

## **M. Leader 451**

Chapter 451:

The story unfolded, and many unexpected things happened to the Almighty.

The Almighty was astonished to discover the numerous methods employed by Babel Tower, which left him no choice but to be amazed.

After numerous journeys back in time, he was able to confirm more and more things, and the image of Babel Tower in his mind became increasingly clear.

Powerful users of psychic abilities, with battle skills comparable to their own kind, a crime-hunter capable of pausing time, a slime that can brainwash others, and the ultimate hacker who can manipulate electronic networks...

Besides, they could easily send their members to various parts of World, and they could leave whenever they wanted, as if there was no way to keep them behind.

"Babel Tower, it's truly an amazing and mysterious organization. The Savior who holds all this knowledge simply frightens me."

The Almighty couldn't help but admit that the Savior of Babel Tower was even more powerful than she had imagined.

Perhaps they posed an even greater threat than the Rainbows themselves.

The Almighty didn't back down because of it; on the contrary, she was filled with determination.

"This is a test, and I will definitely win this challenging test, even if the Savior of Babel Tower will eventually admit that there is nothing they can do against me."

After going through these cycles again, the Almighty discovered a problem.

Although she could eliminate dangers by traveling back in time, she couldn't prevent Babel Tower from attacking her. They would keep coming back, causing trouble and launching attacks, even after each failed attempt.

This would be endless trouble.

Completely eliminating Babel Tower was unrealistic, the Almighty knew this well.

If he were to leave this city, he would become weak, even though he was stronger than 99% of people in reality. However, compared to truly terrifying beings, there was still a gap.

The goal of the Almighty was not to eliminate the Babel Tower, but to prevent it from causing trouble for her anymore.

"Let them willingly give up their actions inside the Giant Hive, there is only one way... well, Babel Tower must be dealt a heavy blow that it cannot withstand."

Back then, he was the one who forced the Heart of Radiance to retreat.

The Almighty, who had circled the Heart of Radiance hundreds of times, found its weakness. In a series of continuous modifications, the mighty Heart of Radiance made two consecutive appearances but had no effect whatsoever.

She could no longer bear the ongoing losses of descending, and had to give up on meddling with the matters of the Giant Hive, admitting defeat.

Now, the Almighty was planning a scheme to completely annihilate all the members of Babel Tower who had entered the Giant Hive!

Not only did they force a retreat, but...

Only by doing so, could they inflict heavy damage upon Babel Tower, causing the Savior behind the scenes of Babel Tower to reassess the risks and abandon the idea of attacking the Giant Hive and himself.

"The end of the Babel Tower has come."

The Almighty had instantly formulated a complete plan.

In fact, for him, it was really easy to deal with the members of Babel Tower.

"After all, only I have the ability to remember the past. For them, I am a powerful being who can control the future. Any resistance is meaningless to them."

The plot has been devised.

The rest was simply waiting for the people of Babel Tower to fall into the trap.

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"The place ahead is my home."

Partridge pointed to a house not far away.

Once again.

Bai Yan squinted his eyes and smiled, but he didn't say anything.

Afterwards, several people followed the partridge and arrived at her house's doorstep.

"This is my home now."

Partridge stood at the door, patted her fingers to unlock the password, and the metal door opened. One by one, the others walked in and saw various adorable dolls and pink walls on the floor.

"Smile when you want to smile."

Just like before, the partridge lowered her head once again and quietly explained.

"Work is different from life. They have always been separate."

"Yeah, I feel the same way," Bai Yan nodded and smiled, reenacting the conversations that had taken place over and over again.

Once again.

Bai Yan knew in his heart that he, the Almighty, should be getting to know the Babel Tower more and more.

"Oh, that guy should have realized it too," Bai Yan thought.

However, simply forcing the Babel Tower to retreat wasn't enough. It was necessary to deal a heavy blow to the tower. Only by eliminating us, would there be a chance for the "Savior" to back down.

Then, the Almighty would plan a trap. She would find a way to capture Mu Ling, along with Elene, all at once.

Everything that happened next seemed like a replay of the first playthrough.

This time, the Almighty refrained from indiscriminately killing innocent people and holding the people of Babel Tower hostage.

Because, this time he was not planning to spare these few individuals.

At night, Mu Ling left her room once again and went outside to kill some people and let off some steam.

Bai Yan didn't seem to have changed his mind about anything. Instead, he calmly followed behind Mu Ling, waiting for the right moment to come.

He acted as if he knew nothing about the concept of time loops.

The next day.

They once again entered the interior of the clone manufacturing center.

Finally, a change happened.

This time, the supervisor of the clone manufacturing center didn't unleash the protective power of the annulus civilization, because the Almighty knew it was meaningless to the people of Babel Tower.

In fact, even the supervisor herself was no longer here this time.

"Hmm?"

Partridge felt puzzled and muttered to herself, "What's going on? Why did we enter so smoothly without encountering any attacks? Could it be that the supervisor of the manufacturing center hasn't noticed us?"

"The power of the annulus civilization is just this?" Her eyebrows raised in disbelief, surprised by how feeble something she had always been afraid of turned out to be.

Mu Ling, however, took out her weapon and calmly said, "Everyone, be cautious and stay alert. It's always better to be prepared."

Bai Yan remained silent, not feeling the least bit flustered.

"He should be coming soon."

Just then, everyone present heard a mysterious voice.

"The people of Babel Tower, the followers of the Savior, your end has come."

Except Bai Yan, who had anticipated it, Mu Ling and Elene were slightly startled, unsure of what was going on.

Partridge's face, however, turned incredibly ugly.

Trembling all over, she knelt down and hugged her head, filled with intense fear, without a single thought of resistance.

"It's him! It's really him! Lord Almighty has personally arrived!"

The frightened Partridge was on the verge of breaking down, completely losing control.

"The Almighty?"

Mu Ling furrowed her brow, not understanding why the Almighty was appearing now when the Babel Tower had not yet accomplished anything significant. The level of attention from the Almighty should not have been this high towards them.

Now, it was time to directly face the final boss?

She took a deep breath, and in an instant, she was fully prepared.

Even though the opponent was an upper-ranked Apocalypse superpower, Mu Ling felt no fear at all, but instead, she was filled with determination to fight.

Elene clenched her fist, her petite body trembling gently.

But she felt no fear or dread; instead, her face was filled with anger.

Even though the girl had the characteristic of "calm and composed" in her character card, at this moment, she could not suppress the anger burning in her heart!

She did indeed harbor deep hatred and animosity towards the other person!

The woman who adopted her, the former "Elene," was the woman who had given her happiness and dreams, all to protect her from dying at the hands of the Almighty.

Not even a trace of her soul remained.

For the first time in her life, she wanted to roar in anger, but she couldn't utter a single sound.

The cue cards in her hands were so tightly squeezed that they became blurry.

Bai Yan saw this scene and gently shook his head, saying, "Stay calm."

Elene nodded slightly, took a deep breath, and quickly regained her composure.

In the following moments, no matter what happens, she knew she must never let her emotions take over...

That was how she had thought originally.

However, the person who emerged from the darkness made Elene widen her eyes in astonishment, unable to believe what she was seeing.

How could this be?

The ruler of the Giant Hive, a fortunate inheritor of advanced civilization, an entity with the power to manipulate time and rewind...

The Almighty made her appearance.

Not him... but her.

"What's the matter? Are you surprised? Why do we look so much alike...Hehe, take a guess, Elene. Think about that dreadful real reason."

There stood a tall, black-clothed woman.

Her countenance could be considered beautiful, with a striking resemblance to Elene, having long black hair instead of short, with a face adorned by a proud and domineering smile.

Elene opened her mouth, unable to comprehend the situation before her.

But Bai Yan, who remained silent, was not the least bit surprised. Instead, he recalled a scene from his time in prison... Elene, she had the ability to rewind time within a small area.

She trembled uncontrollably and retrieved a cue card.

"Am I your clone?"

The Almighty's gaze grew complex, as she shook her head and spoke with an increasingly mocking tone.

"No! This is a big mistake!"

"You are the real one!"

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In fact, Bai Yan had known about the relationship between the two from the very beginning.

After all, he had played through the first playthrough of "Babel Tower".

"..."

Elene was completely overwhelmed as daylight turned chaotic. The current amount of information was too much for her to process, leaving her unable to comprehend what the other person meant.

Am I the true form?

What is she really saying?

Is that person the Almighty? The father of all the clones, he should appear as a young man with golden hair, the most wicked and tyrannical ruler of the Giant Hive!

Why, would she appear here and become like me?

She also said some words that were difficult to understand.

The Almighty's eyes were filled with malice and hatred as she gazed at Elene's face. With a sinister smile, she said slowly:

"It's such a wonderful fate, Nian... I never expected that we would meet again in this way."

Do we know each other?

Elene furrowed her brows, gradually regaining her composure, but she couldn't recall any memories of knowing the Almighty.

She is truly feeling a bit bewildered now, filled with confusion and perplexity.

Deep within her heart, there even existed a trace of fear and uncertainty.

The Almighty continued, "Actually, a few years ago when you were caught, I knew that you weren't actually dead... I thought you would rot away in prison, but I never expected that you would quietly become the leader of the rebel army and even join Babel Tower."

Partridge, who was originally filled with fear, was completely dumbfounded stared blankly, unable to comprehend what was happening now.

Bai Yan spoke calmly, "It seems that something interesting has occurred, now we just need to sit back and enjoy the show."

Mu Ling furrowed her brow, she didn't want to know about the relationship between the Almighty and the newcomer.

The girl only wanted to chop the other person.

Because this was what the Savior had hoped for.

However, Mu Ling also understood in her heart that the Almighty appearing before her might not be the true form of the Almighty.

The Almighty fell silent for a moment, and then began explaining the relationship between herself and Elene.

"Nian, it seems that you have completely forgotten and don't know why that woman, the former 'Elene,' wanted to take you away from me."

Elene was completely stunned.

In her memories, it was purely by chance that her foster mother had adopted her, simply because she was a poor orphan whose parents had been persecuted and died.

Is this not the truth?

"The brainwashing machine of the rebel army works very well. Those memories are fake. Your parents actually died many decades ago. Ha ha, they were also my parents..."

The Almighty woman chuckled and extended her hand, casting out a blue thread.

It floated in mid-air, and everyone knew that inside it held a precious memory.

In his heart, Bai Yan understood that this memory belonged to the Almighty.

The blue thread in the sky floated and came to a stop in front of Elene. She hesitated for a moment before reaching out and accepting it.

After receiving it, Elene fell into deep thought.

"Don't worry, everything will be fine. She didn't do anything sneaky with it, I can assure you."

Bai Yan spoke calmly, his voice calm and gentle.

Elene gently nodded her head, took a deep breath, and placed the blue thread on her forehead.

She saw another memory of herself.

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"She looks exactly like our daughter."

