hattori concluded that Ah-Ri was not doing his job seriously and that this had resulted in the distorted values on the radar image of the basic properties.

Ah-Ri drooped his ears and said in defeat, “Alright, alright, I will try again.”

Zhao Yao received a message informing him that Matcha’s test worked. “Good, since a cat can also be mistaken as a person doing the test...”

“Let’s try using the Sixth Sense illusion first. If it doesn’t work, there’s only one other way...” Zhao Yao looked at Matcha, whom he was holding, and activated the Sixth Sense illusion. All of a sudden he said, “Be loyal to Japan! You are the heir to the Empire of Japan! A true blue Japanese cat!”

In the next moment, Kaede Hattori stared at the values before him and squeezed Ah-Ri’s neck in a fit of rage, screaming “What the hell are you doing? His charm also went to 0? You better be more serious about this!”

## Chapter 566: Passing the Test and the Plan

“D\*mn, the Sixth Sense illusion failed again.” Zhao Yao kicked the floor in a fit of rage.

In the game room, Matcha’s eyes dulled like a dead fish as he sprawled on the floor and gradually stopped breathing.

“D\*mn it, this guy was lazy to begin with. Now that I gave him power, it’s like I’ve accumulated more and more idleness in him. He can’t even be bothered to live!” When Zhao Yao saw this, he immediately deactivated the Sixth Sense illusion, bringing Matcha back to his senses.

Matcha frowned, “Why do I feel like I saw a bright light appear before me just now? Zhao Yao, I feel like I saw my mother just now.” His eyes suddenly lit up, “Is a new superpower awakening in my body?”

“No, you’re just too tired and hallucinated. Don’t think too much,” Zhao Yao said as he stroked his head.

“If the Sixth Sense illusion doesn’t work, then I’ll have to try...” As he said that, Zhao Yao opened his mouth and spat out Old Cat.

“Old Cat, try brainwashing Matcha as quickly as you can. The objective of the brainwashing is... It’s very important, the faster you can do it, the better it is.”

Upon hearing Zhao Yao’s words, Old Cat’s eyes flashed and his fur stood on its edge in excitement. “Hahahaha, it’s finally my time to shine.”

He flew in an instant to Matcha’s ear, moving his mouth at lightning speed. Only the shadow of his mouth was seen to be moving.

“Supersonic Mysterious Incantation, I F\*ck F\*ck F\*ck F\*ck F\*ck F\*ck F\*ck...”

The light in Old Cat’s eyes glowed brighter and brighter and he thought to himself, “F\*ck is a short, but formidable word. I’ve seen countless words in the world, but this is the only word that has limitless potential when spoken with increased frequency. It even has a deeper meaning to it. It alone is enough to express all the emotions in the world, making it the king of all words.

My supersonic mysterious incantation thus uses ‘f\*ck’ as its root word, achieving a supersonic rate of 500 repetitions in a minute!”

Within a few minutes, Old Cat managed to input many different thoughts into Matcha’s consciousness, brainwashing him multiple times in a row.

“Done!” Letting out a deep breath, Old Cat looked at Zhao Yao who was standing at the side.

Zhao Yao stroked Old Cat’s head and said, “Good job, I will give you a red packet.”

Old Cat meowed and hi-fived Zhao Yao’s palm fervently with his paw.

Zhao Yao looked at Matcha and asked, “Hey? Matcha, how do you feel right now?”

“Don’t call me Matcha,” a cold glare flashed across Matcha’s eyes, “I am Chata Sato, a Scottish Fold from Tokyo.”

“Very good,” Zhao Yao laughed and started controlling Matcha to play the game.

Although brainwashing would have solved his loyalty problem, Zhao Yao did not dare to let Old Cat brainwash him. His only solution was to let Old Cat brainwash other supercats.

In the control room, the six-dimensional image flashed again, and the loyalty value suddenly became 120.

Kaede Hattori was astonished, “Mr. Yamada actually scored that high for loyalty? 120, the six-dimensional image can actually reach 120? Isn’t the maximum value of the six-dimensional image 100 points?” He looked at the hexagon on top of the six-dimensional image and saw that the side denoting loyalty had exceeded the range.

