Gacha 981

Chapter 981 - Condition

An hour prior, Alex was searching through the entire cave, not leaving a single thing other than the two he had excluded prior.

It was quite a nice grab since he had gotten more than a hundred of them. Unfortunately, he still had yet to find a Divine Rank material, so he felt a bit disappointed.

Suddenly, a familiar voice echoed through the tunnel and reverberated in their ears.

"What?! The barrier has been found?"

There was no Sound Barrier, so he could listen to the voice clearly. He appeared right at the gate before sending a thought transmission to Aria. "Stay here. My fire element will still protect you here. Just make sure you don't make a noise."

Aria halted her step and looked at him with a serious expression before nodding.

Alex then leaped upward, coming out of the special realm.

Atlas obviously sensed a presence coming to him and raised his hand. Three Rune Swords appeared near him. "Who are you?"

Waiting for two seconds and the presence kept coming closer, he decided to shoot the three swords toward the presence.

When Alex saw three blue swords, he slashed them apart with his Triple Draws before finding the energy coming from someone above him very familiar.

When he arrived, he recognized him. It was Atlas.

Obviously, the latter didn't want Alex to get close, so he sent another attack, but Alex already anticipated this attack and disappeared.

Atlas was baffled for a second before he turned around but was too late. Alex's sword was already on his neck.

"Ya, it's been a while," Alex said, trying to immediately melt the misunderstanding. "Do you remember me?"

"Who are you?!" Atlas couldn't recognize Alex, especially with how he changed his appearance and voice.

"Alexander Sirius. Due to some reasons, I use something to cover up my face and voice." Alex smiled.

"Alexander Sirius?! No way!" Atlas was shaken. It was just too ridiculous to hear that name coming to this world.

"I am. What?! Do you want me to tell you everything regarding our agreement where I saved you from a special realm so you could return?" Alex smiled.

As soon as he heard that agreement, he instantly recognized it. There wasn't a single person knowing about this other than the respective tribe's leader.

"Then, you must know our name, right? What are the names of the three leaders you met in the past?"

"Atlas, Zekhram, and Igor." Alex smiled.

Atlas then took a deep breath before letting out a sigh of relief. "To think you are really Alexander Sirius. I thought you were enemies that wanted to annihilate us. But how are you here?"

"I come here together with the Unsurpassed Blade Sect."

"Are you going to kill us?" Atlas knew that Alex didn't have a special attachment to them, considering their relationship was based on benefits, so he became worried when seeing Alex here. His cultivation seemed to be only 7-Star Martial Saint, but his power far surpassed that since he could defeat him this easily.

"Nope. I am neutral." Alex smiled. "Besides, why do you assume I am going to kill you?"

"I mean..." Atlas hesitated for a second and remembered what Zekhram told him and Igor in the past about Nelson's invitation. He thought for a moment and told him their current condition, including the agreement between them and the Unsurpassed Blade Sect.

After around fifteen minutes, he sent a message to Leka, saying that they could continue for a while. He then looked down and stroked his chin, falling into deep thought. "I see. The Unsurpassed Blade Sect wants this world, but you managed to fight back, leading the entire situation into an agreement.

"And you can leave this world after receiving them for one year according to your custom. Then, you want to leave the planet to search for another place to live."

"Yes." Atlas nodded, hiding nothing from Alex.

"The timing itself is indeed the same, so I know that you are not lying. You—" Alex suddenly stopped when he saw the notification from Lin Xingzhi.

She started telling him about the deal she asked Nelson to pass when they were there. It seemed she wanted their power to create a more solid defense in their territory. After all, their territory itself consisted of many planets, not just Eulja. There were still many planets and stars around it that were usually used to cultivate plants and other things.

After knowing her real purpose, Alex finally asked inwardly, 'So, you want me to recruit them?'

[Yes. I actually learned about this plan a few decades ago when that world wanted to expand their territory. Since I know the three races you met stayed on this planet, I decided to recruit them, but they just wished to live peacefully.]

[Hence, I gave up and only offered them this suggestion. It was simply asking them to help us while we offer our protection. That's all. Still, I never expected to see the invasion had arrived.]

'Why didn't you tell me about this?'

[I never planned to. I mean, this could be completed without your presence, so I chose this option to advance. And with how they wanted to think about it and your personality, I thought to leave you alone for the time being. If they joined, I would tell you, but I never expected to see you coming to them. That's why I have been silent during the whole trip, thinking whether I should tell you about the agreement or not.]

'I see. I am not blaming you, but I wish you can be more open to that. I mean, you are not alone anymore.'

[I am sorry.]

Lin Xingzhi realized that she had ruled over Eulja for so long that she took everything on her own hand. She could only sigh and regret, knowing that she could do better than this.

The real ruler of Eulja was Alexander Sirius, not her. She didn't wish to rule to begin with, so he gave most of the tasks to Korzan, but it should be the time where she should stop doing this alone and work together with Alex for Eulja.

'Well, we can talk about this when I am back. And don't blame yourself, I know that you were just doing your best.' Alex smiled. 'Besides, you want to recruit them? Do you think it's possible?'

[Yes. It's possible. We will give them the peace they want. In exchange, they will help us to create a better defense ring with their own specialty.]

'Do you want me to recruit them? I think my words will give a boost to this, right? They are planning to leave this world anyway.' Alex asked.

[That...is up to you.]

'I will recruit them then. This will only benefit Eulja anyway, so I don't mind.' Alex smiled and looked at Atlas. "I have an offer."

"What is it?" Atlas tilted his head in confusion before realizing he wanted to talk about the secret deal. Knowing that the one before him was Alexander Sirius, he thought he should be the one asking, not him offering the suggestion, so he kneeled on one knee and asked. "Please, can you save this planet and let us under your wing?"

Alex was startled to see him this way. He was just about to ask it himself, so he couldn't help but wonder if the situation had become this desperate.

"Are you sure about this?"

"Yes. Although I am not a representative, I can ask my brother to think about this. I am sure he will agree. As for the other two leaders, I will definitely convince them."

Alex felt a bit weird but still maintained his silence. He thought for a moment and asked. "Can I meet your leader? I would like to talk about this with him."

"Of course."

"There is one more thing. I have broken this thing, so what are we going to do?"

"Actually, this is our main tower that can activate all towers around the world, giving us a big opportunity to stop the humans from killing any of us. Unfortunately, the tower can't absorb any energy since there is nothing flowing."

"Oh. That must be the work of my Array. I will remove it right away. And I want to say that I have gathered a few things inside there other than Spirit Crystals. Should I place it back?"

"No, no. You don't need to. Actually, in the agreement, they didn't tell us anything about our technology and such. Hence, my brother wanted to destroy our buildings and runes in this world by using our towers. In other words, we give them a perfectly new world without any of our house and building.

"Of course, the main reason is to stop them from stealing our technology. As long as we have that agreement, they can only be mad at us, so it's a perfect situation.

"If you want everything inside, you can take everything other than a few Spirit Crystals to sustain the tower."

"I see. I have no plan in getting all of it, but I have taken a few gems and metals." Alex nodded.

"Yes, I don't have a problem with that. It's simply our payback." Atlas nodded.

"That's good." Alex nodded. "I am planning to meet your king, but I would like to excavate all the things first. Do you mind waiting?"

"There is one problem. If you can, please remove the barrier...Maybe, not remove it, but make a few holes, so the Spiritual Energy won't leak to the top of the mountain, giving them enough evidence to start mining this giant mine."

"Fair enough. How about you making a rune for that?"

"I am afraid I couldn't."

"Alright." Alex didn't waste any time and nodded. "I will create something to let the Spiritual Energy flow so the tower can be activated. Meanwhile, can you prepare something to lock this thing up so no one realizes it?"

"I understand. I shall go to the top and do the fixing. When you returned, I would simply put it there to camouflage the whole mountain. Besides, it's not like this place will still be here since everything will be blown up." Atlas nodded.

"In that case, I will leave it in your hand." Alex nodded and descended again. He took another look at the array and created a few small holes to let a portion of the Spiritual Energy flow to the runes, powering it up.

Alex looked to the top before making his way back to the cave. When he saw Aria's worried face, Alex only patted her shoulder and said, "You don't need to worry about anything. I will ask them to protect your brother when he is here. I don't think your brother wants to be the sect master, so I will also ask them to not give any currency to them."

"Thanks." Aria smiled before remembering what Alex said. "Eulja, huh. It seems your planet is very popular."

"Haha...I am just letting you listen to it, so you know where you need to go when leaving this world." Alex shrugged.

"Yes, yes. Whatever you say." Aria smiled before looking around. "I think we have excavated most of the materials here. Do you still not want the Spirit Crystals?"

"I am not sure. The people from this world still need it, so I won't touch it for the time being." Alex shook his head. "Of course, we can ask their leader and make a bank."

"Haha...You are very funny." Aria laughed. "Anyway, I will be searching again."

"Yes, I will too. We will end this in thirty minutes and head straight to their place."

Aria nodded, and the two started working again.

After mining everything they could, Alex and Aria made a small platform at the gate of their entrance before Alex used monster blood to create the same barrier. This time, he kept a few holes there, so the Spiritual Energy would flow, but not to the point it would give away the mine's location.

Alex and Aria then went to Atlas. They closed the gate first and flew to the Teleportation Crystal that led the trio to the castle where Alex's and Atlas's fight had just begun.

Chapter 982 - A King

Alex stood before Igor and the Undead King, Rhoas.

"May I know what the conditions are?" Rhoas asked.

"It's simple. I will give you a Divine World. Although it will take a while for you to get accustomed to it, it should have all the necessities you need. And no one will bully you. In exchange, you will strengthen our defense. I would like you to start inventing Rank 9 Runes, especially a Tower that can fend off God Rank Experts." Alex smiled, stating his first condition.

"I see. Are you going to use it to protect the territory?"

"Yes." Alex had been talking with Lin Xingzhi when he was on the way, so he knew the condition and Eulja's territory. He just needed to negotiate the terms to have a win-win situation.

"I can agree with that. The tower can also protect the surrounding planets. If you have enough resources to build many towers in the nearby planets, you can even create a huge Rune Formation that could fend off the enemies. For us, it's a kind of the protection that we need."

"That's my plan. It's like having a castle and a wall." Alex smiled before putting on the second condition. "The second condition is for all of you to follow the law of our territory."

"Law?" Rhoas thought for a moment. "I agree with that. It's your territory, so we should obey that. It's just..."

"Eulja has a different set of laws." Alex smiled.

"But the law is still the same, right?" Rhoas, Igor, and Atlas were shocked.

Alex closed his eyes and asked. "Do you know what is the true essence of law?"

"Hmm?" Rhoas tilted his head and recalled his laws. "A tool to govern our subjects with punishment."

"No." Alex shook his head and looked at his eyes. "Law is a wish."

"A wish?" This answer was unexpected. Even Rhoas, who had been leading the Undead for so long, couldn't comprehend or relate to him.

Alex took a while before explaining the whole thing. "Yes. A wish. A way to guide both a world and its people toward the ideal state that one envisions. After having people under you, what do you hope to happen to all the people living in your territory? How do you wish them to live their lives? What direction do you wish to take them?

"We don't want people to kill, so we create a law to not kill by using the tool called punishment. Of course, some experts understand this and try their best to do it. And I, Alexander Sirius, will be the one overseeing that the rule will be followed closely. This is my way to fulfill people's wishes and take care of their insecurity." Alex smiled.

Not a single one could contain their shock. Their jaws dropped to the ground, wondering what they just saw. They didn't know why but Alex was glowing in their eyes as if they just saw what the appearance of a true ruler was.

It touched upon the essence of their hearts.

Alex also felt happy when he saw this. If the king didn't even think about this and had a flat emotion, they might be a king that didn't care about their subjects. Seeing that all of them cared, they were considered good rulers too.