"Yes, but she is a clone of your daughter, not your actual daughter, so please don't consider her as your daughter."

"We understand that only her healthy organs can save our daughter... We understand everything written in the contract, and we must not have any emotional attachment to the clone."

This is the conversation that the Almighty heard upon being born.

There were two people talking.

On one side were the employees of the Rock Morgan group, while on the other side were her biological parents.

She hated her parents with all her heart.

Those two people only saw her once and then hurriedly left, leaving her behind to live with many other clone beings in the "pasture" of the Rock Morgan group.

That was a cruel and inhumane experimental facility.

Naturally possessing immense power, she was nothing more than a little laboratory rat here. She had no rights and every day was filled with various tests of her abilities. Blood was drawn, experiments were performed, and she was even forced to bear biological offspring... but in a more efficient and non-primitive way.

In the confines of the experimental facility, the Almighty's power grew stronger day by day. The torturous training accelerated her progress even more than her original self, propelling her abilities to reach the level of a Crown.

And then, she escaped from the depths of hell.

Using her extraordinary power, she escaped from the cloning facility and blended in among a multitude of clone corpses.

On a rainy night, the Almighty emerged from a pile of corpses.

Unable to contain her excitement upon her first arrival in the outside world, she couldn't help but shout joyfully to the sky.

Even though she despised her own parents, at this moment, the Almighty still held a small glimmer of hope.

She quietly made her way to the seventh level of the Ring City, where her parents resided.

In reality, her biological parents were both mid-to-senior-level managers at the Rock Morgan Group, a rather prestigious company. They led a life of great happiness in the Ring City, a life that the lower-class citizens could only dream of.

There, the Almighty was taken aback as she saw... another version of herself.

Her name is Nian.

The girl lived in a huge three-story mansion, surrounded by numerous mechanical servants. Every morning when she woke up, she could see the blue sky, white clouds, and a beautiful garden outside. The constant warm air brought a sense of tranquility to her.

In the beautiful garden, there were many living pets, worth a fortune.

Nian didn't need to study or work, she simply lived here peacefully.

The Almighty was astonished.

The appearance and bodies of the two were almost identical!

However, Nian's extraordinary power was a bit weaker, and her physical condition was very poor, with all her organs failing.

That amazing robot servant and the delightful garden only made the Almighty slightly jealous. But what truly caused her pain was... Nian's parents loved her very, very much.

Almost like caring in every possible way.

Hidden in the darkness, the almost-crazed Almighty found an opportunity to secretly approach Nian.

She was very brave and afraid as she confided in this "sister" about her situation.

Nian, a kind-hearted girl, didn't feel scared but instead felt pity and care towards her "sister" after learning about the Almighty's situation.

She came up with a plan.

Let the Almighty pretend to be her!

As long as the Almighty spends a few days with her parents, they will develop an emotional bond. When her parents discover the truth, they won't resist her presence.

"Let's live together from now on," Nian promised, just as she had done before.

At that time, the Almighty had no social experience, and she was very innocent and naive. Without any hesitation, she readily agreed.

Nian hid inside the unused guest room in the house, while the Almighty temporarily took her place.

The following day...

Until now, those had been the happiest few dozen hours of her life.

The parents who returned from vacation treated her gently and loved her.

The everyday life that the Almighty had never experienced before intoxicated her.

So this was the definition of happiness.

She even started to hesitate, wondering whether she should return this kind of life to Nian, or if she could get rid of her and take over her place.

But the Almighty ultimately decided not to do so.

From now on, let's live together.

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The next day, the Almighty discovered that the special agents from the Rock Morgan group had arrived on the seventh floor and would be knocking on the door soon.

At that moment, the Almighty still harbored a tiny flicker of hope inside her heart.

She wanted to come clean to her parents willingly.



However...

"Monster, where have you hidden our daughter?"

In the parents' eyes, they were full of hatred and anger, their faces distorted. The weapons of the agents caused her excruciating pain, almost making her faint.

Even so, the Almighty managed to escape with sheer determination and strength.

But she also understood completely.

Being born as a clone, she would never possess the happiness that ordinary people have.

Although she was a Crown-level being with extraordinary abilities, she couldn't make money through proper channels and had to constantly hide.

The Almighty had no choice but to run to the lower district of the Ring City, using her extraordinary powers to earn money and support herself. However, because she was too naive, she was deceived and ended up owing a huge amount of debt.

Desperate to repay her debt, she had no choice but to take a leap of faith and become an Explorer.

After experiencing a series of events, the Almighty was presented with an opportunity that could change her destiny.

Blood Luck!

"Hahaha, it seems like it was meant to be, absolutely meant to be. This thing is priceless, isn't it?"

After several years of hardships, which completely transformed her personality, the Almighty, upon gaining Blood Luck, had her abnormal traits removed.

Without hesitation, she used it, obtaining luck capable of triggering miracles!

Finally, on that day, she saw...

An unforgettable moment that would be remembered forever.

[We are the civilization of the annulus...]

[You will become a part of us...]

[Everything had already been decided...]

[Everything is an annulus...]

Even though until today, she couldn't understand the meaning of those words, she readily chose to accept them at that time.

Let the power of the annulus civilization become your own power!

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Facing the relentless pursuit of the Rock Morgan group's lackeys, the Almighty exerts herself to the utmost. In the end, she decides to leave the Ring City and ventures alone through treacherous wilderness, arriving at another city within the Night Union.

In the beginning, Night Union, the country of darkness, had more than just three cities. In fact, it had numerous cities, just like the Air Alliance. However, one by one, those cities vanished, and in the end, only the Ring City, the Tree City, and the Giant Hive remained.

Giant Hive.

That is where the Almighty arrived after her escape.

In this city, the people didn't lead a good life, but were ruled by another giant corporation.

The one ruling over this place is Noy Military.

Noy Military, it is a giant corporation second only to Rock Morgan, a military contractor that started with selling military equipment worldwide and providing mercenary support. It has great influence and now completely controls the Giant Hive.

In the Night Union, there is a saying that people often share.

"In every place, there were Noy's military weapons. War needs it, and peace also needs it."

The Almighty, she wanted to seize Noy Military.

Through the power of the annulus civilization, the Almighty grew stronger in a short time and completely abandoned her former name, calling herself... the Almighty.

And that was the true birth of the Almighty.

And in order to protect herself and become stronger, she carefully established a secret organization hidden in the shadows.

Rebel!

Yes, the Almighty was the first leader of the rebel army.

The purpose of the rebel army is to overthrow the rule of the Noy Military... at least, that's how it appears on the surface.

Several years later, the Noy Military's only Apocalypse powerhouse unexpectedly died in another world, and the Almighty of the lower-ranked Apocalypse, who had already rapidly risen, knew that the opportunity had finally come.

Using the power of the annulus civilization, she began plotting to assassinate and divide the board of directors of Noy Military, with the help of the rebel army, and successfully seized all the power.

Noy Military and the Giant Hive have both become the Almighty's possessions.

And then, she arrived.

The Almighty discovered that the real Nian was chasing after her.

She also journeyed from the Ring City to the Giant Hive, and her body was nearly on the brink of collapse. Just before facing death, she finally found the Almighty, who had already taken full control.

The two of them faced off inside the headquarters building of Noy Military.

"Why?"

At that moment, Nian's expression was filled with pain and confusion as she asked the girl who looked exactly like her, "Why did you want to kill our parents?"

Facing her "sister", the Almighty remained expressionless and swiftly provided the reasons.

"They are not my real parents at all, I understand now. The bond between so-called parents and children... it shouldn't be based on biological inheritance, but rather on emotional connection."

"Just being genetically related is not enough to explain anything."

The Almighty's words left Nian unable to forget at that moment!

"Your parents are my enemies, and the greatest wickedness they ever did to me was... bring me into existence!"

For some inexplicable reason, the Almighty didn't kill Nian, but instead cured her illness. Then, she sealed Nian's body in ice and kept her hidden away.

Next, she began to put her ideas into action.

Slowly but surely, she embarked on the ambitious task of transforming the Giant Hive into a self-contained city.

In order to fulfill the "Ascension of Belief" in the Ultimate Ritual, the Almighty made a firm decision to build a city centered around herself.

Without hesitation, she ruthlessly slaughtered all of her opponents, liberated all Noy Military clones, and forcefully positioned these clones as the elite members of society, helping her govern the city.

With a bloody iron grip, she transformed the ecosystem of the Giant Hive.

However, at this moment, the rebel army betrayed the Almighty, a non-clone female. She used to be a loyal follower of the Almighty, but now she finds her to be very frightening.

So, in secret, she led the rebel army to betray the Almighty.

She is... the true Elene.

That is, the current "Elene," Nian's foster mother.

In fact, for the already mighty Almighty at that time, destroying the rebel army she had created herself was not an impossible task.

However, in the following decades of confrontations, the Almighty consistently spared Elene.

Even though she had countless opportunities to kill her, the Almighty never actually laid a hand on destroying the rebel army.

The Almighty was also unsure of her own thoughts.

Finally, her various acts of slaughter caught the attention of the Rainbow.

The Heart of Radiance made a move.

God, descended.

In just a moment, the Almighty was killed by the descending Heart of Radiance. However, her life didn't end here. Instead, she discovered the final card granted by the annulus civilization.

The Power of Time Rewinding.

Through multiple cycles of time rewinding, she tries to find a way to defeat the Heart of Radiance!

After hundreds of cycles, the Heart of Radiance was finally forced back by the Almighty, no longer interfering with the affairs of the Giant Hive. The Almighty also became more restrained, no longer engaging in large-scale slaughter.

Instead, they began to brainwash the people in various ways.

However, during the cycle of time rewinding to defeat the Heart of Radiance, an unexpected event occurred.

It was Nian's body that, in a remarkable turn of events, was seized by the rebel forces of the Original Elene.

The Almighty didn't rewind time again to prevent this event from happening.

She wanted to take a look.

Nian wondered what she would become in the rebel forces, whether the Original Elene would kill her, or if there was another way to be dealt with.

Nian...

Will her true self find happiness again?

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"Elene" Nian, in a daze, lost her memory and was greatly shocked, stunned and unable to regain her composure.

The amount of information in this memory was truly immense.

"The current situation, to be honest, is somewhat beyond what I expected."

The Almighty squinted her eyes and said, "Nian, I have been too kind to you. In fact, I should have killed you long ago."

Nian, trembling all over, looked in anguish at the woman not far away, Elene.

So it was.

No wonder ever since her stepmother rescued her, she couldn't speak. It turns out this was a side effect caused by the brainwashing machine... The rebellion had brainwashed her.

She was the final move of Elene, the stepmother, in her battle against the Almighty.

She firmly believed that she was a perfect clone of the Almighty, possessing the potential to defeat her.

