

# Celestial Bloodline

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Meanwhile, inside the white room where hundreds of different colored books were floating.

The red-haired woman who was sitting on the chair and reading a book, suddenly gazed at the three unconscious floating bodies.

"They are waking up already?"

Bia's ears perked up when she heard the woman's cold voice. She hurriedly gazed at Kyle and the others to see any reaction.

The first person to wake up was Jian. He looked around with his red eyes.

"What happened..?"

The red-haired woman raised his brow when she saw Jian's face.

'Only one illusion. It's seemed he hadn't suffered a lot in his life.'

She was right, Jian's parents died when he was one year old that's why he didn't have any memory of them. Sometimes he became emotional because he didn't have any parents but he wasn't much attached to that feeling.

The only people Jian was attached to was the late Queen and Prince Kelvin. So, after he saw the illusion where the Queen was alive he didn't experience any other Illusion.

Jian's life was also quite good in the Royal Palace that's why he didn't face too many bad experiences.

However, unlike Kyle who found the white portal immediately after the Illusion finished, It took Jian a whole week just to find the exit portal.

Jian ruffled his red hair and looked at Kyle and Alec. Just like him, both of them were floating.

With a serious expression, he gazed around the white room with interest before his gaze landed on the red-haired woman.

"Hmm... Hello."

Jian waved his hand nervously at the woman because her eyes were too cold.

He could feel she was powerful enough to crush him with a single finger.

The woman nodded his head and pointed toward a corner. Jian looked to his left and saw a golden portal.

"You passed the trial. You can advance to the next floor whenever you want."

The woman spoke in a cold voice and again became engrossed in her book.

Jian blinked his eyes and didn't immediately rush inside the portal.

'What about the Reward?'

He questioned inwardly. Each floor had a reward but this cold woman was just kicking him out after the trial? Jian wanted to protest but gulped down his words when he saw the woman's cold face.

With slow steps, he approached Bia who was sitting at the table, and silently stood beside her. He wanted to wait for the others to wake up because the others were more courageous than him.

They will probably ask the red-haired woman for a reward!

After an hour, Alec also woke up with a drowsy expression. His black eyes were moist because he cried a lot inside the Illusion. With a serious expression, he looked around the white room.

The woman gazed at Alec coldly and pointed at a corner while speaking some familiar words.

"You passed the trial. You can advance to the next floor whenever you want."

Alec blinked nervously when he gazed into the woman's deep and cold eyes. For some reason they were scary.

Jian who was standing beside Bia quietly looked at Alec with anticipation.

'He will surely ask for the reward!'

He secretly waved his hand toward Alec who nodded his head with understanding.

'Yes!'

Jian shouted inwardly with excitement. The next moment, Alec approached Jian and quietly stood on his left side.

Jian who was looking at Alec with admiration almost lost his balance.

'The hell!'

With narrowed eyes, he threw a disdainful glance at Alec who ignored him completely.

'Now my only hope is Kyle!'

Jian looked at Kyle's floating body. After another hour, Kyle opened his eyes with a deep sigh.

Just like Jian and Alec, he immediately looked around the white room and spotted the red-haired woman who was engrossed in the book.

Bia looked at Kyle and hurriedly flew toward him before sitting on top of his head. Seeing Bia, Kyle showed a relieved expression. He was worried about her when he was inside the Illusion.

'How long did I sleep for?'

He questioned Bia inside his head and looked at Alec and Jian who were standing together beside the table present in the middle of the room.

-'You slept for two whole days!'

For some reason, Kyle felt like Jian and Alec both were looking at him strangely.

With a confused expression, Kyle waved his hand at them.

"Hey, what's up?"

The red-haired woman looked at Kyle and again pointed at the corner.

"You passed the trial. You can advance to the next floor whenever you want."

Kyle felt a cold sensation coursing through his body when he heard the woman's voice. It was even colder than ice!

He gazed at Alec and Jian. For some reason now he had an idea why they were looking at him with puppy eyes.

After throwing an apologetic nod at Alec and Jian, within a second Kyle grabbed a brown color floating book from the white room and jumped inside the golden portal.

Alec and Jian's eyes almost popped out of their sockets when they saw Kyle's actions. Both of them looked at Kyle's fading image and cursed inwardly.

'Bastard!'

The red-haired woman's eyes also widened slightly before she stood up.

At the same time, the duo standing beside the table started sweating. They were tricked! Now gods know what will the woman do to them!

They never even dared to imagine that one day both of them would want to kill someone so badly!

With a nervous expression, Jian gazed at Alec who was wearing a dumbfounded expression. There was shock, disbelief, and confusion within Alec's black eyes.

After taking a deep breath, Jian stepped forward.

"I remember I had something important to do on the next floor so I think it's better if I leave..."

His sentence was cut off by the red-haired woman.

"Wait!"

Jian shuddered and almost went to his knees to apologize.

'I swear I don't have any connection with that thief!'

He exclaimed inwardly but then the woman sighed and spoke up again.

"Both of you can also take one book before leaving."

Jian looked at the woman and without waiting for even a second he grabbed a book and entered the golden portal.

Alec also snapped out of his daze and after grabbing a book he followed behind Jian.

After they left, the red-haired woman chuckled slightly. The books floating around the room trembled with happiness because while smiling the red-haired woman looked beautiful enough to be mistaken as a fairy.

The woman picked up another book and started reading again. This time no one knew when she would laugh again.

*Chapter 112 The Last Floor*

On the other hand, after stepping inside the portal Kyle appeared within a vast plain. He looked far and wide but saw nothing except empty land.

With a frown, Kyle looked at the brown book he 'borrowed' from the red-haired woman.

"Demons."

Kyle mumbled. It was the first time he heard this term. He flipped the book pages. It was filled with information regarding the strange race called 'demons'.

After flipping a few pages, Kyle lost interest and threw the book inside his storage ring. The dark race called 'demons' was never seen in 'Blue Planet'. So, there wasn't any reason to read the book.

"It's seemed all the books floating around the white room were normal history books regarding different races."

With a sigh, Kyle was going to look around when two familiar individuals came out from the golden portal present behind him.

Kyle looked back, only to see Jian and Alec glaring at him with a dark expression. With a dry laugh, he took a step back because just a few minutes ago he had ditched them!

Bia who was sitting above Kyle's head immediately started flying while looking at Kyle with pity.

Alec and Jian looked at each other with understanding. They were going to beat this rascal who dared to leave them behind after stealing!

With a nod, both of them rushed at Kyle with their fists but alas Kyle wasn't destined to get beaten up because before their fists could touch Kyle their bodies froze.

With wide eyes, they looked at Kyle who was also confused because he was able to move his body.

Suddenly a thunderous roar resounded within the empty land.

"Kids nowadays are always fighting! I was just a few minutes late and you two were ganging up on an innocent-looking child!"