Rhoas seemed to have decided this and walked toward Alex before kneeling on one knee right in front of him.

This was followed by Igor and Atlas.

"I, Rhoas, will represent my race and bow down to my king. I shall spare no effort to fulfill the land that my king envisions."

"I, Igor, will ensure my brother will follow you, my king."

Lin Xingzhi kept smiling throughout the entire process. Despite knowing that he had many flaws, Alex still thought about his subjects. This was why many followed him. Considering the spirits were not like humans that were greedy for power and wealth, it could be achieved.

Loyalty was number one in Eulja, and Alex always kept his promise and moved forward. It moved everyone's heart, and the Spirit World then united and became feared by many."

Alex smiled and helped them up. "Let's move forward together."

Meanwhile, Aria just arrived a few moments ago. Although she only listened to a few things, she understood why people liked Alex. He had this unique charm that pulled people in, including her.

Yeah, Alexander's name also took part in this, but without his true nature, everything would be for naught.

"Ye-yes." The three smiled and nodded before Rhoas realized another matter. They just discussed the countermeasure for the agreement with the Unsurpassed Blade Sect and got deviated a bit. So, Rhoas stepped up and presented the problem. "My King. Actually..."

Rhoas explained the situation from his point of view. His version was more complete than Atlas's, so he could get enough information to think about something.

"What is your plan?"

"Evacuating the beastman tribe to either this continent or Dwarf's."

Alex thought for a moment and asked again. "How many people do you wish to kill?"

"We hope none, but there is aggression already, so we can't really let them away, no? According to the report, there are also many that want to help us, but we need towers to scare those who are lawless. So, I can't really say how many people will fall..."

"I see. Make sure you don't cross one-fifth...So, about twenty thousand." Alex nodded. "And I have an idea for you."

"Please tell us, my king."

"Have most of them go here and clean this continent, especially the mines and buildings. After that, teleport to the Dwarf's territory and clean that up as well. As for the one in beastman's territory, just destroy the tower and be done with it. You need to leave right away."

Rhoas understood his plan and added. "They can't attack us if we leave right away anyway, so there is no harm of them knowing this. Even if they call reinforcement or get people who are not bound by the agreement, we would have reached Your Majesty's territory."

"Yes. Since not a single person from your world could attack you, their only reinforcement would probably be from the nearby territories. But when I passed around the area, I didn't see any sign of living, so I thought you would be fine."

"I agree. The closest one here will need more than two weeks to reach us. We would have gone by that time." Rhoas nodded and praised Alex in his heart.

On the other hand, Alex knew why Lin Xingzhi wanted them. If it were another planet, she would have hesitated. After all, these people genuinely wanted to protect their people and wouldn't easily betray him, which made them perfect to be their vassal.

Besides, their Eulja was already weakened due to his long absence, so he agreed with them joining Eulja.

This would be a backup plan from his original plan, which used a few God Kings to protect their territories. After all, the original plan took too much resources and time, so he needed something like this first.

"I shall go back to my territory then." Igor bowed to Alex. "Please excuse me, my king."

"I will leave it to you." Alex nodded with a smile.

Atlas also knew his mission. He then bowed to Alex since he needed to leave too. "Please let me be the messenger to let the Dwarves know about this."

"Alright." Rhoas gave his approval too, so it should be fine.

With the two leaving this room, Aria, who had been watching them from the corner, finally walked toward them.

"She is...My Queen. I—" Rhoas misunderstood Aria because she followed Alex, so Alex stopped him from going to that hole and corrected him. "She is Aria, the one who has been helping me while I am in that world."

Aria politely clasped her hand before Leka leaped to his shoulder.

Rhoas also bowed his head like a gentleman.

At the very least, Aria didn't look that different after seeing undeads. He was afraid she would be making a fuss about it, but it seemed to be just his unnecessary worries.

"That's right. If possible, can you help me find her brother? You don't need to take him here or do something special. Just make sure you don't kill him."

"May I know his face? I can then ask my special team to search for him to ensure his safety," Rhoas asked.

Alex then fell silent, realizing that he had no picture or memory crystal. Even Aria couldn't draw his face or had his picture, so there was no way to give him what he wanted.

Suddenly, Lin Xingzhi came out and acted like her time had come.

[This is the time for me to shine. After this, you won't think that you hate your own privacy get breached!]

Alex was startled by the notification before recalling what the system did on his privacy.

[Check the Inventory!]

Alex instantly understood when he checked his Inventory. There was an image of Adrian that seemed to be freshly printed.

[I love technology.]

'I agree.' He nodded and took out the picture before handing it to Rhoas. "This is his picture."

Aria was surprised to see Alex have it, but the latter only grinned and said, "My own network."

Knowing that Njomo could follow anyone without knowing, she believed he could do something like this.

Meanwhile, Lin Xingzhi was teasing Alex about how he was angry about this privacy in the past.

[Hehe. I used the fact that I could see everything about you and store it inside. After that, I used that memory and took the picture before printing it. So, what do you think about this now?]

'Yes, yes. You win. If I didn't share any of this, we would be stuck. We can't really get any confirmation about Aria's brother. What do you want me to say?'

[I love you.]

'Love you too.' Alex scratched his head, knowing that he had lost.

When Rhoas had the picture, he shouted. "Guard!"

Another Undead came in and kneeled in front of him. He then handed the picture. "Ask Ganthu to mobilize the special team to search for this person and ensure his safety. Make sure he doesn't realize he is being protected."

"Understood." The guard nodded and left the room.

Rhoas then turned to Alex and asked. "What would my king do after this?"

"I don't know. I am planning to search for treasures. I mean, the mines should contain gems and other things too, right? I will take that since this planet will soon get occupied."

"Yes, I don't mind. It's better than giving it to them."

"Don't worry. You should remember her, right?" Alex pointed his finger at Leka.

Rhoas finally noticed and remembered.

Before he said anything, Alex continued. "I am planning to take her to bring me to the deep mines. According to Atlas, you can't really extract anything there, no? That's why I am planning to have her as my guide to get all the treasures from those buried treasures. I won't touch anything that you can touch."

Rhoas's expression turned serious, and he nodded. "It's not like we can do anything about it, so yeah, it's better to be in your hand rather than them. Besides, my King will give us a planet that has many resources, so it's already our win. Even if my king wants everything on this planet, we will offer it to you."

"It's fine. I don't need it. You can use that resource to make a new settlement in that world." Alex smiled.

"Lunderstand."

"After that, I will probably enjoy the beach to sweep away my stress." Alex shrugged. "Of course, I will dedicate today to discuss your new planet with you."

"If you want to go there, I do have a few recommendations." Rhoas then turned to Aria. "Before that, I believe we should have a room for the young lady first."

"What do you think?" Alex asked.

"Sure. I will be a cultivation maniac in a cave later." She nodded.

"Yeah, yeah." Alex shrugged.

Chapter 983 - Observation

The next day, Alex and Aria started searching for treasures in Rhoa's territory. However, they stopped at the main tower that day, watching how Rhoas activated the tower.

It piqued his interest and was certainly useful to know how it worked. When they arrived at the main tower, Alex and Aria looked at Rhoas, who was getting ready.

"Actually, we can easily activate the Tower from our castle. There is a rune that transmits the signal from the throne room to this tower. We use this giant tower as our main tower, and the height makes it possible to transmit the signal from this tower to all the towers around the world."

"I see. What will happen when we activate all those towers?" Alex asked.

"We can control it in the ziggurat. If you notice, there are memory crystals all around the tower, giving us live footage of what happened near it. After we see our target, we will shoot him off by channeling our own energy as the activation. And if we connect two towers in the area, we can form a barrier that stretches so far."

"It is possible to create a barrier for a whole world, right?" Alex found that the idea was similar to the barrier in his mind, but he asked again to confirm his guess.

"It's part of it. Actually, we have used it to protect our spaceship. Unfortunately, due to the fact that we don't have enough power to create a Rank 9 Rune, we still have no qualification to fight against God Rank Expert out there. Of course, as long as we have enough resources, we will immediately carry the research." Rhoas's expression turned serious, indirectly saying that he wouldn't be a useless subordinate.

"That's good." Alex thought for a moment. "Well, I have a certain thing in mind. We actually have a Teleportation Formation that can transfer us to nearby planets, but I know that you have a Teleportation Stone. I am wondering whether I should use it or replace it with yours."

"As much as I want to brag about our Teleportation Rune that can teleport you farther than a Teleportation Array, I am not very sure about this. I need to do some research and trials to see the result."

Alex nodded. "Alright, then. Let's light it up."

Rhoas then raised his scepter. The blue gem on top of the scepter slowly glowed.

Aria also wanted to witness this phenomenon and opened her eyes, finding that the blue runes that were supposed to be inside the mountain shone from the outside.

Alex could see that the Spiritual Energy rushed from the bottom and shot toward the sky. Although he couldn't see it from where it was coming, which was the Spirit Crystal Mine, he was satisfied to witness the blue light shooting to the sky.

"We have almost a thousand towers all over the world, and I believe you can see one right over there..." Rhoas turned around and pointed his finger toward a certain direction.

Suddenly, another blue light rose to the sky even though they couldn't see the real body.

"This is beautiful," Aria exclaimed in amazement.

"But dangerous." Alex shrugged, noticing that the power emitted from the tower was actually closed to that of Divine Energy.

He also noticed that more and more runes started to appear and covered the entire mountain. Those runes formed a giant barrier to protect the tower.

"What will happen if I destroy this tower? Will the other towers get destroyed or disconnected?"

"Nothing will happen. As long as we manage to light up the entire tower system, losing one won't be that big of a deal."

"That's good then." Alex nodded. "This needs a huge amount of resources, eh."

"Yes. That's why we usually create a tower next to a mine or on top of a mine. The best will be when there is a natural terrain that can support it like the mountain. The cost will be far lower...I am not sure, but I believe it's around fifty percent off or something."

"Oh."

"Would you like to see a Teleportation Stone?"

"Sure."

Rhoas then used his Teleportation Rune.

Aria looked at the blue shine in confusion. This was her first time seeing a rune instead of an array, so she didn't know what would happen to her.

Regardless, they arrived at a plain a few seconds later. She found a floating stone that held a ridiculous amount of power.

"This is our Teleportation Rune. According to Atlas, my king has seen the Teleportation Stone, correct?"

"Yes."

"There is actually a difference between the one you have seen and this one. For example, if we want to get to the other side of this planet, we need to find another stone that is around the middle, so we can teleport there before doing the same thing to reach the other side. In other words, the stone doesn't have enough power to teleport that long.

"However, this one has been improved several times, and we have found a way to connect the two sides. Instead of going to the middle area first, we can immediately reach the other side. Of course, it still needs the middle stone, but you do not need to go there anymore."

Alex pondered for a moment and understood the invention. "If teleporting to another planet is possible, then we can set up a giant formation that can teleport us to nearby planets without wasting time to transit to another world."

"Yes. That's what we will be working for after getting to the new place." Rhoas nodded.

Alex found this intriguing. Of course, it would be good for traffic, but there was one huge problem with this. If the enemies used this to infiltrate their world, no one would know. Hence, he believed there shouldn't be a transmission to Eulja, or only those from Eulja knew about it.

When he was about to say something, the Teleportation Stone shone as if someone was about to teleport to them.

The blue light slowly formed, and five figures appeared.

"Atlas, Zekhram, Losagh, Igor, Steforus. What all of you are doing here?"

"Nothing. We have just wanted to see the real person." Losagh waved his hand. His appearance looked like Zekhram, but his muscle was bulkier than him, making it easier to differentiate.

Steforus turned out to be not a lion-like Igor. Instead, he was a Leopard.

After the two saw Alex's appearance, they had a complicated emotion. Losagh found his blade first while Steforus noticed the hidden power from Alex.

