

The Mans Decree Chapter 1183

Chapter 1183 Cannot Die

Lachlan wanted to extract the draconic essence within Kai's body.

Kai stumbled backward, but he then realized he could not avoid Lachlan's blow.

Am I going to die here today?

The faces of Josephine, Lizbeth, Rayleigh, and the others flashed across his mind.

Then, he thought of his parents and biological mother, whom he had yet to meet.

No. I cannot die. I must not die! Kai shouted in his mind.

Suddenly, a blinding light burst forth from Kai's chest.

A dragon's roar reverberated in the air as a golden dragon took to the sky from his body.

The enormous aura encircled Kai's figure.

Lachlan staggered backward as the momentum of the aura hit him.

Then, he stared at the golden dragon that emerged from Kai's body in utter astonishment.

"This..."

Lachlan widened his eyes in shock because he had never witnessed something like that before.

The golden dragon circled atop Kai's head. Then, it wrapped around his body and transformed into a set of golden armor.

Endless power surged from the armor and streamed into Kai's body.

Lachlan quickly pulled himself back to reality. He knew that he could not let Kai escape today. Otherwise, the Dunn family would face the risk of being wiped out in the future if Kai was given more time to harness his abilities.

"Go to hell!"

Lachlan activated a sword technique while wielding the long sword in his hand, and countless sword flowers materialized from his hand.

Every sword flower that bloomed contained the energy of heaven and earth. The sword flowers floated toward Kai like shackles.

Catching sight of that, Kai swung the Dragonslayer Sword in his hand.

Innumerable sword shadows appeared and shot toward the sword flowers.

Boom!

Following the sounds of continuous explosions, the Dunn residence began to collapse.

At that moment, Lachlan could no longer afford to be distracted by the task of safeguarding the mansion.

Anger churned within him as he saw his house crumble into ruins.

As he put the destruction of his mansion out of his mind, the martial energy within Lachlan continued to rise as ripples of aura emitted from his body.

Kai was also building up the spiritual energy inside him while wielding the Dragonslayer Sword.

Both of them showed no inclination to back down.

Soon, their figures collided. The swords in their hands clashed, producing ear-piercing noises. Kai and Lachlan exchanged more blows afterward.

With those two in the center of it all, a raging storm rapidly spread outward.

The Dunn family's mansions were completely flattened.

Many of the Dunn family's servants could not handle the pressure from the power and began puking blood one after the other.

Lachlan grew more anxious as the battle dragged on. He could not believe that Kai, a mere Martial Arts Grandmaster, was able to contend with him for so long.

He also wondered about the golden dragon that came flying out from Kai's body earlier.

What was that?

With Lachlan's capabilities, he could tell that the golden dragon was not an illusion. That was a real golden dragon.

In the blink of an eye, Kai and Lachlan had exchanged over a hundred strikes, yet there was still no winner.

However, Kai's aura was getting more and more unstable. It was obvious that the sheer difference between ranks was very difficult to breach. Even with the advent of the golden dragon, he could only prolong the fight a little.

Lachlan curled his lips into a smile when he sensed Kai's momentum decreasing.

Lachlan activated the Dragon Claw skill and aimed at Kai's chest in an attempt to remove the draconic essence from the latter's torso.

Kai leaped backward at once. Still, Lachlan managed to yank off a piece of his skin on the chest.

The gory wound on Kai's chest appeared horrifying, but that injury was considered minor to him and was no different from a mosquito bite.

Kai's Golem Body had already disappeared a long while ago, so he was enduring those injuries with his tough physique alone.

Regardless of how durable his flesh and bones might be, though, Kai could not avoid getting beaten to a pulp in the face of absolute strength.

"Brat, I have to admit you're exceptional. You are the first one among the younger generations to be able to engage in a battle with me for so long. It seems I cannot let you escape here today, no matter what."

With that, Lachlan's body suddenly expanded. He became taller and bigger instantaneously. Swiftly afterward, he waved his arms, and a colossal pagoda materialized in midair.

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Chapter 1184 Wife

A soft glow shone on Kai's body, causing the intensity of his aura to reduce significantly. His spiritual sense also wavered as soon as the light illuminated him.

The pagoda dropped down from the sky. However, at that moment, Kai's eyes gleamed. His spiritual sense recovered, and his aura began to condense within him.

"Stop!"

Just as the pagoda was about to flatten Kai, Howard suddenly appeared out of nowhere and stood beside Kai.

At that sight, Lachlan swiftly waved his hand. The pagoda, floating in midair, disappeared immediately.

“Dad, what are you doing?”

Howard looked at his father in utter perplexity.

Trailing behind Howard was a middle-aged woman. It was evident she was Howard’s mother.

She gazed at Lachlan in bafflement as well when she saw the Dunn residence in ruins.

“What’s going on, Lachlan?”

Lachlan’s face darkened as he said grimly, “Don’t mind the situation here. Hurry up and leave.”

“Dad, why are you hurting Kai? If you don’t clarify this matter, I will not leave.”

Howard wanted to know exactly what had happened. Lachlan and Kai had been getting along before he left, so Howard could not fathom why they were fighting now.

Lachlan wore a grimace. He did not know how to explain the circumstances to Howard.

Lachlan was too familiar with his son’s personality.

Otherwise, he would not have made up an excuse to lure Howard away.

“Your father wants the draconic essence in my body to gift it to you,” Kai explained after noticing Lachlan’s silence.

Howard’s face contorted with rage right after he heard that. He turned to look at Lachlan. “Dad, is Kai telling the truth?”

“Howard, everything that I do, I do with your best interests at heart. Your abilities are still considered the weakest among the younger generations. There are so many people out there mocking and scorning you. If it weren’t for me, do you think you can still act high and mighty in Jadeborough with your current abilities?” Lachlan yelled at Howard.

