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## **Chapter 1551 Attack**

Giyon struggled to move, but the opponent is just as strong as her and both of them started wrestling.

The opponent seemed to have a special constitution of earth elements. Her body acted like quicksand and particularly when she is in full fusion mode, not only was she able to manipulate her body as she liked, she can even use that flexibility to throw off most of Giyon's ripple energy attacks with proper timing.

Giyon panicked. Not only was her brother in trouble, but now she was in too. She also tried to reach out and crush her escape token, but she was unable to do as the sand covered her palms and she was held in a deadlock.

Gail and Gamin who saw all of this from the wall also panicked.

They were about to make a move, but Sam's voice appeared in their communication tokens.

"Don't move. I will hand this."

Sam said as he took out his cannon. He started loading it with his spiritual energy as he aimed at the group.

This time, the energy he loaded is a very small amount compared to the previous shots he took. The people are in a very close range and it is very easy for him to hurt Giyon and Grivon if the attack is too powerful.

It has to be concentrated and precise.

So, he carefully aimed and compressed the energy to modify the bullet to a short and precise shot.

\*BOOM\*

A slight explosion shot the bullet and it went straight into the head of one of the persons that held Grivon.

He loaded another bullet and shot it at Giyon's opponent.

\*BOOM\*

The Bullet was shot and hit the head of the opponent. But to his surprise, the opponent didn't release Giyon. In fact, she acted as nothing happened to her.

The head exploded into a bunch of sand grains and it turned back to its original shape just in a moment.

Sam frowned, but he wasn't that flustered. He just shot another bullet and this time; it is a very close call as it almost brushed past Giyon's face.

"You better be careful Sam."

Gail warned Sam.

"Don't worry. Trust me with this. You just don't make a move. Or you will alert the wrong eyes. They were still not recognized. You make a move and they will be."

"Alright."

Sam kept on shooting three more times, but the opponent was way too stubborn and strong to let go.

She kept on trying to break Giyon's limbs.

At this moment, Sivan who is leading the soldiers saw Sam shooting at the same spot for a while and felt suspicious.

He then looked at the wall. Particularly towards Gail and Gamin who are also looking at the same spot.

He picked a telescope to observe their facial expressions.

Sam observed this and frowned. He immediately changed his aim and started shooting at different soldiers from the Mari clan.

"Gail, Gamin, you guys turn around. Look at different places. You are giving yourself away."

They instantly looked in different directions. But Sivan who is looking at them still felt a bit suspicious. He looked at Sam for the next two minutes and when he noticed that he is still shooting randomly, he became a bit relaxed.

But that relaxation only lasted for two minutes. Right when he was about to join the battle again, he changed his mind and ordered.

"Someone important is battling in that area. Aim a portable energy beam cannon at that spot and shoot. One with the large area of destruction."

"But Sir, our soldiers..."

"Don't worry about them. If my hunch is right, nothing will happen to them."

"Sir, risking it based on a hunch..."

"Just do as I say. Don't question my orders."

Sivan said coldly brushing off his subordinates' worries.

The subordinate followed the orders and a large cannon was aimed at the spot where Giyon and Grivon are struggling.

Sam changed his aim back to that spot and started shooting the woman.

Finally, after changing the frequency of the ripple energy within his attacks, he managed to make one that will affect the woman's whole body making her lose the hold she had on Giyon.

But the moment he shot that bullet, Gail who noticed the cannon prematurely made the move.

"GAIL. Don't do that."

Sam said in his communication channel, but Gail is already on the field.

The bullet hit the Woman and she lost her grip on Giyon.

But in the process, Giyon's disguise is completely gone. Sivan looked at Gail's response and then Giyon's face.

"Gail is running towards his daughter. To save her from the cannon attack."

Sivan said it in the communication channel reserved for the Divine league members.

Avlyn who has been watching the battle carefully, suddenly jerked up and replied.

"Don't stop the attack. Go on with it."

"You are making a move?"

"Yes, this is the perfect timing I was asking you about for so long."

As she spoke, she cut the channel off and called her subordinates.

"Get your weapons ready and hold the tokens on you all the time. This is the moment we have been waiting for all this while."

As she spoke, along with her five more peak stage cultivators made their move and all of them are running towards Giyon at the same time.

Sivan who saw this immediately ordered all of the soldiers in that area to move away.

Grivon who was still struggling a bit was suddenly left alone along with a few of other Giyon's subordinates.

Only Giyon was still struggling with the opponent, but the surrounding area was emptied within a few seconds.

The cannon was charged and was about to be attacked.

Sivan eagerly waited, but all of a sudden...

\*BOOM\*

A bullet was shot and the energy cannon exploded right before the trigger was pulled.

The soldier operating the cannon and another dozen or so around were all dead and a few dozen were severely injured.

Sivan widened his eyes in disbelief and looked at Sam hatefully.

Gail who was running suddenly relaxed.

"Why are you behaving like an idiot? I told you to trust me. You also Gamin, keeping your fucking sword back in."

Gamin who is standing on the wall had his sword in his hand. In fact, even Yuvana had one and is about to make a move, but when they heard Sam's voice, they immediately stored them away.

Gail sighed in relief. But then he noticed that the peak stage cultivators are still making a move.

Avlyn looked at Gail and didn't want to lose the opportunity, so she gritted her teeth and called her subordinates.

"I don't care anymore. Don't stop the attack. We are going with this and we are seeing through this."

As she said, she raised her hand, the surrounding dust gathered into small spherical bullets around her and within a moment hundreds of them were formed and all of them were shot at that one spot.

Gail, who stopped until then, suddenly made a move once again.

He was shocked and his heart was filled with trepidation.

"YOU FUCKING BITCH."

Sivan yelled at top of his lungs as he looked at the situation.

This is the worst thing that could happen to him now.

The unspoken rules are there for a reason.

They exist to keep some form of morality in these unnecessarily stupid and cruel wars that are causing so much bloodshed.

If powerhouses on both sides keep on killing the weaklings from the other side, things will not be peaceful anymore. All that will be left are corpses.

He panicked and looked at the remaining powerhouses that still stood on the wall of the Gaja city.

He hoped that they will not make a move no matter what.

If they did, then he will be in deep trouble. His soldiers, his ambitions, everything will be gone, because it will be impossible for him to gather what he did today, once again if he loses all the manpower of his own and his clans.

As hundreds of thoughts are running through his mind, his soldiers, elders, and Grand elders also understood the implications of this and all of them stopped battling for a moment.

This caused some of them to take the full brunt of attacks of the Energy beams from the sphere, but even then the battles were stopped between the cultivators and beasts.

They all halted and looked at this one scene.

Gail who was shocked reacted fast enough. His body turned into a glowing ray as he went through a Spiritual energy fusion and he jumped straight towards his daughter.

He reached the spot even before the bullets reached the place and hugged Giyon.

A large energy barrier appeared around him instantly. It covered Giyon, Grivon, and other subordinates around, but before it could completely surround them without any gaps, the bullets reached them.

Some of the subordinates who are too far away died on the spot.

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*BAM* *BAM* *BAM*
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The bullets hit the barrier with explosive noises and it shook while almost causing a dust storm.

## **Chapter 1552 Blood Tokens**

Sam slapped his forehead. He felt extremely frustrated with the current situation.

He called Gamin and Yuvana again and asked.

"Is he going to be okay?"

"Don't worry, that attack won't be able to leave a mark on him. But this can't be said for the rest. The subordinates must have surely suffered. I am a bit worried about Grivon too."

Gamin's voice sounded anxious. Sam looked toward him and he is holding Yuvana in his arms as he tried to comfort her emotions. Her sword aura is raging. Anyone who can see her at the moment, felt like an invisible sword is hanging around their neck.

Sivan looked at this and felt surprised. All of a sudden, he had a thought pass through his mind and he widened his eyes in shock and horror.

"Please, don't be there. Please don't be there."

He started muttering as he looked at the spot as waited for the dust to settle.

But before that could happen, energy rippled cleared the dust away and a large energy barrier was visible. It wasn't able to cover everyone and even the people that are at the edge of the barrier suffered some attacks from it.

Gail looked at his daughter and asked in a whisper.

"Are you okay, Giyon?"

Giyon felt like her heart is pounding out of her chest.

She is sure that the attack is coming to get her directly. She is very sure that she would have died right then and there the attack even brushed past her.

