

## The Mans Decree Chapter 2651 -

The Mans Decree Chapter 2651-“Enough...” Heliuss waved his hand, signaling Ebenezz to stop talking. Then, he regarded Kai with a hint of approval. “Not bad, young man. You’re right. The Octo Ruler is your prize from the duel, so you need not surrender it. I was merely concerned that the Octo Ruler’s power might be too overwhelming for you and could lead to unintended backfiring if you try to use it. That’s why I suggested that you hand it over to me. I wasn’t trying to oppress you.”

Heliuss’ good-natured response left everyone dumbfounded. They couldn’t fathom why he was so unexpectedly amiable toward Kai.

Even Kai himself was taken aback. He hadn’t anticipated Heliuss’ genial response at all.

“Thanks for your concern, Heliuss, but I know my limits,” Kai replied.

“That’s good.” Heliuss nodded. He then turned to Ebenezz and said, “When Hosen returns, have him go to the mountains and reflect on himself for three days. Look at how dreadful Emerald Cauldron Sect has become under his leadership!”

With that, Heliuss vanished without making any visible moves.

As soon as Heliuss left, everyone heaved a sigh of relief and looked at Kai in disbelief.

“Mr. Chance, you really scared me just now. How could you even dare to contradict Heliuss...”

“Yeah, my heart was about to leap out of my chest!”

Sigurd and Zebediah were both amazed at what had transpired.

“I didn’t expect Heliuss to be such a reasonable person. After all, what I said was true, and I didn’t lie. It seems that Heliuss is much better than some elders around here!” Kai said, glancing at Ebenezz pointedly.

Ebenezz snorted at him. “Hmph, don’t get too cocky yet. Just you wait...”

With that, Ebenezer hurriedly left. His face was extremely swollen like he had been stung by dozens of hornets, and he would only be ridiculed if he stayed any longer.

Ghaylen looked like he had just returned from the brink of death. He was soaked in sweat from head to toe, looking as if all life had been drained from him.

With Zebediah's support, he went back to his residence. Kai returned to his place as well, and Emerald Cauldron Sect soon returned to calm.

Meanwhile, Sigurd actively organized the outer circle disciples to clear the debris and repair the damaged buildings around Ghaylen's territory.

In his room, Kai carefully inspected the Octo Ruler in his hands.

Even Helius of Emerald Cauldron Sect knew about this item and recognized its tremendous power. Kai wanted to study it closely to uncover the secrets that made the Octo Ruler so formidable.

Infusing a strand of his spiritual sense into the Octo Ruler, Kai discovered an immensely vast space within it.

Deafening roars resounded from within, and various grotesque demon beasts grew agitated upon sensing the intrusion.

These demon beasts were all bound by thick chains and imprisoned inside cages.

Kai realized that these demon beasts were the ones Bilius had summoned, and each gemstone on the Octo Ruler corresponded to one of these demon beasts.

However, these creatures were all confined and bound in here. How were they summoned out into the world?

Continuing his exploration with his spiritual sense, Kai found that each cage housing a demon beast contained an arcane array.

It dawned on him that what Bilius had summoned wasn't the physical forms of these demon beasts but rather their spirits. Their true bodies remained sealed

within the Octo Ruler, so there was no risk of these demon beasts disobeying orders.

Having thoroughly investigated the weapon, Kai finally understood that only those with sufficient strength could summon the demon beasts from the Octo Ruler. Those who were weak might end up getting themselves devoured by the spirits of these demon beasts!

Additionally, the power of the Octo Ruler came entirely from the sealed demon beasts within. The more formidable the imprisoned beasts were, the stronger the Octo Ruler would be.

If someone had the ability to capture even more powerful demon beasts, they could replace the existing ones and make the Octo Ruler even more potent.

“It truly is a remarkable item...” Kai withdrew his spiritual sense as a grin formed on his face.

## **The Mans Decree Chapter 2652 -**

The Mans Decree Chapter 2652-In the mountains of Bera within Ethereal Realm, three young women sat in a cave, roasting a wild rabbit over the fire. The delightful aroma filled the air within the cavern.

Three large tigers lay beside the girls, serving as their loyal mounts.

These girls were none other than Josephine, Feenix, and Aislin, who had been drawn into Ethereal Realm along with Kai through the mysterious black hole.

However, upon their arrival, they did not land in the same area as Kai and ended up being separated from him by thousands of kilometers.

“Feenix, we’re lucky to have you here. In this Ethereal Realm, we’ve got food, drinks, and even these magnificent mounts,” Josephine said gratefully to Feenix.

