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Therefore, Lu Xiaoyin did not need to set too many tedious rules.

Having the attendant bring up the tenth item, Lu Xiaoyin began to introduce the auction item.

“This is the Beast Spirit of a bear-type Sequential Guardian Beast. It was a Sequential Nine Earth Wild Bear during its lifetime.”

“Despite the Earth Wild Bear having only one attribute, it’s an excellent choice when it comes to crafting Sequential-level spiritual armor or heavy axe-like weapons.”

“The highest bid in the silent auction is one hundred and seventy million.”

After Lu Xiaoyin finished introducing, no one raised the price of the Beast Spirit of the Earth Wild Bear any further.

In fact, the old man who bid one hundred and seventy million even had some regret about his impulsiveness.

Although the Earth Wild Bear is a Sequential Nine Single Attribute Guardian Beast, the application range of its Beast Spirit is still very broad.

But the price of one hundred and seventy million can definitely be considered high.

Because crafting a Sequential Spiritual Instrument requires not only the consumption of Beast Spirit but also many other spiritual materials.

Moreover, it requires the meticulous design and crafting of a Forging Spirit Grandmaster.

Seeing this price, Fang Mu knew someone was overpaying for this trade meeting.

The transaction prices of many traded items were all higher than the actual price of this item.

Even if they bought from a large commerce association that charges a high service fee, it would be cheaper than at a trade meeting.

Using the highest bid from the silent auction as the reserve price, the probability of the item being unsold was very high.

Not just the Beast Spirit of the Earth Wild Bear, but several other auction items remained unsold as well.

Not until the fifth item did someone continue to bid.

This fifth item was the Sequential Spiritual Instrument, Gold Ghost Weaving Needle, that Shui Miao brought out to promote Fang Mu's meeting.

This Gold Ghost Weaving Needle is both offensive and defensive, and contains two Beast Spirits of the Dream Weaving Spider.

From the perspective of the Beast Spirit automatically protecting its owner, a single Gold Ghost Weaving Needle is roughly equivalent to two other Sequential Eight Spiritual Instruments.

The highest bid in the silent auction was nine hundred and forty million, and was swiftly raised to one billion.

Several influential families were quite interested in this Gold Ghost Weaving Needle, but did not continue the competition after considering their family's cash flow situation.

Because once they competed for this Sequential Spiritual Instrument, Gold Ghost Weaving Needle, they would almost certainly lose the competition for the subsequent four auction items.

Whatever the strength of a Sequential Spiritual Instrument, it is ultimately just a lifeless object.

It cannot provide any actual improvement to a Guardian Beast.

Just as Huang Yi, the head of Mu Yu Medical, thought he was about to win the bid for this Sequential Spiritual Instrument, Gold Ghost Weaving Needle, Fang Mu, who had been quiet, spoke up.

“One billion one thousand and ten million!”

Fang Mu knew that after he placed his bid, most other people would likely choose not to compete with him.

Therefore, Fang Mu decided to raise the price at the last moment when no one else was bidding to avoid potentially causing losses to the guests.

As a person in charge of Mu Yu Medical, Huang Yi, who knew he had no chance in competing for the Silver-Blue Myst Snake, had put all his hopes on the Gold Ghost Weaving Needle.

His own daughter was about to graduate from college. Instead of wanting to inherit the family business, she insisted on joining a club to become a star player.

Mu Yu Medical had once invested in a medium-sized club, and Huang Yi knew very well that club players could easily get hurt in competitions, and death was not impossible.

Huang Yi couldn't change his daughter's mind, the only solution was to protect his daughter in any way possible.

As a result, his bid was directly topped by Fang Mu.

Even if Huang Yi had ten times the courage, he would not dare to bid further.

Besides, if Fang Mu's bid is one billion one thousand and ten million, it would be better for him to find a Forging Spirit Grandmaster to custom-make a Sequential Spiritual Instrument for his own daughter.

After Huang Yi gave up bidding, the Gold Ghost Weaving Needle became the property of Fang Mu.

Fang Mu planned to ask Master Lu Zhong to deliver it to Yan Wood when he goes to the Jianmu Commerce Association.

The fourth auction item was also a Sequential Spiritual Instrument, which was brought by Wu Ge, the Family Head of the Wu Family of Ludu.

As a Sequential Eight Spiritual Instrument, its price was even higher than the Gold Ghost Weaving Needle, which also had two Beast Spirits of Dream Weaving Spiders. And there is a reason.

This tool named Blizzard Heavy Cauldron has the effect of changing the environment. It can turn a certain range around into a snowstorm.

According to Wu Ge, the Blizzard Heavy Cauldron could affect a diameter of one kilometer.

Which is larger than the range influenced by the Sequential Seven or even Sequential Six Spiritual Instrument.

In some hot regions, the prices of ice and snow type Guardian Beasts are very high, and it is very difficult to cultivate.

With the Blizzard Heavy Cauldron, one could open a new industry off its foundation.

This is why the Blizzard Heavy Cauldron is significantly more expensive than the Gold Ghost Weaving Needle.

Fang Mu wasn't interested in the Blizzard Heavy Cauldron, but as a Forging Spirit Grandmaster, Shui Miao's curiosity was successfully aroused.

Shui Miao was curious about how the energy circuit in the Sequential Spiritual Instrument Blizzard Heavy Cauldron was designed to enable it to affect such a large range of environment.

Forging Spirit Grandmasters do not need to communicate and learn from each other.

As long as you buy the Spiritual Instruments made by others for contemplation and research, you can learn something you didn't know from them.

Shui Miao knew that standing next to Fang Mu, he represented Fang Mu in others' eyes.

So he also, like when Fang Mu bid before, raised the price right before the sale was completed.

He bought the Blizzard Heavy Cauldron for one billion one hundred and forty million.

Fang Mu originally thought the third item should be the last thing he hadn't seen in the normal auction.

Unexpectedly, what was brought up was indeed the Sand Bee Queen provided by Shu Liangjun.

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This piqued Fang Mu's interest immediately, wondering what the second auction item was.

He had been rushed when Lu Zhong had called for him just as he entered the trade area.

As a result, he had missed several auction items.

Those with a discerning eye would be able to tell that this special insect beast came from Insect Valley.

The type of Guardian Beast produced from Insect Valley that can spread like cancer in battle is equivalent to a piece of strategic supplies and has great significance for research.

It's hard to acquire these Guardian Beasts from Insect Valley unless you have connections there.

Seeing that the Lu Du Five Clans hadn't made a move yet, it was clear that they were all plotting for the Silver-Blue Myst Snake.

Contesting the Silver-Blue Myst Snake with the Lu Du Five Clans, not to mention whether they could win the bid.

Would they still even want to hang around in Lu City after potentially snatching it away?

No faction wished to go against the Five Clans of Lu City at this moment.

Moreover, the power structure of Lu City is intricate, with those forces weaker than the Lu Du Five Clans typically choosing a clan to affiliate themselves with.

So many factions were preparing to vie for the Sand Bee Queen.

All the factions wanting to compete had one hope in their hearts – that Fang Mu would not compete again!

