

Apocalypse 881

Chapter 881: Payment for doing work

The three-legged man didn't tell the truth in some areas.

Ye Zhongming didn't notice many suspicious points, but that didn't mean there wasn't any distrust.

The three-legged person said that what he saw was of his ancestor and that he was a descendant.

But this fellow forgot one fact. Which was that in the final part of what he saw, that three-legged person expert placed his kid into a crack that the Secret Realm Key... There was only one kid!

Ye Zhongming didn't know what that expert was thinking. He probably didn't know what the key was, so he placed a kid who hadn't grown up in that world.

Ye Zhongming didn't ask how that kid survived, but it should have some ability to keep it alive and even help it grow. After all, Ye Zhongming didn't know how strong that three-legged expert was.

But he was still alone!

Ye Zhongming could understand how he lived, but how did he reproduce? Marry Posthumous people? But why did your descendants look the same as the ancestor? If they marry down the generations, you should have some mother genes. Even if your genes were strong, you couldn't have no mark of the other party, right?

Anyways, Ye Zhongming didn't believe it.

Since that was the case, how did the three-legged man's ancestors reproduce? They were hermaphrodites?

If Ye Zhongming's guess was correct, he should be the son of that expert!

But Ye Zhongming couldn't guess why he lied and what his goal for lying was.

Of course, there was another possibility, which was that those scenes were fake, which proved that his intentions were huge.

No matter what it was and what he hid from Ye Zhongming, it was fake that he was behaving so close and warmly to Ye Zhongming.

Ye Zhongming even wondered if that person's goal would hurt him. If not, why would he hide it from him?

Ye Zhongming planned to follow the agreement temporarily, but he would be wary of this fellow in the future.

When I was level nine?

Ye Zhongming smiled. At that time, he wasn't a chess piece that others could control!

He exited the saint pool, and the few kings and protector were waiting there. They were worried when Ye Zhongming was there and were afraid they missed out on something.

Ye Zhongming showed them the token he got from the three-legged man.

"God Token?"

The few of them were stunned. They then said in unison the name of that token.

Ye Zhongming asked. So, the token was a way those strong kings and gods communicated. If you obtained this token, you could get the love of the gods and obtain huge strength. As time passed, legends of the token spread, and it was known as the god token.

Ye Zhongming smiled coldly. This was probably something the three-legged man came up with. What god? It was just himself? He used his identity as someone from another world, his bloodline, and his legacy to be much stronger than the people here. He then acted like he was a god.

This also proved the fact that this three-legged man was the son of that expert. He had lived for a long time, and maybe he could have controlled the Posthumous people long ago.

But he didn't understand. Since that was the case, who trapped him there? This was something that he didn't want to mention!

As a result, Ye Zhongming became more wary.

Maybe, as it was from an ancient time, the kings were more curious about it than fearful. After all, it was something that was rumored to give one strength.

But in their hearts, they wondered if that weird person was the descendent or envoy of the god.

They didn't think that he was the god because the god wouldn't be trapped there.

Everyone discussed, and Ye Zhongming calmed down. The three-legged man didn't lie about this to him; the Posthumous people would actually listen to him because of the token, as long as his orders weren't too much.

"Have the sentries returned?"

Ye Zhongming asked the scouts when he returned to Flame Dove's tent.

"The first batch is back." Hong Xiang replied. The first batch was to scout Saint Light Hall's location.

"Where are they?" Ye Zhongming asked.

"They are attacking the tribes in the outer areas. The Bright Cavalry Squad and Simu's tribe clashed, and it would take some time. The other forces are scattered. Based on my judgment, it would take 30 days for them to gather and come to the Imperial City."

Ye Zhongming nodded. Seemed like he had enough time.

"Send people to monitor them; it is best if you give me news daily." Ye Zhongming instructed.

"Before they return, I will craft some equipment for each king to increase your strength. All of you need to collect crystals; the higher the level, the better."

The few kings nodded. This was good for them. They had a higher chance of defeating Saint Light Hall if they got stronger.

“During these few days, all of you have to hunt. Try to get stronger prey. They are to craft the equipment.”

“At the same time, tell the tribes outside to collect crystals, plants, herbs, energy stones, etc. If you want to pass this calamity, even the number of losses depends on the amount of crystals you give me and the quality of these crystals.”

The few kings frowned, but Ye Zhongming didn't care.

“The few of us aren't enough, and we can't defend the Imperial City. To win the final victory, I must get people from my world to help.”

“To get them to fight to the death for you, how will they without huge rewards. These things are payment!”

Only then did their expressions change. They were happy to see this trade.

“Since you agree, then go prepare. Five days later, I will bring a batch of crystals and materials back to my world to recruit for you.”

Ye Zhongming smiled. There was a cunning gleam at the depths of his gaze.

Chapter 882: Zombie Ape attacking the city

“The density is reducing, but it will probably take half a month to dissipate.”

Le Dayuan looked at the sky and was worried.

Cloud Peak had been attacked for many days. Le Dayuan wasn't sure exactly how many days it was because each day was tough. Everyone was either fighting or crafting, so they forgot about the days.

Some low-level tech and logistics members were used to create crystal weapons. But even then, they couldn't keep up with the consumption rate.

If they lost the weapon advantage, the casualties would increase.

Death became the most common thing.

Cloud Peak, along with the survivors, had roughly 30 thousand people. Among them, Ying City and the factions around made up 20 thousand. During these few days of battle, more people entered from outside, but there weren't many of them. Recently, there weren't any helpers, and Cloud Peak was a lone island.

Even with these people, the overall number was over thirty thousand.

But how many died?

No one knew, but as they looked at the crowd getting smaller, they knew that at least ten thousand had died.

To be honest, if not for Cloud Peak being surrounded, these survivors would have collapsed. If they were against humans, they would have surrendered.

But they were facing crazy mutated lifeforms. If they fought to the death, they might have some hope. If they surrendered, they would die.

But the morale was low.

Le Dayuan's ears twitched. He looked in a direction, and it was Cloud Peak's west wall. Two days ago, a ten-meter-tall monster crushed a portion of the wall. Everyone worked to kill that monster and temporarily filled that wall. But it wasn't firm, and the mutated lifeforms focused their attacks on it for the last two days.