Over this period of time, the three girls had grown very close as they joined forces to search for Kai.

Josephine and Aislin were unfamiliar with Ethereal Realm. However, Feenix was a native of Ethereal Realm. As a celestial beast, her knowledge and

prowess enabled them to lead a comfortable life in this place. Feenix had even tamed three tigers and turned them into loyal mounts.

“When those demon beasts see you, Feenix, they flee as if their lives depend on it. It’s quite amusing,” Aislin commented, patting the tiger beside her.

“Well, Feenix is a celestial beast. It’s only natural for ordinary demon beasts to fear her,” Josephine explained.

“If I hadn’t been sent to the mundane world, which caused my strength to become significantly reduced, even the elites in Imperial Beast City would have to show utmost respect to me,” Feenix stated, brimming with pride.

“The rabbit is ready. It smells divine! Let’s eat,” Aislin proposed, taking the roasted rabbit and sharing it with the others.

As Josephine held her portion, a hint of sadness clouded her expression. “I wonder how Kai is doing. I hope he doesn’t go hungry!”

“Don’t worry, Josephine. Maybe he’s living the life of luxury now and is surrounded by beautiful women,” Feenix comforted.

“I hope that’s true. Honestly, I don’t care how many women surround him. As long as I hold a place in his heart, that’s all I need,” Josephine said nonchalantly.

“Josephine, it’s wonderful that Master has such an understanding girlfriend like you,” Feenix remarked.

“It’s also great that he has a loyal maid like you, Feenix. Not only can you save him in crucial moments, but you can also keep him entertained in bed,” Josephine teased, glancing at Feenix with a smile.

“Josephine, stop it...”

Blushing with embarrassment, Feenix playfully punched Josephine.

Just then, a faint aura drifted into the cave from outside. The three girls’ expressions immediately turned grim.

“That guy just won’t give up, huh? How many days has it been?” Aislin furrowed her brow.

She had barely finished speaking when a male voice resounded from outside the cave.

“Ladies, I know you’re all in there. Stop hiding from me. No woman can escape my grasp. I’m Kaison Tall, after all!”

The voice continued. “Any woman I’ve set my sights on will eventually become mine. Feel free to ask around! The Tall family is renowned in this mountainous region of Bera. You wouldn’t believe how many women just throw themselves at me, yet I haven’t spared them a second glance! Consider yourselves fortunate that I’m interested in the three of you. The four of us together will make a spicy combination indeed!”

The bold provocation incited anger in Josephine and the others.

Since encountering Kaison in a nearby town, he had relentlessly pestered them, which irritated them to no end.

Unfortunately, he was a Body Fusion Realm expert, while Josephine and Aislin were only at the Eighth Level of Martial Arts Sovereign. As for Feenix, she had only achieved the Eighth Level of Manifestor. Even if they joined forces, they wouldn’t be a match for Kaison.

Consequently, they had no choice but to hide from him, but he seemed to have an uncanny ability to track them down.

## **The Mans Decree Chapter 2653 -**

The Mans Decree Chapter 2653-“Living in this cave must be quite arduous. I have an estate spanning thousands of acres, offering you a choice of residence anywhere you desire. Moreover, my proficiency in the Vigor Strengthening Skill guarantees your contentment. Now, be good girls and come out. Should I turn hostile, I’ll instruct my subordinates to barge in and give them a chance to do whatever they like with you.”

Laughter erupted outside the cave. Meanwhile, Josephine and the other two heaved in fury.

“I’m going to kill them!” Aislin’s cheeks were flushed as she grabbed her sword, ready to rush out.

Aislin was born with a silver spoon in her mouth, so she had never been insulted this way. As she was still a virgin, she found herself quivering with fury upon being subjected to his offensive words.

Feenix quickly stopped her. “Don’t rush out! He’s deliberately provoking us. There are other ways out of this cave. Let’s just leave quietly. When we find Master, I believe he will teach this lewd man a lesson.”

Should Kai learn that someone had made indecent comments toward his women, he would undoubtedly ensure the culprit learned a profound lesson.

The three women hopped onto the ferocious tigers and escaped from another entrance silently.

When Kaison and his men eventually charged into the cave, all they found was a blazing bonfire. The women had vanished without a trace.

“D\*mn it! They escaped again. After them!”

Kaison and his men promptly chased after them.

At present, Kai remained unaware of the peril looming over Josephine and the others. He diligently practiced his cultivation in Ghaylen’s abode, biding his time until the medicinal pool became accessible.

