

Beast Tamer 1151

Chapter 1151: Cang Lu Being Manipulated! Reproduction was paramount to any Beast Taming Tribe.

It was key to the tribe's long-term survival in the world.

Such was the situation of the Qi Tian Pale Deer clan.

Although the head priest of the Qi Tian Pale Deer lineage managed everything for the Cyan Deer Tribe, once the Qi Tian Pale Deer clan faced the decline of their lineage due to a minor mishap,

only three main lineages remained for the Cyan Deer Tribe.

Subsequent development of the Cyan Deer Tribe would then have no connection with the Qi Tian Pale Deer lineage.

The Qi Tian Pale Deer clan would naturally want to enhance their capability to continue their bloodline as much as possible.

And Fang Mu, with his vast resources of Grandmaster Creators, had the chance to make that happen.

Fang Mu smiled and said to Lu Ke,

“Since I’ve chosen to speak with you, I naturally won’t doubt what you say.”

“But you also need to remember, don’t let me catch any loopholes in your words.”

“I wonder what kind of resources your Bamboo Green Pale Deer lineage needs to enhance its strength and continue its progeny?”

Upon hearing Fang Mu’s words, Lu Ke’s face showed an expression of uncertainty.

Fang Mu’s previous focus was clearly on the Qi Tian Pale Deer lineage. How had it suddenly shifted to his own lineage?

Since Fang Mu asked him directly, Lu Ke couldn’t avoid answering.

“Lord, I’ll not lie, my Bamboo Green Pale Deer lineage needs an influx of Life Energy and Wood Attribute Energy.”

“In terms of continuing our lineage, if a birthing mother deer could absorb pure Spiritual Energy, the chances of successful parturition would be higher!”

“Often, the female members of our Bamboo Green Pale Deer lineage suffer greatly when it comes to birthing offspring.”

“There have even been instances of deaths!”

“The situation of the Qi Tian Pale Deer lineage is similar to ours, except that birthing is even more difficult.”

Lu Ke cleverly shifted the conversation from his own Bamboo Green Pale Deer lineage back to the Qi Tian Pale Deer lineage.

If this young man in front of him really intended to manipulate the Cyan Deer Tribe, Lu Ke hoped Fang Mu wouldn’t target the Bamboo Green Pale Deer lineage.

Fang Mu sharply caught Lu Ke’s drift.

From this, Fang Mu understood that the relationship between the four main lineages of the Cyan Deer Tribe was not as harmonious as said. This could be seen from Lu Ke’s behavior.

Of course, it might also be due to Lu Ke as an individual.

“If I were to supply you with abundant Life Elixirs and wood element potions to nurture you, providing potions meeting the purity standards required by your Bamboo Green Pale Deer lineage and helping your lineage to grow and strengthen,”

“would you be willing to serve as a bridge between me and the Cyan Deer Tribe?”

Fang Mu’s words completely took Lu Ke by surprise, his face revealing a shocked expression.

Lu Ke couldn’t grasp Fang Mu’s intention for a moment.

If it truly was as Fang Mu described, then what Fang Mu was offering him was not a threat but a reward!

He would obtain a large amount of wood element potions and Life Elixirs, and his power could increase at an extremely fast pace.

Having personally experienced how effective the potions prepared by Human Creators were for Guardian Beasts,

although the Bamboo Green Pale Deer lineage didn’t face a reproductive crisis as severe as the Qi Tian Pale Deer lineage, this generation of cubs numbered only eight.

The whole tribe’s population was barely eighty or ninety.

If he could bring a large amount of Life Elixirs back to his tribe, then he would be a hero of the Bamboo Green Pale Deer lineage.

But Lu Ke was well aware that the greater the benefit, the greater the cost.

These resources were not easy to take!

Lu Ke pondered in his heart what it truly meant to be the bridge between this young man and the Cyan Deer Tribe.

After much thought, Lu Ke still couldn't figure out Fang Mu's exact needs, so he simply asked Fang Mu directly,

"As the bridge between you and the Cyan Deer Tribe, what exactly do I need to do?"

Upon hearing this, Fang Mu directly stated,

"I need you to negotiate on my behalf with the entire Cyan Deer Tribe."

“The resources you mentioned are not lacking here; I can use them to strengthen the entire Cyan Deer Tribe!”

“But surely you understand one thing. There is no such thing as a free lunch.”

“The Cyan Deer Tribe also needs to reciprocate.”

Hearing this, Lu Ke swallowed hard, suddenly unsure of how to respond.

The Cyan Deer Tribe had never conducted such a trade with Humans before.

Both the Cyan Deer Tribe and humans needed these resources!

Every Human Beast Master needed to cultivate multiple Guardian Beasts, consuming far more resources than the Guardian Beasts themselves.

Humans simply didn’t have enough of these Creator resources.

Naturally, no Creator would choose to let these precious resources flow into the Beast Controlling Force.

Many of the Beast Taming Tribes did their utmost to maintain good relations with human Creators.

This was all to secure the opportunity to exchange resources from the human Creators.

However, in the process of trading with humans, the Beast Controlling Force had suffered many losses, letting those human Creators profit tremendously!

Those Beast Taming Tribes that had encountered suitable Creators and could cooperate long-term with a human Creator,

always cherished these Creators extraordinarily.

Even often, to maintain long-term cooperation with a Creator, they would sacrifice some of the interests that belonged to the Beast Taming Tribes!

Lu Ke felt that no matter what, this was an excellent opportunity for both himself and the Cyan Deer Tribe!

Chapter 1152: The Cornered Cang Lu!_2

With his current status as a prisoner at the mercy of others, he had no right to reject the young man before him.

“I am willing to act as the bridge, yet I hope you can clearly instruct me on how to proceed.”

“Before we negotiate the cooperation with the Cang Lu Tribe, I think I should first help you trade as many Prayers to Heaven’s Tears as possible from the hands of the Praying Sky Cang Lu!”

“In this way, even if the subsequent negotiations with the Cang Lu Tribe don’t succeed, it will not affect your acquisition of the Prayers to Heaven’s Tears!”

The more he communicated with Fang Mu, the more Lu Ke realized that Fang Mu was not as simple as he had said.

Lu Ke could feel the deep seriousness in Fang Mu’s eyes.

The trade with Fang Mu was related to the prosperity and reproduction of the Cang Lu Tribe; Lu Ke hoped dearly to facilitate the deal.

Should the population of the Cang Lu Tribe increase, their status in the Beastmaster world would greatly improve!

He had the opportunity to be recorded in the history of the Cang Lu Tribe, becoming a legend of his people!

His merits might even surpass those of all previous shamans.

After all, none of the previous shamans had managed to solve the Cang Lu Tribe's difficulty in reproduction and survival.

Fang Mu was very pleased with Lu Ke's attitude, as Lu Ke was now starting to think for himself.

Fang Mu took out a total of sixty bottles of Elixirs and laid them on the ground in front of Lu Ke.

"Here, there are twenty bottles of Wood Attribute Potion with a purity of ninety-six percent, twenty bottles of Life Elixir with a purity of ninety-six percent, and twenty bottles of Spiritual Elixir with a purity of eighty-five percent."

"Allow this Soul Parasite Ant to enter your Soul, and our contract is established; all these Elixirs will become your property."

"You may dispose of these Elixirs as you wish."

The sixty Potion Bottles in front of Lu Ke were transparent.

Lu Ke could ascertain the purity of the Life Elixirs and Wood Element Potions by observing their characteristics.

Only a Top Creation Master among humans could concoct such Elixirs.

The appearance of these Spiritual Elixirs was not as apparent as the Wood Element Potions and Life Elixirs, but Fang Mu obviously had no reason to deceive Lu Ke about the concentration of these Spiritual Elixirs.

An eighty-five percent purity of Spiritual Elixir was beyond the realm of human Grandmasters.

It was the level that only a Saint Creator could achieve!

Could it be that there was a Saint Creator behind this young man with whom the Cang Lu Tribe would be trading!?

The effects of the Soul Parasite Ant were all too familiar to Lu Ke.

Knowing that the young man before him would take control, Lu Ke did not show any resistance.

These Elixirs were sufficient to prove the young man's sincerity.

If he truly wanted to trade with the Cang Lu Tribe through him, there was no need to give him so many Elixirs.

He could have simply painted a big picture for him and taken control, allowing him to return within the Cang Lu Tribe.

Earlier, Lu Ke had proposed that Fang Mu provide him with some resources to help him broker the deal for the Prayers to Heaven's Tears.

It was also to secure a guarantee from Fang Mu.