This is one of the moments, that she came closest to death.

Then the next most horror thing hit her. She looked around and muttered.

"Grivon. Dad, Grivon."

Her eyes started tearing up as she looked around. Gail came back to his senses and looked around. He knew that he covered Grivon with the barrier, but he doesn't know if it is enough though.

So, he looked around and found Grivon on the ground at one of the corners of the barrier. He was shocked and ran to him immediately.

Because that is not the corner where Grivon initially stood. He flew over and crashed into that one because he was at that edge of the barrier.

Luckily, he just fainted.

Gail quickly checked him and sighed.

"Yuvana, Gamin. Grivon is alright. He has some internal injuries, but they are mostly due to the aftershock of the attack. He is just unconscious. So calm down."

Yuvana indeed calmed down as soon as she heard those words in the communication channel. But her threatening aura didn't go away, she just looked at the whole army of the Mari clan with a sweeping glance.

Her eyes stayed on Sivan for a while more and then looked back at the spot where all of this is happening.

She particularly looked at Avlyn who is currently commanding other five of her teammates.

They all zoomed towards the barrier and their arms started glowing.

They jabbed the barrier from different sides with their glowing arms and it was broken pretty quickly.

"Giyon, leave the place with the transference token. Now."

Giyon knew better than to argue back and made her move. She disappeared from the spot and reappeared in the stray realm. There, a team caught hold of her and gave her the required medical assistance.

Gail looked at the rest of the subordinates who can walk and gestured for them to go away.

They all ran to the different sides and people who are important enough to have a transference token, left using that. The peak stage cultivators didn't really care much about them.

One of them reached Gail faster and swung his sword at him.

Gail didn't even look at him as he picked up Grivon and moved to the side.

The sword sliced through the air and left a large crater on the ground. Gail sidestepped again to avoid a spear that was coming at him.

He held Grivon closer and turned around completely to avoid the tailwind of the spear strike not affecting him.

Yuvana who is standing on top of the wall was extremely frustrated. She wanted to jump off and come running so many times, but Gamin stopped her.

"Don't be impulsive."

Sivan who is watching this, clearly understood what is going on. He knew who that person is and why he is being carried by Gail himself.

He is clearly Grivon and this made his legs shiver. He heard of stories about Gamin and Yuvana. Even though a lot of people in the Grey circle don't know much about the private lives of the couple, particularly their child, Grivon, he knows.

Because they are from rival clans, there is not much info hidden between them about how frequent their clashes are at all the levels including the Grey circle.

He knew how Grivon is constantly spoiled by his parents. They are obsessively protective. He was jealous of him at a point in time even though Sivan literally had, more power, authority, and influence in his hands.

They are not exactly peaceful people and soft persimmons. The only reason they are ignored sometimes, particularly in terms of power and strength is that they are standing beside a monstrous person like Gail.

Their strength is literally second only to Gail and a few other people that could be counted on one palm.

Now both of them are pissed. He is surprised that they already held back like this. He is very tempted to escape. But at this moment, he is praying that the Gaja clan's high morals will come into play.

He made some assumptions that the only reason Yuvana is holding back is that Grivon might also be okay.

So, he wished that nothing more will happen to him. Even if that means that Gail escapes from the six people rounding him up.

He looked at the battle with anticipation and anxiety that felt like never before.

But right after that moment, he realized that all of his hopes are for naught. Because he noticed that Avlyn and her subordinates who missed all of their attacks in the past few minutes are suddenly changing their tactic.

"Attack the kid. We can't let him and this chance go."

As soon as he ordered the sword, spear, and the ranged flaming attacks along with earth elemental traps, all of them targeted Grivon in Gail's hands, instead of Gail himself.

In the past few minutes, Gail tried to break past the six of them with a lot of effort, but they are not letting him. Whether he tried to run on the land or in the air, used diversions and feints, they managed to keep him there.

He still stayed within that circle. And he couldn't be reckless with Grivon's presence in his hands. In fact, that might be the only reason he is still stuck in the encirclement.

But now that these people are attacking Grivon instead of him, he became mad.

He extended his hand that is covered with partial fusion and blocked the sword strike before pushing it to let the spear stab in that palm. He walked through the air and twisted the arm of the spear.

He slammed his leg on the shoulder of the opponent and used the impact to jump high into the air.

The opponents followed him and started attacking. Gail faced downwards and used the impact in the air to fall faster. He landed on the ground and took out a transference token before placing it in Grivon's hand.

He let the opponents freefall a bit later than him. One of the opponents made some handsigns as crimson red flames conjured around his palms. Gail's eyes widened in disbelief as he immediately turned around to block the flames with his own body while making sure that Grivon is not exposed to any of it.

He then injected a small amount of energy into Grivon's body. Grivon felt the prick in his meridians and his heart.

"AAHHHH..."

He woke up abruptly.

Gail broke the token in his hand and sent Grivon away.

Grivon was suddenly woken up with pain and exhaustion and felt the transference token pull him away.

He reappeared in the stray dimension with confusion and pain written all over his face.

Luckily Giyon was already there and she hugged him to calm him down.

Meanwhile back on the battlefield, there is a barrier around Gail, but the crimson flames that touched it surprisingly managed to penetrate through it. The flame landed on Gail's back, but he moved quickly enough to not take the full brunt of the attack.

He removed the robe instantly and threw it away.

There is a sizeable burn mark on his back. He took out a vial and gulped down. He looked at the six of them and said coldly.

"You brought the Divine Blood Tokens? Seems like the Divine league is not holding back anything."

"Of course, when dealing with the Almighty Gail, there is no way we can hold back."

"Yeah, just one thing wrong with those divine blood tokens, you should have used them on a kid. Particularly when that kid has the parents and an uncle who loves him too much and also knows how cruel and torturous those tokens can be."

## **Chapter 1553 Angry Parents**

Gail said as he shook his hands slightly.

Two knuckle dusters appeared on those fists. When the six of them are about to brace themselves for the attack that was coming, Gail used his arms to do a cross arm block. He even went as far as creating a barrier in front of him.

They were surprised and confused at the same time, but the next second they sensed something and looked in one particular direction.

Yuvana and Gamin are in the sky as they swung their blades.

\*KEEEN\*

The blade keening sounded like someone's soul is being dragged out of their body. The six of them felt like their live has come to an end at that very moment and even forgot to block themselves for a moment.

The blade rays made their way towards them and they all blocked the attacks.

They understood why Gail blocked instead of making a move. Followed by the blade rays, Gamin and Yuvana jumped forward into the encirclement and stood there waiting for the dust to settle.

"Brother, you go back to the wall and stand guard there. We will handle this."

Gamin said in a cold tone. He looked at the guy who threw those crimson flames at Grivon. His eyes spewed killing intent. But that is not even the most fearful thing that they are experiencing at the moment.

Yuvana looked at all three of them like they are her prey. She looked like a wild predator with utmost strength and ruthless hunger.

"How dare you? How fucking dare you attack my son? You even dared to bring Blood tokens and attack him with that?

I will kill you all. I will fucking kill you all right here and then make a visit to the Divine league. I will exterminate everyone of your kin. Anyone who has any kind of relationship with you will die. "

She muttered in a very low tone as she swung her blade at the opponent.

Gail sighed as he looked at them. He knew that both of them are extremely angry. There is no way, they would be able to control themselves anymore.

He looked at the six and shook his head, before leaping into the sky.

The group didn't want to let him go though, but this time Gamin and Yuvana's presence hindered four of them while Gail punched two of them in the faces as they moved towards him.

\*BOOM\*

\*BOOM\*

The punches threw them into the ground and created large craters on the ground. They felt like their souls are knocked out of their bodies and pulled back into them again and they felt all of that in one second.

Gail stepped in the air as he ran towards the war. The burn mark on his back is healing slowly.

While he is making his way to the wall, Sivan is shaking in his boots. He doesn't know what to do at the moment. He doesn't know if the Grand elders would be able to do anything to Gail who is going back.

But when he looked at them, he can understand that they would rather not make a move.

Apart from that, he is at least relieved that Yuvana and Gamin didn't just go for a random rampage over the soldiers in anger. They directed it to the Divine league members so, he quickly thought of next steps to go along with the battle.

He noticed the positions on the city wall.