"That sword..." Losagh pointed his finger before asking politely. "It has contained something powerful. I have seen a Divine Weapon, but this one is different...There is someone living inside that sword."

Losagh seemed to have found something about Eve's existence, so Eve instantly asked. 'Master, what should I do?'

'Don't bother with it. It's better to stay hidden for a while.' Alex answered with a thought transmission before replying to Losagh. "Nice to meet you. As you know that every weapon has a consciousness. You can classify this one as a special one that has a strong consciousness."

"Oh! I apologize for my rude remark. I was so entranced earlier." Losagh then kneeled on one knee and said, "Losagh greets the king. It's my honor to serve under your name."

"Zekhram greets your majesty."

"Steforus greets my king." Steforus also kneeled, but he seemed to have something to say to Alex.

"You want to say something?" Alex noticed his intention too and asked.

"If possible, I would like to know if my king is a God Rank Expert or not. I have noticed something weird from your energy and spirit, so I feel like you are not a Martial Saint but above."

Alex nodded, not denying it.

"No wonder. I feel like even if my king has the same cultivation as me, I won't be able to hold you for a few rounds." He sighed.

Alex then helped both of them up and said, "I have my responsibility as well. If I am not strong, how can I protect my people?"

The two smiled and took a step back.

"So, what are you doing here?" Alex asked.

"We would like to pledge our allegiance first, which we have accomplished. Next, we want to show you our progress." Losagh said before turning to Steforus.

"The beastman has started evacuating from the continent, heading straight to either this continent or the other one. However, I have controlled the way, so around eighty percent of them are coming here. This way, this place will soon be flocked by humans from another world.

"As for our elites, some of them are fighting, and some are disguising as a local to ensure the agreement is upheld. This can also reduce our loss, so this is the ideal situation for us. And we would like to employ the same strategy to the people here. They will probably need around three months to reach this continent, so with the population here, they won't easily dare to fight us.

"And I want to request the use of the tower right now to help my people from getting slaughtered by those humans. After around nine months in, I believe we can start evacuating the people to the Dwarven territory to board the ship.

"As soon as the evacuation is complete, several checks and the time limit is over, we will leave the world. Lastly, I want to know whether your majesty will come with us or not."

"Thank you for the report. Regarding the tower, I believe you should talk about it with Atlas and Rhoas. As for the situation, I don't have a problem with you. I will probably search around the continent to see if I can find something before training inside a mine. I will probably use the last three months to enjoy my time here." Alex nodded.

"In that case, we can proceed according to the plan." Steforus nodded and looked back at Losagh.

"I have said all the things I need to say. If possible, I would like to request to leave immediately, so we can start it as soon as possible."

Alex nodded. "Sure."

"I will go with you then," Atlas said to Steforus since he could help him manage the tower.

"I appreciate it." Steforus agreed, and they soon disappeared.

As for Losagh, he tugged Zekhram's hand, asking him to say something, so the atmosphere didn't turn awkward.

Alex only smiled and greeted him. "It's nice to see you again."

"No, no. This is our pleasure. If not because of your majesty, we wouldn't have the chance to return to this place again. Unfortunately, not long after this, we will need to vacate our home." Zekhram let out a long sigh before correcting his words. "Of course, we are overjoyed because we can stay under your majesty."

Alex scratched the back of his head.

Losagh and Zekhram looked at each other and nodded. "If possible, we would like to start doing the dismembering process of the house and other things to gather all the metals we can use in the future."

"Sure. Do whatever you want."

After that, the two then left, leaving Igor and Rhoas in the area.

"If there is nothing else, Aria and I will go around the continent to search for something. Do you mind if I do that?" Alex asked.

"No, not at all." Rhoas hurriedly replied and handed him a token. "This is my token. For the time being, the subjects have yet to know about your status, so if you show them this token, it is the same as seeing the king. This will give you a smooth process for all things."

Alex grabbed the token and thanked him.

"I don't have anything as well. I hope my king can enjoy his stay in this world." Igor bowed his head politely, followed by Rhoas.

Alex then walked to Aria before nodding his head, signaling it was the time to go.

"Then, see you later." Alex waved his hand as they disappeared from the field.

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"Here," Aria shouted while grabbing a few metals on her hands.

They had been searching for treasures for three months but never found a single Divine Rank item. This certainly disappointed Alex, but he also knew that he had hoped too much.

Just like the Devil World who seemed to have barely found the Divine Herbs from a certain lower world, he assumed that it was hard to find something like that in other planets except Divine World.

Coming to that conclusion, Alex started thinking about this neutrally again, not putting a high expectation on whatever world he would find.

After storing the metals, he said, "I don't think there is anything that we can extract anymore. It's better to use this mine to cultivate. I will block this place first and make two Gathering Arrays for us to use."

Aria nodded. "I will wait here."

Since she already knew about his Array Mastery, he didn't need to hide it anymore, allowing him to move more efficiently.

Luckily, Aria did not doubt Alex's element. She believed Alex only had a Fire Element, so the thought of him using a Special Realm never crossed her mind.

Alex also had explained how he could get numerous Teleportation Array Plates. He just had too many Array Plates and traded them with a Space Element Array Master.

After putting the array up, Alex said, "We will cultivate here for four months before heading to the Dwarf Continent."

"I understand. I feel like I can reach the next stage even faster with a Rank 9 Gathering Array." Aria nodded with a smile.

The one in their home was a Rank 8 Gathering Array, so she didn't give a baseless statement.

And as expected, the Rank 9 Gathering Array indeed gathered a huge concentration of energy, allowing Aria to absorb it faster. With the dense Spiritual Energy from the Spirit Crystals inside the mine, the cultivation was as if there was an endless supply of energy that she wouldn't be able to absorb in a short amount of time.

In other words, the Spiritual Energy flowed inside at the maximum rate for months.

Aria showed her cultivation speed again by reaching 7-Star Martial Saint within those few months. When the time limit was up, Alex opened his eyes and looked at her. "Congratulations."

"Thank you." Aria smiled. "I don't know why but I feel like I can't be surprised anymore. I mean, you have shown me a lot of ridiculous things that I always believe will never exist, such as me becoming a 7-Star Martial Saint within two years."

"That is your effort. Believe me. It's hard to cultivate when you reach God Rank."

"You are scaring me."

"Nope. I just told the truth." Alex shrugged before turning to Leka. "How are you?"

'I have reached 5-Star Martial Saint during this process, thanks to Master.' Leka nodded. 'I think I can have a human form when I become a Divine Beast. Unlike the others, who feel having a human form is foolish, I believe becoming like Master is the best thing I can do.

'No, I should say they are just too traditional. That's why they don't have a powerful strength.' Leka showed her appreciation to Alex.

"I am not forcing you to become like me. If you like the form, I don't mind." Alex smiled, assuring that there was no coercion.

'Don't worry. This is my decision, Master.'

"That's good then. I am looking forward to it." Alex nodded with a smile. "Anyway, we have only three months left. We should start going to the Dwarf Territory."

The two nodded before they went up with Alex. They headed directly to the Dwarf Continent according to the direction that Rhoas gave.

As one would expect, the entire situation went according to the original plan.

Alex and Aria could see many experts from the Unsurpassed Blade Sect from time to time. Well, there were a hundred thousand people that first came to this world. With at least half of them coming here, they would easily find one as long as they kept flying in the sky.

Regardless, they didn't stop to talk to them, avoiding any form of danger. And due to Alex's order, Aria didn't think about her brother anymore because they would have found him and protected him in secret.

One and a half months passed for this trip, and they finally arrived at the Dwarven Continent.

Since their target was enjoying the coast, he and Aria followed the coast to check whether someone was there.

Fortunately, they didn't find anyone and decided to have fun on the beach. Aria took an interest in surfing after watching Alex.

Alex taught her a bit, and she got pretty good at it. Maybe because she had a good balance for having a constant blackout since she was blind, she slowly became better than Alex.

Of course, the latter thought nothing of it and praised her. Alex then invited her to dive into the ocean, finding everything amusing inside it. Everything was worth it when Alex saw the priceless emotion on her face.

She kept saying "Beautiful" like a broken radio, but Alex could understand her. She had lost most of her time to see the beauty of the world after all. In fact, most people only thought about cultivating and enjoyed the beauty that people made.

However, Alex liked nature more. Seeing different species inside the sea, a new brand forest, and different types of mountains. He even found a rainbow forest that made it look colorful.

After getting restricted to have nothing back on Earth, he appreciated this even more. He sometimes thought about his sister, wondering what would be her reaction when she saw this.

Unfortunately, he had no intention of coming to her. He knew that her age should already be past forty. She should already have a family, so he didn't want to suddenly appear and jog her memory about him anymore. It was simply not worth it.

Alex also hoped that she would take care of his parents. Despite having a bad memory about them, Alex had grown up and thought that bad memory was also what made him today. He had long forgiven them and wished them a long life.

After enjoying the sea, he took Aria to another place, showing her different types of natures.

Aria followed Alex blindly, realizing that a time like this once in a while was indeed good for her mental health. The stress from cultivation, family problems, and other things had been brushed off. She even became even more motivated to reach God Rank Expert.

At one point, she said, "God King must love this freedom. He can do everything without fearing anyone in their territory unless they have another God King. And if you respect the people and nature there, you can practically move around like this and enjoy all the wonders in this world."

When Alex listened to her words, it clicked with something in his mind.

They started talking about their views in life. As expected, Alex had more experience than her since the latter only focused on her training.

Aria noticed her shortcoming and began to change to become an even gentler person. Her personality matured up, and she could finally see what made his wives attracted to him.

He indeed had this unique charm that separated him from others. He never lied to the person he trusted. Of course, it didn't mean him telling everything. He only said half of it and let the others misunderstand the other half. Nonetheless, that honesty made one feel secure.

After using their time to the fullest, it was time for them to go to the Dwarven Territories.

It was a one-week trip before they found a huge base that should have the spaceship. As if noticing his presence, Rhoas appeared in front of him.

"My King."

Alex nodded. "How are you?"

"We have reached the last stage. Most of the people already enter the spaceship while those who are in this world are close to a Teleportation Stone. They can arrive here within a day."

"That's good. There are only three days left."

"Yes. According to the agreement, the training should be over, and we can leave this world."

Alex then handed a compass to him. Lin Xingzhi gave it to him a few weeks ago.

"This is a compass to reach the Guxing Planet. Just follow the direction, and you will find it." Alex then took out a token. It didn't have any special meaning other than as their identity. The token had a symbol on it, which was Eulja's flag.

The symbol looked unique. There was a sword and a spear surrounded by seven color balls. This must be created as a symbol of his previous self.

"If someone asks you about your identity, just show them this. They will know that you are my citizen and tell them the reason. All of it has been stored inside a database, so they can confirm it."

"Thank you, My King." Rhoas took both items respectfully.

"How is her brother?" Alex asked while pointing at Aria.

"He has made good progress. According to my team, he has broken through to another level and gotten quite a high rank. Since all the people scattered around this world give me the update every day, I can track everything.

"The current number one is a woman called Delatea, who is supposed to be an elder's favorite disciple. She has gotten one trillion Zil which is equal to one trillion Spirit Stone or one million Spirit Crystals. As for him, it's equal to two hundred thousand Spirit Crystals. He is among the one percent."

Alex looked at Aria, who seemed to be proud of her brother and congratulated her. "Alright. Give me fifty thousand worth Spirit Crystals, so I won't be that suspicious."

"I understand." Rhoas took out a Space Ring and handed it to him. "This ring contains fifty billion Zil. It's the currency that will soon be useless anyway."

Alex nodded. "Well, your currency's only purpose is to change valuable resources like Spirit Crystals, no?"

"Yes. It is easier to trade with this. Of course, we have never experienced trading with anyone outside this world, so we are not sure about the rule there."