If Fang Mu had merely painted a grand vision without truly committing, and had sent him to do something that would harm the Cang Lu Tribe,

if the matter greatly impacted the Bamboo Green Pale Deer lineage, Lu Ke was prepared to sacrifice his own life for the Bamboo Green Pale Deer lineage.

Jun Feng had been standing by Fang Mu's side all along, protecting his safety while also observing how Fang Mu intended to trade with the Cang Lu.

Jun Feng had not expected Fang Mu to be so forthright and decisive, directly presenting so many Elixirs to reveal his attitude to Lu Ke.

From the moment Fang Mu presented these Elixirs, the trade was practically set in stone; the eighty-five percent Spiritual Elixirs were a show of strength.

To inform Lu Ke that a Saint Creator was behind the trade with the Cang Lu Tribe.

Once Lu Ke conveyed the message back to his tribe, even the shamans of the Praying Sky Cang Lu would have to take the trade with a human Saint Creator seriously.

The resources of a human Saint Creator could potentially double the population of the Cang Lu Tribe within a mere century.

After Lu Ke had stated his position, Jun Feng raised his Ghost Tool Forest Demon Chi Flame Gourd, and the surrounding dragon flames immediately dissipated.

Taking a step forward, Jun Feng positioned himself in front of Fang Mu.

Should Lu Ke make any sudden moves, Jun Feng would be ready to strike him down at a moment's notice.

Obediently, Lu Ke led the Soul Parasite Ant into his Soul, nourishing it with his own Soul Energy.

He allowed the Soul Parasite Ant to rapidly build a nest in his Soul, under Jun Feng's watchful eye.

Fang Mu only needed to activate the Soul Parasite Ant offspring, and they would immediately begin to destroy Lu Ke's soul from within.

The Covenant Servant Soul Ant Queen was not very strong, nor was its rank particularly high.

But its ability to control other beings was truly unparalleled!

However, unless it was actively introduced into the soul, the offspring produced by the Covenant Servant Soul Ant Queen had no chance of entering the soul of a powerful being.

Of course, there were ways to defend against the Soul Parasite Ant offspring.

The best method of defending against Soul Parasite Ants was if the being's own soul had already been successfully parasitized by some other being.

That being would attack the newly entered Soul Parasite Ant offspring within their soul, killing off the ants before they had the chance to build their nest.

However, if such a situation were to occur, Fang Mu would be able to perceive it.

After Fang Mu nodded his head, Lu Ke carefully collected the elixirs that were on the ground.

These potions, when used by him, would slightly break through his own strength and bloodline levels.

His ranking in the Elder Council of his clan would rise by at least two places from its original position.

The trade between Fang Mu and the Cyan Deer Tribe was a long-term one.

After reaching cooperation with the Cyan Deer Tribe, he would naturally provide resources to facilitate the tribe's proliferation.

Now, Lu Ke felt there was no need to give these resources to his group.

Lu Ke initially wanted to talk to Deer Wen to see if Fang Mu could let both him and Deer Wen return together.

But upon further thought, Lu Ke changed his mind.

Firstly, Lu Ke was not sure about Deer Wen's attitude at the moment.

If Deer Wen was too conservative and strongly opposed cooperation with humans, then once he and Deer Wen returned, Deer Wen might very well ruin his plans.

Secondly, the Peak Order Practitioner in front of him had already spoken of wanting Deer Wen as his mount.

If he were to plead for Deer Wen now, wouldn't that be equivalent to challenging the authority of this Peak Order Practitioner human?

Lu Ke truly did not possess such audacity.

If his plea caused Fang Mu's displeasure, then he would be the one to suffer!

Fang Mu exchanged information with Lu Ke about the situation of the Cyan Deer Tribe, and thus gained a clear understanding of it.

What he learned from Lu Ke about the Cyan Deer Tribe was much more detailed than what he had heard from Zhang Yue.

Fang Mu could distinctly sense some secrets concerning the Cyan Deer Tribe.

These secrets Lu Ke intentionally avoided, without revealing them all.

Fang Mu was not surprised by this.

Fang Mu could feel that Lu Ke was very loyal to the Cyan Deer Tribe.

Otherwise, he would not have allowed Lu Ke to serve as his emissary, to negotiate on his behalf with the Cyan Deer Tribe.

Soon, as the transactions proceeded, the relationship between Fang Mu and the Cyan Deer Tribe would grow increasingly close.

At that point, as long as the Cyan Deer Tribe was smart enough, they would take the initiative to form a bond with him.

The secrets of the Cyan Deer Tribe would naturally make their way to Fang Mu's ears!

"You can tell me in advance how many resources you need to trade the Prayers to Heaven's Tears."

"I will prepare the necessary resources beforehand."

Hearing this, Lu Ke quickly shook his head and said,

"The internal members of the Cyan Deer Tribe trade Prayers to Heaven's Tears with the Prayers to the Cyan Deer Clan and do not need to spend too many supplies."

"It's rather about doing some tasks for the Prayers to the Cyan Deer Clan."

“With the Prayers to the Cyan Deer Clan being short-staffed, they rely on us from the other three lineages for many things.”

“I alone can only exchange for at most two Prayers to Heaven’s Tears.”

“After I hand over the two Prayers to Heaven’s Tears to you, I will first go to explain the transaction to our Bamboo Green Pale Deer clan’s Clan Leader.”

“Our Bamboo Green Pale Deer lineage will definitely be willing to trade with you.”

“As for how to conduct the trade specifically, I hope you can provide a Communication Beast for me to talk directly with our Clan Leader!”

Chapter 1153: Fang Mu’s Huge Gains!

Lu Ke was acutely aware that he lacked the ability to directly bypass the Clan Leader of the Bamboo Cyan Deer lineage and communicate directly with the priests of the Prayers to the Cyan Deer Clan.

That was why it was necessary for Lu Ke to inform the Clan Leader of the Bamboo Cyan Deer lineage about the trade with Fang Mu.

Fang Mu wanted to trade with the entire Cyan Deer Tribe openly; there was no need for him to do so in secrecy.

Lu Ke also had his own ulterior motives.

After conversing with the Clan Leader of his own lineage, Lu Ke hoped to ensure that even if the Prayers to the Cyan Deer Clan did not give Fang Mu any consideration and refused to trade with him,

the Bamboo Cyan Deer lineage would still be able to maintain a long-term cooperation with Fang Mu to strengthen their tribe.

However, Lu Ke was also clear that the reason Fang Mu was willing to offer so many resources for cooperation with the Cyan Deer Tribe was due to the influence of the Prayers to the Cyan Deer Clan.

After informing the Clan Leader of the Bamboo Cyan Deer lineage about the situation, Lu Ke wanted to secretly plan with the Clan Leader to mobilize the entire members of the Bamboo Cyan Deer lineage to exchange with the Prayers to the Cyan Deer Clan for Prayers to Heaven's Tears.

If the Bamboo Cyan Deer lineage could hand over dozens of Prayers to Heaven's Tears to Fang Mu, then there was no longer a pressing need for Fang Mu to trade with the Prayers to the Cyan Deer Clan.

At that time, even if detached from the Prayers to the Cyan Deer Clan, the Bamboo Cyan Deer lineage could still maintain long-term cooperation with Fang Mu.

Fang Mu was unaware of the thoughts in Lu Ke's mind; if he had been, he would certainly have commended Lu Ke in his heart,

for the reality was just as Lu Ke had envisioned.

Should Lu Ke fulfill Fang Mu's needs for Prayers to Heaven's Tears, allowing those around Fang Mu to contract an additional Ghost System Guardian Beast or gain mastery over another Ghost Device,

Fang Mu would indeed have no need to insist on trading with the Prayers to the Cyan Deer Clan.

The predictive abilities regarding good and bad fortune of the Prayers to the Cyan Deer Clan were not absolute, and besides, some special auspicious creatures also possessed similar functions.

Fang Mu handed over a Legend Butterfly to Lu Ke.

"Since you say so, take this Legend Butterfly back with you!"

“As for the whereabouts of that Dew Condensate Cang Lu, just find any excuse to dismiss the concerns.”

“Surely you don’t need me to teach you how to handle such a simple matter, do you?”

Lu Ke joyfully accepted the Legend Butterfly that Fang Mu gave him, and carefully put the Legend Butterfly away,

Afraid that he might not take good care of the Legend Butterfly and cause it any harm,

thus preventing him from communicating with Fang Mu.

“Rest assured, I know what to say!”

“The Cyan Deer Tribe has also suffered damages in its external activities over the years.”

“Moreover, many powers are clamoring for this Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land, with several human Grandmaster Creators involved.”

“When I return to the tribe, it won’t be difficult to explain, and no one will know that Deer Wen has been taken as this distinguished guest’s mount.”

