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"Renee!"

Upon seeing that his daughter had regained consciousness, Erasmus instantly rushed over with all the excitement in the world.

"Dad..."

Renee glanced around the room with a lost look in her eyes. At the sight of the crowd milling around, apprehension promptly swamped her.

"You scared me to death, Renee! Do you know you had been unconscious for several days?"

Tears streamed down Erasmus' face.

Although it was said that cultivators needed to sever all emotional attachments when they embarked on the path to immortality, few could actually do it.

"Do you believe me now, Master Erasmus?" With a sneer on his face, Falcon drawled, "But let me tell you something—this is just a temporary fix. If I don't do anything to treat Renee, she'll still revert to her initial state. Also, I'll be so kind to tell you that I'm the only person who can cure her of her frosty constituent in this whole world! All others are charlatans! If you've made up your mind, kick all these charlatans out!"

"Who are you calling a charlatan? You look more like one yourself! Stop blowing your own trumpet with that worthless thing that's no more than a bronze mirror! If you're so great, throw it away, and we shall see who's better!" Josephine stepped forward and snapped viciously, long since sick of the man's arrogance. As Falcon stared at Josephine, who stood out, a flash of something glinted in his eyes. He didn't fly into a rage but leered at her with a salacious look in his eyes. "Others may all scam, but this lady can stay. I love such a feral temperament!" "What a piece of trash!"

Josephine spat at him hard as she said that.

At that, Falcon was momentarily stunned before he wiped the spit off his face. His temper spiked at once. "Do you believe that I'll finish you off right this instance, you b*tch?"

Seeing that he had gone off the deep end, Josephine instinctively backed up a step. Meanwhile, Kai took a step forward and shielded her behind him.

Eyeing the man disdainfully, he scoffed, "You're acting all high and mighty because of the Starry Compass, no? How are you different from a good-for-nothing without it? This Starry Compass is a magical item, but it's an utter waste in your possession! If one cultivates with it, only half the effort is required to achieve double the results! Alas, a useless piece of trash like you have no idea how to use it!"

Falcon was startled, and red-hot fury swiftly blazed through him because Kai was right—it was all thanks to the Starry Compass that he managed to defeat Leonidas and heal Renee. Without it, he was nothing at all!

"This is pure envy, kid! You're simply jealous that I've got a magical item such as the Starry Compass! If you're so great, take a magical item out as well! What are you going to use to absorb the frosty energy from Renee?" Falcon demanded provocatively.

"I'm the greatest magical item myself, so why do I need to use anything else? Only ineffectual people use so-called magical items!" Kai derided with a snort.

Following that, Falcon's expression darkened even further. Leonidas likewise wore a grim look since the man's scornful remark struck a raw nerve in him. After all, he had also used the jade scepter to treat Renee earlier.

"Are you saying that you want to absorb the frosty energy in Renee directly into your body?" Falcon questioned.

"Exactly!" Kai nodded placidly.

"Haha... What a joke! Renee has a frosty constituent, and that's the only reason she managed to withstand the frosty energy within her for so many years. If it were the average person, he wouldn't be able to survive for even a day! Yet, you dare say that you'll use your body to absorb the frosty energy? If you really have that capability, you can ask anything of me! However, if you fail to do so, don't blame me for not showing you any mercy. You'll have to get on your knees before me and apologize. Also, the girl behind you has to warm my bed!"

Falcon's eyes brimmed with malice, making goosebumps rise all over Josephine.

"Are you sick of living?" Kai's eyes narrowed, and a murderous aura radiated off him in a flash.

While he and Josephine hadn't yet confirmed their relationship, they were both aware of the other's feelings.

Therefore, he had already regarded her as his girlfriend and would never stand idly by while she was harassed.

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"What's wrong? Are you scared?"

Falcon snickered even as he eyed Kai contemptuously.

"Why would I be? Today, I'll show you a true immortal technique!"

As Kai spoke, his hand abruptly shot out toward Renee on the bed.

Stricken with fright, Renee hastily scooted backward and hid behind Erasmus in terror.

"Mr. Chance, there are many people here, so I'm afraid that it's a tad inappropriate for you to be removing my daughter's clothes in front of everyone."

Reluctance deluged Erasmus, for his daughter's reputation would be tarnished once her body was bared in public.

"You misunderstand, Abbot Erasmus. I'm only going to absorb the frosty energy in your daughter's body, so no removal of clothes is necessary."

Earlier, Kai had to remove Renee's clothes for treatment because he wanted to transform her frosty constituent. Then, she wouldn't have to suffer from the icy cold anymore.

However, if it were merely absorbing the frosty energy, there was no need to remove any clothes.

Hearing that, Erasmus breathed a sigh of relief. Supporting his daughter, he explained, "Renee, you don't have to be afraid, for Mr. Chance is here to treat you!"

After much persuasion from Erasmus, Renee finally calmed down and sat on the bed quietly.

Subsequently, Kai lightly placed his palm on her forehead. In the blink of an eye, wave after wave of frosty energy was absorbed directly into his body.