"However, she never knew until the end that it was actually me who is your clone..." the Almighty took a deep breath, her eyes filled with sadness.

She suddenly asked a question.

"What does it feel like, Nian? The feeling of being completely used by someone you consider closest to your heart, 'sister'. Do you understand how I feel now?"

"Elene", Nian closed her eyes, her body trembling lightly, and finally managed to calm down with great difficulty.

A cue board floated in front of her, and words appeared on it.

"I couldn't forgive her, but I could understand her... And our grievances had nothing to do with this... You do have valid reasons for killing my parents, they did something unforgivable to you."

"Elene" (Nian) felt some pain. Until now, she couldn't recall what happened before, unable to confirm what was truly in the past and what was a false reality.

"But I have come here to kill you not because of personal grievances, but because of the various evil deeds you have done to the people in this city for decades!"

Elene opened her eyes, her expression becoming resolute and unwavering.

She was no longer the Elene who inherited the name of Elene!

But rather, she fought until the end for the innocent people, for goodness itself, as Elene!

Bai Yan also clapped his hands and smiled, saying, "Almighty, your past may indeed be filled with darkness and suffering, but that is not a reason to seek redemption... I, as a person, have never accepted whitewashing."

The Almighty nodded gently.

She smiled, not feeling the least bit surprised about the current situation.

"It's the same reaction again, boring and immature idealists. You should all just die here."

Clearly, she didn't want to waste words.

The reason the Almighty came here was to unleash her extraordinary power that could completely destroy the members of the Babel Tower. This ability could only be used by her true self at close range.

However, the Almighty didn't dare to casually appear in her true form.

Even though she was already very powerful, she still remained cautious and careful. She didn't want to put her true self in danger unless it was absolutely necessary.

At this moment, the Almighty who arrived here was not the true Almighty.

However, she was a clone of the Almighty.

That is to say, a clone of a clone of "Elene" Nian.

The clone of the Almighty, hidden within the Matryoshka doll, understood her own situation but didn't resist. This body had no consciousness and was completely controlled by the true Almighty from a distance.

The reason why the true Almighty threw out a fake version of herself and said a bunch of things was because she wanted to see if... the Babel Tower had any hidden tricks to deal with her.

"The Savior of Babel Tower may possess powers similar to oneself."

The Almighty quickly sensed this.

She wanted to give it a try and see if she could trick out a powerful move!

However, Bai Yan and the others didn't directly take action.

"Is it true that there are no more cards left?"

The Almighty pondered for a moment and decided to use her psychic power to remotely control, making her own clone take the initiative to probe.

Inside the cloning facility, the Almighty squinted her eyes and chuckled. She reached out her hand and said, "Our souls are similar, and our powers are of the same type, Nian. Let's end your life here."

Her psychic powers erupted in chaos!

In the next moment, Bai Yan and the others' bodies began to crumble and fall apart!

This is an extraordinary power of psychic abilities, a force that is incredibly strong. It doesn't require any physical contact or aiming, as it can directly manifest within the body of the target!

In theory, if Elene's psychic power were able to reach the level of the Apocalypse, she could also obtain this kind of ability.

Bai Yan and Mu Ling both could feel that their internal organs were becoming fragmented and shattered. In a matter of seconds, their bodies would be completely disintegrated.

"What's going on?"

Partridge was not spared either, feeling pain, she screamed in agony.

"Ah, ah, ah, ah, ah!"

She wanted to beg for mercy, but she knew that Lord Almighty would not spare her.

Deep Blue World.

In the next moment, Mu Ling had already appeared behind the Almighty.

However, the Almighty herself didn't receive any harm.

Instead, she chuckled coldly and turned to look at Mu Ling behind her.

"Once again...you stood before me, completely without any threat."

A wave of shock and disbelief swept through Mu Ling's heart. Despite her countless strikes, she realized they had all landed accurately, yet had caused no harm at all.

Once again?

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Once more?

"Why do you say it again?"

Mu Ling couldn't understand the meaning behind the words of the other person, only Bai Yan could comprehend what was going on.

The Almighty, who possesses the ability to turn back time, has observed Mu Ling's abilities and effects more than once.

But he hadn't revealed his memory yet.

However, in reality, whether it was revealed or not didn't really matter.

Bai Yan narrowed his eyes.

She must have figured it out.

The Savior of the Babel Tower could understand the concept of "time rewind".

"Although in many cycles, our reactions only varied in minor details, a clever person like the Almighty should be able to deduce the true situation."

"Hehe, things just got interesting."

Bai Yan felt like the current situation was like a set of nesting dolls.

"In other words, the Almighty now knows that I know about her ability to reincarnate, yet she pretends not to know that I know. And I know that she knows and pretends not to know, but she is still pretending to not know about this."

Inside the Babel Tower, Bai Yan silently pondered on what to do next.

This time, the opponent not only had "cheats," but was also an ambitious individual who started from scratch and was very cautious and careful.

Fortunately, during the first playthrough, Bai Yan had already discerned the opponent's behavior patterns.

Inside the cloning facility.

"This is my ability, the power to exempt others... Your attacks are completely meaningless to me."

The Almighty smiled and looked at Mu Ling and the others, who were filled with caution and nervousness, and without hesitation, she spoke a lie.

In reality, the extraordinary power that just exempted harm didn't actually come from the abilities of the Almighty.

But instead, it had the effect of a Civilization-level Relic.

The Almighty, in possession of the Giant Hive, nearly laid waste to the former high-ranking members of the Noy Military, collecting a multitude of Relics along the way.

Among them, she even obtained many Civilization-level Relics.

The accumulation of an entire city ended up in her hands.

"Empty Past," a square-shaped black box that can be opened from the bottom, revealing an empty interior adorned with dazzling and eerie patterns.

The effect of this Civilization-level Relic is that "an hour in advance, within the box, it appears as if there is a piece of paper, on which you can write a 'term'. Throughout the following day, the person who writes the term will be immune to any impacts caused by such 'terms'."

The Almighty had already comprehended Mu Ling's abilities during a previous time backtrack. In advance, within the "Empty Past," she wrote down a term... "weapon."

So Mu Ling, wielding her weapon, launched an attack but it had no effect, even though she felt certain she had struck her target accurately.

As for the cost of using the Empty Past, each time the user would randomly lose an item.

Mu Ling couldn't understand why her attacks had no effect at all.

"What's going on...?"

She furrowed her brow, only knowing that this was definitely the work of some extraordinary power.

"Elene" Nian also tried to unleash extraordinary power, willing to risk her life, but her attacks were completely ineffective against the even more powerful "self."

Next, it was time for Bai Yan, who had yet to make a move, to step forward.

The Almighty seemed to not pay attention to the silent Profligate, but in reality, most of her focus was on this man.

Based on the collected information, she had already come to an important conclusion.

In the Babel Tower, the most difficult and thorny presence to deal with is not those few powerful women... Without a doubt, the most terrifying one is this man called "Profligate"!

"The Almighty."

He spoke.

"Don't think about behaving recklessly, do you think we can't handle you?"

Bai Yan suddenly sneered and said, "In fact, the great Savior has always known... your secret!"

Sure enough!

The Almighty's pupils contracted as she understood the true meaning of "knowing the secret." The Savior of Babel Tower truly could perceive what had happened in the "time reversal"!

Her own guess was correct.

"So, what exactly are you trying to say?"

The Almighty pretended to look a little surprised, her body trembling slightly, before exclaiming in disbelief, "He...no... does He know my secret?"

Mu Ling and the three of them were all taken aback, not expecting the Almighty, who seemed to have the upper hand, to suddenly be filled with such terror.

Her secret?

What is that thing?

Bai Yan nodded eagerly and burst into laughter, saying, "Hahaha, yes, it's time reversal! In fact, you possess the ability to turn back time, right? Almighty!"

Mu Ling and her two companions were shocked!



"Even if you know, so what? My powers are unbeatable," replied the Almighty dismissively.

Though she said these words, the Almighty's true intention was to see how the Babel Tower would respond to her powers.

She knew that the Babel Tower's Savior must have a hidden card up their sleeve!

The reason was simple, because the Savior of Babel Tower, knowing her abilities, relentlessly sent her subordinates to the Giant Hive, time and time again.

This just goes to show that in the Savior's heart, Babel Tower actually had a chance of winning.

But the Almighty couldn't figure out what the Babel Tower's Savior had in mind.

It shouldn't be something that could be won all at once. Maybe, it needed certain conditions...

The Almighty guessed that perhaps the Babel Tower needed to find its own self in order to unleash that trump card.

And so, the Almighty decided to give the Babel Tower a perfect opportunity.

She chose to go fishing for enforcement.

The Almighty started by taking out a perfect clone of herself from the inventory, to serve as a "scapegoat" for the ultimate deception trick.

This perfect clone could harness seventy percent of her power, but lacked self-awareness and could only be controlled by the Almighty through her psychic powers.

Then she manipulated her to interact with the people at the Babel Tower.

Now, I myself have come before you, and not only that, but right inside the very clone manufacturing center you intended to destroy.

I have already revealed such a big flaw, the Savior of Babel Tower, shouldn't you unveil your trump card to kill me now?

"It seems that I must do this." Bai Yan said in a very cooperative manner.

"He arrived," whispered a voice.

The Almighty squinted her eyes, and then witnessed a scene that left her stunned.

A tremendous power was gathering, madly converging around Bai Yan. In an instant, he began to change in a unique way, and his entire presence underwent a transformation.

Tactical Card...

A Moment of Strong Luck Like a Deity!

After time rewinds, the Tactical Card that was previously used will automatically restore to its original state... Even though in theory, the interference of the annulus civilization's power cannot reach Babel Tower, the "Babel Tower" game is surprisingly considerate in this aspect.

"Behold the mighty power of the Babel Tower!"

In the next moment, Bai Yan disappeared from sight. When he reappeared, he had summoned a fierce blaze of black flames, completely surrounding the Almighty.

The Almighty understood the power of this black flame, and she knew that her psychic powers were futile against it. However, she had a Civilization-level Relic that could help her escape from being engulfed by the Fire that Burns Everything.

At that moment, she discovered that her Civilization-level Relic had vanished without a trace.

What's happening?

The Almighty immediately realized a possibility.

"Could it be that, because of the cost of 'Empty Past', that thing has been lost?"

This is simply impossible, because of the effect of 'Blood Luck', the cost that my 'Empty Past' has to pay will only result in the loss of completely unimportant items!

"Blood Luck" and "Empty Past" were a perfect combination!

When the Almighty's body was surrounded by black flames, she finally understood the reason... There was a possibility that the overwhelming luck of the Savior had overshadowed her.

"Oh, I see now. The trump card is the ability or relic that can enhance luck forcefully, right? That's all. It's a bit disappointing... It seems the Babel Tower is just like that."

At the moment when she was engulfed by the black flames, the Almighty's expression remained calm and serene.

