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Fang Mu vividly remembered the sight of Yan Yubanruo when he first saw her in her eggshell.

She was wrapped in white bandages, with white paper men fluttering around her.

Her whole body seemed pure and devoid of any blemish.

Only the ghost mask that covered her face bore vibrant colors.

The ghost mask looked like the face of a woman wrought with sorrow, twisted with resentment and madness.

Yet under all this despair and negativity, the woman exhibited a lurid and eerie smile.

This was Fang Mu's initial perception of Yan Yubanruo's appearance.

Now, the white bandages around Yan Yubanruo's body had turned into dark purple chains binding her.

The chains bore a distinct dark red hue.

The ends of the chains were a web of spiked hooks.

Outside of the chains, Yan Yubanruo was wearing a floor-length robe made out of ghostly qi.

The robe was covered in faces of women that matched the design on the mask, the image Fang Mu previously had of her.

Dozens of female faces with various expressions continuously transformed on Yan Yubanruo's robe.

Some of the originally white paper men had turned red.

The alternating red and white paper men fluttering around Yan Yubanruo were even more eerie than before.

Fortunately, the aura emanating from Yan Yubanruo wasn't targeting Fang Mu, and thus, he only had to deal with the visual disturbance.

Adding to this, the mask that previously covered her entire face had split into two, becoming two adornments on the corners of Yan Yubanruo's eyes.

Her dark purple hair was tidily coiled high against the back of her head, held up by eight neat bone hairpins.

Underneath the hairpins, the mysterious baubles did not sway even as dark purple ghost flames ascended around Yan Yubanruo's body.

They only collided occasionally when Yan Yubanruo moved towards the soul of Fang Mu, producing terrifying cries reminiscent of women's screams.

After Yan Yubanruo entered Fang Mu's soul and branded one of his souls, her contract with him was finally completed.

From the first moment Fang Mu saw Yan Yubanruo, he used the Eye of Omniscience to probe her data.

[Beast Name]: Yan Yubanruo

[Beast Species]: Ghost King Order /Glamour Ghost Species

[Beast Level]: Bronze (1/10)

[Beast Element]: Ghost System

[Beast Potential]: Silver

[Beast Quality]: Perfect

Skill:

[Golem Paper Control]: Controlling the undead with white paper men planted inside them. Until the Soul Flame of the Undead extinguishes, the control cannot be snatched away.

When the red paper men latch onto an enemy, they form a bond with a white paper man on a target. When the target bearing the white paper man sustains damage, the individual that the red paper man is attached to suffers the identical damage.

Exclusive Trait:

[Master of Underworld]: She won't suffer any damage until all the Soul Flames of the undead attached with white paper being extinguished.

Should the undead inhabited by the white paper men die while surrounded by fresh corpses, the paper men will migrate into the fresh corpses, temporarily converting them into undead for combat.

Fang Mu was somewhat surprised after probing through Yan Yubanruo's attributes.

The Yan Yubanruo he hatched at the cost of one Contracting Blood and over five thousand milliliters of Blood Aged Wine only turned out to be a perfect quality at bronze stage 1.

This was indeed indicative of the difficulty in raising Yan Yubanruo's level and quality.

She Wan once claimed that all Ghost System Beasts from a Destruction Level Dimensional Rift invariably belonged to the Ghost Soldier Category.

A portion of Ghost System Beasts from Destruction Level Dimensional Rift were classified under Ghost Soldier Category whereas others were divided into Ghost General Category.

Majority of Ghost System Beasts from a Disaster Level Dimensional Rift belonged to the Ghost General Category.

Only a small minority could reach the standard of the Ghost King Order.

The categorization of Ghost System Beasts refers to their suppression in the bloodline among the respective Beast Species, and does not necessarily align with their strength.

However, when a battle ensues between Beast System Masters possessing Ghost System Beasts, the very presence of Ghost King Order Beasts exerts significant effects on Beasts of Ghost General Category and Ghost Soldier Category.

Looking at Yan Yubanruo's skills and exclusive traits, Fang Mu began to understand why many Beast Masters were reluctant to contract with the summoner-type Ghost System Beasts.

Nevertheless, everything has two sides.

If one had resources to positively invest, summoner type Ghost System Beasts could astonish many.

Recently, Yan Yubanruo herself did not possess much combat capability but through [Kui Paper Control], she could control other undead creatures.

This was equivalent to forming a contract with these undead using white paper men.

In the territory of the Dragon Rising Federation, undead creatures were rare.

Natural graveyards and places where wildlife were discarded could occasionally give birth to some undead.

These undead, devoid of much Dead Qi from the moment of their birth, could only elevate their stages by devouring flesh and the souls of the living.

It should be noted that Undead cultivated with Soul of Life and those with Soul of Death fell under completely different categories.

If one could nurture an undead from a young age, raising it as a Guardian Beast, and elevate its stage and quality, that would yield immense benefits.

Equal to Dark-element Beasts in their troublesome nature, Undead Beasts were not restrained by Natural Element Beasts.

This was why scholars in the Dragon Rising Federation classified Undead Beasts under Dark Data Beasts.

Most importantly, through [Golem Paper Control], once undead creatures are under control, as long as the Soul Flame of the undead doesn't extinguish completely, no one can break the contract.

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Once the Soul Flame of an Undead Creature disappears, it's as if they've lost their life and become utterly useless.

Being taken control of by someone else doesn't matter anymore.

Not only are the white paper men effective, but the red paper men also play a crucial role in the battles.

After binding the red paper men with the white ones, they possess the enemies.

Any damage suffered by the Undead Creatures controlled by the white paper men is reflected back onto the targets possessed by the red paper men.

This gave Fang Mu many new combat strategies.

Firstly, the Guardian Beasts from the Ghost System wouldn't get hurt in vain, as all the damages caused by the enemy's attack would be reflected back onto the target.

Secondly, in cases when an enemy's defense is too strong to be broken through, he could attack his own Undead Creatures to harm the enemy.

Fang Mu carefully counted the white paper men fluttering around Yan Yubanruo.

There were eight white paper men and three red ones around Yan Yubanruo.

It means that Yan Yubanruo can now control eight Undead Creatures.

Fang Mu, after reviewing the Skill[Golem Paper Control], could not help but swallow.

He was not sure whether he should marvel at the power of this summoner-type Guardian Beast of the Ghost System, Yan Yubanruo, or lament at the wealth Yan Yubanruo was squandering!

The exclusive characteristic of the Master of Underworld can be considered as a defense capability of Yan Yubanruo and also a combat method.

As long as the Undead Creatures attached by the white paper men are not eliminated, Yan Yubanruo won't be injured at all.

If the Undead Creatures controlled by the white paper men perish, as long as a fresh corpse can be found, the white paper men can continue to be effective.

They would attach to a fresh corpse, thereby temporarily transforming it into an Undead Creature for a short period of combat.

To render the white paper men completely ineffective, there must not be any corpses on the battlefield.

Even if there are any corpses, they could not possibly be in a fresh state.

Through the constant maneuverings of the white paper men, the exclusive characteristic of the Master of Underworld ensures the maximum safety of Yan Yubanruo.

As for his first Guardian Beast from the Ghost System, Fang Mu couldn't be more satisfied.

Not only could the Sequential Spiritual Instrument, Forest Resentment Bell, which had been gathering dust within the Purple Ice Crystal Ring, finally be put to use, but also there's a role for the Omen Butterfly that he had spent a fortune on during the auction.

After marking his soul, Yan Yubanruo reappeared before Fang Mu.