However, things didn't go as these people had wished; Fang Mu still chose to bid at the last moment.

He easily secured the Sand Bee Queen.

With the 200 billion Dragon Soaring Coins that She Junjie had given him, Fang Mu felt no pressure bidding with Dragon Soaring Coins.

Finally, in Fang Mu's expectation, he saw the second auction item.

It was actually a complete corpse of a Ghost System Beast!

A complete corpse of a Ghost System Beast is undeniably ideal material for a Ghost Device.

Just by looking at the ghost flame of dark green intertwining around this Ghost System Beast, it was clear that this beast had reached Catastrophe Class.

A Catastrophe Class Ghost System Beast had died just like that and was being auctioned.

Fang Mu was curious as to who had brought in this corpse of the Catastrophe Class Ghost System Beast!

Lu Xiaoyin had already started introducing this Ghost System Beast corpse.

“Only two auction items are left, and this penultimate one is provided by the Chang Le Pavilion.”

“Because the Elegant Music Envoy of Chang Le Pavilion arrived rather late, and this item is of immense value.”

“I decided to bring it to the silent auction directly.”

Upon hearing Lu Xiaoyin’s introduction, the eyes of many people in the venue gathered on Lu Xiaoyin.

A woman in a white dress, embroidered with the pattern of Elegant Dance, was standing next to Lu Xiaoyin.

This woman, with a veil covering her face, had a cold aura about her.

Within the Chang Le Pavilion, beside the two masters, the most revered were the four Elegant Music Envoys.

When Fang Mu had just announced that he was holding a trade fair, Chang Le Pavilion sent an Elegant Music Envoy to show support, travelling a long distance.

It seemed that the relationship between Chang Le Pavilion and Fang Mu, or Qixing who is backing Fang Mu, was profound.

Only a power like Chang Le Pavilion would be willing to put forth a Catastrophe Class Beast corpse, an item whose actual value is difficult to measure.

As Fang Mu and the Elegant Music Envoy made eye contact, the Elegant Music Envoy was the first to bow in Fang Mu's direction.

Fang Mu replied with a smile and a nod of acknowledgment.

Fang Mu had not informed Chang Le Pavilion about his private trade fair, yet Chang Le Pavilion had sent someone in advance.

This clearly reflected the intentions of the two masters of Chang Le Pavilion, Lang Huan and Li Xu.

The scene of the Elegant Music Envoy of Chang Le Pavilion bowing to Fang Mu was observed by the other factions.

Even Shu Liangjun and Shui Miao appeared surprised.

Chang Le Pavilion's foundation is not in the Dragon Soaring Federation, and neither of the two masters is easy to get along with, fearlessly pursuing their goals.

Over the past several decades, Chang Le Pavilion's actions seemed purposeful, yet their trajectories were vague and unpredictable.

It's challenging to guess what Chang Le Pavilion truly aims to do.

Many factions had obstructed Chang Le Pavilion's path, and they had either been suppressed by Chang Le Pavilion or literally eradicated.

Even with a profound relationship with Qixing, the two masters of Chang Le Pavilion didn't have to treat Fang Mu with such respect.

It would seem that rather than saying the two masters of Chang Le Pavilion have a deep private relationship with Qixing, it's more appropriate to say their connection with Fang Mu is profound.

Lu Xiaoyin, looking at a small form Ghost System Beast with a resemblance to a shield, continued her introduction.

"Based on the information I received from the Elegant Music Envoy of Chang Le Pavilion, this Catastrophe Class Ghost System Beast was a Sequential Nine defensive Ghost System Beast named Zhige Luo Sha in its lifetime."

“Zhige Luo Sha has the ability to nullify injuries, although I’m unsure of the specific conditions required.”

“Please think carefully and bid wisely!”

At this moment, Fang Mu heard Shui Miao’s voice near his ear.

Shui Miao released his aura when speaking, which enveloped Fang Mu.

Even the nearby Shu Liangjun could not hear him.

“Ah Mu, I’ve seen this Zhige Luo Sha in the past, it was the beast of a Afterglow Knight in Ancient Genesis.”

“It appears that Afterglow Knight perished in the hands of Chang Le Pavilion!”

“As for the crafting of spiritual devices, the higher the level of the corresponding Sequential ranker of the beast spirit material used, the better.”

“If you are thinking about slowly cultivating and crafting into a Ghost Device using a Ghost System Beast, the ninth Sequential rank is an optimal level.”

“Catastrophe Class Ghost System Beast corpses are incredibly rare to find, and this one seems practically intact.”

“It died of a broken neck; its body is free of any external injuries.”

“It can be refined as a whole spiritual material.”

“Furthermore, among all Catastrophe Class defensive Ghost System Beastes, the effects of Zhige Luo Sha can be considered top-tier.”

“If you are considering crafting a defensive Ghost Device, I recommend you acquire the corpse of Zhige Luo Sha.”

“Crafting a Ghost Device requires dozens of materials of various sizes and requires gradual collection.”

“If you have the main material, you can prepare for the rest of the materials accordingly!”

As a Forging Spirit Grandmaster, Shui Miao has a high vision, but in this case, it feels like Shui Miao is pushing Fang Mu intensely to get this item.

Shui Miao has been trying to establish a good relationship with his own Master Qixing and has always been treating Fang Mu very well, so it's unlikely that he would harm Fang Mu.

Fang Mu had initially intended his Ghost Device to be defensive in nature.

Since there is now an opportunity, Fang Mu was preparing to secure the corpse of Zhige Luo Sha.

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As for whether he would use Zhi Ge Luo Cha's corpse in the creation of his Ghost Device, Fang Mu could evaluate that later.

After all, it would take quite some time to craft a Ghost Device.

Faced with the corpse of a Ghost System Beast of the ninth sequence Catastrophe Class, affluent families like the Lu Du Five Clans were all very interested.

Even those preparing to compete for the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake, also had the capacity to vie for this Ghost System Beast corpse.

Just as She Junjie was ready to directly offer twenty billion Dragon Rising Coins in gratitude to Fang Mu.

Not only the other four major clans in Lu City, but many large forces also had this capability.

No matter how precious the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake was or how much it could save the Contractor's spiritual power, it was ultimately just a single Guardian Beast.

Speaking highly, it would only be worth thirty billion capital.

However, She Junjie, Wu Ge, He Kuan, and the others knew, that the people from Chang Le Pavilion came to Fang Mu's auction to support him.

The corpse of Zhi Ge Luo Cha was likely a gift from Chang Le Pavilion to Fang Mu.

They simply wanted to find an appropriate premise to give it to Fang Mu, having others to compete for it was not proper.

Fang Mu would not allow others to seize this Ghost System Beast corpse.

So, even though the corpse of Zhi Ge Luo Cha, which was difficult to give a specific value, was bid by Fang Mu at seven hundred million, none spoke again to raise the price.

She Junjie, Wu Ge, He Kuan, and others did not compete either.

Seeing this, Fang Mu slightly furrowed his brows and turned to Shui Miao next to him to quietly ask.