Meanwhile, Bai Yan revealed a look of utter surprise and disbelief.

"How is this possible? Could it be that, the you here is not your original self?"

Mu Ling was also filled with astonishment as she looked towards Mr. Profligate.

She had never seen this man lose composure before.

Even when faced with the terrifying "Chosen for Eternity" back then, Mr. Profligate remained composed, showing no trace of fear.

"What on earth..."

She hadn't had a chance to vocalize her confusion when suddenly, time rewound once again!

Everything started to rewind, and there was no power capable of stopping it.

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The female partridge extended her finger, pointing towards a building not far ahead.

"The building ahead is my home away from home,"

"Run away!"

Mu Ling, Elene, and Partridge all froze as a sound just moments ago came from nearby.

They spotted Mr. Profligate beside them, his face filled with unease and fear at that moment.

Bai Yan took a deep breath, as if he had lost his fighting spirit, and tried to persuade everyone:

"The Almighty is truly invincible. We can't handle her, so it's better to retreat early before any casualties occur."

Chapter 455:

"Acting."

The Almighty remained calm, observing the people at the Babel Tower from behind the scenes.

Is this acting, right?

Pretending to have lost the will to fight, wanting to make oneself careless.

The mighty inspiration grants one the ability of foresight. The Almighty possesses tremendous psychic power, and her inspiration is also exceptionally strong. Occasionally, she can catch glimpses of future images.

Even without any evidence, the Almighty still believed that this fellow called "Profligate" was actually pretending, putting on a performance.

In fact, the true capabilities of the Babel Tower may not have been revealed yet.

Sure enough.

Although Profligate seemed to have lost his will to fight, he immediately said that the Savior of the Babel Tower still didn't want them to leave the Giant Hive.

"Do you not understand what it means to give up when things get difficult?"

The Almighty smirked in the shadows, knowing that they were feigning weakness, hoping that their hidden self could let their guard down.

"Unfortunately, the Savior of the Babel Tower didn't know that the more they behaved this way, the more I would actually be cautious. I can eliminate them without even needing to show my true self..."

The Almighty, who held such thoughts, immediately embarked on her own attempt in the new round of battle.

However, in the midst of the new cycle, the Almighty was unable to achieve her goal.

Her goal was... to completely decimate the Babel Tower group, including the perfect clone that possessed seventy percent of her power, and to intimidate the Savior.

I hope to resolve all the problems without the need for my actual presence.

However, the Almighty soon encountered a difficult issue. Despite knowing a multitude of information, she discovered that she couldn't rely solely on the perfect clones to defeat the members of Babel Tower.

The opponent's strength was undoubtedly remarkable. Apart from relying on luck enhancement, they possessed a multitude of other clever tactics.

Even the Savior of Babel Tower could summon additional members of Babel Tower, making the situation more challenging for the Almighty to face. The formidable opponent she had to contend with wasn't limited to just Nightsaber and Profligate.

And there was that mighty vampire.

And the three of them joined forces, without a doubt, effortlessly defeating the perfect clone of the Almighty.

The Almighty behind the scenes furrowed her brow, feeling a hint of unease.

In theory, she was actually invincible, because no matter what mistakes appeared, she could solve them by rewinding time.

But what if... she encountered an opponent that she couldn't defeat at all?

No matter how much she rewound time, there were enemies she couldn't find a solution for... Of course, such formidable foes existed.

Perhaps the Babel Tower was such an adversary in the story!

"Only I and my clone together can have a chance to defeat all the people of the Babel Tower..."

Inside the headquarters building of Noy Military, a grand company with 155 floors, there was a room that wasn't extravagant but rather had a classical charm to it. The furniture and decorations exuded a sense of humanity.

Sitting in the room, the Almighty, who had the same appearance as the girl who had appeared before everyone, pondered the current situation and fell into deep thought.

"Once more..."

The cycle began again.

However, this time the Almighty still failed to succeed.

Over and over again, time after time...

Mu Ling and the others showed no reaction, but Bai Yan felt mentally exhausted. Each time, he had to speculate about the Almighty's thoughts and also control the actions of himself and the others.

He couldn't let the Babel Tower reveal its power to easily destroy the Almighty, directly scaring them to the point of not daring to come out or even escape.

However, the Almighty couldn't easily defeat the Babel Tower without using her true form.

We must force her true form to emerge!

"Defeating the boss is not a difficult task, but aiming for the platinum trophy is indeed a challenge..."

Bai Yan sighed, and could only accompany the Almighty to play time and time again.

The seventeenth time.

Time rewind.

This time, the Almighty was finally pushed to the brink of despair.

She finally learned something.

If he didn't risk his life and give his all, he would never be able to defeat and make the Babel Tower retreat.

Even though she possessed the power to turn back time, her strong cards on hand didn't actually provide her with such ample freedom... No, that wasn't the case.

But the Babel Tower was too powerful.

She couldn't truly understand how a mysterious organization that had only appeared for about a year could become so powerful.

"Babel Tower, it was truly a very scary thing..."

As for the mysterious Savior hidden behind the scenes, just the mere thought of this name fills the Almighty with a hint of fear.

For some reason, even though she didn't feel like she had truly reached a desperate situation, she still felt a sense of awe towards the Savior of Babel Tower.

That was definitely a mighty deity.

And, it should be even more terrifying than the Heart of Radiance.

The Heart of Radiance itself had little influence in World of Noah, and its true form was greatly restricted upon descending, which is why it gave the Almighty a chance.

However, the Savior of Babel Tower never truly appeared, yet they could effortlessly influence the various nations of Noah's world through powerful "pawns".

"What a frightening presence, perhaps one day, He will be able to control the entire world of Noah..."

The Almighty mumbled to herself:

"If your purpose is to force out my true form, to kill me... that's actually not a true solution to time reversal... Only killing my true form would not be able to prevent time reversal."

If only killing the true form could prevent time reversal, then the Almighty would have been killed by the Heart of Radiance in the past.

In fact, even if the true form is killed, the consciousness of the Almighty would instantly transfer to a clone, and there would still be gaps and opportunities to initiate time reversal!

Her clone, of course, not only existed in the clone production center. In fact, to prevent unexpected situations, the Almighty had long ago hidden backup clones in various secret locations.

And besides her, no one else knew the location.

It is because she had various preparations that the Almighty considered herself an "invincible" being.

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"I always felt that something was not right."

Once again, Mu Ling arrived at Partridge's house. She furrowed her brows and felt that something was not quite right.

Why did she have a strong sense of *déjà vu*?

"Maybe, the Almighty, she has the power to foresee the future!"

Mu Ling, combining her sense of déjà vu, had a sudden idea and blurted out this unfounded judgment.

Mu Ling, with just an hour remaining in this cycle of reincarnation, purely relied on her intuition and inspiration to make deductions.

"It's not about foreseeing the future, but rather, traveling back in time," Bai Yan stood by and calmly revealed the truth.

Mu Ling and her two companions were all astonished!

In this cycle of reincarnation, it was their first time learning about this horrifying thing.

"Actually, we have traveled back in time many times. And during these instances of time travel, the great Savior has been engaged in a battle of wits and bravery with the Almighty."

"You have come here many times before."

After Bai Yan finished speaking, he added, "The Savior told me all this information, it's absolutely true."

"I can't believe it turned out like this..."

The information was overwhelming, and Mu Ling couldn't process it all right away.

Partridge's face turned pale, she knew that the Almighty was incredibly powerful, but she never expected them to be this powerful.

"Will we all die?"

That person actually possessed such terrifying power, and Elene appeared astonished, but soon she calmed down.

How shall we handle this in the end?

Elene took a deep breath and pulled out her notepad. She slowly wrote down her thoughts.

"So, what should we do then? If that's the case, can't we just destroy the cloning facility without being able to kill the Almighty?"

"In fact, the outcome had already been determined," Bai Yan spoke slowly, saying, "Babel Tower would conquer the Almighty, there was no doubt about this outcome."

After several rounds of confrontation, the Almighty had come to realize.

As the greatest fighting force, if she didn't show up and give it her all, it would be impossible for everyone to defeat Babel Tower.

Throughout the process, Bai Yan remained in control of the overall strength of the Babel Tower members.

Gradually, the Almighty in the shadows started to feel a sense of illusion.

Babel Tower was stronger than her clones, but its strength was actually limited. If she herself joined the battle, there was a very high chance that she would be able to defeat everyone in Babel Tower.

"The choices currently before the Almighty are actually only two... Either endure and survive by hiding, allowing this city to be 'destroyed' by us... Or gather all the strength and make a desperate attempt to kill us."

"What do you think she will choose?" Bai Yan asked with a smile.

After a moment of silence, Mu Ling spoke, "It should be the first one, I think."

"According to what you just said, isn't she a cautious person? Even if we behave recklessly outside, as long as she keeps hiding, she can still persevere for a long time."

"The second one."

After a moment of silence, Elene concentrated her psychic power and wrote down her thoughts on the message board.

"That thing hidden deep within the person's soul, it is madness."

There is an old saying that goes, "Your enemies understand you better than your friends."

As a matter of fact, it was also true.

In her heart, Elene knew that deep down, the Almighty was a person consumed by madness.

Normally, she seemed timid and cautious, but when it came to crucial moments of taking a chance, she would not have any fear.

"I also think the second possibility is more likely," Bai Yan nodded.

"So, when will she launch the attack?" Mu Ling didn't question, but simply accepted her teammates' judgment.

"Anything can happen at any time."

Just as Bai Yan had finished speaking, he suddenly felt a surge of inspiration. He sensed a tremendous threat approaching this place.

Have they arrived?

Their determination to kill us was unwavering.

"Is this where we start?"

Bai Yan, Mu Ling, and Elene were not afraid at all, but Partridge couldn't bear her fear. She cowered on the ground, trembling, and suddenly looked up towards the window.

Partridge was extremely startled and cried out!

"In the sky, what is that!"

A gigantic warship, nearly a thousand meters long, shimmering with silver-white light, suddenly appeared in the sky.

Its sleek hull was inscribed with countless runes, harnessing a power that evoked fear. Beneath the massive ship, silver-colored energy gathered within the disc-shaped structure.

Bai Yan gazed outside the window as a colossal figure filled the sky, emanating an overwhelming presence. It was gathering a tremendous force, as powerful as a roaring tsunami.

"That is not something from Noah's world... It is assistance from the Almighty."

Chapter 456:

This gigantic warship didn't belong to World of Noah, nor did it belong to Noy Military. Instead, it came from another civilization.

Noy Military had long ago colonized other worlds, where they encountered civilizations stronger than themselves or evenly matched in strength.

They actually had a long-term cooperation with a military-oriented civilization.

The meaning of the name of this civilization was "Blue."

