

## Apocalypse 571

Chapter 571: Gild Ocean Figure

Ye Zhongming looked carefully at the rewards on the wheel and noticed that he was too happy previously. Out of the mutated lifeform rewards, over ten pieces of equipment weren't items, meaning the Ability Swapper could only be used around 30 times. Apart from the level-one, eight, and nine wheels, even if Cloud Peak got the other rewards, there were only 15. Cloud Peak might not even get ten if other factions got some of them.

Ye Zhongming frowned, as this wasn't the outcome he wanted.

The battle beast equipment would often appear, and their unique items were rare. The problems he missed out on were realized now, and it seemed like he couldn't use it to the best of its effect.

Ye Zhongming called the other faction leaders of China over.

"I want all the mutated lifeform items from the wheel. If you spin it, you can give me a price."

They looked at one another, and although they were unhappy with Ye Zhongming's tone, this was the apocalypse. The strong had the right to do anything they were happy about, much less care about their tone. They only cared about what the price was.

If suitable, this thing could be discussed.

If it were someone else, they wouldn't believe those words. But Ye Zhongming was a very strong smith and proved himself. So many silver pieces of equipment appeared in his hands, and he could say such things.

A silver equipment and an item for beasts. Moreover, these items were primarily for one-time use. If one weren't a fool, one would choose the former.

Thus, things could be discussed.

The people from Ying City Alliance expressed that it was okay, as long as Ye Zhongming needed it, not to mention those beast items; even human rewards could be discussed.

The other people thought about it and felt they weren't losing out. They could even cause Cloud Peak to owe them a favor. Although they didn't agree immediately, they said they would if the price was right.

The only one who didn't express their intentions was the Sky Elephant Division. It wasn't because Guang Yao didn't agree, but because he was afraid of Ye Zhongming and felt like he had a reason for doing things. He didn't want people to use him and become a fool to earn money for others.

But thinking about it, this was Ye Zhongming's skill. If Sky Elephant Division got the item, apart from the function of the item itself, what other ways could he use it?

Guang Yao couldn't think of anything, which was why he didn't agree.

He was frustrated. This feeling of being ditched by people didn't feel good.

Feeling Ye Zhongming's scorching gaze, he nodded. Ye Zhongming slapped his shoulder and caused him to roll his eyes.

“Big Yellow is awake!”

A surprised voice caused Ye Zhongming to turn his sheared. He walked towards a direction, and the people opened a path to reveal the yellow dog resting there and lazily licking its claw.

When it saw its Master, Yellow Ball regained its dog nature and pounced at him. The 4-meter-tall body covered Ye Zhongming, its sharp claw pressed on Ye Zhongming’s shoulder, and its head moved towards Ye Zhongming’s neck. It wagged its huge tail to show its happy mood.

When others saw that, they felt the aura of a king from the dog.

A red crystal on its head gave off a majestic aura. It was similar to that on Ye Zhongming’s head.

Many people were shocked by Ye Zhongming’s suggestion previously, but they understood now. So he wanted them for his pet, no wonder.

A pet that was the same level as the Master, no wonder he was willing to pay so much.

Yellow Ball waking up actually helped to cover Ye Zhongming’s goal.

He slapped Yellow Ball’s muscular body. Ye Zhongming was a little confused by the aura from this fellow.

Logically speaking, a normal level-six mutated lifeform shouldn’t have such an aura. Only level-nine beings should have that aura. Those who could have such an aura were those with noble bloodlines.

For example, things like dragons and phoenixes.

Did Yellow Ball have a hidden noble bloodline?

Ye Zhongming shook his head when he heard that and felt it didn’t make sense. This fellow was a normal dog. Then... Was it because the energy it got to evolve came from things above its level?

This was possible, and this was the only reliable explanation.

Ye Zhongming stopped caring about it as it wasn’t important as long as Yellow Ball was the same.

He told Yellow Ball to behave. When he touched the dog’s head, which was even taller than his, Ye Zhongming knew that Yellow Ball had awakened a new skill-- Gilt Ocean.

This was a metal ability. Yellow Ball could form a gilt liquid around itself to cause a suffocating effect. If you couldn’t break free, you would die.

This Ability was quite good. Along with the skills it had, like Thin Needles, Shadow Forest Stab, and Laser Bullet, Yellow Ball had four skills. For normal mutated lifeforms, this was quite decent.

Unfortunately, Ye Zhongming’s Blood Boiling skill could only be given to level three and below; if not, Yellow Ball would get a fifth.

But today was a day that Yellow Ball got stronger.

Yellow Ball waking up gave him more confidence. He called the core members over and gave a few instructions. Some people moved towards the factions around.

Mo Ye went to the Indian region; Park Xiuying was Korean, so she went to the Korean Region. Someone knew Arabic, so he went to the West Asia Alliance. Some others went to find the other

countries. Their only goal was to tell them they could trade with China if they got the beast items. They could get white to silver equipment or even crystals or other items based on the item's value. This shocked the entire human faction. This only meant one thing. Either he was mad, or he was rich.

In just a white, someone returned. Park Xiuying was first, but her expression wasn't good.

Chapter 572: Attacking the ocean beasts

“What happened, Xiu Ying?”

Liang Chuyin and Teacher Park had a good relationship. The few female core members were very close. When they saw the gentle Park Xiuying looking so frustrated, the influencer was curious about what she faced.

“Those Koreans are being unreasonable.”

Park Xiuying's words made Ye Zhongming annoyed.

He was most afraid of these people who tried to up the price. They knew what you needed and took the chance to extort you. They would rather not get something than allow you to get it.

If possible, Ye Zhongming wouldn't do so openly. But the truth was that Cloud Peak couldn't occupy all the spins, and there would be others who got to spin. They would then be able to spin the items he needed. If such a thing occurred, trading became the only way to get them before the rules allowed them to fight one another.

But if people raised the prices to make you feel bad, there was nothing much you could do about it.

They were purposely finding trouble with Cloud Peak. In the level-two wheel challenge, a Korean evolved won, and when he spun the wheel, he got one of the items. He learned that someone in the China region wanted to purchase it. He smiled in a perverted manner and looked at the Chinese like he was looking at stupid people.

