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Chapter 1421 Using The Lifestream Energy Bomb

"Pei...what is this horrendous mess?" Jin asked as he reached the location that had been pinged by her and the System. The moment he reached the derelict building's entrance, he found Pei sitting there in her fox form licking her bloodied fur. Yet that was not her blood that stained her fur and rather, it's from the Demon Rats with parts of their bodies had been scattered around the scene.

A massacre.

Pei was so bored that she even turned into her fox form which was supposed to restrict her powers significantly to kill the said Demon Rats. And those Demon Rats that were lying on the ground were identified by the System to be stronger than the usual ones.

Their power levels were comparable to Demon Rat Warriors that had been spawned from Cinderclaw's belly according to the System and they were taken down easily even with Pei in a restricted form.

But what Jin was surprised about was that the entire area aside from the entrance and possibly the interior of the building was still clean of Demon Rats. It was then he noticed a glimpse of the Dark Elves and realised that they were also at the scene protecting the derelict building's entrance and its perimeter, preventing other Demon Rats to reinforce the area.

So with the Dark Elves handling the guarding part, Jin followed Pei who continued in her fox form into the derelict building and subsequently its basement. More bodies appeared in Jin's view and for some reason, they appeared to be dead for a long time. He had never seen such a scene before since those Demon Rats were supposed to turn into resources when they died.

And here he had sighted a decomposed dead Demon Rat which Pei reinforced that it was already there when she walked in. Even the newly killed Demon Rats had their bodies intact and had shown the insects in the area their next nesting area.

"The stench is horrendous. Is that why you rather fight them right near the entrance?" Jin asked as he covered his nose and mouth with Maqi with Green Panda Energy in hopes that it could filter the smell away.

"Yeah, I chose the fox form because I did not want to stumble and destroy any of these corpses unnecessarily," Pei said and Jin understood where she was coming from. She could have slashed everything away and created a path but she decided to preserve them so that people with relevant knowledge could investigate them.

Jin thanked Pei for her considerate behaviour and they eventually reached the third basement where the Lifestream Energy Bomb was lying dormant in the middle of the room with tubes connecting all over it. Consoles and huge computer like servers decorated the sides of the room's interior and they were still feeding lifestream energy into the bomb.

"Transquick," Jin called out through the System Channel and the Demon Rat's Head Scientist responded almost immediately to his new master. "I found the bomb and that's a heck lot of stuff here which we do not understand. Come now while I contact Ayse to take a look at it."

"You are asking everyone to come but not me?" Kraft suddenly spoke out from the shadowy depths of the room. "And shouldn't you ask me the director of these sciency rats first before making contact with them?"

"Nope, because I know that you would wish to play with this bomb and that's dangerous territory," Jin said as he knew that Kraft would be around since his Night Foxes were holding the fort around the derelict building. It was just a matter of when he would appear and from the look of the situation, Jin was more than relieved that he did not appear and steal the bomb away from him.

"Give me the bomb and nothing will happen to us," Kraft said with a grand smile on his face and if Pei had the chance to smear it, she would spit at it. However, right now she was more interested in Jin's reply and how he was going to solve this conundrum. Now that the Astral Panda Cultivator knows the power limits of Kraft, Pei believed that Jin might even concede to Kraft's request although knowing their pride and egos, she guessed a fight would ensue since Jin knows how dangerous this could be in his hands.

"Sure. I will give it to you." Jin replied and that made Pei and Kraft dropped their jaws simultaneously.

"You mad?!" Pei exclaimed and Jin shook his head, stating once again that Kraft could keep it.

"However, I have one condition." Jin raised his finger up at Kraft and the Devil filled with curiosity asked what it was.

"Give me a time period of at least 6 months before I give it to you and I need Transquick and his gang's expertise." Jin requested and it caused Kraft to raise an eyebrow. "I promised I would not use it to explode stuff. I will give you that opportunity to do so."

"Then why do you want it?" Kraft questioned and Jin iterated his reason. To have a land capable of generating resources for himself.

"So, in order to do that, I need to return this lifestream energy to where it came from. That way, the lands will flourish once more and in that six months of our Earth Time, this would be a place where I can get what I want."

"We still have that Dungeon World's money tower that we can raid." Kraft implied using that lifestream energy bomb for that purpose.

"But consider this. If we can rebuild this land for ourselves, we not only allow the world tree spirit to regain her strength but also create more of these bombs. We just need to do it in a sustainable way." Jin replied but Kraft was already hooked on the word 'more'.

"Fine, fine. Let's do this your way. In any case, as long as I can obtain the lifestream energy bomb for myself, I would not mind." Kraft decided to compromise and Pei was impressed by Jin's 'business' talk for the first time.

"Well, what are you waiting for? TRANSQUICK, get your ass here right now." Kraft shouted through the System Channel, hoping to get this done as soon as possible so he could have his dearest nation level destruction on his fingertips.

Chapter 1422 'Defusing' The Lifestream Energy Bomb

"Hmm, other than a few adjustments which I assumed were the Mage General's greedy requests, I do not think that there are any differences to the specifications of the blueprint he stole. I am just surprised that there is sufficient equipment for the Mage General to build all of these in secret." Transquick said as he examined the bomb.

"Are you able to return this lifestream energy back to the planet?" Jin asked and Transquick was reluctant to answer.

"I could but the process of giving is harder than the taking. You see, usually, the planet takes in the lifestream energy through the process of death and rebirth. Still, as you can see, we had already intervened in the cycle and prevented this lifestream energy from returning to the planet."

"And Then? Just release it now and let the lifestream energy seep back into the world. Problem solved." Kraft was rather impatient as he thought there could be something more deep and mysterious to this whole lifestream energy affair.

"If I could, I would already have done it. Master Kraft, The problem is the lifestream energy we extracted does not seep back into the planet. It continues to linger around the surface...well I erm mean from the core of the planet and releasing it now would only allow animals, beings to be exposed to it."

"Not to mention, it's susceptible to being absorbed by others. That was how the Demon Rat Generals got their powers and conquered the city."