“Ah Shui, what do you think the value of Zhi Ge Luo Cha is?”

Hearing this, Shui Miao immediately understood Fang Mu’s meaning.

However, it was truly difficult to determine the price of Zhi Ge Luo Cha’s complete corpse!

In Shui Miao’s view, the price of Zhi Ge Luo Cha’s corpse was higher than Silver-Blue Mystical Snake’s price offered by Fang Mu.

Zhi Ge Luo Cha was a Ghost System Beast contracted by a remnant Afterglow Knight of the Ancient Genesis. Many powerful beings could kill an Afterglow Knight.

But these powerful beings might not bear the crazy revenge of the Ancient Genesis group.

Secondly, it’s truly rare to ensure the completeness of the Ghost System Beast’s corpse.

In fierce battles, it was already astonishing to ensure the corpse's integrity reached seventy percent!

As the main material for crafting Ghost Devices, the completeness of the Ghost System Beast corpse determined the strength of a Ghost Device's inherited abilities.

From a certain point of view, to get a near hundred percent complete Ghost System Beast corpse, one could only arrange for a Beast Master to contract the Ghost System Beast.

Progressively raise it to the ninth sequence, then let the Contractor control the Ghost System Beast contracted by themselves to kill it deliberately.

If one obtained the Ghost System Beast's corpse in this way, the cost was simply too high!

After much consideration, Shui Miao finally gave his internal estimate.

"A price of 2.45 billion Dragon Rising Coins is reasonable."

"If you don't want the Chang Le Pavilion to suffer a loss, I can help you push it a bit."

Hearing this, Fang Mu, who knew that Shui Miao understood his meaning, immediately said with laughter.

"Ah Shui, I am sorry for the trouble!"

Just when everyone thought that Zhi Ge Luo Cha's corpse would be taken down by Fang Mu for seven hundred million, the gentle voice of Shui Miao sounded.

"I bid eight hundred million."

The bidding of Shui Miao left all the members of the major forces present stunned for a moment.

This ordinary-looking man in blue had always been standing half a step behind Fang Mu, occasionally standing by his side and chatting with him.

He looked like one of Fang Mu's people through and through.

So why suddenly were there squabbles between themselves now?

Fang Mu did not give these forces the chance to speculate. After Shui Miao made his bid, Fang Mu quickly followed suit.

"I bid 2.5 billion!"

Fang Mu's current offer was more than three times the previous one, and his tone was undisturbed.

It was as if 2.5 billion Dragon Rising Coins were just a number, not having any actual purchasing power.

Is this the grandeur of a Disciple of a Grandmaster Creator!?

Fang Mu did not look like a fool at all; he would not raise the price without reason.

Fang Mu must have had his own reasons for doing this.

With a little thought, everyone understood what was going on.

Like the earlier bids on the several auction items, Fang Mu would be the last one to bid.

Now, Fang Mu was doing this to protect the interests of the provider, he did not want Chang Le Pavilion to suffer a loss due to his bidding.

Seeing Fang Mu's actions at this time, the Elegant Music Envoy clad in a white robe standing next to Lu Xiaoyin, slightly hooked the corners of her mouth.

The curve of her mouth was much like the graceful dance of an elegant music dance on the hem of a skirt.

Fang Mu's actions were equivalent to showing his attitude towards Chang Le Pavilion, letting Chang Le Pavilion know that if they cooperate with him, their efforts will be met with equal, or perhaps even more, returns.

In the heart of the Elegant Music Envoy, the price of this Heaven Calamity Ghost Series Beast Zhige Luo Sha corpse was at 2.3 billion Dragon Rising Coins.

It was a little lower than Shui Miao's valuation.

Perhaps this was because as a Forging Spirit Grandmaster, she was more aware of how precious a complete Ghost System Beast corpse was!

The various large forces present could discern Fang Mu's character from his behavior.

If asked what they feared most about making connections with a disciple of a Grandmaster Creator like Fang Mu, it would probably be that the resources spent on Fang Mu would go to waste, and that Fang Mu would accept their resources without doing anything in return.

Now, the various forces could finally put aside their concerns. For a moment, Fang Mu seemed hotter than ever.

After the Ghost System Beast Zhige Luo Sha was taken down by Fang Mu, Lu Xiaoyin ordered people to bring out the cage containing the Blue-Silver Mysterious Snake.

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Two Beast Masters commanded four Iron Arm Baboons to carry a heavy iron cage up high.

The Silver-Blue Mystical Snake hissed fiercely within the cage, displaying extreme aggression.

Different species of Guardian Beasts all had their distinctive habits and features.

For example, a Serpent Beast could lose its will to fight when facing a powerful enemy, but when against an equally matched opponent, it would become extremely ferocious.

This trait made Serpent Beasts the favorites of many major clubs.

Each club's main team always included a member who had a good understanding of Serpent Beasts.

Because the strengths of club members and their beasts were relatively matched, Serpent Beasts had the racial ability to subtly enhance their combat power.

However, the fact that they can lose their will to fight when facing strong enemies, made Serpent Beasts unsuited for outdoor adventures.

Yet, this Silver-Blue Mystical Snake, when facing the four clearly more formidable Iron Arm Baboons, displayed the posture of a predator.

This might have been related to the faint Dragon Bloodline that the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake possessed.

Even if this Silver-Blue Mystical Snake couldn't ultimately transform into a Dragon, the trace of Dragon Bloodline could allow the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake to have the advantage of its Serpent Beast traits, while discarding the disadvantage of losing heart when facing strong foes.

Master Lu Zhong had already given a detailed explanation about the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake, and there was no need for Lu Xiaoyin to repeat it.

"I believe everyone is already aware of the information about the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake. It was bid at a price of 2.48 billion during the silent auction!"

"You can now bid freely. The minimum bid increase must not be less than 10 million!"

Lu Xiaoyin had barely finished speaking when She Junjie immediately raised the bid.

He pushed the price of the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake directly from 2.48 billion to 2.5 billion.

Wu Ge followed closely with another increased bid, and Gao Hongying, He Kuan, Zhao Junwei also kept up.

In no time, the price of the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake was brought up to a high of 2.83 billion.

This price had already exceeded Fang Mu's expectations.

Cultivating a Guardian Beast like the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake was incredibly easy for Fang Mu.

But it had brought Fang Mu extremely high returns.

After this, Fang Mu could make a fortune just selling Guardian Beasts similar to the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake.

More importantly, no matter who ended up purchasing this Silver-Blue Mystical Snake, they would essentially be helping Fang Mu to cultivate Beasts.

Through the Blood of Abundance, even if the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake was contracted by someone else in the future,

Fang Mu would retain control over it.

Exporting beasts created through the unique feature of the Blood of Abundance – the “Creation of Blood and Life”, not only helped Fang Mu accumulate resources,

But also had a certain strategic significance at key moments.

This was like increasing the military power Fang Mu had at his disposal in a unique way.

Thinking of this, a term suddenly sprang into Fang Mu’s mind – the mother of all things!