Kyle looked back. A short-stature black-haired man was floating in the sky. Unlike the other floor guardians who wore robes, the man was wearing a brown jacket with matching pants.

"A dwarf?"

Kyle mumbled under his breath. He could see the man's ears were slightly pointy.

In an instant, the floating man landed beside Kyle and patted his back.

"Kid, are you alright? I saw the other two kids were beating you."

Kyle almost coughed out blood because the light pat given by the dwarf rocked his internal organs.

On the other hand, Alec and Jian who were frozen like statues were on the verge of crying.

They didn't even touch Kyle's hair but got punished! Was this even fair?

Kyle hurriedly stepped back so the dwarf wouldn't pat his back again.

"They are my friends. We were just exchanging some moves because we didn't see anyone in this desolate place."

The dwarf looked at Kyle and frowned. He didn't expect Kyle to be such a good person who got bullied but is still speaking for the others.

'If he didn't want to punish them then I can't do anything.'

With a sigh, the dwarf flicked his middle figure and Alec and Jian were finally able to move their bodies.

Bia came back toward Kyle with a disappointed expression. She wanted to see him get beaten up but she almost forgot about his godly luck!

-'Tsk.'

The dwarf looked at the trio and spoke with a harmonious tone while giving Alec and Jian a narrowed gaze.

"Hello, kids. My name is 'Yonaik' You can call me 'Yon'. Right now I am assigned to this floor."

Yon calculated something with his hands and raised his brow.

"It seems I am given the last floor this time?"

He mumbled under his breath before looking at the trio.

"Kids. There's no trial on this floor because for you it's the last floor."

Kyle and the others listened to Yon attentively. All of them showed a surprised expression when they heard 'for you it's the last floor'. They gazed at each other with interest.

Does it mean there are more floors after the 9th floor?

Yon chuckled when he saw the kid's reaction.

"Hoho! Quite intelligent aren't you? But don't use too many brain cells because there's no point thinking about something you can never know."

"Well, where was I? Yes, there is no trial on this floor but there's just a tiny miny problem."

Yon's voice turned low as he gazed at the trio with an apologetic smile.

Alec looked at Yon and immediately questioned.

"What problem."

With an embarrassed expression, Yon cleared his throat.

"Actually I was busy because I suddenly felt like I am near a breakthrough that's why I forgot to design this floor."

The trio looked at Yon with a blank expression. So that's why the floor was so desolate.

'You call this a tiny problem?'

"Hoho! Now don't give me those strange looks. Even though the floor isn't designed there are a lot of treasures inside this floor!"

Yon spoke and clapped his hand to gather their attention. Kyle, Alec, and Jian's ears perked up when they heard the word 'treasures'. They immediately forgave Yon for not designing this floor.

With a deep breath, Yon looked at the trio seriously who were waiting for him to continue, but Yon threw another bomb at them.

"It's just I forget where I put those treasures."

Kyle looked at Yon with narrowed eyes. He wanted to shout 'How can you forget about such an important thing!' but controlled himself because Yon was more powerful than him.

Yon saw the kid's expression and sighed.

"Don't worry kids! I permit you to look around for those treasures. There is still a month before the six-month time ends and the Tower throws you all out."

He paused for a while and showed a reluctant expression.

"If you found the place where I stored the treasures. All three of you can choose any one thing from it!"

With a frown, Kyle looked at Yon. He didn't like the fact that he could only choose a single treasure after finding a treasure trove.

"Why do we work so hard just for a single treasure? You need to increase the offer a little."

Alec and Jian looked at Kyle and nodded. They were happy with one but it was better if they got more.

Yon narrowed his eyes at Kyle's words.

'Was not this kid the same who was getting beaten up a while ago? Where the hell did he suddenly get so much courage?'

With a beep breath. Yon showed Kyle two fingers.

"Okay! I will give you two treasures each! Take the offer or I will throw you all at the first floor."

Kyle and the others immediately nodded their head.

"Okay, kids. I am leaving now but I will keep an eye on you. We will meet again after you find the treasures."

With a smile, Yon turned around and started floating.

With a glint, Kyle gazed at Yon's figure. With an innocent expression, he mumbled loudly so everyone could hear.

"Including Bia, we are four individuals. That means he will give us a total of 8 treasures. It's not a bad deal."

Yon who was floating almost tripped in his flight when he heard Kyle. How the hell did he forget to consider such a big loophole?



While floating, he turned around and gazed at Kyle. He also saw the little bird sitting on top of Kyle's head.

'I thought you were an innocent lamb who was being bullied but turned out you are a wolf in sheep's clothing!'

With a deep breath, Yon disappeared into the clouds. There was no way he would go back in his words. It's just he felt like he was tricked.

After Yon disappeared, Alec and Jian gazed at Kyle with dumbfounded expressions.

Kyle looked at them and shrugged his shoulder.

"Let's move. We only have one month."

Bia who was sitting on top of Kyle's head gazed at Alec and Jian with pitiful expression.

-'Sigh, these guys will surely suffer one or two heart attacks if they stay with Kyle any longer.'

### *Chapter 113 Underground Tunnel*

Outside the Tower,

The small city present around the tower wasn't as bustling as 5 months ago when the chosen participants arrived to enter the Tower.

A lot of merchants and other individuals who were there solely for business had long left the city. They will probably return when the participants come out from the tower.

However, one representative from each Kingdom was still staying inside the city to take care of any unforeseen events.

From Royal Academy, Vice Principal George was staying inside the city but for some reason, he left and asked Elder Han to stay inside the city in his absence.

With a worried expression, Elder Han was pacing outside the hotel where Royal Academy students spend their time before entering the Tower.

He sighed and looked far at the Tower.

"I wonder if he found the Elixir."

Elder Han mumbled under his breath. After the students entered the Tower, he was a little curious about Kyle and inquired about everything related to him from Professor Aliza because Kyle was his first and maybe last disciple.

During his investigation, Elder Han found out about Kyle's family circumstances.

He wanted to help Kyle's family a little but after visiting Kyle's house and seeing his brother's condition, Elder Han knew except for the 'Elixir of Life' nothing else could cure them.

Elder Han did ask around for the Elixir but even after 5 months he wasn't able to acquire any information regarding its appearance.

In the end, as Kyle's master, he felt it would be bad if he didn't do anything so he offered high-grade healing potions to Baron Ohan. After all, something like high-grade potions wasn't much for Elder Han because he could make potions himself with materials but to his surprise, Baron Ohan didn't accept the potions because Kyle sold a lot of things and prepared enough resources before he left for the Tower.

That's why, Elder Han wasn't able to do anything to help Kyle's family.

However, he kept an eye on Kyle's brother's condition. Just a week ago, he received a piece of news that their condition worsened.