"Makes you wonder why the other Demon Rats did not even try using that lifestream energy for themselves." Pei commented and Transquick said that most of the Demon Rats had been indoctrinated to not fiddle with such powers. The lifestream energy was seen as a fuel or even a consumable for a temporary boost in strength, especially for our Demon Rat Brutes. So that was how they controlled the Demon Rats for not being able to absorb the lifestream energy."

"So you are saying that if this is now not a bomb and being used on a Demon Rat, it could potentially make the said Demon Rat to be like a Demon Rat God?" Kraft's eyes seemed to be glowing and the others could feel the thoughts coming out loud from his head.

"Hah. Even I am not that stupid to try such a ridiculous stunt. If a Demon Rat absorbs this much lifestream energy, their chance to explode into oblivion would be a thousand percent. No way in hell any Rat could survive the absorption of such lifestream energy." Transquick quickly refuted Kraft's hypothesis.

"But it is a different thing if the Demon Rat who absorbed the energy can come back to life." Kraft hinted about Transquick now being the Devil Fox's property (and ultimately under Jin's System.)

"Hmmm..." That single comment alone made Transquick thought of the possibilities but at that moment, Jin stepped in to break his new chain of thoughts.

"As I said, this is going to the planet. No, what ifs, no buts, no new variant of Demon Rat or Demon Rat God is coming out from this current conversation. Transquick, are you able to do so or not."

"But if you think about it, won't exploding into oblivion be the equivalent of dying?" Pei said and the rest gave the look as if it was the most obvious thing that would happen...until it occurred to Transquick.

"Wait. So what you mean is that we purposely seep the lifestream energy out to a being or creature and once it explodes to death, it returns the lifestream energy to its cycle?" Transquick quickly routed his thoughts and Pei nodded.

"Very inefficient way of transferring lifestream energy and possible loss of energy might occur but not entirely the worst possible solution." Transquick pondered.

"Lol, if that's the case, why can't you just grow chickens, give them the lifestream energy and cut them down." Jin spits out something random and Transquick felt a wave of inspiration coming into his mind.

"That's actually not a bad idea at all. Grow the poultry and sell them to the other kingdoms and the lifestream energy would eventually return to the ground while not risking the probable explosion that may occur if I release the energy all in one go." Transquick said and noted that that's one way for the planet to regrow.

"But it will take months or whatever right? Isn't there a faster way? I thought you guys said that the planet is dying.." Kraft was anxious that he would not have any lifestream energy bombs to play with. freewebnovel.com

"Honestly, it should be fine. It is dying because we have been extracting a heck load of lifestream energy from it. But hypothetically the Demon Rats do not pull out any more energy from it, the planet would be able to slowly regenerate again, alongside our recovery plan." Transquick explained with a smile.

"Besides, killing the Demon Rats and later recovering all the other lifestream energy packs would also help with the recovery of the planet." He added saying that those packs when destroyed, could potentially return to Yggdrasil if they perform the same procedure as the lifestream energy bomb.

"Then I guess we better clean up the rest of the Demon Rats that are still lying around the undercity and earn more money at the sideline to recover." Jin said as it hinted at the System to push the process of getting more Pandarens to get into the fight so they could be done with the entire Demon Rat War.

Kraft immediately yawned at such a prospect but allowed his Night Foxes to still be under Jin's command as he returned to his abode, allowing Jin to use his Night Foxes as he deemed fit.

Pei did not mind staying for a while longer in the Farming World, assisting the Dungeon Supplier with some mindless slaughter. Though she did it mainly because she still felt that she was cheating Jin too much for the hot spring package. After all, the cleanup of Demon Rats running around would be a hassle and she could complain that it was worth that compensation.

As for Transquick, he summoned other Demon Rat assistants to be at his side as they quickly transport the lifestream energy bomb through the System portal and work on a way to safely seep the lifestream energy.

As commanded by Jin, the System began to send out 'bait' to get the remaining Pandarens who had yet to participate in the current 'raid instance' to be in it. Now that they had officially cleared the threat, all Jin's Army left was the cleanup.

However, it would be stupid to name it in such a way to entice the Pandarens. Instead, the System named the remaining Demon Rat Warriors as the remnants of the Demon Rat General which Jin had defeated on the live stream.

But because Jin's Army was controlling the situation at the Demon Rat High Command, it would be hard for the cultivators who did not have that many waypoints created collectively to be able to participate.

Thus the System purposely got Jin's minions to tag them so that it could forcefully teleport the Demon Rat General's Remnants to other parts of the city for the Pandarens to search. The System had advertised it as the final ditch attempt for the Demon Rat General to respawn again.

In addition, the System had purposely teleported them to places where the congregation of the cultivators were the lowest. This way, the cultivators all had a shot at defeating the General's remnants and gave them the experience of being part of killing the Demon Rat General event since the System had already put it in such a way that Jin killing the Cinderclaw was a scripted event when the cultivators were not able to kill it in time.freewebnovel.com

More discount packs had also been introduced as a way to entice the Pandarens to join the raid instance causing the commentators who had been reviewing the lifestream to change their assumption of it being a permanent raid instance to a limited raid instance that needed to be cleared by the end of the week.

This change in view of the raid instance prompted many more Pandarens to come in within the next few days and push for a completion of the "Death of Demon Rat General -part 2" WARE event before the end of the Pandaverse Festival.

But the general public had no idea that the Pandarens who went in to find the Demon Rat Warriors were not low level Pandarens nor was it the experienced Pandarens. Instead, most if not all of the Royal Zodiac Clans had secretly sent their teams without disclosing their identities to hunt for the Demon Rat Warrior.

It was no doubt a blessing in disguise as the Demon Rat Warrior who had immunity against death due to the relics that Cinderclaw had used previously as well as the strength of their 'parent' being inherited had made them to be a force to be reckoned with.

Jin and his stronger minions could no doubt defeat the Demon Rat Warriors easily but it was not a common feat for the General Public especially after a large group of Pandarens who thought they could overwhelm with their level of strength, had been decimated in less than a few minutes.

This gave the challenge that the Royal Zodiac Members wanted and desperately needed considering how inferior the dungeon suppliers were compared to Jin's, but they were afraid that they might lose their reputation if they lost so they decided to go incognito to challenge those Demon Rat Warriors.