"Contractor, my name is Ming Ye."

"If you don't like my name, you can give me any nickname."

While speaking, Yan Yubanruo was seriously observing Fang Mu, the human who was now inextricably linked to him.

Fang Mu knew that high-sentient beings often cared a lot about their names.

Those creatures, whose intelligence has reached adult human level right from birth, would often name themselves.

Yan Yubanruo did not insist on being called Ming Ye, but instead gave him the opportunity to choose a name.

This was enough to show Yan Yubanruo's closeness and respect towards him.

This didn't correspond to the rumor that the relationship between the Guardian Beasts of the Ghost System and their Contractors was typically indifferent.

However, for Fang Mu, it was only natural for Yan Yubanruo to be close to him.

That's because between Fang Mu and Yan Yubanruo, there was not only a soul contract but also a bloodline connection.

The bond created by these two contracts simply could not be compared to the bonds between other Beast Masters and their Guardian Beasts from the Ghost System.

"Ming Ye, it's a beautiful name, and there's no need for another alias."

"Later on, I'll find some Undead Creatures for you to choose from, and you can choose which ones to cast the Skill [Golem Paper Control] on."

"After you've made your choice, I'll help you with training.",

Upon hearing these words, Yan Yubanruo's frigid lips unconsciously curved into a warm arc.

"It's indeed necessary to carefully select the toys that will serve under my feet."

At that moment, Fang Mu suddenly felt that Yan Yubanruo's personality matched his face.



That was the right way to speak!

His mindset and attitude towards Undead Creatures just now truly reflected Yan Yubanruo's character.

"Ming Ye, what kind of resources do you need for promotion and quality enhancement in the future?"

While the Ghost System Beasts cannot evolve again, consuming different resources during growth would result in different areas of strength.

For example, using Souls of Life to cultivate Yan Yubanruo would increase the number of paper men he could control.

Using Souls of Death to cultivate Yan Yubanruo, on the other hand, would enhance Yan Yubanruo's offensive ability.

There are numerous ways to cultivate Ghost System Beasts.

Rather than the Beast Master making all the decisions for a highly-intelligent Ghost System Beast, it's better to let the Ghost System Beast make its own choice.

Yan Yubanruo was slightly taken aback by Fang Mu's words.

In this contract relationship, Fang Mu was superior, and Yan Yubanruo was the subordinate. Fang Mu could decide everything about him.

Despite this, Fang Mu was still willing to respect his choice, which made Yan Yubanruo feel a touch of warmth for the first time.

"I would like to use Souls of Death and the Evil Qi from the battlefield to enhance myself!"

“Rather than contract with more Undead Creatures, I hope to strengthen myself.”

“Only when I become stronger can I better reflect abilities onto the Undead Creatures.”

Yan Yubanruo, who had left a mark in Fang Mu’s soul, could learn about the world from the fragments in Fang Mu’s soul.

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It could be said that Yan Yubanruo now sees the world exactly the same as Fang Mu.

Thinking of the value of the Soul of Death, Yan Yubanruo added another sentence.

“The Soul of Death needs to be refined from the Soul of Life, and its value is high.”

“You not only have to use the Soul of Death to nurture me but also those toys under my control.”

“This will be a substantial consumption!”

“And once the battle starts, the dead creatures controlled by me are likely to be destroyed. I don’t want to be too wasteful!”

Yan Yubanruo’s words were sincere, but Fang Mu couldn’t help cringing at the corners of his mouth.

His Guardian Beast understands thrift, and for a while, Fang Mu wasn’t sure whether to be happy or to reflect on the fact that he had made Yan Yubanruo feel the pressure of life.

Fang Mu was unaware of how exactly the Soul of Death was refined.

There was no record of how to refine the Soul of Death in any of the books that Fang Mu had read.

However, it was certain that refining the Soul of Life into the Soul of Death was a very cruel process.

Very few people in the Dragon Soaring Federation made contracts with undead Guardian Beasts, so the demand for the Soul of Death never increased.

This meant that the Soul of Death practically had no market in the Dragon Soaring Federation.

But just because the Souls of Death are scarce in the Dragon Rising Federation due to environmental and regional reasons, it doesn't mean that other federations don't produce Souls of Death.

Fang Mu could exchange for the Souls of Death at the Starwheel gathering.

However, the number of items that could be traded at each Starwheel gathering was limited. It was not possible for him to solely trade for the Souls of Death.

Having contracted with Yan Yubanruo, Fang Mu's future demand for the Souls of Death would only increase.

The best solution would be to find a way to continuously obtain Souls of Death.

After communicating with Yan Yubanruo for a while, Fang Mu summoned the Death Herald Butterfly from the Purple Ice Crystal Ring.

The wings of the Death Herald Butterfly were like ink, with eerie purple patterns on them.

At first glance, one would not notice the beauty of the Death Herald Butterfly.

But when the wings of the Death Herald Butterfly flapped, the purple patterns would instantly glow with myriad rays of purple light, akin to a glowing sunset.

Anyone who saw it would unconsciously praise its beauty, worthy of the glory of being part of the lineage of the Goddess Butterfly!

Having stayed in the Purple Ice Crystal Ring for so long, and with Fang Mu constantly putting powerful platinum and diamond rank Guardian Beasts into the ring, the Death Herald Butterfly, being only a bronze rank beast, was always nearly shocked into a coma by the power of these beasts.

The Purple Ice Crystal Ring was only the size of four football fields, so there was no way to avoid being too close.

The Frost Language Snow Dragon was quite mischievous and always liked to chase the Death Herald Butterfly around.

This had led the Death Herald Butterfly to always be in a state of anxious tension.

Both Yan Yubanruo and the Death Herald Butterfly were at the Bronze Stage, and their levels and qualities were not as good as those of the Death Herald Butterfly.

Yet, Yan Yubanruo's aura was too overpowering.

This made the Death Herald Butterfly want to flutter to a corner of the roof and hide its body as soon as it appeared.

Seeing this, Fang Mu had no choice but to summon his Destiny Guidebook and let the Rainy Doll catch the struggling Death Herald Butterfly with non-toxic water and bring it to him.

Who says that forcibly picking a melon is not sweet?

As long as the contract is successfully completed, even a forcibly picked melon is sweet!

Originally trapped in the Water Orb, the Death Herald Butterfly was still struggling incessantly.

But as soon as it saw the Covenant Blood Essence and felt its benefits, it immediately stopped struggling.

Fang Mu dripped the Covenant Blood Essence onto the wings of the Death Herald Butterfly.

The Death Herald Butterfly immediately stretched out its nearly half-meter long mouthparts to absorb the Covenant Blood Essence.

The moment the Death Herald Butterfly's mouthparts touched the Covenant Blood Essence, Fang Mu could clearly feel that the purple patterns covering only a tenth of the butterfly's wings were rapidly spreading.

Eventually the purple patterns spread across the wings, evenly dividing the area between purple and ink black.

Each occupying half of the entire area of the butterfly's wings.

Before, when the Death Herald Butterfly flapped its wings, they just glowed with myriad rays of purple light.

But when the Death Herald Butterfly flapped its wings again after completely absorbing the Covenant Blood Essence into its abdomen, it was as if Fang Mu was brought to the top of the dome.

The purple glow from all directions converged in the sky, with a solitary butterfly dancing amidst it.

Originally, the most beautiful thing above the dome was the radiant glow.

But the moment this butterfly converged with the glow, it became even more outstanding, overshadowing the beautiful glow.

Suddenly, Fang Mu noticed that the originally smoothly flying butterfly began to flicker.