A few days had passed since Kai’s fight with Bilius, but the disciples of Emerald Cauldron Sect were still talking about it.

Following the altercation, Ghaylen’s disciples observed a surge in their social standing. Previously, even those from the outer circle had dismissed them, but now they were treated with nothing but respect.

Conversely, the status of Ebenezer’s disciples was on a downward trajectory. With Sigurd’s waning respect for Ebenezer, his disciples experienced a similar decline.

Ebenezer refused to see anyone for the past few days out of shame. His eldest disciple had been killed, and the status of his remaining disciples within the sect plummeted to the lowest point.

“I refuse to give up. I won’t!” he roared within his residence as he activated a communication device.

He wanted Hosen to return as soon as possible. Sigurd was now on good terms with Ghaylen. The balance of power within Emerald Cauldron Sect could easily shift in favor of Ghaylen if Hosen remained absent.

“Ebenez, what is it?” Hosen’s voice rang out after the communication device was activated.

“When will you be back, Hosen? Many things have happened within Emerald Cauldron Sect during your absence,” Ebenez pleaded.

“I intend to return in a few days, right after the medicinal pool opens. I’ve developed a positive relationship with King Lucian recently, and Emerald Cauldron Sect has successfully established a strategic partnership with Norwal City!” Hosen exclaimed with enthusiasm.

“Hosen, why don’t you consider returning now instead of waiting for the medicinal pool to open? Otherwise, someone else might seize the opportunity to take the leadership position of Emerald Cauldron Sect away from you,” Ebenez expressed with concern.

Hosen was surprised to hear that. “What exactly happened?”

“Hosen, we’ll talk when you get back. It is a long story,” Ebenez told him before ending their conversation.

The communication device was purchased. Crafted by a master in arcane arrays, its cost increased with longer communication durations.

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The Mans Decree Chapter 2654-A menacing look appeared in Ebenez’s eyes. “I’ll make sure you get what you deserve when Hosen comes back.”

After the conversation with Ebenez, Hosen had a change of heart. He bid farewell to Lucian and made his way back to Emerald Cauldron Sect.

In the hidden cave, Viola’s eyes slowly began to open. Kai’s treatment had helped her regain consciousness, though the poison in her body hadn’t been fully eliminated yet.

“Where am I?” Viola’s brows furrowed together as she slowly sat up.

When she sat up, the blanket covering her body slipped down, exposing her naked form to the air.

"Ah!" Viola shrieked out loud as she hastily grabbed the blanket to cover her body.

Realizing there was no one around, Viola heaved a sigh of relief and quickly put on her clothes.

She racked her brains, trying to figure out what happened before she lost consciousness.

All she could recall was going to Ghaylen before losing consciousness. He had been the one to bring her to the hidden cave.

After that, everything was a blur as she fainted. She had no sense of how much time had passed since then.

"Why was I not wearing clothes?" Viola wondered aloud. After all, she remembered being fully clothed before she lost consciousness.

"Did Mr. Samoll... No, that's impossible. He would never do that to me. What exactly happened? Have I been..."

Viola couldn't remember anything. She didn't even know that Kai had treated her condition.

Unable to recall any memories, Viola resolved to leave the cave. However, to her dismay, she found herself unable to open the entrance.

Feeling stranded, she returned to the bed and waited, hoping to see if anyone would come to the cave.

If someone did arrive, and it wasn't Ghaylen, it could very well be the person who had undressed her while she was unconscious.

Viola made up her mind to confront and kill that person if it turned out not to be Ghaylen.

Right then, Kai suddenly opened his eyes in the middle of his cultivation. He glanced at the full moon outside before walking out of the room slowly.

Gazing at the mountain peak not far away, he involuntarily made his way there.

The hidden cave was right on top of that mountain. Kai couldn't explain why he felt the urge to head there.

Perhaps he wanted to see how Viola was faring.

When Kai arrived outside the cave, his hand hovered over the door to open it, but he hesitated.

He realized that Viola might be undressed inside, and if he were to be discovered by Ghaylen while showing up at this late hour, it could lead to awkward explanations.

However, after a brief hesitation, Kai proceeded to open the cave.

With a loud creak, the cave entrance swung open.

Catching the sound, Viola swiftly positioned herself on the bed and pulled the blanket over her, pretending to still be unconscious.

Kai walked into the cave and headed straight to Viola's room. He saw her lying on the bed, not moving an inch.

Thus, Kai approached her bed and reached out to take her pulse before tucking her in.

Just as his arm extended, Viola's eyes snapped open. Realizing it wasn't Ghaylen but an unfamiliar man, a surge of anger overcame her, prompting her to deliver a direct punch.