"Generally, we use Spirit Crystals." Alex nodded. "But both have their own advantages and disadvantages, so just use what you are comfortable with."

"I understand. Is there any instruction for us?"

"For now, I want to confirm that they have retreated to the beastman territory, right?"

"Yes. My King should return too with the Teleportation Stone we have prepared secretly while taking down all the stones and towers all over the world. You can bring the Teleportation Stone with you, so those people won't have it.

"And I believe, their casualties are about ten thousand people while we have three thousand deaths. It seems they are a bit too scared by the towers, which allows us to minimize the casualties."

"Okay. I will go then." Alex nodded.

"Yes. Please enter the city. I will lead you to the last Teleportation Stone." He nodded and stretched his hand, asking Alex and Aria to follow him.

They then entered the city that seemed to have been scraped off by the dwarves. From his point of view, valuable metals had been melted and brought to the spaceship, so they didn't need to search for resources first before making their own settlement in the new world.

After finding the last Teleportation Stone, Alex handed him a few documents that they could go through. "This is the information about the planet and its surrounding planets."

"I will use this wisely." Rhoas nodded with a serious expression. "Thank you for everything, my king."

He and the other leaders, including the trio he met in Musee World, bowed to him.

Alex waved his hand in front of the three leaders and disappeared.

He stored the Teleportation Stone and looked at Aria. "Let's go back."

"Yes."

Thus, the end of their journey in this new world.

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Alex and Aria were lining up for the grading. This was the only thing they couldn't skip since this was the first thing you were required to do right after returning to the ship.

As expected, there was a group of Special Observers to check their identities in front of the Teleportation Array to the ship.

After passing through them, they arrived inside a room filled with many items. Each of them seemed to have a price tag, so everyone could buy if they had enough points.

Alex and Aria already got too much from this world and had no intention of buying these items. They headed straight to the counter, where they found a few elders in charge of calculating and recording the data.

Alex also found Elder Ravagera that seemed to be waiting for him, but he pulled another trick and had Aria in front of him, so the one handling him was another elder.

Elder Ravagera clicked his tongue but still glanced over him to find how much he got. Since Alex and Aria split up what they got evenly, both had the same amount of points. Ravagera couldn't find anything wrong with it, except the fact that Alex still maintained his low-key.

Ravagera knew that there was no choice for that. He only felt happy just to see him becoming an 8-Star Martial Saint despite coming here less than two years. Sometimes he wondered what kind of devil technique Alex had, but he swore to only start meddling with his matter only after becoming a God Rank Expert.

It was too troublesome to take care of this kid before that point because he would be in a vocal position. At that time, Alex might feel uncomfortable and search for another place to settle down. That was something he couldn't afford to see.

After all, as the teacher of the Peerless Sword God, he knew that the Sword God had actually joined another sect before reaching his place. However, the elders prioritized their relatives instead of those who were talented, making the Sword God leave.

Luckily, he picked him up and taught him well, and those sects couldn't rise to the three big sects level despite not being that far off. To his surprise, the Sword God had a grudge against them, and the sect began to decline over the years until it was completely wiped out.

If someone like Alex did the same, the consequence would be too big unless they could kill Alex. So, the best way was to let Ilevis handle everything for the time being until they became a God Rank Expert.

Alex didn't care though, since he would disappear soon. He only received the points and walked to his room with Aria.

"Nyx. I don't know why but you are more mysterious than I thought." Aria suddenly uttered this statement.

"You are talking about this now?" Alex asked. It was already so long after the negotiation with the Rhoas, so it was weird for her to talk about it now.

"Actually, I just wanted to thank you for protecting my brother, but it seemed I couldn't suppress my curiosity."

Alex shook his head. "Then, you should wait. Everything will be revealed when you become a God Rank Expert. At that time, you should get a mission to another world and fake your death."

"I know. Someone will come for me, right?"

"Not really. I was planning to ask Njomo to guide you toward Eulja. I am still not sure whether to call a Teleportation Array Master to bring you back. Just a little challenge from me." Alex smirked.

"I don't really mind. After all, you should test my strength as your subordinate, so you didn't pick the wrong person." She nodded with a serious expression, even though Alex just wanted to tease her.

Alex scratched the back of his head and corrected himself. "Well, sure. Your strength is indeed powerful in your peers, but I am worried because you don't have enough experience. I can either give you the experiences you need during the trip or hand over a few tasks after you reach my place."

"I am ready for everything." She nodded.

"Anyway, just rest for now. We are going to leave soon and reach the Unsurpassed Blade Sect in a few days. After that, I feel like going for another trip to another world." Alex thought for a moment.

"A mission?"

"Yeah, but I am not sure. After all, the mission is so Mya can join too. Since I have promised to be fair, I need to find one." Alex sighed.

Aria smiled. "No wonder you have multiple wives."

"Hm?" Alex didn't understand what he meant. This was only his principle, so he thought nothing of it. "Well, I can have another option which brings her after leaving this world...But we will see."

"Now that I think about it, the time limit is near." Aria let out a long sigh, never expecting that Alex would soon need to leave this world. "A few months later, the Sword Pavilion will open, and I think you will leave that world at that time."

"Yes, I think. I am still wondering how to fake my death." Alex fell into deep thought. "Your strength is enough for you to reach the apex of this world, and I have no doubt about it."

"Thanks."

"Anyway, I will be thinking about the current plan for this return trip." An idea seemed to appear in his mind as he continued with a question. "Is there a case where the participant died in the Sword Pavilion?"

"Yes. Some can't go back."

Alex frowned and thought this could be used, or there was an appointment with the Luzear family regarding the auction. He might be able to pick up some enemies and disappear from that time. Sneaking inside the Sword Pavilion was an easy thing to do anyway.

Seeing Alex had fallen into deep thought, Aria decided to silently walk away and leave the room, giving him time to think about it.

After some time, they finally left the world, heading straight to the planet where their Core Disciples had their competition.

Alex simply had no interest in watching them, so he just lied down on the bed to carefully consider his plan.

The journey to the home started. It might be due to the Rank 4 Gods that closely watched their surroundings, there were no other beings that attacked them.

What made him surprised was when he found another person a bit farther from them. That person was a Rank 7 God, but due to those inside the spaceship, that person instantly left to avoid conflict.

It seemed there were still people traveling like that, Alex thought.

Other than that person, he didn't find anything interesting.

Finally, five days later, the journey was over. They could already see their planet, and many people had thought about it.

To his surprise, Aria didn't bother him any more during this return trip, especially since he forgot about the promise to walk around the ship.

When they almost reached the planet's atmosphere, Aria knocked the room, and he let her in.

"I am sorry." Alex suddenly apologized.

"What for?" Aria furrowed her eyebrows. It was hard to find a moment where Alex uttered a sincere apology, so she wondered what was wrong with him. She then remembered the promise Alex made. "Ah. I also forgot so it's not a big deal. Besides, your place should have one as well, right? I can just learn there."

Alex smiled. "Thank you for your understanding."

She only smiled while waving her hand.

When they entered the atmosphere, the spaceship started becoming hot due to the friction with the atmosphere. Luckily, the spaceship was made of metal that could easily withstand something like this, so there was no fire or whatsoever even in the friction area.

However, the turbulence was still there, so Alex and Aria kept bouncing up and down for several minutes. The spaceship then finally parked inside the Unsurpassed Blade Sect.

"We have arrived at our sect. Although you have known about other people's points, there is still a possibility for the person who has the highest point to be disqualified after a series of judging, so no one knows about the result yet.

"However, we happily announce that all of you have worked hard. Although there were many misunderstandings in the process, you all were our proud disciples."

The Vice-sect Master's voice rang on the speaker. Unlike the first impression they had with her, this time, she looked like a gentle grandmother that praised their children.

Regardless, he and Aria waited until most disciples had gone through the gate before using the gate.

When they arrived, Alex activated his Spirit Eyes to see whether Ilevis was here or not.

"Let's go. We can sneak out of here." Alex asked after confirming the situation.

Aria nodded and followed him since there were already many people who had left this place.

When they arrived at their house, Alex and Aria found Ilevis standing in front of their house.

Obviously, she noticed the mouse on Alex's shoulder and nodded. "It seems this trip is bountiful."

"Thanks to you." Alex acknowledged it, albeit he felt Rhoas would say something regarding the mouse even without her information. Either way, she was the assurance for him to go this far, so he considered the deal was completed.

"Your points?"

"We both gathered only twenty-five thousand each," Aria answered this time.

"That's good. Not too low, not too high. No one would look at your way, so it means your identity remains unknown." Ilevis's face turned serious since she had her own goal.

"Anyway, I'm done here, so I am going back. Need to meet with Melvie too." Ilevis nodded and waved her hand before vanishing into thin air.

Alex and Aria opened the door and entered the house.

"You can rest today since you must be tired from the trip...Mentally," Alex added the last piece since the trip was quite boring.

"Sure. I will be ready for your devilish training tomorrow." She pumped her fist. "That's right. You don't mind if I visit my brother and send a memory crystal to my family, right? I want to let them know about my condition."

"It's your free day. You can do whatever you want, just don't make an enemy like the previous time." Alex nodded.

"Alright. Thanks." She waved her hand and left.

Meanwhile, Alex headed to his room and sent a paper, telling Silvia that he came home.

"Leka, this is your new house. It's going to be for several months, and yeah, the time on this planet is ten times of your planet, so you might want to adjust the time in your mind first."

"Yes, Master. Still, to think there is so much Spiritual Energy around here..." Leka looked around.

"There is also my Rank 9 Gathering Array. That's why it's been this high." Alex shrugged.

"No wonder. Then, I am going around this house first." She waved her hand.

"Sure." Alex nodded before turning in another direction, finding Silvia's presence. She came with Heilo since Alex asked her to take care of him when he was away.

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"You seem to get something big." She smiled.

"Yes." Alex didn't deny it, but Silvia didn't continue her question. Instead, she raised her left shoulder, asking Heilo to leap off her shoulder.

"Ru Ru."

"Thanks. I am back." Alex smiled. "Is there a problem?"

"Ru." Heilo shook her head.

Alex then raised his vision, looking at Silvia, who also confirmed it.

"I stayed in my mansion all the time, so no one suspected you here," added Silvia while walking to the kitchen. "Do you want a drink?"

"Nah, it's fine." Alex waved his hand.

Suddenly, a mouse appeared out of nowhere, shocking Heilo and Silvia.

"Ho?! A new companion?" She asked before noticing what she really was. "This mouse...Is a Spiritual Mouse, isn't it?"

'According to the name, yes. But Leka is Leka.' The mouse rebuked her cutely. 'Master helped Leka, so Leka is Master's contracted beast.'

Silvia was amazed by Leka's intelligence. She must have gotten the contract not long ago, but her intelligence seemed to be someone who had been living with a human for a long time.

"I don't know anything about you, so I can't really confirm your age. How old are you again?" Silvia asked.

Leka thought for a moment, calculating her age in her mind. 'Leka doesn't know. Probably around three thousand years?'

"I see." Silvia nodded. "Nice to meet you, Leka. I am Silvia."

'Leka meets Silvia.' Leka pointed her hand toward Silvia as if asking for a handshake.

When Silvia touched her small hand, she just tapped it and stepped back.

"Still, to think you have gotten many treasures in just a few months..." Silvia then glanced at Alex, trying to tease him.

"Most of them came from trading with someone." Alex shrugged. "I wasn't that lucky."

"Fine, fine. We will leave it at that."

Suddenly, they noticed that Heilo was silent this whole time, so they turned around, finding a frozen Heilo. He didn't move or do anything. Instead, his eyes kept staring at Leka.

"..." Alex blinked his eyes a few times as if he thought about something. He had seen Stina and Kyle, so it was easy to find something like this again. Still, he just couldn't believe this type of thing came before his eyes.