Hastily shaking the thought, Fang Mu couldn’t help but wonder when he started to have such thoughts.

This totally contradicted his image as a scientific researcher in his previous life.

Fang Mu quickly expelled this sudden term from his mind.

At this point, the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake’s price had been pushed up to a whole 3.1 billion.

Faced with such high prices, all major forces stopped recklessly increasing their bids.

In the end, the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake was taken by He Kuan, the Family Head of the He family of Ludu.

As it happened, He Kuan had a good affinity for Serpent Beasts and could directly contract the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake after acquiring it.

Because of this, He Kuan desired the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake far more eagerly than other families.

When the bidding reached 3.1 billion, He Kuan, with his understanding of the other family heads of Ludu, most likely would no longer compete with him.

Continuing to compete might just seem like throwing money around.

Moreover, Fang Mu had already clearly shown that he was willing to give all the major forces an equal opportunity to interact with him.

Rather than continuing to increase the price to interact with Fang Mu through auctions,

Why not spend a few hundred million Dragon Rising Coins on abundance of supplies to curry favor with Fang Mu?

These two practices were of a completely different nature.

He Kuan recalled that Master Lu Zhong had also wanted to compete for the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake, and he was worried that Master Lu Zhong would increase the price.

To Master Lu Zhong, 3.1 billion Dragon Rising Coins were not a big deal at all.

His intention to curry favor with Fang Mu was essentially about obtaining a channel to access the resources of a Master-Level Maker.

Given that both of them were after the same thing, He Kuan did not want to offend Master Lu Zhong.

Moreover, Master Lu Zhong was not someone with a good temper.

If he and Master Lu Zhong fought over price, Master Lu Zhong would definitely not trade even a single resource of a Maker with him in the future.

In the past, many forces had offended Master Lu Zhong and suffered his retaliation as a result.

Dealing with such a bad-tempered and petty person required extra caution.

In the end, He Kuan did not have to wait for Master Lu Zhong's price, and took the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake at a high price of 3.1 billion Dragon Rising Coins.

Master Lu Zhong looked regretfully at the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake, which had fallen into He Kuan's hands.

It wasn't that Master Lu Zhong didn't want to increase the price, but because he was now essentially Fang Mu's servant.

Even though Fang Mu hadn't given him a final answer yet, Master Lu Zhong knew he had to get his attitude right.

At present, the best way to show this was to act like a servant.

This prohibited him from reallocating the resources he currently held.

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Now, in front of Fang Mu, Lu Zhong is in debt.

Fang Mu saw the fervent desire Lu Zhong had for the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake and couldn't help but laugh out of amusement.

Lu Zhong was bonded with lion-type beasts, and yet he was unable to make a pact with the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake.

He was so unwilling to let He Kuan take the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake!

After contemplating for a moment, Fang Mu spoke in a low voice to Lu Zhong.

“Master Lu Zhong, if you like beasts like the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake, there should be ways to obtain them in the future.”

“The Silver-Blue Mystical Snake was one of my master’s more successful experiments.”

“Though trying such an experiment has a great cost, it made even my master wince.”

“But with more trials, success will surely come.”

“If what succeeds is a beast with the bloodline of a lion, then you will be able to make a pact with it!”

Fang Mu’s voice was very low, and coupled with the aura of Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun constantly enveloping him,

it ensured that Fang Mu’s confidential words wouldn’t leak out.

However, Shu Liangjun, Shui Miao and She Wan heard everything clearly.

Shu Liangjun and Shui Miao had originally thought that the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake, a beast that required only one-tenth of the usual spiritual power to establish a pact, was unique.

They hadn’t expected that Qixing could mass-produce them and further research them.

The existence of the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake signified Qixing’s successful attempts, and there was no way success had only occurred once.

Qixing must have other beasts like the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake, otherwise, Fang Mu wouldn’t offer the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake up for sale as a trading good.

Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun admitted that there were very few things in the world that could stir their deepest desires.

But such beasts that required only a tenth of the typical spiritual power to make a pact with, stirred excitement in both Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun.

The ability to establish a pact with ten such beasts for the spiritual power normally expended on one effectively multiplies one's fighting power.

As for the resources needed to enhance the beasts, neither Shui Miao nor Shu Liangjun were worried.

The influence they accumulated in their youth was enough to shoulder the resource consumption in cultivating their beasts.

Before Lu Zhong could thank Fang Mu, Shu Liangjun and Shui Miao simultaneously addressed Fang Mu.

"Ah Mu, could we possibly have a chance to obtain one or several such beasts?"

"Just name the price you want!"

"Every time we obtain a beast we can make a pact with, we will give you an additional twenty percent personal benefit!"

Shu Liangjun and Shui Miao were not doing this to be estranged from Fang Mu, but rather, their life experiences had taught them how to ask others for help.

It was proper for Fang Mu to gain a certain amount of reward for helping them obtain the beasts from Qixing.

If they were to ask for Fang Mu's help without showing any gratitude, they might lose the possibility of further cooperation or contact with Fang Mu.

Lu Zhong only realized at this moment that Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun were not the people backing Fang Mu's Grandmaster Creator, Qixing.

The fact that they initially asked for these beasts showed they had a significant relationship with Fang Mu.

They also had immense power and confidence to cultivate these beasts once they obtained them.

The reason Fang Mu was speaking like this to Lu Zhong was, in fact, for Shu Liangjun and Shui Miao to hear.

Because Lu Zhong didn't have the ability to make a larger purchase.

Fang Mu's subsequent steps to increase Lu Zhong's lifespan had completely drained Lu Zhong of his resources.

Fang Mu providing such beasts to Lu Zhong was also to strengthen the abilities of his own factions.

However, Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun were different. Even now, Fang Mu was not fully aware of their backgrounds.

Being official members of the Starwheel, the identities of these two must not be simple ones!

As expected, under Fang Mu's baiting, both Shu Liangjun and Shui Miao had taken the bait.

"I will mention this matter about the beasts to my master, but I don't know what kind of beasts you two resonate with?"

"Tell me, and I will relay it to my master. Who knows, my master may already have suitable ones!"

Fang Mu's words had given Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun a visionary expression.

Qixing indeed had stock of similar beasts!

Shu Liangjun spoke first.

“I resonate with bird-type creatures, almost all bird-type beasts can be pact-bound by me!”

“Any bird-type beast will work!”

Fang Mu was astounded to hear how broad Shu Liangjun’s resonance with beast types was.

While Yan Wood bonded to a small branch within the big branch of bird-type creatures, the crane type beasts, Shu Liangjun’s resonance covered an entire grand type.

Given the wide range of Shu Liangjun’s resonance, it was understandable that his master had suitable creatures in stock!

Fang Mu then appeared to consider and said,

“I remember my master has some bird-type creatures, but I don’t know exactly how many!”

“When I’m able to contact my master, I’ll ask him.”

“As for how many he is willing to part with, I can’t guarantee!”

“I think my master will be willing to provide these creatures, but he probably wants to exchange them for specific resources.”