Upon saying this, Lu Ke paused before continuing.

“To ensure my credibility within the Cyan Deer Tribe, I hope that when this distinguished guest rides Deer Wen, he is not seen by other members of the Cyan Deer Tribe.”

“Otherwise, if word of this matter spreads to the tribe, I really have no way to explain it.”

Jun Feng said coldly.

“You needn’t worry about that; you are now Little Wood’s man, and I would not cause any trouble for Little Wood in any case.”

Jun Feng’s mention of taking Deer Wen as a mount was in fact just a pretense.

Within the Cyan Deer Tribe, the lineage of the Dew Condensate Cang Lu was a rare line of pure blood among the Beast Taming Tribes.

Jun Feng brought it back to the Ten Thousand Poison Evil Hall, where Deer Wen’s pure blood was a great tonic for many poisons.

Jun Feng detested those who could not read the situation.

Deer Wen’s choices, completely different from Lu Ke’s, led to completely opposite futures for them.

At present, Deer Wen was still violently struggling in his Ghost Tool Forest Demon Chiyang Hulu.

Jun Feng made Deer Wen aware of the entire exchange between Fang Mu and Lu Ke, yet Deer Wen remained stubborn.

If previously Deer Wen’s concern for the safety of the Cyan Deer Tribe from Fang Mu had been understandable,

now Fang Mu clearly represented a turning point and redemption for the Cyan Deer Tribe.

Deer Wen’s obstinacy justified his fate of being used to nourish the poisons at the Hall of Nine Poisons.

The Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land had matured.

This specific resource produced by the Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land was named Never Wither Wood Marrow.

Apart from containing pure Wood Element Energy, Never Wither Wood Marrow also promoted the growth of Wood Attribute Guardian Beasts.

The moment the Never Wither Wood Marrow was produced in this Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land, the vegetation around it grew wildly.

There are levels to Growth Type Secret lands.

The Never Wither Wood Marrow from this Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land not only had pure Wood Element Energy but also other effects.

This Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land was of the second type.

The Light Attribute Growth Type Secret Land of Truth Hall was also a second-type land at the time.

However, the second type of Truth Hall had evolved from a first type.

The moment it was revealed that the Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land was a second-type land, many powers were stirred into excitement.

In the end, however, this Growth Type Secret Land was directly seized by the forces of Float Yue GrandMaster.

Wang Mi, Xu Fengnian, and others fully cooperated with Float Yue GrandMaster in the struggle for the Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land.

The joint efforts of more than twenty Order Strong individuals made those powers dare not confront them.

They did not even dare to entertain thoughts of joint resistance!

The Witch School had long coveted this Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land and even rallied forces like the Mad Snake Forest to help themselves.

But in the end, the Witch School did not have the courage to offend three Grandmaster Creators at the same time.

Chapter 1154: Fang Mu's Huge Harvest! _2

Wang Mi and Xu Fengnian were initially unclear about why Fang Mu asked them to coordinate with Zhang Yue to seize the Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land, feeling quite depressed in their hearts.

But soon, they understood what was going on.

Fang Mu aimed to shift the attention to Zhang Yue, ensuring that outsiders knew it was Zhang Yue who had acquired the Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land.

Afterwards, no one would associate this matter with Qixing.

Holding the Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land, Zhang Yue nervously arrived at the cave where Fang Mu had been previously.

Several days had passed, and Fang Mu must have already inquired about Qixing.

Qixing must have already made a judgment on whether they were willing to accept Zhang Yue's allegiance.

This time when coming to see Fang Mu, Zhang Yue felt like a child waiting for exam results.

Although both were major life events, the former only concerned whether he could get a good educational environment.

The latter, however, was directly a matter of life and death, not at all comparable!

Despite the turmoil in his heart, Zhang Yue's footsteps did not show any panic.

Regardless, Zhang Yue, as a Grandmaster Creator, maintained his dignity, not letting outsiders see his predicament.

Including his disciple, Chen Tong.

But when he saw Fang Mu, Zhang Yue couldn't keep hiding his emotions and a probing expression appeared on his face.

Fang Mu chose not to beat around the bush with Zhang Yue, speaking directly,

"Elder Fuyue, I have already asked my master about your situation."

"My master said that he would elevate the strength of your several Guardian Beasts to Order Level if you are willing to join under his command!"

"As for the Blood Race element in your body, my master cannot meet you when you return to the Dragon Rising Federation due to his seclusion."

"However, he will provide me with some treasures to check the Blood Race element in your body and see if it is possible to ease its effect on you."

For now, it was enough for Fang Mu to reassure Zhang Yue; the follow-up matters could wait until they returned to the Mountain Manor in JA City.

If Fang Mu were to tell Zhang Yue now about luring the Blood Race Queen to control her,

Zhang Yue would think the actions of his side too drastic, very unreliable.

From the previous contact with the Blood Race Queen Yisi, Fang Mu believed that using the unique efficacy of the Blood of Abundance could relieve the Blood Race's influence on Zhang Yue.

Even if Fang Mu really had no good solution, he could contact the Blood Race Queen Yisi, whom he controlled.

Yisi would surely know how to reduce, even eliminate, the Blood Race's influence on Zhang Yue, should it be necessary Fang Mu was prepared to have Yisi intervene as well.

In the coming few days, almost the time when Yisi would come to him to collect resources.

Upon hearing Fang Mu's words, Zhang Yue's face involuntarily showed a look of delight.

He had unwittingly exposed the existence of the Blood Race element; fortunately, Master Qixing did not disdain him, willing to take him under his command and offer assistance.

That was enough!

Previously, Zhang Yue had always been thankful to Qixing in Fang Mu's presence, but this time, Zhang Yue sincerely bowed to Fang Mu himself and said,

"Sir Jianmu, I, Zhang Yue, am profoundly grateful for your help!"

"If there is a chance in the future, I will surely repay you abundantly!"

Fang Mu watched Zhang Yue with a smile, recalling how Yi Han had once said something similar to him.

But he and Qixing were essentially one and the same.

When Fang Mu truly faced troubles, he could command Yi Han and Zhang Yue as Qixing. On ordinary days, Yi Han and Zhang Yue would not follow the identity of Fang Mu.

“Since Elder Fuyue is willing to serve under my master in the future, there is no need for such formal titles.”

“Just call me Little Wood, and I will call you Uncle Zhang.”

“What do you think?”

Upon hearing this, Zhang Yue laughed heartily. Fang Mu, this junior, was incredibly polite, conversing with him felt like a breath of spring air.

Fang Mu would never show arrogance due to his status as a disciple of a Saint Creator.

From this point alone, his disciple Chen Tong was not comparable to Fang Mu.

While Fang Mu and Zhang Yue conversed, Shu Liangjun had already taken Fang Mu’s original body back to the Mountain Manor using the Kong Zhiluoman transfer.

Jun Feng and Ning Hongshu set off back to the Hall of Nine Poisons.

Jun Feng had gained a hundred years of lifespan, and pollutants had been removed from his body.

But Jun Feng still appeared in his usual black robe, his complexion pallid.

Ning Hongshu also wore a face of grief, presenting Jun Feng to the outside world as a man close to death.

Ning Hongshu and Jun Feng both wanted to use this opportunity to see who was preparing to secretly strike at the Hall of Nine Poisons!

After returning to the Hall of Nine Poisons, Jun Feng helped Ning Hongshu handle her affairs, always ready for Fang Mu’s summons.

Back at Mountain Manor, Fang Mu comfortably stretched, his gains from the trip were simply immense!

Just the gains alone far surpassed those from his previous visit to the Ancient Battlefield.

Two Grandmaster Creators, one Peak Order Practitioner, plus an opportunity to forge an alliance with the Cyan Deer Tribe.

Compared to these, the Wood Attribute Growth Type Secret Land seemed almost like an extra bonus!

Fang Mu had already had Liu Xi control a puppet on his behalf to thank Shui Miao, Su Qing, Wang Mi, Xu Fengnian and others.

These individuals were usually extremely busy, having devoted so much of their time to him this time.

Fang Mu was very generous in giving back.

Fang Mu knew that only by doing so, the next time he needed help, even without asking, they would come forward to assist him.

Only Zhang Yue, his disciple Chen Tong, Zhang Renbin, and Liu Xi returned to Mountain Manor after the competition.

This trip had greatly expanded Zhang Renbin's horizons, as it was his first time working with a Grandmaster Creator.

Expanding his horizons was indeed the greatest achievement from this trip for Zhang Renbin.

Afterwards, in managing other travel groups, he would be much more composed than before.

“Brother Zhang, this trip must have been tough on you, you should return to Ji Feng Travel Group and stand by.”