Heilo was entranced when he saw Leka. Unknowingly, he fixed his fur, especially on his head, trying to appear spectacular.

He then slowly walked toward her with an attitude that had never been seen before. The shy and embarrassed expressions mixed up as he arrived in front of her.

Leka didn't know about this since she had been used by the three races this whole time. There was no love or sympathy in her heart. Only respect and loyalty appeared in her heart after meeting with Alex, so she didn't understand what Heilo was doing.

She stepped back with a weird expression and greeted him. 'Hello...I am Leka.'

"Ru (I-I am Heilo)." He hurriedly replied, but his introduction was very stiff.

'You are Master's contracted beast too?'

"Ru." He shook his head.

'Uh, okay. Nice to meet you then.' She repeatedly nodded.

'Ru Ru (Do you want to mate)?'

Even Alex was stupefied when he asked that. He never expected to hear this sentence right off the bat. He just met her today. Although he didn't care about their species, it was still too soon to ask for that, no?

Seeing his expression, Silvia asked curiously. 'What is he talking about?'

'Like you, but more extreme.' Alex answered.

'Me?' She recalled the first thing she talked about with Alex and realized what they were talking about. She facepalmed, wondering if this lustful monkey needed to be fixed.

Alex shrugged and watched how this would unfold.

To everyone's surprise, Leka only tilted her head in confusion and asked. 'Mate? What is mate? Leka hasn't gotten used to speaking like this, so I can't understand complicated words.'

'That...' Heilo didn't know what to do and was struggling to reply to her question. He made an "O" with his right hand and pierced it with his finger.

Alex and Silvia facepalmed simultaneously, asking themselves. 'What just did I witness?'

'Leka doesn't understand. Anyway, Master doesn't want to be disturbed by an unknown person, so Leka won't bother you anymore. And it's hard to understand someone who doesn't speak in a normal language like this. Leka also wants to have a human form, so Leka can follow Master. Then, goodbye.' Leka politely declined his unknown reason and leaped toward Alex's shoulder.

Her rejection was like thunder reverberating in one's ears. Heilo just got the shock of his life, knowing how painful it was to get rejected. At the same time, he realized how Alex might feel when he rejected his offer to become his Contracted Beast for the first time before handing him to his wife.

Suddenly, Heilo grabbed Alex's right foot and looked at him with a sad expression, begging him to take him in like Leka.

He was dying to be together with Leka according to his instinct. It was love at first sight. Heilo also wanted his human form, forgetting about the fact that he hated it.

Even so, Alex still shook his head, telling him that everything had been arranged.

Heilo had no choice other than to wait, so he turned around and looked down, walking while crying.

Finding him this sad, Leka sympathized with him and leaped from Alex's shoulder to the floor. She sneaked up to him and tugged his hand a few times until Heilo looked at her.

She talked to him for two minutes before accompanying him for a while.

Alex and Silvia had no words to describe this scene. It was surprising as well as magnificent. Their eyes intertwined.

Silvia asked with a smile. "Can you give me your seed...I wonder if I asked that question right off the bat, what would you think of me..."

"I would throw you out of my house." Alex gave an immediate response.

"..." Silvia breathed out of relief. "I was safe then."

"I guess." Alex shrugged.

"Well, I have a question for you. Can I enter Eulja?"

"No, not yet. There is a problem if you come with me, and it's not like we are close enough for me to bring you there." Alex shook his head.

"Is that so? That's a shame." She sighed in disappointment.

"However, maybe in the future, I will at least invite you as a friend."

"I wonder if I am at the level of a friend or get friendzoned?" She looked away playfully, knowing full well that Alex had gotten a good impression of her since he considered her as a friend. She still had a long time to slowly advance the relationship, so she didn't want to force everything at the moment.

From her point of view, she had indeed grown interested in him. She slowly walked past the principle that her father instilled inside her and started looking at Alex as Alexander Sirius instead of the Spirit God's reincarnation.

Alex didn't know her thoughts, of course. Nonetheless, she seemed to be more easy-going recently, so he thought it was an improvement. As for the ending, he didn't care.

"That's right. I want to ask you to make me a dummy doll, so I can leave this world at any moment."

"Are you planning to leave already?"

"Nope. My schedule remains the same, but I don't want to waste any opportunity that can let me fake my own death. I am sure you know how mysterious I am in this world, right?"

"I see. For a person like you, it's hard to find someone who wants to kill you." She nodded. "Alright. I will be working on it. I can guarantee that it will look real."

"Thank you for the help."

"No problem. There is—"

"What?!" Before he finished, Alex shouted as if he was talking with someone.

"Is there something wrong?" Silvia felt suspicious and furrowed her eyebrows.

Alex stopped her with his hand first and asked inwardly. 'Are you serious?'

[Yes. I just found that Evelyn had transcended to God Rank, but when she left the world, the Palm God met her. Zark couldn't get really close to him since we didn't know what they were going to talk about. She followed him.]

"..." Alex's face turned pale as he sat down on the couch, wondering what he had done wrong.

"What happened?" Silvia became even more worried.

"I wonder if I should make a war against your world without thinking about the risk anymore..." Alex clenched his fist and glared at Silvia.

"What...What are you talking about?" Silvia obviously couldn't understand him.

"I am talking about your father who kidnaps my protege." Alex released his killing intent.

Silvia widened her eyes, couldn't believe what he just said. "I-I don't know anything about this."

"Xingzhi...Use every single N squad to locate them right now. Get all the information needed, and we will deal with him accordingly. Prepare all the troops as well." Alex's voice was cold. When he was about to confront Evelyn head-on, she was taken away by the Palm God.

Subconsciously, Alex already saw her not as a mere protege, but Silvia misunderstood him.

The only thing she had in mind was the characteristic that made the past Spirit God famous.

Touch my people, Die! It was at that moment that Alex became a Demon God, feared by millions of God Rank Experts.

If there were a war between them, her father and everyone else would certainly lose. This was something that Silvia couldn't bear to see.

'What the heck is that old man doing?' She cursed her father and tried to calm him down. "This must be a misunderstanding. Calm down first. I will talk to my father to clear this up."

Alex, on the other hand, had a different thought. He instantly doubted that intention and released his killing intent. "I have never thought that you, father and daughter, would be this sly. By making me agree to your terms, you will have free reign over what you currently do. And now, with all this happening, you are trying to escape. Do you think I will let you go?"

It wasn't an empty threat. Alex already prepared Eulja's Spirit Crystals to increase one of his spirits' levels to confront her.

Obviously, Alex couldn't know whether she was talking the truth or not. As a careful person like him, the first thing he needed to do was to doubt her. After all, it was only a few months since he met her, there was no complete trust between them.

In fact, he would actually consider it clever to mellow him down, so she could become his friend. After that, Alex would believe her words and escaped, taking Evelyn as his hostage. It was a brilliant idea to be honest.

"I...I can assure you that this is just a misunderstanding. Please let me go, so I can talk to my father." She was shaking.

Alex had no clue whether she was faking it or not, so he refused. "Do you think your Rank 5 God strength can let you escape? Try it then."

Alex had released his sword and pointed at her.

Silvia couldn't contain her tears anymore and grabbed Alex's sword, pointing it at her heart instead. "Then, pierce this heart. If it is needed to convince you, please take it."

She had a complicated feeling. Never in her thought appeared where Alex didn't trust her at all despite her sincere attitude this whole time. Yet, she couldn't say anything because she had no idea what her father did and his plan.

"No. You are still useful as my hostage. If the war starts, don't expect to have a good day." Alex snorted.

[The Spirit Crystals are ready. You should be able to level up someone to Rank 4 God.]

Alex fell silent and looked at her. He didn't know whether he exaggerated this reaction or not, but after experiencing the betrayal in the past that he never saw it coming, he didn't want to get fooled anymore.

Still, he seemed to think of another plan and asked Lin Xingzhi inwardly. 'Investigate everything and say you have his daughter as a hostage too. If he doesn't care for his daughter, it means we will go to war because she obviously is the bait...And there is no way she will know if this is a carefully thought plan, so her clueless act is real.'

[Alright.]

Chapter 987 - Emergency

An hour ago, Zark met Lin Xingzhi inside her room.

"My Lady, do you need me?"

"Yes. I need you. Evelyn has finished her Lightning Tribulation. After transforming into the Divine Body, she will leave that world. I want you to go there right now to bring her here."

"I understand. I shall bring her here as soon as possible. May I mention the system to make her believe me?" He asked.

"You may. She already knows it anyway."

Zark bowed his head and left the room, heading straight to Evelyn.

However, the surprise came before he reached the world. There was a person heading in the same direction as him, so he instantly activated his Spatial Gate to wait inside the Space World to avoid any contact with him.

'Wait... Isn't that the Palm God?' Zark thought while watching his movement inside the Space Realm. Luckily, he could use this Space Realm to observe people. The Palm God wouldn't notice him as long as he wasn't too close to him.

Surprisingly, the Palm God suddenly stopped mysteriously, right in front of his target. Evelyn would come out any moment, so he had a complicated thought in this matter.

'What should I do? My mission is to get Evelyn to Eulja, but the Palm God will find me. At that time, he will know there is something special about that kid, and the most reasonable thing is Master. When that time comes, there are many possible futures that none of them can end up peacefully.

'On the other hand, if I just let him like this, Evelyn might appear in front of him. I don't know what he is doing right now...But his movement is suspicious. Is he waiting for someone here or aiming for Evelyn?

'Still, I can't really let him take Evelyn, right? Ugh, my position is not qualified to make the decision, but I can't really call Lady Lin Xingzhi from here. If I leave now to inform the lady, Evelyn might have already gone before I come back here.

'What should I do?' Zark had a mixed thought, wondering what he needed to do. Each decision came with its own advantage and disadvantage.

Before he could come up with an answer, Evelyn appeared on top of the world as she just got expelled. She looked around, trying to find the person Lin Xingzhi sent.

Unfortunately, the first person she found was an old man. Without much knowledge, she obviously blurted out the question like, "Are you the one Sister Lin Xingzhi sent?"

Even Zark could imagine it. He then saw a little argument between them, and Evelyn almost drew her sword. Before everything happened, the old man released his Divine Energy, made her scared, and brought her somewhere.

Zark was stunned for a second. He wanted to follow her but remembered she should be able to track Evelyn with the system.

The scene where Letizia got caught flashed in his mind too.

With much difficulty, Zark decided to retreat to report everything that had just happened with Lin Xingzhi.

He used his Teleportation Array and arrived at Eulja, specifically Lin Xingzhi's room as soon as possible.

Bang.

"There is an emergency." Zark panted a few times as he was rushing here.

Lin Xingzhi was startled by his action before furrowing her eyebrows.

"Do you need anything? What is the emergency?"

"Lady Evelyn has been kidnapped."

"What?!" Lin Xingzhi dropped her jaw and blinked a few times, never expecting to hear this. She opened the tab about Evelyn.

Since he was curious, Zark also took a glance on the screen, but unlike Alex's, there was nothing that could be seen from Evelyn. There was no memory that was recorded or anything. Instead, he only found her information.

Name: Evelyn de Viona Thiveapia (Unconscious)

Age: 41

Strength: Rank 10 God

Mission: None

Gacha Coin: 2 Coins

Zark asked with a confused expression. "Is there no record like Master? We can see through their conversation to know his objective."

"His? Who was it?"

Hesitated for a second, Zark answered. "The Palm God."

Lin Xingzhi's eyes turned cold. Her Killing Intent began to spread around the castle as she stared at Zark. "Who?"

"It was the Palm God. I thought because my lady can track everything, it's best for me to retreat and inform you about this." Zark explained.

Lin Xingzhi took a deep breath to calm her down and shook her head. "No. I can't track anyone else other than Alex. Since you all have only gotten the information about Alex and the others from me, which have been compiled, you haven't realized this yet, but this is the real condition.