Kai had not expected that Viola would wake up suddenly and was clearly taken aback. In an instant, a gust of wind rushed toward him.

Reacting on instinct, Kai swiftly retreated, narrowly evading Viola's punch.

Viola sprang to her feet from the bed and launched a direct attack on Kai.

Her movements were swift and decisive. Being a Top Level Manifestor, she could conjure a gust of wind with every strike she made.

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The Mans Decree Chapter 2655-Kai continued evading her attacks and asked in confusion, "What are you doing? Are you being ungrateful?"

He was taken by surprise as he did not expect Viola to have woken up already, let alone attack him immediately upon waking. Last but not least, he couldn't fathom why she was targeting him.

After all, he was the one who had facilitated her recovery. Instead of expressing gratitude, Viola's response left Kai bewildered.

"I'm being ungrateful? You shameless b\*stard! How could you take advantage of me when I fainted and take my virginity away from me? I swear I'll kill you today! Who are you? Where are we?"

Fury crossed Viola's face as she continued attacking Kai without holding back.

Hearing that, Kai immediately realized that Viola had misunderstood him.

She must've thought someone forced himself on her as she woke up naked.

"Stop attacking me. I didn't lay a hand on you! You've gotten it wrong. It was Mr. Samoll who brought me here. We're currently in a secret cave within Emerald Cauldron Sect!" Kai quickly explained.

Hearing Ghaylen's name, Viola halted in her tracks and shot Kai a baffled look. "Who are you? Where is Mr. Samoll? Why isn't he here?"

Breathing heavily, Kai managed to explain, "I'm Kai Chance, a disciple of Mr. Samoll. I treated your condition, which allowed you to wake up. Mr. Samoll is still at his residence and didn't accompany me. I came here to check on you."

Viola studied Kai with a hint of nervousness, showing that she still had doubts about his words.

"You treated me? There's no way Mr. Samoll would allow a disciple to treat me. You're lying through your teeth. Who exactly are you?" she demanded.

After carefully observing Kai for a moment, Viola resumed her attack, aiming to restrain him before interrogating him about his identity.

Despite her sudden attacks, Kai was well-prepared. He reached out to seize Viola's wrist.

Viola might be a Top Level Manifestor, but she was no match for Kai.

Panic surged through her as soon as Kai's firm grip closed around her wrist. Though she tried to pull away, his hold was unyielding, leaving her immobilized.

"You're just a liar! Mr. Samoll's disciples can't possibly be this powerful. You're clearly deceiving me! Release me immediately!"

Viola's glare burned with anger as she confronted Kai. She was convinced that he couldn't be a disciple of Ghaylen, as none of them had ever surpassed her in strength.

"If I let you go, you have to promise not to attack me again. I've already told you the truth. Why won't you believe me? I didn't take advantage of you. Can't you sense if someone has done something like that? If nothing works, why don't you feel with your own hands if your most valuable thing is still intact? That way, you'll know I'm telling the truth!" Kai snapped impatiently.

Viola's cheeks turned pink. "You pervert!"

She knew what Kai was talking about. He wanted her to feel for herself if her hymen was still intact. It was clear he was a pervert as he told her to do that without feeling ashamed!

Kai was speechless. He had no idea how to explain himself.

Right then, footsteps sounded outside. Ghaylen's figure soon appeared.

He was surprised to see Viola awake. "Ms. Viola, you're awake?"

Viola was surprised to see Ghaylen. "I knew it was you, Mr. Samoll."

## **The Mans Decree Chapter 2656 -**

The Mans Decree Chapter 2656-Spotting Ghaylen, Kai loosened his grip on Viola and said, "Mr. Samoll, please explain to her quickly. I'm in a tough spot here. Your Ms. Viola is convinced that I did something inappropriate to her and wants to get back at me!"

Realization dawned upon Ghaylen. He promptly clarified, “Ms. Viola, I actually invited Mr. Chance to treat your condition. You were poisoned and remained unconscious for years. Despite my efforts, I couldn’t bring you back. It’s all thanks to Mr. Chance that you’ve regained consciousness.”

“Mr. Chance?” Viola was taken aback. “Isn’t he your disciple?”

“Ms. Viola, allow me to clarify. Mr. Chance became my disciple and joined Emerald Cauldron Sect in order to access the medicinal pool...” Ghaylen began to narrate to Viola, providing a comprehensive account of the transformations that had transpired in Emerald Cauldron Sect over the recent years.