There were a few rumbling sounds that didn't come from Cloud Peak's weapons. Le Dayuan guessed that some monster was there.

"Ah Gui!"

"Uncle Gui!"

The few of them held someone who was about to fall. Le Dayuan looked and saw that his helper, Ah Gui, was in shock. Red liquid flowed from his eyes.

Ah Gui and the others didn't sleep for the last few days and had been carving bullets. The twin propulsion crystal weapons they created were strong. White guns with white bullets could kill level-five mutated lifeforms. If the survivors had shooting jobs or skills, they could kill level-six lifeforms.

They could only defend the lines because of these strong killing weapons.

But everyone knew that the situation was getting worse. Especially after the Sky Spider Defensive Net was broken. The air defense was gone, and many people had to turn to fight against the flying mutated lifeforms. Cloud Peak was in chaos. All the reserve members were on the front lines. If the situation worsened, the only evolved that didn't join in, those from Le Dayuan's lab would have to fight.

Ah Gui's mental energy and stamina were used, and he couldn't hold on anymore.

"Get him down to rest." Le Dayuan looked at his injuries and knew that he was exhausted. Although his eyes were damaged, it wasn't much of an issue for evolved. He just needed some rest.

"Tell those at the front that micro-crystal bullets are gone; tell them to find another way."

Le Dayuan sat at his position and wore a magnifying lens on his head to carve a crystal cannon.

Liu Zhenghong's eyes dimmed. The weapon they relied on to kill high-level mutated lifeforms was gone; they could only use lives to compensate.

There was a loud cry from above. Over 200 mutated eagles appeared. Sister Rong gave an order. The giant crossbows and crystal weapons formed a firepower net aimed at them.

These eagles had a decent level; the lowest was level three, and the highest was level six.

One had to be six stars to fight a group of eagles and not get instantly killed. But now, hundreds of arrows and thousands of crystal weapons fired, clashing with the eagles.

The eagles used their talent skills, but those skills disappeared, and they screamed in pain.

Most of them fell from the sky. The red mist sent them crazy and made them fearless. It also made them dumb. They knocked into the human firepower net, and as a result, the bodies they relied on couldn't protect them.

A few higher-level eagles could charge out but were covered in injuries. But before they reached the ground, a few crystal cannons fired and blown them into shreds.

A green cloud struck from outside the walls. Humans roared and hid behind the shooting mounts. This was the poison of a mutated green bug. It was amazing and could shoot up the walls from a hundred meters out.

Although there was a warning, there were still people who failed to dodge. The liquid hit their bodies, and they were corroded into green water before they could even scream.

Only those wearing white-grade defensive equipment could block it, but the hit parts were corroded.

Over a hundred people died in an instant. One of them was the boss of a faction in Ying City. He was five-star evolved and was in full white. His weapon was a silver piece of equipment, but he still died.

This was war. It had exceeded small-scale or individual fights. It was easy for high-level evolved to die.

More zombies and other lifeforms climbed the walls to battle the humans. After the past few days of attacks, the enchantments on the walls had lost their effect.

The battle hadn't stopped since the start. They could only take turns resting, and each one was exhausted.

Everyone was challenging their limits.

The Ying City members slightly relaxed from the shock of the toxin. The next time those bugs could use their poison was two days later.

But when the battle restarted, they felt the wall shaking. They were wary.

Moments later, the survivors saw a giant figure slightly shorter than the walls.

That was... Zombie Ape, level eight!

Chapter 883: Green Flower

When Cloud Peak fought to the death, those defending had one thought. Where did their allies doing the Flame Tiger Operation go? Why weren't they anywhere to be seen?

Did they fail? It was understandable if things happened to one team, but all three areas?

Or were they already back but were blocked from entering? But they didn't hear any fighting sounds outside?

Or were they abandoned?

Such thoughts appeared in many of their hearts. Especially those from Ying City. Many of them regretted coming for Cloud Peak's highest reward. They felt like this was a trip to hell.

There was one more point. All the humans were thinking about one question: where was Ye Zhongming? This Cloud Peak leader wouldn't abandon this home. Liu Zhenghong and Le Dayuan were here, so would he abandon these two trump cards?

This was their last bit of hope.

"Get the vanguard squad over and aim all cannons at that big fellow! We must kill it before it gets close to the walls!" Liu Zhenghong ordered. At the same time, she gathered all the micro crystal bullets. When that level eight Zombie Ape got into range, they would kill it first.

Everyone on the walls moved. The appearance of a level eight monster meant that they had to rearrange their defensive strength.

At this time, a drone flew from the back of the mountain. The sentries noticed it. They wanted to knock it down before they could tell that it was a friend or foe. But the owner reduced the height and speed and descended on the cliff.

A sentry walked over carefully. He observed and saw that it wasn't dangerous. He walked over and took something from the drone.

It was a letter without any name or seal.

That sentry ran back with the letter and handed it to the captain. He opened it, and his expression changed. He told the people to guard this place before running toward Liu Zhenghong.

Two minutes later, Liu Zhenghong got the letter. When she saw the contents, her expression didn't change.

"Apart from you, who else read the letter?"

Liu Zhenghong stared at the captain and asked.

"En." Liu Zhenghong nodded, "Don't tell anyone. If not, it would affect us. Do you understand?"

"Understood!" The captain left after agreeing. Liu Zhenghong looked at the level eight zombie ape get close and told Sister Rong, "Tomorrow, move that team to the city wall; place them at the most dangerous spot."

Sister Rong was stunned. Although she didn't understand why she still nodded.

Liu Zhenghong squinted her eyes, but they were filled with rage.

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Right when Cloud Peak was thinking about their few teams, Little Tiger's squad was being attacked.

After crushing Glory Army, Little Tiger took over the dungeon they controlled. He also sent a team to bring materials back to Cloud Peak.

But this team didn't get far and bumped into the squad from Ying City. They knew that Cloud Peak was attacked by mutated lifeforms and wanted to rush back to find Little Tiger.

Little Tiger got the news and left a few people. He led most of his squad and those from Ying City to return. He didn't even have time to inform Talking Lady. he could only let those remaining search for her.

But they walked halfway before they were attacked.