And they were lucky that they did that.

Most of the Royal Zodiac teams were not able to defeat one Demon Rat Warrior with their regular skills and some deduced that using their Royal Zodiac Skills would not provide them with the victory they sought as well. The only possible solution was to keep trying as they gain the experience needed to win the match.

At the same time, the System also continued to monitor these fights, ensuring it received the data it needed to analyse not just for prosperity but also feeding fight data for Jin's minions in case they had to someday defend themselves against the Royal Zodiac Clans.

But for now, it is focusing on getting money and ensuring that the Pandarens were being routed correctly to places where the Demon Rats fight. Moloch, who was coordinating all the monster minions, was also hard at work, making sure that the Pandarens had enough support if push came to shove, ensuring that the Demon Rat Warriors did not escape their 'net' and wandered out of the undercity.

And yet even with the monsters' support, Demon Rat Warriors somehow felt the need to get out of the Undercity as if their innate directive was telling them to retreat for now and regroup with a sufficient attacking force. Its will to survive was strong enough that four of such Demon Rat warriors met up just so that they could rush against the Pandaren's Pillar Camp base and climb the pillar upwards.

The System was able to teleport them and separate them again as long as Jin's minions were able to physically tag them once more but it did not do so, looking to see what kind of actions it would take. Snake General Hou Fei on the other hand did not take any chances and immediately ordered his troops to intercept the Demon Rat Warriors and fought with them.

He did not bother giving the proper physical fights which most Pandarens did and instead utilised traps and even his ships' long range bombardment to wipe the Demon Rat Warriors out. It was bringing in a bunker buster bomb to kill an ant. But since he already paid for those armaments, Hou Fei figured he should just use them.

Otherwise, the fights against the Demon Rat Army were generally deemed as a steady cleanup especially when Jin's minions were already massacring the Demon Rat Armies in their East and West undersea tunnels and prepared some troops to the Undercity to assist with the cleanup.

As for Jin, he finally rewarded himself with some proper sleep since he know that when the Pandaverse Festival was done, he had other things to do with the new plot of land he had just received from 'liberating' the Northern Region.

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Chapter 1424 1000 Demon Rats Left

"1000 Demon Rats left!" The counter indicated in Jin's store instance as well as within the Pandamonium App as midnight approached for the last day of Pandaverse Festival. The Demon Rat Armies within the Eastern and Western Tunnels had been thoroughly annihilated, allowing the Western Kingdom's Knights to go on a field trip into the undercity.

They were amazed and at the same time horrified by the scale of the city created by their dead enemies. There was no way the Western Kingdom would be able to defeat this particular enemy without the aid of Weslie and her new allies.

And it was to a point where the captains of the Knights were thinking that it would be best to earn some brownie points with these new allies by charging in to search for the remaining Demon Rats as Weslie had briefly said that these allies would be the ones creating a new nation that would inhabit the Northern Region.

In the meantime, the Eastern Coalition of knights and mercenaries were itching to loot the place but Gold knew them too well to allow them to proceed any further. He made them stop short before reaching the Undercity and gave a command that each one of the soldiers would be searched before returning to the surface.

This was also to ensure that no possible Demon Rats' eggs or their relics could ever surface again. Some thought that they could get away with it but they had forgotten that Gold was a scholar and he possessed certain abilities that could emanate a god. But everyone within Jin's Army knew that Gold was merely using the System as a method to analyse them in order to make sure that they did not steal anything.

A few of the soldiers were honest about looting and Gold allowed some trinkets to be taken back but those who thought they were confident to evade Gold's 'stare' were stripped of their rewards and given a basic stipend for their services rendered. They were also blacklisted by the System to not be able to come work in the Northern Region when things were set up in the future.

While the Western Knights were more ...honourable, Weslie had decided to do the same when they were returning to their country via the tunnels or sea. Other than that, Jin's Army was all retiring from the 'raid instance' now that the System had done another deep scan and ensured that there were only a thousand rats left.

In turn, it was the Pandarens who would be doing the hunting as the System had set up yet another event to entice the Pandarens to play along. Since there were only a thousand Demon Rats left, the System had to increase the points with a multiplier bonus, allowing those who find and kill these rats to have an added bonus to their points.

The bonus increased further when it was left with five hundred Demon Rats and this prompted both Pandarens and Pandawans to search for the remaining enemies. Even the Royal Zodiac Teams who were incognito had decided to play along as well, especially the Royal Zodiac Rat Clan where their speciality was in forward scouting.

They might not be the best combatants when dealing with the Demon Rat Warriors but the Royal Zodiac Rat team was no doubt the strongest when it came to searching. They utilised their five senses fully to find their target and ensure that their target would also be tagged so that the rest could follow up if the targets managed to escape. **freewe**bnovel.com

It was an eye opener for the System to learn more about their new abilities though it did compute that the current generation of Royal Zodiacs was only 10-20% strong compared to the ones who nearly annihilated the System.

While the System was not hasty to form a summative argument, learning from its past mistakes to not underestimate the Royal Zodiacs, it begin to be increasingly clear that the selection of members into the Royal Zodiac Clan had been relaxed and possibly diluted to ensure that the modern needs of the society marred with administrative issues were fulfilled.

"User might have a chance to be at the top of the food chain, assuming he could climb the country's latest politics." The System thought to itself as it had already revised its mission to be foolish and kill the Royal Zodiac Clans unnecessarily.

Now with the cleanup of Demon Rats, the System was calculating how much it had to spend for the actual cleanup of the area. The city was torched not just by the explosions from Jin's side but by the Demon Rats as well. And considering that the city was attacked, the Demon Rats Generals had decreed all of the Demon Rats had to fight regardless of age and gender. (Even though most of the labouring Demon Rats were males, the females that were left had been forced to contribute to the fight by being assistants to Birth Mothers or acting as their guards.)

This caused the System and Jin's army to have no choice but raze quite a fair bit of the city to ensure that they were properly hunted down and killed. It was a massacre to ensure that no remaining Demon Rats were to survive. It was easier for the cultivators since they assumed that it was just a game but they never know that the Night Foxes were doing the hardest part of the cleanup.