"Blue" was a purely military civilization, governed by soldiers who held power at all levels. The highest-ranking leader was the Supreme General. Its inhabitants were all purple octopus-like creatures, while the higher-ranking military personnel were red squid-like creatures. However, all the generals were blue spider-like creatures.

The Almighty was also unaware of what their civilization was all about, but she knew that the other party was willing to cooperate with her.

"Blue" follows a long-established contract, sending a Abyss-class warship when necessary, to provide support to the Noy Military Company.

However, the Almighty had to give them the souls of a hundred thousand people every time afterwards.

So, for the Almighty, this was indeed a lucrative deal!

Inside the apartment, Bai Yan gazed out the window, as a gigantic warship in the sky gathered energy.

With one shot, everything inside this hive will be completely destroyed... The annular civilization's barrier exists on the outside of the Giant Hive, as well as the hexagonal layers separating the hive chambers and rooms.

Inside the hive, there was actually no protective force.

"Can't let it attack, Mu Ling."

Bai Yan instinctively issued a command, and in the next moment, Mu Ling disappeared from the spot.

Deep Blue World.

The girl with red pupils and white hair had already soared into the sky. In her hand, the sharp blade traced a long golden light, as if it instantly struck the enormous ship in the sky.

The power of this strike was unstoppable, and Mu Ling had exerted all her strength.

Time returned to normal.

The enormous ship remained undamaged.

Mu Ling's expression in the sky was grim. Even though she had unleashed her full attack, she still couldn't break through the defense of the colossal ship in the sky.



Powerful technological force!

And, she realized that she was simply too weak...

In the next moment, the colossal ship finished charging, and a violent surge of energy poured down.

"Boom!"

The nesting homes of several residents were about to be destroyed.

Destructive and overwhelming power!

However, it didn't have any effect... The ocean-like energy gradually faded away, becoming nothing.

The attack just now was absorbed by something. Bai Yan stood on the ground, holding up a uniquely shaped ring in his hand.

It was the ring that absorbed the destructive and overwhelming impact just now!

It had six golden points, resembling a dark golden hexagram, brimming with a mysterious aura.

This is a Civilization-level Relic that Bai Yan had retrieved using the power of the Scourge of War.

"Dark Gold Trap"

It can form an incredibly massive defensive formation, capable of neutralizing any energy attack that comes its way. However, it requires a long cooldown period after each use.

The cost of the authentic Dark Gold Trap is one of the five senses.

However, because it was a civilization-level relic taken out from the Scourge of War, Bai Yan didn't pay any price, and the effect of the relic was also reduced by half.

In the next moment, the absorbed energy of the Dark Gold Trap burst forth again!

Bounced towards the sky, instantly engulfing the silver-white giant ship!

"Let's defeat the strongest first!"

In that very moment, the Almighty suddenly appeared beside everyone, and without hesitation, snapped her fingers at Bai Yan.

She still had the same appearance as Elene, but she looked much older with long, black hair.

"Vanish!"

This was her most powerful ability, one that only her true self could wield.

And it can only be used on individual targets within a close range, and after each use, a long period of rest is required.

But the specific effect of "vanish" is also very powerful, as it can instantly erase someone's existence!

Bai Yan, without even a chance to struggle or react, simply vanished into thin air.

"Hmm?"

Mu Ling was momentarily stunned, then she noticed another woman with long black hair standing in front of her, who looked exactly like the woman who had just attacked Mr. Profligate.

Wait a moment... Mr. Profligate...

Who is it?

Mu Ling fell into deep thought. Who was this person that just came to her mind? Who exactly was Mr. Profligate?

She had no recollection of this existence whatsoever...

This is the terrifying aspect of "obliteration," not only is it as simple as killing a person, but it completely erases their presence from the timeline of history.

If it weren't for Mu Ling's strong intuition and irrational instinct, she wouldn't even remember the name Profligate.

"Do not worry, I am here."

The Almighty's perfect clone smiled and looked at Mu Ling, who was deep in thought in front of her.

"Two identical enemies... a double? A clone? Magic?"

Mu Ling furrowed her brow, realizing that her body was deteriorating from within. It must be some kind of power possessed by the other person.

Deep Blue World.

Without hesitation, she froze time, intending to launch her attack. However, in the split second of time suspension, she heard a voice in her mind.

[Do not use weapons]

Although there were no further instructions, Mu Ling fully chose to believe in that moment.

The Savior's command is absolute!

Without hesitation, she relinquished her weapon and proceeded to land punches, relentlessly striking hundreds of times.

As time halted, the Almighty's perfect clone instantly transformed into a rainstorm of blood.

"Did you understand?"

The Almighty witnessed the demise of the clone, yet felt neither surprised nor frightened.

Then, one after another, clones of her original self emerged from all directions.

"Babel Tower, your enemies are still 33,864! Can you defeat them all? Should you leave or stay here and face hell?"

Even though she wasn't skilled at direct combat, the Almighty had a knack for "death by a thousand cuts" and was practically unkillable.

She had an overwhelming number of clones.

The Almighty had more clones of herself than all the other types of clones combined. After all, having a few extra "lives" for oneself is always a good thing.

The Almighty can also be understood as performing a daily routine of... "stacking" thirty-three thousand rounds, over and over again!

"Once I feel that my clones are rapidly decreasing, and all hope is lost, I will immediately activate 'time rewind' and everything will start anew."

The Almighty calmly recounted the facts.

"You will never be able to truly kill me."

"Babel Tower, let's each take a step back. As long as you agree to sign a treaty with me, pledging not to invade the Giant Hive again, I won't cause any trouble for you."

Inside the Babel Tower, Bai Yan sighed, realizing that completely killing the Almighty was even more difficult than reaching the heavens.

Oh, in the extraordinary world, reaching the heavens doesn't seem to be a difficult task...

The recent "annihilation" had no impact on him at all, as if it was just a trick played by the other side with a "fake monkey".

"More than thirty thousand of her clones have appeared, but many more clones have been secretly hidden. Of course, they wouldn't put all the eggs in one basket."

The expressions on the faces of Mu Ling and the others were all unpleasant. Deep down, they understood that it was incredibly difficult to defeat the Almighty, who possessed both the "time reversal" and "infinite backup" abilities at the same time.

This was not simply a matter of combat power, but rather an ability that was too nauseating!

"The Savior's command was absolute."

As Mu Ling spoke, the hidden Bai Yan secretly identified who the true Almighty was.

The real body is right here!

"Hahaha!"

The voice of the Almighty came from all directions.

"Then let you taste despair... Give up while you still can."

The slightly damaged massive warship in the sky activated a massive shield, once again gathering energy, preparing for the next wave of attacks.

At that moment, however, it suddenly began to crumble and shatter from within, followed by a series of explosions.

Scarlet Moon had appeared inside the massive warship, though it was unclear when she had arrived.

Her mighty strike! Unmatched in its power, it pierced through the massive warship from the inside, reaching beyond World itself!

The Almighty, who had long been aware of the existence of the Scarlet Moon, was not surprised in the least. Not a hint of astonishment crossed her face, and she felt no remorse for the "allies" inside the warship.

She simply felt that she still had the upper hand...

Something was not right with the moon in the sky.

Wait a moment, moon?

The hexagonal chambers of the giant hive, tightly interconnected, created an illusionary sky that people saw. Only at night did the projection of a false moon appear in the sky.

How could there be the presence of a moon during the daytime...

In that moment, the consciousness of the Almighty became hazy.

Not only her, but the meaning of all the clone bodies present began to blur.

They saw a beautiful half-elf girl.

As if she was the very essence of moonlight.

She was dancing.

Like a dream come true.

Chapter 457:

Everyone had to admit that the Almighty possessed a formidable power that caused much distress.

With the ability of "time regression" and "infinite backup," combined with her own strength... it made her nearly invincible and almost impossible to be killed.

But, even for such a tricky being, there still existed its own vulnerabilities.

A fatal weakness.

The ability of 'time regression' required conscious activation, while 'infinite backup' granted her an unlimited number of bodies, though it was impossible to have multiple souls.

From beginning to end, the Almighty only had one soul.

She didn't need a real duplicate of herself.

Because of the annulus civilization's protection over the city, the Heart of Radiance couldn't instantly eliminate her soul. However, the members of the Babel Tower who infiltrated the interior of the Giant Hive through the power of the Babel Tower could bypass the annulus civilization's barrier and directly inflict soul damage that could not be diminished.

True invincibility doesn't exist.

Although Bai Yan couldn't utilize the potential of Core Operators, Maryse, whom he had carefully nurtured, still possessed the possibility of becoming the "Moon Dancer" after arriving at Apocalypse and choosing the power of fairy tales.

However, after Maryse made her choice, the powers of other possibilities couldn't grow stronger anymore. Yet, those possibilities remained effective even after being activated.

The dance of the Moon Dancer possessed the power to bewitch souls.

And, this dreadful power originated from the Eternal Moon within the Outer God, perhaps even affecting divine beings, so the mere Almighty was naturally not immune to it.

The Almighty, at this very moment, had a blurred consciousness and stared blankly at the "moonlight" in the sky.

Unable to think.

She was fascinated.

That was an unimaginable attraction for others, with countless moonlights seemingly transformed into a vast amount of information, containing various things that the Almighty struggled to comprehend.

Bai Yan knew in his heart that as long as he could eliminate her true form during the time when the Almighty was unable to transfer consciousness...

And everything came to an end.

The Almighty may be powerful on her own, but in World of adventures, it's all about the strength in numbers!

Bai Yan had trained so many people for the Babel Tower, and now it was the perfect time to make use of them.

Although possessing the tremendous power of Power Possession, Bai Yan was unable to harness the potential within them. Therefore, no matter what, he could never replace any Core Operator.

Maryse was really upset.

She once again adorned herself with moonlight and danced gracefully.

A strange feeling reappeared, and she wished that anyone witnessing her dance would perish immediately!

[Oh, how frustrating, what could possibly be happening...]

[I was just out shopping, why is this happening...]

Maryse quickly discovered that a piece of paper was starting to transform in mid-air, gradually turning into the figure of Mr. Profligate.

[Oh, Senior Profligate is here!]

He seemed to be sitting in mid-air, completely detached from World.

Profligate smiled as he looked at the physical form of the Almighty, squinting his eyes, feeling in complete control of everything.

Although Maryse was not being noticed by the other person at all, she unknowingly danced with even more enthusiasm and initiative, as if she wanted to show her beautiful side.

Bai Yan, who was in the sky, spoke slowly:

"Almighty, this is your final fate... So, this 'war' is coming to an end here."

However... this was just the beginning in Bai Yan's heart.

This city was actually very important to Bai Yan.

At the very top of the sky!

The Scarlet Moon looked down upon everyone like a mighty witch!

The red flames kept burning through the air, making everything around them become incredibly hot. The sky and clouds turned crimson, as if it were the end of World.

Her voice was commanding, full of authority.