It wasn't the attacks that would destroy you; it was those kiting, disturbing, tangling...

His goal was obvious, so Little Tiger couldn't return to Cloud Peak.

Little Tiger led the people to charge several times. Although he scattered their formation, he knew they were doing so on purpose. Their formation might be scattered, but they didn't suffer huge losses. Moreover, they didn't care about Cloud Peak's attacks. They continued to disturb, lowering their mental energy and stamina.

It made one feel uncomfortable.

Fortunately, Little Tiger wasn't the immature kid from before. Although he was proud he was smart too. He used three days to set a trap and finally captured most of the squad. He thought he could kill them easily but realized it wasn't. The battle was tough, and Cloud Peak would even face a counter attack.

He wanted to kill them quickly, but they delayed him, making him very hot-tempered.

Today, he went all out and finally crushed their defense line. Both sides tangled, and it was time for the decisive moment.

"It is you."

When Little Tiger saw the leader, he heard that sentence.

"Who are you?"

Little Tiger looked at the woman carrying a pair of short daggers and was confused.

"You don't recognize me? Kekeke." She smiled weirdly, and her face was twisted. Her beautiful face looked weird.

"Unfortunately, Xia Bai isn't here. I will have to take my revenge next time." When she said Xia Bai's name, she was biting her teeth.

"Green Flower?"

Little Tiger was shocked.

"Yi, you recognize me?"

This woman was actually GreenFlower who was defeated by Cloud Peak and who Xia Bai stole her mask.

"You didn't die? Soul Merchant really is annoying."

Little Tiger tried to keep calm.

“No, no, no.” Green Flower started to deny, “I am not from Soul merchant anymore. I have no reason to stay there anymore.”

“You joined another side?” Little Tiger asked and wanted to get more information.

“En, how should I put this? After killing you and wiping Cloud Peak, you can find your answer from hell!”

Red light appeared around her daggers. Something similar happened under her feet. At the same time, three large circles appeared behind her. They were like the sun that covered her.

The circles and glows started to connect and form a bright path.

Little Tiger took a step back and was wary. The dangerous aura told him that he was going to face the most dangerous fight in the apocalypse.

Chapter 884: Colorful Buddha

“Colorful Buddha!”

Green Flower spat out two words as if she was bragging. The light behind her flashed, and Little Tiger was dazzled, and he lost his sight.

He didn’t panic. He retreated and used triple blade at close range.

A year had passed and evolved were experienced. They wouldn’t face a situation when their bodies couldn’t keep up with their brains.

But before his vision recovered, he felt a scorching feeling behind him.

He was shocked, and his body reacted. His legs used strength to spin himself. At the same time, his blade slashed. Not only did it protect himself, but it could also threaten the enemy.

Green Flower laughed. The daggers hit his weapon and gave out a clang. But in the next second, Little Tiger felt a stabbing pain around his neck. He turned his head and jumped backward.

At this point, his vision had recovered. Little Tiger looked at the smiling Green Flower and felt blood flowing down his neck.

One strike!

“Not bad; you can actually dodge my attack.” Green Flower was beautiful, and she was a bright personality, but it made one feel cold, “They always say that Cloud Peak will collapse in three days without Ye Zhongming. It might be the case last time, but now all of you are strong...”

“So, die early.”

Green Flower’s daggers rose into the sky. The fingernails on her hands became harder and formed sharp claws. The light circle behind her landed on the ground and wrapped around her legs.

“People thought that I was useless after my mask was stolen; even those from Soul Merchant thought so. Demon Gold and I were like abandoned children, and no one cared about us.”

She was vicious; it was as if she was venting all her hatred for Little Tiger.

“But things are unexpected. Who knew that I would get this job?” She continued, “First Buddha-- Buta Buddha!”

Green Flower suddenly charged at Little Tiger. She was so quick that he couldn't pick her movement up. The two daggers started to spin. No one suspected that when needed, they would stab into Little Tiger's body.

“You talk a lot!”

Little Tiger cursed. A black ball appeared, and he tossed it to the side. A white thing exploded.

In an instance, Green Flower charged into the white thing.

“White Catkin!”

The thing he tossed was something good that he got to deal with those quick opponents. After activating this equipment, numerous white catkins would appear around the user. The area and number would be based on the amount of mental energy used.

Lifeforms that entered its range would be restricted, including the user.

It seemed like it would affect everyone, but that would depend on the timing. It was obvious that Little Tiger used it at the right time. He took one look and knew that he couldn't keep up.

So, the best choice was to pull their speeds down to the same level.

Green Flower didn't expect Little Tiger to choose such a cowardly method instead of dodging or attacking. She was caught off guard and entered its range.

It was easy to enter but hard to get out. As Little Tiger expanded the range, he even used it to tangle her.

It was hard to break free when your speed was the same.

The silver blade glowed. Little Tiger used Ordinary Man Slash.

A courageous attack!

The glow was from the silver Horse Slaying Blade's Glory Name skill-- When you used a skill with this weapon, it would shine a light toward your opponent.

Green Flower had to experience the visual impact she had previously given Little Tiger.

White Catkin not only reduced her agility but also the skill's speed. From the outside, although Little Tiger's skill wasn't as slow as one's movement, but one could see its track. Even three to four star evolved could dodge that speed.

But Green Flower could see it but couldn't dodge it.

Skills were faster than human movement.

She was frustrated, but she was empty-handed now. Her weapons were outside,, and she felt she had caused her problems.

Little Tiger smiled. The boss was right. Collecting small things could turn the tide and even save your life at crucial moments!

The two daggers outside were activated, and they entered the range in an instance. The speed reduced, but they continued forwards. Green Flower tried to retreat, and the daggers blocked before Little Tiger's blade hit her.

There was a crisp sound. The fork flew slowly, and Little Tiger took two steps back.

He knew that this was another skill, and they were quite decent.

But Little Tiger's fighting style focused on attacks. He didn't stop. The blade slashed once more, and he used Ordinary Man Slash again.

As his evolution level and mental energy strengthened, he went from using it three times to seven.

"Second Buddha- Botuo Buddha!"

The glow beneath Green Flower went from green and white to red and black.

Buta Buddha's speed turned into Botuo Buddha's strength!