Assassinating the children of the Demon Rats so that the Pandarens could maintain their sanity of not killing the young. After all, they all assumed it was a well defined simulation and encountering a child to kill would no doubt bring up some questions which might force Jin to possible and yet unnecessary investigations.

Thus, the Night Foxes were ordered by the System to do such a dirty and essential job. Even so, not all the Night Foxes were as merciless as their counterparts especially when the Demon Rats were merely a baby and were sent to Birthmother Lisa Von Crustfingers for care.

And even though Jin was currently asleep, he was the one who gave the order to the System to do so and even personally gave the order to massacre the entire Demon Rat race to ensure that this vile plague would not emerge in this Farming World ever again.

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Chapter 1425 End Of PandaVerse Festival

"That's the last one! Let's hope that the Pandarens would be able to stop it from escaping!" Panda Cub One said as the live stream was seeing numerous cultivators trying to kill the very last Demon Rat. Everyone was already preparing for the final countdown, wondering what Jin would reveal when the Raid Instance was finally completed.

This was the first time Jin had made an explicit demand to kill all of the monsters within the raid instance to consider it as a complete clear. In previous raid instances, as long as the main battle had

been done, the raid would be considered to be completed. What the cultivators and other Pandarens did not know was that behind the scenes, the cleaning up was done by Jin's minions.

For example the Goblin World Raid Instance, goblins were paired with mercenaries hired by the System to ensure that the orcs were routed properly. But there were cases such as the Giant World Raid where they would leave almost immediately since staying would not bring any additional benefits.

The last Demon Rat was a Demon Rat Warrior who had valiantly stood his ground to fight any Pandarens that came his way. However, the Pandarens were literally a bunch of assholes from the spectators' point of view. There was no honour in the fight since all of them rushed to kill it in hopes of getting the 1000 bonus points that had been tagged to the warrior's life.

No matter, the Demon Rat Warrior was proving to be quite an opponent as it had not only killed several cultivators, it managed to survive the longest. That meant that the warrior itself had been gaining experience while learning how to defeat the Pandarens. If left unchecked, the Demon Rat Warrior would not just be an offspring of Cinderclaw, it would even exceed Cinderclaw's maximum potential and be a serious threat to Jin.

However, the Demon Rat Warrior did not have the fortune to live such a long life as every cultivator it culled, one more will emerge in an attempt to kill it. It was only a matter of time before it will fall to its knees and was beheaded by the greedy cultivators. No doubt it was an ugly sight to behold and no one would honour him upon his death but the spectators, they were just happy that it was finally done.

"With this!" Jin's voice suddenly emerges through everyone's half mask and those who had their Pandamonium App active would see Jin's face through a video call. "Marks the end of PandaVerse Festival!"

Fireworks were shot in the various Store Island instances to celebrate the end of the PandaVerse festival and everyone was invited once more to have the after raid party which would be scheduled in an hour's time even though it was placed on a Sunday afternoon. (Perhaps, Jin was trying to be overly considerate and allow those who had work the next day to at least drink a little.)

All food and drinks had been priced with a fifty percent discount excluding takeaways to celebrate the end of PandaVerse Festival and a range of new merchandise had also been introduced. But the moment the cultivators realised it was limited, the rush to buy them was worse than the rush to kill the final Demon Rat Warrior.

Jin already knew the greed in people and had already cut down the amount people could purchase by limiting each customer to at most two pieces per limited sale item. No doubt, he could have created more the sale of finite supply also bring hype and the prices could be inflated so that he could recoup some losses he incurred during the raid instance as well.

Sub System User Claire was significantly elated by this sudden surge in revenue and she recommended Jin to continue to act this way if the selling patterns hold. Other than that, Jin had secretly held a flash sale to not just to his Dungeon Supplier store but to his entire Tree Mall that was selling goods and perishables.

"As long as you show your raid ticket, you would be entitled to a discount. For those who had the highest tier, certain places would offer you a complimentary item upon your purchase." Jin announced

and everyone nearly went mad. Some had forgotten or not known that the Dungeon Supplier was the landlord of the Tree Mall and he had directly intervened to ensure that not just his Dungeon Supplier store was earning money but his Tree Mall in general as well.

But they did not realise that this collaboration would inadvertently increase his profit as well since a majority of those retail stores had used the Dungeon Supplier store as their main supplier of goods as well. They had no idea how Jin was able to procure perishables but the fact that it existed and it was at a good price while of a higher quality than most, made the vendors have complete trust in him considering he was the landlord.

Most lawyers and veteran store owners would have advised otherwise seeing how it felt like a deal too good to be true but the fact was, it was indeed a good deal and most of the vendors were influenced to word of mouth. Thus, Jin was getting a boost in his profits in that one day alone.

It was so good that he had gotten permission from Claire to give those non retail companies a 5% discount on their rentals just for the next three months. Jin would personally give rental rebates as long as they had paid their rentals in time and Claire felt that this was a good move to promote some 'loyalty' among the tenants in the long run but she was ultimately pleased.

They not only recovered the exorbitant amount they spent rushing for PandaVerse festival but gained three times the profit they had estimated.

It was a good day for Dungeons and Pandas.

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Chapter 1426 Rewards Of PandaVerse Festival

With the end of the PandaVerse Festival, Jin was finally around to congratulate the top 50 people with the highest number of raid points. However, it was also a sensitive topic as there were Royal Zodiac clan members within the ranking board. Snake General Hou Fei and a few Royal Zodiacs were on the list as well, especially when they were given some form of raid point compensation when they buy such expensive items for public use.

Thus, Jin decided to congratulate those people individually and told them the reason behind it before adjusting the ranking list so that the Royal Zodiacs were not included in the scoring board. Some of the Royal Zodiacs who were anonymous and were within the top 50 rankings were glad that Jin was considerate to consult them as they requested him to remove them from the rankings.

But that did not mean that they did not receive the reward, it is just that Jin had to not only readjust the scoreboard but also spend in addition due to the new people filling up the scoreboard.