With both Gamin and Yuvana leaving their position, there is a definite spot with no guards whatsoever. So, there is a chance for them to attack

As long as a side of the wall was completely destroyed, Sivan can find a way to attack within the city and cause some massive chaos.

He was thinking of various scenarios, when he suddenly got a call from some of the Divine league members that are yet t make a move.

"This is the chance, make half of your grand elders to join the battle with Avlyn and the rest. Tell them to assist with ranged attacks."

"My grand elders?"

"Yes. We need to attract attention from at least another peak stage cultivator. Gail is about to stand guard on the wall, but we cannot let him have that. We already missed one shot at him. Before he recovers completely and gets back at us, we need to create another opportunity."

"Will it be possible? I think he will be on complete guard at the moment."

"It is possible. As long as we can use this chance properly."

Sivan gritted his teeth and decided to go along with this plan. He called for four of his grand elders and asked the to make a move.

All four of them are mid-ranged attackers and they went straight for Gamin and Yuvana who are in a deadlock with the opponents.

When they saw, fire, wind, water and once again fire element attacks from all four sides coming at them with extreme limits, they were a bit surprised and go caught off guard.

Fighting against Avlyn and her team is already hard enough, now fighting against the other four is going to be a big pain the ass.

Yuvana clashed with the swords man and the spear user along with a fire user from the original six.

The fire user is her target, but the swordsman and the spear user are getting in her way constantly. She is so pissed to even take them seriously, but when she noticed some extra candidates are trying to butt in, she was enraged once again.

She lunged towards the swordsman and caught a hold of his sword strike with her bear hand.

There is a slight slash on her palm and bleeding started. But she managed to catch the hold of that sword. Meanwhile the spear user stabbed with his spear from the rear.

She forcefully changed her position and even went as far as dragging the swordsman along with him.

The spear brushed past her side. She used the chance to raise the arm and catch the spear with her armpit.

She caught it almost at the middle and held it pretty perfectly with the armpit.

She held the spear like that and swiftly turned her blade to hold it back hand and used the left hand which still held the blade of the opponent to pull the opponent towards herself.

The sword handle hit the opponent in the neck and she borrowed the momentum to slide over the spear shaft and stabbed the opponent who is behind her.

The sword went straight through the armor and lodged itself into the abdomen of the spear user.

He gritted his teeth and looked at her hatefully.

Yuvana kicked the sword user on the leg to make him fall on his knees before kicking him on the face and making him fly in the air.

She then turned around and held the sword tightly as she looked at the spear user dead in the eyes.

He tried to pull the spear back and take a few step backs, but Yuvana didn't let that happen, instead she started channelling energy into her sword and kept up with his movements as she twisted the blade a bit.

The spear user got scared as he felt his innards turning and twisting before becoming a few pieces of flesh.

He took out the blood token hurriedly and attached it to the spear that was still stuck in Yuvana's hands.

A crimson red streak flew across the spear and Yuvana let go of it before it could touch her.

The swordsman who was kicked away also took out the token and attached it to the sword to attack her.

Yuvana blocked that sword with hers and pushed him away before stepping the air and somersaulting to the rear of the spear user.

She slashed her sword downwards only for it to be blocked by the spear.

But this time, it was not completely blocked. All of a sudden, her energy became extremely fluid. The sword slipped across the spear and she managed to land the slash on the leg of the opponent.

"HISSS..."

The opponent hissed in pain and took a step back.

Yuvana who landed on a crouching position agilely lunged forward and stabbed on the same wound. She then forcefully stood up with the sword still stuck in his calf muscle.

She tore the whole calf and then cut through his thigh. Because of the loss of balance, he fell to the side and the sword cut through the thigh dismembering the leg.

The whole thing is gruesome as Yuvana was covered in blood, but she didn't care.

He turned around and slashed the opponent who fell on the ground on his other leg. She hacked the leg bit by bit until it was completely gone and then went on to deal with his arms. While torturously dismembering him, the swordsman came running with that red streak sword, she turned around just in time to block it.

But just the aftershock of it sent waves to the surroundings and a dozen or so trees were stuck down on the side.

## Chapter 1554 Bait

The red streak slightly crept onto Yuvana's sword and made her palm go numb.

If not for the fact that she instantly withdrew it, she would have even had a serious cut on her hand.

She looked at that red streak hatefully and spat on the ground. She swung the blade at the opponent who blocked. Her sword slid across the opponent's as she turned around to let out a large sword ray into the air.

The sword ray moved in the form of a curve and it sliced through two flaming streaks one normal red and another one crimson.

The flames were deflected as she turned around and blocked the sword strike again.

She was pushed back because of the unpreparedness of the block, but she took advantage of it and sliced the spear user on the floor vertically.

The cut started from the lower abdomen and ended at the throat. He slowly bled to death.

While Yuvana is dancing around with three more opponents, Gamin is not having an easier time, in fact, he has a much harder time on the other side.

With the new opponents mainly targeting him along with Avlyn and the other two divine league members, he felt a bit overwhelmed in a way.

Because just like how these people used Grivon to make Gail hold back, they are using Yuvana to not let him use his full power.

Yuvana is currently going through a rageful moment because of her son. There is no way she could think straight and guard herself against all of the attacks from all sides.

These three people are the stronger three members of the group compared to the ones that are attacking Yuvana.

So, Gamin has to calm himself down and manage them while his wife dealt with the person that attacked their son directly.

Since they are targeting her, he needs to focus on blocking the attacks as well as making sure that he doesn't get the brunt of it. In the process, it is a bit hard for them to go and fight directly to kill them.

The addition of the grand elders that came is an extra added pressure.

While things are already like this, Sivan who is already nervous reluctantly sent the remaining half of the grand elders to a different side of the wall. They are attacking the wall where Saran and the Elite team leader are stationed.

Now only Gail is left on the wall while the Clan's leader is staying within the clan grounds as he took care of the rest of the operations inside. He is supervising the healing of the injured soldiers and also keeps track of the battle records while reassuring the weak and powerless within the clan.

Gail became conflicted.

He doesn't know if he should move from his post and get involved in the battle. Because once he does, the remaining people from the Divine league are going to get an edge over them. They will be able to find a weak spot within the city's wall where they could break in and wreak havoc.

As he was thinking, the hidden members of the divine league actually already made a move. They started attacking from long range at Saran and the Elite team leader.

Even though the two of them are surprisingly handling the opponents well, they are still outnumbered. The long-range attacks are just an additional frustration and might even be their ticket to loss.

He couldn't hold back anymore and was about to make a move, but at this moment, Sam contacted him.

"Don't make that move. They want to drag you out. I think you also noticed the fight. They are definitely trying to drag it out."

"Of course, I can see that too. But what can I do? This is definitely a losing situation no matter how you look at it. They manage to finish our people off first or they drag it out and make us lose energy, what is the point of me staying here?"

"I am not saying that you shouldn't be involved, but I don't think you should directly get involved in the battle."

"Do you have any other choice though?"

"I am thinking. We can either call out Clan's leader out and let him join in the battle or need to figure out a way where you don't have to move from your spot and be ready to engage any time you want."

"That is going to be a big problem. It is not that easy. My specialty is definitely not long-range. Even if I can attack them from far, it will also go wide and the energy wouldn't be used efficiently."

Sam looked at Gamin and Yuvana. There while Gamin is holding all three of them back, Yuvana is taking her sweet time dissecting people one after another. After the spear user was done, she shifted to the swordsman. She cut his tendons off and then moved to debone the flesh directly.

"Are Gamin and Yuvana holding back?"

"A bit. Yes."

"Then give me a few seconds. I will see if we can turn this whole thing back at them."

After that Sam contacted Gamin who is in the middle of the battle.

"Why are you holding back?"

"Yuvana won't calm down if she cannot take her sweet time with the opponents. Not after what they did to Grivon.

And Avlyn is not exactly week. She is really strong and it is hard for me to keep away from her. Finally those stupid Blood tokens. They are really really annoying. I cannot let it hit me."

"Okay, try to finish it off. They are trying to make Gail make a move once again. They might lure them into a trap. So, you need to finish those people off immediately and come back to the wall.

Even if you are not able to kill them all, at least breakthrough and come here."

"I will finish this. I am just afraid, I will be out of energy and another emergency will come."

"We will deal with them as they come. Don't waste too much of your time on it."

"Okay then. I am on it."