Chinese who often came into contact with other advanced economies would know that look. As China got stronger, it would invest in other countries. Many foreigners felt like the Chinese were fools with a lot of money. Either the people were poor and backward, or they were suddenly rich.

They used their ignorant gazes to show their biases.

The others who went to negotiate all returned, and only a few succeeded. Only a few countries agreed to that request.

Ye Zhongming didn't hesitate. He would take over the challenges if he brought four core teams instead of two.

But there were too few of them, and he couldn't handle the entire situation.

“Don't trade? Force them to.” Ye Zhongming's gaze turned cold, “Snipe those from the countries that rejected us or tried to use a high price to play with us.”

“Bai Feng, Zhao Xingmei, and fellow Ying City brothers join. Cloud Peak owes you a favor for this.”

When they heard Ye Zhongming say that, Ying City Alliance got happy. Cloud Peak's favor was huge. Even Bai Feng, who was slightly unhappy with Cloud Peak, previously agreed and started to arrange for his men to snipe those unfriendly factions.

Cloud peak members might not be enough to occupy all the spins, but it was possible if you included Ying City Alliance.

The other Chinese factions didn't react when they heard that. After all, they were working together. These people were sniping foreigners. Although that increased their difficulty, it didn't affect much.

When the battle upgraded, the level-two wheel challenge ended. The Chinese region was the biggest winner and gained seven of the ten rewards.

But there were only three mutated beast items. Apart from the Blood Boiling Oilment, there was a beast equipment. Although the other was a specific item, it was beast food that allowed a level-two mutated beast a minute of quickness. It wasn't very useful. Ye Zhongming thought about it and still bought it from a Chinese evolved.

Cloud Peak asked around and realized Little Peng's Black Hatred was level three. Ye Zhongming gave it the Basic Blood Boil ability.

Little Peng was happy and became more grateful to Ye Zhongming.

After handing the Blood Boil out, Ye Zhongming obtained the level-two quickness skill. He searched Cloud Peak members and used it on a warrior's pet.

Only then did everyone find out that the boss wanted the equipment. He explained to the core members, and everyone was excited.

This was a great chance. It would give the battle pets over a dozen abilities if things went smoothly. This was a huge increase in strength.

So when the level three wheel challenge began, Cloud Peak was very passionate.

Ye Zhongming knew that he had to raise their strength to gain items and protect his subordinates. So when the number of challengers was decided, he told Xia Bai to protect himself and started to craft more equipment.

In the center city battle, the entire Ying City Alliance gained many materials when Ye Zhongming disappeared. The strength of the Violent Lightning Turret and crystal weapons were on full display.

When he crafted equipment at first, he mostly used materials from other factions. This time, he used Cloud Peak's equipment.

He crafted more of them, and they were of higher quality. Moreover, Ye Zhongming also gained many good things from the ocean giant.

He estimated the time he would have to attack and then considered his mental energy. After settling on a balance, he started to craft the equipment.

He did this to obtain more mutated lifeform items and because he felt this challenge wasn't too simple. That Ocean King Crown wouldn't be so easy to obtain.

Ultimately, this sense of danger made Ye Zhongming take the risk of running out of mental energy to craft equipment on the spot.

Ye Zhongming focused on crafting equipment, but there was a surprise on the third wheel.

Three level-nine beasts appeared, and they were chosen as challengers.

China sent five five-star evolved, and the other humans sent seven five-star evolved.

But no six-star evolved entered.

Apart from Xia Bai, six-star evolved was the highest level for humans. These humans would often wait until the level five or six wheels appeared, which would increase their profits.

But they forgot that there were a few hundred thousand ocean beasts. There were many level-six beasts. The ocean beasts didn't get anything during the first two wheels, so they decided to try hard on this.

Moreover, there were over 40 level-five beasts apart from the three level-six beasts!

The humans looked at one another. The two victories made them forget how terrifying the beast wave was. But at that moment, the ocean beasts showed their fangs.

The expressions of the humans who were prepared for the level-three wheel turned bad.

Chapter 573: Equipped Influencer

The survivors who were happy due to the first two wheels were silent now.

They finally recalled why they were here and how the ocean beasts were here, too.

The beasts that nearly killed them weren't weak; it was just that they hadn't attacked.

They didn't have money the first two times; it wasn't that they didn't want to earn money but because there were too few...

Over 5000 humans entered the level-three wheel challenge.

These were all money to the ocean beasts.

The ocean beasts going all out was just a start. That Pliosaurus said something. It gave a low voice. A moment later, many independent ocean beast formations entered its camp. As more joined, it started a ripple effect.

The ocean beasts were previously split up. Apart from being from different regions, it was because the wheel forbade them from fighting each other. These ocean beasts didn't have to worry about the pressure from this only level-eight mutated lifeform.

But when many same-level opponents chose to yield to it, their previous thoughts wavered.

This wasn't a good news for the humans. When the beasts were split, they could use the chaos to do some things. But if they worked together, things became very complicated.

When one looked at the cold eyes of the level-eight lifeform, one knew that it was not dumber than any human.

Over 30 thousand ocean beasts participated in this challenge.

Even Cloud Peak members got nervous as this time, Liang Chuyin was sent. Apart from that, there were 30 core squad evolveds.

As long as the Ocean King Wheel gave you a number, you had to go up! But there were level-six ocean beasts and 40 level-five ones. There was a high chance of bumping into them, which was dangerous.

Even after going through many dangerous and weird wheels, none of the Cloud Peak core members have died. This was a solo battle, and no one could help. What if anything happened? Liang Chuyin joined the boss at the earliest time, and if anything happened to her, would the boss go crazy?

But when they looked at the green Thousand Leaf Phosphor Armor on her body and the silver whip, that worry was reduced by a little. As long as she avoided the three level-six beasts, she shouldn't be in much danger, right?

The ocean beasts shocked Ye Zhongming from his crafting craze. He tossed a few pieces of equipment and took a look. He then told the Cloud Peak members to wait.

Wait what? Naturally, the equipment!

Ye Zhongming couldn't help them fight but tried his best to keep them safe.

The weapons and equipment were given to Cloud Peak's core members first.

Now that the ocean beasts were striking, Ye Zhongming had to go further.

He equipped his men to the toe!

Other smiths might not be able to do so, but he could.