“Yeah, 120 is the secret threshold I set for a basic property, but I never thought that there would be someone who would actually be able to reach it. Maybe this guy was dreaming of the Special Higher Police even in his sleep?” Ah-Ri said with some disdain in his voice, “But the rest of his basic properties are so weak. If I raised a dog it would probably score better than him.”

Kaede Hattori shook his head and said, “Try reloading the image, I still think that these values are wrong. A fighting power of only 1 point is too low for a normal person.”

In the game room, Matcha bared his teeth and snarled, “Despicable Chinese men! You guys actually dared to infiltrate the Special Higher Police, I will destroy all of you!”

Matcha was subdued with a slap and Zhao Yao stroked his chin as he saw the message Gaia sent, “The value of the basic properties are too low?” His eyes lit up suddenly and he opened his mouth to spit out Sphinx cat.

“Old Cat, remove Matcha’s brainwash and brainwash Sphinx cat.”

At the same time, Zhao Yao lay on the floor, pretending to rest.

In the control room, Ah-Ri frowned, “He’s resting while playing the game. This guy is so enigmatic.”

Kaede Hattori thought about how he could have been investigating cases during this time and said amiably, “Maybe he’s too tired. Never mind, let him rest for 10 minutes. You can check on your superpower during that time. Don’t make any more mistakes.”

After a few minutes, Zhao Yao was seen sitting up again in the screen. Kaede Hattori and Ah-Ri’s eyes narrowed and became serious. “Prepare the test now.”

No one noticed that beneath Zhao Yao’s eyes faint strips of red light flickered subtly. He was controlling Sphynx cat to play the game.

On the other side, Kaede Hattori gasped in shock as he said, “Such high levels of basic properties actually exist?!”

On the six-dimensional image, the values had become: Fighting power 120, Intelligence 70, Charm 30, Loyalty 120, Luck 30, Chivalry 0.

“Fighting power of 120?” Ah-Ri exclaimed, “Doesn’t this exceed the basic capacity of a human body? Even the world’s boxing champion or soldiers from the super special forces have a fighting power of at most 80 or 90 points. He actually has 120 points?”

Ah-Ri cocked his head and continued, “Intelligence 70 points, this seems normal, just slightly higher than the average person. Charm 30 points, hah, that’s very suitable for a middle-aged uncle. Loyalty 120 points, that’s the basic property of a bodyguard, I suspect he might even be willing to die for the Special Higher Police. Luck, 30 points, this guy doesn’t seem to be very lucky, and Chivalry 0 points? Looks like this guy is pretty selfish.”

Kaede Hattori’s eyes gleamed brightly as he stared at Mr. Yamada on the screen as if he was looking at a rare gem. “Good, that’s good. I never thought that there would be a hidden talent like him in the Special Higher Police. His previous post was a serious waste of his talent. With a fighting power of 120 points and an intelligence of 70 points, giving him a supercat will definitely increase his fighting prowess immensely.”

“120 points for loyalty...” Kaede Hattori’s satisfaction grew the more he stared at it. A loyalty of 120 points meant that he could almost fully trust Mr. Yamada.

At the thought of this, Kaede Hattori immediately left the control room and walked to the game room excitedly.

Zhao Yao received this news and immediately made Old Cat remove the brainwash on Sphinx cat before putting him back in.

Kaede Hattori opened the door and went to hug Zhao Yao directly, “Mr. Yamada, from today onwards, you are our comrade. Starting tomorrow, you will be the captain of the first rank unit in the Special Higher Police. The specific arrangements will be made over the next few days. Let us work hard together to bring about the renaissance of this country.”

He had already led Zhao Yao out of the room. “Come, I will bring you to choose your supercat.”

Kaede Hattori led him to the laboratory which he had already prepared beforehand and said as he pointed to the three supercats on the table, “Here are Small Fire Ball, Sprout Ball, and Squirt Ball. They each have abilities relating to fire, plants, and water. Choose one of them. He will become your closest fighting partner in the future.”

## Chapter 567: Plan & Treatment

Kaede Hattori said, “Do not underestimate their strength. These three cats can destroy an entire street in an instant.”

Looking at the three supercats on the table, Zhao Yao blinked and thought to himself, “How familiar.” However, he thought that since he was not a true apostle, it was better to gain powers that could not be borrowed from the supercats that he already owned.