Now, they were in critical condition. If Kyle didn't find the Elixir of Life inside the Tower and brought it out within one month, their life would be in extreme danger.

Even though the healers said that Kyle's brothers could hold on for 8 months. But suddenly last month the poison present within their bodies reached their hearts. That's why it was becoming very difficult to stabilize their conditions.

Elder Han shook his head. He was trying his best to find the Elixir but it was something that hadn't appeared inside Kingdom Escalante for the past fifty years.

He just hoped that Kyle found the Elixir because he didn't want his only disciple to suffer.

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Meanwhile, Inside the Tower's 9th floor.

Kyle was walking with Alec and Jian. They walked around the vast plain for a whole day but found nothing except empty desolate land.

After looking around the whole day, Bia was now sleeping on top of Kyle's head.

Just like that, another hour passed and with tired expressions, they decided to rest for a while before continuing to look around for a structure present within the plain.

While everyone was sitting, Kyle looked at himself and frowned. His last set of clothes was so dirty that he wanted to throw it away. Suddenly he looked at Alec.

'His body size is almost equal to mine. Should I ask for some spare clothes?'

He thought inwardly but then raised his brow. He wasn't able to sense Alec's aura.

'He is probably one or two sub-ranks higher than me!'

Kyle exclaimed inwardly. He didn't expect Alec to advance so quickly. Even though Kyle himself was (D)-Rank, he gave all the credit to the 'old scroll' he acquired from the strange dwarf.

'Does that mean Alec is (D+)-Rank or (C-)-Rank?'

Kyle's eyes widen slightly. Such a fast speed! Reaching (C-)-Rank at such a young age was definitely amazing but he was just speculating and didn't know Alec's actual Rank.

While Kyle was looking at Alec curiously, Alec gazed back at him.

"What happened?"

Kyle snapped out of his thoughts and looked at Alec.

"Actually I don't have more clean clothes. Do you have some extra?"

Alec blinked his eyes while looking at Kyle before taking out two sets of clothes and giving it to Kyle.

He bought a lot of clothes before entering the Tower. So, he still had some left.

Seeing the clothes Kyle's eyes lit up. He didn't like being dirty! He grabbed the clothes from Alec and hurriedly untied the small bag from his waist.

Alec and Jian who were sitting in front of him gazed at the round cloth bag. They were curious as to what was inside because Kyle had been taking care of this cloth bag for a while now.

Kyle looked at the duo sitting in front of him and narrowed his eyes.

'Are they going to watch me undress?'

"I want to change, can you both turn around for a while?"

Both Alec and Jian gazed at Kyle and nodded before they turned around to look at another place.

Kyle hurriedly changed his clothes and finally felt comfortable. He looked at the blue top and pants he was wearing.

'They fit me perfectly.'

After the three of them ate something. Alec and Jian were curious about what was inside the cloth bag but Kyle didn't open it.

In the end, they looked away with disappointment.

After an hour of resting, they started walking again. Bia also woke up and started flying again.

-'There's something present a few meters ahead.'

With narrowed eyes, she looked at a large rock present within the plain and immediately informed Kyle.

With a nod, Kyle gestured for Alec and Jian to walk toward the rock.

After five minutes, they were standing in front of the rock.

It was circular and looked like a huge boulder but because the rock was the only thing present within the desolate plain, Kyle and the others hurriedly looked around the large rock in the hope of finding something.

"There's nothing!"

Jian exclaimed with a sigh after looking around the rock. He gazed at Alec who also shook his head.

On the other hand, Kyle was looking at the rock with a serious expression before he spoke with hesitation.

"How about we move it?"

Alec and Jian both looked at Kyle and nodded.

All of them got ready to push the huge boulder but the moment they gave it a little push, the circular boulder rolled back, making them surprised.

"There are stairs leading underground!"

Jian exclaimed with excitement when he saw a tunnel after the boulder rolled back. Inside the dark tunnel, a narrow stone stairway was leading underground.

"Finally! After seeing the desolate land, I thought we wouldn't be able to find anything from this floor."

Jian said before all three of them immediately entered the underground tunnel.

#### *Chapter 114 Yon's Abode*

While Alec, Kyle, and Jian entered the tunnel. The guardian of the 9th floor Yon was sitting on a large cloud bed hidden between the clouds.

He saw them entering the tunnel and almost spit out the tea he was drinking.

"They already found my abode?"

He exclaimed with shock and disbelief. When Yon said that he forgot the place where he put the treasures he was lying.

He indeed didn't design this floor because he felt like he was near a breakthrough but he was a (SS)-Rank warrior how could he have such a bad memory?

Even though he was the weakest among the guardians of the Tower, he had a very good memory.

When Kyle and the others arrived on the 9th floor, he was going to design the floor but then he had an idea and asked them to find the treasures.

"I thought they wouldn't be able to find my abode and after a month when they are leaving the Tower I will just give them one treasure each."

"I didn't expect them to find my abode in just a single day!"

Yon exclaimed loudly. The 9th floor was shorter than the first three floors but it was hundreds of kilometers wide! Just how the hell did they find it within a single day?

Yon questioned himself inwardly. His worldview was changing but then he smirked.

"It doesn't matter even if they found my abode. There are thousands of rooms and traps present inside. There's no way they will be able to find the room where I placed the treasures."

With a laugh, Yon waved his hand and a large transparent screen appeared in front of him.

Inside the screen, three figures could be seen. The figures were Kyle, Alec, and Jian. After pushing the rock, they were going underground with caution.

Yon gazed at the figures with interest-filled eyes. He wanted to see just how far they could travel inside his abode.

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At the same time, After Kyle and the others stepped inside the tunnel, the large rock that was previously rolled back moved and closed the tunnel entrance.

Jian widened his eyes and he hurriedly tried to move the rock but it didn't even budge from its place.

"Damn! We can't go outside now!"

Alec also tried to push the rock but after a while, he also gave up.

"Now that we can't go back let's continue moving downward through the stairs."

Alec said and both Jian and Kyle nodded. It's not like they had any other choice.

With caution, they moved and after walking on the narrow stairs for about 5 minutes they reached the end of the stairs.

Jian was the first to leave the narrow tunnel. He became a little shocked when he came out of the tunnel.

Alec and Kyle also showed shocked expressions. In front of them was a huge hall that spanned around a hundred meters.

The ground of the hall was devoid of any dust and was sparkling with various multi-colored tiles. A lot of different statues were present around each side of the hall.

Bia started flying around the hall while looking at the statues with curiosity.

Among the trio, Kyle was the first to step inside the hall. He casually moved a few steps and gazed at the statues.

There were a total of 15 statues belonging to different races. Three statues showed figures similar to demi-humans, three elves, three dwarfs and three statues showed human figures.

When Kyle looked at the last three statues, he frowned because it was a race he hadn't seen before.