He had a strong smith job and also had strong mental energy. The materials in his hands could be stacked into a mountain.

What was more scary was that he had Ghost Metal and Drill Ocean Metal.

These two things ensured that if he went all out, the things he crafted would be precious.

Honestly, the equipment he crafted previously was rough. He played small tricks and paid more attention to their grades than their practical use.

He had no choice. Survivors cared more about the light the equipment gave off than whether they were suitable like one would in his last life.

To fit such a mentality, he used high-level materials and enchanted them to increase the level of the equipment. He crafted many such pieces of equipment.

But things were different now. Liang Chuyin and his men were in danger, so he went out to craft strong equipment. He didn't even care about the number of Ghost Metal and Drill Ocean Metal he used.

He could get more of them, but if he lost lives, he would never get them back.

He called those who were about to battle to his side and asked them about the skills, jobs, and weapons that they were used to. He then selected materials for them. After thinking, he enchanted the materials and then used them on blueprints. He would also add Drill Ocean Metal to increase their stats and abilities.

This needed time. It took dozens longer to craft an equipment, so when half an hour passed, he could only complete equipment for ten.

He told them to fight first, and he continued crafting. He spent another hour before he was satisfied with the equipment of his core members.

Next was Liang Chuyin.

As there were many humans and beasts, two hours passed, and only 13 people obtained the right to spin. The first person might not face many strong opponents, but they face a low probability of getting something.

But as the battle proceeded, more lifeforms were willing to battle, and it got more intense.

“My equipment is good enough; there is no need.” Liang Chuyin pitied him after seeing him work for two hours, and he consumed so much mental energy that his face was slightly white.

Although her dream of sending herself to his bed or getting him on hers didn't come through, she still loved him. In the apocalypse, where one might die at any moment, Ye Zhongming was happy when he saw her passionate eyes.

All the guys liked girls who liked them.

Ye Zhongming was such a person., Moreover, he did like the influencer, who was very direct and passionate.

He ignored her thoughts and started to craft.

The first was a skirt.

She had her personality and loved to wear skirts or short pants. Her long legs charmed many survivors. Ye Zhongming followed her wishes and made such a piece of equipment.

Moreover, he added Ghost Metal.

The other core squad warriors had Drill Ocean Metal, but she was different.

Thus, a silver skirt was formed.

Second was a necklace. He still added ghost metal, and it was also silver.

The third was a bracelet.

The fourth was an eye mask that hung on her ears. When she wore it, it looked like one tattooed an exquisite pattern around their eyes.

Ye Zhongming handed her a silver pistol. In it were five silver bullets.

Six silver, one green. The amount of equipment on her was second only to Ye Zhongming in Cloud Peak.

Chapter 574: Famous after one battle

When Liang Chuyin appeared with her luxurious gear, many people's eyes turned red.

Was that a green armor?

The Thousand Leaf Phosphor Armor gave off a gentle light. The female armor showed off her exquisite body. She was curvy in the right areas, and after a year in the apocalypse, she looked more full.

This was different from Xia Lei's curves; these were curves that a teen had.

Picky guys couldn't find anything wrong with her body.

Moreover, her face was beautiful.

Many guys who saw her said privately that she was the type of woman that you wanted to sleep with the moment you saw her.

To people who paid attention to influencers during peacetime, this face was a free pass. Such a person would stand out in a group.

In the time that Ye Zhongming went missing, although there were people who tried to get close to try to conquer her and get into Cloud Peak, but that was just the minority. After all, Xia Lei was Ye Zhongming's key person. Before he died, those who eyed Xia Lei didn't dare to make a move.

But Liang Chuyin was different. She was famous. Her looks were as good as Xia Lei's, and both had their strengths. She was younger and more youthful. Some rumors spread that she was also a virgin.

The more important point was that although there were rumors that Liang Chuyin liked Ye Zhongming, it didn't affect things. At least Ye Zhongming hadn't admitted it before. So many people stopped worrying, and they dared to chase her.

Anyways, her relationship with Ye Zhongming wasn't confirmed. Even if that guy said something, they could say that they had no idea to show their innocence.

Regarding people chasing her, Liang Chuyin had the most in Cloud Peak.

Slowly, her hot temper was shown. Those who dared to disturb her more than twice were beaten up. Those unlucky ones were made handicapped.

This caused people to stop, but those who were strong didn't. Such a situation was only ended when Ye Zhongming reappeared.

One had to say that Liang Chuyin was single, and before she announced that she wasn't, many people thought about her. Many of those people were in the Ying City Alliance army. Those who wanted to chase her were at least four-star. Such people were elites in Ying City.

But when Liang Chuyin appeared, their thoughts disappeared.

It wasn't for any other reason but because they noticed two things that told them they had no chance.

First was that Liang Chuyin was very strong. Probably only Zhao Xingmei and Bai Feng could battle her. As for winning... Ying City members had higher hopes for Liang Chuyin.

Such a person who could be ranked first in Ying City, would she like someone weaker than her? In this cold apocalypse, the answer was no!

Maybe some guys still thought that man ruled the world, but after seeing her equipment, they were filled with despair.



Were they worth money? Yes, they were. The top person in Ying City, Zhao Xingmei, was rich and had a piece of green equipment. But she only had two pieces of silver equipment. Ye Zhongming also gave her this in return for her loyalty.

But what about Liang Chuyin? She had six!

How did she get those six? Even a fool knew that it was from Ye Zhongming.

How did he look? He might not be the most handsome, but his features were clean, and he gave off a strong aura. It was enough to fill him with a manly charm.

They weren't as strong, and the competitor was strong and rich. The influencer's eyes were dripping water when she looked at him, so how would others be confident of winning her heart over?

Of course, they were in despair.

Ye Zhongming just wanted to protect her, but his actions made those who were interested in her destroy those thoughts.

It wasn't that they were incapable but because their opponents were too strong!

The person Liang Chuyin challenged was a Japanese. This five-star evolved guy was quite strong and killed a same-level ocean beast, which scared off many challengers.

When he thought that he could spin, Liang Chuyin appeared.

This was her own choice. Even if Ye Zhongming had told her to be careful, she hadn't forgotten that the guy she loved had told everyone to snipe the Japanese.

She didn't care about safety; she just wanted to protect her guy's dignity.