Gamin's battle style changed instantly and he started fighting a bit recklessly, the first thing he did is slipping past them and go to the corpse of the spear user.

He kicked the spear up in the air and slashed his sword on it. The token that was stuck to it came off and he started injecting his spiritual energy into the tip of the blade.

He slashed the token with the tip and it was aimed at Avlyn.

"You sick bastard."

Avlyn screamed and immediately activated all of the hand signs in a rapid way before slamming them on the ground.

The sword ray cut through the token like butter and went past it. But when it came to the other side, it turned to the darkest crimson red one could imagine and slashed through the earthen wall.

The other two opponents also used all kinds of defensive measures. But the slash destroyed all of them and went straight ahead. It took everything just to block it.

Gamin didn't even wait to look at the aftereffects of his attack and just made his move on the other opponents. His targets were the grand elders that are attacking his wife.

As soon as he took that pressure off of her, Yuvana killed the swordsman and moved to the guy who is using the token to shoot out crimson flames.

Avlyn who was crashed because of the sword strike had a slash on her chest and the blood is spewing out.

She looked at Gamin who took down the grand elder like a grown man schooling a little kid. It was so easy that no one would ever believe that it is the battle between the peak stage cultivators.

"We underestimated these guys' strength too much. They are stronger than we thought they are. Way stronger."

She muttered to herself and looked at the surroundings. She glanced at the battle between grand elders and the Elite team leader and Saran.

She then looked at Gail who is still standing on the wall with a slight frown.

She called her hidden teammates.

"Why are you guys not making your move?"

"Gail is not coming out. We cannot attack him directly. We need to make sure that he is distracted completely before we make a move."

"That is not going to happen. He knows that we are trying that now that we failed once. We just need to be direct." Avlyn said in a frustrated tone.

"No, we just need to make sure that even he knows that are planning this, he has no choice but to go through this. That is all we need and that is all we are going to do."

"Really? Because we might have a hard time with Gamin and Yuvana here. I am hit with a Divine blood token attack and it is a pretty clean cut.

I don't have too much time."

"Don't worry, if Gail doesn't take this bait in the next ten seconds, I will proceed with something that will force him. But for that, I need you to keep Gamin and Yuvana completely occupied. Not a single chance to come out and help Gail out."

"Consider it done."

# Chapter 1555 Cat call

Gail noticed that Gamin is not holding back anymore and relaxed a bit.

But his expression of relief changed to that of anxiety, immediately.

Avlyn who was just hit by the attack squarely on her chest even with all of the defenses took two tokens out of the storage. She held them with her palm as she made hand signs.

Upon looking at her, the subordinates acted as if they already knew what to do and with a lot of effort, they made Gamin and Yuvana stand close to each other.

As soon as they did that, Avlyn slammed her palms into the ground. Four walls appeared out of the earth and surrounded the couple. The walls are crimson red in color but they are sure made of soil and rock.

Gamin and Yuvana were caught off guard.

Avlyn's subordinates made a move and stuck their blood tokens on the walls at various spots.

The wall became darker and darker in the crimson tone.

Within that large space inside the walls, Gamin and Yuvana became cautious as they looked around. Earthen spikes started coming out of the wall with red streaks and they started blocking them with all they got.

While things are like this with them, on the other side where Elite team leader and Saran are fighting with the Grand elders of the Mari clan, the fight became serious. The grand elders are not looking for dragging the fight anymore.

Even though this helped Saran and the Elite team leader to have a proper battle and land some blows, they are also feeling a bit overwhelmed by the opponents going all out.

Gail and Sam are once again conflicted.

Sam is already thinking of ways to help Gail out of this situation, but all of a sudden this turned way too serious.

While things are like this, something else happened that made Gail curse under his breath.

A large streak of lightning appeared in the sky as high above one of the Divine league members arrived.

He stood in the air as water and lightning elemental energy gathered around him.

He held two divine blood tokens in his hands as he raised both of them up in the sky. Dark Crimson clouds gathered as they started rumbling with lightning energy.

\*RUMBLE\*

The sound made Gail cautious.

He had a bad feeling about this and he soon realized that his suspicions are right. Because the person who created those clouds started expanding and it expanded all over the battlefield, particularly at the spots where the Gaja clan's soldiers are currently stationed.

Sam who saw all of this felt frustrated.

He knew that things are going out of hand.

This guy from Divine league is obviously trying to force Gail out. Now he went as far as using all of the Gaja clan's forces as bait to pull him out

After all, if Gail doesn't make a move, the soldiers will die, but if he does make a move, he would be forced into battle.

All of the posts on the wall would be emptied leaving it completely unattended.

They are just fastening the battle.

Sam didn't even know how to react to this for a second.

"Sam, I need to intervene, otherwise things wouldn't be good."

Gail said those words and his arms started glowing. He took a deep breath and leaped into the air as he directly aimed at the person who is about to attack the soldiers.

Sam gritted his teeth and commanded the troops.

"Everyone goes all out. Take this chance and attack every single soldier of the Gaja clan. All bets are off.

Shoot down the bird puppets and let the bullets rain down on the Mari clan's troops.

Also, let out the crystal symbiote bullets and shoot them from the rear.

I want the Mari clan's troops to be annihilated right now."

The ordinary soldiers who were still as they watched the battles between the powerhouses suddenly made a move.

While they are making a move, Sam commanded something else.

"Cultivators in late-stage, don't hold back, you can target any opponent. You don't need to follow any rules now."

"But Sir."

"I told you not to care. All soldiers move into your formations and defend themselves against the stronger opponents. Use all of the poison vials as you like and kill people weaker than you even if they are of lower cultivation stage.

Mari clan certainly doesn't care about the decorum, so we are not doing that either.

I will take the responsibility if anything comes."

As soon as his words left his mouth, the soldiers hesitated a bit. They don't want to start an indiscriminate killing. It is completely against their principles and they have slight respect for the enemy soldiers.

Of course, some people don't have any principle or obligation of that sort, so they started destroying the mercenaries first.

Sivan who was still lost in his own thought process was stunned.

He doesn't know how to react immediately.

Since his side of forces started, he really did expect some powerful retaliation. But after he noticed that even Yuvana controlled herself enough to not do anything to the soldiers. For a moment, even though it has passed.

Now he realized he couldn't have been more wrong.

He looked at Sam who is commanding and cursed. He was lost in the whole powerhouse battles and ignored the situation on the ground.

But Sam took this chance to make a move.

This caused some serious losses within the first ten seconds.

Sam took out his cannon and started aiming at the targets, particularly the elites, and whenever there is a bird puppet that is shooting the bullets that attract the energy beam attacks from the sphere above the Mari clan's troops, he shot them down.

Along with that, he threw poison and white crystal fragments as he liked.

He started sniping one main target after another.

Meanwhile, as soon as Gail left the post, the Divine league member made the crimson clouds gather together. Along with a large water current that came out of it that looked like crimson blood a crimson lightning bolt also came at Gail from the sky.

He turned in the air and his knuckle duster started glowing with energy formulating into a giant fist.

It clashed with lightning and the ripples that appeared because of the clash sent the water away in the form of droplets.

Gail was a bit anxious about this and warned.

"Don't let the water touch you."

His warning was not useful though, because everyone is in middle of a battle, there is not much they can do about it.

They can only suffer.

As the crimson water rained down on the soldiers continuously, they felt like their souls are being seared over flames.

The water gave this weird burning effect to their blood that they wanted to cut off the portion of their flesh on which the water has landed.

It was that painful.

Looking at Gail's distracted face, the divine league member made his move. Gail reacted at the last moment and defended against it, but still took the brunt of the force and was pushed back.

He suddenly felt a sense of crisis coming from his rear. A few divine league members who were hidden started attacking with the crimson spears.

Gail resisted the momentum with all he got and barely managed to dodge them. But the spears went away and lodged themselves into the wall.

The wall started cracking as crimson energy started spreading over and over.

"What the fuck is happening? Why is everything going sideways?"

Sam muttered to himself as he looked at the surroundings. All of the Divine league members started coming out and they are moving toward Gail.

Avlyn looked at this scenario and smirked.

"Kill every one of them. We don't need to spare anyone. All of the Gaja clan's kin should die today."

Her orders reverberated in the ears of every Divine league member and the Mari clan's soldier members. They all started attacking.

Sam sighed and turned around to yell.