"I don't know who you are, and I'm not familiar with you... but since you're against the Babel Tower, you are also my enemy."

She had always been different from Elene, Mu Ling, and others.

The Scarlet Moon never cared about right or wrong, good or evil. She only knew who were the ones she needed to pay attention to, the ones she wanted to protect.

Too much talking is of no use.

Bad Inflammation resembled a force of utmost evil. She transformed into a red comet, descending rapidly!

"Boom!"

With a series of layered powers, a tremendous explosion was triggered on the ground, causing an unmatched force that pierced through one nest after another, directly shattering the vast land.

The Almighty's body was reduced to ashes by the crimson flames, never to exist again!

A giant column of fire soared into the sky from the ground, leaving countless people in awe as they watched this spectacle.

Partridge knelt on the ground, looking dazed.

Her face was filled with disbelief.

"Lord Almighty, has been defeated?"

The next moment, one after another, the clones of the Almighty collapsed.

Even though they still had vitality, the clones completely lost consciousness, behaving like vegetative beings.

Bad Inflammation is a fantastical relic within the Scourge of War that can directly harm one's soul.

Bai Yan was well aware that under the Scarlet Moon's recent full-force attack, the defenseless Almighty had been completely killed.

She didn't say anything before she passed away.

Nor did she have the chance to express any remorse, reflections, or even curses.

Inside the Giant Hive, there was a powerful figure who was both worshipped and feared.

Mysterious clones emerged unexpectedly, rising to power. The beings that had once made even the gods helpless were now caught off guard and vanished without a trace.

With a single careless move, everything was lost. Reality always remains so cruel.

No matter how many great feats there once were, no matter what dreadful plans were planned for the future, they all now amounted to mere empty words.

Because she had already passed away.

"Great job, Your Majesty! It's so amazing that I feel scared just by watching."

In the sky, Maryse looked at the vampire queen among the flames. Bai Yan, flying through the air, smiled and clapped his hands. Then, he immediately nodded towards the impatient Maryse.

Maryse also smiled.

"Haha."

The Scarlet Moon smirked, flying to Bai Yan's side and sternly commanded, "I'm thirsty, come over tonight."

"You only have this little wicked hobby."

Bai Yan nodded, knowing deep down that only genuine blood could appease this creature. Sighing, he thought to himself, "Unlike Maryse, it's not as easy to please this one."

"Evil? Vampires drink blood, humans eat meat, isn't it all natural?"

The Scarlet Moon furrowed her brows and continued, "I am different from all of you. I am not an idealist."

"I am not either," Bai Yan said with a smile.

"You are."

The Scarlet Moon gazed into Bai Yan's eyes and continued, "I could taste from the person's blood, what kind of person they truly were..."

Bai Yan remained silent, while the Scarlet Moon continued to speak.

"But sometimes, people actually don't understand themselves, who they really are, what they should become, and what they will eventually become."

—

Noy Military Headquarters Building.

In this headquarters building, the clone individuals who serve as the "offspring" of the Almighty didn't offer any resistance and instead chose to surrender directly.

The downfall of the revered Almighty had already been enough to make them lose faith in the battle.

The deep blue giant slime is in the hall, it's a bit exhausting as it swallows the frightened clone individuals one by one, then regurgitates them after brainwashing them.

From the perspective of mistreating prisoners, this was inhumane, and from the perspective of not judging war criminals, this was unjust... but it was also the quickest way to take control of the situation, handling the aftermath.

And so, Bai Yan chose it.

In the basement of the headquarters building, there was an incredibly bright and secret room, spacious and enormous.

In the enormous room, there were rows of neatly arranged white cabinets. Inside the compartments of these cabinets were one safe after another, storing important items.

In front of the cabinet, Elene held a strand of blue silk thread in her hand and fell into deep thoughts.

That was the Almighty's memory.

She looked at it once again.

"Is this memory real or fake?"

Text appeared on the cue card once again.

Standing by, Bai Yan shook his head and said, "It has no traps, no tricks to drive you mad. It's just a memory, but not necessarily true."

From the moment they stepped into this city, they could see all sorts of enormous lies everywhere.

Many people strongly believed in this, thinking that World outside the Giant Hive was on the verge of destruction, and only the Almighty protected everyone as the true God of humanity.

He thought for a moment and said, "Actually, I lean towards it being partly true and partly false. The Almighty probably embellished her own experiences, defining herself as a victim."

Elene stayed silent for a long time this time.

Finally, words appeared once again on the cue card.

"I didn't know who I was before, and I didn't know who others wanted me to become... But luckily, I had the chance to finally decide who I wanted to be."

Although he had already heard her decision, Bai Yan became somewhat concerned this time because of Scarlet Moon's recent words, which stirred something within him.

Bai Yan pondered for a moment and asked:

"Do you no longer wish to inherit that person's will, but instead, want to become a new Elene, the Elene who lives for the sake of ordinary people?"

"No."

To Bai Yan's surprise, the response on the cue card was completely unexpected!

What is happening?

This time, the choice turned out to be different!

Bai Yan froze for a moment, then suddenly realized, "Ah! That's right, this situation is different from the last time."

At that time, she and I were facing the Almighty, and it was still the "war" period.



She chose to continue being Elene at that time, perhaps because... back then, she believed that for this city, Elene was necessary to exist.

"Babel Tower will take over this city, I am willing to believe that the Savior will make the city better. If that's the case, I am no longer needed here, and Elene is no longer needed either..."

"Elene" Nian remained silent, her fingers tapping on the icy keyboard, making a steady clacking sound.

She gazed into Bai Yan's eyes.

"But... if the Savior makes people feel pain, despair, and unable to speak up for the things they love, a new Elene will be born in this city. It may not be me, but eventually, there will be someone."

"The darkness will not exist forever."

Bai Yan chuckled and started singing a different tune:

"Will there always be a hero in times of oppression? Will the hero always defeat the villains? Not necessarily, in fact, it is all just the imagination of idealists in the end."

But Nian shook her head, revealing a smile she had never had in countless lifetimes past:

"These things don't concern me for now. From now on, I will live as Nian and no longer be the leader of the rebel army... There is no longer a need for the rebel army to exist."

"Um, actually, I want to open a flower shop."

Chapter 458:

"So, goodbye, Miss Nian."

Bai Yan smiled and nodded, gradually disappearing into thin air.

The people of Babel Tower, one by one, left as if they had never been there before.

But the Giant Hive city has already been completely transformed now... and also its future.

Finally, Nian also left the headquarters building of Noy Military Company.

Partridge, filled with unease, was taken away by Mr. Profligate, and no one knew what her outcome would be, but everyone felt that Mr. Profligate's smile was sinister.

After leaving the building, Nian looked at the unfamiliar buildings in front of her and got lost in thought. On the streets and corners, there were promotional paintings and videos about "The Almighty – male version."

The people living in this city had not yet realized that reality had been rewritten. Starting tomorrow, dramatic changes were about to occur, turning everything upside down.

She did it.

The Rebellion's longstanding ideals and pursuits.

And so, Nian remembered once again that crucial person.

What kind of being are you, after all?

Is the "you" in my memories all just an illusion?

How much of the family bond we shared, do you think, was truly real?

Nian still remembers the days when she lived with her foster mother.

That was the happiest time in her memory.

She, her foster mother, the original Elene of the Rebel Army, taught her many lessons through words and actions. Nian has always acknowledged that she admires that woman.

Of course, Nian also remembers that day.

She will never forget the day her foster mother passed away.

"Nian, I'm going to die."

Nian closed her eyes, as if the redhead woman was still right in front of her.

"Inside the rebel group, someone betrayed me."

"Before the sun rises again, I will die and my soul will vanish into nothingness."

"But Elene couldn't simply die like this."

"This city cannot completely succumb to darkness... But perhaps, it is because of the presence of darkness that people yearn for Elene. Only in the presence of shadows can light shine even brighter."

"Sorry..."

"From today on, your name is Elene."

—

The rebel base was extremely secretive, located within a hidden space barrier.

For many years, the rebel leaders would only gather here during crucial moments, to hold important meetings.

It had been several years since they last saw their leader, Elene. In fact, even though they were high-ranking members of the rebel group, they had no idea who Elene was now or where she could be.

Because Nian had learned from her adoptive mother's betrayal, she used her extraordinary psychic powers to remotely control and manage the rebel group.

No one knows her whereabouts and true identity, so there is no possibility of betraying her.

Ordinary members of the rebel group didn't even know... that the current leader, Elene, was already the second generation Elene, and no longer the original, first generation Elene.

In a secret base, inside a dimly lit room, sat over a dozen peculiarly dressed individuals, each with a different expression.

"The Almighty is dead? Is this true?"

"I don't know if it's true or false, but now there are really a lot of reports saying so. However, it could be a plot, the Almighty is suspicious."

"Sure enough, it seemed like the members of the Babel Tower and Noy's forces had a fierce fight not long ago. It happened at the nest outside the cloning center, where the bodies of the Almighty's clones poured out in large numbers."

"We could see from the surveillance that there is a very powerful vampire queen in the Babel Tower. She has directly pierced the nest with a huge pit, displaying an incredibly exaggerated strength..."

"What in World is this gigantic ship, gosh!"

Suddenly, an elderly man dressed in a suit and with white hair raised his hand among the crowd.

Everyone immediately fell silent.

The old man spoke in a deep voice:

"Everyone, please stay calm. Our leader Elene must know something, otherwise she wouldn't have gathered all of us for a meeting."

"On ordinary days, she would communicate messages using her psychic power, without revealing her true identity, and she had never gathered everyone together like she did today."

The old man's name was Herman, and his code name was "Gray Gloves."

"Gray Gloves" held a position second only to the leader within the rebel army. He possessed the power of spatial teleportation and object concealment, making him the chief steward and the second-in-command with Crown level strength among the rebels.

[I'm sorry I arrived late.]

Just at that moment, everyone present heard a sound.

It was a voice that belonged to a woman.

They were momentarily taken aback, but soon they saw a black-haired girl appear at the door, calmly looking at everyone.

Floating by her side was an electronic prompter, but the voice didn't come from there.

...but instead it appeared directly in the minds of each person.

Important members of the rebel army all have "special psychic power props" made from Nian's hair, ensuring smooth communication among the rebel army and enabling her to locate and monitor everyone at any time.

Everyone stood up and saluted the respected leader of the rebel army.

"These few years, you have worked hard."

"Finally, I've met you, leader! Hahaha, I never expected you to be this young..."

"I wonder why everyone has been called together this time."

"Rumor has it that the Almighty has passed away, is this true?"

The high-ranking members of the rebel army were discussing fervently.

The Grey Glove, Herrm deeply took a breath, looked at the second generation of Elene, the young girl.

"Has our war ended?"

[Hmm, the war has ended.]

It was just a softly spoken sentence, but it made everyone feel as if they had just woken up from a dream, filled with disbelief.