"Usually, I always asked them about their condition first because I didn't have enough information. Alex also didn't know this...But nothing is perfect. This system is also not perfect. The only time I could track her was when I asked her about her condition and location. Unfortunately, she seems to have fallen unconscious after following him for a while. And I can't access all the things she said other than the last one, which you can see it's...' Yes,' which is very misleading. Argh, I should keep track of her earlier..."

"That means..." Zark's face turned pale.

"Yes. We lose her. Without having the knowledge of outer space, she won't know where she is without asking. And I don't know whether she has that opportunity." Her expression was serious, and her tone was grim. She completely had a headache dealing with the Palm God.

"Does that mean we can't do anything?"

"We still have your information." She looked at him. "Bring me the map of the galaxy. We will try to investigate this matter."

"I understand." Zark hurriedly left and brought the map.

It was a huge 3D map.

"This is the Musee World." Zark pointed at a certain planet and changed the direction. "The Palm God went toward this direction."

Lin Xingzhi calculated the trajectory and sighed. "There are two thousand planets along the way. Although it was easy to find a Rank 1 God inside a planet, it would still take time. Tell me what you saw first."

"Yes." Zark started recounting everything that happened. Since he couldn't listen to their conversation, he only gave the information about Evelyn's action before following him.

Lin Xingzhi became even more furious, especially when she heard that the Palm God needed to strike her first to get her. In other words, this was a kidnapping.

"What shall we do? If I come back to Musee World and follow the trail..." He looked down and sighed. "I apologize. I can't really get the trail, but I think I can lock our search down for only a hundred or so planets."

"It's outside our territory, so we don't have any information in that area." She pinched the bridge of her nose, wondering what she needed to do. "For now, have the N Squad in the world in this direction inform everything they find. It is around fifty worlds that have been inhabited by our spies, so we will start there."

"I understand. I will try to teleport in that direction to see whether he has passed it or not to narrow down the search area." Zark nodded.

Before he left, Korzan had appeared and asked out loud. "What happened? Why are you still releasing your Killing Intent?"

Lin Xingzhi explained in a few sentences, startling Korzan.

To her surprise, Korzan had a different point of view on this matter. Instead of worrying about Evelyn, he was more focused on Alex. He asked, "Did this mean Master got backstabbed again?"

"!!!" Lin Xingzhi suddenly realized the whole situation. "To get Alex to lower his guard and get a few information about him. If I am not wrong, Alex once said about his protege, Evelyn, to that Silvia."

"This...This is a conspiracy." Korzan also became angry and clenched his teeth. "We should kill that b*tch!"

"Open our reserve. There is a possibility that Alex will need it." Lin Xingzhi pointed at Zark. "Bring me two hundred billion Spirit Crystals."

"Understood. I shall prepare it right away." Zark nodded and left.

"Are we going to pick up our weapon again?" Korzan asked.

"For now, I will ask the N Squad to investigate all these worlds. I want everyone on the nearby planets to help. And bring Nelson as well. I will be commanding from here with this system." She nodded.

"But if this matter continues, won't Master's identity become well-known?" Korzan asked. "Shouldn't we ask Master's opinion?"

Lin Xingzhi let out a long sigh before nodding her head. "Yeah. I almost forgot."

"I don't mean to be rude, but Evelyn is only Master's friend. That's all. Unlike him, I can't justify everything with only friends. Only if the one involved is a family, I will command the entire force without even asking him," Korzan added.

"Yeah, you are right." Lin Xingzhi agreed with him. "It seems because we haven't taken up arms for a long time, people have forgotten why our Eulja was feared..."

Korzan didn't say anything and waited for his Master's response.

After two minutes of talking with Alex, Lin Xingzhi finally released her killing intent again. "We will leave Alex for the time being. The Spirit Crystals should be able to level up someone to Rank 4, if not Rank 3 God. It should be enough to stop that Silvia. Since they have a hostage, we will have one too...To think she wants to escape."

"That means..." Korzan narrowed his eyes.

"Alex's order. Get the N Squad moving and prepare all troops." Lin Xingzhi paused for a moment. "Bring Anya to me, we will hold a meeting. And Anna is to assume my position to calm Alex down for a moment."

"Who should we call for the meeting?"

"Bring all Six Elemental Gods and the Five Guardians! Ready for a full-scale war...Because as soon as we confirm it's not a misunderstanding, we will have thirty-seven worlds to destroy and billions to kill!" Her voice was cold. "I will talk to Alex for the time being."

Korzan nodded and disappeared. He asked all his subordinates to gather all the people and prepared the spaceships.

It was a breeze for Korzan. In only twenty minutes, every single person had gathered inside a room.

Lin Xingzhi then entered the room. There was this giant throne in front of a table, but no one dared to have that seat. Even Korzan and Lin Xingzhi took the ones beside it.

There were more than ten people gathered in this room and looked at Lin Xingzhi with a curious expression.

"What is this emergency you are talking about?" An old man asked. This one was a bit special. Despite his aged face, he still tied his white hair into a ponytail and looked menacing.

"Evel—Ahem, One of Alex's soon to be wife is kidnapped by the Palm God. As soon as we confirm their intention, it will become either full-scale war or negotiation."

All Six Elemental Gods and Five Guardians immediately furrowed their eyebrows.

"She is not his wife yet?" The same person asked.

"Yes. However, you should know about his characteristics..."

"So, that one doesn't change, huh." The old man repeatedly nodded. The other spirits also felt relieved because that was the only characteristic they hoped to remain the same. Even though it created numerous enemies, it also gave them security.

"Still...We all have heard about your proposal a few years ago. Isn't it too soon to reveal this information?" Another one asked. This time it was an old woman sitting beside the one asked earlier.

"I know, but I want to say this one important piece for you all." Lin Xingzhi paused for ten seconds, making the tension go through the roof. She then opened her mouth. "Alex's aim is not becoming a God King."

"What?!" The old man stood up and the others were taken aback. They all knew despite his protective nature, Alex was a family man. If his aim weren't becoming a God King, then he would just be a family man.

"Are you sure we—"

Before he finished, Lin Xingzhi shouted. "I haven't finished!"

The room fell silent once again, and Lin Xingzhi continued. "His aim this time is above God King!"

Gasp!

They sucked a cold breath, and their body started shivering.

The old man finally understood why Lin Xingzhi gathered all of them. "Haha! No wonder you have us here while leaving aside the Ten Champions. You want them to defend Eulja while we are out...I see. Even though it's kind of too soon, I think it's a good time for the world to make the universe tremble once again!

"After a long five thousand years of slumber, we shall remind them once again that a Sleeping Beast is still a beast. And they shouldn't annoy the sleeping beast!" The old man grinned. His eyes started glowing.

"That is after the N squad gets the information. I want all of you to stand by, and I don't think we should bring Alex for the time being. Even if we said that Evelyn was Alex's wife, he still didn't show himself up, so others would still have a doubt in their heart. Anyway, all of you shall remain here.

"Fufu...This has become exciting. Eulja shall once again walk on a tribulation path. If we lose, we shall perish, but if we win, none can stand up against us. This is exciting." The old man grinned.

Lin Xingzhi took another glance before turning around, heading back to her computer to check on Evelyn before Anna suddenly came inside the room.

"Evelyn has woken up," Anna said hurriedly.

Chapter 988 - Prelude

Inside a room in an unknown place, Evelyn gradually opened her eyes.

"Ngh..." She let out a weak groan and found an unfamiliar white ceiling that she knew nothing about. Due to this, she looked left and right, finding that the room was nothing extraordinary. It was just a one-person room without any decoration.

"Where is this?" She muttered in a low voice and noticed that her space ring was taken away. She immediately opened the Inventory and took out a random sword without permission. This was necessary to make sure she had something to protect herself.

Evelyn narrowed her eyes and finally called someone. 'Sister Xingzhi...Where am I?'

[This is Anna. I am operating the system right now because sister Xingzhi was in the war meeting. She didn't get any record of your conversation with the one who kidnapped you, so she is preparing for war. Are you alright there? I am going to call her right now.]

'Yes. I am fine. Other than my Space Ring, I don't think I lose anything.' She looked around and observed the bedsheet, confirming that her chastity was still safe.

[Alright. Wait for me. I am going to call her soon. You can check your surroundings to make sure of your position and current predicament.]

'I understand.'

After that, Evelyn rose from the bed and concealed her presence. She looked around the room and found nothing extraordinary. Unfortunately, the room had no window, so she couldn't see the outside, which should give her information.

Without having anything to do, she began circulating her Divine Energy to see whether there was something wrong or not.

One minute passed, and the notification appeared again.

[Evelyn. This is Lin Xingzhi. Are you alright, Dear?]

'I am alright, Sister. I don't think I have any injury or whatsoever. What exactly happened?'

[That's my question. You have a conversation with the man, right? Can you tell me what it was all about?]

Evelyn recalled everything first before telling her.

A few hours ago, she had just finished her circulating the Divine Energy around her body before an immeasurable force locked her, slowly expelling her from the world.

"I see. This is the expelling force that Big Brother Alex mentioned. Well, it's time for me to go anyway, and I also have said my goodbye to my family, so I have prepared to go to chase him." Evelyn muttered and enjoyed the feeling. Although she couldn't see Rose, who finally became alone in this world, the latter must be able to see her.

"At the very least, Sister Xingzhi is also taking care of her, so I don't need to worry. It's not like there is someone who dares to fight her with her current strength, so yeah, it's fine." She repeatedly nodded before recalling Lin Xingzhi's instruction. "Hmm, Sister Xingzhi told me there would be someone waiting for me outside this world. He will bring me to Eulja. After a while, I can meet Big Brother again, hehe."

With that thought in mind, she finally felt a weird force surrounding her body. Even though she didn't use her Divine Energy, she was floating and even rotated slightly.

It was magical, but Evelyn immediately stabilized her posture since she would meet with Alex's trusted person. She needed to appear dignified, no?

As soon as she saw her surroundings, she was stunned by the sight of darkness with many jewels that shone brightly, albeit it was not enough to brighten it up. When she turned around, she found her own world.

Suddenly, an aged voice resounded in her ears.

"You are Evelyn, right?"

Evelyn turned around and took out her sword instinctively. Even though she knew Alex's subordinate would come to her, she needed to be careful. "Yes. Are...Are you the one Sister Lin Xingzhi sent?"

When she found a gentle middle-aged man, she asked innocently.

The middle-aged man smiled for a few seconds before nodding his head. "Yes, I am. I have been waiting for you."

After hearing that, Evelyn finally dropped her guard and stored her sword again. "I am Evelyn."

"Nice to meet you." The middle-aged man smiled. "Congratulations for achieving God Rank."

"Thank you." Evelyn smiled back. "Are we going to Eulja now?"

"Of course." The middle-aged man nodded and released his energy. "We are going to Eulja now. Are you ready?"

"Yes," Evelyn answered with a determinate look.

The middle-aged man then covered his, and her bodies with Divine Energy and the two finally flew forward.

Evelyn followed her with trust before she felt something weird.

'Why would Sister Lin Xingzhi send someone like this to me? I mean, Big Brother Alex himself has a Space Element. Considering the Space Element is actually not that scarce in another world, won't it be more effective to send someone with that power?

'Besides, Sister Lin Xingzhi would teach me everything about Outer Space and other things that I needed to know about this Universe. Shouldn't we keep the time minimal? Or is this a test?

'Wait a minute. Sister never gave me a mission or a test without saying anything. It might change after becoming a God Rank Expert, but it shouldn't be this drastic without any explanation. If I know how far we are from Eulja, I can see whether this is a test or not.