"Oii, Cat. It is time for you to make an entrance. Shit is going sideways here."

His words reverberated throughout the clan.

A snow-white streak suddenly came from within the clan and it went straight for the divine league member who was about to enter the clan through the broken wall.

The streak caught him and both of them crashed into the ground as they wrestled.

The Sonic cat disappeared from the spot after the attack letting the man get up again, but before he could do that, the streak came again and he felt a large claw mark on his back. Blood started oozing out.

Looking at this situation, another divine league member came to help him. But that turned out to be a big mistake.

Gail is not really that cornered with the current situation and now that the pressure reduced, even more, he gained the upper hand.

## **Chapter 1556 Retreat**

The Sonic cat moved like a light beam with a streaking noise as it scratched the opponent layer by layer.

Soon his bones are exposed and then they also broke with insides coming out until the person completely died.

Everyone in the Divine league was stunned. They looked at this newcomer in stunning silence. They didn't expect a beast of that level is within the Gaja clan.

But while they are still in shock the person that came to help the companion stopped in his tracks.

He turned around to see Gail beating the crap out of three other opponents. He is currently standing in the middle of three as he dodged their attacks and punched the crap out of their faces.

Teeth flew and facial skin ripped apart as it flew in the form of fragments along with the blood.

Gail's body is covered with blood sprayed by his opponents and he is looking extremely angry. It is almost like he is trying to take out all of his anger on these people.

Sam also noticed this and he kind of understood why he is so angry.

These people wanted to use his daughter and nephew and then the whole army as their bait. This is going to be a troublesome thing.

Gail wanted to go ahead and kill them all on the spot, but at this moment, Sam contacted him.

"Saran and the elite team leader are having some hard times. You need to help them out."

Gail who was about to land a punch on the face of the opponent who is still standing and suddenly made a move. He jumped through the encirclement and helped Saran and the Elite team leader who was slightly injured.

The Grand elders didn't even dare to stay there for a second before they left.

Gail let the two rest and turned to Gamin and Yuvana.

Currently, all five divine league members are trying to attack Gamin and Yuvana who are blocked by those crimson walls.

Gail wanted to run and help them out, but he suddenly sensed a massive change. The three opponents who he left there standing took out these blood tokens and got ready to attack.

The sonic cat who finished its opponents looked at Gail and both of them blocked the massive crimson spear attacks that were thrown at the city directly.

The crimson spears projected huge crimson images and zoomed towards the city.

Gail and the Sonic cat launched their own attacks at them which are also projected into the large size.

The clash of the spears and the attacks happened.

\*BOOM\*

Massive ripples spread across the area and the walls around broke apart.

Some of the soldiers couldn't take it and collapse on the spot.

The damage is too much.

While things are like this, Sam noticed something else on the other side. Gamin and Yuvana who were stuck inside the walls for so long started gathering energy.

With his energy vision, he could see that there is almost a sword storm brewing within the walls.

Avlyn who felt this didn't want to let this chance go. She looked at her subordinates and nodded.

All of them gathered their best attacks and shot them at the tokens that they stuck to the wall.

#### \*BOOM\*

A large explosive sound occurred and at the same moment, the sword storm destroyed the walls.

The divine league members were literally blown away by the impact. In the middle of it all, Gamin and Yuvana are standing while panting.

A storm of dust and sword rays flew around and destroyed the surroundings. Many soldiers who are unlucky enough to take the aftershocks of it fell to the ground to their deaths.

Sam looked at the chaotic battlefield in frustration.

Everything went out of control within just a few minutes.

The Divine league members just had to go all out at this exact moment, making everything difficult for him.

The battles among the ordinary soldiers were stopped once again. Sivan and Sam looked at each other once again and both of them ordered the same thing at the same time.

"Retreat."

The battle has become too chaotic. Even though they can continue, the peak stage cultivators are going neck to neck. They don't know if the battle will continue between them or not, either way, they need to regroup and work on a different strategy.

But as soon as their orders were made, the peak stage cultivators also had the same plans. They also started running away from the battlefield.

Gail and the Sonic cat stood up again as they spat some blood.

They are panting slightly and they are clearly not in a pleasant and calm mood.

Saran and the Elite team leader are injured a bit.

The worst part is Gamin and Yuvana.

Both of them are standing in the middle of that dust storm that barely settled.

Avlyn wanted to take this chance and make a move, but she sensed the approaching presence of Cat and Gail that made her retreat with the rest of her team members.

Gail and Cat went over to bring back Yuvana and Gamin.

They entered the city through the cracks in the wall.

Meanwhile, Sam who is standing on top of the wall is not ready to let this go yet.

He took out a few very special bird puppets. Four in particular and let them fly towards the leaving Peak stage cultivators.

They are not moving too fast. The puppets managed to catch up to them a bit, but they are not aiming their bullets at them directly. They just tried to maintain the distance between themselves.

Among them, one divine league member who is too injured to keep up the same pace as others and not injured enough to be carried out is at the end of the group.

Sam let the puppet that targeted that one person hovers and called the rest of them back.

He then took the cannon and aimed it at the puppet.

The first one is a shot so precise that it barely destroyed the puppet and let the bullets freefall.

The energy beams were shot from the sphere at that one spot and they all targeted the peak stage cultivator who is running.

But as the beams hit him, they also destroyed the bullets and among those bullets, there is one that is not just there for honing the beams from the sphere, instead, it is made of a different material that broke open and a humanoid figure came out of it.

The humanoid figure moved with all the dexterity it could muster and latched on to the target.

The energy beams landed on the figure and the target.

"ARRGGGGHHH..."

The target screamed and tried to defend himself. In fact, he almost succeeded. But before he could get away, the energy beams that landed on the body of the humanoid creature made it glow brightly.

\*BOOM\*

A large explosion occurred. The spiritual energy fog covered everything in the surroundings and out of it came the divine league member crawling out.

The energy lines appeared all over his body and almost all of his lower body is mangled in the explosion.

The explosion range is very small and the impact is also very low, but its definitely effective now as the guy who is already severely injured couldn't hold on to it for long.

His teammates wanted to come back and help her, but they looked at the puppets that are hovering over them. Even though Sam pulled back most of the puppets, the ones that still exist are making them afraid. After all, there is no way for them to know which one is a real puppet with the undead creature inside them.

And while they hesitated, their teammate died.

After that was done, Sam focused on sniping people around Sivan.

He didn't aim at Sivan who witnessed the killing of the Divine league member.

After all, it is still Sam's body and it won't help him much to kill him in that body. Sam is sure that it would also be a terrible waste since he is sure that the feather coat will be strong enough to protect Sivan and the other artifacts will do the rest.

On top of that, Harbinger can really dodge

Sam just focused on targeting the people around Sivan.

He sniped a dozen of them before they went out of the range and to the camp.

While they are escaping, the energy beams that are shot from the sphere already did some serious damage to them.

Sam recalled all the soldiers after that and reactivated the dome barrier.

He made the medical team and the soldiers that are still fit to start the treatment process. Since they already made most of the vials beforehand and every soldier is equipped with them, they can be used to treat the most basic injuries.

Unless there is a complex surgical method is required, the medical personnel doesn't need to bother themselves with most of the things here which increased the treatment speed.

## **Chapter 1557 Losses**

While all the soldiers are being treated, Sam and Gail are currently standing in a room with four beds occupied by Gamin, Yuvana, Saran, and the Elite team leader.

Gamin and Yuvana are injured severely. They are also pretty exhausted. Their wounds are also not healing as fast as they should.

Compared to them Saran and the Elite team leader are pretty well off.

"I told you guys not to jump in rashly. Look at what happened now?"

Gail said in a reprimanding tone.

"Who knew those bastards will have so many Divine Blood tokens? We were caught off guard. Anyway, I am pretty sure we are the winners of that exchange anyway."

Gamin said as he gulped down another potion.

Gail shook his head in resignation and Yuvana didn't even bother to speak.

"What are these Divine Blood tokens exactly? Are they reason for the wounds do not heal quickly?" Sam asked.

"Divine Blood Tokens are made from the Blood Essence of Divine Plane beings. They contain the special energy that only belongs to the Divine stage beings and when used in conjunction with normal spiritual energy attacks they really work wonders.

That special energy will be mixed with the attack and it will cause a lot more damage.