The Japanese said a bunch, but she understood nothing. She used this time to think about the abilities that Ye Zhongming mentioned. After memorizing them, she attacked.

The silver pendant shook on her wrist. Two clones appeared around her.

Her whip moved on the floor, and whip shadows appeared.

"Hail Rain!"

The whip used its active skill. One person, two shadows, and three whips appeared. The hail twice the size before rose and covered the Japanese.

The Japanese shouted and slashed its samurai blade. A bright circle appeared around him, and the circle protected his body in the middle.

He smiled as if he was going to give his winning speech.

"Dumb!"

Liang Chuyin burst out laughing. She whipped and used Dancing Shadows.

Whip shadows were like many snakes. Along with one of the abilities of the silver bracelet, Half Strike Clone, which could summon a clone that could use half the strength of the main body to support her attack, the Japanese were instantly covered.

The Japanese overestimated his defense and underestimated her attack. He only lasted five seconds under this skill before the whip shadows ripped her into pieces, and he ended up like Pang Cheng.

The battle ended after just half a minute?

Many people couldn't believe their eyes. It was an opponent who had killed a level-five ocean beast! He was killed just like that?

The moment the core member of Cloud Peak appeared, she shocked everyone.

She became famous in Asia after this fight!

Chapter 575: Cold Winter Ice River

Relatively speaking, there were much fewer female survivors than guys. After all, at the most challenging part of the apocalypse, guys who had better bodies had the advantage.

Of those females that survived, there were much fewer beautiful people. Each person was used to the unlawful world and attempted to be conquered daily.

Such discrimination would only lower when they reached seven stars or above. At nine stars, only then will gender be ignored. Even ten years later, there weren't many nine stars evolved, much less female nine stars evolved.

When Liang Chuyin won so quickly, while her strength was recognized, the people from other regions looked at her with complicated expressions.

They didn't know about Ye Zhongming. Even if they did, they wouldn't care.

The world was huge, and so was Asia. They might not even have the chance to meet him after they leave. They wouldn't give up that chance as long as they could have a night with this woman.

Sometimes, strength was shown not only through killing high-level mutated lifeforms, but it could also be shown by conquering strong women.

Liang Chuyin's image and strength fit the ideal type of any guy.

Liang Chuyin ignored the body parts opposite her and kept her whip. Psychologically weak people would be trained after spending a year in the apocalypse.

She looked at the humans that were staring at her and blinked. She did a kissing action towards Ye Zhongming, drawing a bunch of noise.

Ye Zhongming didn't know whether to laugh or cry. This brat always attracted attention.

Liang Chuyin thought far more than Ye Zhongming. Not only was she showing her heart, she was also thanking him in public.

She was the first person to show loyalty to him and also the extremely loyal one. She knew who gave her everything she had.

For example, if Ye Zhongming hadn't crafted so many pieces of equipment on the spot, she might have won the Japanese, but it wouldn't have been so simple.

If she was not careful, she might even lose her life.

Don't underestimate anyone in the apocalypse. Not only did you have luck and fortuitous encounters, others did too. They might be even luckier than you.

Liang Chuyin's victory silenced everyone, and a level-five ocean beast appeared on the field.

Golden light left her body. She noticed her stamina and mental energy were recovered, and even her skill and equipment cooldown was reset.

The Ocean King Wheel was so amazing.

Liang Chuyin did a provocative action when she saw a new opponent. She tossed several special crystals on the ground.

Those crystals were from the heads of the humans who failed the challenge. They were the money of the ocean beasts. What she did was fitting her spicy personality.

The ocean beast looked at the money and got impulsive. It charged towards her.

“The brat is much more mature.” Ye Zhongming gave her a rare praise when he saw her actions.

Mo Ye nodded, “Under the pressure of death, everyone will mature quickly.”

A simple two sentences drew the agreement of many. At the same time, it drew out their desires to live.

Liang Chuyin didn't feel as stable as Mo Ye when she fought. As long as she moved, it was filled with strength and beauty.

She used her clone and used Dancing Shadows. She used Hail Rain. She used the same tactic on the Japanese.

The outcome was the same. The level-five ocean beast that thought it was strong could not escape the Hail Rain. It took the attacks of the clones. Its defense was strong, but it couldn't block it all.

It was even shorter than the previous battle. Liang Chuyin won again.

This time, the humans in Asia were impressed. This woman was strong.

Seeing no movement, she turned around. She knew that her strength had threatened all the evolved, and no challengers would appear.

But before she turned, the ground shook.

The humans all sucked in a deep breath.

One of the three level-six ocean beasts appeared.

Ye Zhongming looked at this beast and turned to craft for the next person. It looked as if he didn't care at all.

But many people reacted. This wasn't the case; if not, he wouldn't give them so many pieces of equipment. This was trust!

Ye Zhongming knew she would win; there was no need to see.

Liang Chuyin saw his actions and smiled. In the next second, she struck first.

The level six ocean beast was a red mutated sea lion. It looked very different from normal sea lions but was still strong. It seemed to be the leader of the three ocean beasts.

But Liang Chuyin didn't care. After the golden light healed her, she ended this quickly.

Even Ye Zhongming wouldn't dare to think about quickly ending the battle against someone a level above. But she did.

She held her whip and charged at the level-six mutated sealion a dozen times bigger than her.

Mutated lifeforms from the ocean were cold-blooded. It didn't hold back. It moved the legs of its soft-looking body, and a water mist appeared before it. The mist started to spread towards Liang Chuyin. It was quick, and facing the charging Liang Chuyin, they clashed in a blink of an eye.

The six strands of beard on its mouth floated in the air. It swung them around, and they grew longer, turning into six spears that stabbed toward her body.

The aura of a level-six lifeform wasn't something a level-five could compare to. The sea lion used its combo immediately.

Many people closed their eyes as such mutated sea lions attacked the city previously. This mist was known as the Cold Winter Ice River. If one touched it, your movement would be affected even if you didn't freeze. The six sharp beards would stab into the target's body.

Both sides would definitely clash based on the speed at which it spread and Liang Chuyin's charging speed.

The ending was set; she would definitely die!

Chapter 576: Is this a performance?

The moment Liang Chuyin touched the Cold Winter Ice River and everyone thought that she would die, her body dashed through.