After the color change, Green Flower wasn't afraid of Little Tiger. She retracted her fingers, and her fists grew much bigger. The white skin turned copper. She used her hands to face his slash.

There wasn't any clash, just the battle between weapon and hand. There was the sound of metals hitting. Little Tiger took several steps back. If not for the White Catkin slowing him, he might have retreated even further.

Green Flower only took three steps. She looked at her fists and smiled.

"You seem weak." She charged and used her fists to face his blade!

Little Tiger was forced to react. He used Ordinary Man Slash three times, but Green Flower blocked them.

This was the first time he panicked. He didn't know what to do. If this continued, he might not be as strong as her. But if he removed White Catkin, he was slower than her. How should he fight?

Chapter 885: One moment

Little Tiger had experienced numerous life-or-death situations. He even challenged a level seven lifeform in the Ocean King Wheel challenge.

Of course, Ye Zhongming was beside him then and gave him good equipment and recommendations. But it was also a show of his strength.

At the crucial moment, the silver Thousand Leaf Phosphor Armor shattered.

If he wanted to maintain the situation, he wouldn't do it. Exploding his own armor was something that left him with no way out. In such a battle, lacking such a key piece of equipment would affect the outcome.

But this had to do with Ye Zhongming's personality. With his influence, Cloud Peak members only thought about winning. They wouldn't care about what happened next and only thought about what they had to do to win.

As long as they could win, Cloud Peak members would choose to gamble.

Little Tiger was one of the first few subordinates of Ye Zhongming and was deeply influenced. Apart from Xia Bai, he was probably the most crazy one.

Thus, he activated Thousand Leaf Phosphor Armor's Leaves Fly skill to turn the defensive equipment into a piece of attacking equipment.

The silver armor pieces shot in all directions, with him as the center. Green Flower was hit instantly, and many metal pieces hit her. At the start, the silver female armor on her could block, but in a breath, some armor pieces shot into her body.

The ex-Soul Merchant Saint spat out blood and retreated.

Little Tiger's eyes showed a sharp flash, and he raised his blade.

"You aren't the only person that improved!" Little Tiger shouted. This attack had a thick blood color along with the glow of the weapon's ability.

Little Tiger used his second job skill-- Blood Slash!

Xia Lei and Little Tiger returned to Cloud Peak with Ye Zhongming's gains from the center city and Linhai City. Some got a six-star potion, and those members who didn't get the evolution potion received other compensation. Little Tiger's compensation was a job upgrade scroll.

Everyone knew how precious this scroll was. Even Ye Zhongming needed him. So Little Tiger was happy when he got it.

This was his first time using this skill in battle.

Compared to Ordinary Man Slash, Blood Slash was faster and more powerful. This job skill had a blood aura that affected the enemy's mind and scattered the energy in his body when you hit the target. Even if you didn't kill them, you could badly injure them.

One could say that Little Tiger was far stronger than he was at the Ocean King Wheel.

He went all out and exploded Thousand Leaf Phosphor Armor because he had Blood Slash. He saw that Green Flower was fighting head-on. At this moment, he had to catch her off guard.

He believed that even if her job was strong, there was a limit. If she fought head-on against the skill of silver equipment and a job skill, she would have to pay a price!

As expected, Green Flower's expression changed when she saw Little Tiger's new attack. The equipment hurt her and was weak. She wasn't confident in blocking this stronger attack.

She bit her teeth, and many scenes appeared in her head. She had the feeling that she was falling from grace.

She didn't want to experience that again.

She pressed her neck, and there was a white pendant. She grabbed it, and it shattered. A strong energy surged, and a giant buddha appeared above her.

It wasn't affected by the White Catkin at all and started chanting. It placed its hands together in a prayer motion and faced off against Little Tiger's Blood Slash.

Neither side could dodge; they were in a battle to see who was stronger.

The Buddha Image and Blood Slash clashed. It was as if time stopped. Then, an enormous energy current spread. The people fighting were affected, and many were sent tumbling.

Blood Slash disappeared, and the Buddha Image flickered. But it didn't disappear. In the next moment, it hit Little Tiger's body.

Little Tiger was sent flying, and even before he landed, large amounts of blood were spat from his mouth.

Many people shouted.

He was their leader. If anything happened to him, the battle in which they had some advantage would go south. The team might not even get back to Cloud Peak; they might collapse now.

Many Cloud Peak warriors started to rush over, but Green Flower's subordinates didn't allow that to happen. They tried to intercept. The battle upgraded and became more brutal.

White Catkin broke, too, and that little ball turned into many petals. Green Flower stepped on it. Her chin was covered in blood as she smiled at Little Tiger. She knew that although she was forced to use her trump card and had to use the one-time-use attack buddha, it was worth it. Not only could she take revenge, but she intercepted Cloud Peak's important savior.

If those in Cloud Peak lost hope, they might agree to the conditions. When the time comes, the faction Ye Zhongming built, the faction and base that many envied would belong to Green Flower.

She felt much better when she thought about that.

She planned to kill this person in case any accidents happened.

The light under her feet turned white, and her speed was enough for her to kill Little Tiger, who couldn't move. The skill usage made her feel bad, and she spat out more blood. Those silver armor pieces were still in her organs.

One had to say that if it had been a lower level evolution, they would have died to that skill.

She charged at Little Tiger, and her sharp nails were about to pierce his neck. But before she got there, she felt terrified. There was some noise on the side. Her expression changed before she could look. She raised her head and saw that a giant piece of wood was smashing toward her!

A beautiful figure entered the battlefield!

Chapter 886: Return

"Ye, Sister Ye!"

Little Tiger, who thought that he was going to die, shifted his head painfully. He saw Mo Ye walking over coldly. There were killing shouts all around. Green Flower's subordinates, with red cloth on their hands, started to retreat in defeat.

The giant log smashed into the ground, but Green Flower dodged it. But it tugged at her injuries, and more blood spat out.

"I will kill you next time!"

Green Flower knew that there was no more hope. If she didn't leave, she might die here. Mo Ye was much stronger than Little Tiger, and this person was weaker than Ye Zhongming and Xia Bai. She was in the second tier with Xia Lei and Yellow Ball. Little Tiger and Liang Chuyin were in the third tier. As for Tang Tian and Tong Hu, they were in the fourth tier.