It is extremely torturous as the blood of those beings completely corrupts and overwhelms every cell of normal beings.

Some of the Peak stage Astral Plane Consummate cultivators use these to train so that they can have a chance to break through to Divine Plane.

They try to absorb the Essence from this blood to make their body get used to that new Divine energy they are going to get.

But the more they use it, the lesser their growth curve would be. They might be able to break through to the Divine Plane a bit easier, but they would be sacrificing some of their potentials in the process and their Divine energy wouldn't be as poor.

Most people like us, don't use it for that reason and that is why our bodies are not used to this. This causes some serious damage.

It is an extremely expensive thing. I didn't expect them to make a move using a whole lot of these things. We were really caught off guard."

"So, how are these two going to be?"

Sam said as he pointed at Yuvana and Gamin.

Both of them have so many bruises all over their body. In fact, too many of them, and all of them have this crimson red hue.

They are definitely injuries that are attached with that essence or whatever that is.

"They will need a few days to get rid of them completely. Even my injuries and Cat will need some time too."

Gail said with a sigh.

"Well, at least we really did a number on the Divine league members. A couple of them are dead, so there is little they can do at the moment since the rest of them are also seriously injured."

"Tsk. Cowards. They escaped in the nick of the time. Or I would have killed all of them instantly."

Yuvana said as she looked out of the window.

Sam shook his head and walked out of the room with Gail.

"We don't know the exact situation on the other side. So, we cannot let our guards down. Gamin and Yuvana are not fit for the battle for some time. The other two can be healed at least. I will call in the Clan's leader to take charge and I will put up the special undead creatures that are left at different positions on the wall.

I cannot think of anything else for now.

For any of the further plans, we need the information on how the situation is on another side.

Our forces also suffered a bit. The only silver lining is that there are not as many deaths as they are on another side.

We didn't lose too many in terms of numbers.

The worst part about that is most deaths are caused by the battles of the peak stage cultivators.

I want you guys to tone down a bit."

"I wasn't able to do much in the situation before. If we hadn't interfered the loss of life would be way too much."

"I get it. But try to divert the battles to empty space next time.

Anyway, please go and recover as fast as you can. Currently, the war is stopped. We need to do as much damage control as we can and recover as much manpower as we can."

"Alright."

Gail nodded and went back inside.

Meanwhile back in the Mari clan's quarters, a different kind of meeting is happening.

Sivan looked at Avlyn and the group and spat on the floor.

"How fucking dare you? How dare you put my forces in jeopardy?

You dared to break the unspoken rules of the war?

I would have lost every single soldier I had under my control."

"Why are you freaking out? Gail and his brother are way too prideful to stoop as low as us."

"Yeah? Really? That bastard Sam is not. He might be prideful, but he always pays back in dear. He ordered the subordinates to kill indiscriminately. I lost thirty percent of my forces just from that massacre.

And your fight in the middle of soldiers killed another ten percent.

Another ten percent are dead from the beasts and the energy beams.

I lost half of the forces in one proper exchange with them and if I calculate the loss of each expert that is equipped with special equipment which could only be operated by them, then the losses are way too much.

The one time you actually made a move, you made the situation a purgatory. You don't know how much loss you have cost me."

"Stop whining. You brat."

Avlyn said through her gritted teeth. But as soon as she did, almost a dozen wounds opened up on her body as she spat out some blood.

"There is not a single thing you did right today and you are trying to show your domination on me."

Sivan yelled back and looked at the group crazily.

Not a single divine league member is in a fighting state at the moment. They are all injured, exhausted and some people are almost unconscious.

"You better figure this out. I don't want to lose another bunch of my soldiers and waste my resources just because of your stupid and cowardly schemes."

"Who do you think you are calling a coward, you little brat?"

One of the subordinates of Divine league yelled as he tried to recover the large slash on his abdomen.

"Compared to your opponents, you are nothing but cowards. You had to use two kids hostage, then you had to stoop to using soldiers as hostages and on top of that, you ganged up and used all kinds of petty tricks or whatever those divine blood tokens are up to.

You are but pieces of incompetent shit that are trying to prove that you are stronger and more important than you actually are.

I know I am a roguish bastard that I use all kinds of underlying tricks completely underhanded that is only suitable for the scum of the scum on this land and even I wouldn't just use my soldiers as you did.

You shameless and classless cunts."

Sivan left after ranting for a while.

After that, there is a long silence within the room.

Avlyn took three potions before she was able to stand up and walk. She looked at her subordinates and said.

"There is not a single thing that went according to our problem

We lost too much. Some of us died. Only six of us can even recover and fight. The rest are wasted.

The grand elders of the Mari clan are also seriously injured.

The tactics that were used until now are gone. We cannot use them again.

We are shifting to Plan B."

"Plan B? Are you sure Avlyn? Things are not going to be easy with that. The Divine league will be stretched thin.

You cannot go back after we go with that. It will be an all-out between Gail and us. The people that are already looking at the Divine league like hungry beasts are going to jump in.

We will be starting a realm war."

Cray stepped in and asked.

"But we have no other choice. The estimation of strength on Gamin and Yuvana was way off and there is another peak stage creature.

The worst of all. That bastard Sam. We completely ignored him until now, but he killed one of us, even though he just landed the final blow.

We are in some deep trouble with this situation. If we back down now, we would be giving Gail a chance to recover and hunt us down individually."

"Alright, if you think so. But you need to talk with Godfather yourself."

"I will do it. You don't have to worry about it."

## **Chapter 1558 Reinforcements**

"I don't have anything to worry about Avlyn. But you should start worrying. You already crossed a hundred lines today. If the other party decides to do so, then you are dead meat.

Particularly, if they get a hint that you are about to start a realm war right at their doorstep. It is not like you don't know how Gail operates.

You have tasted it first-hand. I just hope that you haven't forgotten the lesson you learned that day."

Cray left the room after he said those words.

His tone is full of disappointment and exhaustion.

Avlyn clenched her fists in anger. She gritted her teeth as he looked at Cray's back. She wanted to say something. But she couldn't bring herself to.

She clearly remembered the day that she was taught a lesson, and that is one of the reasons that she couldn't bring herself to let this go.

Even if she was remembered as the unethical and immoral wench of this war, she decided to go ahead with her ruthless plans.

She will do anything and everything to get back at them.

While she is drowning in her own thoughts, Sivan who appeared at the healing barracks looked at his subordinates.

He contemplated what he said to Avlyn and shook his head. The way he behaved is completely out of character.

He never really cared for people's lives. As long as they serve his ambition, he would do anything and everything to achieve that.

But recently he has been acting up. He is getting way too angry about things that didn't matter before. He started caring about things that he had never done before. This is making him feel conflicted.

As he was thinking, all of a sudden, someone arrived at the camp.

An attendant came running to Sivan and informed him.

Sivan was really surprised when he heard the news.

He walked and met with the person. He is a member of the clan leader's Elite team and he came with a scroll and a recording crystal.

Sivan opened them both to get the message from the clan's leader and he was shocked by the news. He finally had a smile on his face with it and he went back running to Avlyn.

"We are getting reinforcements."

He said it out loud gathering everyone's attention.

Avlyn frowned in askance.

"The Mari clan is sending the remaining forces. It seems like the Dusk organization is currently being handled. They are not an immediate threat. So, the forces that were put on reserve just in case are coming. Except for the bare minimum forces that need to be there for the basic security of the clan, everyone else is arriving at the battlefield by tomorrow.

This is great news.

With the blows we have landed on the Gaja clan, they obviously cannot recover too much. So, we can deal with them as we like.

I think we can win this thing. Since the peak stage cultivators on the other side are also injured. With the grand elders that are currently coming to us, we can definitely hold them back before you recover.

And since the grand elders are constantly attacking, the other parties won't have any time to recover.

I believe this is a great opportunity, you can still deal with the peak stage cultivators. What do you guys say?"

Sivan said excitedly.

The Divine league members exchanged looks. This is really exciting news.

As long as the Peak stage cultivators that come here know what they are doing, they can certainly stay safe while still making sure that Gail, Gamin, and the rest don't have any time left to recover to their top condition.

Meanwhile, they can recover and attack them after.

The best part is, that they don't have to start their Plan B at the moment. They don't have to start a realm war just to win against one clan anymore.

So, they are extremely relieved by the scenario.

Meanwhile, in the Mari Clan's main city.