“Try to avoid letting Ji Feng Travel Group venture near the Sea of Domains during this period.”

As Fang Mu spoke these words solemnly, Zhang Renbin keenly sensed a hint of danger in Fang Mu’s words.

Fang Mu would not speak without a reason.

Through Fang Mu’s words, Zhang Renbin mentally noted that this tide did not only bring benefits, but also unpredictable risks.

Or perhaps the Sea of Domains would be the stage where real major forces contend.

Regardless of the reason, as a minor character, he had no right to share in the spoils.

It was most important to maintain a low profile and protect oneself!

After joining under Fang Mu, he no longer needed to constantly venture into danger to secure his future.

After Zhang Renbin left, Fang Mu had Liu Er arrange rooms for Zhang Yue and his disciple Chen Tong.

As soon as Zhang Yue returned and saw Fang Mu, he felt that the Fang Mu in front of him, although the same person he had met before, gave off a completely different vibe.

Now, the aura of the young man before him seemed as if it had suddenly broken free from a cage and risen substantially.

The fresh, natural aura of the young man had not been sensed by him at all just now.

Others might not understand what this fresh aura signified, but Zhang Yue knew it represented the young man before him purifying the impurities in his body.

Placing himself in a state of purity.

Zhang Yue tentatively asked,

“Little Wood, our promise from before still stands, right?”

Fang Mu, upon hearing this, realized Zhang Yue had noticed the difference between his true self and his substitute.

Zhang Yue would soon be completely under his control, so there was no need for Fang Mu to hide anything from him.

Fang Mu slightly bowed to Zhang Yue and said,

“Uncle Zhang, the person you met before was a substitute of mine; my true body was assisting my master with other matters.”

“Though it was a substitute, all our interactions before were genuine between you and me.”

“Rest assured, Uncle Zhang.”

“The day has grown late; I will come and help you with your problems tomorrow.”

“My master also needs to make preparations.”

Zhang Yue had thought that after arriving here, it would be a long time before he could receive Master Qixing’s assistance.

Yet he had not expected Master Qixing to make time for him immediately.

This thrilled Zhang Yue immensely!

In his view, this was Saint Creator Qixing showing great regard for him!

Chapter 1155: Cu Jing Xue Gu!

Take Zhang Yue for instance. Zhang Yue himself had many arrangements for his daily affairs.

None of these arrangements would he want to disrupt unless it was necessary.

Without exception, anyone who could become a Grandmaster Creator was extremely self-disciplined, always filling their days with numerous tasks.

Those who lacked self-discipline and diligence, no matter how talented, would hardly achieve such success.

Therefore, when someone sought the help of a Grandmaster Creator, the master might schedule the appointment days or even months later.

It wasn't necessarily that the Grandmaster Creator had many orders to fulfill, but perhaps they were busy with their own matters.

Saint Creator Qixing, having reached his esteemed position, must also be an exceptionally diligent and self-disciplined individual.

His sudden appearance was not expected by Qixing.

Thus, it was impossible for Qixing to have arranged time for him in advance, and he must have decided to make time for him only after learning of his situation.

If it had been Qixing under normal circumstances, it would have been one thing, yet Qixing was currently in seclusion!

To receive such attention from Qixing, Zhang Yue felt that Qixing would probably treat him well in the future.

From Zhang Yue's perspective, having chosen to ally himself with Qixing, all his actions in the future would undoubtedly be aimed at gaining Qixing's favor.

"Little Wood, I'll go and rest first."

"It just so happens that I've been traveling for a while; I also have some personal matters to attend to."

"Take these Cu Jing Xue Gu; they have the effect of refining and enhancing spiritual power."

"Have you ever consumed them before?"

"If it weren't for the fact that Cu Jing Xue Gu can only be harvested on the millennium snow mountain and cannot be cultivated artificially, and are effective only upon their first consumption..."

"These Cu Jing Xue Gu could almost be considered Sacred Relics!"

Fang Mu's gaze flickered as he watched Zhang Yue take out the bundle from his Spatial Equipment.

Fang Mu's spiritual power was on the verge of breakthrough.

With these Cu Jing Xue Gu, Fang Mu could almost certainly achieve the breakthrough tonight!

At that time, all of Fang Mu's Guardian Beasts could ascend in rank, and his own strength would undergo a transformation!

Fang Mu now had tasks to occupy him tonight.

“Uncle Zhang, I have never actually consumed Cu Jing Xue Gu before; I’ll accept these.”

“Some of my allies might also find them useful.”

Seeing Fang Mu accept the gift, Zhang Yue smiled and followed Liu Er’s guidance to the room prepared by She Wan.

Chen Tong’s mindset went through a series of changes.

Initially, as a result of Fang Mu offering Zhang Yue the tea that revealed his bloodline, Chen Tong held animosity against Fang Mu.

Chen Tong, despite being a young man with great reserve, could not hide his emotions during the unexpected event.

Chen Tong locked gazes with Fang Mu in that stone cavern, his enmity clearly perceived by Fang Mu.

Left by his master in Fang Mu’s care, Fang Mu had not interacted with him at all over those days, adopting a laissez-faire approach.

This filled Chen Tong with uneasiness, fearing Fang Mu might develop a negative opinion of him.

If his master, Zhang Yue, truly committed himself to Saint Creator Qixing, and Fang Mu, as Qixing’s recognized disciple, chose to act against him, even possibly severing the mentor-disciple connection between him and Zhang Yue.

Chen Tong had always wanted to find an opportunity to plead with Fang Mu to express his own stance.

Chen Tong didn't seek friendship with Fang Mu, merely wishing to clear any misunderstandings in Fang Mu's mind.

Yet, Chen Tong had not found an appropriate opportunity until now.

Zhang Yue noticed Chen Tong's unusual behavior, and considering the disciple who had always stayed by his side, Zhang Yue believed he understood him well.

"Little Tong, if you have anything on your mind, just say it. Don't bottle it up inside!"

Upon hearing this, Chen Tong, as if finding an outlet, spoke to Zhang Yue.

"Master, previously, when you suddenly revealed your bloodline, I showed animosity toward Sir Jianmu, which he noticed."

"What should I do?"

"Master, can you think of a solution for me? It would be improper for Sir Jianmu to keep misunderstanding me."

Chen Tong was unaware that the guide leading the way, Liu Er, was actually Fang Mu's informant.

His words had already been relayed to Fang Mu through Liu Xi's reports.

Fang Mu was somewhat surprised that Chen Tong would dwell on this issue.

He truly hadn't taken Chen Tong's animosity seriously.

He hadn't hosted Chen Tong because, firstly, there was no suitable person to attend to him at the time.

Fang Mu couldn't possibly assign an Order Strong to entertain a junior like Chen Tong.

Secondly, Fang Mu's attention was preoccupied with arrangements for the Cyan Deer Tribe.

Observing the interaction between Chen Tong and Zhang Yue, Fang Mu realized that Chen Tong was exceptionally reliant on Zhang Yue.

It was as if he treated Zhang Yue as family.

Otherwise, he wouldn't have asked Zhang Yue to figure out a solution for him!

Zhang Yue gave Chen Tong a helpless look upon hearing this.

"Little Tong, don't compare your scope to that of Sir Jianmu."

"Sir Jianmu wouldn't care about the hostility you've shown."

"I'm not sure whether I will need to take you back to Boundless City or leave you under Sir Jianmu's care in the future."

"If you are to stay with Sir Jianmu, try to learn as much as you can from him."

"Put your energy where it matters!"

Upon his return, Fang Mu first informed Fang Qin, Yan Wood, and Fang Yuan that all was well, and inquired about their recent circumstances.

Knowing that Fang Mu was traveling, they didn't want to worry him, so through communications with Legend Butterfly, they tended to share only good news and kept their troubles to themselves.

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Unless a major problem arose, the three of them would not disturb Fang Mu.

Fang Mu allocated a batch of resources to Liu Xi, instructing Liu Xi to distribute these resources to Fang Yuan, Fang Qin, Yan Wood, Yi Han, and Mo Shang, who had already joined the Infinite Tower.

Fang Yuan's focus had shifted from developing the Jianmu Commerce Association to establishing the Contemplation Hall.

The Jianmu Contemplation collaborated with multiple high schools and colleges of the Dragon Rising Federation, arranging free spots for the School.

This cooperation drew attention from the Purple Que School Palace, which endorsed the Jianmu Contemplation.

In reality, although this endorsement seemed highly important to other forces, it didn't have much practical effect on Jianmu Contemplation.

Fang Mu invested a significant amount of resources in Jianmu Contemplation.

He ensured that every aspect of Jianmu Contemplation was meticulously perfect.