She gave the order to retreat, and they left quickly. The Cloud Peak warriors that gathered together didn't want to fight either.

"Sister Ye!" Little Tiger struggled to sit up. A warrior beside him gave him a recovery potion that healed him enough to stand.

"Your battle style is too risky." Mo Ye looked at his topless body and knew that he exploded his equipment. If his attempt didn't kill the enemy, his drop in defense would mean he would be in greater danger.

"Hehe." Little Tiger scratched his head, "I didn't expect Green Flower to be so strong."

"She spent so much effort to block you, so of course she had confidence."

Mo Ye told them to clean up the battlefield, and she relaxed after checking his injuries.

"Sister Ye, Cloud Peak..."

"I know."

Mo Ye nodded, "I met Sha Sha, and she told me about the situation. On the way back, we were sniped, but they didn't expect Red Hair and the zombies to help us. They collapsed instantly."

"You..." Little Tiger stopped. He guessed Mo Ye expected someone to sneak attack Little Tiger, so she rushed over to help him and even saved his life.

"Red Hair is injured, and it is bad, so she hasn't fully recovered. She is at the back of her team. Her Brain child led people and Sha Sha to meet Sister Lei. I am afraid that they are in trouble, too."

Xia Lei knew what he wanted to ask and answered immediately.

"Can you walk?" Xia Lei asked, and after receiving his definite reply, the combined team headed towards Cloud Peak.

"Sister Ye, who intercepted you?"

"Demon Gold."

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Saint Pool welcomed its first non-baptism ceremony. Ye Zhongming was going to head back to Earth under everyone's gaze.

Ye Zhongming showed his terrifying crafting ability. Not only did he repair the Exquisite Floating Ball, but he also crafted many shining weapons that impressed the few kings and the protector.

In a few days, each king race obtained thousands of grey and white equipment. Each king and their deputies were also given a silver piece of equipment.

Of course, the kings did envy green and blue weapons, but Ye Zhongmign told them that it would consume large amounts of mental energy and materials. Without high-level demon crystals to replenish his mental energy and high-level materials, he couldn't make such. This caused the materials and crystals he received to get much better.

He tidied the stuff in his space and placed those he wouldn't use with Xia Bai. The remaining places were filled with level three and above demon crystals.

Each king sent a representative to follow him back. The protector also sent his two disciples. Along with Cloud Peak Alliance's bosses and guards, there was Miya, Liang Chuyin, and the twins. A total of 50 people. Each of them carried a big bag of materials,, which Ye Zhongming was bringing back to Cloud Peak.

"Yellow Ball is about to evolve, so I will hand him to you during this period."

After Yellow Ball ate a level eight expert, the energy in his body was at the edge,, sleheing for a few days. When it wakes, it will become stronger. Xia Bai didn't follow Ye Zhongming back. She was in charge of guarding Yellow Ball.

Xia Bai nodded when she heard Ye Zhongming and her gaze told him to be careful.

Seeing that everything was prepared, he took out the Secret Realm Key and made a weird gesture by the pool. Everyone could sense a giant energy and a bright arc that appeared in the sky and then disappeared.

This was one of the abilities of the key that he learned, tunnel location.

He thought about the problem when he was crafting pieces of equipment, which was about the uncertainty in teleportation location. What if he was unlucky and he ended up in the Cursed Abyss?

He thought about it for a long time and recalled that the Three-legged man came to the Blue Secret Realm through the key. So he must have studied it. Even if he didn't dare to open the path back to his world, he should know much about it. Ye Zhongming guessed that the reason why he controlled the Posthumous people years ago was because the saint pool could take him back home.

He went to ask and got the answer. Although he didn't study much, as he was a mental energy expert, he found a way to stabilize the teleportation. It wasn't complex, and Ye Zhongming was able to learn it instantly.

This was another unexpected gain from the three-legged man.

If this fixed location succeeds, the next time he got back, he would teleport to this place.

Those who were ready to leave jumped into the pool as only after the key activated the portal, would the saint water have a teleportation effect.

The mechanism sounded, and there was a miraculous scene. Ye Zhongming waved and told those who followed him to lay in the water. The water covered all their bodies, and the people beside the pool lost sight of those within.

They looked at each other in awe. The saint water descended and the people who were talking to each other before were now in two different spaces.

Chapter 887: Iron Tower Hut

Iron Tower Hut was a famous place in Lingshan Suburbs as it was an intel station.

The two iron towers were a drying facility of a certain factory. People connected them with bricks and iron in the apocalypse and used it as an airbase. The faction either shifted or was wiped out, but this place became empty.

After people found it, due to the strong defense, it became a place where survivors rested. After a time, it became an intel station. People would sell or buy intel here and use the news to profit.

Don't underestimate this place. A piece of news might mean an evolution potion. Like, where did a horde of zombies appear? It might not be valuable for a small faction, but for a faction of thousands, this was a huge piece of meat. They would set up traps and easily hunt the zombies.

Paying a percent of your profit was a good deal.

Don't think that there was no honesty in the apocalypse. Greed and betrayals did happen all the time, but under certain situations, people in the apocalypse cared more about reputation in the apocalypse.

In these few days, the Iron Tower Hut was filled. The factions around loved to head here and didn't want to miss the latest news.

"How long has Cloud Peak fought for?"

A big guy drank a cup of beer, and after burping, he wiped his mouth. The liquid splashed on his pants.

The thin middle-aged man sitting beside him rested on the thick walls and knocked the table, "Who cares? What we care about is when the battle ends!"

"To be honest, Cloud Peak really is strong. So many days have passed, and it is still holding on. If so many mutated zombies attacked us, we can't last more than three days."

An old man saw the big guy drinking. He sniffed and was thirsty. He gulped and wondered what he could use to trade for some beer.

"Three days? Old Pi, that's wishful thinking. With our strength, can we last three days? We can't even last three hours!"

The one speaking was a clean young man. When he spoke of Cloud Peak, his eyes were filled with envy and respect.