'What should I do? Should I sneak up and attack the man to get information about this? Although he is stronger than me, I should have enough strength to escape even in the worst situation. Should I do it? I guess the answer is obvious. If he is someone that sister Lin Xingzhi sent, it will be fine after some explanations. It's not like I am trying to kill him.'

Having a new objective, Evelyn sneakily took out her sword, ready to have this middle-aged man as a hostage to answer her question.

However, she severely underestimated the man in front of her. With just a little fluctuation of energy, he suddenly disappeared.

"!!!" Evelyn's heart skipped a beat and turned around, but she felt a sharp pain on her neck that seemed to be imbued by something powerful. It struck her nerve system, and she fell unconscious.

The Palm God furrowed his eyebrows and looked around before carrying Evelyn away.

'That's the story.' Evelyn finished her explanation.

[I see. It's been five hours since you fell unconscious. I will have Eulja search for your location. You can try using a Teleportation Array or channel your Spiritual Energy. I will ask someone to make a token and send it through the Inventory to see your location.]

'I understand.' Evelyn calmed down and nodded. 'Is there anything I need to know about this?'

[Yes. First of all, the one who kidnapped you was a God King, known as Palm God. He is too obsessive with Alex, so I believe his motive was something like this. His daughter is with Alex right now, but I think she is only a bait. Anyway, I will be reaching you soon.]

'Alright.' Evelyn nodded, and without wasting even a second, she immediately took out a Teleportation Array, but to no avail. The Array Plate wouldn't get activated, so there must be something stopping it. After that, she placed her hand on the wall and injected her Divine Energy since she sensed that the normal way couldn't get out of the room.

Unfortunately, none of her attempts were successful. It meant she was trapped here.

Not long after, Lin Xingzhi sent Zark's token that could track someone like Alex's token. However, Zark was a Rank 3 God, so his power was far more powerful. In fact, he had helped the achieve to record the world and its direction to make the compass, so the token should be powerful enough to locate Evelyn.

Evelyn immediately grabbed the token.

'I have it with me now. Can you find anything?'

[Yes. We are on our way. Hang on.]

Evelyn nodded before she sensed a presence coming to the door. She remembered that her Space Ring was confiscated by them, so she instantly dropped the idea of bringing the token with her since it would be suspicious.

Instead, she hid the token under the bed and stored the sword inside the Inventory. And when the door was opened, she immediately waved her hand, trying to strike whoever came since they must be the enemy.

The one who came was none other than the Palm God. He easily grabbed Evelyn's hand and released his Divine Energy.

"What do you think you are doing?"

"I just want to kill my enemy!" Evelyn released her killing intent.

"Do you think a mere Rank 10 God like you can do anything to me?" The Palm God snorted and dragged her. "Follow me!"

Evelyn felt the force behind the hand and couldn't resist. Despite trying to free her hand, the Palm God wouldn't budge at all.

Meanwhile, Lin Xingzhi rose from her seat. The Six Elemental Gods and the Five Guardians were right behind her, reading the conversation.

The old man from earlier smiled. "This has gotten interesting. What are we going to do now? Although I am a bit reluctant since my son-in-law is not on the battlefield, and I also need to rescue someone that has yet to be his wife, I am ready."

"Who was rumbling about having no grandchildren yet? If there are more wives, won't you..." Lin Xingzhi glanced before turning serious. "Instead of aiming for Alex, I think you lot have a better chance for our kids. Of course, I am not handing them easily. Unless they love each other, I won't...No, I think you need to make an explanation to Alex."

She chose to tell them this to control their desires and raise their morale. After all, half of these people actually still wanted to marry their daughter to Alex. So, giving them a bit of a hint at this moment should keep them together until Alex came back as a ruler once again.

She then turned to Zark and asked. "Anyway, Zark, where is she?"

Zark looked at the 3D map he left earlier and pointed at nothing. "She is here."

"Empty space?" Lin Xingzhi narrowed her eyes before realizing. "No, a spaceship, huh."

"Yes." Zark nodded, confirming her guess.

"We can't really fight without a plan...So, here is my order. For now, only me, Zark, the Six Elemental Gods, and the five Guardians will go. I believe this should be enough to handle a single spaceship. Anna will take care of Alex in the meantime, while Anya takes care of our battle plan if this leads to war.

"Korzan is to stand by and be ready to lead our force at a moment's notice. Evelyn should be able to take a Teleportation Array Plate with an opening now that she is not inside a room that is isolated inside. We are going to create an opening if he takes her as hostage.

"As long as she is not dead, we can have Light Spirit God to heal her. Other than that, we will proceed with caution." Lin Xingzhi commanded.

"We hear and obey." The eleven Spirits bowed to Lin Xingzhi.

Anna then took a seat again while Korzan disappeared with Anya. Zark then created a Teleportation Array and engulfed everyone in the room except for Anna.

Chapter 989 - True Spirit Body

Inside the Palm God's spaceship, Evelyn arrived at a small room where there were only one table and two chairs.

The Palm God forced Evelyn to sit on one of the chairs while he sat on the other.

Since everything had been planned by Lin Xingzhi, Evelyn decided to play her role. She glared at the Palm God and released her killing intent.

"Who are you?!"

"Such a funny thing to ask. Did that certain someone not tell you anything?" The Palm God smiled. "He didn't even tell you anything about his rival."

Evelyn furrowed her eyebrows. "Rival?"

"Yes. You don't know we are rivals in the past?"

At this point, Evelyn only believed in Lin Xingzhi, not someone who suddenly kidnapped her. However, she kept her act consistent to prevent the Palm God from realizing everything was a fact.

"Whose rival?"

"Who else? It's Alexander Sirius. I have gotten your information. You have been chasing him even though he doesn't think of you as a woman. He keeps making a line between both of you."

"Wrong?!" Evelyn slammed the table, glaring at the Palm God with anger.

"I am not wrong. As I said, I have read all your information, so I know how you feel."

"No, you are wrong!" Evelyn gritted her teeth. "He is not like that!"

"Really? Then tell me an instance where he allows you to do something to advance your relationship." The Palm God had a confident smile.

"I..." Evelyn looked down, couldn't answer him.

"I have a proposal for you. I can help you become his wife." The Palm God stretched his hand.

If Evelyn wanted it, she would take it. Unfortunately, Evelyn didn't take his hand but with a curious expression.

This was what he wanted. He finally showed a few of his cards. "I am known as the Palm God, a God King. In this universe, there are only a few people like me. That's why Eulja won't be able to fight me that easily since I have a huge force behind me.

"If I start pressuring them, I am sure they will agree. Considering your previous relationship, Alexander Sirius won't be able to escape from this and finally make you his wife. My demand is simple. For you to become my child.

"So, how is it? Will you still chase him, knowing that he will only disappoint you? Or acknowledge me as your father, and I will help you become his wife?" The Palm God stretched his hand again.

Evelyn fell silent for a few minutes as if she thought about it seriously. She raised her hand and was about to take his hand.

However, the Palm God felt powerful energy coming from the side and released his power before the spaceship shook. An explosion occurred but soon died due to the lack of Oxygen.

"What just happened?" Evelyn shouted as if she was scared.

The speaker above them suddenly let out a voice, warning everyone onboard.

"Emergency. We found thirteen people near our ship. And...And...The one leading them is none other than the Nature Goddess, Lin Xingzhi!"

The Palm God gasped before looking at Evelyn. He didn't know whether this girl had done something or not because he had confiscated her Space Ring. And with Evelyn's scared expression that basically told him that she didn't know anything, he believed this was the power of Eulja.

In other words, he really underestimated Eulja. He then gathered his power and asked out loud, ringing everyone's ears in the spaceship. "Report the damage!"

"The barrier managed to block the attack due to your excellency's energy that reinforced the defense."

The speaker informed him again.

At first, he planned to have Evelyn become his daughter, so Eulja and Alex couldn't do anything at all. But he never expected the negotiation to be disturbed.

He grabbed Evelyn's wrist and dragged her outside the spaceship, finding all those thirteen people. He was then followed by a hundred God Rank Experts above Rank 6 God. Not long after that, around a thousand God Rank Experts below Rank 6 God made their appearance, protecting the ship.

"Lin Xingzhi..." The Palm God gritted his teeth.

"I never thought that your obsession had become this absurd. To think you kidnapped my sister." Lin Xingzhi brushed her hair and looked down on him.

The entire group was completely baffled when they witnessed the appearance of the Nature Goddess. Her beauty was one that they couldn't describe, but her strength was something they feared. They simply looked at her in awe, wondering why she actually came here.

As soon as they heard about her sister, they were baffled. The Time God only had a daughter, so there shouldn't be any sister. In other words, this sister of hers was a different kind of sister.

They then looked at the Palm God, who seemed to be grasping that girl.

"Too much is something bad. Do you...A God King actually not understand that idiom?" Lin Xingzhi asked.

"What are you implying?!"

"You are too obsessed with my late husband. That might become your doom one day." Lin Xingzhi shook her head helplessly. "Do you need me to spell it for you?"

"You!" Of course, the Palm God knew about it, but the temptation was too big. He just wanted to win in this rivalry that was only him recognizing it. "Your Eulja is also too overbearing!"

"I am sorry. We are not overbearing. We just protect every single person in Eulja's territory, especially our own family." Lin Xingzhi smiled. "But I do agree with your claim. And we paid it dearly when my late husband died."

Even though the Palm God wanted to shout about Alexander Sirius that had reincarnated, he stopped himself, knowing that every plan of his would fail if he told it right now. After all, there were still so many eyewitnesses here.

It was also the reason why Lin Xingzhi kept saying her "late husband" despite knowing the current condition.

He himself didn't want to make it known because many worlds would start paying attention to this matter. The moment Alex's name was well known, his chance would disappear completely and it would be impossible to get a second chance.

Whatever he did, he could do nothing other than hiding it. Even so, the conflict didn't end here.

He shouted. "I have her here. Comply with my request, and I will let her go!"

Lin Xingzhi obviously didn't buy it. She simply snorted and released her killing intent.

"As I said earlier, I do admit that Eulja was overbearing to protect our own. That's why I am not going to repeat the same mistake. If "he" could give up people under him and chose to increase his power instead, he wouldn't die.

"That's why I am not going to make the same mistake here. She might be important to him, but it doesn't matter to me. To protect him, I will do whatever I need to do!"

Lin Xingzhi's speech rang on his ears, shocking his heart.

She suddenly raised her hand, pointing her palm toward the Palm God.

What happened next baffled everyone. They never saw something like this. The outer space that shouldn't have anything slowly turned brighter and brighter.

It turned out that a fireball was formed out of nowhere.

Only the Palm God recognized this attack and shouted. "Are you insane?!"

Lin Xingzhi ignored him and channeled her power even more. The Spiritual Energy flowed to the fireball, creating something even more amazing than a Divine Technique.

It was an Elemental Disturbance. Lin Xingzhi just created an artificial sun in Outer Space. Although it was supplied by her Divine Energy, no one could be more shocked than ever.

Her control over Spiritual Energy alone was enough to cause a disturbance that could only appear naturally.

Everyone thought of the same thing when they witnessed this.

'So, this is the Nature Goddess!'

"I will show you if I mean it or not..." Lin Xingzhi said coldly before releasing the artificial sun. "Fallen Star."

The sun flew toward the Palm God. He involuntarily released Evelyn and moved slightly from the ship, knowing that it would destroy the ship if they got hit.

The people could already feel the overbearing heat from the sun and clenched their teeth. When they were about to make a move, the Palm God already made his move to protect them. A God King's opponent would always be another God King.

The Palm God raised both hands before two giant palms appeared next to the sun.

"Sovereign Palm."

The two palms smacked the sun until it disappeared as if he just killed a mosquito with his hands.

"Fu." The Palm God finally felt a bit relaxed after it was gone.