Each flicker would suddenly appear in a different position.

Fang Mu used the Eye of Omniscience to investigate the Death Herald Butterfly, which had just completed its evolution, and found that it had evolved along its own evolutionary path into the Omen Flash Butterfly.

[Beast Name]: Omen Flash Butterfly

[Beast Species]: Nymphalidae/American God Butterfly

[Beast Level]: Silver (1/10)

[Beast Element]: Undying

[Beast Potential]: Silver

[Beast Quality]: Epic

Skill:

[Death Omen]: Forms a curse with Dead Qi to judge the living, leaving the living in a weakened state. The damage received will deepen after each successful curse and will blink to the specified position.

[Flash Butterfly Illusion Mirror]: Creates duplicates through flashing scales. The duplicate has independent behavior ability and can collectively implement skills and exclusive characteristics. When the main body is injured, it can swap places with the duplicate. The death of the duplicate does not cause harm to the main body.

Exclusive Trait:

[Butterfly Funeral Praise]: Enters the body of dead creatures, enhancing the burning of the soul of the dead, increasing power while obtaining the curse effect.

[Death's Blessing]: Before the extinguishment of a living being's life, enters their body, using the dead Qi to maintain the life of the living being temporarily. During this process, the living being will be contaminated by the Dead Qi, eventually turning into an undead life, with the soul not resting in peace.

Evolutionary Path:

①: Death Herald Beauty Butterfly, ②: Proclaim Death Flashing Butterfly, ③: Withered Leaf Grudge Butterfly.

As for the Omen Flash Butterfly, what Fang Mu was most concerned about was not the skill it just gained when it was promoted to the Silver stage.

It was the Omen Flash Butterfly's evolutionary path.

Seeing the evolutionary path of the Death Herald Beauty Butterfly, Fang Mu felt relieved.

Once the Omen Flash Butterfly evolves into the Death Herald Beauty Butterfly, it would be on the verge of the legendary most beautiful Guardian Beast, the Purple Mist Goddess Butterfly!

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Fang Mu chose the evolutionary path of the Death Herald Beauty Butterfly because he had been sure of his goal as soon as he obtained the Omen Butterfly.

That's not to say that the evolutionary lines of the Proclaim Death Flashing Butterfly and the Withered Leaf Grudge Butterfly aren't strong.

The evolution into the Proclaim Death Flashing Butterfly enhances the curse ability of the Death Omen Flash Butterfly, strengthening its aggressiveness.

The Withered Leaf Grudge Butterfly transforms the Death Omen Flash Butterfly into a special type of butterfly Guardian Beast.

Following this path could most likely lead to the evolution into a humanoid Fairy, obtaining a Fairy Bloodline.

Fang Mu, after examining the evolutionary path of the Death Omen Flash Butterfly, found that the ability [Death Omen] underwent slight changes after the bloodline evolution when compared to when it was still the Omen Butterfly.

The current [Death Omen] can blink to a specific location as soon as a successful judgement is made after using the Death Qi to pass judgement on the living.

This allows the Death Omen Flash Butterfly to curse the target at close range without worrying about its own safety.

This means that the Omen Butterfly no longer needs to be a unit that needs protection in battle.

The ability [Flash Butterfly Illusion Mirror] acquired when advancing to the Silver Stage allows the Death Omen Flash Butterfly to create duplicates using shiny scales, each indistinguishable from the original.

They can use the original's abilities and unique traits in battle.

Even though this consumes several times the energy within the Death Omen Flash Butterfly, it allows the Death Omen Flash Butterfly to attach curses to multiple enemy Guardian Beasts in an instant.

Or apply multiple damage-enhancing effects to a single Guardian Beast.

What's more important is that the original can switch places with a duplicate when it receives damage.



As long as the original and the duplicate are relatively scattered, it can ensure the original's safety to the maximum extent.

The death of a duplicate doesn't harm the original, allowing Fang Mu to use the duplicates of the Death Omen Flash Butterfly as fire bearers and units to trick the opponent's skills in battle.

If he can pull off such gains without any losses in battle, he can basically win the favor of the goddess of victory.

Furthermore, the Death Omen Flash Butterfly can link up with Yan Yubanruo through its unique traits [Butterfly Funeral Praise] and [Death's Blessing].

After forming a contract with the Death Omen Flash Butterfly, Fang Mu only had one drop of Covenant Blood Essence left.

Fang Mu scooped up the Origin Blood Carp that had been kept in the blood pool at the bottom of the Blood of Abundance, preparing to contract with the Origin Blood Carp.

One of the evolutionary paths of the Origin Blood Carp is the Origin Blood Wad Carp.

Fang Mu believes that by using the Covenant Blood Essence, when he successfully contracts with the Origin Blood Carp-

It can most likely evolve into an Origin Blood Wad Carp.

The Origin Blood Carp was created by Fang Mu and already felt very close to him even though it had not yet been contracted.

The Origin Blood Carp was only as big as a palm. Its seven fins, like the wings of the Blood Race, enabled it to fly in the sky.

The Origin Blood Carp scooped out of the Blood of Abundance from time to time circled around Fang Mu, happily blowing out one blood bubble after another.

The exploding blood bubbles soaked Fang Mu's clothes, causing him to mutter under his breath.

"The clothes I just changed are ruined again!"

Fang Mu grasped the mischievous Origin Blood Carp and then shook the crystal bottle containing the last drop of Contracting Blood in front of it.

"Little guy, when you evolved before, you didn't have much spiritual Intelligence, so you didn't know what pain was."

"This time, your bloodline transformation could force you to undergo a complete change."

"Even if it hurts, you have to try to endure it, I will be with you!"

Fang Mu thought he needed to prepare the Origin Blood Carp.

Upon hearing Fang Mu's exhortation, the Origin Blood Carp, whose intelligence level was barely comparable to a kitten's, seemed to understand and wagged its tail.

Seeing the Origin Blood Carp prepared, Fang Mu directly poured the Contracting Blood in the crystal bottle into its mouth.

As soon as the Contracting Blood entered the Origin Blood Carp's belly, its body rapidly swelled up.

In less than half a minute, it went from palm-sized to about the same size as an adult woman.

Fang Mu didn't even have time to see how the scales and seven fins of the Origin Blood Carp were burst open by its body.

All of the tissues of the Origin Blood Carp's body began a cycle of growth and disintegration.

The process Fang Mu had gone through while helping Fang Qin evolve the Iron Thorn Carp Bloodline was recreated in his room in the Mu Commerce Association.

The good thing was, even after the swelling of the Origin Blood Carp, the size was only comparable to an adult, not making the room too messy.

The process of the body of the Origin Blood Carp breaking and regenerating after consuming the Contracting Blood was not dangerous, the only thing required was endurance.

Fang Mu simply summoned Suck Suck, who began to clean up the room.

Using Skill Garbage Collection, he also collected the smell of blood from the room.

Just in case Fang Yuan and Yan Wood smell the blood in his room, they won't bother coming to investigate due to his seclusion but will certainly worry about his safety.

With progressive rank and quality upgrades, Suck Suck, who was now of Silver Grade Perfect Quality, cleaned up the entire room in less than three minutes.

The rate at which the Origin Blood Carp produced trash during its evolution wasn't up to Suck Suck's eating speed.

Fang Mu watched the Origin Blood Carp, witnessing a miracle of life with his own eyes.

The fish tail of the Origin Blood Carp gradually disappeared in the continuous evolution process.

The entire lower body kept elongating, transforming into a snake tail shape.