The clan leader and his wife are sitting in the office once again. But he is not as tense and broken down as before.

He looked put together and he is a lot calmer.

"Thank you so much. Because of you, I was able to manage this situation. I never expected that the Blood Iron league and other organizations involving themselves could change the situation like this.

The Dusk organization almost disappeared as if they never existed.

Did you anticipate this reaction?"

He asked his wife enthusiastically.

"No, not at all. I expected a severe payback. I expected some chaos in other powers and possibly even for the Blood Iron league, but this is obviously more suitable for our current scenario.

As long as Dusk organization doesn't act up, we have an upper hand. At least for the moment, it doesn't matter if they are completely destroyed or if they are just laying low.

It will all be the same to us."

"That is true. But Are you sure we should be sending all of our forces to the Gaja clan's side?"

"Isn't that what you wanted? You are the one who suggested we do so, why are you asking me this again?"

"I know I asked for this, but I kind of expected some kind of backlash from you. Some resistance. But you immediately agreed. Why is that?"

"I felt like this is the proper time for you to send your forces. I happen to agree with your reasoning that is it.

The Dusk organization disappeared for the time being. I heard they suffered some severe losses at the hands of others. This only shows that the only reason they won over us time and again, is because of the information they had on us beforehand.

They just know us too damn well.

Now that the opponents changed for them, they have to disappear for some time.

If you take this time and defeat the Gaja clan within a short period, then you can have your forces back before the Dusk Organization could recover from this blow."

"Thank you."

"Don't mention it."

She just smiled slightly and they went through the documents.

As they were speaking, the forces already started moving to appear in the Gaja city.

The next day, right after sunrise.

Sam who is standing on top of the wall looked at the horizon through the telescope and frowned hard.

He knew that they are in trouble as soon as he saw it.

All the forces from the Mari clan arrived and they are moving to the camp.

He immediately jumped off the wall to go and meet Gail and the Clan's leader.

He explained the situation to them and everyone was shocked.

The clan's leader felt a slight sense of despair.

"How are we going to tackle this? There are way too many soldiers that are coming. We barely managed to even the playing field with a lot of effort. What will happen to us with these extra forces?"

"I don't know. But we need to make a decision.

The fate of the Gaja clan depends on it. So you better take your time and make this decision only after considering all the factors. The time is not your friend, but try to stretch it as much as you can.

You can either decide to stay and fight back or you can just move to the stray realm along with the rest and stay there.

Even though it might be discovered by someone after they start taking over the territory, you will still be able to save yourselves and the rest of your clan for some time.

But fighting them is even riskier. You have way too much to lose and way too many people to defeat.

Everyone will understand why lost and why you went away into hiding.

So, don't feel embarrassed to make that decision if that is what you want."

Sam stood up and walked out. He let the clan members decide what they want to do with the scenario.

He might have a large agenda behind the whole war. He might need his body, but he cannot ask a clan to risk its complete survival over his situation.

He can get his body later.

He just waited for the answer. But to his surprise, he didn't have to wait for long. He was called in within a few minutes.

"We are fighting."

"Are you sure you want to do this?" Sam asked in a surprised tone.

He did expect the raise of this scenario, but not with such a short amount of time.

"There is no point in hiding. We will be discovered sooner or later and even if we didn't, it will be difficult to restore the clan once again if we are in complete hiding.

It is better to fight now."

"If you think so. Then, we need to make the first move."

"First move, shouldn't we be waiting for them to make a move. We are the weaker party here."

"Of course we are, so they won't see us coming with our attacks first."

## **Chapter 1559 Trump cards**

"What are we going to do then?"

The Clan's leader asked.

Without even knowing everyone kind of left all the command over the battle to Sam.

They are asking for his opinion on everything and they are leaving every major decision to him. Even the soldiers and other subordinates in the clan started calling him boss. He became the temporary leader of the whole thing.

"I have a plan. I need to talk to Ma about this though.

It will rely a lot on his hands and his stamina."

"Go ahead. We will oversee the recovery of all the injured soldiers. We need to prepare for the battle as fast as we can."

"Okay, I will take my leave then."

Sam left the meeting and went to meet Senior Elder Ma.

"How much energy does it take for you to operate simultaneous one-sided space gates that have a transportation capacity of just a small amount of matter to different spots?"

"What do you mean by different spots?"

"Within an area, I want you to be able to send the things I want to any point I want."

"Depends on how far it is. If it is within the range of clan, then it is easy."

"Not within the range of the clan. You need to reach the premises of the Mari Clan's camp."

"It is not that far away, but a constant shuffle? Why? I can just make some transference tokens that could transfer things and mark the nodal point on top of the camp. You can rain things through them.

Or I can make half a dozen one-sided space gates and throw the tokens through it. It is as easy as that."

"That is not enough. Even though that constitutes what I am planning for the primary damage, I have a secondary plan in line and I want the constantly shuffling channels that you could access through one single point here.

In fact, you must be able to access multiple channels at the same time and all of them at the end.

Can you get it done?"

"It is a bit challenging for sure. But I think I can give it a try."

"I am sorry, but I need a definite answer and I need it to be done within an hour."

"An hour? That is a hell of a lot challenging. Why don't you give me fifteen minutes and let me see if it works? I have a theory that could work and make this happen and if it does."

"That I can spare. Thank you."

"No problem. See you in fifteen minutes then."

Sam nodded and left. He contacted the people who are operating the tower where Poison essence is being collected.

"Unload the cores of the towers."

As soon as his words were heard, the operators stopped their work and looked in horror.

"Sir, do you mean all of them?"

"Yes, all eight of the cores. I need all of them to be removed and ready. They shouldn't be damaged and they should be completely scot-free. We are going to take out our trump cards."

"Yes, Sir."

The operators gulped involuntarily as they went to work.

Sam also sighed as he walked towards the soul tower that he used to control various objects around. He let Spectre call back all the spirits there are and in fact, all of them went to the battlefield where hundreds of deadbodies are lurking around.

Sam controlled the souls and started making undead creatures of the deadbodies. Some worked and some even had intact souls, but some of them also didn't work.

The undead creatures included the Mari clan forces, the Gaja clan forces, and the beasts. Sam didn't care if it is disrespectful to the clan members that fought beside them.

Currently, the stakes are really high and he didn't want to lose any sort of advantage they could have.

Mari clan members obviously spectated as the undead creatures entered the Gaja city.

Sam sent them to the undead refining tower, to refine them.

While he let the Spectre handle the process of refining, he went to Ma again to ask about what he wanted.

"It is going to work. I can a bunch of space tunnels to different points, but it will start with one single tunnel on this end and it will be branching out like a network by the time it reaches the camp area.

Does that work for you?"

"That actually works better for me. I want you to do this immediately. Will you be able to do it in an hour?"

"I will do you one better. I can finish it within forty minutes. Since the basic framework and prototype are already done."

Ma said as she showed some formation to Sam.

The formation is actually the test formation that Ma made to check the theory.

"Since I was testing it and the time is short, I went with a large prototype that could be converted for the main task."

"Thank you. That is a great thing.

Can you operate this from right here?"

"Yeah, this is fine."

"Okay, then. I will send you the weapons you need to send using this system. I will devise a scroll with all the attack sequences. Take your subordinates' help if you need to, but remember the sequences.

Activate each sequence as I ask you to.

And within the scroll, you will get the points to which you need to connect from here to the camp area.

Some are near and some are far. The farthest is the center of the camp though. So, I think you can manage."

"That I can do. How many channels do you need?"

"How many can you make?"

"With my current capacity, I think I can operate twenty-four at the same time if I won't activate them."

"That is plenty. Even though the space channels are primary for the operation to succeed. I think the weapons will do the rest. Please go ahead with the construction."

After that Sam gave the rest of the instructions and requirements before leaving the room.

He then went to the Poison tower.

There eight formations are activated in front of the tower and within each formation, there is a rhombohedral crystal that is almost five feet tall. They are floating within the formations and they emitted a dark green light along with dark green poisonous fumes...

Sam looked at the cores and then at the operators.

"Your job here is done. I hope that you got a new understanding of poison control now after working here. Even though you worked, hard, you need to go and join the rest of the forces. There are some components of the tower that you might find useful in combat.

Like the essence condensers, the fume creators, or whatever you feel is useful. You can take them with you and they are yours for the life.