Hearing Fang Mu’s words, Shu Liangjun couldn’t help but break into a brilliant smile.

There were several creatures in Qixing's possession that he could make a pact with, this was fantastic news!

By creating more pacts with beasts and increasing the strength of the beasts, his Destiny Guidebook would acquire more Star Marks, which would, in turn, extend his lifespan.

Shu Liangjun was willing to pay any price to get his hands on these beasts he could make a pact with.

In order to advance to the rank of the Top Creation Master, Qixing was bound to keep mixing Spiritual Liquids and consume a large amount of spiritual materials.

At this time, it was not convenient for Qixing to go out and personally search for the materials he needed.

So, it was highly feasible that Qixing was willing to trade away the creatures he had.

Shu Liangjun thought that there must be few materials Qixing needed that he couldn't find.

Just as Shui Miao was preparing to tell his resonance with beast types, the ground beneath their feet began shaking violently.

This was the Si Ning Mansion, the very core of Lu City.

Such a huge vibration could even be felt here; what on earth was happening in Lu City?

Chapter 476: The Guardian of Lu City! \_1

The major powers of Lu City were originally engrossed in the trade fair hosted by Fang Mu.

The trade meet organized by Fang Mu was so grandiose, with every single auction item being of great value.

The fact that a private trade meet auctioned off items worth hundreds of billions of Dragon Rising Coins was truly shocking to hear about.

It was hard to imagine what tomorrow's major media in Lu City would report about this trade meet.

Suddenly, a twist of events disrupted everyone's train of thought.

This level of tremor was not at all common in Lu City.

If the Si Ning Mansion was like this, wouldn't the tremors in other places be even stronger!?

Just then, a middle-aged man escorted by two young people entered the banquet hall.

Yin Nanzhen chose not to stop them, rather he jogged over to Fang Mu and began speaking.

"Young master, there's a big problem in the seas around Lu City!"

"The man who arrived is the deputy commander of Lu Du Sea Reserve Army Corps."

"He says that there has been a super tsunami in Lu City. The sea Guardian Beasts have planned and premeditated an attack on Lu City."

"He's here firstly to report the news, and secondly to hope that the major powers of Lu City can join hands to overcome this crisis together."

Upon hearing Yin Nanzhen's words, Fang Mu's brows furrowed instantly.

For a moment, Fang Mu began to doubt whether he was cursed like the character Conan from the legends—how come wherever he went, a crisis would break out?

He had just experienced the turmoil caused by the Evil Heart Sect in JA City, and now he has come to Lu City only to encounter an attack by the Sea Beasts.

Comparatively, an attack by the Sea Beasts on Lu City is much more terrifying than the assault of the Evil Heart Sect on JA City.

At least with the attack on Lu City by the Evil Heart Sect, it was possible to probe how many strongmen the enemy had, making preparations and countermeasures possible.

But the Sea Beasts were all hidden beneath the sea, where the surging waters provided an excellent cover for them.

They thoroughly concealed those formidable Sea Beasts in the deep sea.

As soon as any human strongman ventured into the sea to clear out the Sea Beasts, these formidable beasts would instantly reveal themselves.

They would then launch attacks on those human strongmen.

However, humans and the Sea Clan had an agreement. Humans established a closed season during which over four-fifths of the year was restricted from fishing in the sea waters.

That is the primary reason why the Fishing Festival is held only once in such a long time.

Shui Miao, feeling the degree of the tremors beneath his feet, spoke seriously,

“Ah Mu, based on the current intensity of the tremors, this tsunami has exceeded level sixteen.”

“To bring about a tsunami of this magnitude, there must at least be more than one Sea King involved.”

“Even the Sea Emperor might have appeared in the Dust World!”

“This matter is of great significance; it is an even more dangerous disaster than a Disaster Level Dimensional Rift opening in the middle of a city!”

“What are you planning to do?”

“Based on my understanding of the Sea Clan, they must have made thorough preparations for their attack on Lu City.”

“Otherwise, the Sea Clan would never rashly attack.”

If Fang Mu were in Lu City alone with She Wan, unable to control or interfere with the situation, he would choose to look out for himself.

But now that both Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun, two official members of Starwheel, are with him, Fang Mu, being a native of the Dragon Rising Federation in this lifetime, does not want to see Lu City destroyed by the Sea Clan.

If Lu City were to be ravaged, the most pitiful would always be the ordinary people.

The Beast Masters at least have a chance to resist and survive, but those ordinary people don't even have the chance to resist.

“Ah Shui, Elder Shu, what do you think our chances are of helping Lu City through this crisis if we lend a hand?”

Once Fang Mu spoke, both Shu Liangjun and Shui Miao understood his intentions.

For the current situation, even Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun's thoughts aren't very optimistic.

Because both understand that helping Lu City through the crisis, as Fang Mu said, means safeguarding the city.

Protecting Lu City naturally means protecting its citizens.

Among a host of Dimensional Rifts, creatures from the Water World aren't powerful.

However, the Water World Dimensional Rift was once considered the most troublesome Dimensional Rift.

The reason why the Water World Dimensional Rift is troublesome is that it changes the inherent environment.

It turns lands into seas, instantly drowning those who can't swim.

Those who could swim would be dragged by the current to the bottom of the sea, becoming prey to the aquatic creatures.

Just like the opening of a Water World Dimensional Rift, a tsunami caused by sea creatures would have the same effect as that of the opening of a Water World Dimensional Rift.

Even powerhouses like Shu Liangjun and Shui Miao can't ensure the safety of the ordinary people under such extreme conditions.

"Ah Mu, for us, it's not difficult to ultimately deter this attack on Lu City by the Sea Clan."

"But it is difficult to safeguard Lu City."

"Since the Sea Clan caused this incident, the losses in Lu City have become immeasurable."

"By now the sea water should have already flooded into Lu City, destroying the city's port."

“Otherwise, the Lu Du Sea Reserve Army Corps, with their strength, wouldn’t be seeking help from the outside!”

While Fang Mu was talking with Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun, the deputy commander of the Sea Defense Corps who rushed to the trade meet spoke solemnly and deeply.

“Most of you here represent the local powers of Lu City.”

“Now Lu City is in danger, facing the sudden invasion of the Sea Clan, your immediate assistance is needed!”

Ever since Li Yuanchao became the deputy commander of the Lu City Sea Defense Corps, he has been committed to the development of the Corps itself.

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He had always been profoundly confident in the abilities of the Sea Defense Corps.

However, at this moment, Li Yuanchao felt a deep sense of helplessness.

The Dragon Rising Federation had never experienced such a large-scale invasion from the Sea Clan in its history.

The Sea Clan attacked fiercely this time, leaving no time for Lu City to prepare.

If they had been able to get the news in advance, Lu City could have prepared earlier.

They wouldn't be in such a mess then.

Even if they couldn't resist the attack from the Sea Clan, they could have evacuated the crowd earlier.

That would have prevented such heavy casualties.

After Li Yuanchao requested help, some forces immediately responded, expressing their willingness to fight for the defense of Lu City.

But likewise, some forces did not declare their position.