The more Viola found out, the more furious she got. The revelation that Hosen had leveraged Emerald Cauldron Sect’s medical expertise to amass considerable wealth and accumulate a plethora of cultivation resources left her seething.

Her father had founded Emerald Cauldron Sect with the core principle of healing and aiding the ill, prioritizing compassion over monetary gains.

The fact that Hosen had deviated so starkly from this noble objective, transforming the sect into a profit-driven entity, incensed Viola even further.

Tears welled up in her gaze when she recalled her father, who had been poisoned to his death.

“I must teach Hosen a lesson and get Emerald Cauldron Sect back!” she exclaimed between gritted teeth.

“Now that you’ve regained consciousness, Ms. Viola, you have the power to bring Hosen’s misdeeds to light. However, it’s essential to tread cautiously. Hosen wields considerable influence within Emerald Cauldron Sect, and a significant portion of our members are his disciples. Moreover, Mr. Ebenezer supports him as well. If you were to expose him abruptly, your safety might be compromised before you can take effective action against Hosen. At present, he remains oblivious to your recovery, offering us the opportunity to await a more favorable timing,” Ghaylen wisely suggested.

“Timing? When will that be? A few years have passed since my father’s death. If we wait any longer, Hosen’s influence in Emerald Cauldron Sect will merely increase with time,” Viola retorted, her brows furrowed in anger.

“Considering your current level of strength, facing off against Hosen would likely result in defeat. He possesses the means to overpower you effortlessly, putting your life at grave risk. Reclaiming Emerald Cauldron Sect under such circumstances would prove challenging. Your temper seems fiery, despite your apparent frailness and vulnerability,” Kai pointed out.

His criticism merely served to increase Viola’s fury. She roared, “I have yet to settle scores with you. How dare you criticize me?”

“Why would you need to settle scores with me? Didn’t we explain everything to you earlier?” Kai was puzzled.

“You didn’t take advantage of me, but you were the one who undressed me! As a result, you saw me naked. Don’t you think I should hold you accountable for that? Was there no other method to treat me that didn’t involve undressing me? You probably did that on purpose as you wanted to see me naked, didn’t you? You dared not exploit the situation only because Mr. Samoll is always outside. Otherwise, why sneak into the cave alone secretly? You could’ve been trying to force yourself on me! If I hadn’t regained consciousness, you might’ve succeeded already!”

Hearing Viola’s accusation, Kai was speechless.

He came here secretly to check on her, not to take advantage of her!

Alas, even if he tried to defend himself, she wouldn’t believe him.

“Fine. I came here to force myself on you. I treated you, so can’t I do that? It’s my reward. After all, you’re gorgeous and curvaceous. It’s a waste if I don’t take the opportunity to enjoy myself.”

Knowing she wouldn’t believe that he was innocent, Kai decided to anger Viola.

## **The Mans Decree Chapter 2657 -**

The Mans Decree Chapter 2657-Upon hearing that, Viola flew into a rage as expected. She was about to attack Kai but was quickly stopped by Ghaylen.

“Ms. Viola, Mr. Chance is definitely not that kind of person. He was just teasing you. I believe he didn’t come here to lay his hands on you. I can tell Mr. Chance has been with countless women. Ms. Viola, although you have a

good figure and outstanding countenance, I reckon Mr. Chance isn't interested in you," Ghaylen hurriedly elaborated.

"You're indeed astute, Mr. Samoll. I can't believe you can even figure that out." Kai couldn't help but be amazed. How did Mr. Samoll realize I've been with countless women?

"Mr. Chance, the first time I brought you here to help treat Ms. Viola, I noticed the indifferent look in your eyes when you gazed at her. You didn't harbor the slightest hint of perverted thoughts toward her. Therefore, I believe you when you say you haven't touched Ms. Viola," Ghaylen explained.

Hearing Ghaylen's words, Viola couldn't help but feel a sense of competition surge within her.

"Kai, let me ask you. Did you avoid touching me because I'm not as pretty as the women you've been with?" She was very curious why he wouldn't make a move on her.

"Your figure and looks are considered slightly below average among my many women." Kai deliberately sized up Viola as he spoke.

Viola was instantly enraged after listening to Kai's remark. "How many women do you have? I'm only considered slightly below average? I may not be the most beautiful woman in the country, but I have absolute confidence in my figure and appearance! Where are those women of yours? I'd like to see how much better they are compared to me!"

All women were highly competitive when it came to their figures and appearances, and Viola was not an exception.

"I don't even know how many women I'm with at this point. I can't bring them to you now, but I have a portrait here. You can take a look, and you'll know how significantly inferior you are to my women."