Their bodies were exactly shaped like humans. They had pointy ears just like the elves' race, similar horns and tails like the demi-humans but their pointy nails were large enough to be mistaken as a weapon.

The three statues' faces were twisted with a sinister smile. For some reason, when Kyle looked at the strange statues he felt uncomfortable because they were giving off a dark and eerie feeling.

After gazing at the three strange statues for a while he moved a few steps and looked at the elves' statues. One of the elves' statues showed a woman figure. She was tall and beautiful. On top of her head was a beautiful crown.

Kyle gazed at that woman's face and felt like she was one of the most beautiful women he had seen in his life. While Kyle was looking around, Jian also stepped inside the hall but the moment his feet touched one of the tiles, his hair stood up and a chill down his spine.

Within a second from the hall ceiling, an arrow shot out directly aiming for Jian's head. He cried with surprise and tried to avoid the arrow but even though he reacted immediately the arrow grazed his left arm.

"Ah..."

Both Alec and Kyle looked at Jian with surprise. Their eyes widened when they saw his bleeding arm.

"What happened?"

With a worried shout, Alec was going to step inside the hall but Jian hurriedly stopped him.

"Don't move! There are traps underneath the tiles of the hall."

Alec froze in his place and looked at Jian's feet. The red tile present underneath his feet was caved in a few centimeters. It seemed the moment Jian stepped on the tile, the trap was activated.

After seeing the situation, Kyle who was walking around the hall casually froze in his place. Cold sweat appeared on his forehead.

'Shit! I almost perished'

Jian took out a piece of cloth from his storage ring and cleaned his wound.

"Fortunately, I reacted immediately that's why the wound isn't deep."

He didn't have any healing potions and he knew Alec and Kyle also used up theirs when they were fighting with the skeletons. So, getting injured inside this place was very dangerous.

With a dry laugh, Jian gazed at Kyle who was standing a few meters ahead of him.

"Now what should we do?"

Jian sighed and questioned.

"Well, we can just hope we don't step on the traps."

Alec said and used the system appraisal function on the hall ground but it didn't show any information.

He was standing outside the hall and Jian was standing on the first tile. Kyle was the only one who stood a little further from the starting point.

'I think we need a meat shield.'

With a similar thought, both Alec and Jian gazed at each other with understanding before looking at Kyle with sparkling eyes.

At the same time, Kyle felt a shiver run down his spine when he saw their gaze.

'Why do I feel like I am in big trouble?'

Bia who was flying around the hall looked at Kyle's sweaty forehead and laughed. She hurriedly sat on top of a nearby statue while looking at the trio who were staring at each other.

### *Chapter 115 Moving statues*

With a sweaty forehead, Kyle gazed at the duo who was looking at him eagerly before looking at the end of the hall.

There were at least one hundred multi-colored square-shaped tiles present on the ground and Kyle was standing above a white color tile. Each tile was big enough to hold a single person.

After the last tiles, he could see some large doors.

"Kyle, you are standing ahead everyone that's why you should move first I will jump at the tile you are standing!"

Jian said with an innocent expression while looking at Kyle. He had already wrapped his injured arm with a cloth.



Alec gave Jian a knowing glance and nodded in agreement. After Jian jumped at Kyle's tile, he would jump at the place where Jian was standing. It was better to make a single person suffer instead of all of them dying tragically.

For some reason, Alec and Jian both were one hundred percent sure even if Kyle walked casually he would leave the hall unscathed.

With wide eyes, Kyle looked at Jian and Alec. They were hell-bent on making him a meat shield!

It was the first time, Kyle suffered such a huge blow. He was always the one using others how did the situation reverse?

Kyle wanted to curse at the duo but then he took a deep breath and shouted.

"If I die I will not die alone!"

With a serious expression, Kyle turned around and looked at the tiles in front of him.

He could see the tiles had, Red, blue, green, white, and black colors.

Kyle looked at the tiles and jumped at a blue color tile.

His hands were sweaty as he hurriedly glanced at the ceiling to see if any trap was activated but even after five seconds nothing happened.

"Sigh."

Kyle wiped the sweat from his forehead and sighed with relief. He looked back and saw Jian had already jumped at the tile he was standing on a while ago.

Alec also stepped on the tile where Jian was standing a while ago.

"I think you should choose white color next because nothing happened when you were standing on the white tile before."

Jian said and urged Kyle to move again.

A vein bulges on Kyle's forehead. He wanted to throw a punch at Jian's face and break some of his teeth but controlled himself.

'I with surely take revenge!'

With narrowed eyes, Kyle gave Jian a deathly glance and turned around because if he looked at his face any longer he would probably do something unimaginable.

Kyle gazed at the tiles. Jian asked him to select the white tile. He wanted to pick the black one but after pondering about what Jian said he decided to step on the white one.

Under Jian and Alec's gaze, he stepped on the white tile.

Tremble...

Kyle's feet shook and his eyes almost popped out from his sockets. The huge dwarf statue present on the left row actually moved!

The statue was so fast that Kyle wasn't able to react on time. Under his horrid gaze, the statue stepped forward and the huge hammer within his hand dropped on the tiles.

The hammer touched the ground with a loud bang and the tiles cracked. A loud tremor shook the whole hall.

Kyle looked at the huge hammer and his heart skipped a beat. His legs went soft.

The hammer just dropped a few meters away from him. If he was standing a few meters on the left he would have probably become meat paste!

Even Alec and Jian were rooted in their place. They didn't even dare to imagine what would have happened if they were the ones who were in the front!

Bia's eyes also widened. She immediately started flying not even daring to go near the statues.

Meanwhile, outside the tunnel, Kyle and the others entered.

Yon the guardian of the 9th floor was laughing nonstop while looking at Kyle's expression.

When he saw how Kyle was causally roaming around the hall he almost went down to check on the traps, thinking maybe something was wrong with the hall.

He only calmed down when Jian stepped inside the hall and a trap was activated!

"If only he stepped on the black tile..."

Yon exclaimed and shook his head. If Kyle had stepped on the black or red tile the hammer probably wouldn't have dropped so far away from him.

On the other hand, after seeing the dropped hammer. Kyle gazed at the other statues and didn't dare to move recklessly.

He turned around to look at Jian.

"How about we change positions?"

Jian blinked his eyes and hurriedly took a step back. He knew among the trio he was probably the least fortunate one because of his experience on the first few floors. If he was in Kyle's place he would have already met his grandma in heavens.

"I think it's better if you continue to take the lead."

He said with a motherly smile and hurriedly turned to look at another place.

Kyle looked at Jian and wanted to cry.

"I am not moving!"

With a loud shout, Kyle actually didn't move and stood at his place. Even if he had to stay on this tile for a month, it was hundreds of times better than becoming meat paste!