At this critical moment, their own forces have already suffered a great loss.

To choose to stick with Lu City at this point would potentially exacerbate their losses.

In the eyes of some forces, cutting losses is far more important than honoring collective obligations.

Seeing that only a part of the forces responded to him, Li Yuanchao felt helpless again.

The response of these forces would not fundamentally solve the problems Lu City faced.

Under these circumstances, only by uniting all forces could they have the possibility of overcoming the crisis!

Li Yuanchao couldn't stop wondering why the Sea Clan, which had been peaceful and posed no threat to the Dragon Rising Federation, suddenly went mad out of blue.

This madness came without any warning!

Invading the land brought no benefit to the Sea Clan since they would eventually have to return to the sea even if they occupy the land.

The land is not suitable for the Sea Clan to live.

Li Yuanchao had heard about the deeds of Fang Mu.

If he hadn't been restricted by his position, he would have loved to attend this private trade meeting.

Li Yuanchao wished to be a member of this trade meeting to purchase some supplies he needed.

Given that Fang Mu was a disciple of a Grandmaster Creator, he undoubtedly had sufficient power.

Li Yuanchao planned to represent Lu City's official authorities to ask Fang Mu for help, hoping Fang Mu could assist Lu City.

The assistance from a disciple of a Grandmaster Creator not only boosts morale,

But the power behind him is likely to be stronger than any major clans in Lu City.

Li Yuanchao bowed to Fang Mu from a distance, speaking sincerely.

"Mr. Jianmu, your visit to Lu City is an honor for us."

"Now that Lu City is in danger, I, on behalf of Lu City, seek your help and hope to receive your assistance."

"Once Lu City overcomes this crisis, we will certainly express our gratitude in earnest!"

After saying this, Li Yuanchao looked at Fang Mu earnestly, waiting for his response.

Fang Mu didn't rush to respond to Li Yuanchao but looked at the heads of the major forces present and said seriously.

"I hope everyone can participate in the defense of Lu City this time."

"Weren't you all interested in the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake before?"

"I can now make a decision. The force contributing the most in helping Lu City will be rewarded with a Guardian Beast similar to the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake."

"For the forces ranking within the top ten in contribution, each will be rewarded with a Life Elixir of ninety-four percent purity."

"The forces ranking twentieth to fiftieth will each be awarded a Life Elixir of ninety percent purity."

"All other participating forces will receive five Life Elixirs, each of eighty percent purity."

"This is a personal commitment from me, and the final contribution of each person will be evaluated by Lu City's Sea Defense Corps."

"I hope everyone can make a contribution to the defense of their homeland."

“Since I happened to be in Lu City, I will also participate in the defense of Lu City.”

Fang Mu’s words left everyone, including Shu Liangjun and Shui Miao, stunned.

Looking at the righteous Fang Mu, the phrase “young hero” couldn’t help but spring to everyone’s mind.

Being taken as a disciple by a Grandmaster Creator, Fang Mu was undoubtedly a young prodigy.

However, the prodigy and the hero are two different things.

The prodigy emphasizes quality, while the hero values character.

Those who had been curious about why Qixing, the Grandmaster Creator, favored the young Fang Mu,

Felt like they found the answer at this moment.

A young man, glowing with both quality and ability, really does exist in this world!

Li Yuanchao was definitely the most excited one at the moment.

Fang Mu's mobilization with tangible resources could definitely move all the major forces.

Li Yuanchao didn't know what kind of Guardian Beast the Silver-Blue Mystical Snake Fang Mu mentioned was.

But the Creator resources that Fang Mu used as a reward reached a whopping total of more than ten billion Dragon Rising Coins.

The courage Fang Mu displayed was something ordinary people could not possess.

Using so many Creator resources as a reward, Fang Mu was sure to face a great deal of pressure from his master.

With the invasion from the Sea Clan, all the forces in Lu City were invariably affected.

The forces that chose not to respond to Li Yuanchao's request were mainly aimed at minimizing their losses.

Now Fang Mu has laid out enough benefits. There is no reason these forces will not fight for these advantages.

In the past, the Lu City Five Families could only obtain Master Creator resources.

Almost all the rewards Fang Mu offered were of Grandmaster Creator level.

Only a fool would give up such high-level rewards.

Moreover, even if they weren't very helpful, just by participating, they could obtain five Master Creator elixirs.

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Many medium and small-scale powers present normally wouldn't have the chance to obtain elixirs from a Master Creator like Lu Zhong.

So, when Fang Mu announced the rewards, all the forces present chose to join the defense of Lu City.

Li Yuanchao bowed deeply to Fang Mu across the crowd.

Fang Mu too, politely returned the gesture to Li Yuanchao and announced.

"The Sea Clan's invasion of Lu City has already begun. Everyone, mobilize at once to partake in Lu City's defense!"

Having addressed everyone, Fang Mu turned to look at Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun.

"Ah Shui, Elder Shu, you can leave me and go help."

“You don’t have to worry about my safety.”

Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun exchanged a glance, not insisting on staying by Fang Mu’s side.

Fang Mu had a Marrow Pact with the spiritual instrument, the Purple Qi Nine Crane Furnace, with the protection of a rank-two spiritual instrument, it can trigger an auto-protection mechanism in times of danger.

Ordinary opponents wouldn’t pose a threat to Fang Mu.

Fang Mu had done Lu City such a huge favor, Li Yuanchao, as the deputy head of the Lu City Sea Defense Corps, would surely protect Fang Mu from danger.

If Fang Mu were to help Lu City, and then let Fang Mu face danger.

Then, Lu City’s side would not be able to answer responsibly to the Qixing Grandmaster!

Shu Liangjun and Shui Miao were initially kind to Fang Mu due to Qixing.

Latterly, after trading with Fang Mu, they experienced Fang Mu’s generosity and received his help.

The two then formed a private friendship with Fang Mu.

After experiencing what had just happened, both Shu Liangjun and Shui Miao gave Fang Mu a thumbs-up in their hearts.

They would not have been able to match Fang Mu’s quality, vision, courage, and generosity in their youth.

“We will certainly not fail, and do our utmost to help Lu City through this difficulty!”

Upon finish speaking, Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun immediately took off to scout the Sea Clan's situation.

It's also good to gauge the current situation by the scale of the Sea Clan's invasion.

The sudden invasion of the Sea Clan was fierce and swift. Lu City's side responded just as swiftly.

Shui Miao and Shu Liangjun found that all the major Corps of Lu City had mobilized.

The Sea Defense Corps set up defenses, and the Guardian Beasts were resisting the destruction caused by the tsunami to Lu City.

Under normal circumstances, the Corps guarding seaside cities would cultivate a type of special Guardian Beast.

This Guardian Beast was known as the Bursting Water Toad.

The size of the Bursting Water Toad was even smaller than that of a bullfrog used for food, and it bore a lazy pimple all over its body.

A touch would trigger the release of a gross brownish-yellow pus.

People with tryphobia would likely faint at the sight of this beast.

However, this beast was indeed effective at dealing with floods.