Only the back fin that had not completely shed, and a small part of it remained on the body that resembled a snake tail.

The scales on the tail were still in the shape of fish scales, but the color of the scales was no longer pure blood color as before.

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The newly grown shiny white scales of the Origin Blood Carp had crimson tips, making it appear less eerie than before.

Even after its evolution, the upper half of its body remained fish-like, a form that Fang Mu would normally find exceedingly strange.

However, the more Fang Mu looked at it, the more he found its strange form strangely harmonious.

Seeing that the Origin Blood Carp's body had stopped changing and that he had established a blood bond with it, Fang Mu finalized his contract with the creature.

After formalizing the pact with the Origin Blood Carp, Fang Mu used the Eye of Omniscience to investigate it further.

[Beast Name]: Origin Blood Nuwa Carp

[Beast Species]: Nuwa Carp Family/Nuwa Carp Genus

[Beast Level]: Silver (5/10)

[Beast Element]: Blood Series

[Beast Potential]: Gold

[Beast Quality]: Epic

Skills:

[Blood Suck]: Drains the energy from a target by sucking out their blood, consolidating it into a special Essence of Blood.

[Blessing of Pure Blood]: Removes any foreign substances from a target's blood and enhances their blood metabolic capacity.

Exclusive Attributes:

[Creation of Blood]: Enhances the generative power of blood and can duplicate the purist blood energy by itself. The duplication time depends on the quality of the blood.

[Nuwa Adhere]: Adheres to a target, using its energy to create an embryo. After the host dies, the embryo immediately matures into the state of the host at the time of Nuwa Adherence.

Evolutionary Path:

: Original Blood Nuwa Female, : Bloody River Giant Barb,: Cursed Blood Monster Carp.

With one glance, Fang Mu found—just as he had expected—that the Origin Blood Carp had evolved into the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp.

When Fang Mu first saw the evolution path to the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp in the data from the Eye of Omniscience, he had been guessing whether “Nuwa” was the same “Nuwa” as the one he had in mind.

Based on the appearance of the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp, Fang Mu confirmed that the “Nuwa” in the data from the Eye of Omniscience was indeed the same “Nuwa” he was thinking of!

The “Nuwa” from the mythical totems of the 5000-year-old civilization of his previous life!

At that moment, Fang Mu felt a sense of trembling in his soul.

This feeling made Fang Mu excited and expectant.

What would the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp evolve into after it evolved into Original Blood Nuwa Female along its Evolutionary Path?

Clearly, the evolutionary path of the Original Blood Nuwa Female was continuing along the “Nuwa” line.

The evolutionary path, such as the Bloody River Giant Barb, was now completely neglected by Fang Mu.

The same applied to the Cursed Blood Monster Carp, which was heading toward the Dragon Bloodline.

If Fang Mu wanted to form a contract with a Dragon Beast, there were many choices.

There was no need to specifically let the All-Kinds Carp evolve towards a Dragon Beast.

The Origin Blood Nuwa Carp, after its quality improvement, gained a new exclusive feature named [Nuwa Adhere].

Upon seeing the introduction of [Nuwa Adhere], Fang Mu’s eyebrows knitted together.

[Nuwa Adhere] allows the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp to create an embryo by using a target as a blueprint and consuming its own energy.

Once the prototype that created the embryo dies, the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp will immediately use the embryo to create the deceased target.

This will return the deceased target to the state when it was [Nuwa Adhere].

This ability is not resurrection.

If one has to dig deeper, this ability is more like saving a game character in case they die and you have to start over again.

The soul of a life truly disappears once it dies.

The life created by Origin Blood Nuwa Carp's [Nuwa Adhere] is inevitably different from the original life.

It's like the difference between humans and clones.

So [Nuwa Adhere] cannot be regarded as a lifesaving measure by Fang Mu, but it can ensure that the combat power on his side won't drain.

If undead creatures controlled by Yan Yubanruo through the White Paper Man die in battle, Fang Mu can only re-cultivate them.

But if the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp can condense embryos through the exclusive characteristic [Nuwa Adhere] in advance, those undead creatures can be recreated quickly after they die in battle.

Then, Yan Yubanruo can control it again through the paper man.

For example, shaping the embryos of Fang Mu's mighty subordinates with [Nuwa Adhere].

Just in case these powerful creatures die, Fang Mu can directly let them regenerate.

But the Realm of Origin Blood Nuwa Carp is closely related to Fang Mu's Beastmaster's level.

Take She Wan as an example, to imprint the embryo of She Wan, the embryo of She Wan's Beast has to be imprinted as well.

Otherwise, a Hexagram Beast Master without a Beast Companion wouldn't have much combat power.

It's difficult for the Diamond-Level Origin Blood Nuwa Carp to create Sequential Beasts with embryos, let alone now when the Rank of Origin Blood Nuwa Carp is only at Silver Level.

So the exclusive attribute of Origin Blood Nuwa Carp, [Nuwa Adhere], can only be used by Fang Mu to save money.

If he comes across rare spiritual materials later, he can also form embryos through [Nuwa Adhere].

By depleting the energy of the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp, he can achieve mass production of these spiritual materials.

However, whether the spiritual materials mass-produced by [Nuwa Adhere] have the same effect as the original spiritual materials, Fang Mu still needs to conduct some experiments.

During Fang Mu's investigation, the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp had awakened.

Even after its evolution, the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp was still unable to talk, but it could communicate with Fang Mu through spiritual power.

Fang Mu's mind received a complete thought expression.

"Daddy, I'm hungry!"

"I want to drink a little blood in the well!"



From the spiritual intelligence of a kitten to now, when it could communicate with him fully, the improvement in the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp's intelligence was indeed great.

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According to this rate of evolution, after evolving into the Original Blood Nuwa Female, its intelligence will surpass that of ordinary people.

The Origin Blood Nuwa Carp has just finished its bloodline evolution and is now in need of energy.

Drinking Blood Aged Wine would encourage the evolution of Origin Blood Nuwa Carp, and Fang Mu had no reason to reject its request.

Now that the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp has developed spiritual intelligence, Fang Mu believes he should give it a name.

"Patch Sky, you go!"

"In a while, I will arrange some pure blood energy for you to absorb."

Fang Mu was initially preparing to strengthen the newly acquired All-Kinds Carp.

But before he could remove the newly acquired All-Kinds Carp from the Clear Pond Bracelet, he heard the voice of the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp in his mind.

"Daddy, I have no strength, carry me below!"

Ghost System Beasts are quite special, residing in the soul of the contractor rather than within the Destiny Guidebook.

Therefore, Yan Yubanruo could hear the communication between Fang Mu and the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp.

At this moment, Yan Yubanruo's inner radar was buzzing, and his eyes were full of disdain when he looked at the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp.

He just felt that the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp had been raised on green tea sap and was a white lotus sprinkled with a layer of matcha powder.

It was playing these tricks as soon as it developed spiritual intelligence. This carp was shameless!

Fang Mu didn't notice the look in Yan Yubanruo's eyes towards the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp.

As a contractor, Fang Mu could clearly feel that the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp really had no energy at this time.

Fang Mu lifted up the Origin Blood Nuwa Carp and returned it to the inside of the Blood of Abundance.

Then he removed the All-Kinds Carp from the Clear Pond Bracelet.

Fang Mu already had a plan on how to induce this third All-Kinds Carp to evolve.

Through refining a pile of Undead materials, he had obtained a lot of pure Dead Qi.