Zhao Yao pointed his finger and said, “Actually...” He lifted his palm and Uncle Egg, who was on his arm, emitted electrical sparks. “I have unexpectedly acquired a supercat that emits electrical energy. I thought that this power was suitable for me.”

“Oh, the effects of electrical and electricity-related powers are pretty good.” Kaede Hattori stroked his chin and said, “You may use them for now. If you want to trade, you may approach me any time.”

Following this discussion about supercats, Kaede Hattori pulled Zhao Yao out of the laboratory to expound his plans.

“To strengthen Japan, we have to start with the supernatural realm. Unfortunately, we have an uneven combination of talents in the Japanese supernatural world. Though we have defeated the Spirit Army, there are many apostles and supercats still among the common folks. Some aspire to be common high school students; some aspire to be ninjas. Others aspire to be pirates while some only think of their family.”

Kaede Hattori said expectantly, “So the first step is to gather and strengthen our supernatural world’s top talents. Kappei and Nanako’s wedding is the perfect opportunity.”

“I’ve invited most of the top apostles and supercats from the private sector to this wedding. Their numbers are small. However, their combined strength is enough to overpower certain countries.”

Zhao Yao showed understanding. It seemed like the Meteorite Fragments were being used as bait to attract these apostles and supercats.

“Besides domestic resistance, we are also facing the resistance from foreign countries, especially the Americans.” Kaede Hattori said fiercely, “The Americans have been striving to interfere with our development. The same goes for our supernatural world. The Special Higher Police has been under pressure in many areas as a result of the Americans’ sabotage. At this wedding, the Americans will surely think of a way to limit us.”

Kaede Hattori’s eyes emitted numerous rays. “Now, I am finally strong enough to go against them. At this wedding, besides uniting our scattered domestic talents, we can carefully circumvent American interference. That is if they dare to directly intervene...” Kaede Hattori’s words were filled with murderous intent.

Kaede Hattori showed Zhao Yao the detailed plans of the wedding and targets for every supernatural force.

Having passed the test, followed by the interaction with Kaede Hattori, Zhao Yao’s mission panel once again showed new changes.

Chain Mission: Kaede Hattori’s Wild Ambitions

Mission Objective: Help Kaede Hattori realize his ambitions step by step. Step 2, help Kaede Hattori conquer the supernatural forces at the wedding.

Mission Reward: Conquer different forces and receive varying mission completion rates. Mission completion advances by ten percent. The rewards are based on the completion rate of the whole chain of missions and include a vast amount of experience points, the Paralysis Ring, the Dragon Slaying Saber, activating a new ability, and more great rewards.

Mission Penalty: None

Zhao Yao looked at the mission reward contents and noticed a long list of names which he had just seen in the plans. They were the apostles and supercats who would be going to the wedding. Converting different targets yielded different rewards.

“The completion rates of these missions add up to fifty percent. Together with the ten percent I got from completing the test, the total is sixty percent. Seems like there are not that many remaining tasks.”

The week before the wedding, Zhao Yao frequently disguised himself as Mr. Yamada to treat Kappei Hattori at his house both day and night. He continued asking for tasks.

During this time, Bai Quan brought along Cannon to roam around. Bai Quan was skilled enough for Zhao Yao to not worry that he would be captured by the Special Higher Police. However, he reminded Bai Quan to attend the wedding to help out.

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The night before the wedding.

Zhao Yao, masquerading as Mr. Yamada, stood in Kappei Hattori's room. He watched him play with the handphone underneath the blanket and hung his head.

“This is hopeless. After being brainwashed to play games daily for a week, he's completely addicted.” He lifted his head and glanced at Kappei Hattori. He was licking the screen, on it, a golden-haired female rider.

“D\*mn, a complete Otaku and...” Zhao Yao looked at the anime body pillow which was tightly wrapped between Kappei Hattori’s legs. Then he looked at the sex doll on the other side of the bed and the pillow shaped like breasts behind Kappei Hattori’s head. Zhao Yao felt disheartened. “I can bear with this Otaku, but three addictions and he’s a lost cause.”

Having experienced pleasure that exceeded that of lovemaking, then been brainwashed by Old Cat to play games and watch anime for seven consecutive days, Kappei Hattori had completely lost interest in real women. Instead, he was addicted to anime women.