Although Falcon had already absorbed most of the frosty energy from Renee with the Starry Compass just now, he didn't remove it all. There was still a portion left in her body. Worse still, frosty energy was everywhere in Lagrange Monastery, and her body would automatically absorb it all.

Slowly, Kai's palm turned white. On the heels of that, a thick layer of frost seemingly formed over his entire arm.

With his eyes closed, he culminated the Focus Technique to its maximum potential. He cultivated the frosty energy unceasingly, but there was too just much. He was only at Level Five Energy Cultivation, so he still couldn't cultivate it all despite his best efforts.

Soon, a thick layer of ice covered his entire arm, and it was even spreading rapidly to other parts of his body.

Seeing that, Falcon let out a cold chuckle.

"Mr. Chance!" Erasmus cried out in alarm when he saw Kai's current condition. Nonetheless, it was as though Kai didn't hear him at all, for the man continued absorbing the frosty energy from Renee.

Eventually, his hair turned white, and a layer of frost blanketed his face. In the very end, his entire person was seemingly encased in ice, rendering him just like a snowman.

"Haha... I've said that the average person can't withstand this frosty energy! Now, he has become a block of ice!"

At the sight of Kai all frozen, Falcon laughed uproariously.

"Mr. Chance!"

"Kai!"

Walter, Josephine, and the others all exclaimed in horror.

Josephine, especially, was so distressed that she threw herself at Kai, intending to use her body heat to melt the ice off the man.

"No, Josephine!"

Reacting swiftly, William grabbed her and stopped her from doing so.

Even Kai is unable to withstand such frosty energy, so isn't she just consigning herself to death if she were to go over?

"Kai!" Josephine wailed, tears welling in her eyes.

Despite the short time they had been acquainted and the indistinct relationship between them, they could sense each other's presence within their hearts. Verily, such a feeling was beyond words.

She was most at ease when she was with Kai though she couldn't quite explain her feelings either.

Therefore, she instinctively wanted to save him when she saw him frozen right then, so much so that her own safety never once crossed her mind.
"Haha... Don't be sad, pretty! There are plenty of men in this world, so why must you fixate on one man? Look at me! I'm a hundred times better than this Kai guy! As long as you make me happy, I guarantee you a lifetime of wealth and glory!"
Falcon swept his gaze up and down Josephine's body unabashedly.

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"How dare you?"

Tommy likewise saw red at the sight of Kai's present condition, and he punched Falcon without hesitation.

At that moment, he no longer cared whether he was the man's match.
Pfft!

Snorting, Falcon shot his leg out, sending Tommy flying out of the room.
Walter, William, and the others shot daggers at him, but none of them dared to make a move.
"Haha..."

Clocking their fear, Falcon cackled maniacally. No one here is my match! I'm supreme and invincible!
"Master Erasmus, the frosty energy within Renee has been absorbed by that brat, but her constituent remains the same. Before long, frosty energy will once again accumulate in her body. I'm the only person who can cure her completely! My constituent is the polar opposite of hers, so as long as she marries me, we'll complement each other, and she'll be fine!" he declared, looking right at Erasmus.
"In your dreams!"

In response, Erasmus glared at him hotly. How shameless! He had just flirted with Josephine a while ago, yet he's demanding that Renee marry him now! He sure has no shame! I'd rather Renee die than be ruined at the hands of someone like him!

"Since you refuse to give your agreement, don't blame me for my discourtesy!"
Right after saying that, Falcon reached out to seize Renee.
"Ahh!" Renee shrieked in terror.

Outrage showed on Erasmus' face, and he moved to intercept Falcon.
Bang!

He wasn't the man's match, so he suffered a grievous injury at that blow, blood trickling out the corner of his mouth.

"Erasmus!" Leonidas cried out, swinging the cane in his hand at Falcon.

Upon seeing that, Erasmus teamed up with him and attacked Falcon in concert despite the agony racking him.
It was two against one, but Falcon wasn't at all afraid. Instead, he even wore a sneer on his face.

"Quick, run, Renee!" Erasmus shouted at Renee, planning to sacrifice his life to delay the man so that his daughter could flee.

"Dad!"

As Renee looked at the severely-injured man, tears poured down her face like a faucet.

"Quick, let's go, Renee!"

Darting forward, Walter grabbed her hand and took off. It wasn't because he was afraid of death, but an ordinary person with no knowledge of martial arts like him would only die in vain if he were to stay at such a time.

William tugged at Josephine as well. "Let's leave quickly, Josephine!"

"No! I want to bring Kai along!" Josephine howled.

I don't want to escape by myself and abandon him!

Bang! Bang!

Two resounding thuds split the air as Falcon sent Leonidas and Erasmus flying. In a trice, the man blocked the door and regarded the few of them scornfully.

"None of you are escaping today! If you want to live, you'd better come up with a plan to please me!"

Glimpsing the smug smile on his face, Walter, William, and the others backed away.