This pure Dead Qi had been integrated into the water by Fang Mu, becoming a 100% pure Undead Elixir.

Fang Mu wasn't sure if the All-Kinds Carp could accept Dead Qi's energy to induce evolution.

To prevent the Dead Qi's energy from failing to induce All-Kinds Carp evolution and losing its life as a result,

Fang Mu especially took out several bottles of high-purity Life Elixirs.

In case of any problems, he could rescue the All-Kinds Carp.

Use Life Elixir to wash away Dead Qi energy, allowing the All-Kinds Carp to evolve into the Ten Longevity Carp once again.

Through Fang Mu's soul, Yan Yubanruo knew the incredible nature of All-Kinds Carp.

As his contractor, Yan Yubanruo was not at all polite and directly expressed his desire.

"If you want to turn the All-Kinds Carp into an Undead creature, can you let me use my Ghost King Essence Blood to bind it and make it my Ghost Servant?"

Fang Mu was slightly surprised by Yan Yubanruo's words, but then quickly remembered Yi Han's advice. When Yi Han led him away from the Chang Le Pavilion,

He specifically reminded Fang Mu that those Summoning Ghost System Beasts can only bind one Servant in their lifetime and advised him to choose carefully,

It's best to find an Undead Creature with great potential as a backup for the Ghost Servant.

At that time, Fang Mu was fully focused on condensing the Covenant Blood Essence, attempting to contract with Eden Greenfield and Yan Yubanruo.

He didn't take Yi Han's words to heart.

Because Fang Mu was not short of resources, he planned to develop all Undead Creatures that Yan Yubanruo contracted in the best possible way.

Now that Yan Yubanruo has actively proposed to contract with the All-Kinds Carp, which is to be transformed into an Undead Creature,

Among the Undead Creatures in Fang Mu's knowledge, indeed, none of them have potential that can compare with All-Kinds Carp.

Why not let Yan Yubanruo make the All-Kinds Carp, which is transformed into an Undead Creature, his Ghost Servant!

Perhaps Yan Yubanruo's Ghost King Essence Blood could bring more potential evolution possibilities to this All-Kinds Carp.

Fang Mu didn't hesitate anymore and directly poured all six bottles of Undead Elixirs into the Jade Basin where the All-Kinds Carp was placed.

The Dead Qi instantly infested the All-Kinds Carp, leaving no chance for Fang Mu to administer a Life Elixir to save the carp.

The body of the All-Kinds Carp was utterly dissolved in the grey-black Undead Elixir.

But Fang Mu didn't panic at all, as he could feel that the soul's breath of the All-Kinds Carp had not disappeared.

It was being continually strengthened within the Undead Elixir.

This was a clear sign that under the influence of the Undead Elixir, the All-Kinds Carp was moving towards the mark of becoming an undead creature.

Yan Yubanruo, with her slender and dark purple fingernails, swiftly slapped her palm against her heart.

A puddle of purple-black 'Ghost King Essence Blood,' wrapped in Ghost Flames, dropped accurately into the Jade Basin, where the All-Kinds Carp was kept.

Not long after 'Yan Yubanruo's Ghost King Essence Blood' had blended into the basin, a crying voice, like a complaint, began to emanate from the basin.

The sobbing sound made Fang Mu's scalp tingle.

Fang Mu thought a fish would come out of the basin, but instead, a strange woman's head gently poked out from it.

Only her forehead and eyes, which stared at Yan Yubanruo approvingly, were above the surface of the Undead Elixir.

The part of the woman that emerged from the Undead Elixir didn't have a physical body; instead, it was like a ghost.

At this point, Yan Yubanruo laughed derisively.

"Quickly kneel and worship your master, lest it be too late!"

Hearing Yan Yubanruo's words, the spiritual being that the All-Kinds Carp had transformed into quickly emerged from the water's surface.

Fang Mu found that the All-Kinds Carp, after its transformation, had the head of a beautiful woman and the body of a fish in the neck and below.

Not only was her head in a ghostly state, but the entire All-Kinds Carp had also become an undead ghost-like creature.

The ghost-like undead being, formed from the All-Kinds Carp, fawningly flew to Yan Yubanruo's side.

Bowing respectfully at her feet, she occasionally knocked her head against the ground.

On the other hand, Yan Yubanruo, seeming quite disgusted, didn't rest her foot on the body of the ghost-like undead being.

Instead, she stepped on the beautiful head of the ghost-like undead being.

At this moment, Fang Mu unexpectedly didn't know whether he should stop Yan Yubanruo's action or not.

How did she suddenly go from being a queen to playing second fiddle?

Fang Mu utilized his Eye of Omniscience to investigate the All-Kinds Carp that had turned into an undead.

Upon investigating, Fang Mu involuntarily gasped.

[Beast Name]: Ghost Fish Princess

[Beast Species]: Corpse Carp Family / Ghost Carp Genus

[Beast Level]: Silver (5/10)

[Beast Element]: Undying

[Beast Potential]: Gold

[Beast Quality]: Perfect Quality

Skills:

[Ghost Sting]: Wraps the fishbone in the body with dead Qi, directly attacks the target's soul. In case of the target's resistance, the fishbone would carry the dead Qi and shatter in the target's soul.

[Soul Absorbing Hook]: Devours and absorbs loose souls, refining them into the soul of death.

Exclusive Attribute:

[The Affectionate Princess]: Enchants the living, the enchanted living being, once entering a state of affection, will merge with her and be entirely controlled by her. If the merged entity is harmed, pain and damage will transform into nurturing her dead Qi.

Evolution Path:

:Ghost Soul Mermaid :Jealous Soul Fish Princess :Rotten Corpse Bone Catfish.

With the pure 100% Dead Qi and Yan Yubanruo's Ghost King Essence Blood.

The All-Kinds Carp unexpectedly awakened, in the Fifth and Sixth Epochs, a vibrant Mermaid Bloodline!

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The Fifth Era and the Sixth Era represent an extravagant and vast chapter of time, yet are rarely understood by most.

Historians have always enjoyed delving into the history of the past.

The amount of information they unearthed about the Third and Fourth Era is substantially more than that of the Fifth and Sixth Era.

This situation has sparked an insatiable curiosity among scholars.

Whenever large ruins from the Fifth and Sixth Era are found in public areas, various federations would dispatch exploration teams to conduct research.

The fact that these large ruins have been preserved to this day signifies their grandeur during the Fifth and Sixth Era.

Many scholars have discovered that the carvings and murals inside the ruins often depict the worship of human-like creatures with fish tails.

This image aligns perfectly with the mermaids described in the ancient texts.

The Dracoid Research Institute is still conducting numerous research projects related to “mermaid worship”.

The mermaid form depicted in this “mermaid worship” is completely inconsistent with the form of the current Ghost Fish Princess.

The human head and fish body of the Ghost Fish Princess looks eerie and frightening, with its entire body below the neck appearing as a fish.

While a mermaid is a beautiful creature with a human upper body and a fish tail lower body.

Fang Mu is uncertain whether the mermaid bloodline has been lost or preserved. The Dracoid Research Institute’s research on “mermaid worship” likely involves the possession of some Guardian Beasts with mermaid bloodlines.

However, Guardian Beasts with mermaid bloodlines must be rare.

Otherwise, Fang Mu would not have read so many books without ever seeing a hint of information about the mermaid bloodline.



In addition to the evolution line of the Ghost Soul Mermaid, the Ghost Fish Princess also has two other evolution lines: the Jealous Soul Fish Princess and the Rotten Corpse Bone Catfish.