Zhao Yao called out to Kappei Hattori, “Kappei, you are getting married tomorrow. Do sleep early tonight.”

Kappei Hattori lifted up his head, hugged the sex doll by the headboard and shouted, “Senior Yamada, I have decided to marry Misaki Kanda—sex doll. I will not attend tomorrow’s wedding.”

“D\*mn, the healing has gone from bad to worse.” Zhao Yao looked at Kappei Hattori and said, “Misaki Kanda will deflate. Give it a year or so and it will be very, very flat.”

“Not an issue, I will inflate Misaki Kanda every day.” Kappei Hattori said, “She is the only who will quietly keep me company. She is my true soulmate.”

After seeing the way Kappei Hattori was tightly hugging the sex doll, Zhao Yao was so enraged that he flicked his finger out and used the Deflective Field to poke at the sex doll until it exploded.

Kappei Hattori screamed and hugged the sex doll sadly. “Misaki Kanda! Are you going to leave me too?”

Zhao Yao rolled his eyes and said, “Very good, your girlfriend has been completely deflated. You will now be able to attend the wedding tomorrow in good shape.”

Kappei Hattori had already thrown Misaki Kanda in the trash can. He sat in front of the computer and started browsing online. He said with a wretched face, “No problem, I have already ordered new dolls— Cat Ears Anime, Lolita Anime, Black Straight Haired Anime, Schwarzenegger, Stallone and Jackie Chan...”

“D\*mn you!” Zhao Yao slapped Kappei Hattori and sent him reeling to the ground. “You’re a lost cause! This guy is completely hopeless. The wedding cannot happen.”

After looking at the mission panel, Zhao Yao discovered he had completed his mission. Kappei Hattori had gotten rid of his mutilation addiction even though he became an Otaku. As such, Zhao Yao obtained two thousand experience points.

“However, this cannot work. He is unable to get married in this state.” Zhao Yao stroked his chin and thought, “Tomorrow, I will think of a way for the wedding to proceed so that I can conquer the attending apostles and supercats. After completing the chain mission, I will stop the wedding and think of a way to treat Kappei Hattori.”

### Chapter 568: The Preparation

While Zhao Yao was thinking of the next day’s wedding in Kappei Hattori’s room, he heard footsteps outside the door. Kaede Hattori was standing and shouted, “Kappei, why haven’t you tried on your wedding suit? Hanzo said you have been hiding in your room for a week. What are you up to?”

Kappei Hattori shouted while lying on the floor, “Don’t bother me. I have my own life and do not need you to meddle in my affairs.”

Kaede Hattori looked forlorn. His brother was not like this before.

As an esteemed Japanese clan, the Hattori family had strict teachings about the patriarchy. His brother’s insolence led Kaede Hattori to kick open the door and rush in. He looked sternly at Kappei Hattori who was lying on the floor. “This is preposterous. Is this how you talk to your elder?”

He suddenly noticed Mr. Yamada and bowed his head in embarrassment. “Mr. Yamada, you are here too?”

Zhao Yao quickly nodded his head and said, “Yes, yes, I came here to investigate Kappei’s recovery. If there are no other matters I need to attend to, I will make a move.” Zhao Yao would naturally take a detour before coming back to see the show.

After watching Mr. Yamada leave, Kaede Hattori looked at Kappei Hattori in anguish and said, “Kappei, how long is this decadence going to last? Stop wasting away at home and disgracing the Hattori clan. Pull yourself together.”

Kaede Hattori thought that Kappei Hattori’s continued decadence was due to the serious injury to the lower bottom part of his body.

Upon hearing the words, Kappei Hattori jumped up from the floor and shouted, “How annoying, do not use your seniority as my elder brother to lecture me. I am merely staying at home, not doing bad stuff. I hate going out!”

Kaede Hattori’s eyes emitted cold rays such that Kappei Hattori trembled in fear and said, “What! What are you going to do? I do not want to go out! I want to stay at home forever!”

“Kappei Hattori, you disappoint me. As the eldest son of the Hattori family, I cannot let you continue this way.”

Zhao Yao nodded his head, witnessing Kaede Hattori drag Kappei Hattori out. “Seems like the Hattori family is using tough measures. It is a pity that there is such an unloyal son in the family.”