The people behind him instantly cheered for him, showing their enthusiasm. They felt safe behind the Palm God and almost forgot the fact that their leader was also a God King, the same as Lin Xingzhi. They didn't need to fear her anymore.

"You! Are you going to make war?!"

"Isn't that your plan? Since you want a war, I don't mind giving you one...Even if it means risking the entire life of Eulja." Lin Xingzhi smiled.

"You are insane!" The Palm God shouted.

"I am not. I have said it earlier, I will show you if I am telling you the truth or not. We are protective people after all."

"!!!"

What made the Palm God couldn't comprehend was the fact that Evelyn appeared behind Lin Xingzhi and the others.

He then realized what just happened while glancing at Evelyn's previous location, confirming that she wasn't there anymore.

As soon as he released her and faced Lin Xingzhi's attack that required his full attention, Evelyn did something to teleport herself to Lin Xingzhi. Of course, there wasn't a thought about the Inventory and thought she actually had another place to store that Teleportation Array Plate.

Either way, Evelyn had escaped from him successfully.

"Your offer is certainly amazing. However, I only knew you a few hours ago...And the fact that you kidnapped me, I just can't believe whatever you said. Besides, his promise is better than yours." Evelyn looked away.

"Nice speech. Old man, take care of her, will you?"

"Haiz, you always make this old bone works hard..."

The Palm God fell silent. His face was pale. He thought he wouldn't get found for a while until Evelyn agreed to the terms, but it turned out Eulja managed to get to his location faster than he could ever imagine. Without even thinking about it, he knew that Lin Xingzhi would go rampage today. Everything she claimed earlier was a lie just to direct his attention, so Evelyn could escape.

Thinking about this, there was a big chance that the spaceship would be destroyed. However, he still had hope.

"Do you think you can fight all the God Rank Experts I bring today?! Let's talk about this calmly. We will be able to reach a conclusion." The Palm God still hadn't given up.

This made Lin Xingzhi annoyed and released all of her Divine Energy. "It seems I haven't made it clear. Peace was never an option."

"Hoho...As expected from the daughter of that Time God." The old man who kept asking her question in the meeting laughed before closing his eyes for a second. When he opened it again, his white eyes became silver, and it started glowing.

"Let this old man start the show." The old man smiled as he put down his glasses. A cross made of yellow light formed behind his back, and his power increased exponentially. "True Spirit Body. Four Light Authorities. First Authority, Life."

The first side of the cross shone and transmitted a light ball for each of them. The group's strength increased too, like how Anya's power worked.

The old woman that sat beside him before smiled. "I should follow suit."

"Yeah." A green-haired middle-aged man with a muscular body nodded.

"Haha...This old man can't retire yet." A yellow-haired old man sighed.

"Don't be like that. It has been thousands of years since all of us fight together, so have a bit more motivation, will you?" Another middle-aged man laughed, trying to cheer them up.

"Fufu, you all are getting along." A gentle middle-aged woman smiled. "Let's go then?"

The five of them smiled as they chanted.

"True Spirit Body."

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"True Spirit Body." They chanted at the same time.

The old woman slowly became younger as if she just turned back time. And due to her element, there were many black patterns on her body to the point she looked like a devil.

"Night Ripper Form."

However, the Light Spirit God only danced back and forth while saying. "Oh my beautiful wife. I have finally seen you in this form again. Let's hug!"

The wife only slapped him away to the point he crashed into an asteroid. One second later, he came back and smiled. "Your hand of love has energized me again."

No one could speak a word when they saw these two. After showing their prowess and acted cool, the Light Spirit God turned out to be not like what they saw.

Meanwhile, the other four Elemental Gods also transformed.

"Gargantuan Form."

The Earth Spirit God turned into a colossal monster whose size was a fifth of the spaceship. However, the spaceship itself was like that of the one Alex saw in his current world, so that body was already colossal.

The appearance itself was like that of a golem, making it a bit dull.

At the same time, the Lightning Spirit God also transformed. Like Leoz, he also got a horn, but it was bull horns.

"Raging Bull Form."

Instead of a giant sword, he had a war hammer. It was covered with lightning, raging around his hammer like his name.

The other two also finished their transformation. The Water Spirit Goddess turned into a mermaid, but her tail was a dragon head, standing tall to watch the others.

"Leviathan."

As for the Fire Spirit God, his body turned into fire like a devil. But he himself called it Djinn since he was a Djinn Spirit.

"One Hundred Fire Djinn."

The six Elemental Gods had finally transformed to their True Spirit Body and the strength they emitted was beyond their imagination.

It was even enough to stop the enemy's momentum and morale.

"Hoh, so cool. We the five Guardians can't do something like that since we are not a spirit." One of the Guardians said with a sigh.

"Haha, I don't mind, I don't mind."

While the people had their own fun, the Palm God gritted his teeth and looked around, only finding four Rank 2 God behind him. They wouldn't be enough to stop Lin Xingzhi and the other eleven Rank 2 Gods, so he decided to shout. "We are going to retreat from here."

However, before the war started, Lin Xingzhi got a thought transmission from Evelyn.

'Sister, are you sure about this?'

'What do you mean? You are almost forced—'

Evelyn shook her head and asked. 'I am asking whether it's right to create war without telling Big Brother Alex. When you kill one of them, the war will be inevitable.'

Lin Xingzhi frowned and asked. 'Tell me your experience inside.'

Evelyn then proceeded to talk about what happened, including the deal.

Lin Xingzhi suddenly had a conflict in her heart and hesitated to call for this war. As much as she wanted to eliminate this problem, Alex might be hit by this because of the misunderstanding. In other words, the plan was entirely the Palm God's fault, not Silvia.

If Alex knew about this, there would surely be a battle there, and she couldn't imagine what he would experience. Even though Alex and Silvia were still friends, their mood was already good enough so that they could advance to something better at any moment. It was just this whole thing that ruined their relationship.

For Alex, who didn't believe her...He would be sad for this entire matter. If there was also war, and his reputation became well-known, it might be too much for the current Alex.

She came to a hard decision and decided to stop, but not entirely. 'It seems we better go back.'

Everyone was baffled by her statement that rang in their head. They were just raring to go, but at the last moment, Lin Xingzhi stopped them.

'Oi, oi. You serious?'

'Consider this again.'

'We have just started...'

Lin Xingzhi shook her head. 'Hear me out first. I want all of us to return to Eulja. Of course, we won't let them off just like this. You may injure many of them, but don't kill them. This will surely prevent a war from breaking.

'I will talk to Alex myself, and I believe he will arrive at the same conclusion, so please listen to me. I will take responsibility for all this.'

All the people she brought fell silent, never expecting the battle to turn this way.

'Does this mean our power is not necessary right now?'

'Yes. I am afraid there will be a bigger war when Alex ascends the throne. At that time, we will work harder than ever...' Lin Xingzhi warned them for an upcoming war that might be bigger than they would ever face even from back when the Spirit God still ruled Eulja.

They furrowed their eyebrows, and the Light Spirit God asked for a confirmation. 'We still can beat their asses, right?'

'Just for one hour. After that, we will let them go. This should be enough.' Lin Xingzhi nodded. 'I also need to comfort Alex after this. Sigh.'

Seeing there was too much going on, they decided to follow her order.

'Well, the good news is...We can unleash our real strength when the Spirit God is in charge again. It's not that bad of an idea.' The Fire God replied.

'Yeah.'

'Let's beat some asses then.'

'Alright.'

'We have activated our True Spirit Body anyway, it's a waste to not use it.'

The Six Elemental Gods had come to a conclusion, and they spread out as if they wanted a war.

'You six... Can't you leave us some too?' A middle-aged man became a minotaur that was covered with fire. His appearance looked like the Thunder Spirit God, but with Fire.

'That's right. We, the Five Guardians, are also here, you know.'

The Five Guardians slowly stood side by side with the Six Elemental Gods while chatting nonchalantly. Behind them was Lin Xingzhi, Zark, and Evelyn, who watched how these eleven would actually attack them.

The Palm God couldn't stop this anymore and ordered out loud. "Me and three Hundred Gods will stop them here while the others escape from this place. Remember. They are the top fighters in Eulja, and there is a chance that their reinforcement is on their way. Leave now!"

With the order of the Palm God, many couldn't accept it, but they could do nothing since it was the order from their Supreme Fighter. Even though Lin Xingzhi was also a Rank 1 God, she shouldn't be able to kill the Palm God easily.

Having the trust of their Rank 1 God, the group started to retreat from the area.

"Split into half. Deal with them from left and right." He commanded again as they began to move.

The Light Spirit God smirked and activated his True Spirit Body again. "Third Authority, Fate."

The cross lit up and pierced all twelve before the light flowed like a fish in the water. It showed the path they needed to go as if it was already fated.

He smiled and said. "GO!"

The Six Elemental God without him flew to the left to handle those coming from the right while the Five Guardians took care of the other side.

This left their middle lane open, creating a big opportunity for Lin Xingzhi and the Palm God to clash.

Seeing this, the Light Spirit God smiled and returned to Evelyn and Zark, protecting them.

Lin Xingzhi appreciated his effort by nodding before turning to the Palm God. "You are smart but also a fool. You have two chances but don't treasure any of them."

"What did you say?" The Palm God gritted his teeth, thinking it was a threat from her. He didn't think much and flew straight to her.

Lin Xingzhi raised her hand and formed another Disturbance in the air which turned out to be a Wind Disturbance. Knowing that the area near her contained an abundant amount of Wind Element while the area around the spaceship contained Fire Element, Lin Xingzhi formulated her plan.

She transformed the Wind Disturbance into a spear, compressing it to increase its power. She then launched the spear straight to the Palm God.

Looking at this, the Palm God raised his palm and created the same two palms that he used to destroy Lin Xingzhi's fire attack earlier.

However, he still underestimated Lin Xingzhi, who had long reached this God King Stage. When the palms tried to crush the spear, the small barrier that she used to control the Wind Disturbance disappeared, creating a very powerful shock wave that flew in all directions.

"!!!" The Palm God realized her real intention. The shock wave was to blow his troops away, giving her friends an easier time. "Not good!"

Before it could reach them, a thousand hands coming from Palm God's back covered the entire area, not letting a single shock wave pass.

"One thousand hands!" The Palm God barely made it before all the palms returned to normal, standing by behind him. He looked at Lin Xingzhi and clicked his tongue. 'Elemental Disturbance...This is her unique ability that is hard to even be cut by the Sword God's Pure Qi, let alone mine Pure Qi...'

Lin Xingzhi might not be as strong as the Sword God or Alex in terms of attack power, but it was enough to handle the newborn Rank 1 God such as him.

With the Palm God successfully stopping her attack, she chose to not stop, especially after witnessing the one thousand hands behind his back. She stretched her hands to both sides as if forming another disturbance.

The Palm God wouldn't let her and immediately struck her with all those hands.

Lin Xingzhi only smiled as the hands were stopped as if someone bit them.

"!!!" The Palm God was shocked when he saw many dragons biting his hands, preventing him from advancing forward. "She can even control it?"

If one asked the weirdest power, the Time God would be the number one. However, since he had passed away, his daughter took that throne. Nonetheless, their weird power actually gave them power beyond one's imagination, so it was normal for the Palm God to be confused.

What Lin Xingzhi just did was to create two disturbances that appeared to be water and lightning. She then directed a portion of the energy to create dragons that could stop the hands.

It was hard and needed good control because she needed to target every single hand personally. This was Lin Xingzhi's strength that many had never seen.

Evelyn could only look at her in awe, finally realizing how awesome a God King was.

Lin Xingzhi didn't know any of this and kept attacking the Palm God. She proceeded to her next attacks and sent another wave of dragons' heads to attack him.

"We indeed have the same cultivation level, but my experience is more than you." Lin Xingzhi smiled and changed the directions to the hands, trying to destroy them.

"Not good!"

Boom!