Then came cheers, joy, and tears.

But Nian had not finished speaking yet.

[Next, this Giant Hive will be jointly managed by you and the forces of Babel Tower. As for the rebel army... from today onwards, it will be officially disbanded.]

After this statement, everyone present stood frozen in surprise.

Babel Tower?

Who are they?

The rebel army disbanded?

Yes, it is.

The war had already ended, so there was no need for the existence of the rebel army anymore.

But why did the Babel Tower...

This meeting went on for several hours.

The high-ranking members of the rebel army were filled with confusion and bewilderment, but Nian patiently explained everything.

In the end, they chose to believe in their leader.

For now...let's go along with the Babel Tower.

When everyone else had left, only Nian and "Gloved" Herman remained.

"You have become a great leader and fulfilled your foster mother's lifelong wish. Congratulations! Honestly, I never thought I would live to see the downfall of the Almighty."

Herman's voice carried a subtle note of contentment.

Nian remained silent for a moment, then nodded gently.

"There are some things, perhaps, that you should know..."

Herman seemed to have made up his mind and walked towards a hidden room. "You know, don't you? That place is our special confinement room. There is something that requires your attention."

Nian nodded, pretending she didn't know anything, and followed Herman towards the room.

There, Herman discovered a mind-washing device and accessed the historical footage stored within it.

That was an important recording.

"Look at this, it's about you, your foster mother, and even the Almighty..."

Herman sighed and said, "After facing the Almighty, you must have realized that she is connected to you."

Nian didn't answer, she just calmly watched that recording.

She reached out her hand and gently touched the instrument. With the power of her psychic abilities, her consciousness seemed to enter the stored recording.

Nian experienced firsthand the events that had happened in the past.

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"I still believe we should destroy her."

In the dark room, "Gray Gloves" Herman's face was solemn.

He sat on the chair, taking a deep breath, and gave a warning to the red-haired woman in front of him.

"She's very dangerous, and at any moment she could be activated. And then, with the army of the Almighty, she would slaughter us all!"

The red-haired woman shook her head.

"No, I can sense... this girl is different."

Nian saw that figure once again.

The first generation of Elene.

Her own... foster mother.

The tall woman with red hair was smoking, gazing at the artificial sunlight outside the window, her face filled with a mix of complicated emotions.

"Herman, she is different from those Almighty clones who slaughtered us. She has her own soul, and there exists a consciousness that is separate from the Almighties."

Herman continued, "However, if you look closely at her face, this girl is still a clone of the Almighty. And considering how many people the clones have killed, why can't we kill her?"

He didn't want to believe in the clones.

Most members of the Rebel Alliance harbored a deep hatred towards the clones.

They wished to devour their flesh and drink their blood.

The red-haired woman, Original Elene, turned around and remained silent for a while, until the sunlight gradually faded away:

"She has not been controlled by the Almighty yet, and she is a 'perfect clone.' Perhaps after awakening, she will possess at least half of the power of the Almighty herself. In the future, we might rely on her strength to turn the tables."

"So, what are you going to do?" Herman asked.

The red-haired woman said, "I will erase her memories and then raise her by my side."

Herman stared blankly for a moment, growing increasingly excited, completely disagreeing with Original Elene's idea.

"You will raise another Almighty! Another terrifying monster! She will destroy us!"

Original Elene put down her cigarette and looked at the girl lying on the bed, her eyes filled with reluctance for the past.

"I believe that people are not born bad. Even if they are the same person, different experiences and encounters with others can shape different personalities and destinies. They may have different thoughts and aspirations. Even if her genes are identical to those of the Almighty, I believe... I can teach a child to be kind."

"Faced with an irrational destiny and the outcasts in people's hearts, we are human and cannot avoid fear... However, we need to have eyes that can stare at fear and dare to stand up against the whole world."

She slowly approached the sleeping girl and gently caressed her face.

"Will you be our hope?"

The recording ended at this point.

After watching the recording, Nian closed her eyes.

Her body trembled slightly, clearly filled with excitement.

The elderly man with white hair, Herman, spoke slowly beside them:

"I won't say 'I'm sorry,' you know, our struggle against Noy Military is a war, not a game. At least, I always believe that any means are permissible in times of necessity. And there is no evidence to prove that your appearance is not another trap of the Almighty."

"But now, I must tell you something... when she was with you later, she truly loved you."

"There is only one thing in your future life that you need not doubt."

Herman bowed deeply.

Then, he turned around and walked out of the room.

Nian shed her first tears and then laughed.

She slowly took out a fresh flower and gently placed it on the ground. After that, she didn't look back and left this place.

Chapter 459:

"Is this reasonable?"

Night Union, the Ring City.

Old Mike had just shot and killed the interrogated member of the Siskin organization. He squinted his eyes and stared at the short video playing on his glasses.

He had a look of disbelief on his face, like an elderly person on the subway looking at a cellphone.

The occurrence and conclusion of this major event, he had never been informed by the other people of Babel Tower.

The viral video that spread online depicted the epic battle between the Almighty and Babel Tower, culminating in the Queen of the Scarlet Moon ultimately defeating the Almighty.

"Babel Tower can actually defeat the Almighty and occupy the Giant Hive... It achieved all this solely with the help of the handsome men and beautiful women at the party, as well as that mysterious person hiding in the shadows."

"Well, it's clear to see, the Almighty is nothing but a heap of dung."

The story goes, deep down inside, Old Mike actually had a pretty good idea of the immense power of Babel Tower.

He knew that it was a mysterious organization that he had absolutely no possibility of resisting.

"But no matter what, these guys were able to do this thing, and it was really unbelievable."

Old Mike furrowed his brow deeply, feeling that retirement was getting further and further away from him. Without a doubt, he had jumped into a huge whirlpool.

Since the Babel Tower could occupy the Giant Hive, it meant that the Babel Tower could actually pose a threat to both the Ring City and the Tree City.

"These troublemaking guys, that so-called Savior, will inevitably cause even bigger things..."

Not only did Old Mike witness the defeat of the Almighty, but others did too.

At this very moment, in the Ring City, many people were seeing that astonishing video through various channels.

"You all watch this video, it is a battle of super beings."

"It looks so powerful, they must all be top-notch super beings. This setting doesn't seem like it's in the Ring City..."

"Is that woman from the Babel Tower?"

Most people didn't recognize the true form of the Almighty.

They also didn't quite understand what this video meant.

However, even though only a few people, there were indeed those who understood its meaning.

The Almighty, who controlled Noy's military, was defeated!

In the Night Union, one of the three major cities, the Giant Hive, starting from today, will become the possession of the Babel Tower!

World's structure was rewritten!

At the very beginning, the reports of the Babel Tower would only be broadcasted in Tatsumi City.

But little did they know, from that moment onward...

The reports about them would appear on a global scale!

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The Ring City.

Two hundred levels.

Here, there is a bright sky, it is the highest level of the Ring City.

On the two hundred levels, only two types of people live.

The first kind are the board members of the Rock Morgan group and their families. The second kind are semi-mechanical androids, whose sole purpose is to serve the former.

The ground of the two hundred levels is covered with green vegetation and flowers. Hollow luxury buildings are constructed amidst the colorful flower seas. The residents of the topmost level are dressed in silver and white tight-fitting clothing. The majority of them hardly ever work, living a life filled with leisure and entertainment each day.

From the moment they were born, the people here possessed assets beyond ordinary imagination.

The wealth that the board members possessed was terrifyingly abundant, accounting for even more than ninety-nine percent of the Ring City.

In the heart of the region, there stood a towering white building, resembling a grand tower. At its highest point, there was a unique room with an antique charm. The room was devoid of any metals, entirely crafted from pure wood.

Surrounded by numerous lifelike androids, a wise elderly man with glasses, dressed in a dark kimono-like robe, sat upon a wooden chair. His spirit was lively, and his face remained calm, exuding an indescribable air of authority.

"It seems like the contract we signed with Noy military is going to be abandoned."

The elderly man's eyes, resembling those of an ordinary person, emitted a gentle blue glow as he watched the latest released video, captivated in deep contemplation.

"Fortunately, such things would never happen in our city, cough cough."

He looked towards the nearby distance.

As long as she was there, the Babel Tower wasn't such a big deal.

The little girl with red clothes and red hair stood there.

She was probably not even ten years old, with a delicate and flawless face. She couldn't possibly be an old person's granddaughter because there was not a hint of human emotion in her eyes. She didn't even seem as human as the androids around her.

The old person continued speaking.

"Scarlet, our partnership is coming to a close, and your long-awaited wish is about to come true."

"When that time comes, everything will change."

"You shall rule this world."

The old man said a lot, as if he hoped the girl in the red dress would answer him, but in the end, he couldn't hear any response.

His eyes were filled with disappointment.



Suddenly, the little girl spoke up.

Her voice remained emotionless, and her eyes didn't blink at all as she spoke, as if she were a finely crafted doll.

"It was not what I wished for."

"This is your wish, it is everyone's wish."

—

Tatsumi City.

"Did you see it?"

The Leaf King closed the window, allowing the wind to calm down. He returned to his seat, calmly picked up his teacup, and took a gentle sip.

The tea leaves inside the cup were not expensive but very unique, only a few people with uncommon tastes would drink it.

"World" Mr. Xia sat across, playing with the chess pieces, and nodded calmly, saying, "I see, there are major movements regarding the Babel Tower."

"They quietly changed World order in just a few days," the Leaf King said as he picked up a chess piece.

The Leaf King remained silent for a moment and then spoke, "Since they can occupy the Giant Hive, it means that they can pose a threat to any country in Noah's world. I am worried..."

"As long as I become a deity, everything will not become a problem," the man with the striking pupils provided the answer.

Mr. Xia, after the First Doomsday Crisis, had already reached the level of a "quasi-deity."

Now, he is one of the only two powerful beings in Noah's world who are close to God.

The Leaf King set down his teacup and looked at Mr. Xia.

"In the countless years that have passed, there have been numerous powerful individuals, almost too many to count, but only a few have truly become gods..."

"But I believe you will succeed."

—

The Kingdom of Dark Light.

The Tulip Manor.

"In the newspaper... Have you seen it?" Kaluoer held a newspaper in her hands, gazing expressionlessly at her owner, Viscount Edmond.

"Viscount Edmond," who was none other than Bai Yan himself, nodded and nonchalantly responded, "Yes, I've seen it."

"The Babel Tower is very powerful."

After Kaluoer finished speaking, she shamelessly added, "Rounding it off, I am also very powerful."

Bai Yan paused for a moment, whispering to himself, "Ah, right, right, you'll have 80 points when we join forces."

In fact, when it comes to the time they spent together, in the recent period, Bai Yan and Kaluoer have actually spent the most time together. They couldn't help but relax in each other's presence.