Kai gently waved his hand while uttering those words. The air in front of him quivered, and a portrait appeared the next second.

The woman featured in the painting was Cecilia. She wore a white outfit, and her long hair cascaded down her shoulders. Her facial features were as delicate as an angel.

Cecilia's aura was exceptionally remarkable, not something any woman possessed.

Looking at Cecilia's portrait, Viola was stunned. She never imagined a woman as exquisite and elegant as Cecilia existed in the world.

"Mr. Chance, is this really your woman? She's as gorgeous as an angel who descended from the heavens." Even at his advanced age, Ghaylen was mesmerized at the sight of Cecilia's portrait.

"Of course! She's just one of my many women. All my other women are also incredibly stunning. Do you understand why I'm uninterested in other women now?"

Kai sounded as if he was bragging, but when he spoke, his eyes were riveted on Viola.

He was deliberately saying that to her, intentionally provoking her.

Subsequently, Viola fell silent. If the woman in the painting is truly in a relationship with Kai, it's only logical that he's indifferent about me.

"Ms. Viola, you can stay here for the time being. The medicinal pool will open in a few days. By then, I'll find a way to get you in there. We'll use the medicinal pool's power to help you break through to Body Fusion Realm, then we can figure out a strategy to overthrow Hosen," Ghaylen said to Viola.

She nodded in response. That was their only option at that moment. If she rashly went out now, she would only cause herself to die in vain.

Following Kai and Ghaylen's departure, the peace and tranquility of the cave's interior were restored.

Recalling Kai's words just now, Viola suddenly blushed, and her face instantly turned crimson.

She sat on the bed and slowly extended her hand downward, wanting to check for herself whether Kai had told the truth.

When she felt an obstacle with her fingertips, Viola immediately let out a sigh of relief.

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The Mans Decree Chapter 2658-Two days later, Hosen returned to Emerald Cauldron Sect.

When he saw the base in a complete mess, he almost exploded with rage.

“What happened? What exactly happened here? Can someone explain it to me?” he questioned loudly while standing at the entrance of Emerald Cauldron Sect’s inner court.

All the disciples lowered their heads, none daring to speak. Even Sigurd appeared anxious.

Now that Hosen had come back, Sigurd didn’t know how he should explain Kai’s matters to his master.

“Sigurd, tell me. What the h\*ll happened here?” Hosen inquired Sigurd.

“Master, this is the result of a fight that broke out between Mr. Samoll and Mr. Erdell’s disciples,” Sigurd told the truth.

“What?” After hearing that, Hosen grew more furious. “This is outrageous! According to Emerald Cauldron Sect’s rules, our disciples are not allowed to fight each other, let alone within the inner court. Now, not only did they exchange blows, but they have also destroyed so many buildings. It seems that I must teach them a lesson. Bring Ghaylen and Ebenezer here. I demand an explanation from both of them. Otherwise, neither of them will get away with it!”

Hosen was beside himself with rage. After all, he was Emerald Cauldron Sect’s leader at that moment. Breaking the sect’s rules was no different from disrespecting him, which was something he wouldn’t allow to happen.

No matter who it was, as long as they dared to threaten his authority, Hosen wouldn’t show them any mercy. It was precisely his ruthlessness and iron-fisted approach that made Hosen highly revered in Emerald Cauldron Sect.

Sigurd nodded, then hastily ran toward Ghaylen’s dwelling. He wanted to inform Kai that Hosen had returned so that Kai could brace himself.

After all, Kai had a conflict with Hosen. If Hosen insisted on dealing with Kai, the situation would turn ugly.

“Why are you here, Sigurd?” Zebediah asked at once when he saw Sigurd.

Sigurd had been very kind to Ghaylen’s disciples during that period, so Zebediah and the others no longer regarded Sigurd with enmity.

“Is Mr. Chance here? I have something urgent to talk to him about!” Sigurd replied.

“Yes, he’s here. Mr. Chance is discussing medical skills with Master inside the room,” Zebediah responded.

Not wasting time to speak further, Sigurd rushed into the room.

“Mr. Chance, bad news. My master is back!” Sigurd uttered nervously after meeting with Kai.

Ghaylen was unaware of the discord between Kai and Hosen, so he asked in bafflement, “Sigurd, what’s the big deal about Hosen coming back? Why are you in such a panic? Besides, what does your master’s return have to do with Mr. Chance?”

“Mr. Samoll, I have some friction with Hosen, so Sigurd is worried his master may take action against me,” Kai briefly recounted his conflict with Hosen to Ghaylen.