"Someone sent news that there are over a million zombies there. There are more behind that can't get close. The flying lifeforms are descending in the tens of thousands. Apart from two mutated golden eagles, no more flying lifeforms have headed out."

That young man said loudly and continued, "Level eight zombies have appeared, but Cloud Peak killed it. It didn't even touch the wall. Level eight crystal fell under their walls. Whoever gets it will be rich."

"If you worship Cloud Peak, then why aren't you helping?"

That Old Pi mocked, and that caused the young man's face to turn red.

Old Pi saw his face and became more gleeful, "Cloud Peak can't get through this."

Everyone waited for him, but he stopped, and his eyes opened wide.

"Damn, Old Pi, are you going to finish?" Someone was unhappy. He was just whetting their appetite. They had agreed that all news regarding Cloud Peak would be free, and everyone would just share.

"Hehe, let me drink your beer; I am thirsty."

That big man was stunned but cursed and tossed the beer bottle over.

"The situation isn't good." Old Pi enjoyed, "Cloud Peak is surrounded, and they can't enter or exit. Although most of the red mist has dissipated, there is still some, which is still attracting mutated lifeforms. A few days ago, some underground monsters dug tunnels. Although they were forced back, they had to pay a huge price."

"Old Pi, don't say random stuff. People can't even enter Cloud Peak, so how do you know this?" That young man continued to protect Cloud Peak.

"I am not talking nonsense, Old San by the bridge told me."

Everyone listened and stopped speaking. Old San was a weird person and came and left alone. He evolved, and he was quite strong. He also had a special job-- Spirit Ear, so he had strong hearing abilities. Thus, people often placed him in charge of sentry and investigation, earning him a lot of money and connections.

If Old San had heard it, then it would have been definitely true.

Seeing no one retorted, he continued, "Cloud Peak is unlucky. I heard that someone plotted against them. Their main force isn't in the villa; only a few thousand are defending. They were able to last so long because of their equipment. The crystal weapons are so strong. Ying City also assisted. Before they were surrounded, 30 thousand entered to help, which was why they can last for so long."

This wasn't the first time some of them heard this, but they listened intently.

"But think about it: so many days have passed, and who knows how many monsters have gotten in. There are tens of thousands in the sky. So, how many are left? If the people aren't enough to defend the walls and it gets broken through, they will collapse!"

“So what if they killed the level eight? They had the advantage on the wall, but who knows how much they paid to kill it? I heard news that there is more than one level eight lifeform. Do you think they can defend?”

Everyone hushed. More level eight lifeforms appeared. Seemed like Cloud Peak couldn't hold on.

“A battle squad passed. They aren't leaving but are heading back. Cloud Peak is going to be wiped, so the order that they would kill everyone who didn't help was nonsense! Those people think that Cloud Peak is going down, so obviously, they see it more clearly than us?”

Everyone nodded and felt like it made sense. Only the young man and three black clothes men in the corner were solemn.

At this point, the dark sky suddenly lit up. A giant black hole appeared beside the Iron Tower Hut. One corner was at the tower's foundation, and the iron rods were melted, which caused the hut to collapse. The people inside were evolved so they wouldn't get squashed to death. But when they climbed out, they weren't in a good state.

But when they saw the black hole, they were shocked and wondered what had happened. What occurred next stunned them.

A giant golden ball headed out and flew into the sky. Behind it were a few dozen people in various armors.

The three black clothes guy saw the final person who walked out of the hole and shouted, “Ye Zhongming?”

Chapter 888: Kill them all

Yuan Shang felt complicated when he saw Ye Zhongming.

He was the landlord of this place in the past, and Ye Zhongming was an outsider. Although he was very strong when he brought people here, at that time, he was on the same level as Ye Zhongming.

But after some time, Ye Zhongming, who occupied Cloud Peak, rose with his people. Overnight, they became the strongest faction nearby and took control.

Ying City, as well as the towns around it, became his territory.

Even Lingshan City, which wasn't too close to Ying City, was also deeply influenced by Cloud Peak, and many Cloud Peak factions infiltrated the area.

If nothing happened to Cloud Peak this time, this palace would turn into their private hunting ground in less than half a year.

Yuan Shang was unhappy after working with Cloud Peak twice as he had to listen to them. He was prideful and chose to develop in the area. He even created the illusion that he died so that Cloud Peak wouldn't notice him. It was effective, but when Lu Yi led Cloud Peak's enormous merchant squad to spread in the surrounding area, his business plummeted.

Cloud Peak had everything he had and was even cheaper than him. Cloud Peak also had things he didn't, so he couldn't compare them to them.

Under such a situation, he could only walk further and further.

At a certain time, he felt like he wouldn't return to Cloud Peak's territory.

But he was tempted when news of Cloud Peak almost being wiped spread to his ears. He didn't want to give up on the giant market here, so he brought people back to take a look. He came to Iron Tower Hut because there was more news here.

Who knew that he would bump into Ye Zhongming?

Wasn't he in Cloud Peak? Or did he use some methods to flee here?

But before thinking deeper, he felt like someone had lifted him.

Although the kings didn't return, they sent their helpers, who were level-six warriors.

They walked out of the black hole and were shocked by what they saw.

Although the sky was dark, they saw thick clouds. This was much brighter than Blue Secret Realm. They saw the wilderness that was covered in grass. They saw fertile land and sniffed the clear sky.

They felt the surrounding area brimming with life.

This was different from the death environment in Blue Secret Realm.

It took them a few seconds to believe this was another world. A place that was ten thousand times better than Blue Secret Realm!

They fully believed Ye Zhongming, who had brought them here and even started to worship him.

This wasn't hard to understand. If an alien brought someone from Earth to Avatar, that person would have a similar thought.

Of course, this shock was the most obvious at the start and would dull as time passed. What would happen would depend on the performance of the alien.

After Ye Zhongming walked out, he looked around before hearing someone shout his name. He turned and realized it was the Black Caravan Squad's Yuan Shang. Ye Zhongming nearly forgot about this person.

He waved, and two level six Posthumous people experts carried him up from the rubble. With his five-star level, the two level-six auras scared him so much that he didn't dare to resist.

"Where is this place?"

Ye Zhongming asked.

He smiled and knew that he was under that person's control and was in no position to ask anything.