Roly Poly sprawled on Zhao Yao’s shoulders and thought, “This evil demon.”

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The next moment, Zhao Yao returned to the hotel. In the hotel’s main hall, he found the Kujyo’s maid, Kuroko, waiting for him.

The little maid rushed towards him and shouted, “Mr. Zhao, how are you doing...” She stopped abruptly, recalling that he did not know Japanese and looked for his two Japanese speaking friends in vain. As she was pondering what to do, Zhao Yao answered her in fluent Japanese via Old Cat.

“Greetings, how may I help you?”

Kuroko put her hand to her chest and said, “So you know how to speak Japanese? That is good, I am here to give you the invitation card to Nanako’s wedding tomorrow. She hopes that you are able to come.”

“Ah?” Zhao Yao took the invitation card from her hands. Nanako had really invited him and Bai Quan.

His original plan was to sneak into the wedding and complete his mission discreetly.

Seeing Zhao Yao’s reluctance, Kuroko whispered, “Miss Nanako really hopes that you and Bai Quan will attend her wedding as the both of you are her only true friends.”

Zhao Yao smiled and thought, “I wonder if Nanako knows about Kappei Hattori’s condition. Would she still consider us her friends?” Frowning, Zhao Yao pondered for a while and said, “I appreciate Nanako’s gesture. Do not worry, I will attend the wedding on time tomorrow.”

After waving goodbye to the maid, Zhao Yao thought, “Anyway, I could make my moves discreetly. Attending the wedding should pose no problems. It could be a good cover.”

That night, Zhao Yao stayed in the hotel to sleep instead of going out for a mission, which was rare. He was preparing for the great deeds he would do at the wedding.

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The Kujyo family’s home.

Nanako, who was adorned in her grand bridal costume, looked at herself in the mirror. Her eyes gleamed with complex feelings.

Sylvie walked over to her side and said softly, “My lady, the invitation card has been given to Zhao Yao.”

Nanako’s gaze flickered for a moment and she said, “Thank you, Sylvie, for keeping this matter from my elder brother.”

“My lady, this is my duty.” Sylvie looked at Nanako’s reflection and said, “This kimono suits you. You will definitely be the most beautiful lady at the ceremony tomorrow.”

Nanako looked into the mirror, touching her cheeks, and blurted, “Sylvie, if I back out now, what are the consequences?”

Sylvie was taken aback. She caressed Nanako’s hair gently and said, “My lady, do not worry. I shall accompany you to the Hattori family. I will not let anyone harm you.”

Nanako smiled gently. “It is okay, I am joking.” She understood clearly that now there was no way she could back out. Neither she nor the Kujyo family would be able to withstand the wrath of the Hattori clan.

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In Hokkaido, in the field of a lavender farm.

Cannon and a pure white Persian cat laid side by side. Cannon licked the Persian cat’s fur and said with a gentle face, “Sakura, you are my sun.”

Persian cat giggled and said, “Then what are you?”

Cannon smiled lasciviously, “I am obviously your Hou Yi (a legendary Chinese hero who shot down nine suns with his arrows).”

“You are bad.”

Both cats were entangled in each other when a male voice boomed like thunder from the sky, “Cannon! Get your ass over here! We are going to the wedding!”

Cannon kept his wits and said to the Persian cat, “If anyone looks for me, do not ever say that I was here.”

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The next day, the grand wedding proceeded as planned.

As requested by Kaede Hattori, the traditional Japanese ceremony was substituted with a western ceremony to facilitate interactions between him and his guests.

Numerous limousines were parked in front of a huge luxurious hotel. Famous and rich elites strolled into the grand hall. Of course, among the guests were included powerful apostles and supercats from all over Japan.

The lively wedding reception bustled with activity in the middle of a stadium-sized banquet hall.

There was a special section reserved especially for supercats. In this section, various cat cuisines and pure distilled water were catered for the guests.

Zhao Yao walked into the banquet hall with his stolen western suit. Looking around, he thought, "Hmm, the Meteorite Fragments are indeed attractive, a lot of apostles are here."

#### Chapter 569: Banquet Begins

In the banquet hall, both humans and supercats were strolling around.