Right then, no one noticed that minute cracks had begun manifesting on the thick layer of ice on Kai, who had frozen into a block of ice. Subsequently, the cracks increased in size.

Crack! Crack!

As the cracking sounds grew progressively louder, everyone swung their gazes over.

"Look, Dad! It's cracking! The ice is splintering!" Josephine crowed in exhilaration upon seeing the thick layer of ice on Kai cracking.

On the contrary, Falcon's brows knitted together even as his expression started turning grave.

Clink! Clang! Clatter!

In no time, the layer of ice on Kai shattered completely, scattering all over the ground and baring his body in its entirety.

Phew!

Without warning, Kai opened his eyes and exhaled a cloud of white mist.

Cultivating the frosty energy had his capabilities improving by leaps and bounds.

Initially, he had only started Level Five Energy Cultivation, but he actually went up a level and had attained Level Six Energy Cultivation then.

If he wanted to attain Level Six Energy Cultivation at Dragon Summit at Dragon Bay with the paltry spiritual energy available, that would have taken eons.

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"You're fine, Kai? You're alive!"

Josephine sprinted over emotionally and hugged Kai tightly.

By then, she no longer bothered about other people's presence. She clasped the man tightly to her, her grip unrelenting.

His body was still chilly to the touch, but even so, she clutched him tightly.

"Let go! If you don't loosen your grip, I'm really going to suffocate!" Kai urged, coughing.

Hearing that, Josephine was so stricken that she hurriedly dropped her hands from around him. However, Kai was just fine. In fact, he was even looking at her with a smirk on his face. At that, Josephine threw him a glare and kicked him hard. Meanwhile, everyone was thrilled that Kai was alive since it meant that Falcon couldn't have his way anymore.

"Kid, who exactly are you that you're still alive even after absorbing frosty energy?" Falcon asked with mystification etched on his face.

"I'm your master!" Kai's face contorted into a mask of fury. When I was cultivating the frosty energy earlier, he seized the opportunity to injure Tommy and even insult Josephine! In truth, he heard all that, but he couldn't move.

"You must have a death wish!" Falcon's expression instantly darkened at that jibe.

"If you give me the Starry Compass now, I might grant you a less painful death!"

Kai beckoned at the man, not in the mood to bandy words with him.

"Ah, so you want my Starry Compass?"

Falcon's expression changed, darkening frightfully. He clutched the Starry Compass tightly, seemingly disinclined to give it to the man.

"I gave you an opportunity, but you didn't appreciate it!"

Kai stared at the man indifferently, his eyes teeming with murder.

"Even if you didn't die from absorbing the frosty energy, kid, you're no match for this Starry Compass of mine! Hence, stop bragging here! Let's have it!"

A searing murderous intent radiated off Falcon.

He didn't dare underestimate the man, for someone who could remain alive after absorbing frosty energy was definitely no ordinary person.

"Thank you for saving my daughter's life, Mr. Chance! I have no way of repaying you, so I can only do so with my life today. I'll hold him off. In the meantime, you all make a run for it!"

Erasmus was already heavily injured, yet he struggled to his feet once more, planning to hold Falcon back at the price of his life for Kai and the others to make good their escape.

Unexpectedly, Kai stretched out a hand and stopped Erasmus. His lips curving into a faint smile, he remarked, "There's no need to forfeit your life to deal with a useless piece of trash that only depends on a magical item!"

After saying that, he disdainfully flashed Falcon a thumbs-down.

"I'm going to kill you, kid!"

Falcon went into a towering rage, upon which the murderous intent emanating from him intensified. At the same time, the Starry Compass in his hand also emitted a faint light.

Noticing the perpetual glow of the Starry Compass in his hand, Erasmus, Walter, and the others were all shaken.

Conversely, Kai merely gave a bark of contemptuous laughter and snagged a chair before plopping right down.

"Do you have any other skills besides using your magical item?" Kai inquired impassively.

"There's no use provoking me, kid! I'm not going to fall for it! You didn't perish even after absorbing frosty energy into your body, yes? In that case, I'll let you absorb more frosty energy. We'll see how much longer your body can withstand it!"

When Falcon finished saying that, he held the Starry Compass out. At once, a burst of frosty energy blasted out from its center.

The temperature in the room promptly plummeted to freezing point, and everyone hugged themselves, so cold that they shivered violently. Contrarily, Kai remained sitting on the chair without twitching a single muscle. He did not feel the slightest bit cold.

Frosty energy enveloped him and seeped into his body through his orifices. Slowly, frost again started forming on his hair.

"Haha... This time, I'll freeze you and smash you into pieces. We'll see how you're going to remain alive!"

At the sight of the frost manifesting on his hair once again, Falcon guffawed triumphantly.

Alas, the frost on Kai's head disappeared quickly at a rate visible to the naked eye. No matter how much frosty energy penetrated his body, it couldn't cause any more change in him.

"How is this possible?"

Utterly shocked, Falcon immediately released all the frosty energy in the Starry Compass.