This was because he had decided to give a monetary prize as per the scoring board rankings. It was a shock to everyone since this was not announced and never had they heard how a Dungeon Supplier store awards cash for their efforts. Though to some people, it was contradictory, since cultivators spent

money in order to get those raid points. But having a fair sum of compensation was no doubt appreciated.

However, the cash prize of 50000 Yuan was given out only to the top ranker (which was quite obvious and expected who he was, seeing how our dear hippo cultivator led the fights) while the rest was given non dungeon supplier related items such as the latest phone from HuaWee, top of the line household appliances and even a decent sum of shopping vouchers to the Tree Mall. (One would be surprised how everyone was overly excited to get the latest refrigator, wok set, water filter dispenser.)

And if that was not indicative of Jin's 'generosity', he even had an 'End of the Festival' lucky draw and the users were able to try their luck depending on the number of tickets they had purchased. No doubt, higher tier tickets would be rewarded with more tries and everyone had a shot to win something back home.

Even those people who were unlucky were still given a consolation prize that was worth 5 Yuan of shopping vouchers to the Tree Mall and could also be used in the Dungeon Supplier store. It might not be much per se, but due to the number of tickets an average cultivator might hold as well as the crowd who had joined the raid instance, the amount each person gets could easily go up to 100 Yuan.

And that was assuming someone had the worst luck to get the lowest tier of the lucky draw pool so most people were able to get nearly twice or thrice the shopping vouchers. (Or even more chances to get household appliances as well as electronics such as the latest UPad and UPhones which everyone was raving about.)

Not to mention, this is the best way to boost the Tree Mall's economy even though it hardly needed any assistance given that this particular PandaVerse Festival had allowed more people to try out the foodstuff and stores that were less visited. This is especially more effective when Jin purposely printed the vouchers in such a way that upon using the said voucher, it promotes a certain store that gives more discounts or it can be used as a standard Tree Mall shopping voucher which held a lower value.

Yet Jin was still doing this so that if he ever acquired another 'Tree Mall' in either another district or better, in another province, all of these will provide the necessary exposure especially when his dear advertising director, Kiyu behind the scenes promoting through MeChat and other social media platforms.

"Make other people 'FOMO' (Fear of Missing Out) and they would be dying to try. As long it's not just a novelty thing and we can prove that we are worth the hype, the crowd would be here to stay." Kiyu said this once in a meeting on how to improve the PandaVerse Festival and everyone was shocked at how 'current' she was with the modern trend. Naturally, Jin gave the go ahead and their media platforms were rapidly gaining followers.

Not to mention, all the live streaming which Kiyu had employed alongside Bear Cub One being the official partner for Dungeons and Pandas had allowed Jin and perhaps China to be the very first country to introduce Dungeon Instance Live Streaming.

However, the prizes were not the main event neither was the partying that went on through the afternoon till the dead of night.

Jin had chosen the following day to announce the real prize for the raid instance while marking the true end of the PandaVerse Festival. A video had been uploaded courtesy of Kiyu's magical hands in film technology on Monday showing the statistics of the PandaVerse Festival. How many Demon Rats had been killed in total, the number of deaths the cultivators had suffered, what kind of potions and items were bought the most from the store as well as a compilation of ridiculous and ludicrous plays that had been captured by the System.

Comments were flooding throughout the entire video but it was insane when Jin gave the introduction of Farming World Instance as a result of the completion of the raid instance. Once the video was done, an "Ask Me Anything" Session was conducted through the Pandamonium App to ascertain people's views. While he needed the land for his purpose, he had allocated a sizeable portion of both Northern and Southern Region land for the cultivator's use.

But instead of allowing people to own the land per se, Jin had purposely ensured that it would be a collective effort to til the land. This is mainly due to the reason that he wanted to use the cultivators as a means of additional manpower and labour. With the exception of a few, most of his paying customers were salary workers and they would not have the time to ensure that their lands were well managed.

This would be a different story if a group of cultivators collectively managed the land as a whole. Tasks would be given out by the System so that they could earn Farm Points which could be exchanged for Panda Coins and those tasks will make sure that the farm would be maintained with little to no resources from the System.

It was a brand new concept that Jin was willing to partake in and at the same time, a social experiment to see if the cultivators could cooperate as they always had for Dungeons and Raids. Once announced, a lot of people would be excited about new content although some were disappointed that they were not able to own any 'digital' land for themselves.

Jin did iterate that if these two sections of farms were well managed, he might consider land ownership to several 'hardcore' farmers or small permanent groups could be allowed to own such land depending on their performance and accumulation of Farm Points. In addition to Farm Points, they were also entitled to earn a small stipend depending on their contribution since those Farm Goods could be sold off.

And that sentence alone brought lots of excited whispers and questions to their faces. What happens if someone accidentally or intentionally sabotages the crops? How long can do they need to work to receive such a stipend or if bullying occurs etc?

Jin reinforced such issues had to be ironed out when the time comes but there would certainly be ground rules to make sure that no one is taken advantage of. He even promised that if cultivators were harassed outside the dungeon supplier store, those affected could contact Jin and his team through the Pandamonium App and police would cooperate with them to deal with such problems.

Seeing how Jin was able to get the police to guard the PandaVerse Festival instead of private security shows that he did have some sway or relationship. Not to mention, the appearance of the Royal Zodiac Clan Heads had made people wonder what kind of clout Jin holds.

But all these assurances gave the Pandarens and prospective customers something to look forward to.

Chapter 1427 System Restart - Part 1

After Jin had announced the new Farming Instance, he turned off the consoles in the Dungeon Maker and requested the System to turn the lights off.

"What is the matter, User?" the System asked as this was one of the rare times that Jin had decided to shut everything down.

"I am just tired. Probably because of the extra stuff that we had been creating and introducing. While yes, we are creating lots of profit for the series of stores that had propped up in just a few months, sometimes I think that we are going way too fast and too furious. I feel that we might crash and burn...or there was another entity that's pushing me to Overwork Hell. Hehehe, perhaps, that entity is you." Jin said as he laid back on his chair and started to have his mind wander.