Kaluoer tilted her head and leaned towards Bai Yan's face, saying, "Next time, take me with you."

Bai Yan furrowed his brow and replied, "I wasn't there this time. Didn't you read the newspaper? The dynamic newspaper has recorded the whole process, you know."

"Surprisingly, you're not here? I thought I would find you here..." Kaluoer fell silent for a moment.

"I need tasks to feel satisfied."

She gazed into Bai Yan's eyes, sensing something indescribable.

"The Mercury Ball no longer exists, but my experiences at the Mercury Ball will never disappear... My mind, my soul, have already bound themselves to accomplishing the mission and fulfilling themselves..."

"Your words have become many," Bai Yan chuckled, "I've never heard you speak so much before."

Kaluoer's character had indeed changed.

Now, she is no longer the cold and ruthless assassin she once was.

...but rather a mischievous, slightly cunning, and skilled maid who enjoys playing pranks... as an assassin.

Yes, just as she had said.

The assassin remained an assassin.

"I would like to ask for your help in explaining the situation to the Savior," Kaluoer added.

Bai Yan understood what she meant, which was... she hoped that he wouldn't always be "in charge of the warehouse."

Daily missions and weekly missions, Bai Yan scheduled for the Core Operators to complete them. But now, there are already too many Core Operators, and when divided among everyone, the interval between each mission has become quite long.

With the decrease in workload, Maryse naturally felt elated, while Kaluoer, who used to consider killing as her "job," would appear to be less adaptable.

"Sorry, I refuse."

Bai Yan shook his head and gently touched Kaluoer's hair.

"Kaluoer, try your best to be a normal girl. You need friends, entertainment, hobbies... Even if you are willing to be a 'tool', I still don't want you to be just a 'tool'."

Kaluoer tilted her head and stared at Bai Yan for a long time.

She bowed and turned away.

Bai Yan said no more and didn't want to interfere too much in Kaluoer's life.

Next, he would focus on his own affairs.

The delightful and enjoyable things.

The reward summary and... summoning!

Chapter 460:

"The Battle of the Beehive"

This is the recently concluded "Tower of Babel" grand quest.

"The Battle of the Beehive" was immediately followed by the introductory mission of "Girl Psychic Elene". It was quite eventful and yielded a fair share of rewards.

Starting from the middle stages, the rewards for each quest in the "Babel Tower" have been steadily increasing, growing more abundant with each passing moment.

It allowed Bai Yan to start living the days where he could have dozens of consecutive victories after each big battle.

In the previous encounter with the "Blank Fire," Bai Yan unlocked a new golden achievement called "God Slayer" and obtained a "Summon Future" card.

In this instance of the "Battle of the Beehive," Bai Yan unlocked a golden achievement called "Beehive Dominator," which not only rewarded him with 1000 points but also granted him two Entertainment Cards.

This time, Bai Yan obtained a total of two thousand seven hundred and fifty points. Along with the points accumulated from daily and weekly activities, Bai Yan now has a whopping three thousand nine hundred points!

The Awakening Soul, which had already lost much of its usefulness, obtained a hundred this time, while the still very useful Spirit of Revelation obtained twenty.

"If all three thousand nine hundred points are used for summoning, it would be close to eighty consecutive draws."

Of course, Bai Yan wouldn't use all of his points for summoning.

He first exchanged for a high-level building.

"The Realm of the Platinum Dragon God, 1500 points."

"The massive barrier (city-sized), capable of covering the entire city, continuously strengthen the residents' physical well-being, heal illnesses, and convert people's admiration into points."

"Inside the magical barrier, the fallen members of Babel Tower have a chance to revive for free."

Bai Yan felt that this thing was really expensive, but it was also worth its price.

He was preparing to use the Giant Hive as his main base for cultivation, so even though the Platinum Dragon God Domain was a bit expensive, it should be worth the exchange.

As for Tatsumi City... although Bai Yan had achieved the title of King of Tatsumi City, in the end, Tatsumi City still belonged to the Leaf King, no, it belonged to Mr. World.

Bai Yan currently cannot do whatever he wants in Tatsumi City.

But the Giant Hive and Tatsumi City were different. This sprawling city, nearly sealed off due to Ring technology, was truly at his mercy after the Almighty fell.

To put it in simpler terms.

Even if Bai Yan were to begin killing one hundred thousand people daily in the Giant Hive, he could keep killing until there was no one left alive, and the people here would have absolutely no way to resist.

The Savior of the Babel Tower would not be the emperor of the Giant Hive.

But instead, it was a god.

There were still two thousand four hundred points remaining.

Bai Yan pondered for a moment.

Now, they needed top-grade dog food "Sacred Runes" to enhance the already Apocalypse members. They also needed new possibilities to allow more Babel Tower members to reach Apocalypse.

Since that's the case, both "Fate" and "Different Dimensions" need to be drawn.

"Each take twenty turns, hmm, a total of forty turns."

So, it then depleted two thousand points.

As for the remaining four hundred points, Bai Yan pondered for a moment and decided to use the "Mystic Ring" to enhance the abilities of the Core Operators.

When it came to this point, Bai Yan had already grown accustomed to summoning cards. Without much hesitation, he proceeded to summon cards directly!

First comes "Different Dimensions."

Smashing two ten-card summons in a row, there was no doubt that something would come out, but what exactly would come out depended on luck.

"Good luck!"

Bai Yan's eyes lit up.

This time, luck was really good!

Obtaining new permanent possibilities brought a total of five! There were also two new world line changes!

The new World Line Changes are "Atlantis" and "Sky Garden"!

"Atlantis"

"World Line Change, Atlantis, will create a city of water in the depths of the ocean. The chosen one can transport non-combat Babel Tower experiments, regular members, operators, and core operators

to Atlantis at any time. Whether the chosen one uses it or not, Atlantis continually generates energy, which can instantly heal a large number of living beings."

Simply put, it is a free city, a teleportation point, and a spring in the depths of the sea.

Unfortunately, the spring that can only be used in non-combat states, to be honest, Bai Yan didn't find it very useful.

And then, another marvel appeared.

"Sky Garden"

"World Line Change, Sky Garden, will appear as a sky city in the sky, moving at a constant speed throughout World, indestructible and impregnable. Through Sky Garden, Babel Tower can summon a random 'Heavenly Angel' once every ten days to assist in combat. The combat capabilities of the 'Heavenly Angel' will be randomly assigned to a Babel Tower Core Operator."

This thing, when used by the Luck King, becomes very powerful.

If Bai Yan could summon a "Heavenly Angel" every time, just as powerful as himself, it would be absolutely mighty.

But if only Crown-level "Heavenly Angels" were summoned... it wouldn't seem very powerful.

In addition, five new possibilities were obtained.

They are respectively "Arcane Behemoth, Fusion Slime", "Demon Avatar, Mysterious Magic", "Touch of Darkness, Nightsaber", "Spirit Hunter, Hidden Azure", and "Fallen Angel, Nightsaber".

The Arcane Behemoth had drawn a seven-day occurrence once, but it was used up during the First Doomsday Crisis. This time, what it drew was a permanent possibility.

Becoming a demon, known as Mysterious Magic, was Alan's final possibility.

"Demon Avatar·Mysterious Magic"

"In a world full of mystery and magic, a person with both good and evil intentions sets out on a journey to seek vengeance for their friends and loved ones. Along the way, they make a pact with a thousand demons in hell, transforming into different demonic forms whenever needed. Despite their extraordinary abilities, they lead a normal life just like anyone else, capable of performing incredible feats such as investigation, rescue, and unimaginable acts."

"However, every time he used the power of the demons in the underworld, he had to sacrifice a living life... otherwise, he himself would face death."

Bai Yan was slightly surprised to realize that the previous knight was not the only melee fighter, as Alan could also wield a sword.

Careful examination revealed that this Demon Avatar had the potential to be an all-around powerhouse.

Oh, so it's a versatile solution after all, then there's nothing to worry about.

The "Fallen Angel" and the "Touch of Darkness – Nightsaber" finally met once again, marking Mu Ling's eighth potential encounter so far.

Afternoon Lady, Fallen Angel, Dark Fairy Tale Prince, Shadow Tactics, Zero Blade, Ten Thousand Swords, Phoenix Form... And now, the Dark Touch that was just drawn.

Bai Yan furrowed his brow as he read the description of the "Touch of Darkness – Nightsaber".

"In this possibility, the plot of the Outer God's Obscure Changer succeeds, and Mu Ling's power inside her turns completely into darkness, as she starts believing in the mighty Obscure Changer."

In this possibility, Mu Ling, in appearance, isn't too different from her normal self. She just has deep darkness filling her eyes, and her original sanity becomes distorted.

Bai Yan took a deep breath, his eyes filled with a sense of determination.

"From the beginning, there has been the power of the Obscure Changer in Mu Ling's bloodline... Their family's extraordinary power has always been derived from this."

This problem always needed to be faced, and it had to be resolved.

Bai Yan knew how to solve it, but the solution wasn't in Noah's world; it was in another place.

Finally, there was the "Spirit Hunter: Hidden Azure," Kaluoer's last possibility.

"Spirit Hunter·Hidden Azure"

"In this possibility, Hidden Azure is dressed in a white dress suit, wearing a demon mask and holding a samurai sword. She lives in a world full of ghosts and monsters, where people live in constant fear and must be on guard against them every day. However, there are also some powerful individuals who have turned the tables and started hunting down the ghosts and monsters. Hidden Azure is one of the best among them and people call her the 'Spirit Hunter'."

"In this situation, Hidden Azure gains the passive ability of 'Spirit Conqueror' and the 'Soul-Peering Eyes,' with a significant increase in inspiration value and a slight decrease in physical value."

At this moment, the slime, Alan, and Kaluoer, all received the opportunity to be promoted to the Apocalypse.

Next, all Bai Yan needs to do is fill up the progress bar of the slime, and the same goes for Kaluoer. As long as Bai Yan wants, he can also fill up her progress bar.

Alan is now full and can be promoted immediately.

This kind of thing doesn't require any hesitation at all. Bai Yan immediately expended a large amount of the Spirit of Revelation, filling up the Crown level progress bar of both the slime and Kaluoer.

The people of the Noah world would absolutely find it hard to believe that the Apocalypse transcendent beings, regarded as "strategic-level" powerhouses, would become no longer rare.

Bai Yan muttered to himself, "Just be patient, Miss Mu Ling. I already have eight skins now, just one more, really just one more..."

"If you can't figure it out, you can also think about Miss Witch, who hasn't come in yet. She is the really angry one."

Then, it was time for the "Fate" pond.

It was also a twenty consecutive draw.

Before clicking the "Summon" button, Bai Yan's face had a faint, almost imperceptible smile.

"Miss Witch, actually, I truly and sincerely wish to see you enter the Babel Tower... and joyfully kneel before me... That feeling would surely be both funny and full of irony."