Alec sighed and jumped at the tile where Jian was standing. He grabbed Jian's shoulder to not fall out from the tile.

The tile was only able to accommodate a single person so it was very difficult for two people to squeeze on a single tile.

He was going to step on Kyle's tile but then suddenly Kyle turned around to look at the duo.

Both Jian and Alec flinched when they saw a mysterious smile present on Kyle's face.

"Actually I forget something important so I think I will be taking my leave first. We will meet again if both of you survive."

Kyle spoke with an apologetic face. The face was very similar to the time when he stole the red-haired woman's book and left Alec and Jian behind to suffer instead of him.

Jian and Alec looked at each other in confusion. They didn't understand the meaning of Kyle's words. All three of them were trapped inside the hall because the exit was closed.

"What do you mean..."

Jian wasn't able to complete his sentence because, under his shocked eyes, Kyle's figure disappeared.

"The hell!"

He cursed loudly and looked at the place where Kyle was standing a while ago. It was empty and Kyle was nowhere to be seen.

*Chapter 116 A random kick*

With a shocked expression, Alec who was standing beside Jian pointed his finger at a distance.

Jian looked at the place where Alec was pointing. It was almost in the middle of the hall. Under their shocked gaze, Kyle's figure appeared on a faraway black tile.

The moment Kyle appeared on the black tile, with a loud sound another statue moved and tried to grab Kyle.

Kyle looked at the approaching statue's hand. This time he was prepared. Without waiting for even a second, he mumbled under his breath.

"Instant teleportation."

The statue's hand arrived above the tile but before it could grab Kyle. His body once again disappeared and appeared almost at the edge of the hall.

Kyle's body appeared on another white tile but this time he didn't trigger any trap. He looked ahead. Now, there was only a single tile in front of him.

He was panting heavily because just now he used 75 percent of his mana but there was a smirk present on his face.

Kyle turned around and waved at the dumbfounded duo who was blankly staring at him and jumped out from the tiles.

"If both of you survive we will surely meet again in the future!"

He shouted and started walking toward the doors present at the end of the hall.

Bia who was flying around gazed at Alec and Jian. Their worldview seemed to have been shattered.

-I did say they would probably have one or two heart attacks if they stayed with Kyle.'

Even she was surprised when suddenly Kyle disappeared but the next moment she remembered he had a very useful skill called 'Instant Teleportation'.

-Just how the hell did I forget about the skill.'

With a sigh, she immediately flew toward Kyle who was already standing in front of the doors.

After a few seconds, Alec and Jian finally snapped out of their daze and looked at each other. There was a bitter smile present on their face.

With a dry laugh, Jian questions Alec.

"Now that our meat shield has escaped who is going to be the next meat shield."

Alec looked at Jian and stepped on the tile where Kyle was standing a few seconds ago.

"How about we take turns?"

Jian chuckled and shook his head. It seemed it would take a long time before they reached the end of the hall.

At the same time, Yon the 9th-floor guardian who was laughing at the trio while sitting on a comfortable cloud bed almost lost his balance and fell to the ground due to shock.

"How the hell....?"

He questioned and looked at Kyle's fading image with wide eyes.

"Huh... I need to calm down. It's not a big deal he just used a skill."

Yon took a deep breath and dismissed the fact that Kyle easily crossed the hall. It was just a coincidence that he had a teleportation skill.

This skill was useful in the hall but it wouldn't be much useful inside the next rooms! Right?

On the other hand, after leaving the tiles. Kyle stood in front of the doors. There were a total of six doors. All of them were similar in shape and structure.

After thinking for a while he lightly pushed the left door. With a creaking sound, the door opened and Kyle looked at what was inside.

It was an empty large room with a large stone table present at the end. He stepped inside the room with Bia flying beside him. When Kyle took a few more steps towards the stone table, the door present behind him closed.

Kyle looked back and tried to open the door but no matter what he did it didn't even budge from its place.

With a sigh, he approached the Stone table and saw some herbs and square-shaped rocks present on top of the stone table.

He didn't think much about the herbs and rocks and immediately grabbed everything and threw it inside his storage ring. He didn't even leave the rocks!

After sweeping the stone table, Kyle looked at the wall behind the stone table. Unlike the other brown walls, it was silver. There were also some weird symbols engraved on the wall.

He walked toward the wall and his feet collided with something.

Kyle looked down and saw some broken pieces of vase.

"What's that?"

He bent down and picked up the pieces but then suddenly his eyes narrowed because some wet droplets dropped on his back.

He hurriedly gazed at the ceiling and saw water droplets coming out from a small hole present on the ceiling.

"What the hell?"

Kyle frowned and stepped to the left to avoid drenching his clothes but then suddenly Bia's surprised cry rang out inside his head.

-'Kyle!'

"What happened...?"

Kyle turned around and his eyes widened. Not just the ceiling, water was coming out from each hole present within the room.

He looked down and panicked. The room was slowly filling up with water. That means if he didn't find a way to leave this room quickly then he would be in trouble!

With a deep breath, Kyle calmed down and seriously looked around the room.

Bia also started looking around the room but even after a few minutes, they didn't find anything.

In the end, Kyle stood in front of the silver wall. It was the only thing that was out of place. He first gently knocked the wall but after getting no response he punched it but nothing happened.

The water filling the room was already touching his legs.

With a frustrated expression, Kyle kicked the stone table present in front of the silver wall, and to his surprise, instead of flying away the upper part of the table slid down like a lid and revealed a tunnel.

Kyle gazed at Bia and both of them immediately entered the tunnel with relieved expressions.

Meanwhile, Alec and Jian both took turns to step on the tiles.

They triggered some traps but they survived because the traps were not life threatening.

Jian did trigger a trap where he almost perished but Alec used the system's double power skill and saved him on time.

After suffering some minor injuries and spending two hours inside the hall both of them arrived in front of the doors with heavy breathing.

They looked at each other and immediately chose the door where Kyle entered.

After they entered the empty room, their gaze landed on the stone table present in the middle of the room.

The upper part of the table was slid off, revealing a dark tunnel.

While they approached the stone table, the door behind them closed but unlike Kyle who panicked after seeing water coming out from the holes present within the room, they immediately entered the tunnel. It seemed Kyle accidentally cleared the path for them!

Meanwhile, Yon almost coughed out blood when he saw Kyle entering the tunnel. He grabbed his head and looked at the screen with a blank expression.

"Didn't he just kick randomly?"

### *Chapter 117 Lava lake I*

After Kyle entered the tunnel, he arrived in another room but it was completely different from the last room.

In front of him was a giant black door. All the walls of the room were also completely black. If not for the hundreds of candles hanging on the walls, Kyle wouldn't have been able to see anything.

He stepped forward and gazed at the black door. There were a lot of strange shapes carved within the door.

Kyle touched the empty shapes and after a minute he raised his brow with surprise.