"That's awfully bleak for a person who seems to be controlling the nation's dungeon supplier market by force." Kraft entered as he conjured a chair up and sit beside him.

"Why are you here?" Jin asked as he continued to keep his eyes shut even though he know his 'favourite' fox is always on his tail.

"Just looking for a crack in your defences and take whole of the entire dungeon supplier business to be mine."

"Hahah, do you really want it?" Jin turned around and faced the crafty devil. "Like, for real. Not just play around a little and then fuck off when you are bored."

"System is detecting and predicting that User wishes to run away from all the responsibilities."

"You could put it that way, I think I expanded way too fast for my own liking, though I won't deny that I did not like it. Having control of not just one city but multiple cities under your name plus allying with various races felt like a huge plus."

"What you actually mean is that you are enslaving them." Kraft chuckled while Jin rolled his eyes at his interjection.

"Besides, even by name we are in a relationship, I barely had the time to spend with Lynn which made me worried about how she always felt especially when behind the scenes, that awesome girl is working terribly hard for me. Sometimes, a thank you is not enough for the effort she put in and I...sigh." Jin said as he placed his hand on his temple as a visual sign of being tired.

"You know, you could really just throw it all away to me." Kraft from his usual non caring ways sat up straight and gave that comment in a serious tone.

"Yeah right..." Jin said but Kraft continued to keep guiet and stared at him.

"To aid Original Bellator Kraft's viewpoint, he does his work rather seriously. In addendum, he had earnt the trust of the other 'foxes' into his service meant that he had previously demonstrated significant diligence to get them to his side." The System said and Jin raised his eyebrows.

"The System aiding that Devil himself?"

"While the System derives pleasure in giving User an extreme amount of work with little rewards, the System believed that the User required a break from all of these."

"Then what about the developments of the Virtual System, the cleaning out of the Farming World to create the Farming Instance? As much I am ranting right now, there is no way I can let go of everything."

"System did not mean the User should let go of everything. Instead, take a long vacation in another world and return later. User should already be aware of how other worlds are moving at a different speed than the others. Your ageing would not be an issue now that you had cultivated to such a high grade, even higher than your grandfather."

"What that longwinded System is saying is that go visit other worlds, take a break from this while I can handle it," Kraft said but the System immediately rejects such a proposal for allowing Kraft to be leader.

"While the System did vouch for Original Bellator Kraft's ability, the System did not recommend Kraft to take over your position. Instead, you use your astral self and break yourself into two people. As the System had stated, you had cultivated enough to perform such a lost technique."

"I never read up about this technique before in the manual," Jin said as he took his phone out to check the contents of the manual once again. "Neither had I know anything about this through Ming."

"This is because this is a technique which the System kept as a secret and had been awaiting this moment to come."

"What? You want me to be fatigued as hell before getting me into this conversation?" Jin chuckled and laughed at the absurdity of the direction of this conversation.

"Yes. And this is non negotiable. With your powers right now, there is no way you are able to defeat the Gods and Demons in their respective planes."

"Why would I want to do that? All I care about is my current store which is just a store supplying dungeon instances." freewebnovel.com

"This is to reach the goal of being the Number One Dungeon Supplier. To be the Dungeon God." The System's voice suddenly became a huge crowd as if the voices of the old Panda Clan Elders were talking as one.

"What? Wait a minute? What?! Aren't the whole entire thing supposed to be just a business?! Why am I being dragged into some piece of shitty plot to be a god?"

"That is the only way for the System to be released from you and from your accursed fate as a Panda Clan Member."

"This is the first time I am hearing this," Kraft said as he stood up and pulled out his guns but suddenly there was a massive force of energy that threw him off balance and kept his face close to the floor. "What the fuck?! Since when has the System had such control against me?"

"Because this is not the System talking any longer." The collective voices coming from the System became even more ominous. "We are the gods that had been watching you."

Chapter 1428 System Restart -Part 2

As soon as Kraft had been restrained, Jin followed the same fate and the darkness of the room turned into a shitshow of lights flashing around.

"We have been monitoring you ever since you crossed your world's boundary. Your interference in World Number 239 -Apologies, the Goblin World in your accepted common tongue, had brought a few curious bored eyes onboard. " The fake System said. "Soon after, your interjection into the Dungeon World, the Giant World and also the Mecha World brought even more Gods to see what you can do next.

"And to say the least, your latest endeavour to save the Farming World had been a treat and we thoroughly enjoyed it." The fake System continued without allowing Jin to speak at all.

"However, we can see that you are starting to reach your limit. All those material problems and the need to reach the top are boring. Now that there are more eyes on you and you have to prove that you are worthy of our entertainment." The Gods have spoken.

"Fuck, you Gods are the next thing I will annihilate!" Kraft said and soon a silhouette of a giant foot stomped on him without mercy and gracefully too. The floor broke and trembles were felt throughout the entire Dungeon Maker instance. If Kraft could survive that crashing foot, it would have been a miracle.

"Aren't you guys already Dungeon Gods per se? If you used my fake raid instances as an example, you lot had been toying with us since the dawn of ages." Jin exclaimed and the collective voices laughed in waves that it somehow felt like the sea of laughter was trying to drown Jin.

"Yes, yes. It's true we had been toying with all of the universes on a daily basis but because of our might, we had never been able to restrain ourselves. If we had not been mistaken, you had been informed what happened to the Zombie World right? There was no chance they were able to defend against us and yet our bullying caused their entire world to go upside down."

"And here you are trying to save them from their fate. Half Ghoul Lord Derek had been attempting to revert the process of zombification which should be beyond his abilities. Only under your care and concern, they were able to do Gods' work."

"Get to your point. You are going a roundabout." Jin said as he could feel himself suffocating from the entire situation. His strength was sapping away and there was no way to know how long he could last with all the meaningless conversation.

"Businessmen always talk business! We like it!" The Fake System said and suddenly a silhouette of Jin emerged right in front of him. At that point, he does indeed feel that his energy level waning.

"We did say that there is a technique to split you and get you a vacation. That part, we did not lie. But we are only able to create a clone of you based on the data that the System had collected. Whatever strength or grade your world had been using to quantify you had been transferred to this clone except for the modifications that were done to your body." The Fake System said.