Upon departing, Fang Mu handed over a marriage-bound Soul Parasite Ant to Fang Yuan, asking him to form a contract with the creature.

Then, he used the Soul Parasite Ant to control the members of Jianmu Contemplation.

A considerable amount of self-makers' resources, in the eyes of Fang Yuan, flowed to the Six-Polar Star and Scavengers controlled by everyone in Jianmu Contemplation, ensuring that the Guardian Beasts were firmly under the control of the Beast Masters.

They wouldn't face security risks as other Contemplation Halls might.

While establishing Jianmu Contemplation, Fang Mu and Fang Yuan aimed not only to harvest resources but also to assist those Beast Masters who were less privileged.

Jianmu Contemplation would issue tasks like the Beastmaster Alliance, and completion of these tasks would grant them Points.

Once someone accumulated a certain number of Points, they could visit the Contemplation Hall.

The tasks issued by Jianmu Contemplation closely related to Scavengers were not like those of the Beastmaster Alliance which required fighting in the wild and involved significant risks.

The tasks from Jianmu Contemplation mainly demanded time and could be effectively completed by the Guardian Beasts controlled by the less powerful Beast Masters in specific tasks.

This strategy maintained Jianmu Contemplation's profitability!

However, this required forming a vast management team for Jianmu Contemplation, with as much effort and resources needed as opening multiple Contemplation Halls!

But as the operation expanded, the importance of the management team grew ever more crucial.

The resources now invested in setting up the management team would become the foundation for Fang Mu's power development, allowing them to expand their operations at any time.

They didn't have to worry about chaos after expanding!

Managing and running Jianmu Contemplation was indeed a supreme test for a management team.

Fang Mu, Fang Yuan, Yan Wood, and Fang Qin deeply discussed the business model of Jianmu Contemplation, and all four had begun reciprocating to the vast Dragon Rising Federation in their ways.

Among Fang Mu's people, the most capable of stirring things up was undoubtedly Feng Chenhao, the manager of Peach Beguile.

The Peach Beguile trade convoy successfully passed through the Fulong Plain, heading to the six adjoining Federations.

Upon debuting in these Federations, Peach Beguile instantly ignited a frenzy among the female spirituality practitioners within these Federations to vie for its products.

Peach Beguile continued its strategy from Dragon-Taming Departure, offering limited supplies.

Even if you had the money ready for Peach Beguile's cosmetics, you had to wait for them to be issued.

If you were late, you couldn't buy them at all!

This limited supply strategy and the effectiveness of Peach Beguile's complete skincare line whipped up a storm not any less mighty than when it was first launched in the Dragon Rising Federation!

The proceeds from these sales were just sufficient to hire a Grandmaster Craftsman to establish branches of Peach Beguile in these six Federations.

Fang Mu had now fully taken Peach Beguile into his control.

Feng Chenhao was designated as the manager of the Peach Beguile brand, receiving three percent of the dividends annually.

The subsequent investments by Fang Mu in Peach Beguile even made the current Feng Chenhao tremble slightly.

Feng Chenhao had seen some of the world's ways but never anticipated Fang Mu to be so lavish.

It was because he joined forces with Fang Mu that he transformed from a prodigal son of a third-tier family into a magnate capable of rivaling a second-tier family head.

The current Feng Chenhao wielded more authority than his own grandfather, and he thoroughly enjoyed this feeling.

Fang Mu appointed Feng Chenhao as the designated manager of Peach Beguile, intending to let Feng Chenhao take charge.

Feng Chenhao's development of Peach Beguile also proved that Fang Mu had chosen his man wisely.

Having returned to his room, Fang Mu first used water to wash the Cu Jing Xue Gu that Zhang Yue had given him.

After cleaning the Cu Jing Xue Gu, Fang Mu took out a bottle of Ice Elemental Potion with a one hundred percent purity.

He poured the potion on the Cu Jing Xue Gu, allowing them to absorb it.

The pure Elemental Energy could enhance the effects of the Cu Jing Xue Gu; however, few people would use such luxurious Ice Elemental Potion with over eighty percent purity when consuming it.

The Cu Jing Xue Gu would take some time to absorb the Ice Elemental Potion, and Fang Mu used this opportunity to contact Yisi through the Legend Butterfly.

Unless necessary, Fang Mu was reluctant to contact Yisi, the Blood Race Queen.

Fang Mu certainly did not want his contact to expose the fact that Yisi was controlled by humans.

Soon, Yisi communicated with Fang Mu through the Legend Butterfly.

[Yisi]: "Master, I hope your dinner was to your liking? Yisi sends her regards!"

Back in the Blood Race territory, Yisi exuded an air of nobility in every gesture.

Only in front of Fang Mu did Yisi reveal a subordinate demeanor, taking the initiative to greet Fang Mu respectfully.

[Fang Mu]: “Yisi, you must have nearly used up the Blood Mist I gave you. When you said you’d help me collect Evil Spirits from within the Blood Race upon your return, how did that go?”

Indeed, the moment Yisi received the Blood red fog from Fang Mu, she absorbed it into her body at the fastest speed possible.

She didn’t leave such precious resources lingering with her.

Despite her elegant demeanor, Yisi was one to firmly adhere to the law of the jungle.

To those who follow the law of the jungle, resources must be used as quickly as possible.

Just like how a leopard might drag its prey up a tree to enjoy slowly, it still tries to consume as much of the prey’s flesh and blood as it can immediately.

Only when it cannot eat anymore does it leave the carcass hanging on the tree.

Yisi behaved the same as the leopard in order to prevent others from snatching her resources.

After all, Yisi had agreed to do just one thing for Fang Mu, so she dared not show any negligence.

[Yisi]: “Master, I have collected as many Evil Spirits as possible from within the Blood Race.”

[Yisi]: “I have exchanged much of my resources for them. These nearly ten thousand Evil Spirits should be sufficient for you for some time, right?”

[Yisi]: “I plan to deliver these Evil Spirits to you personally as soon as possible. May I know your wishes?”

[Yisi]: “I really don’t feel assured to entrust these Evil Spirits to someone else.”

Yisi had carefully chosen her words several times in her mind before saying this.

It wasn’t that she distrusted her Blood Servants to transport the Evil Spirits for Fang Mu.

Rather, she feared that after her Blood Servants received the Blood Mist given by Fang Mu, they might secretly absorb it.

Nevertheless, Yisi was not wrong in one respect; she truly had not spared her own resources to obtain these Evil Spirits.

Many Blood Race Queens thought Yisi had gone mad, using resources that could enhance her own strength to exchange for these seemingly useless items!

The moment Fang Mu heard that Yisi had collected nearly ten thousand Evil Spirits for him, his eyes widened in an instant.

Nearly ten thousand Evil Spirits!

At the moment, Fang Mu didn't know whether to marvel at the accumulation of the Blood Race or the efficiency of Yisi.

With these nearly ten thousand Evil Spirits in his possession, Liu Xi, who had just been upgraded to Heavenly Evil Spirit, might advance even further based on that foundation.

Awake Moon Beauty and Star-Gazing Beauty, the two Evil Spirits possessing Barrier Ability, could even progress to the level of Heavenly Evil Spirit!

Yisi being so supportive meant that Fang Mu too needed to provide a generous reward to Yisi in return!

Chapter 1157: Fang Mu's Breakthrough! Fang Mu was well aware that even if the Blood Race didn't consider Evil Spirits as a significant resource, Yisi's desire to exchange for so many Evil Spirits must have involved great investment.

Yisi had invested so much for her own service, and if Fang Mu didn't reciprocate, it would undoubtedly chill Yisi's heart.

In the future, even if Yisi continued to follow his commands, she would never work as tirelessly as she did now!

“Fang Mu”: Yisi, you have done well. Previously, I gave you one unit of Blood Mist. This time, I will hand over four units of Blood Mist to you.

“Fang Mu”: Additionally, I will offer you five liters of Blood Aged Wine to enhance your own bloodline.

“Fang Mu”: You used one hundred milliliters of Blood Aged Wine before, so you should know that the effects of Blood Aged Wine are far superior to those of Blood Mist.

Under the curse of the Exhausted Blood Flower Spirit, Fang Mu was producing a tremendous amount of blood daily.

However, the production of Heartblood did not proportionately match the output of regular blood.

Therefore, Fang Mu was no longer worried that using Blood Aged Wine would affect the production of Covenant Blood Essence.

If it were to impact the generation of Covenant Blood Essence, Fang Mu would definitely not be willing to pour so much Blood Aged Wine into Yisi.

As for Blood red fog, it was not that Fang Mu didn't want to give more to Yisi.

It's just that the production of Blood red fog took time, and providing four portions of Blood red fog was already Fang Mu's limit.