You can use them in combat as you like. I hope you survive the war."

"Thank you, sir."

All of them saluted him and went away.

They all had special uniforms, but nobody wanted to remove them and change them to normal soldier uniforms.

They are very proud of the work they had done in the past few days. So, they are really insistent about keeping this identity as a part of this group.

Sam waved his hand and all of the crystals along with the small formation plates that are responsible for these formations flew into the Divine dimension fragment.

He then moved to the undead refining place.

"Are you done with the refining process?"

Sam asked the operators.

"Yes, sir. We just need a few minutes."

"Do it fast. Finish it as soon as you can."

Sam waited for ten more minutes before all of the undead creatures were refined and transported back to the frontlines.

He then instructed the operators the same thing as he did with the poison tower operators.

"Remove the cores. All sixteen of them."

The operators were scared. The reaction is actually a bit more severe than the previous one.

"Sir, but the cores, why do you want to separate them? They are extremely unstable and dangerous. They can create a lot of damage."

"Yeah, they can create a lot of damage and even I really didn't want to use them. But we don't have another choice now, do we? Just remove them according to the basic instructions."

"Okay, sir."

"Don't damage them. Not even a scratch. As you said, it is very dangerous."

"Yes, Sir."

As Sam waited, the subordinates carefully dismantled the cores from the tower and placed them in formations made by formation plates.

Just like how he did with the previous cores of poison tower. He did the same with these things. They were all sent to the divine dimension fragments.

After that was done, Sam went to a separate place where the crystal Symbiote was being made.

He went there and collected all the crystal symbiote fragments. They are numbered in thousands. He placed all of them in separate spatial storage.

He collected all of the things he needed and went to meet Ma.

# **Chapter 1560 Rifts**

Senior Elder Ma already finished the device and waited for Sam to come.

It is basically a large formation surrounded by a bunch of smaller formations. He sat in the central big one and operated the rest from there.

Sam gave all the things that he collected from various spots along with a scroll.

"Familiarize with all of the numbers and codes. I want you to follow them carefully and precisely. A single mishap and we can kiss this war goodbye."

"Alright."

As they were talking, both of them got a call.

"The enemies are showing movement. They are entering into a formation. The elites and peak stage cultivators are coming as well. They might make a move at any moment."

Sam and Ma exchanged a glance and the former said.

"The timing couldn't have been more perfect."

"I will be going. Stay in touch. Don't focus on any other connection."

"Alright."

Sam went to the wall instantly and within a few minutes, he could see that the people are already getting into formations to march towards the Gaja city.

When he noticed where they are grouping up, he couldn't help but smile.

"Ma, Channel number 20, Attack pattern three."

"Alright."

Senior Ma closed his eyes and focused as a small formation on his side started glowing and with just a wave of his hand, a bunch of objects flew from one of the spatial rings and went straight into that formation.

They disappeared from the spot.

At the camp of the Mari clan.

Sivan is guiding the forces out and made them stand in formation right outside the campgrounds.

He is taking the statistics of the groups before marching into the battle. But right when he was about to command them to step forward, he felt some fluctuations in the air.

Since he is moving around on Harbinger at a certain altitude he was the first person to notice it.

While he was confused, a spatial energy wave appeared out of thin air followed by a large horizontal hole.

A bunch of poison grenades that are made of very delicate glass crystals started raining down from the hole.

They all fell on soldiers who are standing in a formation along with a bunch of small white crystal fragments all over the place.

The soldiers who were ready to start the battle suddenly took the onslaught of poison and the white crystal fragments which they couldn't even see.

Sivan immediately covered himself with an energy shield. Even though he will not be affected by the poison, he is sure that the crystal fragments will deal some lethal damage to him.

In fact, if he is careless, he might even die right there.

After the initial shock, he started ordering his subordinates to move. But he was conflicted, on whether he should make them move forward or backwards. After some thought, he gritted his teeth and turned to the Grand elders that just arrived.

They are looking at the fiasco waiting for Sivan's orders.

"Can you deal with that spatial rift?"

One of the grand elders raised their hands and the space started constricting. But before he could act on it, the spatial rift was closed by itself.

Sivan went back to the soldiers on the ground to take a look at them. Some of the soldiers who are quick enough to react on time managed to cover themselves completely. Most of the soldiers that are not too quick, but at least have enough sense to react fast after the initial poison touch, managed to save themselves with slight damage.

But there is one particular group of people. It cannot be said that they are completely slow, it could only be said they are not fast enough.

And they cannot be considered a small group because of their sheer number, but they are also not a large group compared to the whole area.

They took the full brunt of the poisons and the white crystal shards.

They are completely taken down. They are currently rolling on the ground and suffering as the white crystal shards entered their bodies trying to consume them.

Because of the poison's reaction to their bodies and the excruciating pain that is masking the effects of the white crystal as well as the excessive energy consumption to control the pain of the poison, the white crystal is easily occupying the whole body.

Even before Sivan could relay his next orders, some of the people already started turning into white crystals at a visible pace.

Sivan gritted his teeth and relayed his orders.

"Everyone, move away from the people who are affected with white crystals. We are marching forward. All of your run in the formation. We are going to take the city down.

Grand elders, you need to keep an eye on any of these surprise attacks.

Do not interfere with anything else. Your job is literally protecting us from massive attacks like this and dealing with the peak stage cultivators of the enemy.

As I mentioned before. You don't need to try and defeat them. Because that is absolutely impossible. The only thing you need to do is rattle them. Annoy them. They are already injured so just make sure that they don't have time to recover.

I think you already know the situation here. The Divine league members already pissed them off. If you don't want all of the clan forces to be annihilated, do not and I mean do not ever make a move against the enemy soldiers."

All the grand elders nodded and they took their positions in the formation as they all ran forward.

Meanwhile, Sivan turned to the camp and ordered the soldiers that are in the process of recovery.

"Bring the soldiers that are not infected by the white crystals into the camp. Heal them and try to recover them."

"Yes, Sir."

The soldiers moved and everyone did their tasks.

Sam looked at it through the telescope and within the next three minutes, he spoke with Ma again.

"Channel 19. Attack sequence 7"

Another spatial rift opened above the soldiers and this time a bunch of glass vials were dropped. But instead of poison, they are filled with some black coloured liquid. It is one of the liquid curses that are prepared.

For some reason as soon as they left the rift, they shattered while they are still in mid-air and the black liquid was sprayed all over the people.

The grand elders made a move and tried to shield them from it. In fact, they even succeeded for the most part. But Sam didn't seem to care about the missed attack.

Instead, he called for another attack sequence.

From within the rift, white shattered crystals started raining down. They are so small they almost appeared like dust.

They are even being swayed by a small breeze.

The grand elders also defended against it to the best of their abilities. This caused the formation to slow down and created some disorder within them, but not many people were even affected.

But what they don't know is as they crossed that area of the land, the white powder that fell on the soil soaked within the black liquid started acting weirdly. A very faint transparent smoke started appearing from it and there are very small white crystal fragments that looked like coarse soil grains everywhere.

The soldiers and the armies moved forward and Sam also started ordering various attacks from different channels and every time the attacks are normal.

Sometimes they are just pure liquid energy cells exploding. Sometimes they are special poisonous grenades. Sometimes they are cursed liquids and sometimes they are undead creatures.

But all of them are definitely causing some loss and frustration among the soldiers. Even though not a lot of soldiers died in the whole process, a lot of them had their energy sapped from this, even though the grand elders helped them defend most of the time.

This only stopped after they reached the range of sphere cannons. And upon reaching them, they have the cannons to deal with and then soon the energy sphere from the domes started acting up.

It shot energy beams as hundreds of puppets flew over and shot bullets at various soldiers and even grand elders sometimes.

The grand elders wanted to deal with the sphere directly. They wanted to enter the city directly. But Gail and the Sonic cat are standing on top of the wall. It is almost like they are challenging them and daring them to give it a try.

The grand elders are of course a bit insulted, but they didn't dare directly engage with them. Anyway, they only need to follow orders. So, they started attacking the walls of the city and some infrastructure.

They didn't try to stretch themselves too much and attack the spheres or domes of the city as they know for sure it will damage some normal soldiers and the rules can go to hell after that.

Gail and the Sonic cat are thus under the guard duty as they defended against the attacks of the grand elders from various sides.