Upon hearing that, Ghaylen immediately laughed. “This is nothing. You’re nominally my disciple now and a member of Emerald Cauldron Sect. Hosen won’t do anything to harm you because of this slight disagreement. If he dares to try anything, I’ll object. I believe he’ll still grant me this favor.”

Kai was a little relieved after hearing Ghaylen’s reassurance. He didn’t want to have a falling out with Hosen at that critical juncture either, as that would affect the opening of the medicinal pool.

Besides, they would have to deal with Hosen sooner or later since Viola had regained consciousness and would eventually expose Hosen’s crimes.

Sigurd turned to Ghaylen and said, “Mr. Samoll, my master instructed me to invite you over.”

“All right. I’ll be right over.” Ghaylen bobbed his head.

“Please practice extra caution, Mr. Chance,” Sigurd reminded Kai before turning around and leaving.

“Mr. Samoll, I’ll tag along with you. This meeting with Hosen is inevitable, and I’ll have to face it in time.” Kai decided to go with Ghaylen to see Hosen.

## **The Mans Decree Chapter 2659 -**

The Mans Decree Chapter 2659-At the main hall of Emerald Cauldron Sect’s inner court, Ebenezer stood, his face displaying a mixture of aggrieved emotions, as he faced Hosen’s furious roars.

“Hosen, you must bring justice to me. While you were away, many unfortunate events occurred in the Emerald Cauldron Sect! The state of the sect has deteriorated due to the actions of the new disciple Ghaylen brought in. Even my most senior disciple, Bilius, has lost his life. If you hadn’t returned, Ghaylen would have taken over the sect completely,” Ebenezer pleaded with a sense of urgency.

He was swift to tattle on Ghaylen.

“What?” Hosen’s eyes widened in shock. “How dare he be so audacious as to destroy houses in the inner court and kill Bilius? This is outrageous! Furthermore, Bilius should have advanced to become a Top Level Manifestor by now. How could Ghaylen’s disciple possibly defeat him, given how weak Ghaylen is?”

Hosen remained in disbelief. After all, Bilius was one of the most accomplished disciples, and even Sigurd would find it challenging to end Bilius’ life.

“Hosen, the new disciple is strange, to say the least. Despite being only a Manifestor, the power he has displayed seems to be on par with yours! Moreover, he possesses numerous divine weapons. He appears to be a son of some wealthy family, but I can’t fathom why he would join our sect and become Ghaylen’s disciple,” Ebenezer added with a touch of exaggeration.

Ebenezer was well aware of Hosen’s fondness for magical items, and he deliberately brought up the topic of the divine weapons in Kai’s possession. He hoped to manipulate Hosen by playing on his greed for these items.

“Do you not know his identity? What’s his name?”

Hosen’s curiosity about Ghaylen’s new disciple was piqued.

“He goes by the name Kai Chance. Sigurd seems to be familiar with him, so I believe Sigurd might have more information about his true identity,” Ebenezer revealed.

“Kai Chance?” Hosen exclaimed, leaping to his feet with surprise written all over his face. He then turned to Sigurd and asked, “Sigurd, tell me, is Kai…”

“Yes, he’s the one you sent me and Francois to capture,” Sigurd responded in a whisper.

At that moment, Sigurd’s heart was racing, his entire body gripped by nervousness.

When he heard Sigurd’s response, a murderous intent flashed in Hosen’s eyes as he questioned him, “Explain this to me. What’s going on?”

“Master, I’m deeply sorry!” Sigurd suddenly knelt on the ground and confessed, “I brought Kai to the sect because he said he had something to offer to you and that he wants to be your disciple! But you weren’t around when we returned, so Mr. Samoll got to him first.”

In a desperate attempt to navigate the situation, Sigurd resorted to half-truths and half-lies, hoping that Hosen would believe his words.

“Offer me something? What is it?” Hosen pressed on.

“The Divine Cauldron, I believe. It’s said to be a powerful cauldron for alchemy. If my memory serves me right, he used it at Mr. Samoll’s place before,” Sigurd replied.

“The Divine Cauldron?” Ebenezer’s eyes widened in astonishment when he heard the name of the item.

Unlike Ebenezer, Hosen wasn’t surprised at all, as he had dispatched Sigurd and Francois to pursue Kai and retrieve the Divine Cauldron.

“In that case, the colorful Spirit Cloud that appeared above Ghaylen’s place had to have come from the Divine Cauldron. Here I was, thinking that Ghaylen’s alchemy skills were finally improving!” Ebenezer exclaimed,

remembering the striking Spirit Cloud that had emerged not long after Kai's arrival at the sect.