"It's good I picked up those broken vase pieces."

He took out the vase pieces he picked up from the last room and placed them inside the empty shapes present on the door.

With a click, the vase pieces merged with the door and the black door turned silver.

"Isn't it going to open?"

Kyle questioned with a frown because the door just changed color and didn't open.

After a few seconds, suddenly the door lit up and a large board came out from the door.

With wide eyes, Kyle hurriedly jumped back and the whiteboard landed in front of the door.

Kyle gazed at the board with caution. Bia also stopped flying and landed on Kyle's head to look at the board.

It was square shaped just like a small square platform. Just like the door, there were many carved shapes present on the board. Also, a lot of differently shaped colorful pieces were scattered on top of the board.

Bia narrowed her eyes. There were at least one hundred pieces.

"I think we need to place the pieces in the right place."

Kyle said with a sigh. He didn't expect to see another puzzle after he placed the vase pieces inside the door.

-'It's going to take a lot of time just to sort out all the pieces.'

Bia gazed at the pieces and started flying before landing on top of the whiteboard.

She started flipping the pieces with her feet curiously.

Kyle also sat down in front of the board. With a serious expression, he picked up a puzzle piece and after finding the right carved shape present on the board, he placed the piece on the board.

With a click, the piece merged with the board indicating that Kyle placed it in the right spot.



It was hard to find the correct place for the puzzle pieces but after looking at the shapes of the puzzle pieces, Kyle soon got the hang of it.

After a few minutes, he became engrossed in solving the puzzle presented on the board because he felt like it was interesting.

Now, he was looking forward to the picture the puzzle would show him after he placed all the pieces in the correct place.

Soon, Bia who was playing around with the puzzle pieces also started helping Kyle because she was getting bored.

While both of them were engrossed in the puzzle, two hours passed within the blink of an eye and Jian and Alec arrived at the same room.

They looked around and immediately spotted Kyle's figure sitting in front of a large board. Alec was going to call out Kyle's name but Kyle stood up and exclaimed with a smile.

"It's finally complete!"

Kyle's hands were aching but he was smiling while looking at the board. After all the pieces were placed on the right spot the board showed a beautiful picture of a flower vase.

In the next moment, under everyone's gaze, the board started floating. The picture of the vase present on the board shone brightly and the board merged with the silver door.

With a click, the large silver door in front of Kyle opened, revealing another path.

"Good job!"

Jian exclaimed with a smirk and placed his hand on Kyle's shoulder who was staring at the opened door.

Kyle blinked his eyes and looked at the duo who just arrived.

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'Why do I feel like they got the benefits from my hard work?'

Kyle exclaimed inwardly and shook his head.

"It's good both of you are alive."

He said with a light chuckle because just a few hours ago he left them behind.

While Alec, Jian, and Kyle were standing in front of the door. Bia flew inside the door but within a second she returned with a serious expression.

-'Hey Kyle, I think we should return from where we came from.'

She said inside her head before hurriedly sitting on top of Kyle's head.

"Huh?"

Kyle looked at Bia's strange behavior and started walking toward the opened door. Alec and Jian also followed behind Kyle.

They entered the door and their eyes widened. Jian's jaw almost dropped.

"What the hell?"

He exclaimed loudly.

In front of them was a large lava lake. Various steam bubbles were pooping out from the lake. A narrow bridge was present on top of the lake but hundreds of fire snakes were jumping around the bridge.

Kyle took a deep breath and hurriedly calculated the size of the lava lake but after a minute his expression turned sour.

'I can't use 'Instant Teleportation'. It's too far away!'

The lava lake was double the size of the hall Kyle crossed previously. He was thinking of leaving the duo behind again but it was impossible now.

Also, the fire snakes present inside the lake were giving off terrifying auras. They were all (D)-Rank!

With a sigh, Alec looked at Jian and Kyle.

"It seems if we want to reach the end of the lake we have to work together."

Jian nodded but then he looked at Kyle.

"Only if 'someone' doesn't disappear in the middle."

Kyle looked back at Jian. He knew very well who was this 'someone'.

"Don't worry even if the 'someone' you are talking about wants to, he can't."

Kyle said and shrugged his shoulders. He was indeed thinking of leaving them behind but unfortunately, because of the large distance, he wasn't able to use the skill.

Alec looked at Kyle and Jian and started moving toward the bridge present on the lava lake.

"Let's not waste time then."

### *Chapter 118 Lava lake II*

After the trio stepped onto the bridge, the door behind them closed with a loud bang.

They looked at each other and started walking on the narrow bridge in a straight line. All of them held their weapons tightly and looked at the surrounding snakes seriously.

Alec was in the front while Jian was walking between Kyle and Alec.

Alec looked back at Kyle and Jian.

"Why am I leading?"

Kyle gazed back at Alec with a deep expression.

"It's because you are the strongest."

Alec wanted to refute but closed his mouth because he was indeed the strongest but then he gazed at Kyle with suspicion.

'Am I really the strongest?'

He questioned inwardly as he didn't know Kyle's rank because of the white earring Kyle was wearing.

Bia was sitting on Kyle's shoulder to not become the food of the long fire-snakes who were jumping inside the lava lake.

They crossed the first few steps without much difficulty but after they crossed the starting point of the bridge one of the fire snakes jumped out from the lake and attacked Alec who was standing in the front.

With a loud hiss, the snake opened its mouth and a large lava ball came crashing into Alec.

Alec could have dodged the attack but Jian and Kyle were standing behind him that's why he clenched his sword and blocked the lava ball.

He was pushed back a little due to the impact of the attack but the lava ball didn't injure anyone.

After attacking the snake went back inside the lava lake. Alec sighed and started walking again.

Kyle was walking behind the duo, he seriously gazed at the long fire snakes jumping inside the lava lake.

While he was looking around, from his left a fire snake came out but this time instead of a lava ball. The snake opened its huge mouth to bite off Kyle's head.

"Shit!"

Kyle cursed and hurriedly formed five fireballs before throwing them at the snake's incoming head.

With a hiss, the snake backed off but instead of going back inside the lake, the snake attacked Kyle again because the fireballs didn't affect it at all.

At the same time, another snake came out from Kyle's right side and attacked.

Kyle's eyes widened. He immediately used the 'thunder arrow' skill to form two thunder arrows and attack the two snakes.

This time after getting hit the snakes retreated but then two more snakes came out from the lava lake.

Kyle hurriedly threw some more thunder arrows at the snakes. With a hiss, one of the snakes opened its mouth and tried to bite off Kyle's arm.

Kyle gazed at the incoming snake and slashed his sword vertically on the snake's head.

A large gash appeared on the snake head who shouted painfully and immediately entered the lava lake.

The other three snakes looked at the retreating injured snakes and their eyes turned red with anger.

'The situation is getting bad.'