Yisi was extremely surprised upon hearing Fang Mu's words.

Blood Mist and Blood Aged Wine might not mean much to Fang Mu, but they were treasures equivalent to Sacred Relics in the eyes of the Blood Race.

Fang Mu's generosity far exceeded Yisi's expectations, bringing her an immense sense of happiness.

In the Blood Race's eyes, servants who were controlled even in life and death held no power whatsoever.

Even if these servants did much, there was no obligation to reward them.

Under such Blood Race culture, Yisi's feelings for Fang Mu, both vague and fervent, suddenly deepened.

More than receiving generous rewards from Fang Mu's hands, Yisi felt she wanted to see Fang Mu himself even more.

“Yisi”: Master, I have an appointment with two Blood Race Queens. After my meeting with these two Blood Race Queens, I will immediately set off for the Dragon Rising Federation.

“Yisi”: If all goes well, I should be able to trade for more than a thousand Evil Spirits for you!

At this point, Yisi paused for a moment before hurriedly adding.

“Yisi”: Master, those special Evil Spirits with potential have mostly been made into lanterns that decorate Red Moon Castle.

“Yisi”: These lanterns use souls as fuel and will activate some of the abilities that the Evil Spirits had in life.

“Yisi”: Therefore, the Evil Spirits I have collected for you aren’t of much value for nurturing!

“Yisi”: They are very different from the few Evil Spirits you were preparing to cultivate.

Yisi, having seen how Fang Mu had previously selected Evil Spirits, was afraid that Fang Mu had too high expectations for the quality of these Evil Spirits.

Fang Mu raised his eyebrows upon hearing this.

Since Yisi said so, it saved him the trouble of sorting through these Evil Spirits after he received them.

In terms of cultivation, Fang Mu would still prioritize Liu Xi; however, he would first enhance the Awake Moon Beauty and the Dream Star Beauty to the level of Heavenly Evil Spirits.

Only then could the two start to stand on their own.

Fang Mu would hand over the rest of the Evil Spirits to Liu Xi for consumption.

If Liu Xi could advance even further, perhaps she could remember more about the circumstances of the fifth and sixth Epochs.

“Fang Mu”: Yisi, we’ll keep in touch when the time comes; I have a serious matter to ask you this time.

“Fang Mu”: If your Blood Race plants a bloodline in humans, how can the bloodline be eradicated?

Upon hearing Fang Mu had a serious question, Yisi’s expression immediately became earnest.

After listening to Fang Mu’s question, Yisi spoke gravely.

“Yisi”: Master, the formation of a bloodline is not an ordinary curse performed by our Blood Race.

“Yisi”: In addition to injecting into other creatures our Blood Race’s unique venom, one must also infuse their own bloodline into the targeted individual.

“Yisi”: In our Blood Race’s eyes, a being that has been planted with a bloodline by a high-level member of our tribe becomes the private property of that member.

“Yisi”: No other members of the Blood Race would dare covet that being!

“Yisi”: If a bloodline planted by a Blood Race member below the level of Prince can be suppressed with a higher-level bloodline, it can be gradually cleansed over more than a dozen repeated attempts!

“Yisi”: If a Prince or Blood Race Queen plants the bloodline, the only way to eliminate the influence of the Blood Race is to start from the source by killing the Prince or Queen, which naturally nullifies the bloodline’s effect.

“Yisi”: One just needs to continually clear the toxins contained within the bloodline afterwards.

“Yisi”: Master, in my opinion, there is no need to bother with such troublesome tasks as driving out a bloodline. The Blood Race can sense the bloodline they have planted.

“Yisi”: Once the bloodline is subjected to an expulsion attempt, the Blood Race member only needs to channel their own blood energy into the bloodline to resist.

Yisi’s words made Fang Mu understand the tenacity of a bloodline.

It seemed impossible to remove the bloodline within Zhang Yue’s body; the only way was to locate the Blood Race Queen who planted the bloodline in Zhang Yue.

Controlling that Blood Race Queen would offer a permanent solution to the problem.

Blood Race Queens, proud as they were, walked the world declaring their own titles.

Chapter 1158: Fang Mu’s Breakthrough! _2

Fang Mu had inquired about Floating Peak.

Zhang Yue said that the Blood Race Queen who planted the blood seed in him was named Ervean.

[Fang Mu]: Yisi, as a Blood Race Queen, you must have heard of Ervean, a fellow queen, haven’t you? How powerful is she?

Yisi, who was conversing with Fang Mu through the Legend Butterfly, was startled by the question, then hurriedly responded.

[Yisi]: One of the two Blood Race Queens I met at the gathering was called Ervean. Her power was slightly stronger than mine before, but now we are evenly matched.

[Yisi]: Among all the Blood Race Queens, she is considered to be of middle to lower rank.

Fang Mu was pleased upon hearing this.

Luring out this Blood Race Queen named Ervean through Zhang Yue presented some difficulties.

Ervean must be afraid that Zhang Yue would do something to her.

If Yisi were willing to help Ervean and go together to the Human World,

Ervean's courage would undoubtedly be emboldened.

Then, it would be much easier for Yisi to cooperate with Fang Mu from inside and outside to make a move against Ervean.

[Fang Mu]: In the near future, I might take action against Ervean, and I will need your help then.

[Fang Mu]: I will inform you of any specific instructions through the Legend Butterfly.

After saying this, Fang Mu ended the call.

Tomorrow, when meeting Zhang Yue, Fang Mu intended to thoroughly discuss the information he had gathered from Yisi.

Zhang Yue clearly did not understand much about the blood seed and had been wrongly seduced by the Blood Race to consume raw blood.

The raw blood stimulates the blood seed, which can evoke the Blood Race's bloodline contained within it.

Over time, this would increase Zhang Yue's craving for blood.

By explaining the situation with the blood seed to Zhang Yue, Fang Mu was essentially demonstrating the authority of the Saint Creator Qixing.

The Cu Jing Xue Gu had already absorbed enough Ice Elemental Energy by now.

Fang Mu picked up two pieces of Cu Jing Xue Gu and put them in his mouth, chewing the not-so-tasty mushrooms.

A cool energy quickly rose from Fang Mu's stomach to his spiritual sea.

With Fang Mu's spiritual sea already at its peak, this cool energy directly broke through his limits.

The Destiny Guidebook appeared in Fang Mu's hands.

The One-point Star that had lit up on the Destiny Guidebook had now turned into a Two Mang Star!

Four mysterious patterns danced around the Destiny Guidebook.

Finally, Fang Mu had advanced his Beast Master ranks, catching up in a few months to what ordinary Beast Masters accumulated over several years.

Resources Fang Mu had spent in this period were unimaginable to other Beast Masters.

Furthermore, Fang Mu also possessed secrets like the Crescent Moon Pendant that continuously refined his spiritual power.

Upon advancing his Beast Master star level, Fang Mu raised his hand and summoned the now Platinum (1/10) Legendary Quality Spirit Mayfly: Extreme Accumulation.

[Beast Name]: Soul Mayfly: Extreme Accumulation

[Beast Species]: Mayfly Family/Mayfly Genus

[Beast Level]: Platinum (1/10)

[Beast Element]: Spirit Series

[Beast Potential]: Platinum

[Beast Quality]: Legendary

Skills:

[Spirit Reserve]: As the rank increases, it enhances the filling of one's spiritual power to its utmost limit.

[Spiritual Nourishment]: Nurtures one's own spiritual power, accelerating the speed at which spiritual power increases and beneficially influencing the integration of external spiritual power with one's own.

[Spirit Explosion]: It consumes one's spiritual power to its limit, allowing for a brief breakthrough of spiritual power. During this breakthrough, the individual will be immune to a series of negative effects from the mental plane.

[Spirit Amplification]: Designates a target to either infuse one's own spiritual power into the target's body or draw the target's spiritual power into one's own body for both positive and negative amplification. During the amplification process, both the target and oneself possess the same level of mental defense capability.

Exclusive Traits:

[Mayfly Leaping]: Using a cluster of spiritual power as the target, one can directly enter the target's spiritual power for instantaneous mental transmission between spirits.

[Mayfly Layered Wings]: As spiritual power accumulates, it can be condensed into a pair of wings layered under the main wing. Consuming the layered wings allows access to the spiritual power within them (the efficiency of using this internal spiritual power is 60%).

[Extreme Enrichment]: Slightly increases the capacity of one's reserved spiritual power, putting one's sea of spirit in a reinforced state. In the activated state, it can transfer the mental trauma of the Contractor to the sea of spirit in oneself to bear.