"It is the suburbs of Lingshan City."

No matter what he felt, he had to answer honestly.

Ye Zhongming nodded. Ye Zhongming was very familiar with the cities around Ying City. When he heard Lingshan City, he knew how to get back.

He knew that he was lucky and that the place was actually much closer to Ying City than he was to the place where he had fought the demon monsters.

“Cloud Peak is being surrounded.”

Yuan Shang’s words caused his expression to change.

This was why he was smart. When everyone was shocked that they had met the protagonist of their discussion, his brain started to work, and he revealed the news.

Indeed, Ye Zhongming might have escaped, but he didn’t see Le Dayuan. If Ye Zhongming had fled, he would have brought this inventor. That was his analysis. Ye Zhongming might have been busy and just returned.

“What happened?”

Ye Zhongming’s heart sank. Before he spoke, Liang Chuyin carried him up, and her beautiful brows frowned.

Since they wiped out the factions that attacked them, it had been long since anyone challenged them. More so, when someone attacked them, it was a lightning strike.

Yuan Shang told them about it. Those in the Iron Tower Hut also reacted and joined in, displaying all that happened to them.

Ye Zhongming and Cloud Peak’s expression became ugly.

Millions of zombies attacked the city, and numerous other mutated lifeforms appeared because of the red mist.

Mutated lifeforms occupied Ying City, and the attack lasted for a long time...

“Zhongming, you need to keep calm.”

Ah Tao grabbed his arm and consoled him.

He took a deep breath and nodded. He knew these people wouldn’t lie to him, so even if he brought these few people back, it would be for nothing. Not only him but if a nine-star evolved were fighting a million-strong zombie horde, he would die.

He lowered his head to think. The others knew he was thinking, so they held their breaths and didn’t speak. They were afraid that they would lose their lives if they angered him.

“Yuan Shang, help me.”

“Okay.”

Yuan Shang knew that he couldn’t decline. If not, he would die. But he felt happy that he was being asked.

Ye Zhongming waved and a mountain of crystals appeared beside him which caused the others’ eyes to open wide.

“Help me contact all the factions and tell them that I will lead people to kill all the lifeforms. Those who come will get rewarded. I will use my name and Cloud Peak’s name to promise that I will treat them well. Those who don’t come can scam out from my territory.”

“From today on, from Cloud Peak to Tongcheng City as the radius, everything is under Cloud Peak’s control!”

Yuan Shang heard those words that were filled with killing intent, and his heart beat profusely. He was stunned for three seconds before he said in disbelief, “You will kill them all?”

Ye Zhongming asked, “Right, be it humans or mutated lifeforms, they will die.”

Chapter 889: Sudden helicopter

Seeing Yuan Shang and those people leaving with many evolution potions, Liang Chuyin’s killing intent surged. Her killing intent wasn’t towards these people but towards that mysterious enemy.

“Are we in time?”

Money made the world move. But most people saw Cloud Peak as a death zone. Even if Ye Zhongming personally recruited, many factions would hesitate. But what had to come would come. If they hesitated, they might waste more time.

“Of course, we can’t place our hopes on them. They would only assist. But if we gain the advantage, more of them would help as they could benefit.”

Ye Zhongming’s expression didn’t get much better. Cloud Peak was his foundation, and now that the situation was uncertain, it was a lie to say that he wasn’t worried.

“Where is our main force?”

Although Cloud Peak was very strong and had over ten thousand warriors, facing so many zombies and mutated lifeforms, they weren’t enough.

“En, Posthumous people!”

Ye Zhongming instructed Liang Chuyin to lead the people toward Cloud Peak. He rode Exquisite Floating Ball to fly towards Cloud Peak.

He knew he couldn’t solve all the problems, but had to return and show hope to those trapped inside!

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“Retreat retreat retreat!”

Little Tiger’s hoarse voice spread, and the humans started to retreat. If they didn’t leave, these mutated dogs would rip them apart.

The team was orderly and ran quickly but also controlled their speed. Some people tossed some fresh mutated animal meat to attract these people. This place was near to the ambush.

Apart from Xia Lei’s team, Mo Ye and Little Tiger got near Cloud Peak a few days ago. But they couldn’t break in and only attack the mutated lifeforms on the outskirts.

They sent people to contact surrounding evolved to let them fight together while sniping some mutated lifeforms. Some were sent to draw monsters in the hope that they would reduce Cloud Peak’s pressure.

But what made them despair was that although most of the red mist had dissipated,, it still attracted these monsters. Even if they were temporarily drawn away, they would turn back if you ran far enough.

Cloud Peak could only use some of their lives to surround and wipe out the lifeforms.

Although it was effective, they only spent hundreds of lives to wipe out nearly ten thousand mutated lifeforms. But they knew that as compared to that ocean of zombies, this was not enough.

Everyone was nervous and awaited the news that Cloud Peak was broken into.

During those few days, Little Tiger, Mo Ye, and the other Cloud Peak members got increasingly hot-tempered. They were so anxious that their mouths started foaming. Such a situation never happened to evolved, but it was happening now. One could imagine how nervous and scared they were.

Each Cloud Peak member was thinking.

Where was Boss? Where was Sister Lei?

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Cries spread on the battlefield. Some people who were resting took a look and saw a 20-year-old running towards the wall while crying.

But no one mocked him. If it were them, although they wouldn't cry, they would be numb.

Since the level eight Zombie Ape was killed, a few more days had passed, and most of the mist was gone. The remaining was not enough to attract mutated lifeforms from far away. But now, there were at least 2 million zombies beneath the walls. There were also many other lifeforms.

Right, many parts of the wall had collapsed. The reason why they hadn't broken in was because the foundations weren't damaged. Only the higher parts had collapsed. Although people used blood, life, and stone to block it, everyone knew that it wouldn't last for long.

A few days ago, when they heard fighting sounds from outside, they were delighted. But that turned into silence. Everyone knew that Cloud Peak's team was back. But there were so few of them. Including some from Ying City who hadn't abandoned Cloud Peak, how many could there be?

Those few people weren't enough to deal with these mutated lifeforms.

Hope being extinguished made many of them numb.