Firstly, the Bursting Water Toad would absorb thousands, even tens of thousands, of times more water than its body volume.

Then it would convert it into pus within its body and secrete it through the pimples on its back.

Once this pus comes into contact with water, it will absorb a large amount of the water source and refine it.

Eventually, it would be diluted into a semi-transparent gel-like material.

This gel-like material is an excellent material for building water dams.

Lu City's Sea Defense Corps immediately dispatched fifty thousand Bursting Water Toads, which were stored as strategic resources.

Beast Masters specifically watched over these Bursting Water Toads as they secreted large amounts of mucus, controlling the influx of seawater into the Lu City district.

Meanwhile, they constantly urged the beasts to advance the semi-transparent gel.

Despite the huge tsunami, they still managed to keep half of Lu City District dry.

With water treatment, damming, and rescue all happening simultaneously, a large number of Lu City residents were relocated to the safe district.

Shui Miao said to Shu Liangjun.

"Golden Bull, since your Guardian Beast is good at flying, you should go and scout!"

"I'll stay here and guard these Bursting Water Toads."

"The Bursting Water Toad is the lynchpin of Lu City's resistance against the Sea Clan, even a slight loss of the toads will reduce the ground that Lu City can reclaim from the Sea Clan."

“The Sea Clan will surely come up with a countermeasure once they find out about our situation!”

“I’m afraid they have already begun researching a method against the Bursting Water Toad!”

Hearing this, Shu Liangjun waved his hand, and a huge bird that covered the sky immediately appeared in the horizon.

The invasion of the Sea Clan to the land is inevitably accompanied by heavy rain.

Many of the Sea Clan’s Guardian Beasts have the ability to cause rainfall. The heavy rain can sometimes be a more severe issue than the tsunami to Lu City.

As the mucus secreted by the Bursting Water Toads can resist tsunamis, but the vertical rainfall inside Lu City leaves the Sea Defense Corps at a loss.

They could only utilize blunt methods to drain the water.

Fortunately, Lu City has a very impressive drainage system.

However, it won’t take long for the Sea Clan to discover the location of Lu City’s drainage, and some aquatic sovereign beasts like barnacles and starfish will clog up Lu City’s drain with their bodies.

If the rainfall problem is not resolved, the dikes built with Bursting Water Toad mucus will turn Lu City into a sealed basin.

They would be passively receiving the rainwater falling from the sky.

As soon as Shu Liangjun summoned his Guardian Beast, a clear, faint calling resounded in the sky.

The moment quickly shattered the dark clouds, and the sun hung high in the center of the sky.

The bright sunlight shone on the district of Lu City, evaporating the accumulated rainwater on the ground.

Almost everyone in Lu City looked up at the giant bird with blue-gold tail feathers in the sky.

This bird, with feathers as bright as the sun on its head and echoing the sun above it, gave people hope.

Is this a giant bird with a wingspan of nearly a kilometer, the Guardian of Lu City!?

Shu Liangjun had dealt with Shui Miao, but he had never seen Shu Liangjun's contracted Guardian Beast.

The moment he saw this bird, Shui Miao couldn't help but exclaim.

"Golden Bull's Guardian Beast actually has the bloodline of the legendary Sound Bird!"

"Just that nowadays, with the absence of Spiritual Energy, the Sound Bird's bloodline is relatively thin."

"It failed to successfully awaken the bloodline of the Sun-burning Sparrow that never burns down based on the Sound Bird's bloodline."

"But a rank-two Guardian Beast is enough to handle the rainfall problem in Lu City's sky."

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Shui Miao was sure that this, Sequential Bird, ranked second in the order, was definitely not Golden Bull's main battle Mystic Beast.

Not until left with no other choice, Golden Bull would reveal its primary Mystic Beast.

The Golden Bull unleashed the bird with the Undying Sun Sparrow Bloodline, partly to regulate rain.

On the other hand, it also aimed to probe how powerful the Sea Beasts, which caused this disaster in Lu City, really were.

This Mystic Beast of Golden Bull could summon the sun to halt the rain of the Sea Clan, depriving them of their ability to alter the environment within Lu City.

Now, the Sea Clan's plan to devastate Lu City with a tsunami was clearly unrealistic.

More than 500,000 Bursting Water Toads had essentially set up basic defense facilities.

Although the slime of the Bursting Water Toads would naturally degrade, it would take two to three days to dissolve completely.

The Sea Clan's sudden attack on Lu City would not allow for such a wait.

First off, Lu City had its own powerful defenders, and in the face of this grave danger, the Dragon Rising Federation would definitely assign the true top powerhouses to aid Lu City.

Therefore, for the Sea Clan to achieve results in a short amount of time, they must take down Golden Bull's bird with the Undying Sun Sparrow Bloodline, ranked second in the Sequential order.

Just as Shui Miao was ready to observe developments while protecting these Bursting Water Toads,

Shui Miao suddenly noticed that many Bursting Water Toads were not in good condition.

Many black patterns appeared on their yellow-green bodies.

After the black patterns crawled onto the bodies of the Bursting Water Toads, their stamina immediately weakened.

What was once the viscous pus secreted from the bumps on their backs that absorbed the source of water, had turned a dark gray color.

This dark gray pus lost its ability to absorb water again, effectively ruining half the function of the Bursting Water Toads at once.

This was most likely due to the Sea Clan releasing toxins in the water, which specifically targeted the Bursting Water Toads.

The Sea Clan planned to inflict severe damage to the Bursting Water Toad Squadron with these toxins, causing it to collapse.

This would allow sea water to flood into Lu City.

Once sea water truly flooded into Lu City, the entire Lu City would become a battlefield for the Sea Clan.

Shui Miao's lips pursed slightly, thinking quietly.

Just what deep hatred exists between the Sea Clan and Lu City?

The Sea Clan even released toxins into the sea!

This toxin not only affects the water-absorbing Bursting Water Toads, but would also impact other creatures living in the sea.

This is an approach that hurts the enemies thousandfold at the expense of one's own significant losses.

Perhaps the damage on their side might be even heavier than for their opponents!

The Sea Clan wouldn't have attacked Lu City without reason.

Resolving this conflict does not merely rely on force; the root cause must be sought out.

The Sea Clan is not a race that will easily submit.

The area of ocean is more than twice that of land, with more creatures living in the sea than in Lu City.

Within the Sea Clan are several empires comparable to human federations.

If the Sea Clan had a problem they couldn't solve, they would seek help from the large Sea Clan tribes, or even the entire Sea Clan empire.

The conflict would then escalate infinitely.

And evolve into a confrontation between the Dragon Rising Federation and the Sea Clan.

Shui Miao was pondering in his mind, but his hands were not idle.

Having promised Fang Mu to assist Lu City in overcoming this crisis, Shui Miao would certainly fulfill his word!

Shui Miao raised his left boot, suspended in mid-air, and a giant summoning array appeared.

Inside the center of the massive array, an exquisite carp, only a meter in length with snowy white scales and a pattern of blue lotus on it, emerged.

If Fang Mu could see this carp, he would equate the patterns on its body to porcelain paintings.