This sudden change scared many people. They didn't know what had happened, but they quickly realized that her body was in mid-air and she was around the height of the sea lion's head.

“Energy Charge!”

This was one of the Silver Boot's skills. It allowed the user to jump to a height and ignore all statuses.

The skill was simple, but the ignore status point was too strong. Even Ye Zhongming was shocked when he crafted it.

Jumping a certain distance didn't seem useful, but when you face negative statuses like slow, freeze, etc, this skill would give you a chance to break free. At a crucial moment, it could keep you alive.

For example, this Cold Winter Ice River. Even if Liang Chuyin was frozen, she could use this skill and break free from the ice mist.

Six strands of hair brushed the bottom of her feet.

Many people who took in a deep breath heaved a sigh of relief.

Too dangerous; if she were a little slower, her body would have six holes.

But...

The moment the six stands missed, it swirled and started to lengthen. It changed its direction and stabbed towards Liang Chuyin. Cold Winter Ice River surged upwards.

It looked like a giant mattress waiting for Liang Chuyin to fall onto.

The red skin of the mutated sea lion squirmed when it saw this human break free from its attacks. Black holes appeared in some areas. In the next second, dozens of 20 cm things shot from those holes and flew towards Liang Chuyin.

Many people looked carefully and saw that there were ten unknown mutated lifeforms. They looked like parasites on their bodies, and now they became its ability.

These weren't important. The important thing was that these small parasite bugs that were extremely quick were all level-four mutated lifeforms!

At other times, Liang Chuyin might be able to deal with these fellows, just that she had to spend some energy. But now that she was in mid-air, there was even the Cold Winter Ice River and six strands of beard below her.

In front of her were a dozen level-four mutated lifeforms. With these three attacks, she was in a desperate situation.

Even if she dodged the first time, she couldn't dodge the second.

Unfortunately, no one could see her face. If people could, they would notice that her expression didn't change.

She attacked under all this calmness.

She used the pendant's ability-- Half Strike Clone! Two clones with half the strength of the main body appeared beside her. They swung the whip, and three ice-element Dragon Tornadoes wrapped the dozen level-four parasites inside.

This was one of the whip's main abilities- Ice Dragon Tornado.

People were worried that Liang Chuyin would fall into the Cold Winter Ice River and the six strands of beard, but Liang Chuyin used the momentum to glide in the air.

This was one of Thousand Leaf Phosphor Armor's skill-- Fish Armor Absorption!

Although this ability consumed mental energy and had a ten-hour cooldown, it could cause the scales to spread, allowing the user to glide in the air.

Relying on this, the influencer glided past the dozen parasites controlled by the tornado and got close to the mutated sea lion.

An exquisite silver pistol appeared in her hands, and she used one hand to aim it at the opponent.

At the same time, the silver eyeshade shot out a light that landed on the silver pistol before disappearing.

She tossed the whip into the air, and a whip shadow that was several times bigger appeared and smacked down onto the level-six ocean beast.

Everyone saw that there was not only one whip. Another one appeared behind the mutated sea lion, and the attack was the same as the one that Liang Chuyin controlled.

Moreover!

There was a silver gun beside the whip!

“Peng!” “Peng!”

There were two gunshots. The silver pistol, along with silver bullets, hit the sea lion right away.

The sea lion that was about to use another skill shook. Its giant body started to shake as the two guns dealt huge damage.

The two giant whips landed and hit its body.

It was very crisp, and the effect was very eye-catching.

The level-six lifeform’s head was shattered, and the mutated sea lion’s body fell to the ground.

Cold Winter Ice River disappeared, and the six stands fell to the ground. The battle ended with everyone having their mouths agape.

Liang Chuyin used three skills.

One was the silver eyeshade’s attack replication that could replicate one non-job skill.

The second silver pistol behind the sea lion was an instantiation of that ability.

The second was her borrowing the battle contribution badge’s ability. She borrowed Ye Zhongming’s Space Stack. Using it at such a distance meant the target couldn’t react.

The last ability was the new job skill she used to kill Pang Cheng-- Void Strike.

Along with Ice Dragon Tornado, Fish Armor Absorption, Half Strike Clone, and Energy Charge. She used eight abilities in this short battle. Not only did she kill a strong ocean beast above her level, but she also made all the Asians speechless.

How strong was she? This woman won in such a short time? It felt like she just charged, jumped, attacked, and then... It ended.

This Chinese woman could beat someone a level higher so easily?

Many people couldn’t help but look at her luxurious equipment. They also looked towards her faction, and their hearts jumped.

This faction was so strong? Anyone they sent could kill a level six lifeform. Should they avoid them in the challenge?

Liang Chuyin turned around to spin the wheel as no one dared to challenge her.

She placed the crystal in and spun the wheel. The first spin was a failure.

Her face turned black. She always felt that she was lucky.

She bit her teeth and spun again.

When the needle stopped, she giggled.

Chapter 577: Soul Healing Technique

Liang Chuyin smiled because she asked Ye Zhongming before starting which item he wanted the most on the third wheel. It was something called Intermediate Grade Soul Healing Essence.

This was a medicine used to heal external injuries of mutated lifeforms. It was useful for mutated lifeforms up to level six as it was intermediate grade.

Ye Zhongming wanted to see if he could extract its healing ability. If possible, he would use it on Yellow Ball.

His thought was that he would give Yellow Ball as many abilities as it could take. His dog had to be the strongest.

Liang Chuyin confidently said that she would get it for him. Although both knew it was just a joke and were told to make everyone relax, she wanted to get the item for Ye Zhongming.

She couldn't pay for all the help that Ye Zhongming had given her. She would use her body to pay him in full.

But she wanted to help him, even if the matter was small.

When he got this bottle of Soul Healing Essence, she was as happy as a kid. She held the bottle and pranced towards Ye Zhongming, giving the treasure to the man she loved.

Ye Zhongming smiled and knew that she did so on purpose. But he didn't feel annoyed and instead felt very relaxed.

To an experienced person in the apocalypse, he was able to find out if one's feelings were real or not. He knew that Liang Chuyin was happy.

After getting the potion, he didn't hold back and used the extraction ability.