Only ten thousand Ying City people were alive. Over 70% of them died. In any era, this death rate would cause the army to collapse. But they were trapped and had no way out. They were fighting with their backs against the wall which was why they survived.

But for all the teams that climbed up the wall, only a few people could take turns to rest. The way to the walls was a path to hell, so it's no wonder that guy was crying.

He was young, and his life had just started, but it was about to end here.

Liu Zhenghong's white lab coat was as dirty as when she met Ye Zhongming. Beside her was the blade-holding Le Dayuan.

The latter was not allowed to be on the walls, but at this time, he knew that he would die sooner or later. Dying in battle was better than dying when fleeing. So Liu Zhenghong agreed. She decided to fight alongside her husband. Even if they died, they would die together.

The dense zombies started to move. Hundreds of zombies that were at a higher level than the others dashed towards the wall.

Liu Zhenghong took a look and gave out a bitter smile.

That was the zombie's assault squad. A squad made of level-five zombies. They would attack a corner of the wall and hope to break the defense.

Cloud Peak stopped them the first few times, but they didn't have the confidence this time. Even Liu Zhenghong felt like they would get broken into.

At that moment, a rotating sound could be heard from the back mountain. It was a transport helicopter that flew near the walls. It floated for two seconds before two ladders dropped off in front of them.

"I think you have already seen. So let's go, Professor Liu Zhenghong and Grandmaster Le Dayuan."

A guy's voice spread from the speaker in the helicopter.

Chapter 890: Cheers

The entire Cloud Peak's walls were silent.

Everyone knew what that meant.

That person was asking them to leave.

Disbelief appeared in many of their eyes.

They had seen Liu Zhenghong and Le Dayuan, ranked only below Ye Zhongming, fighting alongside them and risking their lives. Although they were still taking care of them, battles were intense. Standing there was risky, much less facing those mutated lifeforms.

Were they going to abandon them?

The guy on the helicopter smiled, but that smile was cruel.

He said so on purpose.

From his angle, Cloud Peak was about to be broken. If one weren't stupid, they would know how to choose. Moreover, Liu Zhenghong and Le Dayuan's technology would be needed in any faction, and they would be supported and protected.

The two of them would definitely follow them. No one would give up on their own lives.

Of course, to prevent some accidents, those words directly cut them off from Cloud Peak. They wouldn't be able to stay even if they wanted to. Those words were like a needle, stabbing all hearts from Cloud Peak and Ying City. Even if this place wasn't broken down, they couldn't return.

Moreover, he didn't lie. His faction did write to Liu Zhenghong.

"Sister Liu..."

“Grandmaster Le...”

Many people muttered. Xia Lei wasn't here, so these two were Cloud Peak's spines. They supported the morale of everyone here.

If they left, then... Was there a need to defend?

Even the mutated lifeforms outside paid attention to their choice, and their attacks slowed.

Rage flashed in Le Dayuan's eyes. He waved his blade forward and sliced the ladder in front of him.

“Scram!”

This crystal weapon father, who always had a good temper, shouted at the helicopter. Everyone could tell that he was furious.

The warriors were shocked. The suspicious looks they gave him disappeared, and all that was left was respect.

“Hit this thing down!”

Liu Zhenghong smiled coldly and looked at those people in disdain.

She couldn't compare to Le Dayuan. Le Dayuan was saved by Ye Zhongming, who was entirely loyal to him and Cloud Peak. He even wanted to die with them.

Ye Zhongming only brought her back. But one's heart grew. If you didn't wipe out one's feelings, one would know what was good and evil.

This human creator, Hong, who killed many in the last life, had changed in this life. Not only did she join Cloud Peak early, but she was also given many research opportunities. Ye Zhongming also gave her more acceptable research ideas. He didn't need her to hunt, and she was able to get evolution potions and job skills.

Liu Zhenghong knew that Ye Zhongming had helped her. She didn't think she was emotional, but she knew who treated her well and evil.

She wouldn't abandon Cloud Peak unless it was really destroyed.

Moreover, she wasn't alone. She had someone. Taking a few steps back, she could ignore Cloud Peak and Ye Zhongming, but she had to care about the guy beside her.

So, her choice was the same as Le Dayuan.

If she were going to die, she would die with no regrets.

The guy on the helicopter was stunned. He didn't expect them to reject him with no hesitation at all.

Did they not care about their lives? Were there things more important than living? Gratitude? Friendship? Love? Were those worth money?

The guy panicked. He thought it was a simple mission, but he couldn't complete it. Thinking about how he would be punished if he didn't bring them back, his body shook. He picked up the speaker and wanted to continue.

“What?”

Before he could speak, the pilot exclaimed.

The guy was stunned. He chose the right time because the mist was dissipating. It wouldn't attract mutated lifeforms from far away, and those on the ground surrounded the city. Those in the sky were wiped clean, so he was safe at this height.

But... What was that gold thing he saw from the opened cabin door?

The golden light expanded and smashed into the helicopter.

After the explosion, a fireball fell to the ground and lit up many zombies. The golden ball was perfectly fine and just stopped above the walls.

That golden ball suddenly sped up and charged above the mutated lifeforms. Four holes appeared from the ball, and a bright light shone towards the sieging monsters.

There were only four lines, but they were very powerful. As long as the mutated lifeform wasn't level five, they would die instantly.

It fired for half a minute, and the zombie horde panicked.

Half a minute later, the shooting stopped. When everyone thought it was over, the outer armor around the ball combined. It turned into a perfect circle, and like a meteor, it smashed into the ground.

Be it zombies or mutated beasts, all of them were smashed into a paste. But that wasn't over. It started to roll over the horde. Its giant body was much bigger than all the lifeforms, and it was a few dozen tonnes. It rolled quickly and dealt huge damage to the dense horde.

Just a few dozen seconds and thousands of mutated lifeforms were killed!

Before many strong mutated lifeforms could stop it, it flew back into the sky and returned to the walls. Under all the gazes, it started to land.

Many people controlling the crystal cannons looked towards Liu Zhenghong and waited for her order.

Liu Zhenghong thought of one possibility. She didn't even look at them, and her body was shaking.

The ball landed on the wall, and a door opened. A cold figure walked out and stood on the wall.

After five seconds of silence, a huge cheer sounded throughout the mountain.