"It looks like Ghaylen took Kai as his disciple for the Divine Cauldron." Hosen then narrowed his eyes. "Why hasn't Ghaylen shown up yet?"

"I've already informed him about this. He said he'll be here soon," Sigurd answered.

Hosen nodded, resolving to wait for Ghaylen to arrive. He was determined to find a way to obtain that powerful cauldron. If Kai were to offer the Divine Cauldron to him, Hosen was willing to forgive Kai for his past actions.

## **The Mans Decree Chapter 2660 -**

The Mans Decree Chapter 2660—"Mr. Samoll has arrived!" informed one of the disciples stationed outside the door.

Swiftly, Ghaylen strode into the main hall with Kai at his side.

When Kai and Hosen locked eyes, the latter's expression darkened, resembling the night itself.

The moment Hosen glanced at Kai, memories of having to kneel before him at Imperial Beast City flooded back into his mind.

Despite the surge of emotions, Hosen knew he couldn't afford to lose his temper at that moment. He couldn't possibly reveal to others that he had kneeled before Kai as doing so would tarnish his reputation as the leader of the sect.

"Hosen," Ghaylen greeted respectfully with a bow.

"Ghaylen, I've heard that you've taken in a new disciple, and he seems quite powerful, doesn't he? Not only did he destroy several residences in the sect, but he even killed Bilius. It appears your disciples have quite a promising future. They've been causing trouble while I was away. It seems they have little regard for me, the leader of the sect. Nevertheless, I'm back now, and I won't let this slide. Tell me, what is the punishment for disciples who defy their seniors and create chaos in the sect?"

Hosen was quick to assert his dominance, reminding Ghaylen of his position as the leader of the sect.

However, Ghaylen remained composed and unruffled. He calmly explained, "You might not be aware, but it was Bilius who first destroyed my house and harmed my disciples. Kai only acted in retaliation. Besides, Bilius' death happened at the arena. They were in a fight to their deaths, so it's not entirely surprising that one of them met such an end. Moreover, the ultimate demon beast from the Octo Ruler that Bilius released nearly wreaked havoc on the entire sect. The news of his actions even reached Helius' ears."

Right as Ghaylen uttered those words, Hosen shuddered and leaped to his feet, his surprise evident on his face. "What? The news of that reached Helius?"

"Indeed. He even ordered you to reflect on your actions at the mountain for three days, starting from the moment of your return," Ghaylen affirmed with a nod.

Hosen's shock was so immense that he almost fell to the ground, and his face turned as pale as death.

Then, Hosen swiftly turned his head toward Ebenezer, his voice sharp and demanding. "Ebenez, is Ghaylen speaking the truth?"

"H-H-Helius did say that," Ebenezer managed to stammer.

Hosen's anger surged to the point of a near heart attack when he heard Ebenezer's confirmation. Without a second thought, he slapped Ebenezer in his fury.

"Are you f\*cking trying to kill me? How could you keep this from me, knowing that even Helius had heard about it? After my reflection, I'll make sure to settle the score with you!" Hosen erupted in anger.

With that said, Hosen stormed toward the back mountain at breakneck speed, his main concern being his own survival.

In this current state of fury and fear, he had no time to deal with Kai's situation.

Meanwhile, both Kai and Ghaylen revealed looks of amusement when they witnessed Hosen's impulsive act of slapping Ebenezer.

Naturally, Ebenezer was livid.

To make matters worse, Ghaylen couldn't resist making a sarcastic remark, saying, "Ebenezer, that was quite a harsh slap. You should quickly apply some ointment to your face, or else you'll be the subject of laughter among the disciples if they see your swollen cheek."

Ebenezer gritted his teeth and hissed, "Don't think you can gloat for long. Just wait and see. Don't assume that I won't come after you just because Hosen doesn't dare to!"

As the threat hung in the air, Ebenezer spun around and stormed off in a fit of anger.

Back in his quarters, Ebenezer's anger boiled over, and he vented it by throwing anything within his reach to the ground.

He believed that Hosen would punish Ghaylen upon his return as Hosen had been displeased with Ghaylen for quite some time.

To everyone's surprise, Hosen's reaction was unexpected. He panicked the moment he learned that Helius was aware of the incident. Hosen couldn't even be bothered to address Ghaylen's matter as he hurried off to carry out his own punishment.

"I'm not going to let this go. I'm never going to let them off the hook!" Ebenezer bellowed.

Moments later, the man gradually tamped down his fury and regained control of his emotions.