"However, that also meant that this particular clone does not possess the tenacity and determination or shallow creativity that you had. It is after all an empty clone that is meant to follow orders."

"You will be teleported out of your current world, that much is true and for how long, only we Gods could know but we are too ignorant to bother about it. As long as you fulfilled your objective, then perhaps you could return earlier."

"Why do you show such compassion? Most Gods would have teleported me away and made me suffer." Jin said as he was undoubtedly sure that his cultivation grade had been sapped away from him.

"One of the Gods just felt pity for you, thinking that you did not deserve such fate. We were merely accommodating to her request, especially after you treated her minions so well in the Farming World." The Fake System said.

"You still did not say your main objective." Jin felt there was nothing he could do but obey them for now.

"Challenge us when the time is right. Give us the reason to bestow you the power of a God and be the Dungeon Supplier that is right for us as well. But for now pitiful being, struggle and wiggle until you gather your strength once again." The Fake System said as the new Jin right in front of him snapped his finger and the original Jin fainted

It was not long before Jin woke up only to find himself on the ground with a torn and tattered green uniform. The smell of grass and surrounding was filled with gunpowder and dead corpses. He knows enough to learn that he could very be in the middle of a battlefield.

Jin tried to conjure his Maqi but it was to no avail. He could feel the powers within him was as feeble as he once was. Grade 1? Nah. It was worse than that. Even though he still had the connection between his chi and mana circuits, he know that feeling of his entire body's circuits being blocked.

"Commander! What are you thinking?!" A female voice was heard from afar and Jin tried to move his body but it felt extremely burdened by the loss of cultivation. It was then he could not believe his eyes. Why was she being dragged into this pile of mess as well?

"Lynn?" Jin asked but the lady in full combat gear gave a confused look.

"Lynn?! Who's Lynn? Have you hit your head anywhere? I'm Yinn. Give me a moment to see if you have any head concussion." Yinn said as her eyes turned dull yellow and shone brightly towards him.

It was pretty apparent that the lady right in front of Jin was nothing natural about her. Despite the bright light shining on him, Jin was able to notice that there was even a number right beside her neck.

"0326?" He spoke out of curiosity which Yinn eventually replied while continuing to assess him.

"Why are you saying out my model number?"

It was then Jin knew that he could possibly be teleported into another world just as how Amura Rei had been 'isekai-ed' to his world.

"Fuck, this is bullshit," Jin said to himself while the both of them suddenly heard another explosion near their vinicity.

Chapter 1429 System Restart -Part 3

"You think Jin would like this?" Lynn asked Qiu Yue as she carried a well covered plate up and prepared to summon the portal to the Dungeon Maker's Instance.

"Oh please, anything that you make, he would definitely love it." Qiu Yue sighed as she could not help wondering why Lynn had so low confidence when it came to making food for Jin. Ever since her debut, people were dying to try Lynn's cooking, especially after how the Royal Zodiac Heads had been boasting how amazing her food was. "Let me summon the portal for you for your one and only job is to bring that secret plate of food to him."

"It's a rather big hotplate, we can share it among each other, you do not have to be jealous lol." Lynn could already feel Qiu Yue's jealousy for Jin. Not because of her love interest but because she wants the food that was hidden under the lid.

"Weird, the portal isn't coming up." Qiu Yue said as she tried once more to summon it out but it was not working at all. "Sub System, are you able to open the portal instead? I can't seem to contact the System."

"Hmm? That's rare for the System to be uncontactable just like that. I just contacted it minutes ago that I am going into the Dungeon Maker instance." Lynn commented but to their relief, the Sub System was able to open the portal up. However, the portal's connection seemed a little ...wonky before it turned stable. It was the first time it was happening to them and the two girls felt something was amiss.

Yet, it did not bother them too much until they entered the Dungeon Maker instance and saw Jin standing nonchalantly with Kraft plummeting onto the ground once again.

"Did the both of you have another quarrel once again? I thought you two said that you guys had make up and had a truce?" Qiu Yue said until she noticed that Kraft did not seem to be moving at all.

"Wait, Jin.... How could you beat him until like-" Before Qiu Yue could finish her sentence, she heard the sound of the plate that Lynn was carrying, dropped to the floor. When she turned her head, Lynn was already dashing towards Jin with chi filled with killer intent.

The Red Panda Sub System User was dumbfounded and was too slow to react as Lynn had already brought out her sword and clashed with Jin's Bam. "Woah! Lynn! Why are you acting like this?!'

"WHERE IS JIN?!" Lynn shouted as the 'Jin' not only blocked her attack but also countered with a Panda Swipe. This caused Lynn to fall back but the Fake Jin was not giving the Penguin Cultivator any chance to recover as he opened his mouth to shoot out his signature Panda Yawning attack.

Qiu Yue was still confused as to what was happening but she managed to intervene just in time to block the Maqi Energy Beam. The beam was surprisingly intense but the skills she learnt from Zeru came in handy, allowing her to deflect most of the beam away, destroying the sides of the Dungeon Maker.

"What the fuck?! What is happening!!" Qiu Yue kept her eyes towards Jin while asking Lynn about it."

"We are surprised for a commoner to notice the difference that quickly." The collective booming of voices echoed through the Dungeon Maker instance. "We did not even have the chance to talk back and you attacked."

"It's so bloody obvious! What did you do to him?!" Lynn screamed while Qiu Yue knew that Lynn was in no condition to fight rationally.

"We had teleported him away for a vacation. You have to bear with this clone." The System said but both of the Sub System Users knew that it was an even more terrible impersonation of the System.

"What did you do to the System, Kraft and Jin?" Qiu Yue seemed to be the only rational person in the room at this moment but the situation was too volatile as it is to get any proper explanation.

"You commoners have no need to-"

"The System had been compromised." Both Sub Systems owned Qiu Yue and Lynn started to speak in unison. "The System had been compromised. The System had been compromised."

"Searching.... Searching.... User is still alive but compromised. Activating Backup System. Transferring rights of User temporarily to Sub System User Qiu Yue and Sub System User Lynn. Sub System User Claire is to be instructed to move to a safe location as the designated survivor." The Sub Systems reported out loud and the fake System chuckled.