The Jealous Soul Fish Princess involves deepening the Ghost Fish Princess's ghost bloodline, without stimulating the faint mermaid bloodline within her.

Compared to immediate skill enhancement, choosing an excellent bloodline and following it through evolution is the wise person's choice.

The evolution line of the Rotten Corpse Bone Catfish involves the humanoid Ghost Fish Princess evolving into a defensively strong meat shield.

This meat shield can protect Yan Yubanruo quite well.

Most summoning Ghost System Beasts are weak in terms of defense capability.

A Rotten Corpse Bone Catfish, which is a heavily defensive Beast capable of taking hits, is a quality choice.

However, this conflicts with Yan Yubanruo's exclusive characteristic, the Master of Underworld.

With the exclusive characteristic: Master of Underworld, Yan Yubanruo can avoid lethal attacks by repeatedly hopping with the White Paper Man.

Having the ability to protect himself, there's no need to employ a dedicated protector.

The best way to protect Yan Yubanruo is to eliminate the enemy before the soul flame of the undead creature possessed by the White Paper Man extinguishes.

When Fang Mu checked the skill and exclusive characteristics of the Ghost Fish Princess.

Upon seeing the Silver Grade Skill “Soul Absorbing Hook”, a peculiar expression emerged on Fang Mu’s face.

He just had been wondering how to obtain a stable channel for trading the Soul of Death, now the Ghost Fish Princess brought this channel to him.

“Soul Absorbing Hook” allows the Ghost Fish Princess to devour and absorb stray souls, refining them into the Soul of Death.

All forms of life have souls, even the Mechanical Heart of Mechanical Beasts like Su-su is a manifestation of a soul.

Like when a Dimensional Rift opens and a Beast Master kills those exotic beasts.

The souls of those exotic beasts will dissipate into the surrounding environment for a short period of time.

The Ghost Fish Princess can continually produce the Soul of Death through the Silver Grade Skill “Soul Absorbing Hook” in environments where life had recently ended.

Fang Mu plans to go out for training during his senior three years, during which he can gather more Soul of Death.

He’ll promote both Yan Yubanruo and the Ghost Fish Princess to the Silver Peak.

And cultivate the best undead species Guardian Beast configuration for Yan Yubanruo.

“Soul Absorbing Hook” makes the Ghost Fish Princess a functional type of Guardian Beast.

Fang Mu always finds it inspiring to think of a Ghost Servant dedicated to serving his master.

However, Yan Yubanruo's attitude towards the Ghost Fish Princess can only be described as aggressive. There are no other words Fang Mu can think of to describe it.

The purple-black chains that grew from Yan Yubanruo's body have already locked onto the Ghost Fish Princess' neck.

With Yan Yubanruo's foot stepping on the skull of the Ghost Fish Princess, the Ghost Fish Princess crawled on the ground in a strange posture.

They act out the drama of a loving master and servant family.

From time to time, the Ghost Fish Princess uses her not-so-pretty fish-shaped body to rub against Yan Yubanruo's chains.

It is clear that the Ghost Fish Princess is deriving some pleasure from this relationship.

Though the Ghost Fish Princess presents a subservient nature towards Yan Yubanruo, her exclusive characteristic "The Affectionate Princess" reveals otherwise to Fang Mu.

The Ghost Fish Princess is a master at seducing the living.

The Ghost Fish Princess, upon using her exclusive characteristic "The Affectionate Princess", charms the living.

Once a charmed individual develops a liking for the Ghost Fish Princess, she then immediately unites with them.

This unification isn't like the one in the manga, it's more formal.

It's similar to the folk tale of a ghost pressing on one's chest during sleep.

After the unification, the Ghost Fish Princess gains control of the target's body, rendering it immobile.

If the individual's will is crushed by the Ghost Fish Princess, she can manipulate the victim to harm themselves and those around them.

The targets merged with the Ghost Fish Princess, upon attack, not only won't harm the Ghost Fish Princess.

Instead, the pain and suffering endured by the unified target nourishes the Dead Qi of the Ghost Fish Princess.

This ability is deemed abnormal when used in a one-on-one arena battle between Beast Masters.

As long as the opponent's Guardian Beast Rank does not crush the Ghost Fish Princess.

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The Ghost Fish Princess can immediately take control of the opponent's strongest Guardian Beast, or a Guardian Beast with irreplaceable functionality, through 'The Affectionate Princess'.

And this control is not limited to an one-on-one exchange.

After the target controlled by the Ghost Fish Princess dies or loses its combat capability, the Ghost Fish Princess can in turn control other Guardian Beasts.

As a ghost servant of Yan Yubanruo, Fang Mu can indirectly command the Ghost Fish Princess by commanding Yan Yubanruo.

Otherwise, Fang Mu would definitely not be able to resist using a drop of Covenant Blood Essence to form a contract with the Ghost Fish Princess.

A normal level skill of the Ghost Fish Princess, the Ghost Soul Stinger, uses fish bones wrapped in Dead Qi to directly injure the target's soul.

The soul is extremely fragile, and few Guardian Beasts have the ability to directly protect the soul.

This makes the lethal attacks of the Ghost Fish Princess difficult to fail.

Once the opponent has the ability to defend against soul attacks, they can resist attacks from the Ghost Fish Princess.

The fish bones of the Ghost Fish Princess, which directly attack the soul while carrying Dead Qi, will shatter in the target's soul, just like what is happening now.

Causing continuous damage to the target.

Fang Mu only wanted to give a thumbs up to his own Guardian Beast having such ability.

If the opponent's Guardian Beast possessed a skill like the Ghost Soul Stinger, Fang Mu would feel absolutely disgusted.

After enhancing the newly acquired All-Kinds Carp, Fang Mu didn't immediately leave his room.

After spending another day with Fang Yuan Fang Yan, Fang Mu had to return to JA City for school.

Fang Mu had been planning for his life this semester.

After coming to the Capital and broadening his horizons, Fang Mu, who had learned the importance of strength, planned to stay in school for a month.

He then planned to go on an adventure.

Fang Mu planned to use this day's time to try to merge the three Emblem Burning Cranes.

Merging into a type of Crane Beast called the Xi Hui Reflective Crane.

Merging won't change the original element of a Guardian Beast.

The Emblem Burning Crane is a Fire System Royal Beast, and the Xi Hui Reflective Crane, judging by its name, seems like a Light System Beast, but in reality, the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane is also a Fire System Beast.

It matches the mystic pattern that Fang Yan Xian is currently comprehending.

Fang Mu had only heard of this type of evolution through merging and had no concept of it.

Fang Mu was very curious what the evolution process of the three Guardian Beasts merging into one Guardian Beast would look like.

Yi Han had complained to Fang Mu that she had fed many Master-level fire elemental potions to the three Emblem Burning Cranes.

But the three Emblem Burning Cranes did not show any changes.

This was exactly why Yi Han finally decided to give up trying to encourage the three Emblem Burning Cranes to merge.

Since she couldn't bear the consumption of merging, Yi Han decisively didn't keep the three Emblem Burning Cranes.

Fang Mu has a lot of stock of pure Fire Elemental Potion.

Every time he burned the corpses of alien beasts in the Advanced Soldier-level Crematorium, SuckSuck would stuff its head into the flames burning the corpses of the alien beasts and suck in a few mouthfuls.

Every time SuckSuck did this, Fang Mu worried that SuckSuck would have a problem.

But the fact proved that eating the flames in the crematorium had no impact on SuckSuck.

Instead, it allowed SuckSuck to condense a lot of Fire Element crystals.