With a serious expression, Kyle looked back to see how Alec and Jian were doing.

His eyes narrowed and he cursed because both of them were safely moving ahead of him.

He looked back at the snakes and grumbled inwardly.

'Why are they only attacking me!'

Kyle took a deep breath and gazed at the snakes who were ready to attack him any time.

"Fire-type skills won't work on them and I don't have any other offensive skill except from 'Thunder arrows'."

He sighed, his skill pool was good but he didn't have many low-ranked skills.

With a loud hiss, all three snakes attacked him at the same time.

Kyle clenched his sword while looking at the snakes. He knew he couldn't take them lightly because all three of them were (D)-Rank.

He activated the skill 'Swift steps' to increase his speed and slashed at one of the snakes before dodging the others.

On the other hand, Jian heard the sounds of battle and looked back at Kyle's situation. He immediately threw earth spikes at the snakes attacking Kyle.

The earth spikes crashed at the snake's bodies, making them shout in pain.

Kyle looked at the retreating snakes and hurriedly approached Alec and Jian.

"Thanks."

Jian nodded and all of them started walking on the bridge again.

While they were walking, five more snakes came out from the lake and attacked Alec who was at the front.

Jian and Kyle both were ready to attack but before they could, Alec used one of his (S)-Rank skills 'Crushing thunder'.

Five large thunderbolts appeared on top of the snake's head. The snake's eyes widened with horror when they saw the thunderbolts but it was too late because within a second the thunderbolts hit their heads.

After getting hit by the thunderbolts all the snakes cried out miserably and a large amount of blood gushed out from their heads.

Within a second, their bodies dropped back inside the lava lake. Alec sighed and again started walking.

After fighting with the snakes for fifteen minutes, they finally reached the end of the bridge but then suddenly a large snake came out from the lava lake.

The trio was frozen when they saw the snake.

It was different from the other (D)-Rank snakes because its body was covered with black scales and its eyes were completely pitch black.

The snake gazed at the trio with its pitch-black eyes and a huge pressure descended on them.

"(C+)-Rank."

Alec mumbled and gazed at the snake with gritted teeth. Kyle and Jian's expression also turned dark when they saw the black snake.

Kyle looked at the snake, he really had the urge to use 'Instant Teleportation' and leave the bridge but he didn't do it because if he abandoned the duo again, Alec and Jian would probably beat the hell out of him the next time they saw him.

Even though the snake was powerful, Kyle was sure if he worked together with Alec and Jian they could defeat it.

At the same time, the snake gazed at the trio like it was looking at lower beings. After giving them a disdainful look it went back inside the lava lake.

Alec, Jian, and Kyle looked at the retreating snakes and sighed with relief.

"Huu.. I almost thought we were going to become the snake's food."

Jian said and hurriedly left the bridge, he didn't want to see the snake again. Alec and Kyle also left the bridge.

Bia who was quiet all the time finally released her breath when Kyle left the bridge. She flapped her wings and started flying before gazing at the trio.

Their condition wasn't good at all because various burned marks could be seen on their bodies. Also, their clothes were tattered.

-'They looked just like beggars.'

She exclaimed inwardly while looking at the trio pitifully.

*Chapter 119 Forest inside a Room*

Kyle sensed Bia's gaze and narrowed his eyes.

'You want a beating?'

Bia blinked her eyes. There was pity within them but after hearing Kyle, she turned around and started flying toward the large doors present in front of everyone.

With a sigh, Kyle looked at himself. The condition of his clothes was indeed pitiful.

'I just borrowed the clothes from Alec. Now what?'

He shook his head and looked at the different doors in front of him. Alec and Jian also gazed at the doors.

There were a total of 5 doors present in front of them. All the doors were similar wooden doors.

"They all look similar, which one should we choose?"

Jian said and approached the doors.

"How about the middle one?"

He looked back at Kyle and Alec for their opinions.

Alec shrugged his shoulders.

"I will just go inside the one both of you picked."

Kyle looked at the door and after pondering for a few seconds, he pointed at the door present on the right.

"How about the first one?"

Jian looked at the door Kyle pointed at and without even waiting for a second he agreed because, if it was chosen by Kyle then it was probably the right one.

All of them approached the door together and Alec was the one who pushed the door.

With a creak, the door opened. The trio looked inside but it was dark that's why they were unable to see anything.

Jian looked at Alec and Kyle who were seriously trying to look inside the door.

"The strongest should enter first."

Jian exclaimed with a righteous expression and took a step back, so the duo standing beside him could enter first.

Kyle narrowed his eyes when he heard Jian. He looked at Alec and with a knowing gaze both of them turned around and grabbed Jian.

"Hey what are you two doing..?"

Jian panicked but Alec and Kyle grabbed his arms tightly and dragged him inside the room.

Bia looked at the trio and started flying behind them.

After they entered the room, a strange dark color hue enveloped their bodies and the vision in front of them changed.

"What the...?"

Alec exclaimed with wide eyes.

Unlike before, they were standing inside a bright forest. The ground was hard and filled with green grass. There were hundreds of towering trees around them. Some of the trees even had different colored fruits hanging on their branches.

The trio hurriedly looked back at the door they entered from but it was nowhere to be seen.

It was just like teleportation because after entering the door, they appeared in a very different place. It was just they didn't feel any sensation inside their bodies.

Suddenly Jian pointed above toward the sky with a serious expression.

"I think we are still inside a room."

Kyle and Alec looked up and saw a large black ceiling. There was no sun, no sky. Only some white color stars twinkling around the black ceiling.

Bia gazed at the trio standing below her and hurriedly flapped her wings to look around the surroundings. After a minute, she returned toward Kyle.

-'We are indeed inside a forest that is present within a room.'

She exclaimed with a serious expression.

Kyle nodded and told everything to Jian and Alec. It seemed they had to find an exit.

While Alec and Jian were talking, Kyle looked at a nearby tree. There were two purple-colored fruits hanging on the tree's middle branch. They were emitting a faint purple hue.



'Bia did you see any other living being inside the forest?'

He questioned Bia while looking at the fruits. They were not normal at all!

'No. I think we are the only ones present in this place.'

Kyle's eyes lit up when he heard Bia. At first, he was hesitant to approach the trees because he thought just like the lava lake there could be some monsters present within the forest. Now that he knew there was no danger, he was sure they had entered a very good place.

'Bia go and try to pick one of the purple fruit hanging on the tree branch.'

Bia heard Kyle. She was hesitant but after a sigh, she approached the fruit and under Kyle's eager gaze she grabbed the fruit with her feet.

With a crack, the fruit was broken from the tree branch and Bia flew back toward Kyle with a happy expression.

'It's mine.'

She said and didn't give the fruit to Kyle.

'Okay.'

Kyle let Bia eat the fruit because now he was one hundred percent sure that they had hit the jackpot!