Evolutionary Path:

1: Soul Mayfly · Spirit Leap, 2: Soul Mayfly · Soul Slash, 3: Soul Mayfly · Soul Annihilation.

Before contracting the Infinite Silver Silkworm, the Soul Mayfly was at the golden stage level ten of epic quality.

It was after contracting the Infinite Silver Silkworm that the Soul Mayfly's rank and quality were enhanced.

If it were not for the exclusive trait [Extreme Enrichment] of the Soul Mayfly, which advanced to legendary quality, slightly enhancing the mental reserve,

Fang Mu would not have been able to easily control several beasts at the platinum tier one level with the ability of a one-point star Beast Master.

The exclusive trait [Extreme Enrichment] of the Soul Mayfly, which advanced to legendary quality, once again elevated its strategic level.

The greatest fear for a Beast Master who has contracted a Soul Mayfly is experiencing a problem with the contract that leads to mental power collapse due to backlash from the Beastmaster Ranks.

Extreme Enrichment allows Fang Mu to shift all the risks onto the Soul Mayfly.

Furthermore, it allows the Soul Mayfly to bear the mental trauma when Fang Mu himself is attacked mentally.

However, under normal circumstances, Fang Mu would not do this, as he does not want the Soul Mayfly's essence to be damaged.

Apart from [Extreme Enrichment], the Soul Mayfly also gained a skill named [Spirit Amplification].

The introduction to [Spirit Amplification] may seem complex, but its actual use is surprisingly simple.

If the Soul Mayfly designates a target and combines their spiritual powers, it will amplify the spiritual power of both itself and the target.

The party from whom the spiritual power is drawn will be immobilized.

But during this process, they can gain the same mental defense capability as the amplifier, helping them resist mental attacks from the outside.

This seemingly simple ability has many clever uses in combat.

If used properly, it can have an unexpected effect at crucial moments.

This Beast Skill is a true test of the Beast Master's combat skills.

Fang Mu has always had a clear understanding of himself, considering his combat skills to be decent.

But he sees a high potential for improvement.

Recently, Fang Mu has not had the chance to go to the Battle Network for combat.

Once his various beasts have advanced in rank, Fang Mu plans to seriously hone his combat skills.

Among Fang Mu's beasts, the Soul Mayfly is one of the few that can quickly advance in rank.

It only requires the provision of sufficient Life Energy and spiritual materials.

Fang Mu stayed up all night, diligently cultivating the elusive Soul Mayfly.

At the moment when the first light broke, the Soul Mayfly successfully advanced to the diamond rank.

Though the Soul Mayfly failed to undergo a Bloodline Transformation and advance from the base of Soul Mayfly: Extreme Accumulation,

it still brought Fang Mu a considerable surprise.

The diamond rank skill [Spirit Extraction] is a powerful method of spiritual attack.

[Spirit Extraction]: Projects a spiritual beam at the target, which extracts the target's spiritual power out of their body, the extent of extraction depending on the difference between one's own spiritual power and the target's. When one's spiritual power is twice that of the target, the target's spiritual power will be completely extracted out of the body.

The diamond level skill [Spirit Extraction] of the Soul Mayfly, although it is hard to reach more than twice the spiritual power of other beasts at the same rank,

still provides a strong control over other beasts.

Yet, if paired with its own platinum level skill [Spirit Amplification], achieving twice the target's spiritual power and completely extracting their spiritual power out of their body doesn't seem too difficult!

Chapter 1159: Sea Flame Bloom! Among beasts of the same tier, those of the spirit series naturally possess stronger spiritual power.

Even the most common spirit-series Guardian Beasts, with means to amplify their spiritual power, would find it hard to double their own strength.

What Fang Mu lacked most in combat were control-type skills, and “Spirit Extraction” could be considered an extremely powerful control-type skill in his arsenal.

The Spirit Mayfly applies control-type skills to its target, and because its body is extremely small, it’s hard to detect.

Thus, this form of control is not only difficult to prevent in advance but also hard to counter.

The Spirit Mayfly: Extreme Accumulation has three evolutionary paths, which are Spirit Mayfly: Spirit Jump, Spirit Mayfly: Soul Slash, and Spirit Mayfly: Soul Annihilation.

Among these three evolutionary paths, only the Spirit Mayfly: Spirit Jump is related to spiritual power.

The existence of the Spirit Mayfly is to allow Fang Mu to control beasts of higher tiers.

Therefore, Fang Mu would steer the evolution of Spirit Mayfly: Extreme Accumulation in the direction of the Spirit Mayfly: Spirit Jump.

After the Spirit Mayfly: Extreme Accumulation, which had been promoted to Diamond Phase Level One of Legendary Quality, was recorded in the Destiny Guidebook, Fang Mu summoned the Sea Flame Twins.

The Sea Flame Twins, who had just advanced to the Platinum Tier, had successfully evolved from the Lake Suppression Flame Flow.

This sudden promotion brought Fang Mu a huge surprise.

Fang Mu had assumed that the Lake Suppression Flame Flow had to wait until it advanced to the Diamond Stage before it could undergo transformation into the Sea Flame Twins.

The image of the Sea Flame Twins was still that of two girls, one red and one blue, standing back-to-back.

What was different now was that behind the Sea Flame Twins, the phantoms of magma and sea currents had appeared.

The spiritual intelligence of the Sea Flame Twins had obviously increased significantly from before.

At that moment, a soft and tender voice sounded in Fang Mu's ear.

"Fang Mu, don't keep staring at us Sisters; we get shy!"

Following this tender voice, a cool voice rang out.

“Fang Mu, the toxic energy you have provided for us Sisters recently has been much less than before; our poison attacks are still our strongest combat method.”

Behind the two voices, there were clearly two entirely different personalities.

The water attribute of the Gemini was calm and composed, while the fire attribute Gemini was passionate and shy.

The greatest advantage of twin-type elves is that they have two souls, which can think independently during combat.

This allows them to better respond to the changing tides of battle.

Many Beast Masters consider twin-type Half-Elves as two Guardian Beasts, though there's a clear gap compared to two separate beasts.

Fang Mu was surprised that his Sea Flame Twins, while at the Platinum Tier, were able to simulate human speech to communicate with him through elemental vibrations.

Now the Sea Flame Twins' spiritual intelligence was no worse than that of an adult human.

Recently, Fang Mu hadn't been engaged in Scavenger-related work at the Garbage Man Guild.

This meant he no longer had Poison Crystals at his disposal.

Since the Sea Flame Twins had mentioned their need for Poison Crystals to enhance their strength, Fang Mu would certainly get more Poison Crystals of various types for them in the future.

"Don't worry, I will equip you with the Poison Crystals in the next day or two."

"I summoned you this time because my Beast Master Star Level has been promoted."

"You can also continue to advance in rank!"

While speaking, Fang Mu used the Innate Divine Ability "Eye of Omniscience" of the Fool's Shadow to examine the Sea Flame Twins.

[Beast Name]: Sea Flame Twins

[Beast Species]: Elemental Department / Multi-Element Species

[Beast Level]: Platinum (1/10)

[Beast Element]: Water System / Fire System

[Beast Potential]: Diamond

[Beast Quality]: Legendary

Skills:

[Water Spirit Conversion]: Uses its own water elemental energy as a carrier to accommodate another element's energy, incorporating this energy as an adjunct and mimicking a creature that possesses the accommodated attribute.

[Silent Rain Cry]: When their watery body spreads throughout the surroundings, reduces the concentration of other elements in the environment, and hinders the target's affinity with elemental energy when coming into contact with the water.

[Lake Suppression Flame Flow]: Utilizes an overwhelming amount of water elemental energy to suppress the target as a lake, constraining the target's movements, and in an instant converting water element into fire energy with a scorching effect, achieving a high evaporation hit on the target.

[Sea Flame Bloom]: Unleashes the locked water and fire elemental energies within the twins, transforming their bodies into a wave of flame and sea current to bombard a designated target with elemental fury, with the continual interaction of the two elements enhancing the evaporation effect and increasing the damage of the sea current and flame wave.

Exclusive Traits:

[Poison Mark Fragments]: Each time a target is hit by the toxin damage provided by the twins, a poison mark will form. With every third mark, an explosion occurs, the damage of which is related to the intensity of the toxin.

[Curtain Water Decay and Prosperity]: Damage inflicted by water is converted into healing, temporarily transmitted to the Contractor through rain threads, and the Contractor can distribute the healing through a medium (the healing effect dissipates after some time.)

[Element Twins]: Chooses an element that is opposed to its own to create a twin relationship. In the twin state, the element has the effects of the accommodated element from Water Spirit Conversion and shares other skills and exclusive traits. The twin elements can be converted into each other when there is a specific need.