"A Run, you don't need to purge the toxins in the sea, just ensure that these toxins will not affect the Bursting Water Toads when they enter their bodies!"

“Regardless of what unexpected events the Sea Clan encounters, releasing toxins into the sea is a mistake of their decision-makers.”

Upon hearing Shui Miao’s instructions, a remarkably gentle voice responded.

“I will take care of these toads!”

As soon as she finished, the carp, addressed as A Run by Shui Miao, plunged directly into a large pit full of rainwater

The ordinary pit immediately shone with a jade-like luster.

Blue lotuses sprouted from beneath the feet of each Bursting Water Toad, spraying a stream of green and blue clear spring water.

This spring water washed over the bodies of the Bursting Water Toads, and the black patterns on their backs disappeared immediately.

A Blue Lotus emblem appeared above them.

No matter how much more water the Bursting Water Toads absorbed or pus they released,

The black patterns no longer climbed onto their backs.

Captain Sun Kang, who was originally leading the Bursting Water Toad Squadron, was despairing in face of the sudden incident.

This wasn’t because Sun Kang was incompetent. Any person working with the Lu City Sea Reserve Army Corps, who were stationed on three sides of Lu City, had exceptionally high qualifications.

Sun Kang was carefully selected from these individuals.

Everything just happened too suddenly, and the decision to deploy the Bursting Water Toad Squadron was made in haste.

They did not even give Sun Kang time to prepare.

However, at the moment of despair, those Blue Lotus sprouting from the ground resolved the problem faced by the Bursting Water Toad Squadron.

There was only one possibility for this occurrence – a powerful individual from Lu City had acted!

With a powerhouse watching over them, Sun Kang felt a newfound sense of security.

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Otherwise, faced with the current situation, the security of the entire Lu City would have to be borne by Sun Kang alone.

If there are any faults in the Bursting Water Toad Squadron, Lu City would become a sea-port.

At this moment, a burly man clad in black and golden armor appeared next to Shui Miao.

He saluted Shui Miao with his fists, expressing gratitude for him lending a helping hand to the Bursting Water Toad Squadron.

Seeing this warrior clad in black and golden armor, Shui Miao received a mental jolt.

The chief military commander of Lu City actually came to the front lines personally, protecting the Bursting Water Toad Squad!

This demonstrates the attention Lu City placed on the Bursting Water Toad Squad.

It seemed that besides these Bursting Water Toads, Lu City had no widespread flood control measures left.

Shui Miao didn't take credit, but directly addressed the commander.

"I am just fulfilling my duty entrusted by others. If you want to express gratitude, thank Mr. Jianmu!"

"The Sea Clan is willing to inject toxins into the sea, affecting their own living environment to launch this attack."

"The cause for this must not be simple!"

"Also considering it coincides with the Wan Fish Festival, many external forces are preparing to buy resources at the festival."

"If the Sea Clan was simply out to destroy Lu City, they would have picked a time when Lu City's forces were weak. They wouldn't have chosen now."

"So, I suspect that someone or some internal force in Lu City tripped up the Sea Clan's taboo, forcing the Sea Clan to act!"

"The specific circumstances must be clarified, otherwise Lu City will always be left to fend for itself!"

After Shui Miao finished speaking, he chose not to linger. Keeping the Early Lotus Tri-life Carp here would mean the safety of the Bursting Water Toad Squad.

Shui Miao prepared to contact the Jingtao Pavilion, his affiliated force located in the Dragon Soaring Federation's Lu City.

To see whether Pavilion Master Qin Ming had any useful information!

Fang Mu was still in Si Ning Mansion at this time.

As the core area of Lu City, Si Ning Mansion was located in the city's highest position.

This place was the safest.

The several forces who had come to attend the trade conference had all left.

They returned to their family homes.

Whether it was for the cause in their hearts or the reward proposed by Fang Mu, these people had begun to organize defenses for Lu City.

Because Fang Mu had stated that Li Yuanchao, the deputy commander of the Sea Defense Corps, would tally contributions, everything that was done had to be seen by Li Yuanchao.

Otherwise, no matter how much was done, it would be no different from doing nothing.

Li Yuanchao was astonished when the various forces voluntarily sought him out, hoping he could assign them tasks.

This made him respect and appreciate Fang Mu even more.

Defending Lu City was the duty of the Sea Defense Corps.

Although the incident was sudden, the Sea Defense Corps could still bear the responsibility of protecting Lu City.

However, facing a disaster aimed at all of Lu City, it was really difficult to assign additional manpower for relief.

Relief, however, was a demanding task.

It was most suitable for the various forces to undertake it.

According to the number of people they saved, merits could be calculated, and basic fairness was guaranteed.

The various forces were mobilized by Li Yuanchao, and Lu City's residents were being rescued from danger every moment.

Lu Zhong, a Master Creator, did not choose to participate in the fight, but stayed close to Fang Mu.

Alongside She Wan, they assumed the task of guarding.

In the crisis at hand, everyone's attention was attracted by the Sea Clan's catastrophe targeting Lu City.

It would be easy for someone to secretly commit a shady act.

Fang Mu was too high-profile and easy to become a person of interest to others.

The Lan Lion Angel stood proudly behind Fang Mu.

Lu Zhong protected Fang Mu while preparing healing potions.

In this disaster, no matter how many healing beast tamers there were, it would never be enough.

All the healing potions in Lu City were severely lacking.

By making healing potions at this time, he could maximize his contribution to Lu City as a Master Creator.

She Wan was continuously contacting She Junjie, and learned some secrets from him.

Throughout Lu City, few things remain unknown to the real controllers of the Lu Du Five Families.

“Young Master, there is some information I need to verify and cannot confirm.”

“But it’s indisputable that the Gao Family and Zhao Family are the only two major forces in Lu City that have good relations with the Sea Clan.”

“The Sea Clan suddenly turned against Lu City. Gao Hongying and Zhao Junwei must have heard something.”

“So I think there must be a problem with the Gao Family and Zhao Family!”

If it were normal times, She Wan definitely wouldn’t mention this matter that has not been confirmed to Fang Mu.

But now it’s a special period, and Fang Mu has stayed in Lu City, ready to help Lu City through the crisis.

Therefore, even the news that was not confirmed, She Wan still felt it necessary to inform Fang Mu.

After She Wan told Fang Mu the information she learned from She Junjie, Fang Mu’s eyes narrowed sharply.

Fang Mu had gotten some information about the situation in Lu City from Li Yuanchao.

In the process of understanding, Li Yuanchao was extremely doubtful of the Sea Clan's behavior.

The needs of humans and the Sea Clan for sea resources overlapped to some extent, and the development of humans inevitably involved the exploitation of near-sea resources.

A lot of fish in the sea are a source of nutrition for humans. For this reason, nearly all coastal federations have had conflicts with the Sea Clan.

The Dragon Soaring Federation was no exception.

This was also why a fishing ban was set.

Previous conflicts, even small-scale battles, saw the Sea Clan actively send attendants to communicate with the Dragon Soaring Federation's official channels. They were keen to resolve issues.