With a smirk, he looked at all the trees present within the forest and rubbed his hands.

"Guys let's split up for a while."

Alec and Jian both looked at Kyle with raised brows. Under their gaze, Kyle jumped and climbed a nearby tree. He grabbed the other purple fruit hanging on the tree and took a bite.

A large amount of mana and energy rushed inside his body and Kyle's ears turned red. The energy was too much but after Kyle ate the fruit the small burned marks present on his body disappeared within a second.

Alec and Jian's eyes widened. Without even waiting for a second, they gazed at the trees present around them with twinkling eyes.

There were hundreds of trees present around them and half of the trees had strange fruits hanging on their branches.

"Hahaha, I am going to the left. Let's meet up here after a few hours."

Jian laughed and rushed at a tree present on his left side. There was a single brown-colored fruit hanging on the tree branch. The fruit was glowing.

He grabbed the fruit and started eating while moving toward another tree with a satisfied expression.

Alec didn't wait either and started moving toward the right side. Just after a minute, he saw a large tree with two pink color fruits hanging on its branches.

Kyle looked at the fading image of Alec and Jian and with a smile, he also started looking around for more fruits.

At the same time, after eating the purple fruit Bia laughed loudly and gazed at the trees with her round eyes.

-'Kyle, I am going to look around as well.'

She said and started flying to look around for more fruits to eat.

'Okay. Just be careful.'

Kyle looked at Bia's figure and after she left, he jumped at another tree.

After a minute, he found a relatively small tree. Two yellow-colored fruits were hanging on the tree branches.

Kyle gazed at the fruits and after plucking them he placed them inside one of his storage rings.

#### *Chapter 120 Yon's Precious Garden*

On the other hand, Yon the guardian of the 9th floor was sitting on the clouds with a blank expression. His left hand was trembling non-stop as he looked at the screen in front of him.

A white-haired old man wearing silver robes was sitting beside him. The white-haired old man looked at Yon and sighed before tapping on his shoulder.

"It's okay Yon. You will get used to it pretty soon."

Yon gazed at the white-haired old man. It was Susan, the Tower's first-floor guardian. Susan was here to punish Yon because he didn't design the floor.

Susan looked at the screen present in front of Yon. Inside the screen, he could see Alec, Jian, and Kyle relentlessly plucking all the fruits present on the different trees.

"My garden...."

A low voice escaped Yon's trembling lips. He wanted to rush and stop the trio from doing more damage but because of Susan's presence, he could do nothing but watch as his precious garden was destroyed.

'It took me more than 100 years to grow all those trees! They are just taking everything without any care?'

Yon cried inwardly and took a deep breath. He never thought that the trio would find his garden. The garden was a different space he created with a lot of hard work!

He looked at the screen and groaned when he saw Jian breaking a whole branch of a tree accidentally.

'At least don't harm the trees!'

Yon screened inwardly when he saw his precious trees being broken down one after another.

Susan sighed. Originally he was here to punish Yon but now he could do nothing but pity the latter because he knew Yon put a lot of effort into growing those trees.

After thinking for a while, Susan looked at Yon seriously. Yon has already told him about the mission he gave the trio.

"I think you should send them to the treasure room or else they will probably find the rooms where you placed your different collections of antiques and...."

Susan wasn't able to complete his sentence when Yon stood up.

"No, I can't let them find my precious collections!"

With a resolute expression, Yon looked at Susan.

"I will give them their rewards and kick them out from this floor."

Susan replied with an 'Oh' and left the floor with a chuckle.

After Susan left, Yon also disappeared from the clouds because the more time he wasted, the more his precious collections would be in danger!

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Meanwhile, Kyle plucked a lot of fruits without any restraint. He wasn't able to eat all those fruits but he just threw everything inside his storage ring.

'I can sell them!'

While moving, he arrived in front of a small pink tree. It was different from the other trees because instead of leaves the tree only had pink color branches.

Kyle jumped down from the tree he was sitting in and looked at the pink tree. The tree size was hardly reaching Kyle's shoulder.

With a serious expression, Kyle grabbed the tree trunk and plucked the whole tree before throwing it inside his storage ring.

With a satisfied expression, he left the place and started moving toward another direction.

If Yon had seen Kyle's action, he would have probably coughed up blood because Kyle was doing the most damage!

After three more hours, Kyle was standing in front of a black wall. He seemed to have reached the end of the forest. With a sigh, he started walking back to where he came from.

After a few more hours, Kyle arrived at the place where he parted with Alec and Jian.

To his surprise, Jian and Alec were already waiting for him at the place. Only Bia was absent.

Kyle looked at Alec and Jian.

"You broke through?"

He questioned and gazed at Jian who was wearing a smug expression.

"Yes! I am a (D)-Rank mage now!"

Jian laughed and released his aura to show Kyle his strength.

Kyle nodded and gazed at Alec.

"What about you?"

Alec shook his head but there was a smile present on his face.

"Not yet but I think I will break through to (C-)-Rank within a month."

Kyle looked at Alec. He already guessed Alec was somewhere near (D+)-Rank but hearing it directly from his mouth was still a little surprising.

Jian looked at Alec with awe. He thought his speed was already fast enough but Alec was even faster than him! With a sigh, Jian shook his head and gazed at Kyle.

"Hey, what's your Rank? It's not fair that only you know ours."

He grumbled. No matter how Jian tried he wasn't able to sense Kyle's rank. It was like something was blocking his perception.

Alec's ears also perked up because he was also curious about Kyle's rank.

"Oh?"

Kyle raised his brow. It seemed they weren't able to sense his rank.

'Is it because of the earring?'

He looked at the duo and released his (D)-Rank aura.

"(D)-Rank?"

Juan exclaimed with surprise.

Kyle shrugged his shoulders. If there was someone else he would have never told the latter his rank but after spending a whole month with the duo standing in front of him he somewhat trusted the both of them.

"Now that we are done here, let's go toward the right side because I saw a huge door present at the end!"

Alec said and gestured for Jian and Kyle to follow behind him.

While they were walking, Kyle looked around with a frown.

'Bia where are you? We are leaving.'

After a second, Bia's reluctant voice resounded inside Kyle's head.

'-Huh? So soon. I am not full yet!'

'Come back now or else I am leaving you behind!'

'-How can you leave this precious me behind! Wait a minute I am coming.'

After ten minutes, Bia's flying figure arrived on top of Kyle. She landed on Kyle's head with a grumpy expression because she wanted to eat some more fruits.

After walking for an hour, Kyle, Alec, and Jian arrived in front of a large black door.

Alec gazed at the duo standing beside him and hurriedly pushed the door. Before when he discovered the door he didn't approach it rashly.

The moment he pushed the door, with a loud bang the door opened, the trio gazed inside the door and their eyes widened with shock.