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Evolutionary Path:

1: Ocean Flame Elf (Twin Form), 2: Flame Territory Elf, 3: Melting Ocean Twins.

The Sea Flame Twins, upon advancing to Platinum Tier, gained the strongest offensive technique currently available to them, named [Sea Flame Bloom].

Whether Elves or Half-Elves, releasing the Elemental Energy within oneself to revert to elemental form is an exceptionally powerful offensive technique without exception.

This kind of technique, where one reverts oneself to elemental form, is only obtained by Half-Elves on the verge of transforming into Elves.

Through the evolutionary path of the Sea Flame Twins, this was proven to Fang Mu.

Should the Sea Flame Twins evolve again, they will become Elves in Twin Form.

During the advancement to Diamond Rank, it is not possible for the Sea Flame Twins to evolve into Twin Form Ocean Flame Elves.

However, upon stepping into the Ranking, Fang Mu could allow the Sea Flame Twins to attempt a Bloodline Evolution.

Once [Sea Flame Bloom] is utilized, the Sea Flame Twins' bodies, transformed into waves of flame and a torrent of sea, surge towards the target incessantly.

For any Guardian Beast of the same rank, it is nothing short of an apocalyptic sight.

More importantly, the evaporative effect produced by the interplay of waves and currents can increase their lethality as it continuously accumulates.

Moreover, these currents and waves carry a potent poison.

By virtue of the skill [Water Absorption Spirit], the Sea Flame Twins consider the toxin as the third type of Elemental Energy they harbor.

Each wave and current contain toxins that incessantly infiltrate the target.

These waves and currents, paired with the evaporative effect, are more than capable of penetrating the defenses of most creatures.

At this moment, Fang Mu understood why it is said that Elves can fight beyond their ranks—the Sea Flame Twins, though only Half-Elves for the time being, already possessed the means to battle above their own tier!

When the Sea Flame Twins evolve into the Twin Form Ocean Flame Elves, their strength will climb even further.

Upon hearing Fang Mu's words, the Sea Flame Twins displayed an excited expression on their faces.

No Guardian Beasts can withstand the temptation of transformative power, and the Sea Flame Twins were no exception.

Fang Mu handed over a large number of Pure Water Elemental Crystals to the Sea Flame Twins, allowing them to absorb these Water Elemental Energy crystals on their own.

Fang Mu estimated that it would likely take three or four days for the Sea Flame Twins to advance all the way from Platinum Tier One to Diamond Rank.

Just as Fang Mu was preparing to investigate the situation of the Subduing Dragon Nightmare Tiger, the Covenant Servant Soul Ant Queen issued a protesting reminder that it was time for Fang Mu to rest.

If Fang Mu didn't sleep, the Covenant Servant Soul Ant Queen couldn't absorb Soul Energy from him.

Recently, Fang Mu had frequently had the Covenant Servant Soul Ant Queen use its unique characteristic [New Ant Queen Mating Flight] to create new queens, which put a tremendous strain on the energy reserves inside the Covenant Servant Soul Ant Queen.

The Covenant Servant Soul Ant Queen needed to absorb Fang Mu's Soul Energy daily for recovery.

Fang Mu simply put away the Sea Flame Twins and fell into a deep sleep.

By the time Fang Mu opened his eyes, it was already noon the next day.

Fang Mu stretched and was ready to meet with Zhang Yue, the Grandmaster Creator, after freshening up.

Fang Mu had promised Zhang Yue that today they would discuss the situation of his blood kind.

Fang Mu didn't want to let down this Grandmaster Creator who had just pledged allegiance to him.

With the arrival of Liu Yi and Liu Er, She Wan's work had been thoroughly freed up.

Most of She Wan's time was now spent tailoring new clothes for Fang Mu.

From Fang Mu's customary attire, She Wan had come to understand his style.

Preferring those designs that were simple, She Wan put extra thought into these garments, designing them to be simple yet not simplistic.

She strived to make each piece of simple clothing exceptionally elegant when worn.

Fang Mu changed into an outfit designed by She Wan and made his way to the dining hall.

Fang Mu had already heard from Liu Xi that Zhang Yue had been waiting for him in the dining hall for all of the morning.

As soon as Fang Mu entered the dining hall, Zhang Yue quickly approached him.

“Little Wood, I wonder if Master Qixing has mentioned to you about the blood kind within me?”

Zhang Yue, by all means, should not appear so anxious as if he feared Fang Mu would renege on his promise.

However, it was precisely because, last night, the blood kind inside Zhang Yue had erupted once again.

Floating Peak could feel that this eruption of blood kind in his body was being manipulated by someone. Clearly, it was the Blood Race Queen who had implanted his blood kind that began to catalyze it.

Yesterday evening, the Blood Race Queen teased herself five times.

Five times into the Bloodthirsty State, the Floating Peak Grandmaster was almost sleepless for the entire night, exhausted in both body and mind.

Faced with this situation, the Floating Peak Grandmaster briefly did not know if he should tell Fang Mu.

Fang Mu was quite surprised by the urgent attitude displayed by the Floating Peak Grandmaster.

If the Floating Peak Grandmaster was so urgent, he should have shown it yesterday, there would have been no need to wait until now!

Last night, something must have happened at the Floating Peak Grandmaster's place, but after meeting with him, he chose not to explain it to me right away.

Fang Mu was not surprised by this.

A Grandmaster Creator surely had his own secrets, but Fang Mu did not like the Floating Peak Grandmaster acting this way at all.

Fang Mu did not chastise the Floating Peak Grandmaster, but directly took out a Soul Parasite Ant and an Infinite Silver Silkworm and handed them to Zhang Yue.

"Uncle Zhang, the Seed of Blood has been completely planted in your body, and once planted, it cannot be artificially removed."

Fang Mu told Zhang Yue the knowledge about the Seed of Blood that he had learned from the Blood Race Queen Yisi.

Zhang Yue's face turned pale.

Zhang Yue did not doubt a word Fang Mu said.

As a disciple of a Saint Creator, every word and action of Fang Mu represented Qixing.

Master Qixing, the Saint Creator, would have no reason to deceive him.

Does this mean that for the rest of his life, he would be subject to the influence of the Seed of Blood?

Previously, Zhang Yue had always placed his hopes on his advancement in Beastmaster Ranks.

But with the attack initiated by the Blood Race Queen, it was very likely that he would not wait for the rank upgrade and would be influenced by her, turning into a bloodthirsty monster.

It was then that Zhang Yue heard Fang Mu continue to speak.

"Although it is impossible to remove the Seed of Blood inside your body, there is still a way to eliminate its influence on you."

“If we can capture that Blood Race Queen who planted the Seed of Blood in you, then the Seed of Blood won’t have any effect on you!”

Hearing this, Zhang Yue’s face showed a startle expression.

Indisputably though, Fang Mu’s suggestion could be an eternal solution to the problem.

Zhang Yue reached out and took the Soul Parasite Ant and the Infinite Silver Silkworm from Fang Mu, introducing the Soul Parasite Ant into his soul.

Although he was unaware of the function of the Infinite Silver Silkworm, he obediently contracted it anyway.

Now, with Zhang Yue’s life and death in Fang Mu’s hands, it was natural for Fang Mu not to need to admonish him, a Grandmaster Creator, any longer.

After all, this was done, Zhang Yue asked Fang Mu seriously.

“Little Wood, has Master Qixing mentioned how to control that Blood Race Queen who planted the Seed of Blood inside me?”

Fang Mu had said so much and even shared the method to eradicate the influence of the Seed of Blood.

Presumably, Qixing should have a plan for the Blood Race Queen!

If not, it would be mere idle talk, meaningless.

Master Qixing would surely not do something so pointless.

Fang Mu responded with a smile upon hearing this.

“Uncle Zhang, as the saying goes, ‘it takes the binder himself to unbind the bell.’ The Blood Race Queen who planted the Seed of Blood in you is named Ervean.”

“Only you can contact Ervean using the Seed of Blood.”

“When you enter the Bloodthirsty State and the Seed of Blood is activated, you can try to contact that Blood Race Queen Ervean and lure her to meet in reality.”

“At that time, I will dispatch people to act together with you.”

Fang Mu did not share with Zhang Yue the news that they had an internal informant within the Blood Race.

It was not that Fang Mu distrusted Zhang Yue but because Fang Mu was unsure whether Zhang Yue would reveal any relevant information during the moments when Ervean was influencing him with the Seed of Blood.

Fang Mu was not worried about his own plan against Ervean being known by her.

For Ervean could also recruit helpers on her side.

Fang Mu intended to let Yisi become Ervean's helper, to reciprocate the subterfuge.