As expected, he received the temporary ability, the Soul Healing Technique, that could heal external injuries of mutated lifeforms. There weren't enough uses, but it would consume stamina. The effect of the healing would also reduce as the level increased.

This healing could be used on a level-six lifeform at most. After becoming a skill, it didn't have that restriction, but the effect was reduced based on the level.

But this made sense. If a skill extracted from a potion could ignore one's level, that would be a bug.

Since he could use it on Yellow Ball, Ye Zhongming didn't waste time and immediately handed it over to his pet.

A light shone on Yellow Ball's body, and it learned the skill. At this point, this dog had five skills.

Yellow Ball sensed it had one more ability and knew it was from its Master. It danced around Ye Zhongming and wanted to lick him, but Ye Zhongming solemnly objected.

What a joke. If this fellow licked him, his skin, close to seven-star evolved, would turn red and be covered in saliva.

Liang Chuyin's victory calmed many from Cloud Peak, but the challenge continued.

Bai Feng challenged this wheel, which surprised many, including Ye Zhongming. After all, he was a five-star evolved, so he should have chosen the level-four and five wheels. That would be fitting of his evolution level.

But he did this.

Only Zhao Xingmei could guess his motive.

Baifeng's battle was more challenging than Liang Chuyin's. His strength was not lower, and he was even stronger than Liang Chuyin because of Renxing Battle Squad's support.

But Liang Chuyin was from Cloud Peak, and Ye Zhongming took special care of her. With such an overpowered boss, she had many good things on her. When one summed all the elements, she was stronger than him.

Was it unfair? No, it was fair. The apocalypse was like that. No matter what you did, it was all fair as long as you had strength. As for whether that strength came from equipment or something else, unless you were a public enemy like Soul Merchant; if not, no one would care about it.

Bai Feng couldn't last three challenges if not for the golden light that healed one up.

Fortunately, it was simple, and he was lucky. Those two level-six beasts didn't appear, so he survived. Moreover, he was lucky and got two items. One was an item for humans, and the other was a mutated lifeform item.

Bai Feng hesitated before walking to Ye Zhongming.

Ye Zhongming placed the half-formed equipment and looked at him.

This was the first time Bai Feng came to find him.

“This thing, here...” Bai Feng was naturally here to mend his relationship with Ye Zhongming. He felt like this was a chance. But he paused when he handed the item over and wanted to say that this was for him. If he said he gave him the item, would Ye Zhongming think too much? Cloud Peak doesn't lack this equipment now.

He stopped talking and gave Ye Zhongming a decision-making opportunity.

Ye Zhongming knew that Bai Feng was expressing his attitude in front of everyone. He looked at Bai Feng and nodded. At the same time, he asked, “What do you want?”

Bai Feng's eyes flashed with joy. He thought, “If there is a chance, can Boss Ye make me an arm?”

He raised his mechanic arm.

Ye Zhongming smiled and understood.

Bei Feng wasn't a simple person. This request didn't look like much. After all, his arm was white grade, and it was good. But he wanted one that Ye Zhongming made; why?

Ye Zhongming knew where his current arm came from. It was from Soul Merchant. He wanted a new one to express that he was drawing a line with Soul Merchant. Moreover, to say this in front of many people meant that he was determined to join their faction.

As expected, this person who was once at the top of Ying City had his skills.

“Okay.” Ye Zhongming nodded, and his attitude wasn't warm, but Bai Feng finally heaved a sigh of relief.

He knew that Ye Zhongming had accepted him again.

Zhao Xingmei was right, but at the same time, she was wary. She had to keep her position at the top of Ying City to keep up with Cloud Peak and get more benefits.

Ye Zhongming looked at what Bai Feng gave. He lowered his head and had a slight, unnoticeable smile.



Not bad.

The item in his hand was squirming... White Sac!

Chapter 578: Level 100 thousand battle

“Thread Spitting Sac!”

When he saw this name, Ye Zhongming thought it was a piece of equipment. But after reading the detailed introduction, he knew this was a one-time-use item.

Thread Spitting Sac was similar to the fake eye previously, but this sac was to be eaten.

It sounded disgusting and terrifying, but the function was quite good. After eating it, you could form a sac in your stomach and provide a toxin attack for mutated lifeforms. When the poisonous liquid was used, the sac would disappear, and the remnant parts would be excreted from the body.

The amount of poison per attack would depend on the lifeform’s control.

This was the first time Ye Zhongming saw such a thing. He had never heard of such a thing before. After extracting this, he didn’t know what he would get as it was not a normal potion.

He activated the skill and obtained a new temporary skill-- Thread Spitting Sac.

The ability was similar, just that it was permanent. This meant that the poison used up could be produced after getting this ability. It only needed some time.

He looked at Yellow Ball’s expectant gaze and knew that this fellow, who was getting more intelligent, was thinking about getting one more ability. Unfortunately, it couldn’t use this.

Ye Zhongming removed the Demon Nurturing Bee Nest and released the Needle Bird King, which had reached level five.

This ability had restrictions, and it was only suitable for flying-type lifeforms.

He controlled the Needle Bird King to eat the sac, realizing it became uneasy. It flew around his head, and its wings flapped vigorously. It would also give out an ear-piercing screech.

Ye Zhongming knew it was because the sac was growing in its body, which was very painful.

Fortunately, this process wasn’t long and lasted a few minutes before it calmed down and floated in the air.

It opened its mouth a moment later and spat a green thread-shaped liquid. It buzzed when it hit the ground, showing its strong, poisonous nature.

At the same time, Ye Zhongming realized a problem. The Needle Bird King’s blue crystal showed red dots. Its evolution level was increasing after it gained this ability.

He thought that level five was the maximum due to the nests’ restrictions. But now it seemed like there were other methods to raise these fellow’s strength.

He kept the nest and saw that the challenge was reaching its end. As the rewards on the wheel were reduced, the number of challengers would increase.

After a few rounds of intense battles, the level-three wheel challenge ended and sank to the ground. What replaced it was that circular crystal ball, and three black stars were on it.

Many people had questions about this thing. They wondered if they were like dragon balls and if one could use them to make a wish.

But Ye Zhongming felt this thing affected who the Ocean King Crown would belong to.

As for the exact use, they would have to wait until the challenge ended before they knew the answer.