“I don’t need that. Regardless of the standards of my abilities, at least I acquired them through my own effort. I do not need to steal others’ possessions to boost my cultivation. How is your behavior different from Demonic Cultivation? You always boast about how pure and righteous you are, so you disdained those from the Warriors Alliance. However, in my opinion, you’re inferior to them. Although they are scoundrels, they are still better than you, a hypocrite! Did you plan this all along? You asked me to lead Kai here and then lured me away so you could target Kai? You’re shameless!” Howard bellowed hysterically at his father, fury burning in his eyes.

“B*stard!”

Lachlan could not believe his son dared to criticize him in that manner. He raised his arm, wanting to hit the latter as anger overwhelmed him.

However, Howard's mother tugged forcefully at Lachlan's arm.

"What are you doing? If you dare to hit Howard, I'll show you the consequences!" she barked at him furiously.

Lachlan's wrath dissipated at once when he looked at his wife.

Regardless of how high a man's status was in the social hierarchy, fearing their wives was quickly becoming a norm.

"I'm terribly sorry, Kai. Given a chance, I'll formally apologize to you in the future. You should leave now," Howard said to Kai remorsefully.

Kai merely gazed at Howard in silence. He did not know what to say either, so he spun on his heels and was ready to leave.

"You cannot leave!"

At that sight, Lachlan was anxious to prevent Kai from leaving.

"If you dare to stop him, I'll end my life in front of you!"

In an instant, Howard took out a dagger and placed it on his neck.

The color drained from Howard's mother's face as she was frightened out of her wits after witnessing Howard's action. Body trembling, she persuaded her son, "Howard, listen to me. Put down the dagger. Please don't do anything foolish."

"Let Kai go. Otherwise, if I die, the Dunn family will be without an heir," Howard threatened Lachlan.

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Chapter 1185 Forced By A Threat Of Death

Lachlan's face was deathly pale as he panted heavily. "You ingrate... You're a traitorous son..."

Howard's mother yelled at Lachlan angrily, "Say something, quickly! Hurry up and let that man go! If anything untoward happens to Howard, none of us should live either..."

As a mother, her only hope was to see Howard safe and sound. She could not care less about powers or cultivation. All she cared about was her son.

“I...”

Lachlan’s face was red. If I let Kai go now, I’ll never get another chance like this in the future. Misfortune may even befall our family!

However, his wife and son would continue forcing him to let Kai go if he did not do so. Hence, he found himself caught in a dilemma.

Enraged, Howard’s mother growled at Lachlan again, “What are you thinking? Don’t tell me you want me to die before you too!”

Left with no choice, Lachlan could only turn a blind eye and wave his hand dismissively. “Just go...”

Kai shot Howard a grateful look. Then, he turned and left swiftly without saying anything.

Looking at the rubble that was what remained of his mansion, Lachlan let out an exasperated sigh.

This situation is a prime example of going for wool and coming home shorn.

He was seething with rage but had nowhere to vent it. Since he could not take out his anger on his wife and son, the only person he could take it out on was the one who had sold him the energy-constraining pill.

In his opinion, everything had happened because the pill was a counterfeit.

Otherwise, Kai would already be rendered helpless and awaiting death, and all these wouldn’t have happened!

After leaving the Dunn residence, Kai dragged his exhausted body and hurried toward the Medicine God Sect.

He dared not remain in Jadeborough any longer. Initially, he thought it was a peaceful place. But after the events of that day, he finally realized he was still too naive.

Jadeborough’s martial arts world appears peaceful on the surface. However, there’s no saying whether something has already stirred within its depths. They might be watching me like a hungry pack of wolves or lions, looking for a chance to finish me off with a single blow. What I need to do now is to return to the Medicine God Sect and get Raleigh to take me to the Village of Villains. The trump card I hold now is the Village of Villains. If I want to cultivate in peace, I need people to guard me, and there’s no one better than The Villainous Four from that village.

However, just as Kai was hurrying toward the Medicine God Sect, he suddenly sensed several auras rushing in his direction at lightning speed.

He furrowed his brows, and his face fell instantly.

“So soon? Could it be that the Dunn family’s men are gaining on me?”

Even as he pondered the matter, he did not stop moving. Instead, he continued picking up the pace.

He was tired to the bone. He had depleted his spiritual energy and even practically exhausted the Power of Dragons since he had not had time to cultivate and replenish his energy.

Although he had Thousands of Miles Away and the Pentacarna Tower with him, both of which could help him regain his strength swiftly, there was no time for him to stop. Hence, he had no chance of resting and refreshing his powers.

The auras drew nearer and nearer, and they even shifted into a formation to surround him.

Realizing the situation he was in, Kai knew he could not escape. Hence, he halted, quickly regulating his breathing and composing himself.

If I can’t run, then I’ll fight to the death!

Soon, a number of figures appeared, gradually closing in on him.

Coby gazed at Kai with a smirk and drawled, “Kai Chance, I didn’t expect us to meet so soon. You’re truly an elusive one. I’ve had a hard time tracking you down.”

Kai felt relieved when he saw that it was Coby.

As long as it’s not Lachlan coming after me, everything’s fine. Skylar is just a Top Level Martial Arts Grandmaster. Even as exhausted as I am, taking on Coby shouldn’t be a problem.

He looked at Coby disdainfully and uttered mockingly, “How dare you pursue me from Xenhall to Jadeborough? You think that the whole of Chanaea belongs to you, don’t you? I didn’t fight with you when we were in Xenhall, but now that we’re here, do you honestly think you have what it takes to kill me?”