The ranks of the Emblem Burning Cranes are all at the bronze level, and even if the Crane Beasts have extremely strong aggressiveness.

With the Rainy Doll controlling the situation from the side, the three bronze level Emblem Burning Cranes don't have any chance to cause trouble.

After summoning the three Emblem Burning Cranes, Fang Mu could feel their hostility towards him.

After a slight thought, Fang Mu understood the three Emblem Burning Cranes, which are not very intelligent, were showing such great hostility towards him.

It's probably because the three Emblem Burning Cranes had a good life with Yi Han, where they were fed well and taken care of, and they were afraid that the quality of life would change under Fang Mu's care.

After Fang Mu fed the 100% pure Fire Element Potion to the Emblem Burning Cranes, their attitude towards him immediately changed.

Just short of affectionately dancing Crane Dance, that's performed only during Crane Beasts mating around Fang Mu!

Drinking such a pure Fire Elemental Potion for the first time, all three Emblem Burning Cranes were a bit overwhelmed.

Fang Mu wasn't afraid of the three Emblem Burning Cranes drinking a lot, the more they drank and the more vigorous they were, it indicated that the energy required for merging was greater.

Indicating that the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane has a strong tier and potential.

Every Emblem Burning Crane had drunk five bottles of potion, and an orange-red mist had been swaying on the feathers of the Emblem Burning Crane.

This orange-red mist made the Emblem Burning Cranes look like a divine bird transformed into the sun in an instant.

Seeing this, Fang Mu knew that his fire elemental energy had been fed to the right position!

What he had to do next was to use the Blood Aged Wine to guide the three Emblem Burning Cranes towards the final step.

Fang Mu brought out 900 milliliters of Blood Aged Wine, divided it into three equal parts.

He opened the mouth of the Emblem Burning Crane one by one, and poured the Blood Aged Wine into the throat of the Emblem Burning Crane.

Then Fang Mu started to observe and wait quietly.

Fang Mu found that a strong position had suddenly formed between the three Emblem Burning Cranes.

This position caused the three Emblem Burning Cranes to continuously pull each other.

Each Emblem Burning Crane wanted to act as the main force, pulling the other two Emblem Burning Cranes into their body through the position.



Fang Mu immediately thought to himself, he had made a mistake just now.

Instead of evenly dividing the Blood Aged Wine among the three Emblem Burning Cranes, it would be better to feed it only to one of them.

So that the situation wouldn't fall into the current deadlock of three-way balance.

After re-examining the three Emblem Burning Cranes, Fang Mu chose the largest and most robust-looking Emblem Burning Crane.

He took out another 500 milliliters of Blood Aged Wine and two bottles of Fire Elemental Potion again, and poured all these resources into the body of this Emblem Burning Crane.

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The original stalemate was quickly broken.

The Emblem Burning Crane chosen by Fang Mu flapped its wings and sounded its cry, dragging two of its kind within itself in a split second.

These three Emblem Burning Cranes, at this very moment, seemed not to have physical forms, but rather, were merely solidified light and shadow.

As the three Emblem Burning Cranes fused together, a whirlwind of fire was formed in Fang Mu's room.

In the fire tornado, a solitary rainbow reflecting the sun was being brewed. Soon, the intertwined light of orange and white burst through the fire tornado.

A Crane Beast, with a wingspan of five meters, platinum feathers, and three feather crowns on its uplifted head, was elegantly swinging its neck.

It was smoothing down its slightly messy feathers resulting from the evolution.

This brand new Crane Beast was the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane, brought forth by the fusion.

Fang Mu curiously probed into the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane.

[Beast Name]: Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane

[Beast Species]: Feathered Crane/Glowing Sun Crane Species

[Beast Level]: Bronze Level (7/10)

[Beast Attribute]: Fire

[Beast Potential]: Silver

[Beast Quality]: Perfect

Skills:

[Emblem Condensation]: With the firelight as an emblem, illuminate space by condensing the emblem.

Exclusive Characteristics:

[Sun-shining Universally]: Creatures illuminated by firelight will amplify their fire attributes if they inherently possess them, but if not, they will temporarily acquire fire properties, causing their attacks to carry a burning effect of fire attribute.

Evolutionary Path:

(The beast after fusion, its energy will expand every time its bloodline is upgraded. It can neither evolve nor mutate again.)

Upon examination, an idea dawned on Fang Mu.

Both Fang Qin and Fang Yuan's opportunities combined are less significant than that of Yan Wood's.

At this moment, rather than calling the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane a beast, it is more fitting to refer to it as a war machine.

Fang Mu now understood why the previous beast created through Dream Beast fusion was taken as the crucial treasure of the Dragon Rising Federation.

The Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane is currently just a being with perfect quality at the Bronze level.

The capabilities displayed by the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane already possess the qualifications to be considered a crucial treasure.

Fang Mu did not form a contract with the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane.

However, as the creator of the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane, there is no issue with making the crane perform the ordinary level skill of [Emblem Condensation].

Fang Mu wanted to see just how vast an area the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane's [Emblem Condensation] could cover.

The space in Fang Mu's room is undoubtedly insufficient, but Fang Mu can have the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane perform [Emblem Condensation] inside the Sequential Spiritual Instrument—the Purple Ice Crystal Ring.

Luckily, the intelligence of the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane was high enough to, after a conversation with Fang Mu,

Send up several emblems from its wings with a soft cry after being collected into the Purple Ice Crystal Ring.

From the point when the first emblem ascended, an area of three hundred square meters had been covered by the firelight sprinkled by the emblems.

With over a dozen emblems combining mid-air, half of the space in the Purple Ice Crystal Ring, equivalent to four soccer fields in size, was illuminated.

Such a coverage is sufficiently extensive to envelop an entire legion.

Through the effects of the exclusive characteristic [Sun-shining Universally], all fire attribute beasts within this legion will be enhanced,

And those non-fire attribute beasts will also carry a burning BUFF.

Upon successful hitting of an enemy, continuous damage will be inflicted on them.

A Bronze Level Beast can benefit an entire legion.

When it rises to Diamond Rank, let alone steps into Sequential, it is feared that the range of abilities of the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane could encompass more than ten legions without any problem.

As for these beasts that are born through fusion, and are indeed enough to be called crucial nation treasures.

Whether it could evolve once more or mutate further was no longer important.

The enhancement of the bloodline could expand its energy capacity, which would increase the time of the [Hui Condensation] Universal Illumination.

If Fang Mu was to contract Xi Hui Reflective Crane to Yan Wood, Yan would immediately be prioritized for cultivation by Dragon Rising Federation.

She would be considered a strategic talent and treasured.

Even a Grandmaster Creator could not reproduce such a marvel as the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane.

The strength of the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane lay in its ability to augment an entire legion in large-scale battles.

This Guardian Beast was of little use to Fang Mu himself.

To contract it would just be a waste of Covenant Blood Essence and it would end up gathering dust in the Destiny Guidebook.

Fang Mu preferred Beast Tamers that could produce resources and had special offensive abilities.

If Fang Mu was to contract with Xi Hui Reflective Crane, the moment it was revealed,

Because of the strategic significance of the Xi Hui Reflective Crane, regardless of whether Fang Mu was a disciple of the Grandmaster Creator or not, he would be closely surveilled.

The beast, which could be described as a heavy weapon for stabilizing the federation, could overturn the battle situation in large-scale battles.

Its influence was far beyond comparison of individuals.

Fang Mu had too many secrets; if he were constantly monitored, these secrets would gradually be exposed.