"Heh. To see our tool able to secretly plot escape plans amused us. Very well, fellow commoners! If you have the ability to defeat this clone, then perhaps we will give you a reward." The fake System declared as it commanded the cloned Jin to pick Kraft up and threw him towards the ladies as a sign of declaration that the battle had started.

"Hey Kraft! Tell me you are alive." Qiu Yue managed to grab him before he was slammed onto the Dungeon Maker's wall while the fake System immediately turned the entire instance into one large arena on a mountain peak, atop the thunder filled clouds.

"That is no Jin. You do not have to give any mercy against it." Kraft said rather weakly, an image that did not bore with him rather well. "Call the other foxes, the fake Jin -cough is as powerful as the one you knew."

"Won't that be an easy fight? He does not have his minions at his behest now that the System passed us his rights, no?"

"I fear not. That is why I always demanded a secondary system in case such things happened. Also, you all have never seen Jin fighting his utmost yet. He had been hiding a lot, a fuck lot despite giving his 'best' all the time-cough cough." Kraft continued to cough as his vitality got even weaker.

"You better not die on us! You have lots to explain the fuck is happening!" Qiu Yue exclaimed and before she could turn to Lynn, she found him dashing towards the fake Jin once more.

"GIVE US BACK OUR JIN!

Chapter 1430 System Restart -Part 4

"Holy shit, Lynn sure is furious. How the hell does she know that Jin was fake in the first place?" Qiu Yue thought to herself as she took up position behind Lynn to give a follow up attack in case she failed her attack.

Another Panda Swipe came but Lynn learnt not to fall for the same attack twice and she managed to dodge it. However, what she did not expect was that the Panda Swipe had a combo move to it that she had never seen before.

The swipe immediately went forward almost immediately like how a ball got ricocheted away from the wall, forcing Lynn to block it with her sword when she initially wanted to use it to hit Jin with it. The swipe was able to knock her sideways, causing her to fly from the arena. Thankfully, her Penguin Cultivation was strong enough to allow her to ride the winds as if she was swimming in the ocean, enabling her to pivot back and return to the arena with qing gong. (TLDR: the penguin flew in the air!)

Yet, Lynn was a little giddy from the force itself and if she did not for herself to stay conscious, the Penguin Cultivator would probably be thrown out of the arena for good. There was no saying what the fake system had created as punishment beyond the arena but if it did, there would be sufficient reason to understand that it would not be something that was worthy to explore.

Qiu Yue on the other hand did not stop to rescue Lynn as she wished to take advantage of the fact that she was a fellow Sub System User to be able to take care of herself. With the power of money and the Empire Building Sub System at her side, she utilised the quickest sword technique the Red Panda Cultivator had learnt from the sword saint.

"Red Lotus Slash!" Using the prefix Red, which she was familiar with since it was similar to her Red Panda Cultivator Technique, it was the easiest and the stronger sword technique she learnt from Zeru. She was confident that Jin would not be able to counter it since he did not personally see Zeru fight before.

She was dead wrong.

As unfortunate as it was, this particular clone did not only gain Jin's cultivation level and his ability to use Maqi but copied all the combat experiences he had as well. That included the time he was in Suzaku's Endless Battlefield. Qiu Yue had no idea that he had been fighting Zeru for who knows how many

countless times and Red Lotus Slash was merely a technique Jin had to handle while fighting against the young Sword Saint. freewebnovel.com

The fake Jin countered with his Blue Panda Ice Energy Slash with his counterfeit Bam, parrying Qiu Yue's fiery Red Lotus slash with ease and even used his empty hand to slam her shoulders downwards.

Naturally, Qiu Yue was surprised by the counter and could feel the immense pressure his palm strike could be. It was initially painful until she felt a numbing sensation paralysing her right shoulder. Ice was encapsulating her entire shoulder with such speed that she need to escape from his attack range in order to recover. However, she was further pinned down as the ground started to tremble around her as if swallowing her.

Another Maqi technique that utilised Earth energy and there was no way for Qiu Yue to break free unless she had help.

"Kitchen Creation! Rocks and Dirt be my ingredients!" Lynn shouted from afar and the earth around Qiu Yue started to rumble even further that it engulfed her entirely. The moment she opened her eyes once more, she realised that she was on the other end of the arena where Lynn was situated.

The Penguin Cultivator simultaneously used her chi to melt the ice on Qiu Yue's shoulder, enabling her to move it again. "What the hell, I never saw Jin counter Zeru's attack before. What had we been missing?!" The Empire Building Sub System User rubbed her shoulders while she drank a recovery potion to get her chi and body back to shape.

"I never taught him to such an extent that he could counter my techniques." Zeru emerged right beside Qiu Yue and stood in front of the girls who were injured. "Even the most basic of techniques had not been revealed to him with the exception of the few big moves I used against enemies. There is no way he would have gained insight so easily into it unless the System had given him access to my techniques without my permission."

"As per past records, the System did no such thing. The Sub System guaranteed that the System had maintained its contract with Sword Saint Zeru." The Sub System replied, attempting to ease the doubts.

"Then it must be that fake System," Lynn commented which allowed the collective of voices to chuckle.

"We did no such petty travesty. Everything you saw is what the original Jin had accumulated." The fake System said

"Then it's probably his subconscious training with Ming and the Four Cardinal Beasts." Kraft coughed out some blood while trying to stand steady. "As I said, do not underestimate Jin, he is stronger than you all make him out to be."

The moment Kraft stood up, the fake Jin who had been standing to allow his opponents to monologue, to take action. It seemed as if the Astral Panda Cultivator knew who the danger was.

"Did I allow you to take another step forward without any permission?" Zeru whispered to the clone. Even for the Sword Saint could feel the pressure that the fake Jin was eluding and knew he was indeed dangerous even for him.

Yet, the imposter did not speak another word as he turned his sword's angle a little in an attempt to move past Zeru.

"You are asking for a fight that you would not be able to handle." The Sword Saint said as he too had released his chi as the clash of swords took a drastic turn.