The sky had turned dark, but the island was very bright. This light was weird as no one knew where the source came from. They could only attribute it to the mysterious ability of the wheel.

The level four wheel challenge began in anticipation and panic.

The highest human evolved was only seven stars. Unless one killed enough level-seven ocean beasts; if not, there was no need to join those wheels level-seven and above. As for the level-six wheel, not many people had the right to join due to the crystal restrictions.

Under such a situation, the level four and five wheels were the most intensely contested. Not only would the humans crazily challenge, but most of the ocean beasts would also join in.

Moreover, many humans were worried. There were already level-six ocean beasts on the third wheel. There would be more of such beasts for the level-four wheel. As for the level-five wheel, there will be level-seven ocean beasts.

The difficulty would continue to increase. After all, to the humans, only the leaders of various regions could challenge a level-seven beast alone. That number wouldn't be more than ten.

The level-four wheel was probably their last chance if they wanted to get something good.

Thus, the number of humans reached a shocking number. Twenty thousand of them stood up. The humans' actions affected the ocean beasts, too. When the Ocean King Wheel started marking them, the humans knew that over 70 thousand chose to fight.

Both sides added up to over 100 thousand!

Not to mention the current humans, even Ye Zhongming had only seen such a huge battle a few times in his last life.

The level-four wheel challenge would last a long time.

It might even last through the night.

But the Ocean King Wheel had anticipated this situation, and there was a new notification. All the lifeforms could choose a few challenge zones and then join and complete the challenge in their zones.

This was another battle of luck.

This choice was concurrent, and each lifeform had only three seconds. No one had a chance to observe or select a weaker region to avoid the two level-seven beasts in this round.

Right, there were level-seven ocean beasts in the level-four wheel challenge.

Everyone knew that this would be a tough battle. The rewards on this wheel were better than the normal wheels outside, so the things on it were what five and six-star evolved wanted.

One had to challenge to get it, meaning one had to take risks.

Everyone hoped that their chosen region didn't have a level-seven ocean beast.

One hundred thousand people chose their regions in three seconds and were quickly shifted to their battlefields. They looked at each other and saw that the number of people in each region was quite balanced. But some people were happy, and some were sad.

The two level-seven beasts affected their emotions.

Ye Zhongming still didn't participate, and neither did Xia Bai. Mo Ye stayed, too. Park Xiuying and Shengyuan didn't join, but the other core members headed in. They would focus on the level four and five wheels.

But everyone, including Ye Zhongming, was solemn as many core members were in the same group as the level-seven ocean beasts!

Many people could see the horns of death playing...

Chapter 579: Purple weapon exposed

Ye Zhongming looked at his subordinates, who were with the level-seven beast, before looking away. He looked at the ocean beast formation and was counting something.

Level seven was very strong. Apart from Xia Bai and himself, no one in Cloud Peak would be confident of beating one.

But that was not absolute. The wheel allowed others to affect the situation to a certain extent.

When the challenger began the challenge, they would enter a closed space, but before that, they could discuss and communicate with others.

This gave Ye Zhongming time to perform. He just needed his core members to avoid fighting simultaneously, and then he could take care of them separately.

He was considering other things. He felt that the pearls that appeared after the challenge ended were very weird. The real danger, or the real value, came from these pearls.

Ye Zhongming was filled with questions, and the level-four wheel challenge officially started.

The four regions started at the same time.

The difference from the previous few wheels was that many evolved participated, but there were still only 50 spins. The competition was several times more intense than before. Many people weren't willing to participate in the previous three rounds and hoped others could use the white spots on the wheel.

But it was different now. They were under the pressure of the ocean beasts, be it numbers or strength; there was also the uncertainty of the split in regions, which made many of them choose to challenge immediately.

Anyways, spinning the wheel depended on luck and probability. However, there was still a limited number of times. Joining late would mean you had a higher success rate, but the opponents you faced were stronger. It was better to gamble first. If you were very lucky, it made no difference.

Many people had such thoughts, so the challenge became very intense.

The first to face a problem was Little Tiger.

The first challenge in his region was still going on even after close to an hour. Over three digits of humans and ocean beasts participated. Just from the shining demon crystals and equipment, it was enough for both sides to throw more lives in.

Little Tiger was attracted by these demon crystals, which was why he joined in for the first battle.

Of course, although he was direct, he wasn't stupid. He waited to the end before he attacked. When he saw a level-six ocean beast being the winner of five battles, he chose to enter. As long as he won, he had to fight only one battle.

It was sudden; Ye Zhongming couldn't craft much equipment for him, but he could hand him the crystal energy gun.

This was a huge risk.

Why would humans take a risk even though they knew there were level six and even level seven mutated lifeforms?

It was because of the rewards on the wheel. After all, compared to the ordinary wheels, the rewards here were one or even two levels better. It was very worth it.

For the Chinese region, another reason was that the mutated lifeform items could be traded with Cloud Peak for great items. Those were things that you couldn't get normally.

Now, when the number of challengers increased, everyone noticed that if you won, you would get the chance to spin the wheel and even pick the corpses.

When one battle ended, one side would die. You could get its demon crystal and materials if the ocean beast died. If the humans died, then you would be even richer. You could get all of his assets. When space equipment was rare, survivors often carried all they had.

People who lived until now had many good things. Their equipment alone was worth money.

If such a challenge lasted many rounds, the things would stack. As long as you won, you would get rich overnight.

So there was this weird phenomenon. Only people with the same strength would appear during the first three wheels. Many people would give up on fighting as they weren't confident.

But things were different now. If there were many rounds and the number of dead increased, people were willing to take the risk to fight battles they weren't confident in winning.

After all, the winner's skills were exposed so you could deal with them more easily.

After the challenge started, those who used their real strength to scare off others were still safe. There wasn't much riches, so it wouldn't tempt many yet.

But if the number of rounds increased and there were more spoils, it would snowball. Even a calm person would start to weigh between waiting for the next challenger or starting immediately.

The greed from a year in the apocalypse often pushed them to challenge immediately.

Little Tiger couldn't resist that temptation. He still challenged a level-six ocean beast even if he knew it was dangerous.

The silver blade, along with his job, was very strong. He also had a silver set of Thousand Leaf Phosphor Armor. Ye Zhongming gave him silver battle pants, which meant his attack and defense were strong.