If he used the Xi Hui Reflecting Sun Crane to build a golden shield for Yan Wood, he would never have to worry about Yan's future again!

Leaving the room, Fang Mu found a small dinner table set up at his doorway.

Yan Wood and Fang Yuan were having lunch.

Both of Yan's hands were bound by a splint and suspended from her neck. Fang Yuan was feeding her just like a child while eating himself.

"Second Brother, have you started dating Sister Lingxi recently!?"

"You need to learn how to take care of people properly, who feeds others just vegetables and no rice!?"

"Rice is the soul of a meal!"

Yan Wood always spoke her mind when talking to her family.



Fang Yuan, who was pointed out by Yan Wood, clumsily put a bite of rice on Yan's plate and stammered.

"I'm not exactly dating Sister Lingxi, it's recent..."

He had been working with Tang Lingxi a lot recently and had only decided to approach her last night.

Their relationship status hadn't been confirmed yet.

How had Yan noticed this so quickly?

Fang Mu, looking at the small dining table at his doorway, felt warmth in his heart. He stepped forward, took the bowl from Fang Yuan's hand, and began to feed Yan.

While mixing rice with Yan's favorite dishes, he smiled and said to Fang Yuan,

"Second Brother, if it's not recent then did it begin yesterday?"

Fang Mu's casual joke made Fang Yuan choke violently, clearly hitting a nerve.

Fang Mu and Yan exchanged a glance.

In reality, Yan was also joking with Fang Yuan.

Having stayed in the Capital for several months, Yan would often meet Tang Lingxi when she saw Fang Yuan on the weekends.

Tang Lingxi was very gentle and didn't act arrogant due to Fang Yuan's status. She treated Yan very kindly as well.

Yan was quite willing to have Tang Lingxi as her sister-in-law.

She brought up this topic mainly to promote the relationship between Fang Yuan and Lingxi.

As Fang Mu and Yan exchanged glances, the only thought in Fang Yuan's mind was,

Could it be that Fang Mu had contracted a Guardian Beast with mind-reading capabilities!?

Chapter 300: Ghost Device: Heart-Seizing Charm Claw!\_1

Ever since Fang Mu's appetite increased due to the effects of the Blood of Abundance, he was eating nearly thirty nutritional meals a day.

If he ever missed a meal or ate less, he would feel a profound sense of hunger.

This led to Fang Mu routinely filling his stomach regardless of who he was dining with or whether he had any pre-existing plans.

After all, a regular meal for a normal person was no more than a snack to Fang Mu.

Before exiting his room, Fang Mu had finished his nutritional meal earlier and thus, didn't feel the need to start eating immediately while sitting at the table.

Instead, he was gently feeding Yan Wood.

Seeing Yan Wood fixated on the Sauteed Eggplant with Garlic, Fang Mu spooned a mouthful of Egg Custard and addressed her.

"Third Sister, there are a few herbs in your medicine that will react with garlic and nullify the medicinal effect."

"So, you have to avoid spicy food for a while."

Yan Wood loved delicious food, but she wasn't gluttonous.

She wasn't inclined to slow down her recovery for the sake of a quick taste indulgence.

She had been skipping classes because of her injury.

And while Yan Wood wanted to establish her own Club Guild, her physical condition didn't allow her to recruit people in person.

Fang Mu didn't probe into her feelings towards Fang Yuan anymore.

Fang Mu and Fang Yuan had already discussed the matter when Yan Wood was pushing Fang Qin to marry.

Fang Yuan had always been very independent and, unlike before, he was no longer responsible for the entire family.

Now, that burden had been taken up by Fang Mu.

Under such circumstances, Fang Yuan would naturally pursue it if he found someone he was ready to spend his life with.

After Yan Wood was fully fed, Fang Mu also began eating the food on the small square table.

Fang Yuan chose Fang Mu's favourite dishes and placed them onto Fang Mu's plate, saying,

"Xiao Yan insisted on eating outside your room."

"These days, she's been badgering me about you while nursing her injuries. I've told her everything about you."

The thought of how proficient Fang Mu was in taking care of Yan Wood made Fang Yuan chuckle.

In recent years, because he himself had been working in the Ten Thousand Treasures Commerce in the Capital and Fang Qin couldn't leave the Jinghai Army, only Fang Mu and Yan Wood had been living together.

Fang Yuan thought that Yan Wood, being the elder sister, could take more care of Fang Mu. But Fang Qin often claimed that it was uncertain who took care of whom between Yan Wood and Fang Mu.

Initially, Fang Yuan didn't take Fang Qin's comments seriously.

But now, it seemed that most of the time, just like Fang Qin had mentioned, Fang Mu took more care of Yan Wood.

Glancing at Fang Yuan and Yan Wood, Fang Mu, who was scheduled to return to JA City tomorrow, couldn't help but feel reluctant to leave.

"Big Brother, Third Sister, I'm leaving tomorrow afternoon,"

"I have to go, or I will be late for the start of the semester!"

Fang Yuan didn't say much and patted Fang Mu on the shoulder with a look of reluctance on his face.

Yan Wood, however, directly voiced out.

"Little Brother, with a Grandmaster Creator as your mentor now, it seems somewhat wasteful of you to go to school every day for basic classes!"

"You can apply to take a break from exams and plan your own time."

"As long as you get good grades in the end-of-semester exams, you'll be able to graduate successfully!"

Fang Mu nodded and said,

"That's what I had planned!"

"If not for the paperwork I need to hand over to Teacher Cui, I would have preferred to delay my return."

After finishing the last mouthful of food, Fang Mu turned to Yan Wood and said,

“Third Sister, I obtained three Emblem Burning Cranes from Master Yi Han, and my mentor helped me merge them.”

“The merging resulted in a type of Crane Beast that suits you for a pact.”

“Once you recover from your injury and reveal the Crane Beast in public, the members from Purple Que School Palace will approach you.”

“But I recommend you not to summon the Crane Beast in public casually.”

“You can hand over the information about this Crane Beast to the Principal of Dragon Garden Beastmaster University during the monthly beast census conducted by the school.”

“When the time comes and the Principal of Dragon Garden Beastmaster University reports it to Purple Que School Palace, it’ll achieve the same effect as revealing it in public.”

The moment they heard Fang Mu’s first sentence, Fang Yuan and Yan Wood knew that the Beast he mentioned wasn’t ordinary.

Obtained from a Grandmaster Creator, nurtured by another Grandmaster Creator, and further synthesized from three Beasts.

This sort of Crane Beast had its attributes pushed to the limit.

The school conducted a census of student’s Beasts monthly to ensure protective measures during practical combat classes.

A Beast that could attract the attention of the Principal of Dragon Garden Beastmaster University in the Capital, even necessitating an official report to the Purple Que School Palace was unheard of.

What kind of existence would it be!?

Once they entered the room, Fang Mu, without keeping Fang Yuan and Yan Wood in suspense, immediately summoned the Xi Hui Reflecting Crane and watched as Yan Wood formed a pact with it.

Although neither Fang Yuan nor Yan Wood was a Creator, both excelled in cultural courses during their school years.

As a veteran Golden Glove, Fang Yuan could tell just from the outside appearance how extraordinary the Xi Hui Reflecting Crane was.

Yan Wood trusted that Fang Mu wouldn't harm her.

Before she could closely observe Xi Hui Reflecting Crane, she completed the pact with it.

After establishing the pact with the Xi Hui Reflecting Crane, Yan Wood, completely stunned, stood in place for quite a while without uttering a word.