For the upper echelon of Japanese society, supercats were no longer a secret. Most of the wedding guests were already aware of their existence, so they were not taken aback by the presence of the supercats.

In fact, for the world's top 5%, possessing a powerful supercat was a bragging right. Because of this, the rich used any means they could to obtain one.

Observing the lively banquet hall scene, especially the beautiful and elegant supercats, excited Matcha, Fish Ball, and Lightning, who were at the top of the supercat armor.

Fish Ball pointed to a strolling Ragdoll cat that had a raised tail and said, "Look at that broad! She's so hot. I want to sleep with her."

Lightning squinted his eyes and said, "I bet ten dollars you can't get her."

Matcha said with a thick-skin, "Fish Ball, once you've got her, could you introduce her to me?"

After a heated discussion amongst the three cats, Fish Ball sighed, “Even if I wanted to, I am unable to do so. Zhao Yao wanted us to stay close and protect him. There’s no time for skirt chasing.”

Matcha patted his chest and said, “Leave Zhao Yao to me.”

Of course, their conversation was done privately in their minds so no one could hear it.

Under the admiring looks of Fish Ball and Lightning, Matcha climbed on Zhao Yao’s shoulders, leaned to his ear and said, “Zhao Yao, we are going to help you gather intelligence. Let’s see what these Japanese cats are up to.”

Zhao Yao glanced at Matcha condescendingly, “You are able to gather intelligence? I am afraid that you’d be giving our information away instead.”

Matcha immediately shouted, “How come? I had been through many battles with you—pitted against killer cats, lost to cat thieves, punched multi-level marketers, kicked cat smugglers. How can you not trust me?”

“Silly boy.” Zhao Yao caressed Matcha and said, “It is not that I do not trust you, I do not trust your intelligence. Remember, it has been professionally tested. Just stay by my side. There are a lot of bad cats outside, you will be easily duped if you go.”

“Zhao Yao, didn’t you want me to go on a diet?” Matcha immediately retorted, “If you let the three of us gather intelligence, I will diet once we return back to our country.”

Zhao Yao was slightly piqued, however, he replied, “Your dieting is not for me but for yourself.”

“Got it.” Matcha looked at Zhao Yao with a puppy face, both paws clasped together in a prayer-like position and begged, “Please Zhao Yao, agree to this and I will seriously go on a diet. Only regular meals and no snacks. No stealing of food from others and no secret night suppers.”

Seeing Matcha’s puppy face, Zhao Yao frowned. “Okay, okay, go and play.” The supercat armor was still a formidable force even if it lacked Matcha, Lightning, and Fish Ball. Moreover, Sphynx cat was on standby in the Extradimensional Belly.

Matcha shouted in excitement. The next moment, Matcha ran off with Fish Ball and Lightning in a flash.

The three cats secretly trailed behind the previously targeted Ragdoll cat. Lightning cajoled, “Go ahead Fish Ball. I raise the stake to fifty dollars. You won’t be able to get her.”

Matcha said excitedly, “Fish Ball, do you think she likes me? I think she just looked at me just now.”

“Pooh, pooh.” Fish Ball spat twice on his paw and started combing his head fur with his front paw. After finally combing it into place, he walked towards the Ragdoll cat.

“Greetings, I am Bond, James Bond.” Fish Ball leaned his paw against the wall by the lady’s side and smiled without restraint. “Interested in having a drink with me?”

“Trash.” The Ragdoll cat glared at him with disdain and said, “Open your dog eyes and look at yourself. You’re just a tomcat.” The Ragdoll cat turned around, fiercely swiped her large furry tail on Fish Ball’s body and left without looking back.

“Ah?” Fish Ball sniffed hard a few times and said in shock, “Really, a tomcat?”

Zhao Yao stood at a distance observing the three cats for a short while. The commotion on the other side of the room quickly drew his attention.

He saw Kaede Hattori walk in. Along his path, many influential elites and apostles tried to engage in small talk with him, but he only showed a blank face. Those who quietly surrounded Kaede Hattori were transfixed by the Divine Rays of Terror, unable to muster the courage to take a step forward.

With the arrival of Kaede Hattori, the temperature of the banquet hall seemed to drop. As if the banquet hall was invaded by a flood of wild beasts the sounds of chattering slowly dissipated.