But this level six ocean beast was a mutated spotted turtle with a strong defense. After he used Ordinary Man Slash, it only left a white mark on its shell, which made Little Tiger suspect that he was using the wrong equipment.

Moreover, its attack wasn't weak either. Its explosive speed and attacks differed from the slow turtles that humans used to.

Little Tiger saw that he couldn't do much to the opponent, so he fired the crystal energy gun.

A purple weapon could even hurt a level nine lifeform, much less level six. Even if this level six lifeform's defense was strong. Little Tiger spent the crystals, and after 15 shots, he shattered its defense and killed this fellow.

Little Tiger never knew how to be low profile. After taking the gun out, he didn't hide its glow but showed it off. The purple weapon was revealed to everyone.

A huge uproar swept the humans, and many were shocked by that beautiful purple color! The Ying City survivors knew, but the other Asian regions didn't know about its existence.

This was a piece of purple equipment, something they had never seen before. When everyone was still fighting for white gear, someone already had purple.

White, silver, green, blue, gold. These were colors that humans had confirmed. They weren't sure what was after those. Was it purple?

Such a scene caused Guang Yao, who was already shocked by Ye Zhongming's strong crafting skills, to open his mouth wide.

Purple?

The glow in many people's eyes grew brighter.

The problem mentioned had arrived. Many people realized a problem.

If they killed this arrogant kid, they could get a purple weapon!

Chapter 580: Little Tiger's real goal

The rules of the wheel gave Ye Zhongming and Cloud Peak room to perform and gave others room.

Many were tempted and planning to move when they saw Little Tiger's purple weapon.

Everyone felt that this was a good chance.

Many people saw Cloud Peak's strength and witnessed Xia Bai's strength.

Usually, they wouldn't offend them even if they knew they had a piece of purple equipment.

Purple equipment was good, but they would not only get killed but also be unable to steal the weapon. So, Ying City members dared not do anything even if they knew that Ye Zhongming got it from the Poppy Wheel. They might have had some thoughts previously, but after Ye Zhongming returned, they were gone.

But the current situation was special. This was the Ocean King Wheel challenge. Apart from entering the challenge, others weren't allowed to fight. That golden bridge would probably send everyone back to where they came from when all challenges ended.

This meant that as long as they killed Little Tiger and got the weapon, they could do nothing.

People in the same region were already tempted. Those who felt like they were the same level as him couldn't hide the desire in their eyes.

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Various voices rang on the battlefield. Even if you didn't understand, you would know that the country leaders were giving their subordinates orders. They were definitely to kill Little Tiger to get the weapon.

“What is that fool doing?”

Park Xiuying was furious. She wasn't blaming him for being arrogant but was blaming him for putting himself in danger.

The beautiful teacher did see many high-level experts from other regions.

Also, those ocean beasts weren't simple. They became uneasy when they saw the purple equipment.

More importantly, Little Tiger was in a region with a level seven ocean beast.

What if it drew the level-seven beast?

Ye Zhongming frowned. He started to notice this after Little Tiger fired the gun. His thoughts were more complicated than Park Xiuying. He knew that although Little Tiger was proud, he wasn't dumb. So what was the reason?

Ye Zhongming understood very quickly.

Little Tiger was probably thinking about getting many benefits.

He was a little greedy.

Like others, Little Tiger saw the possibility of earning a lot after one win. He didn't choose to stop but chose to attract more firepower.

But was that the reason? Ye Zhongming didn't think so. He looked towards Mo Ye. After all, she knew him from before peacetime. To a certain extent, she brought him up.

She took a deep breath and knew what he meant. So she knew that she had to answer carefully.

“I think he wants to help reduce the pressure on you.”

Reduce pressure? Ye Zhongming was stunned. He stared at his smiling face. He caught some determination in those calm eyes.

Maybe Mo Ye was right.

Ye Zhongming was thinking for everyone, and he wanted them to live, so he went out to craft equipment for them.

Ghost Metal, Drill Ocean Metal, high-grade material. Others would naturally be touched.

They knew that one needed to consume mental energy to craft equipment. Ye Zhongming was consuming something he had to use during battle.

Even if they knew that his mental energy was huge and his recovery was quick, he couldn't consume so much in such a short time.

But could they persuade him? No, because he wouldn't listen. After a year of nurturing, they were important to Cloud Peak. Ye Zhongming didn't want anything to happen to any of them.

The core members naturally wanted to repay him and help his boss to reduce his worries.

A year passed, and they weren't just simple bosses and subordinates. They were more like a family.

Little Tiger and some subordinates were sure Ye Zhongming would challenge the high-level wheels. But what about his opponents? They would be the strongest in the country and also of the ocean beasts.

Those were all levels six and seven. There was even a level eight Pliosaurus.

What if something happened to Ye Zhongming when he had to face these strong ocean beasts?

If anything happened to him, what would happen to Cloud Peak?

Since he couldn't stop him, he could only do his best to solve problems for his boss so that he was under less pressure.

How?

To kill more enemies in the challenge and then cause a chain reaction. Those human factions and ocean beasts must send stronger people to the level five challenge. Their appearance chances would reduce, and thus, they wouldn't have a chance to face Ye Zhongming in the challenge.

It was impossible to stop them completely, but it was good if he could reduce one enemy his boss had to face.

But how could he attract those stronger people?

Naturally, it was to draw people out because of their greed!

Thus, he showed the gun and didn't hide its glow, revealing its grade.

He believed that this thing was enough to draw the greed of the humans so that they would challenge him until he died.

As long as he held on and amassed enough riches, the high-level beasts would attack to get the money they could use.

This was a thought that was hard to guess. Park Xiuying didn't understand Little Tiger, so she naturally couldn't guess it. She was worried about his safety. Ye Zhongming talked a lot with him, but the time was limited. He also disappeared for a long time in between. He only felt that Little Tiger wouldn't do something foolish, so he asked Mo Ye.

Mo ye was the captain that brought him up. She deduced why he showed the purple weapon through his actions and personality.

Mo Ye guessed he wanted to help reduce the pressure on Ye Zhongming. Moreover, he chose the hardest way to help.

That level-seven ocean beast.

He wanted to kill that level-seven beast!