Hideki Kujyo, who was watching the scene, frowned slightly and said, “The Divine Rays of Terror have become more terrifying.”

By his side, a middle-aged samurai-clad man smiled and said, “That has piqued my interest even more.”

Hideki Kujyo looked at the samurai and kept quiet. This samurai, who was frequently with Hideki Kujyo, was Japan’s current top samurai and master swordsman, Kazuhiko Yagyu. Prior to the awakening of superpowers, Kazuhiko Yagyu was already a famous martial artist in Japan.

In the supernatural realm, he had another alias— Kensei Yagyu. He was the apostle that mastered the shadow superpower. He was previously recognized as being on the same level as Kaede Hattori, one of the top apostles in Japan.

Zhao Yao had defeated a couple apostles under Kazuhiko Yagyu.

After defeating the Spirit Army and taking control of Special Higher Police, Kaede Hattori was no longer one of the top apostles in Japan. He was the top apostle.

At this moment, Kensei Yagyu gazed at Kaede Hattori without any fear. The gaze exuded a fiery desire for battle.

Hideki Kujyo, who was by his side, said lightly, “Do not act rashly, Master Yagyu. You will have a chance at a fair duel with him this time.”

Kensei Yagyu opened his mouth, revealing his teeth like a ferocious beast bears a cruel smile.

“Looking forward to it.”

At this instance, Hideki Kujyo’s brow quivered slightly. Kensei Yagyu looked in the direction of his gaze and discovered the distant Zhao Yao.

Kensei Yagyu said, “Oh? Why is the Chinese man here?”

Hideki Kujyo frowned, “Must be Nanako who gave him the invitation card. He is like a ghost that cannot be exorcized.”

Kensei Yagyu laughed and said, "Maybe his eyes are on the Kujyo fortune. Need my help to finish him off? During the battle, it will be a convenient affair."

Hideki Kujyo hardened his face and said, "I'm counting on you."

"A small convenient matter..." Kensei Yagyu stroked his sparse goatee on his lower chin and said, "I remember... my disciple was defeated by him."

Kensei Yagyu had had three disciples who were vanquished in China. One of them was defeated on the way to Zhao Yao's house to find Nanako. The next one was embroiled in a loan-sharking incident. The last one was remanded by the Chinese government at a supercat auction.

Chapter 570: Stop

"Now is a good opportunity to settle old scores." Kensei Yagyu smiled, "Although my disciples were incompetent, I, as their master, will not forgive their enemy.

After settling matters here, I intend to visit China to test my swordsmanship and at the same time that Chinese guy who defeated my two disciples.

Hideki Kujyo gently nodded and said, "Let me wish you a safe return ahead of time." Compared to Kaede Hattori, who was both highly skilled and immensely influential, Kensei Yagyu was merely highly skilled.

Sometimes, this type of person could be more terrifying than Kaede Hattori. However, this was rare. Mostly they were easier to understand and control.

Kaede Hattori ignored those who approached him to build rapport and found a place to sit down, disregarding the reaction of the guests. He took out his phone and called Mr. Yamada, who was supposed to assist him today.

No matter how many calls he made, no one answered. Kaede Hattori furrowed his brows deeper. "What is happening? Where is Mr. Yamada?"

In order to prevent his secret from being discovered, Zhao Yao had imprisoned Mr. Yamada in the Extradimensional Belly a few days ago. Mr. Yamada was currently cleaning the toilet with Matsuo and Faceless. Kaede Hattori was not aware of all of this.

“Mr. Yamada’s loyalty level is 120. He will not betray me. Something must have happened.” Kaede Hattori immediately informed his subordinates to investigate the whereabouts of Mr. Yamada.

“Could it be the Americans?” Kaede Hattori squinted his eyes.

He felt his body constantly absorb the fearful energy around him. He could sense the continuous extension of the Divine Rays of Terror. Kaede Hattori exuded an aura of absolute control. “This isn’t an issue. With absolute power, any devious plans or trickery are just child’s play. I currently have absolute power.”

After conversing a bit with Japan’s powerful elite, Kaede Hattori could clearly feel that the Divine Rays of Terror were extending at an incredible rate. They were growing so fast that they had reached an inconceivable level of power.

It only took a few small trials for Kaede Hattori to realize the true depth of his power, after which he was deeply astonished.

He could feel it... His abilities had reached a level beyond imagination.

Looking at the crowd in the hall, Kaede Hattori’s gaze was unconsciously scornful. “While all of you are seeking fame and fortune, I have unknowingly completed my metamorphosis. I am slowly ascending to the status of God.”

The wedding banquet proceeded normally. Many celebrities and apostles engaged in small talk and drank. The atmosphere became more lively and festive.

With the arrival of the bride and bridegroom, the atmosphere of the wedding instantly peaked.

Kappei Hattori walked stiffly to the pastor. His eyes revealed a strong sense of terror.

Noticing his expression, Kaede Hattori scoffed, “Act normally or I will burn down your room.”

Hearing these words from his earpiece, Kappei Hattori's head broke out in cold sweat. "F\*ck! I've come so far. For the sake of Misaki Kanda and the rest, I will compromise and sacrifice myself."

Nanako noticed Kappei Hattori's expression and said softly, "What happened to him? Seems like an expression of reluctance."

Sylvie, who was by her side, explained, "Master Kappei must be too nervous. Don't worry my lady. There is nothing to worry about."

Zhao Yao nodded his head and thought, "Looks like Kaede Hattori has already grounded Kappei Hattori. However, with Kappei Hattori's current situation, I cannot allow Nanako to get into this mess."

He glanced at the mission panel. Upon entering the banquet hall, he would receive a mission.

Mission: Stop the wedding!

Mission Objective: How can I let my good friends get lost in this quagmire and do nothing? Stop Kappei Hattori and Nanako's wedding.

Reward: 500 experience points

Punishment: None

"I'm not doing this for the experience points. This is just for me. I cannot stand by and let my good friends jump into this quagmire and do nothing.

So be it. Later when I defeat every target, the mission will definitely be completed. As for the plan of stopping the wedding, I'll move it ahead."

The wedding proceeded as planned. The attending guests presented their wishes to the bride and bridegroom.

When the pastor asked Kappei Hattori whether he was willing to marry his bride, his eyes showed a strong sense of reluctance.

Kaede Hattori immediately cajoled, "What are you doing? Answer quickly! Are you going to disgrace the Hattori clan?"

Kappei Hattori's eyes capitulated. As he was about to say he was willing, his body froze. In the far distance, Zhao Yao's eyes shone with crimson rays. He had complete control of Kappei Hattori.

The manipulated Kappei Hattori opened his mouth and said directly, "No."

Upon hearing his words, the pastor was dumbfounded. The attending guests were outraged.

The manipulated Kappei Hattori rushed forward and kicked the pastor onto the floor. Looking at Nanako, he said, "Sorry Nanako, I cannot go through with this wedding because I do not like women."

Everyone looked at Kappei Hattori with astonishment. Kaede Hattori's forehead was breaking with numerous green veins.

"Kappei Hattori!" Kaede Hattori stood up immediately, glared fiercely at Kappei Hattori and shouted, "Do you know what you are doing?"

"You better sit down!" Kappei Hattori looked at Kaede Hattori and shouted, "What authority do you have to lecture me? You are not the eldest son of the Hattori's family!"

Kaede Hattori was completely taken aback by the reaction. He glared and said, "What are you saying?"

Kappei Hattori shouted, "Because you are not actually my father's son!"

Kaede Hattori replied, "D\*mn!" His body shone with the fierce intensity of the Divine Rays of Terror, causing everyone's body to stiffen and sweat profusely. Before Kaede Hattori could act, Kappei Hattori spoke again.

Kappei Hattori was terrified on the inside, yet his face showed no traces of fear. Kappei Hattori pointed at Kaede Hattori and said, “If you do not believe me, go and ask our mother.”

Zhao Yao relinquished control of Kappei Hattori and he collapsed to the floor. His body was sweating profusely. He wanted to explain.

An older woman, controlled by Zhao Yao, came forward. She was Kappei Hattori’s mother and said, “Kappei Hattori is correct. Kaede, you are not Aoyama’s real son. You are the son of our chauffeur, Wang Sang.

On the day of the huge thunderstorm, there was a blackout. I went looking for Wang Sang to repair the electric circuit board. I went into his room and it was dark. I accidentally tripped into his arms and ...”